

November 27, 1944.

Mr. Dee Errickson,  
Washburn University,  
Topeka, Kansas.

Dear Dee:

I am asking Chalmer Woodard, coach at the Liberty Memorial High School here in Lawrence, and Mike Oberhelman, of Randolph, Kansas, to serve as officials for our game here in Lawrence on December 8th. We, of course, will get the approval of Reaves Peters before we definitely engage these officials.

I am enclosing carbon copy of my letter to Mike Oberhelman.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH  
Enc.



November 27, 1944.

Mr. M. C. Oberhelman,  
Citizens State Bank,  
Randolph, Kansas.

Dear Mike:

We are playing Washburn University here in Lawrence on December 8th in Hoch Auditorium, and I would like very much to have you as one of the officials. I am asking Chalmer Woodard of Lawrence to be the other official.

Please let me know at your early convenience if you can work the game for us. Of course, it will be necessary for us to get the approval of Reaves Peters, the Big Six Commissioner.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH



November 27, 1944.

Mr. Chalmer Woodard, Coach,  
Liberty Memorial High School,  
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Chalmer:

We are playing Washburn University here in Lawrence on December 8th in Hoch Auditorium, and I would like very much to have you as one of the officials. I am asking Mike Oberhelman to be the other official.

Please let me know at your early convenience if you can work the game for us.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH



**Washburn Municipal Unibersity**  
**of**  
**Topeka, Kansas**

Nov. 1, 1944

Dr. Forrest C. Allen  
Basketball Coach  
University of Kansas  
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dr. Allen:

I am enclosing signed basketball  
contract for basketball game.

Will the following officials for  
our game be satisfactory ?

Cecil Peterson  
Mike Oberhelman

Sincerely yours,

*Dee Erickson*

Dee Errickson  
Athletic Director

DE:fw



# AGREEMENT

SPORT Basketball 1924 Washburn vs. Kansas

This Agreement, entered into this 25 day of October 1924

by and between \_\_\_\_\_ for Washburn University

and E. C. Quigley for the University of Kansas, stipulates as follows:

FIRST: That the Basketball teams representing the two above institutions shall play two game s of Basketball December 4 at Topeka and December 8 at Lawrence

SECOND: That in consideration of such game s the home management shall pay to the visiting management the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$ 100.00 ) per game

THIRD: That the said game s shall be played under the rules of the Conferences of which the school are members.

FOURTH: That the officials for said game s shall be agreed upon in advance and the expense of said officials shall be paid by the home management.

FIFTH: (Return game; rain clause, etc.)

(Signed)

D. Erickson

(For University of Kansas.)

For Washburn Municipal University

Nov 1,

1924

October 25

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October 28, 1944.

Mr. Dee Errickson,  
Basketball Coach,  
Washburn University,  
Topeka, Kansas.

Dear Dee:

I am enclosing copies of the contract for our basketball games in Topeka and Lawrence, December 4 and 8, respectively. Will you be kind enough to return one copy after it has been signed?

Very cordially yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

Enc.



October 23, 1944.

Mr. Dee Errickson,  
Washburn Municipal University,  
Topeka, Kansas.

Dear Dee:

I am asking that Mr. Quigley send contracts for our basketball games at Topeka and Lawrence. Will you please let me know the starting time at Topeka? Our starting time will be as usual, 7:30 p.m.

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.



**Washburn Municipal University**  
**of**  
**Topeka, Kansas**

Oct. 17, 1944

Dr. Forrest C. Allen  
Varsity Basketball Coach  
University of Kansas  
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dr. Allen:

The following dates are satisfactory for basketball games with the University.

Dec. 4th, at Topeka  
Dec. 8th, at Lawrence

Sincerely yours,

*Dee Erickson*  
Dee Errickson

DE:fw



October 12, 1944.

Mr. Dee Errickson,  
Washburn University,  
Topeka, Kansas.

Dear Dee:

We are definitely scheduling on our basketball  
calendar these dates:

December 4 - at Topeka  
December 8 - at Lawrence

If these dates are satisfactory, will you kindly  
confirm them?

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.



August 28, 1944.

Mr. Dee Errickson, Athletic Director,  
Washburn Municipal University,  
Topeka, Kansas.

Dear Dee:

I am glad to have your letter of the 24th instant.

I have one date in our Big Six that is not closed as yet due to a slip-up in our schedule making. As soon as this is closed, in the very near future, I will take up with you the matter of dates.

As I stated to you in Topeka, I will be very happy to arrange a home and home schedule with Washburn.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH



**Washburn Municipal University**  
**of**  
**Topeka, Kansas**

August 24, 1944

Mr. Forrest C. Allen  
Director of Pd. Ed. & Basketball Coach  
University of Kansas  
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dr. Allen:

Would like to have a couple of basketball games with the University this winter. As I have made no commitments concerning dates at this time, any dates you suggest should be satisfactory with us.

I am, Hoping to hear from you in the near future,

Sincerely yours,

*Dee Erickson*  
Dee Errickson  
Athletic Director

DE:fw



January 11, 1945.

Mr. Bill Cross,  
Athletic Department,  
University of Oklahoma,  
Norman, Oklahoma.

Dear Bill:

Will you kindly set aside two general admission tickets for our game with Oklahoma on January 20, for Ensign and Mrs. L. W. Noble, and charge to the University of Kansas? They will call for them at Norman.

I assure you I will greatly appreciate this courtesy.

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.



January 10, 1945.

Mr. Reaves Peters, Commissioner,  
Big Six Conference,  
342 So. Chelsea,  
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Reaves:

I certainly never have any complaint when a man acts from his own convictions. If you feel that no Kansas State man should work the games, that is o.k. with me.

Now, I have something else. Van Reen, down at Columbia, told Dean Corder that he had to stand still when he bassed the ball in from out of bounds. The rule is, of course, the ball has to be passed in from out of bounds three feet from the spot that it goes out. That means there is a six foot lane, three feet on either side, and the ball could be passed in from anywhere in that area. There is nothing to restrain that player who passes the ball in, from shooting or moving around in that six foot area, or moving away from the line six or eight feet back from the sideline.

I teach my men to do this and I see no reason why an official should tell one of my players he has to stand still. Van Reen and Lance worked a good game, but Mr. Van Reen is off on this point, and I wish that you would write him, if I am correct in my premise. I tell the boys always to tell me when anything like that comes up so that we can correct it. I said nothing to Van Reen, but I did want Van Reen to know that we objected to his decision and we are attempting to have it corrected.

Now, in regard to these signals. We are printing them in our program and of course we would want the officials to use them in the game. I presume that you have instructed all officials to follow the signals as outlined by you. We are seeing that the scorer gets them and that everyone in the audience is fully appraised of the signals so that they may enjoy the game to a greater extent.

I am passing on your letter to Earl Falkenstien so that he will be appraised of the expense money and also note the personnel of who will work the games.

I knew the professional promoters would get singed on this basketball venture. I am also glad to know that Joe Jacobson has some money because the Lord knows the teams will need it. They weren't professional promoters either, but they lost some money.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH



University of Nebraska  
Lincoln  
University of Oklahoma  
Norman  
University of Missouri  
Columbia

Office of  
Commissioner of Officials  
Big Six  
Intercollegiate Athletic Conference  
342 So. Chelsea Avenue  
Kansas City, Missouri

University of Kansas  
Lawrence  
Kansas State College  
Manhattan  
Iowa State College  
Ames

December 12th

1944

Coach Dr. F. C. Allen  
University of Kansas  
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Doc:

Here are the officials assigned for your games to date.

Conference Games

<u>Date</u>	<u>Games</u>	<u>Officials</u>
Jan. 5	Kansas @ Columbia	Van Reen, (Lance or Oberhelman)
Jan. 12	Nebraska @ Lawrence	Oberhelman, Evans (?)
Jan. 20	Kansas @ Norman	Lance, Hogue
Jan. 27	Iowa State @ Lawrence	Oberhelman, Lance
Jan. 30	Kansas State @ Lawrence	
Feb. 10	Kansas @ Lincoln	Roper, Oberhelman
Feb. 13	Oklahoma @ Lawrence	Lance, Hogue
Feb. 16	Kansas @ Manhattan	Lance
Feb. 24	Missouri @ Lawrence	Oberhelman, Lance
Mar. 2	Kansas @ Ames	Carroll, Knox

Non-Conference Games

1. Dec. 8 Washburn @ Lawrence O'Sullivan, Woodard

Hope that the above meets with your hearty approval.

Sincerely yours,

(signed) Reaves

R. E. Peters

The officials for the games here on the 22-23 are Lance and Oberhelman.



January 3, 1944.

Mr. R. L. Dudley, Manager,  
Hotel Tiger,  
Columbia, Missouri.

Dear Mr. Dudley:

We have changed our schedule and plan now to leave Lawrence, Kansas, on Friday morning, January 5th, hoping to arrive at your place at 1:30 in the afternoon. We will stay Friday night, instead of the two nights.

There will be fourteen in the party.

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.



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SEDALIA, MO.  
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COLUMBIA, MO.  
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JEFFERSON CITY, MO.  
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CHANUTE, KANS.



# HOTEL TIGER

"SWEET" HOTEL

COLUMBIA, Mo.

December 30, 1944

Mr. Forrest C. Allen  
Director of Physical Education  
Varsity Basketball Coach  
University of Kansas  
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Mr. Allen:

We have today made reservations  
for your basketball team for January 4th, and  
5th.

Thanking you for this reservation  
and looking forward to the pleasure of having  
you and your basketball team with us on the above  
dates, we are

Very truly yours,

THE TIGER HOTEL

*R. L. Dudley*  
R. L. Dudley *ml.*  
Manager

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PLEASE MAIL TODAY FOR PROGRAMS NAMES NUMBERS POSITIONS AND STARTERS=

GEO P EDWARDS.

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TIME 230 P BY [Signature]



January 2, 1944.

Mr. George Edwards,  
Basketball Coach,  
University of Missouri,  
Columbia, Missouri.

Dear George:

Replying to your wire received today, I am sending  
you the information for your program.

The starting lineup will be as follows:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Position</u>
× Corder, Dean	4	center
× Reynolds, Gordon	15	forward
Moffett, Charles	7	forward
× Scott, Kirk	18	guard
× Heim, Herbert	21	guard

Other players making the trip will be:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Number</u>
Carlson, Norman	14
× Daum, Gus	24
Hill, Everett	17
Peck, Owen	5
Williams, Odd	2

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH



WESTERN UNION

Columbia, Mo.  
January 2, 1945.

Dr. Forrest C. Allen,  
University of Kansas.

Please mail today for programs  
names, numbers, positions and starters.

George Edwards.



January 3, 1945.

V-12 Office,  
University of Kansas.

Attention: Chief Gathings.

Dear Chief Gathings:

The following V-12 students who are members of the varsity basketball team will make the trip to Columbia, Missouri, on January 5th:

Dean Corder  
Gordon Reynolds  
Kirk Scott  
Herbert Hein  
Gus Daum

We will leave on the Santa Fe Friday morning, January 5th, at 5:30 a.m., arriving in Columbia at 1:30 p.m. We will stay at the Hotel Tiger. Returning, we will leave Columbia at 10:50 a.m. Saturday morning, and will arrive in Lawrence at 5:56 that evening, provided the trains are running on schedule.

Sincerely yours,

Varsity Basketball Coach.



ITINERARY TO COLUMBIA, MISSOURI

Friday morning, January 5th: Leave Lawrence 5:30 a.m. Santa Fe  
Arrive K. C. 6:30  
Leave K. C. 8:45 Wabash  
Arrive Centralia  
11:55  
Lv. Centralia 12:45  
Ar. Columbia 1:30

Returning -  
Saturday morning, January 6th: Lv. Columbia 10:50 a.m.  
Ar. Centralia 11:40  
Lv. Centralia 12:41 noon  
Ar. K. C. 4:40 p.m.  
Lv. K. C. 5:15  
Ar. Lawrence 5:56

The following men will make the trip:

Corder	Carlson
Reynolds	Daum
Moffett	Hill
Scott	Peck
Heim	Williams

Varsity Basketball Coach.



December 28, 1944.

Hotel Tiger,  
Columbia, Missouri.

Attention: Mr. Goodman, Manager.

Dear Mr. Goodman:

We are scheduled to play the Tigers January 5th. Therefore, it will be necessary for us to come in on the evening of the 4th and remain over after the 5th. Will you kindly make the usual reservations for our basketball team which will number about twelve?

I trust that you and Mrs. Goodman had a very happy Christmas, and will have a very happy New Year.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.



BIG SIX BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

1945

K A N S A S

January 5	Missouri, at Columbia
January 12	Nebraska, at Lawrence
January 20	Oklahoma, at Norman
January 27	Iowa State, at Lawrence
January 30	Kansas State, at Lawrence
February 10	Nebraska, at Lincoln
February 13	Oklahoma, at Lawrence
February 16	Kansas State, at Manhattan
February 24	Missouri, at Lawrence
March 2	Iowa State, at Ames

Non-Conference Games

December 4	Washburn at Topeka
December 8	Washburn at Lawrence
December 12	Rockhurst at Kansas City
December 19	Rockhurst at Lawrence
December 22 and 23:	Double-headers in Kansas City -
	Dec. 22 - Mo. vs Colo. Kans. vs Kans. State
	Dec. 23 - Mo. vs Kans. Kans. State vs Nebr.



BIG SIX 1945 BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

KANSAS

Jan. 5	Missouri, at Lawrence (tentative date)
Jan. 12	Nebraska, at Lawrence
Jan. 20	Oklahoma, at Norman
Jan. 27	Iowa State, at Lawrence
Jan. 30	Kansas State, at Lawrence
Feb. 10	Nebraska, at Lincoln
Feb. 13	Oklahoma, at Lawrence
Feb. 16	Kansas State, at Manhattan
Feb. 24	Missouri, at Columbia (tentative date)
March 2	Iowa State, at Ames

OFFICIALS

Okla - K.U. Curtis, Lance, Hogue, Oberhelman, Shanatoria

Iowa State - K.U. - Oberhelman, Lance, Carroll, Knox,  
Meissinger, Mickey Evans, North

Kansas State - K.U. - Oberhelman, Lance, Meissinger, Hogue,  
Peterson

Missouri - K.U. - Lance, Oberhelman, Van Reen, Riegert, Peterson

Nebraska - K.U. - Roper, Oberhelman, Collins, Mickey Evans,  
P. Carroll.