Personal Memo from
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G. W. Beadle papers / archives.

Dear Hanna —

APS has asked me to write a brief memoir on Beadle.

My focus will be on the scientific revolution (not a Kuhnian) he and Tatum wrecked in 1941; but I should include a paragraph or two on his term as president of U/Chi.

As a historian, you will know what I need by way of sources; but I am not (now) writing a detailed biography; so I would welcome even your* own draft on a non-attribution basis.

(*or hand this over to your PIO/archivist. If there are any published assessments of that era they would be quite helpful.)

With best regards,

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