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Mr. Ed Abels, Editor,
Douglas County Republican,
1005 Mass. St.,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Ed:

For over a year I have been writing a Jayhawk Rebounds each month to our boys in the service, and I thought you might like to see the one we are just now mailing out.

I got this conception from my experiences after the first World War. I came to the campus on September 15, 1919, and saw dear old Uncle Jimmy Green, who said, "Well, Phog, I am glad to see you. I am glad to see you here at the University. I promised my boys when they went overseas that I would wait for them, and I am waiting until they return, and when they get back my job is happily finished."

When the boys went away this time I was too old to enter service, but I thought I could render those boys a genuine service by keeping them informed as to the whereabouts of their buddies. Each month I have tried to appraise them of the activities and whereabouts of their Jayhawker friends.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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