

Lamont Public Schools

G. W. RICE, SUPERINTENDENT

LAMONT, KANSAS

April 3, 1942

Mr. Forrest C. Allen  
Director of Athletics  
Kansas University  
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Mr. Allen:

A great deal of interest was aroused in our annual athletic banquet when it was mentioned that we were going to try and get "Phog" Allen to be the guest speaker. Would it be possible for you to come for this banquet? We can arrange to have our banquet on any of the following dates; April 20, 22, 27, or 29. We will give you your choice. We will have fifteen or twenty dollars for your time and expenses.

Personally, nothing would please me more than to have you accept this invitation. I have followed your teams for fifteen or twenty years and have been a backer for your basketball team. There are a number of "good old boys" in this town and community that follow basketball and are very anxious that you come. In fact, they said they would help raise some extra money to get you here.

Hoping that it will be possible for you to be with us, I remain

Sincerely yours,

C. W. Rice

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P.S. Lamont is six miles east of Madison. we plan to have around a hundred at our banquet.