HAWKINS, Layton S., 1877- Teacher and educational administrator. A key figure in early vocational agricultural education. Farm reared and educated.

Graduate of State Normal School, Cortland, N.Y.

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19/7-19/8. Director of Voc. Training for War Production Workers,

U. S. Office of Education, 1941-1946. Chief, Trade and Industrial and 1946-Education, U. S. Office of Education, 1939-1941, Author of informative and inspirational bulletins and reports in New York; and of "Agricultural Education, Organization and adminis-Federal Board Bulletin No. 13,/-- probably the most potent single influence on the character of secondary vocational agricultural decades education nationwide during the first/xxxxxxx of operations under the Smith-Hughes Act. Outstanding exponent of the "School and Home Farm Gooperation"philosophy. Inspired the beginning of agricultural teacher-training at Cornell, and the selecting of Georga A, Works to start it. Never devious. Forthright expediter of direct education for salutary agricultural careers. Invaluable adviser, taxthexecut 1939-1941, to the compilers of the U. S. Office of Education "History of Agricultural Education of Less Than College Grade

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Our first drafts did not seem to me to do you justice. Hence this revision for your examination and possible O.K.

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Sincerely yours,

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