

October 19, 1938.

Dean Paul B. Lawson,
College of Liberal Arts and Sciences,
University of Kansas.

Dear Dean Lawson:

At a conference with Mr. Herbert Allphin in my office Monday afternoon I learned from him that he had told you that I had made a statement to the effect that you had specifically objected to some of the writings of Mr. Allphin. The material written was on swimming, and the grammatical construction was questioned.

I corrected Mr. Allphin in this statement, saying that I had never talked to you concerning the writings of Mr. Allphin. What I told him was that several faculty members had expressed the opinion that his writings were not on the level of faculty standing.

All of this came about when Mr. Allphin wanted me to state specifically to him why the budget committee had made certain recommendations.

I want you to know that I did not use your name nor did I pass the responsibility on to you. I took my responsibility and endeavored to explain to Mr. Allphin to the best of my ability the situation as it existed.

I am sending a copy of this letter to Mr. Allphin so that there may be no misunderstanding on the part of any of us.

Very cordially yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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cc to Mr. Allphin

October 19, 1938.

Mr. Ed Ellett,
Aladdin Oil Company,
Wichita, Kansas.

Dear Ed:

This is written to you in strict confidence, and I wish you would regard it as such, but I feel that I should tell you some things.

The budget committee of the University, at their meeting last spring, recommended that Mr. Allphin be given two years to find another position. I was instructed to notify him. He came to me and wanted to know why he was not being retained, and I told him that the budget committee had made several specific citations as to that, but he did not seem satisfied. He said he had always been a good teacher and everybody would certify to that.

Then I told him I had talked to a number of students who took his courses. Maybe it was during a moment of weakness, but I told him that you had taken his course and had come to me on several occasions and said the course was a joke, that it was the weakest course you had ever taken in college. Then I said, "Why don't you write him?". Now, maybe you will get a letter from Herb, and although you may think I put you on the spot, I trust that you will write him in all kindness and fairness and tell him what you repeatedly told me.

If you will do this, Ed, you will do a service to the University, because most people dig out of those things and do not want to take the rather fair but harsh method of telling a fellow sometimes when he doesn't satisfy. If I have "done you wrong" I will make it up to you, but somehow I felt that you would rather enjoy doing a good job of it. You remember you volunteered this information to me.

Perhaps you will hear from Herb, and perhaps not, but I would like to hear from you, and I just wanted to give you this information in advance.

Cordially yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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October 21, 1938.

Dr. F/ C. Allen,
105 Robinson Gymnasium,
Campus.

Dear Sir:

I am having some trouble with Monte Merkle in 33M. He did not have any money to pay his fees for about three weeks, now he has shoes but he does not have any other exercise clothes. He said he did not have any money to buy any so I told him he would have to get busy or I would report him.

Dr. Allen will you back me up in this matter?

Yours very truly,

Herbert S. Coe

October 26, 1938.

Mr. Herbert G. Allphin,
Department of Physical Education.

Dear Herbert:

I have just received a very kind letter from Mr. C. G. Bayles, superintendent of the Department of Buildings and Grounds, in which he expresses appreciation for the fine service you rendered in giving first aid instruction to the electricians.

It is such things as this that make departmental relations more harmonious and valuable, and we are very grateful to you for your excellent service in this respect.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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October 27, 1938.

Dr. Forrest C. Allen,
105 Robinson,
Campus.

Dear Sir:

I want to thank you for your letter of October 26th., regarding communication from Mr. C. G. Bayles.

I will be glad to purchase two tickets for the seventy-fifth anniversary dinner to be held November, 2nd. I will procure the tickets from Mrs. Hulteen next Tuesday morning after Karl Klooz has deposited my check. Dr. Allen I am always glad to attend University functions of this kind.

Sincerely,

Herbert G. Alphin

December 14, 1938.

Mr. Herbert G. Allphin,
Department of Physical Education,
University of Kansas.

Dear Herbert:

Answering your letter of December 14th, wish to say that I have sent your letter to Dean R. A. Schwegler so that he could have the benefit of the comment that you make on your articles. ✓

I would suggest if you have a copy of these articles I would like to have them so that I could submit them to my superiors for their inspection.

Thanking you for the list of publications, and hoping to receive copies of them, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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December 14th, 1938.

Dr. F. C. Allen
105 Robinson
Campus.

Dear Dr. Allen,

I am enclosing a list of my articles, which have been published by reputable magazines and newspapers.

I have been told that certain members of the University of Kansas Faculty criticized the bad form of an article, that I distributed a few years ago.

I think this list disproves this unfair criticism. It seems to me that my articles had educational content and good construction, otherwise they would not have been published.

I will appreciate your comment on my endeavors, as I expect to release additional articles.

Yours very truly,

Herbert G. Cephin.

December 24, 1938.

Mr. Herbert G. Adlphin,
Department of Physical Education,
University of Kansas.

Dear Herbert:

I have your note of the 22nd instant in regard to your part in the program of the Men's Section of the Central District Physical Education Association.

I am wondering what phase of athletics you are planning to discuss. As you know, there are a great many phases to this subject, and if I knew just what phase you intend to cover I would be in better position to submit one or two problems, as you request. I shall be glad to hear from you again.

Cordially yours,

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Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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December 22nd, 1938.

Dr. F. C. Allen
105 Robinson
Campus.

Dear Dr. Allen,

I have been asked to serve on the program of the Men's Physical Education and Athletic Section at the annual convention of the Central District Physical Education Association at Sioux City, Iowa.

This district comprises nine states and I am to represent the college viewpoint of Kansas on the subject, "Problems In Athletics".

I will be very happy if you will submit one or two problems, which you believe pertinent to this field.

I will appreciate your response.

Yours very truly,

Herbert G. Allphin
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107 Robinson
Campus.

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December 26th, 1938.

Dr. F. C. Allen
105 Robinson
Campus.

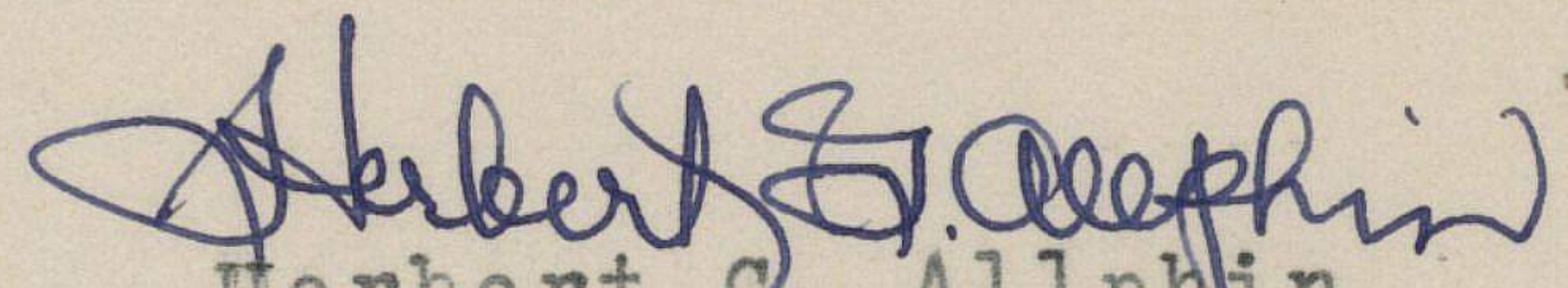
Dear Dr. Allen:

In reply to your letter of December 24th, regarding the topic of "Problems In Athletics", wish to say that the questions can be of a general nature. We will not necessarily confine our discussion to problems in athletics but will also include physical education.

The questions you submit can be either on the high school or college level.

Thank you for your interest.

Yours very truly,


Herbert C. Allphin
107 Robinson-Campus.

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January 9th, 1939.

Dr. F. C. Allen
105 Robinson
Campus.

Dear Dr. Allen:

In compliance with your request in your letter of December 14th, 1938, I am glad to send to you under separate cover my magazine and newspaper articles.

For your information I wish to state:

That the articles on "Swimming Pools in Europe" were accepted by four different periodicals; The Red Cross Courier; Journal of Physical Education; The Beach and Pool; The Douglas County Republican. The data for these articles were observed, studied, translated and compiled for a final examination paper in a Physical Education European Travel Course sponsored by the University of Michigan. The records of the University of Michigan show that I earned in this graduate course six hours credit with a grade of "A", which I will apply toward a doctorate in Physical Education.

That in their new book, "The Organization and Administration of Physical Education", Drs. Voltmer and Esslinger quoted my article, which appeared in the December, 1936 Physical Education Research Quarterly.

That this latter mentioned article of mine was also used by Miss Gertrude Baker of the University of Minnesota in a paper, "Techniques of Supervision for Teachers in Training" presented at the Central District of Physical Education Association in Minneapolis in March, 1938.

That my article entitled, "Annual Swim Weeks", which was released in the 1937 Swimming Pool Data and Reference Annual, interested pool managers throughout the United States. Requests came to me for this material from pool managers from fifteen states and one foreign country.

Dr. Allen, I am neither an intellectual paragon nor a mental monstrosity but I wish to call your attention to the space given my articles in various periodicals along with

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college professors, fellows, directors and M. D's.

Two of my articles were presented at Association Meetings. I read the article "The Swimming Pool in the Community Recreational Program" at the Swimming Pool Owners Meeting of the Kansas Water Works Association in April, 1934. I also read the article "A Study of Present Practices of Supervision of Practice Teachers in Physical Education in Teacher Training Institutions" at the Central District of the Physical Education Association at Omaha in March, 1935.

You will please notice:

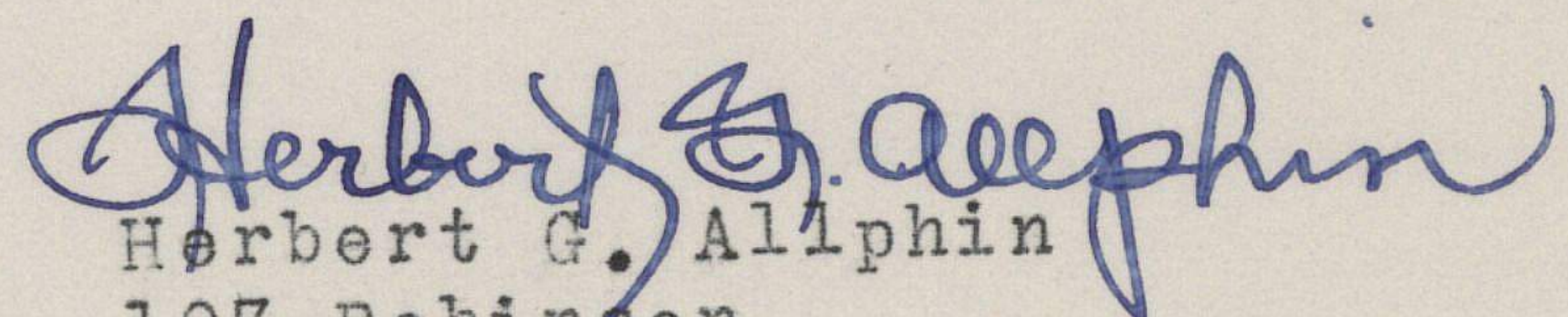
That I have been a contributor of articles twice to the Swimming Pool Data and Reference Annual and thrice to the Beach and Pool and the Journal of Physical Education.

That the two articles "The Swimming Pool in the Community Recreational Program" and "The Swimming and Life Saving of the National Federation of France", were each published by two different magazines.

That my articles cover a period of over ten years; the first published in the Athletic Journal in 1927; the fifth in Recreation Magazine in 1935 and the fifteenth in the Swimming Pool Data and Reference Annual for 1938.

Dr. Allen, when you have perused these articles, I will appreciate it, if you will return them to me.

Yours very truly,

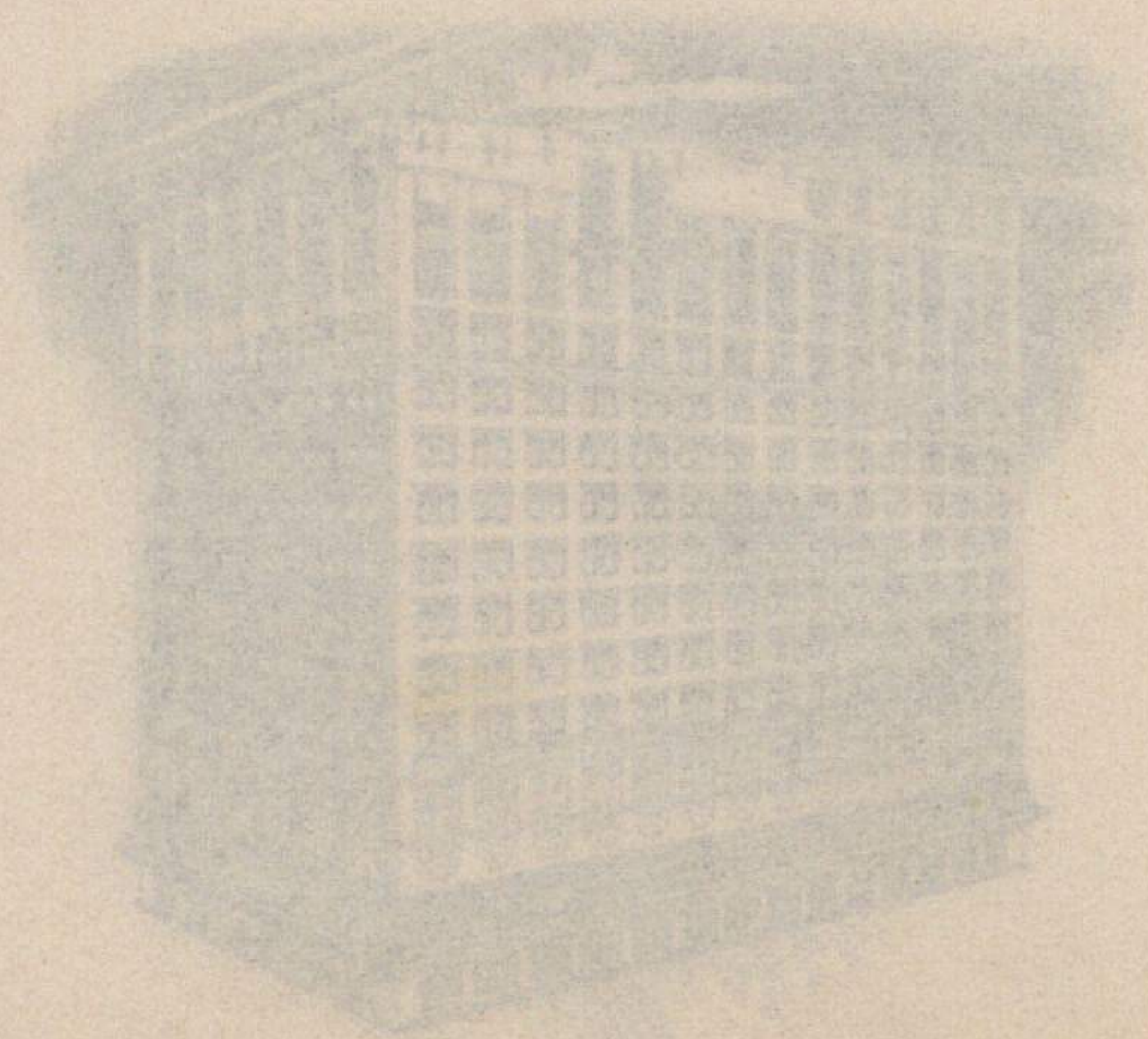

Herbert G. Allphin
107 Robinson
Campus.

lack of parallel construction in sentence building
Efforts at outlining pitiful - seems not to
know the barest fundamentals of good outlining
of material - complete lack of basic under-
standing of outlines.

Sentence structure both ineffectually
clumsy and weak - seems neither to
understand the weakness of ^{long} dangling sentences,
nor the power of an occasional periodic
sentence.

The entire article is an admission
of inadequate effort.

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JUSTER HOTEL

January 30, 1939.

American College Bureau,
28 East Jackson Blvd.,
Chicago, Illinois.

Gentlemen:

I am very happy to fill out the inquiry concerning the capabilities of Mr. Herbert G. Allphin, instructor in our Department of Physical Education.

Mr. Allphin is a splendid gentleman, of high personality and excellent habits. He received his B. S. degree in Education here at the University of Kansas and his Master's at the University of Iowa with a major in Physical Education. Mr. Allphin has been in our department here at the University thirteen years, and we have been very fond of him indeed.

Mr. and Mrs. Allphin are outstanding in their participation in community life and extracurricular activities. Mrs. Allphin is especially adept in her social activities, and Mr. Allphin is known most favorably in our town and among our faculty. He is a member of the American Legion, having served overseas in the artillery division. Mr. Allphin also conducts Red Cross life saving tests over the United States during the summer time. He has been with the Red Cross a number of years. Mr. Allphin also has taught varsity swimming here at the University for the past ten years.

I am very fond of Mr. Allphin and I am happy to say that he is an especially safe and valuable man to deal with young people. His ideals are of the highest and his efficiency is of a high grade. He has no bad habits, he is highly honest, his integrity is above reproach.

It gives me great pleasure to write this testimonial for Mr. Allphin.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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May 16, 1939.

Safety Fellowship Committee,
Division of General Education,
New York University,
20 Washington Square,
New York City, N. Y.

Gentlemen:

I desire to recommend for your consideration Mr. Herbert G. Allphin, instructor in our Department of Physical Education. Mr. Allphin has been a member of our staff for fourteen years, during which time he has done graduate work at the University of Iowa. He has a Master's degree from that institution, with a physical education major.

Mr. Allphin has been very active in community and school work. He has done outstanding work in life saving connected with the Red Cross. His work has taken him during the summers to many sections of the United States. It is my information that he has been very successful in this type of work.

Mr. Allphin is married, and both he and Mrs. Allphin have always been especially interested in community and civic life. His character is exemplary, being a non-user of alcoholic beverages and narcotics. Mr. Allphin has a very likeable personality and he has the unusual knack of getting along with people.

I am very happy to attest to the high character, fine personality and worthwhileness of my colleague.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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May 17, 1939.

Dr. Herbert J. Stack,
Director of Safety Education,
New York University,
New York City, N. Y.

Dear Dr. Stack:

I had the extreme pleasure of attending your very interesting lecture on Safety Education at the meeting last year of the National Health and Physical Education Association in Atlanta, Georgia. After the lecture I went to the platform and introduced myself.

Mr. Herbert G. Allphin, a member of our staff, is making application to the Safety Fellowship Committee. It is my understanding that you are directing this group. Mr. Allphin has done very commendable work here at the University of Kansas for the last fourteen years, and I would appreciate any consideration that you can give him in his behalf.

Wishing you continued success in your very important work, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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August 8, 1939.

Mr. Herbert G. Allphin,
American Red Cross,
Fort Worth, Texas.

My dear Herbert:

Mr. E. B. DeGroot, Jr., the new member of our staff, will handle the supervised practice teaching of Oread High School along with Miss Joie Stapleton this fall. I thought that I would notify you somewhat in advance so that you could make more definite arrangements for your schedule this fall.

I trust that you have had a very pleasant summer.

With all good wishes, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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February 13, 1940.

Mr. Herbert G. Allphin,
Department of Physical Education,
University of Kansas.

Dear Herbert:

The tumbling team gave an excellent performance at the basketball game last night, and they added much to the enjoyment of the evening. Will you kindly express to the boys our thanks and deep appreciation for their fine entertainment?

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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