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Dear Fellow Directors:

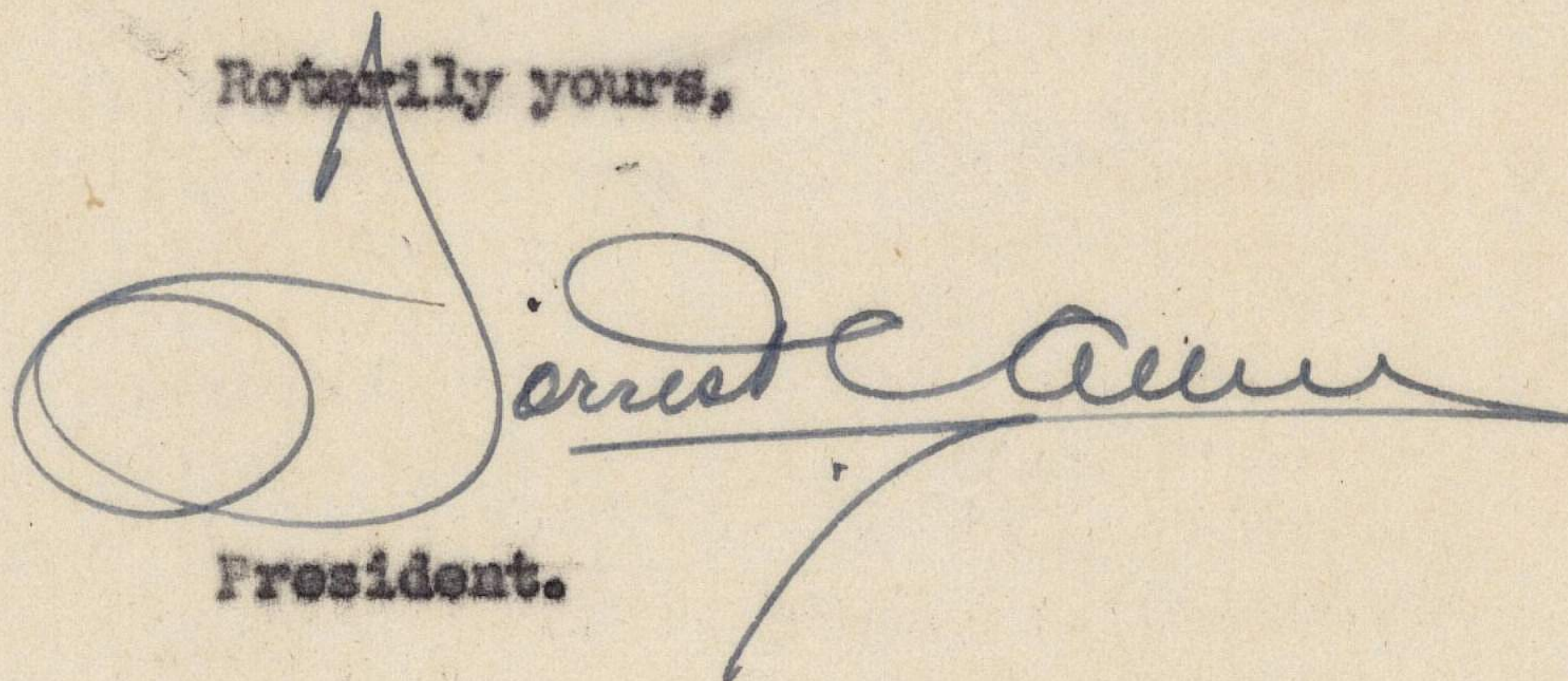
The Kiwanis Club has given \$50.00 to the community recreation fund for summer playground and educational facilities for our children of Lawrence. It is my recollection that we gave \$15.00.

Henry Shenk, chairman of the finance committee of the Recreation Council, together with Clifford Dean, Armin Woestemeyer, Harry Morrow, George Lowman, and I met at the Eldridge Hotel to discuss the matter of raising \$800.00 to finish out the needed funds for this summer program. Clifford Dean and Henry Shenk jockeyed a little and challenged me to have Rotary match the Kiwanis gift.

Personally, I feel that we should do it this year, but for the future I am very much opposed to raising money in this manner. I am convinced that the money given to the Community Chest should include this splendid activity. We have promised our people that we would not solicit but once a year for all worthwhile things, save the Red Cross and the Tuberculosis Seal campaign.

Therefore if you will consider this at your next Board meeting, June 12, I will appreciate it. I would heartily recommend that we give the additional \$35.00 to put this project over; that is, if we have the funds.

Rotarily yours,



Clifford Dean

President.

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