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Dear Harry:-

Here tis at last and I apologize for the delay but I have been mighty busy and, what was worse, had a hard time doing any thing even half way decent.

I enclose data, some of which may be of use, but the interview, when I read it over, was utterly worthless.

Use whatever you want of it or none at all as you choose.

My regards to everybody, especially Uncle Otho and show him the drawing and get his criticism. Whatever it is, it's worth while.

Yours Char -

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Charles Henry Sykes, son of Wm. H. & Jane
Admyra Hayes Sykes, was born at Athens,
Alabama 1882.

Education local schools and studied art at Drexel
Institute, Philadelphia.

First ambition, to drive an ox cart with six, eight,
or ten yokes of oxen. Said ambition never achieved.

Drew all over the marble top parlor table and any
other material as soon as able to handle a pencil.

First Cartoon, touch light "illumination" @ 1888.

First job, art Dept., North American, Phila. 1906

First Cartoon job, Williamsport, (Pa) News. 1906-1908

Nashville (Tenn.) Banner 1908-1911

Public Ledger, (Phila.) 1911-1914

Evening Public Ledger since its beginning in 1914 —

Life since 1922

Married Charlotte Kennedy Hutton of Philadelphia 1907

Children, Wm. H., 2nd 16 yrs old, C.H., Jr., 12, John Marshall 7.

Hobby, golf. Residence, Bala, Penna