November 6, 1945

Dr. D. M. Strong
St Lukes Hospital
Kansas City, Missouri

Dear Dr. Strong:

As I promised you, I am sending you a copy of the Rebound that described briefly the emotions between brother and brother when they met on the high seas. Mrs. Allen told me about the sad incident of your losing your only twin brother just before the war ended, and she also told me the uncanny circumstances in which your father lost his own twin brother in the first war. Only those who have traveled the Golgotha Road can understand.

You have been so exceptionally kind to Mrs. Allen that she has a deep motherly affection as well as a high admiration for you. May you go on to great success which you undoubtedly deserve. I appreciate the high quality of professional service that you have rendered her.

I am also sending you a copy of Rebound 18; it is too long to read all of it, but you might sketch over parts of it that might interest you. I have done the best I could with the Rebound for the boys who care. We at home, I feel, have done so little.

Sincerely,

Forrest C. Allen, Director
Physical Education
Varsity Basketball Coach

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Enc.

November 7, 1945

Lt. Col. V. Lundgren
Divisional Commander
The Salvation Army
1319 Broadway
Kansas City 6, Missouri

Dear Col. Lundgren:

I thank you for your kind invitation to attend the 80th Anniversary celebration of the Salvation Army at the Municipal Auditorium in Kansas City on Sunday, November 1, 1945. I regret exceedingly but I will be unable to attend but I do wish for your fine organization and you a most joyous and uplifting occasion. Certainly your army has done a great service and we all honor you and your organization.

With every good wish, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach

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1865 — 1945

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October 29, 1945

Mr. Forrest C. Allen
801 Louisiana
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Mr. Allen:

Re: Salvation Army 80th Anniversary Celebration
Municipal Auditorium - Kansas City, Mo.
Sunday, November 18, 1945 - 3:00 P. M.

The friends of the Salvation Army in Greater Kansas City are organizing a great mass meeting to commemorate the 80th anniversary of this organization.

On the program will appear General Evangeline Booth (R), the daughter of William Booth, the Founder of The Salvation Army. The General is an internationally famous speaker and this occasion will in all probability bring to the people of these central states the last opportunity to hear her in person as she, also, is observing her 80th anniversary this year.

Music will be furnished for this event by the Kansas City Philharmonic Orchestra and the Bethany College Messiah Chorus of Lindsborg, Kansas.

Because of your special interest in the Army, as indicated by your membership on our Advisory Board in your city, we should like very much to have you come and celebrate this occasion with us.

I shall appreciate it if you will fill in and return the enclosed form and reserved seat tickets will be mailed to you.

Cordially yours,

Victor Lundgren

Lt. Col. V. Lundgren
Divisional Commander

October 25, 1945

Mr. G. C. Shanholtzer
Secretary-Manager
Atchison Chamber of Commerce
Atchison, Kansas

Dear G. C. :

I enjoyed my visit with you today and talking over old times back in 1920. I am sending you Jayhawk Rebound Number 18. Thought you might enjoy reading about the 1920 Homecoming Day game. Some of the rest may not prove too interesting reading but it will give you a Montogomery Ward catalogue to look over for awhile.

Rotarily yours,

Governor

FCA:lm
Enc. JR

OFFICE OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS

OF STATE OF KANSAS

DOUGLAS COUNTY UNIT

COMMUNITY BUILDING
TELEPHONE 872

LAWRENCE, KANSAS

November 5, 1945

Dr. F. C. Allen
801 Louisiana
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dr. Allen:

Thank you for your courtesy in coming down to our meeting last Thursday night and giving us a very interesting and instructive talk. After you and Mr. Schenk had left the meeting there was a great deal of very favorable comment on your remarks, and I am sure that all of the Legion Members join me in thanking you very much for being with us.

Inasmuch as Mr. Schenk is in your same office, I would be very pleased if you would convey our thanks to him also, and may we wish both of you the best of luck with your teams this season.

Cordially yours,

Geo O Starkey

GEO. O. STARKEY

GOS/j

October 29, 1945

Miss Elizabeth Schmahl
611 Scott Avenue
Fort Leavenworth, Kansas

Dear Miss Schmahl:

Your letter addressed to the registrar has been referred to this office. A course,called "Personal Hygiene" was offered here aththe University during the Fall and Spping semesters of 1942 and 1943, by the Physical Education Department.

Sincerely,

Lela Mings, Secretary

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Phys ed. dept

Miss Elizabeth Schmahl
611 Scott Avenue
Fort Leavenworth, Kansas
October 25, 1945

Registrar
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Sir,

I was enrolled as a Freshman at the University in the fall and spring semesters of 1942 and 1943. Will you please tell me whether or not Hygiene was included in the Physical Education courses offered during this time.

Thank you,

Elizabeth Schmahl

DEPARTMENT HEADQUARTERS Oct. 18, 1945
Topeka, Kansas.

OUR NAVY

There is one day each year when our citizens join hands across the nation to render grateful tribute to our mighty Navy.

October 27th was originally selected for the annual observance of Navy Day for two reasons: It commemorates the historic day in the year 1775 when the Continental Congress received a Bill providing for the creation of a fleet to protect a struggling nation. That particular day also marks the birthday of President Theodore Roosevelt, who recognized the vital need for a powerful Navy and gave his hearty support to a program which resulted in a Navy respected by every nation on earth.

Plans are now in motion to make this year's Navy Day celebrations the most enthusiastic and the greatest in our history. Navy Day dinners; luncheons; public meetings; parades with bands and floats; church and school programs; newspaper articles, and radio addresses are some of the logical and appropriate ways to honor our Navy. One of the finest ways for a community to express its gratitude and recognition of the vital need for the continuance of a powerful Sea-Air Navy during peacetime as well as war, is to form an official Navy League Council, and plan to have the formal presentation of the Navy League Council charter climax a Navy Day luncheon or dinner.

Regardless of the size of your community, start your plans right now for a patriotic Navy Day celebration this year. No city is too large, and no town or village is too small to play its part in this sincere tribute to our grand Navy.

As an official of The American Legion, you are urged to work with your local committee in making this program a big success. If you do not have a local committee, you should take the lead in creating some sort of a community program. The least you can do is to devote a special, called, Legion and Auxiliary meeting for this purpose.

More information may be obtained from:- The Navy League of the United States, The Mills Building, Washington 6, D. C.

Herewith inclosed is a brief news release pertaining to the latest ruling of the Surplus Property Board.

Pamphlets will soon be available giving full and complete details as to how, when, and where a veteran may purchase this property.

Read it, and pass it on to your Service Officer, and others.

YOU, Mr. Post Commander, have a definite obligation to go to work on the "Gifts To Yanks Who Gave" program.
You should have a Chairman, or Committee, appointed by now, and you must see that all information on this subject reaches the Chairman.
You should, by all means, seek the full cooperation of your Auxiliary Unit.
Get everyone in your community to listening to the Eddie Cantor program on each Wednesday night at 8:00.
Complete information will come along later, BUT you must start preparing NOW.

And don't forget to bring every membership card you can possibly muster to the Conference at Emporia.

These cards will be turned in during the "Membership Forum", which will be conducted by Legionnaire Andy Schoeppel, Monday morning, October 22.

"NO GROUP OF LIVING MEN SO INSPIRE ME, AND NO GROUP DO I HOLD IN SUCH REVERENCE, AS THOSE WHO NOW COMPOSE THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE AMERICAN LEGION."

SIGNED: General Douglas A. MacArthur.

See you at Emporia. — "Click"

LEWIS E. SELDERS
FINANCE BUILDING
1009 BALTIMORE AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 6, MISSOURI

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October Eighth

My dear Mr. Allen:

Many thanks to you for your interesting letter of October 6, accompanied by a copy of "Jayhawk Rebounds", which is sincerely appreciated.

I, too, enjoyed very much seeing you again and want to say that what you had to say regarding some rather important matters on that occasion in Emporia was very surprising to me. I want you to know that I certainly share your opinion on some of these social matters.

With kindest personal regards, please know me ever to be

Your friend,

L. E. Selders

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Mr. Forrest C. "Phog" Allen
Director of Physical Education
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

November 2, 1945

Ensign Ora William Sapp
Augusta, Kansas

Dear Bill:

Ensign Don Diehl just dropped in for a little visit and during our interesting conversation he mentioned your name particularly. Don said that you would be coming by perhaps in a week and might be coming on to the University to have a "look-see" for a day or so. If such a thing should happen we would like mighty well for you to drop in and say hello to us.

If your visit should happen to be in the afternoon we would like for you to work out with our boys here on the Hill. Our varsity is working every afternoon now either in Robinson or in Hoch Auditorium where we play so please feel that you would be mighty welcome to shoot a few baskets with the Jayhawkers. Don is going to work out this afternoon with the boys. Be a lot of fun meeting this present crop of Jayhawkers. We are hoping that you will be one of them in the not too distant future.

Your old coache's wife Mrs. Shirk, came by to say hello the other day. She was up buying football tickets and came up on the gym floor to say hello. Dave has been in the hospital recovering from a back injury but we are hoping that he soon snaps out of it. I know that we both agree that Lt. Dave Shirk as a coach is tops.

With every good wish and congradulations on your bar, I am

Yours very sincerely,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach

FCA:lm
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AMERICA'S PIONEER DEFENSE ORGANIZATION

NAVY LEAGUE OF THE UNITED STATES

(INCORPORATED 1903)

"THE CIVILIAN ARM OF THE NAVY"

WASHINGTON, D. C.

October 12, 1945

HARRY DARBY
VICE-PRESIDENT AND DIRECTOR
KANSAS CITY 15, KANSAS

PLEASE REPLY TO:
F. L. SCHLAGLE
CHAIRMAN FOR NAVY DAY
OCTOBER 27, 1945
LIBRARY BUILDING
KANSAS CITY 16, KANSAS

TO THE COUNTY CHAIRMEN:

Many fine reports have been sent to me by County Chairman regarding the plans they have under way for the observance of Navy Day. From all indications, our celebration this year will be one of the best Kansas has ever had, and I know that I can depend upon you to see that your County does its full share in contributing to the over-all success of our program. Stationery has been mailed to you and speech material should have reached you from the Washington office.

In checking with the Navy Public Relations Office in Kansas City, Missouri, I find that requests for speakers have been rather slow in reaching them. As soon as you have definitely decided upon the date for your program at which you desire a speaker, please write to them, being certain to mention the time, place, and approximate attendance.

It has been customary for the Chief Executive of each community to issue a Navy Day proclamation, and I am enclosing a suggested statement that may be used if so desired. It should be understood, however, that it is only a suggestion and additions and changes may be made, or an entirely different one used in its place. Any proclamation used, however, should be checked with the attorney for your community before its issuance. Local proclamations should follow the proclamation that will be made by the Governor of Kansas on or about October 17.

I am enclosing information regarding the memorial service to be held on Sunday, October 21. If publicity has not been given in your local papers on this event, I would suggest that you see that your community is informed of it.

If there is any way in which I can aid you, feel free to call upon me.

Yours very truly,

Navy Day Chairman
for the State of Kansas.

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MEMORIAL SERVICES - NAVY DAY SUNDAY

Commodore Sheldon Clark, President of the Navy League of the United States has announced that Sunday, October 21st has been designated as NAVY DAY SUNDAY. It is the Navy's desire that this day shall be a special day of tribute to the men in all the Services who have lost their lives at sea in the defense of the United States. Of those whose last resting place is beneath the waters of the world, few have been paid fitting tribute. The Navy, therefore, will scatter flowers upon the waters throughout the world, traditional ceremony for honoring those who lost their lives at sea, to express the sentiments of a deeply grateful nation.

So that the people of the United States may participate in these ceremonies, the Secretary of the Navy has designated ports on the Continent and in our territories and dependencies to which flowers may be sent for transport to sea on Sunday, October 21st. The designated ports are:

Portland, Me.	Miami, Fla.	Portland Ore.
Boston, Mass.	Tampa, Fla.	Seattle, Wash.
New London, Conn.	Pensacola, Fla.	Anchorage, Alaska
New York City, N. Y.	Mobile, Ala.	Dutch Harbor
Philadelphia, Pa.	Chicago, Ill. (For Great Lakes)	Honolulu or Pearl Harbor
Washington, D. C.	Corpus Christi, Texas	Guam
Norfolk, Va.	San Diego, Calif.	Manila
Charleston, S. C.	Terminal Island, Calif.	San Juan, P. R.
Savannah, Ga.	San Francisco, Calif.	St. Thomas, V. I.
		Pango Pango, Samoa

It is requested that only ONE FLOWER be forwarded to the Senior Naval Chaplain at each of the designated naval ports with the exception of the following:

Portland, Ore.	Send	flower	to	Commandant,	13th	Naval	District,	Seattle
Mobile, Ala.	"	"	"	"	8th	"	"	New Orleans
Savannah, Ga.	"	"	"	"	6th	"	"	Charleston, S. C.

It is hoped that wherever possible this flower may be wild or home grown and in no case should the expenditure exceed a modest nominal sum.

All flowers received prior to midnight, October 20th at the designated ports will be placed on a suitable naval vessel which, after appropriate all-faith ceremonies at the dock side will proceed to sea to a point out of sight of land and there scattered on the waters.

For any additional details please contact National Headquarters, Navy League of the United States, 822 Mills Building, Washington 6, D. C. Telephone District 3320.

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To the people of _____, Greeting:

The year, 1945, will be ever remembered as the year in which peace was restored to a war-torn world. The United States will always be indebted to the men who made this victory possible, and for this reason, we pay special tribute this year on Navy Day to the men of our United States Navy, the Naval Air Force, the Marines, and the Coast Guard. The history of the heroic deeds of our fleet is reflected on all the waters throughout the world, and it is with due pride that we salute the men, many of whom paid the supreme price, that our ships may again sail on peaceful waters.

Now, therefore, I _____, Mayor of_____, Kansas, do hereby proclaim October 27 as Navy Day and call upon all our citizens to take part in its proper observance as we unite in a nation-wide salute to the men and ships of the United States Navy.

_____
Mayor (or Chief Executive)

S:H

"IF YOU CAN'T JOIN THE NAVY, JOIN THE NAVY LEAGUE"

September 25, 1945

Mr. F. L. Schlagle
Chairman for Navy Day
Kansas City 16, Kansas

Dear Chairman Schlagle:

In your letter of August 23 you asked that I reply to you communication by return mail. On August 25 I wrote you saying that I would be happy to accept the chairmanship for the Classification Clubs of the state.

Your reply of September 21, nearly a month thereafter, leaves me with but little time to do this job. I had in mind asking the cooperation of the various district governors of the Kansas Classification Clubs to notify the respective presidents of the observance of Navy Day on October 27. By using the governor's monthly letter to the presidents this could have been done with little cost in the way of postage. Perhaps it is not yet too late.

In my September Governor's [illegible] presidents in District 123 I mentioned Navy Day. I am sending you a copy of my letter for your inspection. I waited for your confirmation but was afraid that it would not get to our clubs in time unless I took it for granted.

You are in a better position to give me this information than I am to get it. Will you kindly furnish me with the names of the Classification Clubs that operate in this state. I am thinking of Rotary, Kiwanis, Lyons, and Cooperative Clubs. I know there are others and I would appreciate this information at your early convenience.

You mentioned my need of the list of county chairmans which you will send me. My idea of notifying and enlistment was somewhat different. Will you please explain to me your idea of organization or notification. I am just a little "foggy" on this.

Yours very sincerely,

District Governor of Rotary

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September 21, 1945

Dr. F. C. Allen
District Governor, Rotary Clubs
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dr. Allen:

I was pleased to receive your recent letter in which you accepted the Chairmanship of the Kansas Classification Clubs for Navy Day. Kansas has always been an enthusiastic celebrant of this occasion and with the cessation of hostilities, we are looking forward this year to the most memorable Navy Day we have ever observed.

You will, undoubtedly, want a quantity of the enclosed leaflet for distribution and if you will write me the approximate number you desire, I shall be glad to send them to you.

I am enclosing copies of letters and material that have been sent to the County Chairmen who have accepted assignments to date. The list of County Chairmen will be completed within a few days and stationery will then be printed and a supply sent to you.

Yours very truly,

F. L. Schlagle

Navy Day Chairman
for the State of Kansas

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TO NAVY DAY CHAIRMEN:

We appreciate your cooperation in accepting the Chairmanship for the Navy Day observance in your county. I am enclosing a booklet entitled, "Suggestions for the Observance of Navy Day" for use in your activities. It contains many fine ideas for the celebration of Navy Day and I believe it will prove valuable in the planning of your programs of action.

Window displays of war paraphernalia and souveniers have proved very successful in creating interest and it is suggested that this plan be used again this year. Posters and window cards will be sent to you from the Navy League in Washington, D. C. in the near future.

I would suggest that you announce to your local paper or papers your appointment as Navy Day County Chairman and furnish them with information concerning your plans for the observance of Navy Day, asking them for their full cooperation. I would appreciate receiving two copies of all publicity appearing in your local papers.

As soon as I have acceptances from all the County Chairmen, I will have stationery sent to you for use in this work. Navy Day Leaflets for distribution will also be forwarded to you within a short time.

Yours very truly,

Navy Day Chairman
for the State of Kansas

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Mr. Harry Darby, Vice-president and Director of the Navy League of the United States has asked me to serve as Navy Day Chairman for the state of Kansas this year. You have been recommended to serve as Chairman for your County and I hope you will be in a position to accept this responsibility. You will, of course, receive the close cooperation of the national and state organizations.

October 27 is Navy Day. It was chosen as the date for the observance of Navy Day because it marks the anniversary of the date in 1775 when the Continental Congress received the bill providing for the creation of an independent fleet. It is also the birthday of Theodore Roosevelt who recognized the need for a strong Navy, and is widely credited with being the father of our modern Navy, now the most powerful in the world.

Literature is now being prepared offering suggestions for the celebration of Navy Day with posters and pamphlets to aid in the planning and preparation of appropriate observances.

We would like to announce your appointment as Chairman of your County immediately and would appreciate hearing from you by return mail.

Yours very truly,

Navy Day Chairman
for the State of Kansas

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Co-op Club-- Write to:

Roy Zeigenfuss, Executive Secretary
Co-op Club International
Hotel President
Kansas City, Missouri

Tell him what you want done and he will do it. There is just one governor for about four states in the Co-op Club and he would not take care of this Mr. Jackson, Lawrence president, says. However, Mr. Zeigenfuss will take care of this.

Kiwanis Club-- Write to:

Rev. Tom M. Shellenberger, Lt. Gov.
Mo-Kan-Ark. Kiwanis International
District IV
Iola, Kansas

Earl N. Rodell, Lt.Gov.
Mo-Kan-Ark
Kiwanis International
District V
1119 Woodward Avenue
Topeka, Kansas

Bob M. Drake, Lt. Gov.
Mo-Kan-Ark
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2133 North Broadway
Wichita, Kansas

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First National Bank Building
Larned, Kansas

James F. Meisner, Lt.Gov.
Mo-Kan-Ark
Kiwanis International
District XI
Court House
Marion, Kansas

Mr. Harold Ingham, Extension Division, tells me that these men will do the notifying. However, he comments that some of them will notify their clubs and some won't as is the case with most organizations.

Lions Club--Write to:

Mr. Maurice E. Fager
801 Harrison Street
Topeka, Kansas

The secretary of the Topeka Lions Club, Mr. Russell Brown, will send the other two names to us in tonight's mail.

Dear Mr. _____

I have been asked by Mr. F. L. Schlagle, chairman for Navy Day, "which is October 27, 1945" to accept the responsibility of contacting all of the Classification Clubs throughout the state and asking them in turn to arrange for a suitable recognition and observance of Navy Day withint these organizations.

Each club can depend on the close cooperation of their local Navy League Councils and their local county chairmans in the work.

Navy Day, October 27, was chosen because it makrs the anniversary of the date in 1775 when the Continental Congress received the bill providing for the creation of an independent fleet. It is also the birthday of Theodore Roosevelt who recognized the need for a strong Navy, and is widely credited with being the father of our modern Navy, now the most powerful in the world. The Navy League of the United States was organized in 1902 by a group of patriotic citizens. The Navy League is a non-partisan group whose only interest is the national security which our Navy provides.

We will appreciate it very much if you will see through your organization that all clubs in the state of Kansas under your jurisdiction are notified and encouraged to give just recognition to this most important date.

Sincerely yours,

INTERNATIONAL LIONS CLUB

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IMMEDIATE PAST PRESIDENT
DALE H. CARMEAN, NEW YORK LIFE INS. CO.

October 13, 1945

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

Dear Dr. Allen:

Your secretary called me yesterday evening and asked for the names and addresses of the District Governors of the various districts of Lions International in Kansas. I gave her over the telephone the name and address of the Governor in District 17-A but I am repeating it herewith together with the names and addresses of the other two Governors.

Dr. Robert W. Diver
District Governor, District 17-K
Lions International
Coffeyville, Kansas

Maurice E. Fager
District Governor, District 17-A
Lions International
801 Harrison Street
Topeka, Kansas

Carroll Noel
District Governor, District 17-N
Lions International
Wakeeney, Kansas

Yours very truly,

Russell R. Brown

Russell R. Brown
Sec'y-Treas.

RRB:eld

Look at Kansas' Labor Record

[*Part of an Advertisement*]

A peculiarly happy combination of circumstances seems to set Kansas labor head and shoulders above that with which industry has to contend in many localities.

True, Kansas labor legislation is modern. The present laws were enacted only four years ago; have recently survived a Supreme Court test. But the enviable record of Kansas labor is due primarily to the quality of labor personnel rather than to laws. Kansas labor, largely of rural origin, is willing to do a day's work for a day's wage; is habitually contented.

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October 15, 1 9 4 5

Mr. Forrest C. Allen, Vice Chrmn.
Navy League of the United States
c/o University of Kansas
Lawrence, K a n s a s

Dear "Phog:"

I appreciate receiving your fine letter of October 13th in regard to Navy Day, October 27th. I am writing today to the forty Lions clubs in my district asking their cooperation and suggesting that their program for the week of October 27th be a Navy Day program. I think that it is very proper that just recognition be given to this most important date.

I am happy to have the opportunity to cooperate with you on this worthwhile project.

Cordially yours,

Maurice

Maurice E. Fager
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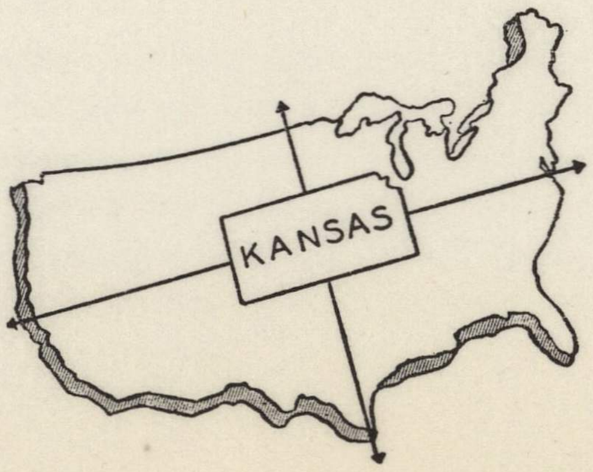

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October 9, 1945

Miss Mae Harmon, Secretary
Mr. F. L. Schlagle
Chairman for Navy Day
Kansas City 16, Kansas

Dear Miss Harmon:

The only way that I know to find out how to get this information is to contact the presidents of our Classification Club here in Lawrence and get their district governor to notify their respective districts regarding this day.

Mr. Howard Quigley has left the state and is now in Fairbault, Minnesota, at the Minnesota School for the Deaf. Our time is short, and I think I'll use my own judgement in trying to get the job done the best I can in a very short while.

Unless stationery arrives soon, the date will be upon us before we can use it.

I can appreciate how busy Mr. Schlagle is, but I thought perhaps he had left someone in his office to handle details for him. I imagine, however, that you, like all secretaries, are deluged with other things. Since I have two sons and a son-in-law who are officers in the navy, I assure you I am definitely interested.

Sincerely yours,

Forrest C. Allen, Director
Department of Physical Education
Varsity Basketball Coach

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CHAIRMAN FOR NAVY DAY
OCTOBER 27, 1945
LIBRARY BUILDING
KANSAS CITY 16, KANSAS

October 2, 1945

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

Dear Dr. Allen:

Your letter of September 25, concerning Navy Day, received.

Mr. Schlagle is delivering a series of addresses in the state of Washington at present, however, I have looked into the matter of Kansas Classification Clubs for you. I contacted the local Presidents of the various clubs in Kansas City, and found that no lists were available for Kansas, however, their suggestion was this: that you, when contact is made with the various local Rotary Clubs, that you obtain from them, the names of the Classification Clubs in their city, or write to the National Head of each club.

Mr. Howard Quigley, Olathe, Kansas, contacted the Classification Clubs over the state last year, and it might be well to write to him and see if he prepared such a list.

There will be no list of county chairmen sent to you other than that contained in the letterhead stationery, and there is no special need for you to contact these men. Mr. Schlagle merely wanted to let you know that stationery would be sent to you as soon as men had been appointed for each county so that their names could be turned into the printer. Your supply of stationery should reach you the first of next week.

Yours very truly,

Mae Harmon

Secretary to
Mr. Schlagle

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"IF YOU CAN'T JOIN THE NAVY, JOIN THE NAVY LEAGUE"

August 25, 1945

Mr. F. L. Schlagle
Chairman for Navy Day
Library Building
Kansas City 16, Kansas

Dear Superintendent Schlagle:

I acknowledge receipt of your favor of the twenty-third instant, and I am happy to accept the chairmanship for the Classification Clubs of our State, in stimulating them for the observance of Navy Day for 1945.

I have two sons, Milton P. Allen, and Robert E. Allen, both Lieutenant junior grades in the Navy. The former is in the communications and the latter is in the Medical Corps. I also have a son-in-law, Lt. E. R. Monz, who is a Navy Flier on Guam. That, of course, adds interest and a great incentive in the Navy.

Very cordially yours,

Forrest C. Allen
Director, Physical Education
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August 23, 1945

Dr. F. C. Allen
District Governor, Rotary Clubs
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dr. Allen:

Mr. Harry Darby, Vice-president and Director of the Navy League of the United States, has asked me to serve as Navy Day Chairman for the state of Kansas this year. Because of your interest in the Classification Clubs of our state, I am asking you to accept the Chairmanship for these organizations in observance of Navy Day for 1945.

We hope you will be in a position to accept this responsibility and will contact all the Classification Clubs throughout the state and arrange for suitable recognition and observances of Navy Day within these organizations. You can depend upon the close cooperation of the local Navy League Councils and local county chairmen in your work.

October 27 is Navy Day. It was chosen as the date for the observance of Navy Day because it marks the anniversary of the date in 1775 when the Continental Congress received the bill providing for the creation of an independent fleet. It is also the birthday of Theodore Roosevelt who recognized the need for a strong Navy, and is widely credited with being the father of our modern Navy, now the most powerful in the world.

Literature is now being prepared offering suggestions for the celebration of Navy Day with posters and pamphlets to aid in the planning and preparation of appropriate observances.

Dr. F. C. Allen

We would like to announce your appointment as Chairman for Kansas in charge of Classification Clubs immediately and would appreciate hearing from you by return mail.

Yours very truly,

Navy Day Chairman
for the State of Kansas

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October 6, 1945

Mr. Lewis E. Selders, President
Spear Mills, Inc.
Kansas City, Missouri

Dear Mr. Selders:

It was good to see you in Salina and to have a visit regarding our mutual and departed friend Fred Crane. He was always a great favorite of mine.

I spoke of the Jayhawk Rebound. I am sending you a copy of the last one that I wrote to the boys. We had planned them as a monthly contribution but sometimes endeavors were delayed somewhat.

With all good wishes, I am,

Sincerely,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach

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September 24, 1945

Mr. Samuel Spigel
Roanoke, Virginia

Dear Mr. Spigel:

I am answering your communication of August 24, to say that I knew that it was your weak arches that were involved when I wrote you concerning the Foot Arch Normalizer. This normalizer is not for a rheumatic condition.

The normalizer is on the order of a glorified rolling pin set in gears so that the weight of the individual is put on the roller in such a way that it develops the muscles of the arch, ankle, leg, and thigh in such a way that there is progressive improvement. The advocates of this normalizer say that you "roll away your foot trouble". I came upon this device at Atlanta, Georgia, when I was teaching in the summer school at Georgia Tech. I've used it for 10 years and would not take anything for mine if I could not procure another. For tired, aching feet, for falling arches, for cramped foot and leg muscles, I know of nothing better. It strikes at the root of the trouble. Do not think I am trying to sell you one. I'm endeavoring to tell you about something that helped me, and I feel that you would make a mistake if you did not try it.

Sincerely yours,

Forrest C. Allen
Director of Physical
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