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9 October, 1922.

Mr. Caleb W. Lawrence,
Permanent Chairman,
American Relief Committee,
Smyrna, Turkey.

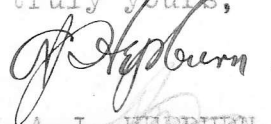
Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your communication of 1st October, 1922, relative to the cooperation of the Commanding Officer, U.S.S. EDSALL in facilitating the relief work at Smyrna.

Your letter has been forwarded to Commander Powell with a remark of appreciation from the Detachment Commander.

I thank you very much for bringing this matter to our attention.

Very truly yours,



A. J. HEPBURN
Captain, U.S. Navy.
Chief of Staff.