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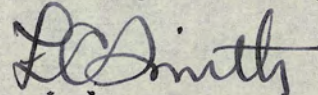
Remitter: Earl Wilfred Galbraith (12249)--Class E

Title: "I Like to Make Music"

Question: Explanation required of "Edwin Nolan scored music" appearing upon copy.

The copy deposited bears the name of Earl Galbraith as author of the words and music in the left hand corner. In the right hand corner is the statement, "Edwin Nolan scored music." Miss Gatchell, the examiner, is of the opinion that this statement should be questioned and inquiry made as to the extent of Mr. Nolan's work, in that it is possible he may have composed part of the music and not just have written down the melody for Galbraith. Mrs. Brady and Mr. MacCarteney are of the opinion that Edwin Nolan did no more than mechanically transcribe the melody which Mr. Galbraith hummed or played for him. Mr. Smith, however, holds that the examiner should be sustained and the doubt erased by an explanation on the part of Galbraith.

Respectfully submitted,



Member, Revisory Board

Examiner sustained, write for explanation.--H.A.Howell.