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Dear Gene:

No, Old Man Upham is not sending me your BLASTOFF but in subscribing for you he said you were tops as a Rotary club bulletin editor, and after reading the copies you sent I am sure he underestimated your ability. Of course I would like to have it. It's great.

I notice you mention the visiting Rotarian from farthest away. You probably noticed in the Sheet that we use a greeter in connection with this. At each meeting we have a high school girl, usually a Senior at the head table. When the guests are introduced the Rotarian from farthest away is asked to remain standing. The girl goes down and kisses him on the cheek.

We have a lot of fun out of this. At a recent meeting a Rotarian from Olney claimed the honor. Claimed he had driven to Fort Worth, then to Graham. He was ruled out as Olney is about 25 miles from Graham. Then the Mineral Wells visitor claimed he had just returned from Kansas City, but the visitor from Breckenridge claimed he flew from New York City to Dallas then drove madly to Graham. He was ruled out as Breckenridge is 30 miles from Graham. That left the Mineral Wells man, 50 miles away. He is a grandson-in-law of Roe Bartle of Kansas City and about the same size, over 6 feet 6 inches. Our greeter, a cheer leader, was less than 5 feet, so amid much laughter we provided a chair for her so she could reach his cheek.

I am writing a special Texas Convention issue of the Sheet. It will be eight pages instead of four. We plan to print 10,000 and send them to every club president in the United States as well as to our regular subscribers world-wide. I issued a similar one before the Dallas convention and it made a big hit. It is mostly Texas stories and quips, pure corn, but "They" liked it.

Both Frank Tyger and Arnold Glasow have submitted copy for it. One of Frank's is; "Houston's Astrodome has been called the eighth wonder of the world. Texas, of course, is the first."

Arn remarks; "The first thing that strikes a visiting pedestrian in Houston is a Cadillac." Some of mine are, "Did you know the word TEXAS is on the back of all \$5 U.S. bills?" also, "They're holding the R.I. Convention in Houston June 11-15 to avoid conflicting with the regular meeting of the Rotary club of Graham, Tex. June 16."

And that, I am sure, is enough to keep a busy man busy for a while.

Sincerely,

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try this gimmick
shall we?*