

October 8, 1937.

Mr. Harold G. Townsend,  
33 North LaSalle St.,  
Chicago, Illinois.

My dear Brother Townsend:

Your inquiry of September 27 concerning Mr. Harold Evans, Jr., of 9 West 57th Street, Kansas City, is before me. I trust that you will pardon the slight delay that the inquiry has occasioned. I am sending you the information that I received from Registrar George O. Foster, of the University of Kansas.

I have known young Evans' father, Harold Evans, of Kansas City, for a great many years. I knew him as an undergraduate and a pledge of Phi Kappa Psi, and I have followed him through the years of his University course and after his graduation. He was always one of the substantial Phi Psi's, enthusiastic, loyal, and dependable. Harold Evans, Sr., always was one of the old boys who came back at the call when the chapter needed him. And he still does the same.

If young Harold Evans is the type of man that his father is, and the feeling among the boys of the chapter on Mount Oread is that Harold is that type of fellow, then I think you need have no worry about the loan.

I was down at the house for luncheon the other day with Brother Ralph Spotts and his wife, who now live near Los Angeles. I had an opportunity to speak to young Harold Evans, and my impression is that he is a fine young man. He seems to merit this from all of his fellow Phi Psi's.

Perhaps it might be well to state that in this part of the country when a student is not especially strong in his academic work the University of Kansas will not accept him from a high school out of the state if his grades do not average a "C" rating, on the basis of A, B, C, D, without the recommendation of the high school.