LAW OFFICES OF Sheridan, Bishop & Sullivant BOTH PHONES NO. 65 DEPOSITIONS Paula, Kansas BERNARD L. SHERIDAN NOTARIAL WORK L. PERRY BISHOP COLLECTIONS J. MILTON SULLIVANT January 3, 1944 Dr. Forrest C. Allen Director of Physical Education University of Kansas Lawrence, Kansas Dear Dr. Allen: I have received your letter of recommendation which I recently requested. This letter has arrived in plenty of time for the use I had contemplated. I know that you are very busy with the basketball team, and I am also aware that my request was made at one of the very busiest times of the year. As a matter of fact, for that very reason and also because I had never competed directly under you or had the benefit of your coaching ability, I hesitated to call upon you for this letter, but could think of no other party who could write a letter which would be as great a benefit to me as would a letter from you. I note however, that you have neglected to sign the letter, no doubt due to the fact that you were in a hurry and that you did sign the letter which accompanied the enclosure, so I am enclosing the letter for your signature. I am sure this letter will be of great value to me when I go before the draft for induction, and I am greatly indebted to you for the same. Thanking you for your great favor in this matter and with kindest regards, I am Yours truly, JMS/RMF Enc. P. S. As usual I see the basketball team of the Alma Mater is compiling a good record.