Mrs. C. Pauh:

Representing the Erich Pauh Club, I wish to write to you about the club. In the first place we have (not) done right in not writing to you and asking permission from you, but we have been so interested in the name that we have not stopped to ask for permission but any how the club is so interested in the late Jewish councilman that we thought sure that there would be no objections to that point, but we wish to play safe. I am hereby writing to you if there may be any objections in using your late husband’s name. I think you will be interested to know that we are all Jewish boys, between the ages of (and) thirteen and fifteen years. We held our first meeting at the home of one of our members. The meeting was soon called to order with twelve swelling Jews gathered around the kitchen table, and to the mind of Mr. Goeldien it was a grand scene. We elected a temporary chairman and soon the meeting was in full swing. Our temporary chairman gave us a speech on “What the club is meant for” and in this speech he explained that we are out for both literary and athletics. The next important
question was what shall we name our club and soon there was a number of names called out but none were suitable. Benjamin Godstein suddenly called out the name of your husband, Enoch Rauh and the name was adopted unanimously. You can be sure, Mrs. Rauh, that the club tenders its regards greatest regrets with to you and the club will always remember to keep above all others in literary and athletic pursuits. After voting on the name of Enoch Rauh I felt pleased with the name of the club. The following committees were appointed and officers were elected:

President - Morris Wheeler
Vice-President - Nathaniel Cho Cohen
Secretary - Jacob Caplan
Treasurer - Benjamin Godstein
Assistant Treasurer - Myer Cohen

Literary Committee:
M. Wheeler Chairman
David Bender
Carl Wolke

Social Committee:
Carl Hild Chairman
Harry Mann
Morris Wheeler
Musical Committee
Isadore Karchinsky Chairman
Benjamin Goodstein
Jacob Caplan

Membership Committee
Shepherd Gefsky Chairman
Morris W. Heiser
Isadore Karchinsky

House Committee
Jacob Caplan Chairman

Athletic Committee
Shepherd Gefsky Chairman
Myer Cohen
Carl Wolf

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Hoping you will grant us this permission,

I remain,

Yours truly,

Shepherd Gefsby

P.S. Address to above address.

P.S. Please respond.