

December 26, 1941.

Mr. Frank L. Brittain,
Lathrop Building,
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Frank:

We are expecting you to address our Rotary Club on "Let's Save America's Business", on Monday, January 29. We meet at the Eldridge Hotel at 12:30 noon, and I will meet you there prior to that time for the start.

I trust that if the war has made any change in the concept or content of your speech that you will be able to meet the changing conditions with your usual versatility.

With kindest regards, I am

Rotarily yours,

Chairman, Program Committee,
Lawrence Rotary Club.

FCA:AH

November 18, 1941

Mr. Frank L. Brittain
Lathrop Building
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Frank,

I acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 14th instant.

The date of Dec. 29 will be perfectly agreeable to me, and I have marked it on my calendar as yours. We will be looking for you at that time.

Rotarily,

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Chairman, Program Committee
Lawrence Rotary Club

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Farrest C. Allen

Lawrence Kos

Dear Phog:-

If OK lets make our date
Dec 29. Because of the nature of
my talk I want to use it on the
earliest dates possible

I have marked this date on
my calendar to be confirmed
by you. With kindest wishes

Respectfully
Frank

Walter
Kos

November 14, 1941

Mr. Frank L. Brittain
Lathrop Building
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Rotarian Frank,

Doctor Lyle S. Powell just called me and it seems that there has been a slight misunderstanding concerning the date that he was to have for a International Rotary meeting here in Lawrence. He was under the impression that the date of Dec. 1 had been reserved for him, and since I spoke to him some time before I contacted you about this date, I feel that we should have his meeting at that time.

I am very sorry about this mix-up and wonder if you would choose one of the other dates which I mentioned before. These are: Dec. 29, January 5, 26, February 2.

Hoping that one of these dates will be satisfactory for you
I am

Rotarily yours,

FCA/PG

Chairman, Program Committee
Lawrence Rotary Club

November 6, 1941

Mr. Frank L. Brittain
Lathrop Building
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Frank,

I am very happy to have your letter as of the 3rd instant stating that you can come to Lawrence for our Rotary meeting at the Eldridge hotel at 12:30 on December 1. I understand that your subject is, "Let's Save American Business".

It will be a pleasure to have you with us and your many friends will be indeed happy to greet you and to talk with you on this occasion.

Sincerely and Rotarily,

FCA/pg

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball and Baseball Coach

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS
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DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION

November 3, 1941.

Mr. Frank L. Brittain,
Lathrop Building,
Kansas City, Mo.

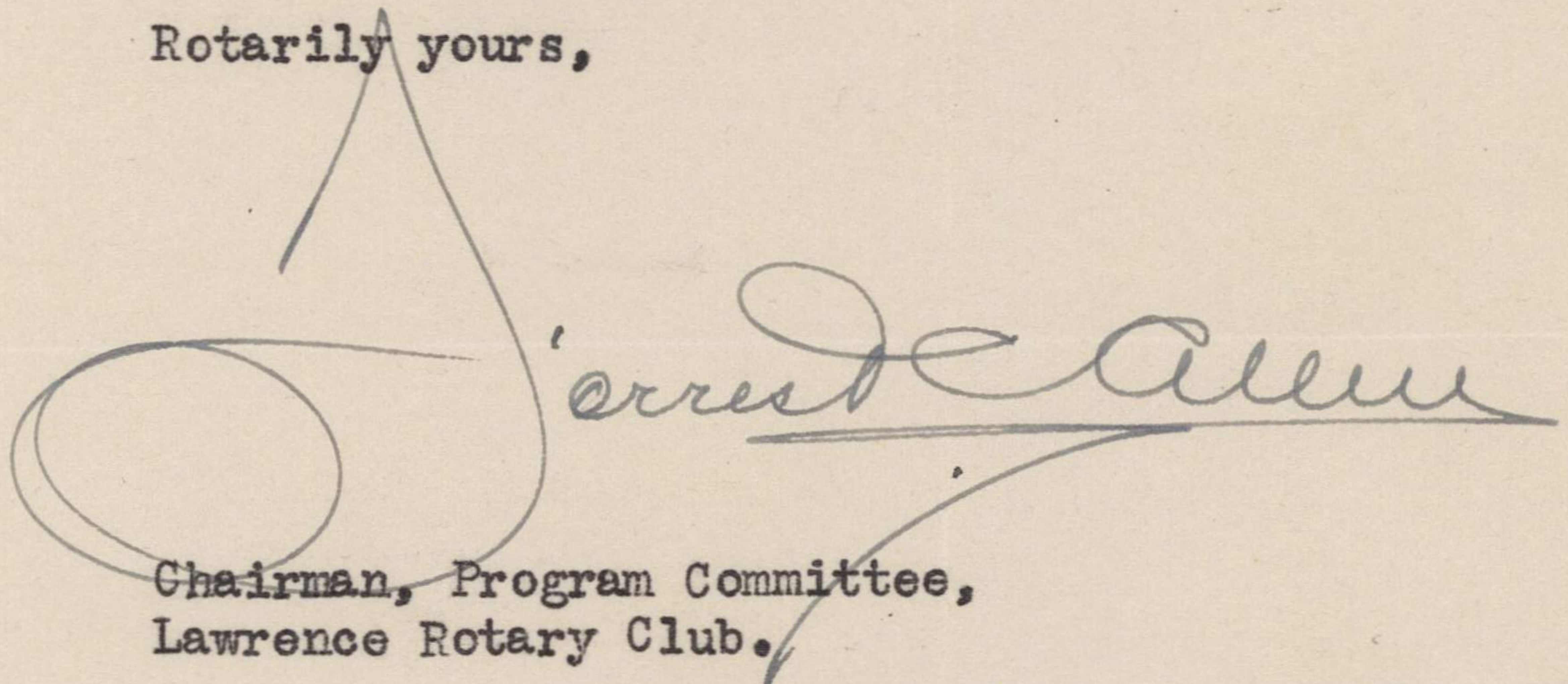
Dear Rotarian Frank:

Karl Klooz forwarded me your letter written to him regarding your new talk, "Let's Save America's Business".

I will make every effort to see if we cannot have you at some date convenient to you and to us. Which one of the following dates would suit you the best? December 1, 15, 22, 29, January 5, 26, February 2.

I will be happy to hear from you.

Rotarily yours,



Ernest Allen
Chairman, Program Committee,
Lawrence Rotary Club.

FCA:AH

Dear Phog:- Dec 1 would suit me fine. I think that one of KCU Profs heard me at Topeka and was kind enough to say a nice word to me. I am confident that your Club will appreciate what I have to say. With best wishes, Love, Rotarily yours
Frank
F.L. Brittain

Rotary file

November 3, 1941.

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Lathrop Building,
Kansas City, Mo.

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Rotarily yours,

FCA:AH

Chairman, Program Committee,
Lawrence Rotary Club.

—*Buzz Saw*—

Frank Brittain was guest-speaker at the Rotary Club of Chillicothe, Mo., a week ago Friday. Allen Moore writes that "Frank made a mighty fine talk; one which was followed with the greatest of interest and was really appreciated. I am going to have him back early this winter to address our student assembly."

—*Buzz Saw*—

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Oct 22-41

Mr Karl Herz
Lawrence, Kas
Dear Karl:-

Recently I prepared a new talk:
"Let's save Americas Business" I
have given it at Topeka and several
other Clubs. I am sending you a
clipping from our Buzz Saw about
my talk before the Chellicathe Club

If you can use me I would
be pleased to run up most anytime.
I would ask that you take care of
the bus fare going and returning
With my best wishes, I am

Rotarily yours

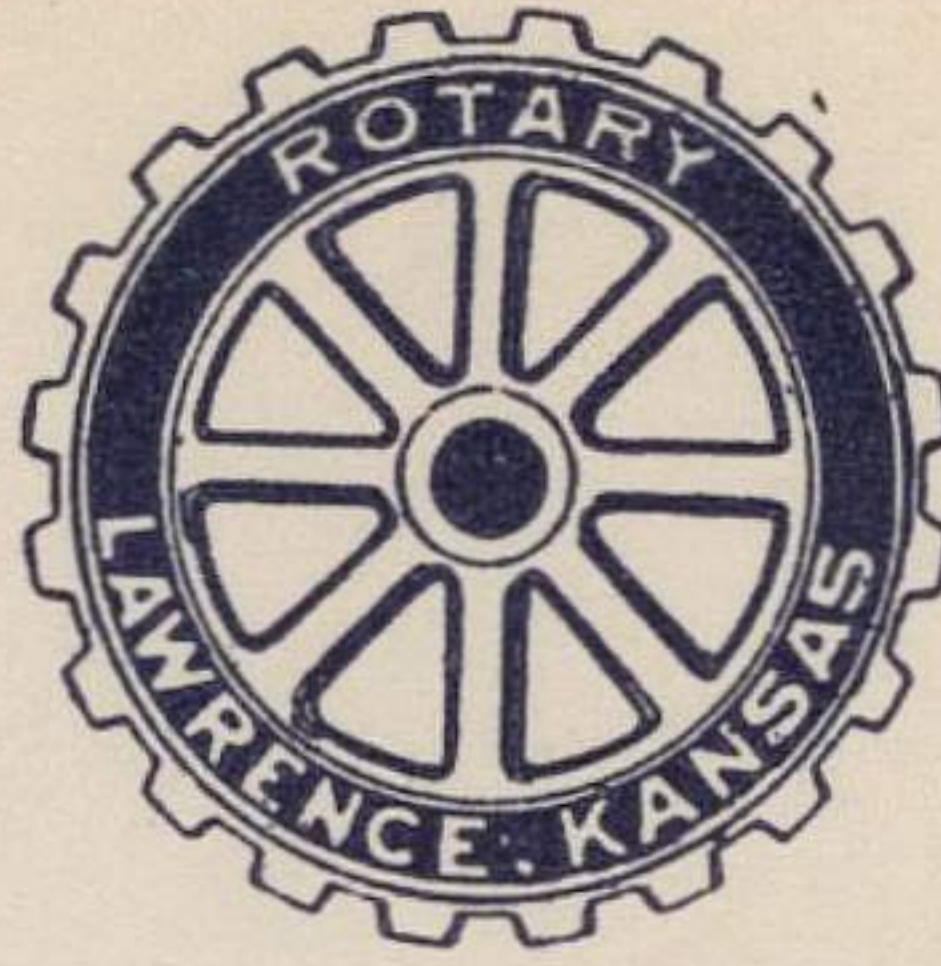
Frank

F. L. Brittain

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ROTARY CLUB
OF
LAWRENCE, KANSAS

October 24, 1941

Dr. Forrest C. Allen
Department of Physical Education
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

My dear "Phog":

Enclosed you will please find letter received from Frank L. Brittain of Kansas City, Missouri, which you will find self-explanatory.

You will probably recall that Frank is a past District Governor of the old 15th District. During the time he was District Governor he was considered more or less of a "pain in the neck" but maybe you know him and maybe your reactions have been otherwise.

Rotarily yours,

A large, stylized handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Karl Klooz".

Karl Klooz
Secretary

KK:JMT

Enc.

December 4, 1941

Mr. Clif Calvin
Estes-Snyder Investment Co.
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Clif,

I am sending you a brief biographical sketch of the Chancellor. Since he is entertaining the Rotary Club on the Hill next week, you will probably desire to use this sketch in the Rotary bulletin.

Rotarily,

FCA/PG

Chairman, Program Committee
Lawrence Rotary Club

November 19, 1941

Mr. Justin Hill
Lawrence Paper Company
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Jus,

John Andrews has suggested that I write you as Chairman of the Inter-City Relations Committee of Rotary.

I wonder if it will not be possible for us to have one or two inter-city groups here during the year? I know you had bad luck with the golfers when you were rained out, too, we have some fine meetings about on us and I think it would pep it up if we could have the out-siders a time or two. We have Frank Brittain on the 29th of December who will speak on "Let's Save America's Business". He is a very interesting speaker and we have had very fine reports from Topeka and Chillicothe where he spoke. That, of course, is after Christmas.

Next Monday we have Rev. L.H. Griffith, Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, who will speak on "The Business of Douglas County", and on December 1 Doctor Powell will speak.

Dolph Simons is going to have some very interesting movie views soon. On December 8 Chancellor Malott is entertaining the Rotarians on the campus. On the 15th and 22nd are our Christmas meetings.

I am giving you these dates so that you may look about. Of course, you are the boss, but we hope that you can bring in one or two of these out-side groups.

Rotarily yours,

Chairman, Program Committee
Lawrence Rotary Club

FCA/pg

November 19, 1941

Mr. John Andrews
Gas Company
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear President John,

I am enclosing a carbon copy of a letter which I have written to
Jus Hill which I believe is self-explanatory.

I like to keep you informed of any arrangements that I have made
and I thought that you would like to know about this letter.

Rotarily,

FCA/PE

Chairman, Program Committee
Lawrence Rotary Club

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Dir of Alumni Relations
more 1246 No. 1
Wagoner Park, Mo.
Hotel

October 13, 1941

Prof. Eugene A. Stephenson
1516 University Drive
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Stevie,

I am wondering if you would be kind enough to favor us at Rotary with one of your whiz-bang talks on engineering petroleum.

We have the following dates taken:

Oct. 20
Oct. 27
Nov. 3
Nov. 10
Nov. 17
Nov. 24

You pick out a date and it will please us beyond measure. And too, you can flatter President John Andrews with all the stuff that you have at your command during your speech, and look at all the material you have to work with!

Sincerely,

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Office 178

FCA/PG

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach
(Chairman Program Committee)
Lawrence Rotary Club

November 18, 1941

Mr. Ray T. Wright
Insurance Consultant
824 Massachusetts St.
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Mr. Wright,

Mr. John Andrews has referred your letter of the 13th instant regarding Superintendent Clifford Dean as a possible speaker at our Rotary Club to me.

Thank you very much for this information. We will plan to invite Mr. Dean to speak to us at an early date.

Sincerely yours,

FCA/PG
c.c. Mr. John Andrews

Chairman, Program Committee
Lawrence Rotary Club

November 18, 1941

Mr. John Andrews
Gas Company
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear President John,

I am enclosing a carbon copy of the letter that I have written to Mr. Ray Wright in answer to the letter regarding Supt. Clifford Dean as a possible Rotary speaker. Thank you very much for sending this information on to me.

We will endeavor to invite Mr. Dean to speak to us some time in the near future. However, at the present I have offered several of our open dates to persons who have not responded yet about the matter so I will not write to him until I can offer him several definite dates.

Thank you again.

Rotarily,

Chairman, Program Committee
Lawrence Rotary Club

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RAY T. WRIGHT

Insurance Consultant
824 Massachusetts Street
Lawrence, Kansas

Author of
"Life Insurance Not Death Insurance"

November 13, 1941

Mr. John Andrews
733 Massachusetts Street
Lawrence, Kansas

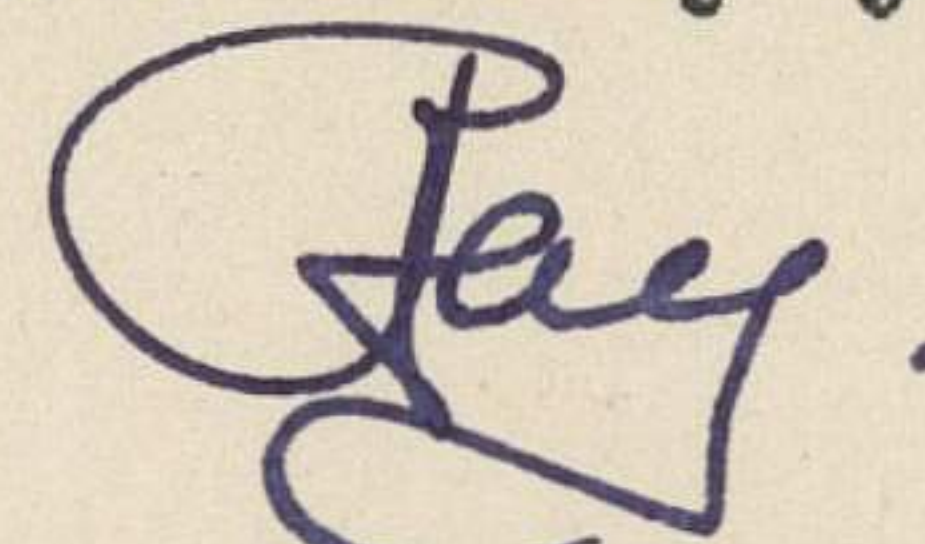
Dear John:

As President Elect of the Kiwanis Club, may I commend to your attention possibilities for a marvelous Program for the Rotary Club in a talk which Clifford Dean, Superintendent of Schools, is prepared to make to your Club as he did to ours.

Everyone who heard him acclaimed it as being the outstanding talk we have heard in many years. He gives a clear-cut interesting, and entertaining account of our City Educational System that everyone would really enjoy hearing. Truly, it is a masterpiece that you cannot afford to pass up.

Kiwanis Club hopes that you will avail yourself of his services on so timely a question.

Cordially yours,



Ray T. Wright

RTW: myb

*You'll get in touch
- dates filled*

November 12, 1941

Mr. Clif Calvin
Estes-Snyder Investment Co.
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Clif,

Next Monday's Rotary speaker will be Warden M. F. Amerine of the Kansas State Penitentiary at Lansing. His subject will be, "A Program For the Kansas State Prison".

I am enclosing a thumbnail sketch of his life which he has sent me which you may find helpful in getting the material for the Rotary Bulletin ready.

Rotarily,

FCA/PE

Chairman, Program Committee
Lawrence Rotary Club

November 12, 1941

Mr. John Andrews
Gas Company
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Jack,

I have just received a letter from Warden Amerine in which he says, "In connection with the talk next Monday, if you can conveniently arrange it, I would like to have a reading desk for my notes. I do not use them much, but some times wish to refer to them. An ordinary band music rack will do if no reading desk is convenient for the speakers' table."

Since I know of no one else to ask about this matter I am referring it to you. Thank you.

With all good wishes I am

Rotarily,

FCA/pg

Chairman, Program Committee
Lawrence Rotary Club

November 10, 1941

Warden M. F. Amerine
Kansas State Penitentiary
Lansing, Kansas

Dear Warden Amerine,

I wish to thank you very much for your prompt reply giving me your subject for next Monday noon's Rotary address.

However, there is one thing that I should like to know that I failed to mention. On our Rotary bulletins we like to give a thumbnail sketch of the speaker. There are some facts about you that I should know but I confess that I do not. Will you kindly tell me where you were born, years of residence in the community as a boy and as a man, etc. Mention where you married your wife, how many children you have, etc. Also, please tell us how many years that you have served in the various penal institutions, etc. and how you came to be in this work. I would like to know, too, the number of years you have been a Rotarian and what your hobby is.

If we can receive this by Thursday we would like to get it in the bulletin we send out to our members of Rotary. This not only saves us time in giving you a longer time to speak, but it gives the members of Rotary a further acquaintance with you.

With continued best wishes I am

Sincerely,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball and Baseball Coach

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MEMORANDUM

M. F. AMRINE

WARDEN

Nov 8-1941

Mr Forest C Allen,

Dear Allen,

The subject for
my talk is, "A Program
for the Kansas State
Prison."

Many thanks for
your many considerations.

Yours very truly-

M. Amrine

November 5, 1941

Warden M. F. Amerine
Kansas State Penitentiary
Lansing, Kansas

Dear Warden Amerine,

Will you be kind enough to write me and give me the subject of your address before our Rotary Club here in Lawrence on November 17?

Prof. George B. Smith, dean of the School of Education, will speak on November 10. I believe you and he discussed some possibility of his collaborating with you on some educational subject connected with the teaching and training of inmates of the penitentiary. I think he has done some work on this matter. Since he is speaking this week I believe it would be better if you'll take the ball and carry it all by yourself. Your long experience with and your ample opportunity to make observations of these unfortunates will be interesting indeed, I am sure.

We'd like to have your subject so that we can print it in the Rotary bulletin ahead of your speaking day. With kindest personal regards I am

Rotarily yours,

FCA/pg

Chairman Program Committee
Lawrence Rotary Club

Oct. 4, 1941

Warden M. P. Amerine
Kansas State Penitentiary
Lansing, Kansas

Dear Warden Amerine,

We are very happy to have your acceptance for Nov. 17 for
the Lawrence Rotary Club.

We are looking forward with great pleasure to hearing you
on that date.

Sincerely yours,

FCA/ps

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach



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October 3, 1941.

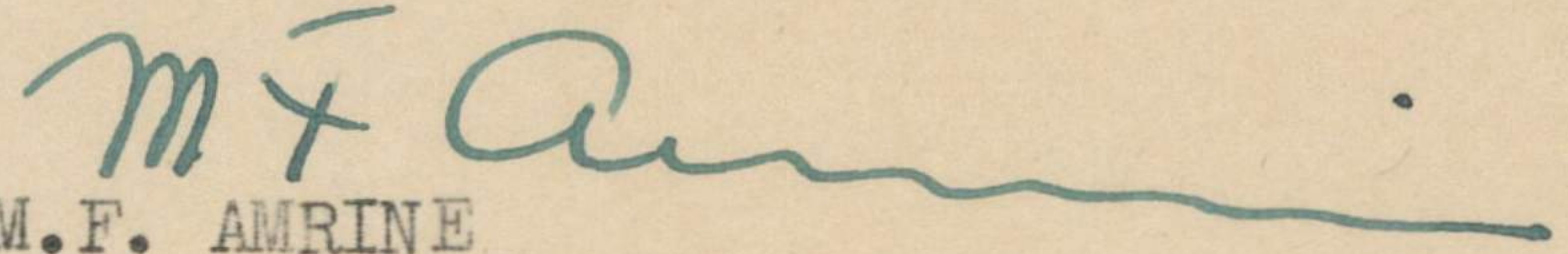
Dr. Forrest C. Allen, Director,
Department of Physical Education,
University of Kansas,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Dr. Allen:

I have no dates conflicting with
Monday, November 17th, at which time I would
be glad to talk to your Rotary Club. If,
later, you have any reason to change this
date, I will be glad to hear from you.

Many thanks for the foot ball
tickets which arrived this morning from
Mr. E.L. Falkenstein.

Sincerely yours,


M.F. AMRINE

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Oct. 4, 1941

Dean George B. Smith
School of Education
Fraser Hall
Campus

Dear Dean Smith,

I am enclosing a carbon copy of a letter I have written to Warden Amerine. I would be glad if you would write him and ~~then~~ discuss with him the educational projects for the prisoners that you and I talked about on our way back from the Colonial Tea Room.

Sincerely,

FCA/pg

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach