

October 6, 1943.

Capt. Ronald I. Sieben, F.A.,
Chief, Special Service Officer,
Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

Dear Captain Sieben:

Doubtless by this time you have received my other letter giving you information on football tickets for the men in service. I am sure Mr. Earl Falkenstien will give you a good location.

We were happy to have word of Captain Ted O'Sullivan's new assignment. We are very fond of him and wish him well. He was extremely kind to our boys when we took them over to Leavenworth for induction last March.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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4 October 1943

Dr. F. C. Allen
Director Of Physical Education
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dr. Allen;

Thank you very much for returning the letter to Ruppert Stadium concerning football tickets. It seems there was a mix up in envelopes as a letter was written to you the same day concerning admission prices for Service Men at the University of Kansas games this fall.

Last season the admission price was fifty cents and we brought from seventy-five to one hundred soldiers to each of your home games. I would appreciate an early reply as we have had many inquiries concerning your game with Iowa State this coming Saturday. I am personally anxious to see what my Alma Mater has to offer this year.

You may be interested in knowing Capt. Ted O'Sullivan is getting along very well with his new assignment in England. From all indications he has gotten some good breaks and has a very nice job. Thank you very much for your consideration.



RONALD I. SIEBEN
Capt., F. A.,
Chief, Special Service Officer

THE LAWRENCE, KANSAS, JOURNAL-WORLD

September 28, 1943

Miss Edna Hill
Lawrence Nursery School
1100 Missouri Street
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Miss Hill:

Miss Evans called me this afternoon and stated that if our editorial department should make any change in the manuscript she submitted this morning concerning the nursery school, it would be necessary to notify you in advance.

Every newspaper that I know of reserves the right to edit all copy, and since someone in your group feels that your copy should not be edited, I am returning the manuscript.

The Journal-World has gone far beyond normal news attention to the nursery school in a desire to cooperate with the individuals sponsoring the program, and I am considerably surprised to find this attitude on your part.

It may be that the school will justify some further news coverage, but I have asked our news department henceforth to treat the matter strictly on a news value basis.

Yours very truly,

THE JOURNAL-WORLD

Doyle D. Dennis
Business Manager

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Enc.

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October 1, 1943.

Captain Ronald I. Sieben, F. A.,
Chief, Special Service Officer,
Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

Dear Captain Sieben:

Your letter of September 28th has been received, and while I am not director of athletics, I am happy to give you the information you desire.

Tickets for service men who desire to attend the football games will be fifty cents. The seats are on the east side of the stadium and in a good location.

Mr. Karl Klooz is athletic director, and Mr. Earl Falkenstien is the financial secretary. I suggest that you write Mr. Falkenstien for your reservations.

Very sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
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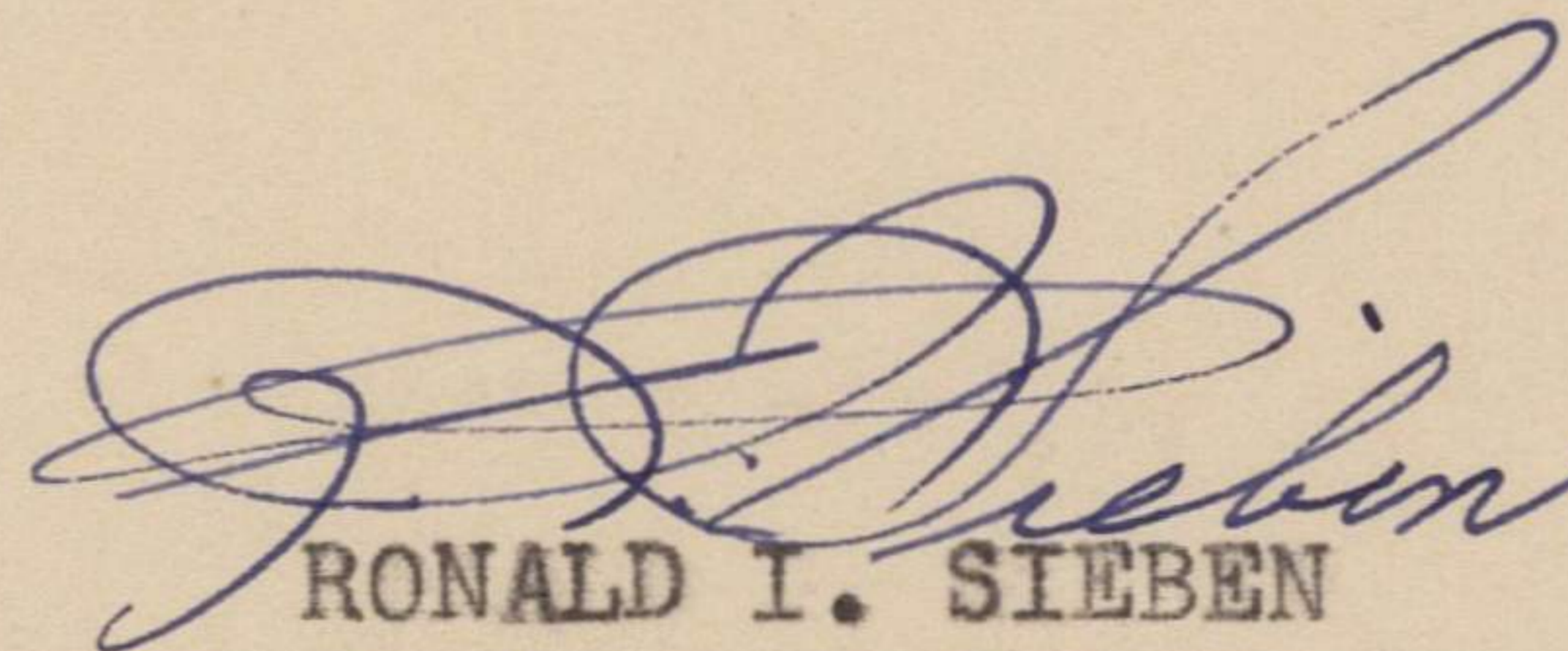
Dr. F. C. Allen
Director of Athletics
Kansas University
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dr. Allen;

Information is requested concerning admission rates for service men at your football games over there this season. Last year we brought from seventy-five to one hundred soldiers from Ft. Leavenworth to each of your home games. The admission charge last season was fifty cents.

We would appreciate an early reply so that we can make arrangements for the Kansas-Iowa State Game October 9th.

I am personally interested in seeing what my Alma Mater can do this season. Thank you very much for your consideration.



RONALD I. SIEBEN
Capt., F. A.,
Chief, Special Service Officer

Iowa State '34

September 30, 1943.

Captain Ronald I. Sieben, F.A.,
Chief, Special Service Officer,
Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

Dear Captain Sieben:

The enclosed letter was delivered to my desk
this morning. I am returning it to you so that it
may be sent to the proper place.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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September 21, 1943.

Mr. W. C. Simons,
Lawrence Journal World,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Mr. Simons:

I heartily agree with the sentiments expressed in your letter of September 18. I am sure that we will be able to work this out to our mutual satisfaction.

I do want to thank you for your kind words regarding Eleanor. We think she is a lovely little girl and we trust that she will be happy. I am conveying to her the very flattering words with which you describe her.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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September 6, 1943.

Mr. John V. Sees, Secretary,
The Standard Life Association,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Mr. Sees:

I accept the responsibility as a member of the Special Names Committee and will be at the Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday morning, September 8, at ten o'clock to do the job as the president, Mr. Irving Hill, sees fit.

I am glad that you use the word "tackle". That suggests aggressive combat, and if all of us have the old fight we will have no difficulty in putting the job over in fine style.

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

THE STANDARD LIFE ASSOCIATION

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LAWRENCE, KANSAS

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JOHN V. SEES
SECRETARY

September 2, 1943

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

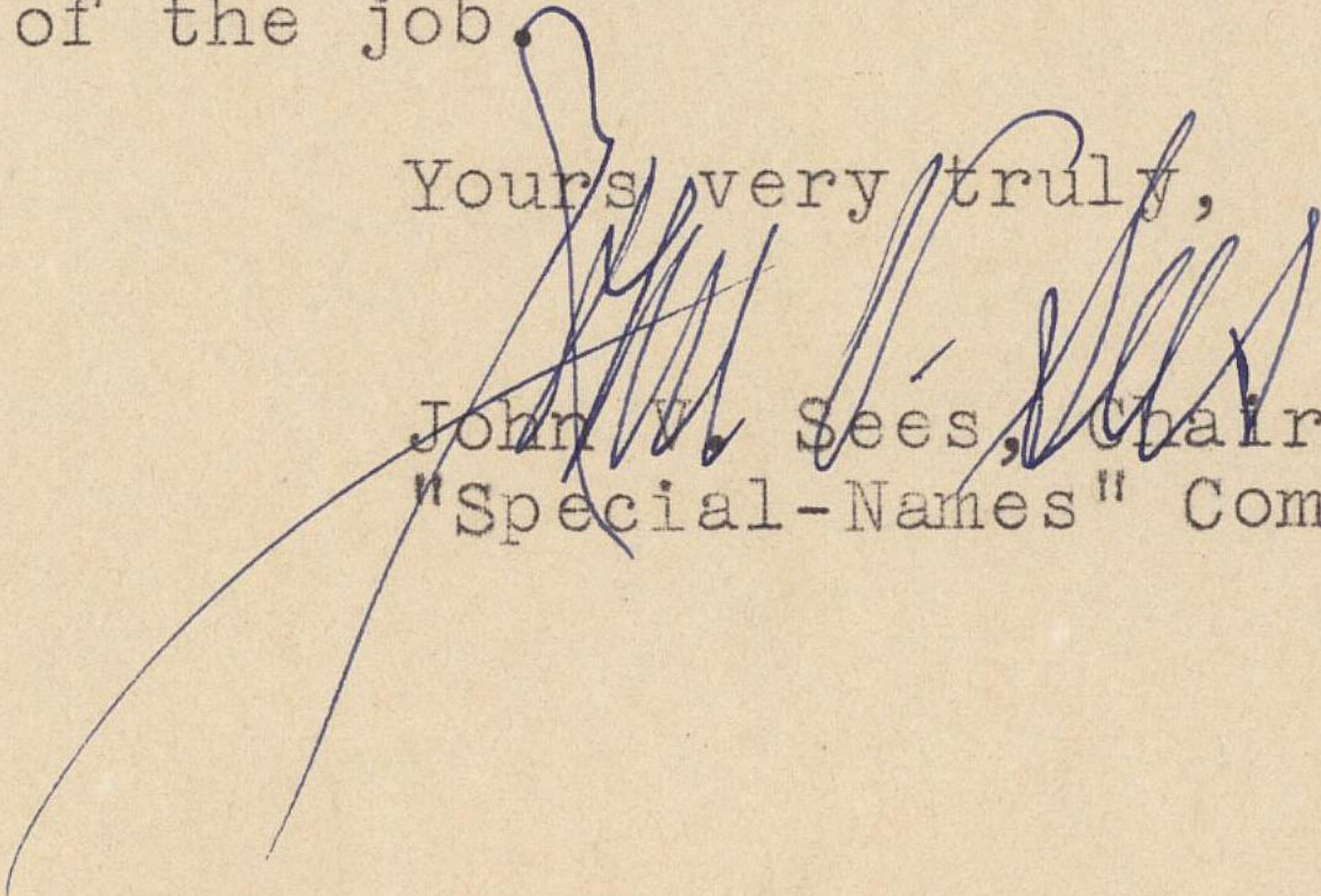
The Third War Loan Drive opens Thursday, September 9. Douglas County's quota is \$2,075,000 as against a quota of \$800,000 in April. You can readily see that, if we are to reach our goal, a much greater effort must be made on the part of every Douglas County citizen.

At the request of Irving Hill, I have accepted the job of heading the "Special-Names" Committee for Lawrence during the Drive, and I certainly need your help as a member of this Committee. The "Special-Names" canvass will be "Tailor made" in the sense that it will be based on definite lists of prospective investors already prepared.

In order that our group may lead off in this drive, I am calling the entire Committee together for our first meeting Wednesday morning, September 8, at ten o'clock, at the Chamber of Commerce. Prospect cards, with suggested quotas, will be selected at that time.

I trust you will be on hand next Wednesday morning, ready to tackle our part of the job.

Yours very truly,


John V. Sees, Chairman
"Special-Names" Committee

September 9, 1943.

(Third War Loan Drive)

I have been appointed a member of the "Special Names Committee" to call on you for your subscription to the Third War Loan Drive. However, I prefer to send this information to you so that you would have an opportunity to either talk it over with your family or with yourself as to the amount that you can patriotically subscribe. I will call upon you in the near future.

It is necessary that we raise two and a half times as much in this War Loan Drive as we did in the previous one.

With special emphasis upon this great and growing accomplishment I am sure it will not be necessary for me to say more.

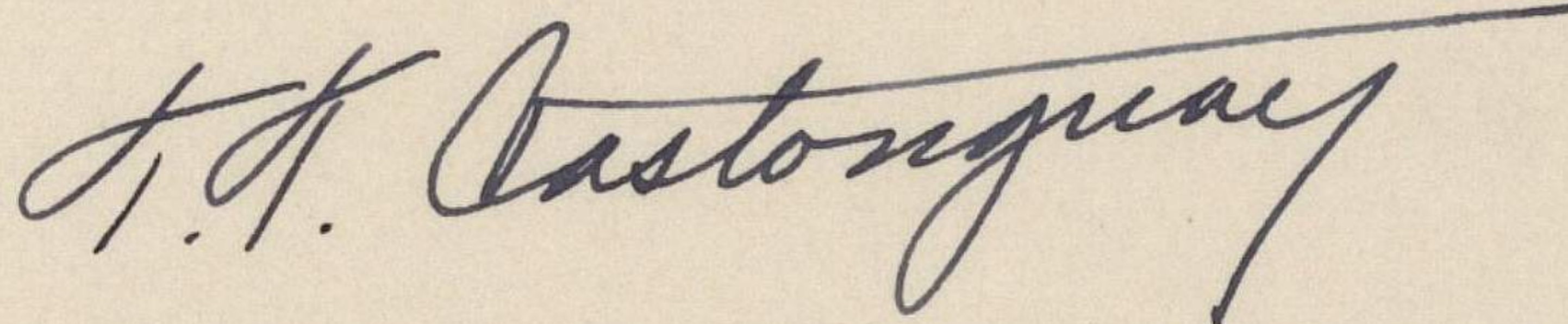
Very cordially yours,

4:30

October 4, 1943

To: Dr. F. C. Allen, Director of Physical Education
Department of Physical Education

Frederick C. Stults has the permission
of the Chemical Engineering Department to be
absent from classes during the week of October
5 to 15 inclusive for the purpose of interviewing
RCA and DuPont in the East.



T. T. Castonguay, Acting Head
Chemical Engineering Department

Print the complete address in plain block letters in the panel below, and your return address in the space provided. Use typewriter, dark ink, or pencil. Write plainly. Very small writing is not suitable.

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(CENSOR'S STAMP)

To DR. F. C. ALLEN
DEPT of PHY. ED.
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LAWRENCE, KANSAS

From CAPT. ROBERT J. SIMPSON
(Sender's name)

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(Sender's address)

COMM. APO. 5123 PLYMOUTH

Nov 4 - 43
(Date)



Hope you have
another Champ. B&K team.

V-MAIL

Bob Simpson

U.S. NATB

Ft. Pierce, Fla

December 10, 1943

Dear "Doc".

Right now I am standing
an Officer of the Deck watch,
which is a rather important
ordeal that requires ones attention,
but it so happens that it is
a rather slack time of day so I
that I would write to you.

Here in the sunny south
it has been ideal for fishing
and swimming and good some
days for a real sunburn.
I really am pleased with the

climate down here and it makes
the work rather pleasant; to know
that you aren't going to get
drenched in icy salt water means
quite a lot. Small boats are
a little rugged at times but
that is my type.

I got one of the regular
letters you write, when I was at
home but haven't gotten another
and would like for you to be
put me on the mailing list. I
will try to keep Mrs. Hulsten
informed of my whereabouts but
that is difficult for me to determine
most of the time.

Doc, you probably remember a
boy by the name of Boylan, Bob.
He played with St. Joseph's with
Senesky. Boylan played guard.
He is a great fellow. A great
competitor, Doctor; you would have
high regard for him, especially
his attitude. He is an assistant
boat group commander and well
worthy of his job. I am in
the same Boat group as he is.
Allan Houghton is down here
now and I see him quite often.
We were in the same group but
I was taken into another flotilla
as a replacement and thus I
go one flot. ahead of him.

Well Doctor, I am ready to turn
in because we have an inspection
in the morning and I have to
get up at 0300 for watch so
I had better get as much sleep
as I can.

Write me the news, Doctor, and
give my regards to everyone.

Sincerely

Ens. Ralph E. Schaack.
1117 Orange Ave.
Fort Pierce, Fla.

November 15, 1943.

Pvt. Nelson H. Sullivan,
Co. H, 12 QM Tng. Regt. T-346,
Camp Lee, Va.

Dear Sully:

It was a pleasure to hear from you, Sully. Congratulations on the arrival of Sally Ann! Glad to know things are going along so well with your family.

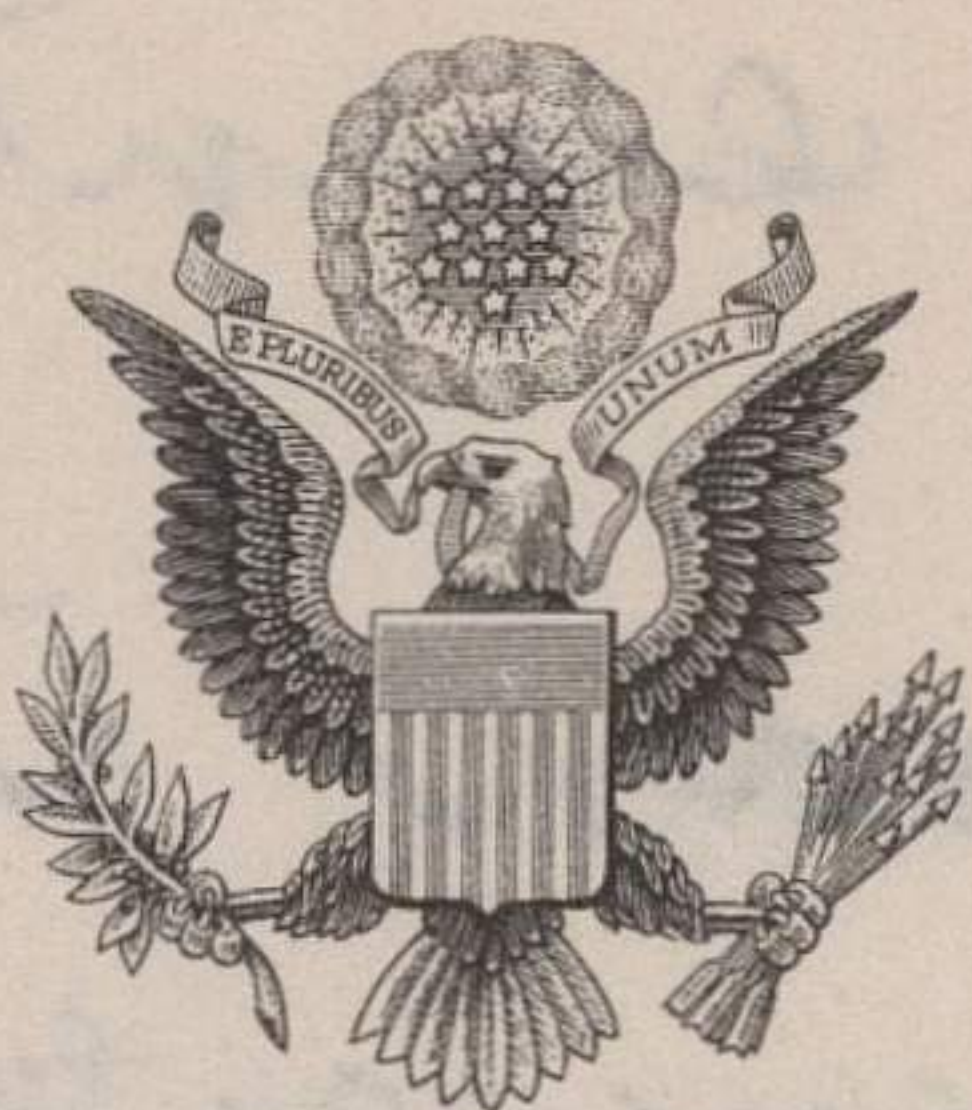
We sent you a copy of the fifth Jayhawk Rebounds to your Kansas City address, not knowing where you were at the present time. But in case it never catches up with you I am sending another. This will give you a lot of dope on football and basketball, and also the whereabouts of a lot of your friends. We will keep you on the mailing list, Sully.

With every good wish, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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Enc.



UNITED STATES ARMY

Nov. 7, 1943

Dear Doc,

Here's a yank in the South doing a little basic training for the Adjutant General Office. I have four weeks left + then hope to go for some technical training in personnel work at some college in the east.

But more important Doc. I am a proud father now. Last week Nov. 3 Sally Ann Sullivan was born + although I regret that I can't help the varsity basketball team out she can at least have the advantages of a great educational institution.

My wife is getting along fine so I really am very happy although I would

~~I~~ liked to have been present
for the big event.

I ran into Ray Harris
at ~~the~~ Ft Leavenworth, Kas. He was
waiting to be sent out and I don't
know where he was sent.

I suppose your basketball
team will be rather tough to
coach this year Doc. with so
many moving in + out of the
Navy + most of the other boys
in the service but I am still
predicting K.O. will win the
championship.

Doc. if you have any
extra copy of the "Rebound"
will you please keep me in
mind. It will seem wonderful
to hear about all the fellows
I use to know.

Please remember me to
Mrs. Allen + Mit.

One of your followers
+ friend
Sully

I sent one
to his K.C. address.
at.

Lt. W. H. Shannon SC USNR
Navy Supply Corps School
Soldiers Field Station
Boston, Mass.

Boston, Mass.

9 November 1943.

Dear Doc:

Many thanks for the Jayhawks Rebounds which arrived in yesterday's mail and your letter of 6 October. My intentions have been the best to write long before this, but I have been somewhat under the weather; at present I am running the gamut of blood tests, X-rays, and the typical Navy routine. So far all has turned out O.K. and I am uncertain just what they will do with me; I am hoping for the best.

It was wonderful to read the K.U. sports news and the news-bits concerning the boys of days gone by. Sam Jifers has just reported for duty and I have promised to turn over my series of Jayhawks Rebounds for his reading. Two other K.U. boys reported in yesterday -- Dave Fisher from Topeka and Thomas Higgins from Kansas City. Gradually the Navy is reaching the bottom of man power with these men reporting who have families; it surely makes one realize how little sacrifice he himself is making. At present, the war scene looks brighter and I do hope that it draws to a sudden, successful, and permanent ending. The play of the stock market is indicative of the economic instability of our Nation; drastic changes will result if the war economy prevails throughout

the period so many predict.

My duties at present are related to the Navy Industrial Cost Accounting program being offered by the Harvard School of Business. I have met and am associated with some real gentlemen, but my frank opinion (not for publication) is that Harvard is "overplayed"; it exists a great deal on the prestige established in "years-past." It has been a privilege and an excellent opportunity to have spent some time at the School, but I am anxious to enter more active duty.

We had a beautiful fall, but the last two weeks or so have brought much rain and disagreeable weather; guess they are the signs of the coming winter. I did play golf a few times, but my available time is so limited and the golf courses so far away that it is almost impossible to play. I'll surely look forward to our golf date and visit; I know you are good enough of a sport to overlook my deficiencies as a golfer.

Well I must close for tonight. Many thanks for remembering me; it is good to know that you have some real friends left behind and who will be glad to welcome you upon returning. Till then, I remain,

Sincerely,
William H. Shannon.

Priv. Mano W. Stucky, - 37487082

Co. A. 87th Inf. Hung. Bn

3rd Platoon

Camp Roberts, Calif.



Dec 11, 1943.

Dr. J. C. Allen
470 K. U. Ath. Dept.
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Hog:

It was certainly swell to see you again at the dinner at K.C. It made me rather homesick for a part in the activities "on the hill". I can truthfully state that of the years I spent there have definitely been my happiest ones. And for a great part of that happiness, I owe you a thanks of gratitude. You helped me so many times, in school and after I got out, and I want you to know I truly appreciated it and haven't forgotten about it.

I have been placed in the Intelligence branch whose main mission it is to scout enemy territory, equipment, troop movements, encampments etc. We are told we are the eyes and ears of the army. all offensive

thrusts are planned from the reports we bring in. The officers in our company make us believe that our work is the most important of all the tasks in the army. At any rate, it is very interesting.

Most of the men in this branch of the service are really swell fellows. Lot of them are ~~old~~ coaches. Stair from Joplin Mo. H.S. Another coach is from Seattle, one from Minneapolis. Aside from them we have a few lawyers, teachers and others ^{with} leadership ability.

Camp Roberts itself is a beautiful place. It encamps 70,000 men, completely modern in every respect. It is about half way between L.A. and San. F. It nestles in a little pocket in the mountains which completely surround our camp. The sunrises and sunsets are about the most beautiful I

have seen anywhere. The one and only one objection I have is that it is so far from home. But we are all hoping this thing won't last too long and that we will all be back home again and carry on where we left off. I think maybe I'll try to find me a good school in Kansas instead of going back to Yankton. Our facilities are so limited there. Do you think there would be any chance of a good school in Kansas?

I will close for now. I would enjoy hearing from you, Doc, and about your present activities. I would also appreciate the material you spoke of in K. C.

Give my regards to Mrs. Allen and the force at the office.

Very truly yours,
Mans.