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Mr. Robert Straus Section of Studies on Alcohol 4 Hill house Avenue New Haven, Connecticut

Dear Mr. Straus:

Your letter received, but, as you will see by the enclosed note, I was out at the time that Stone stopped in. I am very sorry that I could not be of any help. I called Dan Porter at the Seamen's Church Institute, and he said that Stone had stopped in to see him and that he gave him meal tickets and a place to stay for two days. He also gave him enough money to get his seaman's papers, and offered him a job.

However, our friend Stone has not been heard from since January 28. I would have liked to meet him and at least speak to him. But that I was not given a chance to do.

Thanks a lot for your article. Unfortunately so far I have not had an opportunity to do more than glance over it. I am naturally very much interested in your thesis on the health problems of seamen. Be sure to let me know if I can ever be of any help.

If I do see Stone, be assured that I shall be of what help I can.

Sincerely,

Joseph I. Flynn, Secretary A. A. Seamen's Club

Enclosure