

October 13, 1943.

Mr. George P. Williams,
2018-22 Packard Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear George:

Yes, I agree with you that the use of Phog and George is much better than any other names, because after all, those are our names, aren't they?

I am glad that you enjoyed the Jayhawk Rebounds, and we will keep you on our mailing list, you can be assured. As you say, there are many of the boys that you will not know, but Tuck can tell you a lot about them. She knows most of the boys by name, at least. Many of the boys are now in the New Georgia Islands and many have been at Guadalcanal fighting with the Marines. We have a number of our athletes who are officers in the Marines, but of course the Rebounders cannot reveal their location.

We want you to know that it was one of our durable pleasures to have you and Mrs. Williams in our home in the capacity that you came. Certainly no two people could be any more kind to a daughter-in-law than you have been. It is an infinite pleasure to know that you love Tuck so much. And I want to assure you that Gil has been taken into our hearts as definitely as Tuck has been into yours. So I am sure that with this splendid affection of both families for the youngsters that they will have a very happy and lovely wedded life.

Eleanor has been writing her mother regularly, and Eleanor's joy has been shared by us through her letters.

I sent Barby a Jayhawk Rebounds. While she won't know many of the individuals, she may get something out of it. When Mrs. Williams and Barby left for Kansas City we had a nice visit at the train. I told Barby about the Rebounds and she asked that we send her one, which we are doing. I am glad that she is so happy in her location at Bryn Mawr, and I know that she cannot help but do excellent work because it is in the blood.

Please do not feel that it is necessary to correspond with me although I do enjoy your letters very much. I certainly had genuine