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Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'James Pooley', is written over a printed name.

James Pooley
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