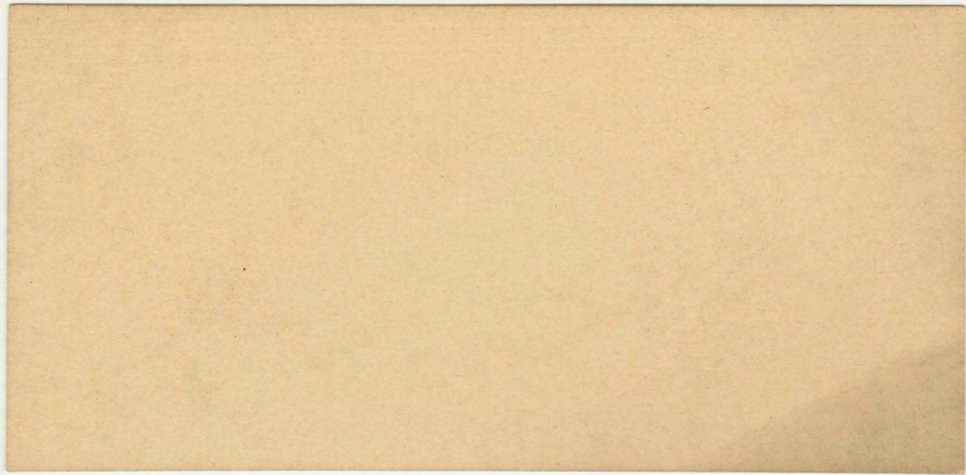


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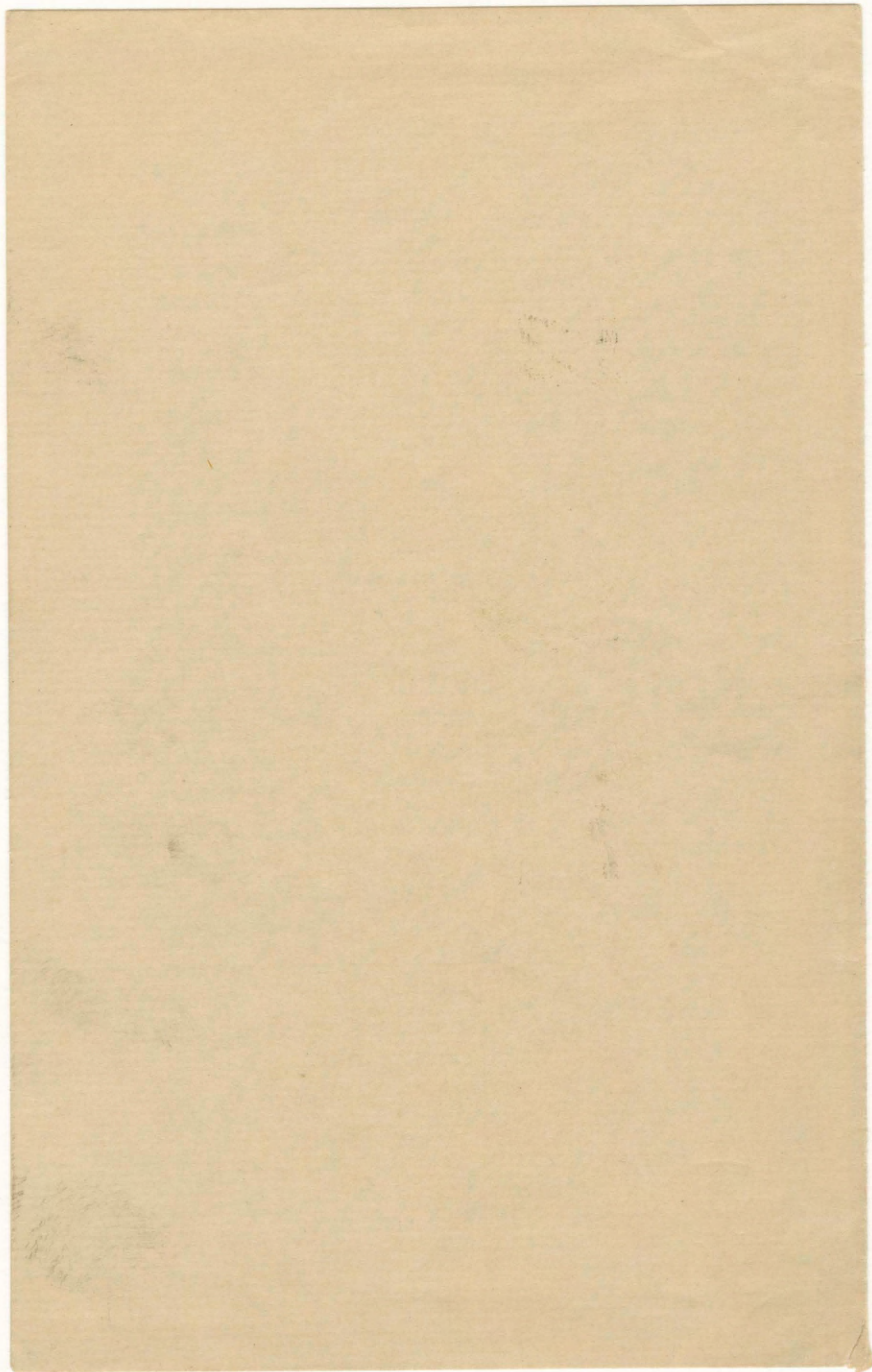
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Sehr geehrter Herr Präsident!

Ich erlaube mir Ihnen,
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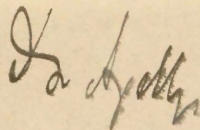
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Die Wahl der Zeit zu Vornahme des Besuchs wird Ihnen überlassen. Nur wird es sich empfehlen, dass Sie von Ihrem Eintreffen vorher die Anstaltsdirektionen in Kenntniss setzen.

Ein Exemplar der Hausordnung für die Landes-Straf- und Korrektionsanstalten im Königreiche Sachsen wird beigelegt.

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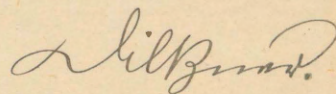
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den Vizepräsident der National-Gefängnissgesellschaft der Vereinigten Staaten von Amerika und Professor der Universität Chicago Herrn Dr. Charles Richmond Henderson,

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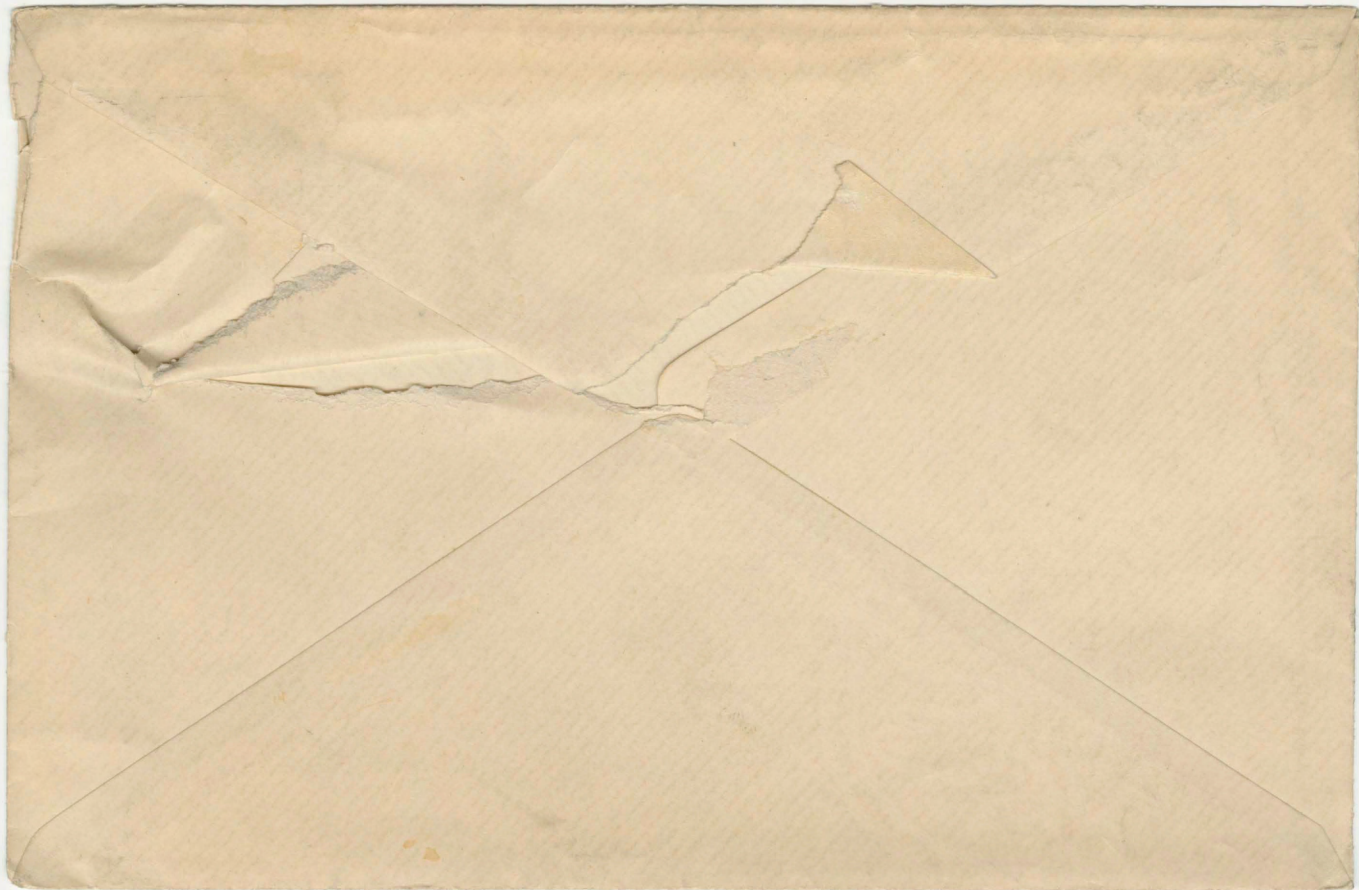
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Q: Handling of property and savings of prisoners ?

A: Under the law and the rules, the Warden is made custodian of the prisoners property and savings. The warden deposits the prisoner's money in a Savings Bank in the City in the name of the prisoner and same draws interest from the time it is deposited until it is drawn out, the interest money being credited to the prisoner.

2. Q: Reception of prisoners.

Q: Legal form of delivery and registration of new prisoners.

A: See blanks and forms covering same, marked "D", under separate cover.

Q: Examination, cleansing, clothing of new prisoners.

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Q: Disciplinary Classes.

A: We have three grades of prisoners, viz; first, second and third grades. See Rules and Regulations governing grades marked "G" under separate cover.

Q: Supervision.

A: See Rules and Regulations marked "H", under separate cover.

Q: Solitary (cellular) and common confinement.

A: Each prisoner is confined in a separate cell at night; two prisoners are never allowed to cell together; they work in aggregate work shops during the day.

Q: Restrictions on privileges, (writing, reading, visiting)

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A: The utmost care is taken to preserve the health of the prisoners and the sick receive the best of nursing and medical treatment. In case of dangerous illness the relatives and friends of the prisoner are notified; they are also notified in case of death and if the body is claimed by relatives or friends, the State provides a casket and shroud and turns the body over to them.

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Q: General rules, management of the sick and pretenders (Simulation)

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Q: Insane.

A: Under our law, when a prisoner is thought to be insane, the Prison Physician so certifies to the Warden, the Warden then applies to the Judge of Probate in the County in which the Prison is located, for the appointment of a commission to examine the prisoner as to his sanity. The committee consists of the County Attorney, who represents the prisoner, and two regular practicing physicians, accompanied by the Judge of Probate. Examinations are always conducted at the Prison. If the prisoner

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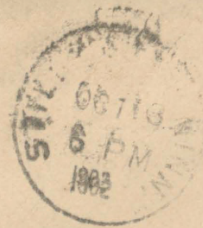
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BERNE, SWITZERLAND.

June 19th, 1902.

Charles R. Henderson, Esquire.
Dept. of Sociology.
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Dear Sir:-

Yours of April 30th asking for prison regulations of Switzerland was duly received, and after considerable delay for which the Authorities are responsible, I at last have received the laws, , food regulations, and latest report of the prison at Lenzburg, Canton Aargau, which, I am informed, may be taken as one of the best organized and run houses of correction in Switzerland. As you undoubtedly know each Canton of Switzerland makes its own laws, and although I have had requisition made for regulations of prisons in other Cantons, I have as yet received none.

Upon receipt I shall mail same to you.

Under separate cover I send you by this mail the above mentioned rules, etc., pertaining to Lenzburg.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

ADOLPH L. FRANKENTHAL.

C o n s u l .

COMMISSION OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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