

May 20, 1952

OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT

Mr. Dolph Simons
The World Company
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dolph:

I was out of town last week when notice of your Father's passing was published, and that accounts for my delay in writing you.

I do want you to know, however, that everyone in our organization is sincerely sorry to learn of W. C.'s passing. I too will miss him very much. You probably do not realize it but he made a number of my Rotary luncheons much more pleasant as he sat near me and talked of things of mutual interest.

He was a leader in our community who will be missed for years to come but I know that he looked forward to your assuming his place of leadership.

While none of us is ever prepared for death when it does arrive, it should be gratifying to you to know how proud he was of your accomplishments, and how much happier you made his life through the things which you have accomplished.

Peggy and I want to extend our sincerest sympathies, and those same sympathies would be extended from every member of our organization.

Sincerely,

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