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Mr. W. C. Simons
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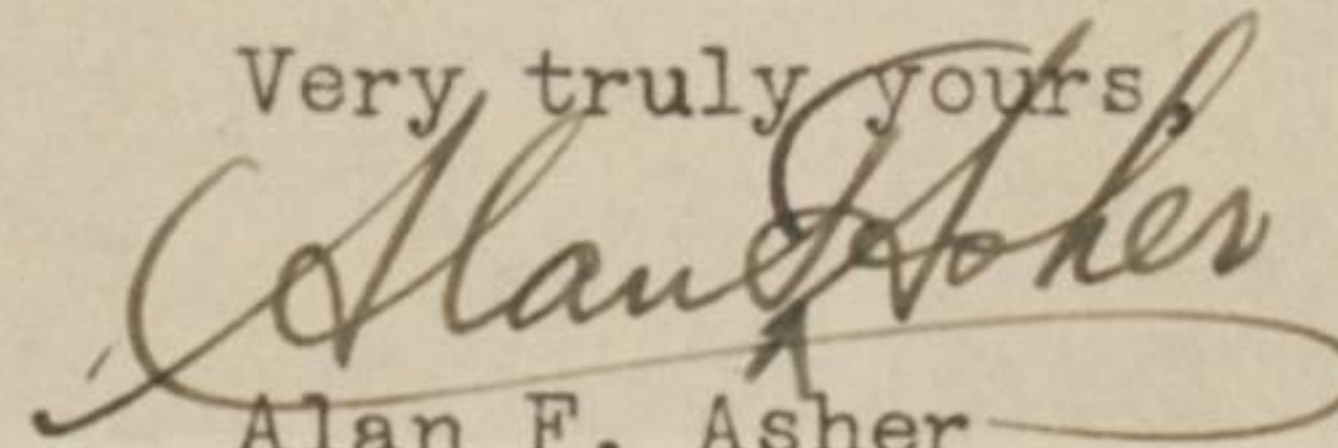
Dear Mr. Simons:

I am making application for an ensign's commission in the United States Navy on the basis of my membership in the State Bar Association and more particularly upon my A.B. in journalism and the newspaper and magazine experience since receiving it.

Because you were so kind as to write letters of recommendation on other occasions, I am wondering if I may give your name as a reference upon whom the navy may call for additional information.

Thanking you for both past and present courtesies, I am,

Very truly yours



Alan F. Asher

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