

October 24, 1945

Mr. George E. Truby
Anthony, Kansas

Dear Mr. Truby:

I am sorry that I will not be able to make the trip to Wichita with the football team but if you will let me know when you would like to come I will arrange to see the boy any morning I am in town.

However, I am making trips out of town as Governor of District 123 of Rotary International. It might be well to settle on a date on next week's schedule. I speak at Topeka at noon on the first and am here at Lawrence on the fifth so next week might be a good time to see him. Please let me know at your earliest convenience. I'm going to Olathe tomorrow so I am having my secretary sign the letter.

Sincerely,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach

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GEORGE E. TRUBY

ANTHONY, KANSAS

Oct. 22-45

Dr. F.C. Allen
Athletic Dept.
Kansas University
Lawrence Kans.

Dear Dr. Allen:

I have a boy who injured his knee in football and it is not responding to treatment as rapidly as it is that it should.

Knowing your ability in such injuries I should like your seeing the knee. If you should be coming down with the team this week end to Wichita and would have time to examine the knee we will have him there and if this is impossible I will be glad to drive him to the University at your convenience.

Thanking you most kindly and assuring you that anything you will do shall be most appreciated, I remain

Sincerely

George E. Truby
Geo. E. Truby

October 17, 1945⁹⁴⁵

Mr. C. H. Thompson
The Kansas City Star
Kansas City 17, Missouri

Dear Pip:

I am glad to get your letter regarding Mrs. Thompson. I will be glad to examine her for you if you wish. I am to speak at Argentine High School, Friday Morning at 9:30. I should be through before 11:00 and I will give you a ring and if convenient for you I will see Mrs. Thompson and give you my opinion concerning her. It will not be necessary for her to remove any garments. Just wear the usual housedress for the occasion.

I do not know where you live but I will have my car and if you wish I will come by the Star and pick you up, or if you live out in Indian Hills I might cut across to save mileage and you could arrange to go out to your house under your own power.

I was in Kansas City last night at the American Legion meeting at 37 and Broadway. I saw Landon Laird, Ernie Mehl, and Paul O'Boynick, at the meeting. If I had known it I would have seen Mrs. Thompson after the affair was over. It will be a pleasure for me to help out if I can.

With all good wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach

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October 15, 1945

Dr. Forrest C. Allen,
Larence, Kansas

Dear Dr. Allene

I am writing to you in regard to the condition of Mrs. Thompson, whom I think you have met, and whose condition is beginning to worry me a good deal. For several months, she has been suffering severe pains in her left shoulder, and down the left side of her back, and in the elbows. She consulted two doctors about it, who diagnosed it arthritis, but neither of them offered any treatment that has done any good. In the absence of any swelling or stiffening in the joints, but rather in the muscles, she has become convinced that it may ~~be~~ not be diagnosed correctly.

Today she was talking to Mrs. J. A. Bruening, a long-time sufferer from similar symptoms, who told her she had been all over the United States and Mexico, and had found her only relief in osteopathy, and was now considerably improved. Mrs. Thompson is a slender person of ~~an~~ great vitality and nervous energy, and during the last few years, since the war, has been working very hard. She not only has done all the work in a good-sized home, but the last three summers has ~~done~~ had a big garden, far too much for her. But I don't think she will ever slow down a good deal until she has to.

What I would like to learn from you is whether ~~you~~ in your wide experience and acquaintance here, you could ~~recommend~~ recommend someone for her to see here in town and receive some treatments, and whether in your opinion treatments of that sort would be of any avail, as they seem to have been for Mrs. Bruening. I don't expect you to give an opinion without further information, but we will be glad to arrange that at your convenience. Any information you can give us will be greatly appreciated. With warmest regards, I am

C. H. (Pip) Thompson.

October 5, 1945

Mr. Vic Trussler
Dean of Men
Kansas State Teachers College
Emporia, Kansas

Dear Vic:

It was good to have a visit with you in Emporia last Tuesday. Wish we might have had a longer time to exchange reminiscences but as usual we were both busy and on the run.

I am sending you a copy of the last issue of my latest Jayhawk Rebound of which I thought a part of it might prove interesting to you. With all good wishes for your continued success. I am,

Sincerely,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach

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September 28, 1945

S/Sgt. Elon M. Torrence, 3725 4238
78th AAFBU
Sheppard Field, Texas

Dear Elon:

Just received your change of address. I do not know just when I will put out or write another Jayhawk Rebound but will see that you obtain the next one.

The Schnellbacher on the Oklahoma-Hondo AAF team is none other than Otto. He has been at Hondo, Texas for some time now. I had a letter from him in July and he mentioned then that he had an opportunity to stay and play football.

A few days ago I had a letter from Charlie stating that he intends to be on the campus by November 1. He is now stationed at Coffeyville Army Air Field and his wife and young daughter, Sheryl, dropped by the house last week-end but we missed them. The last time I heard from Evans he was a physical training officer at Peterson Field, Colorado Springs, Colorado. He is coaching football out there and enjoying himself a lot. As far as I know Dixon is still overseas because I sent my last Jayhawk Rebound to him at a San Francisco APO.

Shenk's boys put up a great fight again TCU and though they are new men they seem very promising. Last night they beat Denver 20-19 and this should really give the team and school a big boost.

Thanks for the good wishes in the coming basketball season. I'm calling the boys together Monday for the first meeting and we will be in full swing before long. Looking for you back soon.

Sincerely,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach

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September 24, 1945

Dear Phog

another change of address to report, in case you still are sending out your letters - because I don't want to miss any of them -

My address is

S/SGT ELON M TORRENCE, 37254238

~~SHEPPARD~~

78th AAFBU

SHEPPARD FIELD, TEXAS

Now that demobilization is in sight, how are the chances of getting that Schnellbacher, Black, Evans, Dixon combination back at K.V.?

I hope the chances are excellent because I'm looking forward to your national championship with that team.

Incidentally I heard the

Oklahoma - Hondo AAF game broadcast. I presume that the Schnellbacher playing end for Hondo is none other than Otto - do you know for sure?
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I also heard the KU-TCU game
via a Fort Worth station.

I thought Shenks team put up a
marvelous game considering it was a
first college game for so many of
the players - and against an experienced
team. I thought it was even better than
the 18-0 score indicated. Incidentally,
this boy Gear is a basketball player, too,
isn't he?

Best of luck to you and your
team during the coming basketball
season.

I hope to get out of the army to
see some of the games - but I especially
am looking forward to that returning
team - to seeing that one in action.

Sincerely

Elon Torrence

September 5, 1945

Mr. Bob Taggart
1262 Boswell Ave.
Topeka, Kansas

Dear Bob:

I too regret that financial consideration will estop you from coming to the University of Kansas this year. However, we shall be glad to have you here next year.

I have not gotten out a Jayhawk Rebound since I gave you the last one, but we are working on it now after many trials and tribulations. We shall be glad to send you one in the very near future. It is a book this time. It will make up what we lacked in the desperation of getting it out. I hope you will enjoy it.

Thank you for sending me Lt. K. W. Johnson's address. We shall also send him a Rebound. However, I feel that with the war over, we will not be getting many more out because the drudgery and the toll war is with us no longer, and there are so many things now that the boys happily can turn their interest to rather than drearily sitting in the fox hole and waiting to see whose number was coming up.

Come see us when you can, we shall be happy to have you.

Sincerely yours,

Forrest C. Allen
Director, Physical Education
Varsity Basketball Coach

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September 3, 1945

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

Dear Dr. Allen:

It is with regret that I inform you that I will be unable to enter K.U. this fall. For financial reasons, since my home is in Topeka, it is necessary that I attend Washburn this year, but I do know that I will be down on good ole Mt. Oread next fall. I am looking forward to this with great anticipation.

I enjoyed reading the "Jayhawk Rebound" which you gave me very much. Would it be possible for me to receive one each month?

By the way, here is Kenny Johnson's address which you ask me to send; Lt. K.W. Johnson, O-1331739
Co. L, 383 Inf. Regiment
A.P.O. #96
c/o Postmaster
San Francisco, California.

Thanking you for your kindness, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

Bob Taggart

Bob Taggart
1262 Boswell Ave.
Topeka, Kansas

September 15, 1945

Dean J. W. Twente
School of Education
Fraser Hall
University of Kansas

Dear Dean Twente:

Having conferred with Miss Hoover regarding Miss Marjorie E. Dinsmore, I am recommending that she be permitted to take the course No. 82, Theory of Teaching Swimming, under Miss Hoover's direction.

Miss Hoover recommends her very highly.

Sincerely yours,

Forrest C. Allen
Director of Physical Education
Varsity Basketball Coach

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September 25, 1945

Mr. E. A. Thomas
Commissioner of Athletics
National Reserve Building
Topeka, Kansas

Dear Tommy:

Captain John A. Pfitsch just returned from Germany with Patton's Army and is expecting to be associated with us here at the University of Kansas this year.

The last year he was here, 1941, he registered for both football and basketball and send you \$2.00. I am sure his efficiency as an official was very high in both sports and if you find it thus please accept the \$2.00 which he gave me to enclose for necessary registration for these sports.

Very cordially yours,

Director of Physical Education

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