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February 15, 1945.

Mr. Sec Taylor, Sports Editor,  
Des Moines Register and Tribune,  
Des Moines 4, Iowa.

Dear "Secretary":

Thanks very much for your fine article that you wrote in your January 24th issue of your fine paper. I had the dope on several of the boys but I believe they thought I was just spoofing. Anyhow, they know now, don't they?

It was good of you to lend your support and I deeply appreciate the same.

I hope to see you when we play at Ames on March 2nd.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

Print the complete address in plain letters in the panel below, and your return address in the space provided on the right. Use typewriter, dark ink, or dark pencil. Faint or small writing is not suitable for photographing.



(CENSOR'S STAMP)

TO: Dr. Forrest G. Allen  
Dept. of Physical Education  
University of Kansas  
Lawrence, Kansas

SEE INSTRUCTION NO. 2

FROM

ETTS. R. L. TURNER (CEC) USNR  
10th. NAUGOTT ST BRIGADE  
E.P.O. SAN FRANCISCO

(Sender's complete address above)

Dear Doc:

Sorry to have taken so long <sup>at sea</sup> between letters but circumstances were against me. I received the March Jayhawk in Hawaii but since I haven't received any mail for three months I'm behind on the news.

Haven't met many Jayhawks yet even though I've been all over this ocean. Have one traveling with me named Judge Sloan. He was head Sachem a year ago.

Got into a pretty fair ball game the other day. I found out that laying around on a ship doesn't help your physical condition any. Hits you in the legs pretty bad.

Well Doc, you'll be starting again in a couple of months. Here's an early wish for a fine team. Keep your balls bent.

Sincerely Bob Turner

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POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT PERMIT NO. 1

19 July 1945  
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Dear Doc;

I'm sorry the time between letters has been so long. I believe I wrote the last time from Hawaii. Since then I have traveled by ship all over the Pacific finally ending up here only a few days ago. I crossed the equator going south, came back up another way, and traveled across the 180 meridian some time ago. I'm sorry I can't tell you where I am or what we are doing, but I can say that it's a big job.

In arriving here I received my first mail in three months and included were two rebounds and a jayhawk news letter. Thanks a lot Doc for keeping them coming. A rebound is just like a letter from home.

St. Henry Norberg is also in this

outfit. He is from Kansas City and graduated from O.U. a few years back. The Mechanical Engineering dept. can well be proud of this man. He really knows his stuff.

Ensign Judge Sloan (O.U. '95) who was the big shot of the V-12 unit last year is in the engineering dept. of the 10th. Naval Construction Brigade. Another very brilliant boy.

Glad to hear that Gordon Reynolds is doing so well. I knew that at least one Pacoma boy would make good at O.U. Give him my congratulations on doing such a swell job Doc. He must have kept his knees bent.

Regards to the staff of the Physical Education Dept. and especially to Mr. Quigley for the job being done to remove the stadium def. Did Mr. Quigley ever coach at St. Benedicts? I have a mate here who claims he did.

Must close now Doc. The boys out here could use some O.U. fight. Sincerely  
"Abe" Turner

*Ensign J. P. Turner*

Ensign, J.P. Turner

USS Aquila, AK-47

C/O Fleet Post Office

New York, N. Y.

U. S. S. AQUILA

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New York, N. Y.

20 July, 1945  
Friday morning

Dear Doctor Allen,

It has been a long time since I last sent a letter out Mt. Oread way; so I figured I better get on the ball and take care of that little matter. I remember the last time I was there I promised to write more often when I got back to the ship; but then, on second thought, I could have said most anything that day I was there for I was so darn happy and excited, don't you know. Two months have passed since I made that promise, but I had'nt forgotten-just kept putting it off.

Well, Doc I'm not an old veteran at this married life; but I sure-enough think it's the biggest institution there is. I know the 18 days that I was lucky enough to be with my wife, we were living in a little heaven of our own. After my leave expired, I took Dora May back to Portsmouth, Va. with me where we were in the yards. We were fortunate enough to get a very nice three room apartment through the Navy all furnished. We moved in one afternoon, and that evening when I went home from the ship, my better half had dinner all cooked and ready to set on the table. Believe me, she's a good cook too. I mean I was a mighty lucky guy the day I got her for a wife, and I like so many others am ready for that big day to come around when we can really begin to live the kind of life we have dreamed and planned so many times in all the wishful thinking we've had time to do.

U. S. S. AQUILA

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New York, N. Y.

The last time I was in the States, around the 4th, I was fortunate enough to see my wife again. She got a few days off and came over to New Orleans where I only got to be with her for one day because the Mighty K had to leave one morning unexpectedly. It was sure wonderful to get to see her again so soon. By the way Dora <sup>May</sup> got her commission in the Army Nurse Corps the 12th of this month as a physiotherapist. She is now at Camp Swift, Texas at the basic nursed training center. I believe she will return to the McCloskey General Hospital at Temple, Texas after her 6-wks. of basic. She is sure proud and I'm mighty happy for her for she sure had her heart set on the whole deal. My only hope now is that she won't be sent over seas. I stand a good chance of getting a 72-hr. pass the next time in the States; so I'll be taking off to see my better half; for we won't be to far from where she is.

I've received two "Rebounds" since I was last home; doggone, I sure do get a boot out of'em. I've reand them both several times. How well I remember the great working combination of Del and Bun. I was glad to hear that "Rope" was getting along ok, and I sure hope he gets that well deserved leave and gets to come home soon. Sounds as if most of the boys that were in the Atlantic have made their way over to the Pacific already. I've still got that good duty as Gunnery Officer and Athletic Officer on the MightyK. I'm way over due for a transfer to some other duty, now. I'm ready for a change, too; because this duty is getting to easy and I'm getting restless as the very dickens. I hope I get PT-boat duty, or either

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New York, N. Y.

something from a destroyer on up-just to be on something that can raise a little hell, don't you know.

I thought I was going to get to see the Pacific Ocean this trip, but we stopped a little short-guess they were'nt ready to change our fleet post office address. I'm getting plenty of that old tropical sun at any rate and am mighty brown. Played golf on a mighty sporty little 9-hole course loaded with sand traps and cocanut trees. One thing about those trees though, you don't have to worry about low hanging brances; you have to get a direct stimie before you are in any trouble- sand traps - we'll skip those-huh. I had a 40; that is'nt bad for a rookie on a par 37. I'll have to sharpen up a little before I ever play you again, or I'll get beat sure as the world. I've been doing some daily exercises which means I don't have to work to hard under these tropical conditions to work up a mighty good sweat. I have to watch my waist line; I'd hate to let that little situation get out of control. I weigh 201lbs stripped; that's enough don't you think?

It's time I was knocking this letter off, and I was getting my whip out to get the gunnery gang to slaving away. Tell Dean, Elmer, Henry, Straight, Mrs. Hulteen, Mrs Webster, George, and any of the rest of the P. E. Dept. "hello" for me. Take it easy and keep firing those rebounds my way; for I sure do appreciate hearing all the news from Mt Oread and from the boys overthere.

PS;-\* Whatever become of "Thin Man"  
Buescher?

Sincerely yours,

*J. P. Turner*  
J. P. Turner, Ensign, USNR.

August 11, 1945

Mr. George Trevor  
Sports Department  
New York Sun  
280 Broadway  
New York, 7, New York

Dear Mr. Trevor:

I am sorry that I failed to give you the information which you asked of me in your recent letter. I have been so tied up with war work as secretary of the Selective Service Board and other allied war activities, that I have not had the time to function in extra curricular matters. It would have taken a good deal of time to get the information that you desired and I simply did not have it.

I have been teaching classes in the University this summer. However, our school closes on Saturday, August 18, and if this information could be forthcoming after that I would be glad to accommodate you. Please let me know if the information at a later date can be of benefit to you. With all good wishes.

Sincerely,

Forrest C. Allen  
Director, Physical Education  
Varsity Basketball Coach

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To: The Director of Athletics  
University of Kansas  
Lawrence, Kans.

From: George Trevor  
New York Sun

Dear Friend:

Pardon the brevity of this urgent request, but I am writing an article for a national magazine on Football Men at War, and the deadline is rapidly approaching.

I am making a quick survey of the leading schools of the country in order that I may have adequate and representative data from all sections.

I should like to have from each school (a) the names of two or three of its most famous football players who have been prominent in the war (in any way - armed services or otherwise); (b) all the details you know about their war records, AND (c) a brief review of their greatest football feats at your school.

Will you kindly fill out the questionnaire below - right now, if you possibly can - and mail it to me in the enclosed, stamped envelope? I shall be grateful to you; the material will be very valuable to me in preparing material for the magazine and for my daily column in the New York Sun.

Please provide as complete details as possible about both the players' war records and their greatest football performances at your school. Thank you.

Sincerely,

*George Trevor*  
George Trevor  
Sports Department  
New York Sun, 280 Broadway  
New York 7, New York

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YEARS OF COMPETITION	FOOTBALL HONORS (ALL-STAR TEAMS, ETC.)	
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(For additional names or details)

August 4, 1945

Mr. George Tuttle  
Ft. Thompson, South Dakota

Dear Mr. Tuttle:

I am sending you the autographed copy of  
Better Basketball and a copy of The Athletic Plant.

I trust that you will receive great good  
from them and I am sure that you will. With all  
good wishes to you, I am

Sincerely,

Forrest C. Allen  
Director, Physical Education  
Varsity Basketball Coach

FCA:ef

July 20, 1945

Mr. W. R. Tate, Treasurer  
Plaza Bank of Commerce  
Kansas City, Missouri

Dear Winn:

I am acknowledging your letter in the affirmative. I am glad to be of any assistance I can to the brothers in the Bond.

I think it is quite necessary that the expenditure be made on the house at 1100 Indiana street in order to put it in a more sanitary and livable condition.

Yes, I will be glad to write individual letters to brothers of my particular acquaintance in order to further the effort. You may count upon me. I will also make a contribution in the very near future. I am glad to see that Gus, Dorman, Byron, and Larry are so generous in their donations of \$250.00. I have not decided what my donation will be, but as I said, I will make it in the near future. I want to talk to Dolph Simons, and Corlett Cotton and see what they will do. With kindest regards, I am

Fraternally yours,

Director of Physical Education  
Varsity basketball coach

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HARRY S. GORGAS, President  
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Los Angeles, California



OF THE  
**PHI KAPPA PSI FRATERNITY**

July 16, 1945

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Phi Kappa Psi House  
Stanford University, California

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

Dear Phog:

A few of the brothers in and around these parts have given some consideration to the advisability of soliciting funds at this time for the use of Kansas Alpha. Numerous conversations have been held in connection with the possible effort and it has been concluded that it is time to devote some serious effort to the establishment of an organization, the purpose of which will be the promotion of scholarships at the chapter at Lawrence. In order to do this, it has been felt that it would be well to incorporate the Kansas Alpha of Phi Kappa Psi Endowment Association, which would also have for a further purpose, the supervision and direction of better housing facilities for the chapter.

In order to effect a successful campaign, it is felt that an intensified effort should be put forth and that you would be willing to help by serving on the so-called committee that would have as its primary duty, contacting members of Kansas Alpha in an effort to secure financial assistance from them. Without having made any particular effort up to the present time, approximately \$1500.00 has been subscribed. Among those subscriptions are, Gus Lauterbach, Dorman O'Leary, Byron Schutz and Larry Winn \$250.00 each and several others have amounted to \$100.00 each. It is not thought it will be necessary to ask for any specified sum. The committee has made a survey of the situation from the standpoint of our housing facilities and feels that an expenditure of approximately \$7500.00 should be made on the house at 1100 Indiana, in order to put it in a more sanitary and livable state.

We of course, know that you will be most willing and most happy to support this effort, but we are wondering specifically if you would undertake from time to time, if it becomes necessary, to write individual letters to brothers of your particular acquaintance, in order to further our efforts. As a matter of <sup>any thing</sup> fact, that you might be able to do in this direction will be greatly appreciated.

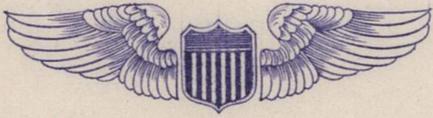
With best fraternal regards, I am

Sincerely

W. R. Tate  
Treasurer



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ARMY AIR FORCES

June 12, 1945

Dear Dr. Allen,

It is with a somewhat inferior feeling that I write you, after reading "Rebounds" and the notes from former athletes who have done such a wonderful job overseas.

Such feelings stem from the fact that I can neither lay claim to having been an athlete for Kansas nor to have made any any outstanding contribution to the war effort.

However I find compensation in the thoughts I am as enthusiastic a follower of Kansas athletics as many another person who may fall in the first two categories.

The stirring Big Six race this past winter thrilled me, and though I was disappointed when Kansas was knocked ~~of~~ out of a title claim by Iowa State, I realized that once again the Allen skill and science had produced a much higher standing for K. U. than the material justified.

And while others may talk of postwar houses, automobiles, gadgets - I like to think about Allen's post-war model of a fighting Jayhawker basketball team.

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I got a big kick out of reading again about Bill Johnson's flight. I know that I would have a great career ahead as a sports writer if only I could match your wonderful story-telling ability.

While the main purpose of this letter is to notify you of a change of address - I'd like to add a few lines I think you might find of interest.

The first item goes back several months. To the day when the Jayhawkers licked the Cornhuskers for the first time during my life span.

The night that game was played, the Second Air Force Superbombers were playing the team from North Texas Agricultural College. The game was played on the Odessa, Tex., high school field.

Since it was not far from Pecos, Tex., where I was stationed at that time, I made the trek to Odessa. I felt, as I had felt before, that it was the day for the Nebraska jinx to be smashed in a million little pieces. So as soon as I arrived in Odessa, I called the newspaper for the Kansas - Nebraska score. It was a wonderful feeling to hear the answer Kansas 19, Nebraska 0.

I then proceeded to the stadium, just in time for the kickoff. We were on the "Superbomber" side, and I thought the Kansas' pride and joy, Ray Evans, likely would feel much the same way I did, so I contacted him and told him the result, which he had not heard

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previously.

When Evans is in there, I know he needs no stimulus to give a superlative performance. But, man, oh man, did ~~he~~ ever hustle while he was in that game. He alternated with the highly publicized Glenn Dobbs. While Dobbs is great, and was given the headlines for this game (because he started and Evans substituted) - Evans was every bit as great and, I think, greater than Dobbs that night. I still think the Superbomber coach could have escaped the few defeats his team encountered by using Dobbs and Evans in the same backfield, rather than by alternating the two.

In March I took the big step - marriage - marrying another Jayhawker - a Topeka girl - a cousin of Don Pollom - Lois Pollom of the class of '42. I don't know whether you knew her or not, but she worked in the office of Prof. W. W. Davis. (I believe those are the initials - at any rate it was the faculty athletic representative.) After graduation she worked for the Power and Light Co. in Lawrence, later taking a job in Topeka. Her younger brother, incidentally, without my approval, went to Kansas State the first semester this past year and <sup>as a freshman</sup> was starting center on Haylett's football eleven. He now is in the army and I have hopes he will attend the University after the war. He has told me he does not intend to return to K-State.

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Another point of interest, to me, at least, is the fact that Fritz Knorr was my high school football coach. In high school Knorr did not coach basketball and professed to know very little about the game, if I remember correctly. Football and wrestling were his specialties when he was in college.

I always thought Fritz was a pretty fair football coach but I was bowled over when I read he had been appointed head K-State basketball coach.

This letter, Dr. Allen, is being written from the station hospital here. I was unfortunate to dislocate my left shoulder again. It is an old injury going back to my junior year in high school when I was playing a little football under Fritz Knorr and got that shoulder "knocked down." It has been dislocated a dozen times since then and this time they are keeping me in the hospital for three weeks - so it was a bright spot to receive my copy of "Rebounds," forwarded on from Peese.

Going back to my marriage, my wife and I had a very happy two months there before the field was closed and I was shipped here. Having heard of the housing shortage here, my wife returned to Topeka.

Now they have announced they are going to close this field, so I can expect to ship

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from here shortly after I get out of the hospital.

However if another copy of "Rebounds" is published before I notify you differently, would you ship it to, or rather mail it to

S/Sgt. ELON M. TORRENCE  
Squadron B-1, KAAF  
3018th AAFBU  
KINGMAN, ARIZONA

Sincerely

Elon Torrence.

P. S. When I was in Garden City last the editor of the Daily Telegram, where I wrote sports, before I was inducted, told me that Bob Blickenstaff was scheduled to go to K.V. if he didn't get called by the army. I never got to see Blickenstaff in action but I guess he is quite an all-around athlete. However I understand his particular forte is basketball. I notice, however, he won the state class A pole vault at 11 feet 10 inches - not bad for high school. At any rate I hope that through the efforts of Les McCoy and Stewart Newlin, the editor of the Telegram, a former K.V. man and brother of Nancy Newlin, he does show up, for his record indicates he should make a good player under your tutelage. At any rate the best of luck to you.

April 27, 1945.

Lt. Col. Fred C. Thomsen, A.C.,  
Athletic Branch, Special Services Division,  
25 West 43rd Street,  
New York 18, N.Y.

Dear Tommy:

I am rather belatedly answering your communication of March 30. I am enclosing a list of our graduates who are all in the Army, together with their addresses.

I think it would be a tremendously helpful thing if you could get these men back in the field of work for which they are best adapted. We are swamped with inquiries from schools who desire these men to carry on in positions which are utterly depleted of efficient personnel.

With kindest regards, I am

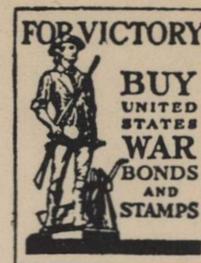
Very sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.



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HEADQUARTERS ARMY SERVICE FORCES

SPECIAL SERVICES DIVISION

25 West 43rd Street

New York 18, N.Y.

In reply  
refer to

SPSPB 418  
(30 Mar 45)

30 March 1945.

Dr. Forrest Allen  
Basketball Coach  
University of Kansas  
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Doctor:

We are anxious to locate any former athletes, coaches (college or high school), graduates of physical education, or outstanding men in the field of sports now in the Army. Names of soldiers who have returned from overseas service and are now on duty in this country or who are still here without overseas service should comprise the listings.

I believe that if the present plans carry, we can get these men back into the field of work for which they are best adapted and in which they are probably most interested.

You no doubt have a list of boys from your school in the office. I would appreciate very much if you would send it to the Athletic Branch, Special Services Division, 25 West 43rd Street, New York, New York and include the name, rank, organization and present location of the individuals.

We would be grateful if we could get the list as soon as possible. Please do not give any publicity to this matter.

With best regards and thanking you for your assistance.

Sincerely yours

FRED C. THOMSEN  
Lt. Colonel, AC  
Athletic Branch  
Special Services Division.

Capt. Harry Gordon Gray, A.C.,  
Physical Training Officer,  
Waco Army Air Field,  
Waco, Texas.

1st Lt. George Stapleton,  
Base Physical Training Officer,  
Walla Walla Army Air Field,  
Walla Walla, Washington.

S/Sgt. Ralph N. Dugan, 374493675,  
Flight 2, Sec. B,  
3021st A.A.F.B.U. (FGS) L.V.A.A.F.,  
Las Vegas, Nevada.

Maj. Frank J. Anneberg,  
Post Special Service Office,  
Camp Butner, N. C.

Lt. John Cress,  
58th AAFFTD,  
Orangeburg, S. C.

Capt. Chester K. Friedland,  
Base Physical Fitness Officer,  
Will Rogers Field, Okla.

F. E. Kappelman, Capt. AC,  
Rm. A-333,  
175 W. Jackson,  
Chicago, Ill.

Lt. Ralph H. Miller,  
327th AAFBU Sq. A,  
Base Physical Training Officer,  
Drew Field, Fla.

Lt. David Shirk,  
39 Court Ave.,  
Benning Park,  
Columbus, Ga.

Pvt. M. J. Vandaveer, 37758449,  
Co. D, 157 MTE,  
Ft. Lewis, Wash.

Doctor and Mrs. Frank Austin Trump

on Monday, the fourth of June

from ~~nine~~ <sup>eight</sup> until eleven o'clock

Ten hundred and four South Cedar

Ottawa, Kansas

June 5, 1945.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Austin Trump,  
1004 South Cedar,  
Ottawa, Kansas.

Dear Doctor and Mrs. Trump:

I regret exceedingly that Mrs. Allen and I were not able to attend your lovely reception last evening. The invitation did not arrive at the University until about noon Monday. Our Rotary Club meets at the Eldridge Hotel on Monday noon, and I did not get to see Mrs. Allen until late in the afternoon. However, both she and I had previous engagements.

I was on the faculty committee for Sachem which met with the student Sachem members to pick the Sachem members for this year. We met at 7:30 last evening. Mrs. Allen had an appointment with our young grandchild which she has had the past five months. Jane and her husband, Lt. Elwood Mons, Navy flier, are out on the west coast. Jane's husband had been ordered west and Jane went out to spend the last two weeks of his leave on the coast, and Mrs. Allen has been nurturing the youngster. And what a busy time that grandmother is having! We say Jane will not know her own child when she sees her again.

Lt. (jg) Milton Allen is stationed at Cambridge. He flew home last week and since he has a new assignment there for four months, Isabelle and their youngster, Judy, moved into our house yesterday. They are renting their place, as Isabelle is going east to be with Milton in another week or so. I go into this detail in our regret to assure you that if we had been half free, Mrs. Allen and I would have been delighted to have accepted your very kind invitation.

We send Bob our Jayhawk Rebounds which we get out monthly. Just so that you may get a sample of the eye fatigue we subject our service boys to, we are enclosing a copy along with this letter. A couple of months ago I heard from your Bob. He was then at 112 Pinckney St. Apt. 3, Boston, Mass. Milton is located at War Adjustment Class, Administration Building, Soldiers Field, Harvard University. I am dropping Mit a note giving him Bob's address and also informing Bob as to Milton's whereabouts, but I imagine both are quite busy. But they might have a chance to say hello.

With kindest regards and continued best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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P. S. - Tuesday noon.

After I had dictated the letter, Mrs. Allen called me from home saying that she had received the announcement of Bob's marriage to Miss Utterback of Newton. Please convey to Bob our very best wishes for a long, happy and prosperous wedded life.

Mrs. Allen and I were perplexed regarding the reception until the invitation clarified the situation.

F.C.A.

June 4, 1945.

Mr. J. E. Turner, Manager,  
Kansas City Sport Goods Co.,  
P. O. Box 35,  
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Cap:

Thanks for your letter of the 1st instant saying  
we have a credit of \$15.00. I think that is very fair indeed.

Suppose you keep that credit on the book for a while  
and I will drop in and tell you what disposition we will make  
of it.

Sincerely yours,

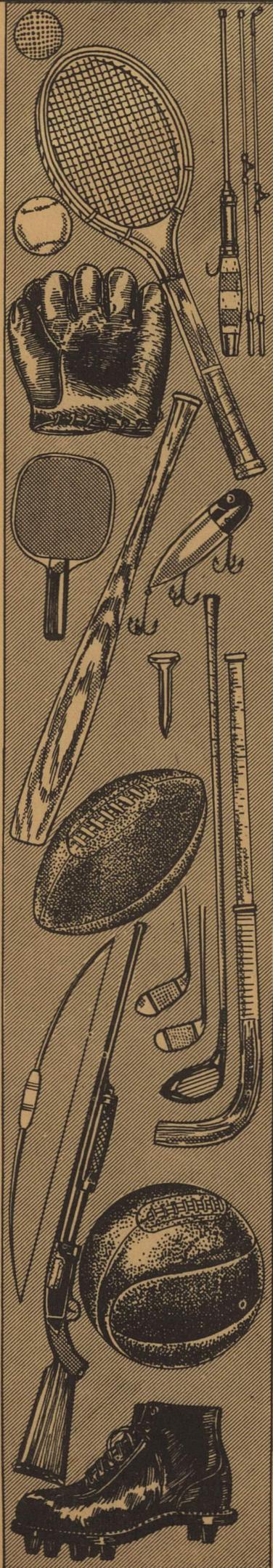
Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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# KANSAS CITY SPORT GOODS CO.

P. O. BOX 35 . . . . . KANSAS CITY, MO.



6-1-45

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

Dear Phog:

The used balls which you shipped came in and boys advise me that we can allow \$15.00 credit on these.

If this is satisfactory we will either mail you a check or give you credit against anything you may want to have shipped, if you prefer.

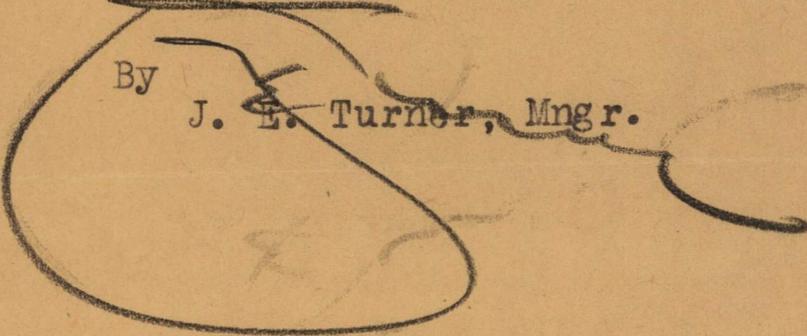
We appreciate your shipment.

Sincerely

KANSAS CITY SPORT GOODS CO.

By

J. E. Turner, Mngr.



JET:ms

May 25, 1945.

Mr. J. E. Turner, Manager,  
Kansas City Sport Goods Co.,  
1309 Walnut Street,  
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Cap:

We have collected the following old equipment, and  
are shipping it to you today by express:

9 Basketballs  
5 Volleyballs  
5 Soccer balls

After you look at these old balls I'll be glad to know  
if you can get something out of them.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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