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Dr. F. C. Allen, Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear "Phog":

I have your letter concerning Mrs. Josephine Sams and also your later letter referring to Ernest Davis.

I know Mrs. Sams and feel that she would make a competent teacher for our school system. The position for which she is an applicant has not been filled and she is being given consideration for the place. I have not met Ernest Davis but his recommendations are all of high quality. I was glad to get your letters concerning these two applicants, Phog, because you have first hand knowledge of their work. Davis is following a good man in our system but I believe that he will make a fine record here.

Bob has spent the summer out in Bryce Canyon in Utah where he has been working for the Union Pacific in one of their resorts. He has enjoyed his work immensely and will be coming home in a couple of weeks in top condition for the school year. Since he is business manager of the Jayhawker this year, I do not know how much time he will have for basketball. He has enjoyed and profited by the work he had with you during his first two years.

With kindest personal regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

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