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Mr. G. Ross Henninger, Associate Editor Electrical Engineering, A.I.E.E. 33 West 39th Street New York, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Henninger:

I was pleased to have your letter dated June 29, 1931:

Finding that I could not get around to writing you until today and knowing that you might be going to press for the next issue pretty soon I did what I could at once, which was to air-mail you last evening the local press accounts as to what has happened:

I Item in the Palo Alto Times
II Item in the Stanford Illustrated
Review, issue of June 1931.

I have not resigned. Under the Stanford rules of administration I will be retired from active service, August 31, 1931 with the dual commission Emeritus Professor of Electrical Engineering and Honorary Director of the Ryan Research Laboratory. Our faculty members are one and all retired from active duty at the close of the university year in which they reach the age of 65. I was 65 January 8, 1931.

My successor has not as yet been appointed. Our Assistant Professor Theodore H. Morgan has resigned to become Head of the Electrical Engineering Department at Worcester Polytechnic Institute. This is not related to my retirement. Professor Morgan's successor will be appointed soon. No other electrical engineering faculty changes in Stanford are expected now.

Mrs. Ryan joins in all good wishes.

Sincerely yours,

Harris J. Ryan Executive Head

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