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My dear Dr. Allen:

You will be interested in this section of Circular No. 142 from Headquarter, Army Service Forces, 7 Dec. 43.

"1. TEST. Reference is made to the Pamphlet, Army Service Forces, Army Specialized Training Division, Physical Efficiency Tests, revised 5 May 1943.

2. The administration of the physical efficiency test, as prescribed, may involve difficulties at some AST units during inclement winter weather. This applies particularly to the 300 yard run and the 100 yard pick-a-back. Because of varying conditions at different institutions and during different seasons, necessary modifications of these test events may be authorized by those locally responsible, or they may be omitted from the test if conditions are such as to make their omission advisable.

3. If departure from prescribed methods of conducting any test event are necessary, the modifications in event will be noted on the Term-end Physical Efficiency Report in sufficient details to account for variations in results."

Sincerely yours,

Bert A. Nash  
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