

4 Bedlow Ave.
Newport, R.I.

Dear Dr. —

When my mother called me from outside and informed me that a package had been delivered to me from you I was certainly pleased. Your wife had informed me in a back letter that you were to publish a new book, I was anticipating owning one. Then again I was wondering "if it could be done in three times" It was great. Told my neighbor (who had just dropped in about it.) that it was better than if the president had given it to me. It was the best present present received and will always

treasure and refer to it in all my
obstacles of life. Your thought in
giving me your book with your
personal signature, made me feel
happy. Read most of it, and be-
grat that I have but one life to
live.

In reading Tale of yesterday's
particularly to the game that Built
a stadium it recalled to me the
days of the year of '23 when "Dale"
Lash (then capt. of basketball at Springfield)
and myself as we donned the
"old togs" and supervised and
finished off the tops of those
walks in front of Springfield Gym.
and from Pratt Field south
pass Dr. Duggett's previous resi-
dence, to side & front of the
Clinic in which you held your
"Athletic Injuries" classes. This is
about the only way in which I left
my appreciation to Springfield
that I fall now passed and
a great soul served us coffee
& sandwiches. Perhaps we should
have turned out more work
provided the woman had served
us? By coincidence it came to my
mind that this also was the
year of your Ever Victorious Champe.

In reading about the Phantom
in Cleated Shoes, read on to the
name of Surmon and then noticed
Spring, Mass. so did not wonder
in my mind if it could be the
same Surmon. Did not know him

personally although affiliated
with him I have Bascomb's notes
a book published by Prof. Barry that
I purchased while at Springfield. It
pictures Swenson illustrating
how to slide to home base. In
trying to live up to traditions at
that time it impressed upon my
mind his manner & action, his
determined facial appearance
as it happened to happen this
time, determined fighting spirit.
It reminded me of the saying
"The mongrel's grip will slip, but only
iron bars will break the bull dog's
grip." Now I read that he was
a hero for you as the Phantom
in Cleated Shoes. Built a stadium
In the game that built a stadium
recall that you were hopelessly
licked by being outweighed and
came through 20-20 a moral victory.

This recalled a game of basketball
 our Y.M.C.A. team played at
 our home court. The same place
 you ran "slip shod" over me,
 remember? I am enclosing an
 account of it just to coincide with
 Moral Victory. This is the only one
 I remember in my antics. The
 only importance of this victory over
 odds seems to be, "What we might
 have been". This team as you will
 notice were to participate in the
 National Amateur Tournament at
 Chicago around '17 a defeat was
 not welcomed at our hands.
 They had defeated us on their
 home floor, that was so slippery
 you could barely keep your feet.
 We had our rosin along at that.
 At the time while we were play-
 ing them we had no idea they
 were to compete for this U.S.
 Tournaments. Perhaps he had
 known we might have been
 frightened out of even a
 Moral Victory. The account will
 verify my statements, as to this
 team with every intention of
 seeking to compete.
 I liked to play basketball so
 much that the thought always
 of having to stop playing it
 ever would break my heart. It took

me the longest time to make me
believe my playing days were done.
This thought of ever having to
quit athletics "forged me out"
even though at the time I was
learning a trade. Your poem
which seems to be your favorite
"The Way of the Game" I disliked
only as it kept bringing before
me those days when you have to
quit. As far as I can see, the
only thing I did was to "blank
astrand from making a tourna-
ment and a miss from going
to England which would have
given to me a sweater bearing
the words "All American", amateur
baseball player. If I can not be
the part at least a good fol-
lowers.

My father feeling better at
Christmas made it happy for
us all. Everyone "was at home"
which made a "bang up good time".
Best regards to all.
Ed. White.

Fit's the Times.
A man's job faces every man in
the country, those who feel them-
selves indifferent, and safe are not
safe to-morrow.
P.S. Would like kindly to save the clipping
of in your next letter.

CALLED IN MIDST OF ROW.

Around 1917

Moral Victory for Y. M. C. A. in Contest With Bridgewater.

Association Juniors Win from Cloyne—
Basket Ball at St. George's
Gymnasium.

20 min. halts.

Bridgewater's basket ball record, which embraces continuous victories for a period of three years, was barely saved Saturday evening at the Young Men's Christian Association gymnasium, when Referee Charles Johnson called the contest late in the second half, because of fist fights which culminated in a riot scene, in which many blows were struck and players of both teams and members of rival sections clashed. The score was 26-24 in the Association's favor, but as the contest was called before the end of the half it is officially "no game," although a moral victory for the Newport players, who were in front every minute of play.

As this was the most important game of the season for both teams, a record-breaking crowd was in attendance, Bridgewater fans to the number of 100 coming in a special train. Physical Director Slocum of the Association received a letter from Manager Pratt of Bridgewater, stating that the latter could not be responsible for the conduct of all the fans, and that if several became intoxicated it would not be his fault. About a dozen of the visiting fans, coming from "dry" territory, precipitated the riot.

Another thing which had a bearing on the final disturbance was the fact that Bridgewater could not take approaching defeat like sportsmen. The Massachusetts team has won 14 straight games this season, and 56 straight in all without losing a contest. They intend going to Chicago in the spring to play for the amateur championship of the United States, and a defeat at the hands of the Association was not welcome. As the game went along the Bridgewater players began many fights, and in each instance the Association men defended themselves.

It was a fight of this occasion which began the riot without an instant's notice. Pratt, the right forward of the Bridgewater team, tripped in a scrimmage, the first thing that struck the floor was his head, and he was unconscious for 15 minutes and groggy for hours afterwards. Immediately after this Waite, the big Bridgewater centre, backed White

against the wall and began choking him. Newport players rushed to White's rescue, and the rival cheering sections, which were seated on opposite ends of the hall, poured on the floor. For some time blows were exchanged thick and fast.

Realizing the seriousness of the affair, the anger of the mob cooled almost immediately, and the Association officials quelled the trouble. An attempt was made to clear the floor, but this could not be done rapidly enough, and when it was seen that Pratt was seriously hurt, the game was called.

For once Bridgewater had the opportunity to see how it felt to be continually on the short end of the score. The Association men played like whirlwinds in the first half, despite the frequent occasions when the Marquis of Queensbury rules superseded those of basket ball. Tollefson shot the first point on a foul, and shortly afterwards a field goal gave Newport a 3-0 lead which was never lost. At one time in the first half the Association was ahead 16-10, but pretty shots by Pratt and Sample cut down the lead to 17-16 for the first half.

Again the Association scored first, in the second half, which was started amid much excitement. Bridgewater scored, and the count proceeded closely until late in the period. Newport was in front, 26-22, when Sample scored on a sensational try, and while Dunn was scoring for the Association the riot started, the score being 26-24.

"Ed" White of the Newport team was the big star, with eight field goals to his credit. Pratt and Sample, the crack Bridgewater forwards, were the high scorers for their teams. The line-up and summary of the game, as played but not completed follow:

| Newport Y. M. C. A. | | | |
|---------------------|--------------|-------------|---------|
| | Field Goals. | Foul Goals. | Points. |
| Dunn, r. f. | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Wyllie, l. f. | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| White, c. | 8 | 0 | 16 |
| Tollefson, r. g. | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| Olivea, l. g. | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| | — | — | — |
| | 11 | 4 | 26 |
| Bridgewater. | | | |
| Pratt, r. f. | 5 | 4 | 14 |
| Sample, l. f. | 4 | 0 | 8 |
| Waite, c. | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Olivea, r. g. | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hunt, r. g. | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Costa, l. g. | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | — | — | — |
| | 10 | 4 | 24 |

Referee—Johnson. Scorer—Sullivan.
 Timer—Langley. Time—20-minute halves, with second half uncompleted.



Highlights and Shadows

GREETINGS

The same old wish
But never more sincerely said
A Merry Christmas!
A Glad New Year ahead!

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July 5, 1938.

Mr. Ed White,
74 Bedloe Street,
Newport, R. I.

My dear Ed:

Your post card arrived only this morning, telling of the passing of your dear father. Words are always inadequate to express the feelings we have when loved ones are taken from our friends. We can only say that we, too, understand, and we do, but words are not sufficient for me to tell you how much the Allens think of the Whites and how often we talk of those lovely days we spent in Newport together.

Your father was a very kind man and a generous one. And your dear mother was all that any man should wish for when it came to summing up an all-sufficient mother. Mrs. Allen marveled at the fortitude, the poise and the mastery with which she went about her daily life, both in the home and in the social graces.

We often spin the yarns of the good times we had with you people - St. George's Cathedral, Bailey's Beach, your cabin on the shore, the beautiful flower gardens of the ultra-rich that Mrs. Allen was so desirous of seeing, Jackie Astor's red slippers, and how Mrs. Allen brought them home. For years she wore them, having a lot of fun when she would traipse around the house, saying, "I'm in Jackie Astor's shoes". If she had only known how little I cared to be in such shoes she would never had the kick out of it, because I have never envied that type of the indolent brain and indolent wealth.

Your card only arrived this morning, so it must have been delayed. We surely would have loved to have sent flowers, which is the least thing that we might have done, but somehow your card came late.

Jane just returned from Stanford University two weeks ago where she graduated this summer. She is now in Oklahoma City for a short visit, and then Mrs. Allen, Eleanor and Jane hope to drive East. Bobby is in summer school, taking pre-medic work. He is making fine grades and seems to be pleased with the progress that he is making. Eleanor is home for the summer. She will be a senior in high

school this year. Mrs. Allen does not seem to enjoy the heat any more than she did formerly. It is pretty tough on her.

Milton is married and lives at Russell, Kansas. He is with the Standard Oil Company. They have one baby girl, 5 months old. And Mary is in Louisville, Kentucky. They have three children. And I am still plugging away, having a lot of fun, enjoying life as much as usual. I am making preparation this summer for an enlarged program in physical education here this next fall.

Will you kindly convey our sincerest and heartfelt sympathies to a lovely family bereaved at this moment?

With a deep understanding and a knowledge that your faith is sufficient unto the day, I am

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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February 15, 1938.

Waterbury Chemical Company, Inc.,
404 S. Fourth Street,
St. Louis, Missouri.

Gentlemen:

Your trial supply of Waterbury's Compound which you sent me caused me to recommend the Compound to many people. Some of our varsity basketball players had a touch of the flu and were slow in recovering, so we bought four of the large size bottles at Rankin's Drug Store here in Lawrence. This has been a very definite help in causing the boys to snap out of their lethargy.

I have also had occasion to recommend it to several of the laity for their children, and I have consistently done so. I find they are having good results.

I am a strong believer in your Compound for building up these chaps who have a touch of the flu. I would like for you to send me some additional samples at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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WATERBURY CHEMICAL COMPANY

INCORPORATED

Pharmaceutical Chemists

127 West 18th Street

New York City

February 28, 1938

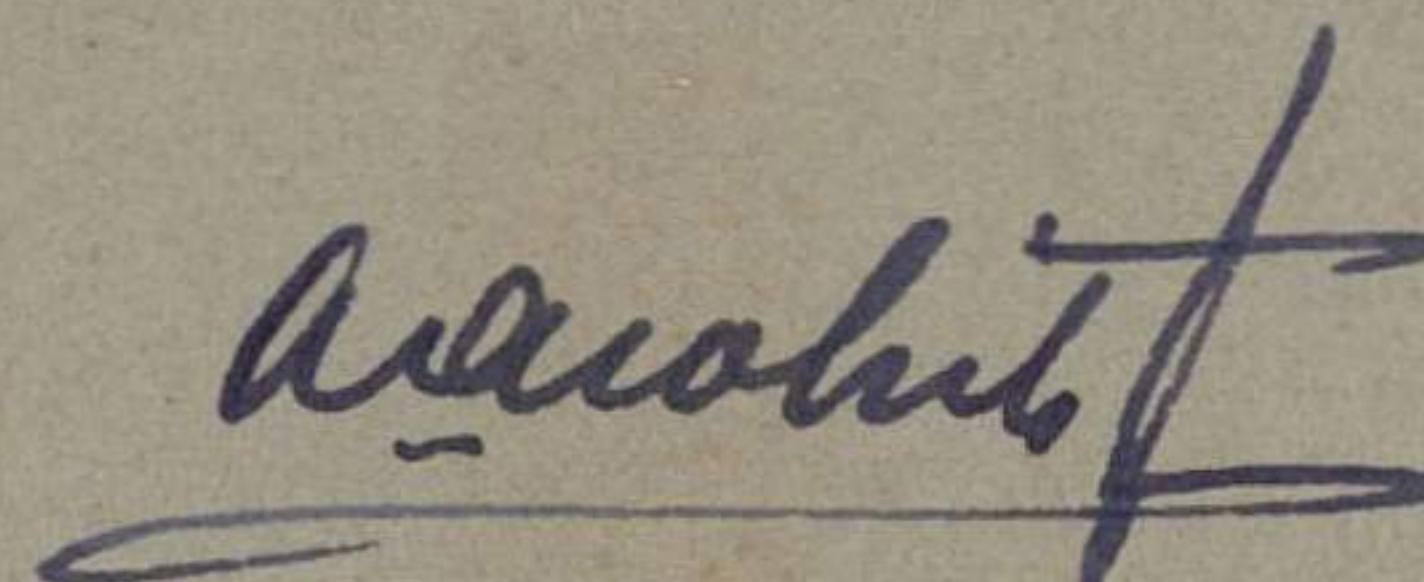
Mr. Forrest C. Allen
Director of Physical Education
University of Kansas
Lawrence Kansas

Dear Mr. Allen:

Thank you for your recent letter telling us of the good results you have obtained from the use of Waterbury's Compound, and of your frequent recommendation of our preparation.

Confident that it will be used to good advantage, we are sending you a complimentary supply of a dozen bottles. Since you did not specify "Creosote and Guaiacol", we are assuming that it is Waterbury's Compound, Plain that you wish.

Faithfully yours,



A. A. White, Jr., M.D.
Director Professional
Service Department

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May 15, 1938.

Waterbury Chemical Company,
127 West 18th Street,
New York City, N.Y.

Dear Sirs:

Mr. Glenn Oatman, a graduate of the University of Kansas, and the Missouri State Amateur Golf Champion of 1937, is our varsity golf coach here at the University this year. He was captain of our varsity golf team last year. Oatman weighs but 118 pounds and he is hoping to get into the National championship play this year.

While playing golf with him the other day I suggested that if he would take Waterbury's Compound that I am sure he would build up his physique decidedly. I informed him of what I had done with my varsity basketball players by giving them Waterbury's Compound with creosote last winter during the flu epidemic. We came through to win the Big Six championship, and I felt by building up their qualities of resistance with Waterbury's Compound that we did a big thing in keeping them in the game.

If you care to send me some samples as you have done heretofore, I will be very happy to see that Oatman is supplied with the necessary amount and will advise him as to the method to employ to build himself to a good physical condition for the coming golf season.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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March 15, 1938. C
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Professor Robert J. Francis,
The University of Wisconsin,
Madison, Wisconsin

Dear Professor Francis:

The University of Kansas four years ago, 1934, made Physical Education optional with the students. Prior to that time 120 hour was required for graduation. The faculty raised the requirement to 124 hours for graduation, four hours of which may be in Physical Education courses. One hour credit is given for each semester's work.

You can see by this scheme that it is now possible for a student to go through the University without taking any Physical Education. I consider this a very backward step, but some things are done in the University in which the minority do not agree, but according to democratic principles the majority rules.

Since Physical Education has not been required we have had no registration for handicapped students. So long as there was a requirement for Physical Education these handicapped students were required to take some form of Physical Education, and by their reporting for credit they were the benefactors of a scheme about which they were very enthusiastic. All students in the required course in Physical Education came under the observation of our department. The handicapped students took this work joyfully because it was a positive constructive force in their lives. They got the element of play from it, yet there was a therapeutic value that they recognized. They received much benefit from the corrective work and much encouragement from the teachers in Physical Education who worked with them. Since the required work was done away with this very important feature is missing.

This type of work has become practically extinct in the past four years. I deeply regret that this work has been discontinued, and I further regret that it will not be possible for you to see the constructive work which we once did here with a great deal of satisfaction.

I debated quite some time as to whether I should fill out the questionnaire bearing on the work we did prior to the abolition of the required work in Physical Education, but since

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I enclose a copy of the report of the committee on the subject of the proposed changes in the curriculum of the college.

we are not doing it at the present time I feel that the work based on previous experience would not be helpful to you.

Thanking you, I am

Very sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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THE UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN
MADISON

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Feb. 19, 1938

Professor F. C. Allen
Director of Physical Education
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Professor Allen;

We are anxious to increase the proficiency of our program for handicapped students at the University of Wisconsin. Your program has been recommended by several leaders in the field for the splendid contribution to college students. We will be happy to receive any information you feel free to send to us that would lift the efficiency of our program. At your convenience we would appreciate you checking the enclosed sheet and placing it in the addressed stamped envelope.

At your leisure I would be glad if you would send me word when your program is at its height. I would like the opportunity to visit your institution and learn from actual observation the many interesting phases of your program.

Thank you for your interest and
best personal regards.

Very truly yours,

Robert J. Francis
Robert J. Francis

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IX. WHEN ACTIVITY IS GIVEN, EMPHASIS IS PUT UPON:

- a. correcting the defect.
- b. compensation of defect with social games.
- c. providing immediate recreation for the student.
- d. some other emphasis (describe) _____

X. BASIS FOR GRADING THE HANDICAPPED STUDENT (check those used)

- a. attendance
- b. improved skill (in activities)
- c. improvement of defect
- d. increased muscular strength
- e. knowledge of defect
- f. social improvement
- g. achieving standards of skill
- h. attitude toward work

XI. SPECIAL ACTIVITIES REQUIRED OF THE HANDICAPPED STUDENT

- a. must read specific articles explaining his handicap
- b. must attend lectures which relate to his handicap
- c. must make regular visitations to:
 - 1. student health service
 - 2. private physician
 - 3. physical therapist
 - 4. masseur
 - 5. orthopedist
 - 6. osteopathist
- d. must do special work in health education (name type) _____

XII. CREDIT GIVEN THE HANDICAPPED STUDENT FOR WORK IN PHYSICAL EDUCATION

- a. hours given each semester (18 wks.) $\frac{1}{2}$ 1 2 3 4 5
- b. hours given each quarter (12 wks.) $\frac{1}{2}$ 1 2 3 4 5
- c. no credit given
- d. credit given counts toward graduation

XIII. TYPES OF HANDICAPS DEALT WITH IN THE PROGRAM (order of frequency):
such as kyphosis, post-operatives, posture, flat feet, poliomyelitis, heart lesions, anemias, visual defectives, low sport skill, etc.

- a. _____ b. _____ c. _____ d. _____
- e. _____ f. _____ g. _____ h. _____
- i. _____ j. _____ k. _____ l. _____

XIV. SPECIAL FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT (check those you have available):

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|---|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> balance beams | <input type="checkbox"/> resting cots | <input type="checkbox"/> archery equipment |
| <input type="checkbox"/> stall bars | <input type="checkbox"/> rest room | <input type="checkbox"/> anatomical charts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> chest weights | <input type="checkbox"/> open wall space | <input type="checkbox"/> shuffleboard equipment |
| <input type="checkbox"/> dumb bells | <input type="checkbox"/> mats | <input type="checkbox"/> volleyball equipment |
| <input type="checkbox"/> indian clubs | <input type="checkbox"/> outdoor play area | <input type="checkbox"/> horseshoe facilities |
| <input type="checkbox"/> traveling rings | <input type="checkbox"/> special gymnasium | <input type="checkbox"/> fly & bait casting equipment |
| <input type="checkbox"/> wands | <input type="checkbox"/> sun room | <input type="checkbox"/> badminton facilities |
| <input type="checkbox"/> gymnasium plinth | <input type="checkbox"/> swimming pool | <input type="checkbox"/> rowing machine |
| <input type="checkbox"/> medicine ball | <input type="checkbox"/> gymnasium stools | <input type="checkbox"/> full length mirrors |
| <input type="checkbox"/> jumping ropes | <input type="checkbox"/> scales | <input type="checkbox"/> horizontal bar |
| <input type="checkbox"/> balance boards | <input type="checkbox"/> bulletin board | <input type="checkbox"/> horizontal ladder |
| <input type="checkbox"/> spirometer | <input type="checkbox"/> nautical wheel | <input type="checkbox"/> facilities for records |
| <input type="checkbox"/> handball courts | <input type="checkbox"/> lawn bowls | <input type="checkbox"/> projection equipment (slides) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> blackboard | <input type="checkbox"/> deck tennis | <input type="checkbox"/> dynamometers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> punching bag | <input type="checkbox"/> giant volleyball | <input type="checkbox"/> spirometers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> billiards | <input type="checkbox"/> bicycling | <input type="checkbox"/> golf driving nets |

XV. IT WILL BE APPRECIATED IF, ON THE BACK OF THESE TWO PAGES, YOU WILL

- a. kindly describe any special features of your program which makes it unique to other programs (such features as photographs, specially devised apparatus, system of records, methods of motivation, relationship to the medical profession, use of the individual conference, and the like).

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August 30, 1938.

Mr. Al Wellhausen,
426 West 11th St.,
Oklahoma City, Okla.

Dear Al:

I received a letter today from Mr. Maurice L. Breidenthal, of the Security National Bank, Kansas City, Kansas, saying that your mother had returned to him a new note to cover the interest and principal of the two old notes.

Mr. Breidenthal states that he understands you are going to try to make payments on the principal of this loan. I want to congratulate you on your fine stand to take care of this obligation that your mother made for your own education. Too often I find that sons forget some of the benefits of a splendid education, and I am so happy that you are thus showing your appreciation. Mr. Breidenthal is very fine about the matter, saying that the payments may be made to suit your convenience.

Whenever you are in Lawrence I shall be very glad to see you. I shall be happy to hear from you at any time.

With best wishes, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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Al
July 29, 1938.

Mr. Al Wellhausen,
426 West 11th St.,
Oklahoma City, Okla.

Dear Al:

Your Dad came in for a visit and conversation this morning. We spent a very pleasant half hour. Last week I met your Mother on the street and we had a good visit.

Your Dad brought in a note which Mr. Maurice L. Breidenthal, the president of the Security National Bank, had sent to your Mother for a renewal of the notes that she signed for your education a few years ago. Of course, Mr. Breidenthal desired his money, but since your Mother was unable to pay anything on the notes he added the interest and principal together and made out one new note.

I think you recall the notes because you came to me to see if I could get Mr. Breidenthal to loan you some money so that you could continue in school. I am sure that you appreciate his kindness in doing this for you.

Your Dad told me of your dilemma in being asked to pay the expenses of your automobile out of your \$150 salary. If you drive the automobile it will cost you \$1.00 a day, and that will leave you about \$120 a month, out of which you will of course want to save to pay off some of your debts and accumulate a little reserve.

Now, Al, while you are in Oklahoma City be sure to call on Mr. C. O. Burnside, the manager of the Carpenter Paper Company. You remember it was Mr. Burnside who always met the trains at Oklahoma City when we came down to play Oklahoma. He may be in position to do you quite a bit of good, and he will certainly be glad to know that you are in town. He is a grand fellow.

If I were you I would write to Mr. Maurice L. Breidenthal, president of the Security National Bank, Kansas City, Kansas, telling him of your appreciation in loaning you the money and of your desire to help your Mother in reducing the amount of this loan. Of course, when a fellow pays 6% interest he can make money by cutting down the principal, because 6% counts up pretty rapidly, and you cannot get anything like that in the way of interest for your savings.

Let me hear from you, Al, and if I can help you in any way please let me know.

Say, by the way, how many hours do you lack for graduation? And just what are you planning to do for the future?

I am sure that you know that Fred Pralle goes to work for Phillips Petroleum Company at Bartlesville on August first, and Elwyn Dees reports to Oklahoma A. and M. on August first as head trainer. Dees is going to be in Oklahoma City pretty soon to assist Coach Ted Cox with the training of the high school champions for the inter-scholastic games. Doubtless you will want to see him.

With all good wishes, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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August 31, 1938. 121

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Wellhausen,
1329 Vermont Street,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Wellhausen:

I am very sorry I was not in my office when you called this morning, Mr. Wellhausen, and hope I may see you before long.

I am extremely happy, as I know both of you are, over the fine beginning which we know will result in a happy continuance here in Lawrence for both of you good people.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

July 25, 1958.

Mrs. Edw. L. Wellhausen
1529 Vermont
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Mrs. Wellhausen:

I have your recent letter and I appreciate your situation of course. It is, however, necessary for us to keep these notes in a current condition. For that reason I have made a new note dated July 2nd for \$119.55 which covers the principal on both notes, as well as the interest, to that date. I am making this new note to mature in twelve months from July 2nd.

I wish you would sign this note and have Al sign it with you and then return to us. If during the year you are able to make payments of any kind, we will credit them on the note. No doubt Al will get in a position during this period where he can make some payments himself. We know you have had a difficult time and we are glad to cooperate with you.

Very truly yours,

P r e s i d e n t .

MLB: LM
Enc.

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May 2, 1938.

Mr. Earl C. Woodward,
The Salina Journal,
Salina, Kansas.

Dear Earl:

I went out to the fair grounds and saw the building that was erected for a horse show. I spent some time driving over the end of town in which is located the old high school, and I visited the possible sites of the new high school. I was amazed to find in what close proximity the fair grounds were to the possible location of the new high school building.

It is not my desire or intention to call attention to the fact that with all of the high school buildings and ward school buildings that are being erected now most of the progressive cities will not put up the building unless there is play space of at least ten to forty acres around each building. South High of Denver has seventy odd acres, and all the newer buildings that are going up have ample provision for a very large play space in the immediate vicinity.

Before going to Salina I spent a day visiting the Wichita public schools and their physical education set up. East High and North High both have wonderful play facilities, and I believe that Salina would make a tremendous mistake if they did not include a very wise provision for play space immediately adjacent to their new high school building.

This brings me to the point under discussion. You remember that we were to get Stuart Dunbar after luncheon, but on account of the late arrival of one of our guests it was not possible to see Stuart before it was necessary for you to leave on your speaking engagement.

The more I studied this building and its possibilities the more wonderful it appears to me. If it is possible for this new high school to be located near this plot of ground I believe you will have something both inside and outside of that building that will be the pride of Salina if you can sell the idea to your progressive thinking citizens. The play fields adjacent to the building can be utilized in fair weather and in inclement weather. This great building, with a very nominal amount spent on it, considering the price of construction, would be the envy of any health and physical education set up in the state of Kansas.

If it would be possible for you to have a survey made by some very prominent experts on health and physical education I am sure that they would amaze you with the findings concerning the possibilities for a great physical education set up there.

You could doubtless follow the scheme of the Wichita play day for your high schools once a year. Then you could have a great May fete using all the grade school children in an outdoor festival that would be the pride of not only Salina but the entire country around. Then earlier in the year you could bring in all the grade school children of the county. By a bit of organization the 4-H Clubs could be brought in for their athletic contests, as well as their many other contests.

This great amphitheater, if it were floored and the proper excavation made previous to the flooring, to give more close up seating space, could doubtless be the scene of the state high school basketball tournament. Already Topeka High School is too small to hold the crowd, and with Salina and the country around being basketball conscious I am sure that you would pack them in there, and within a few years there would not be an available seat left for the tournament.

In other words, Woody, I see great possibilities in the utilization of the building for athletics, conventions, county and even state-wide meetings. It looks like you have a bonanza there. The least that could be done would be to have an intelligent survey, calling in a cross section of all your interests in the city and county. I think you have got something there.

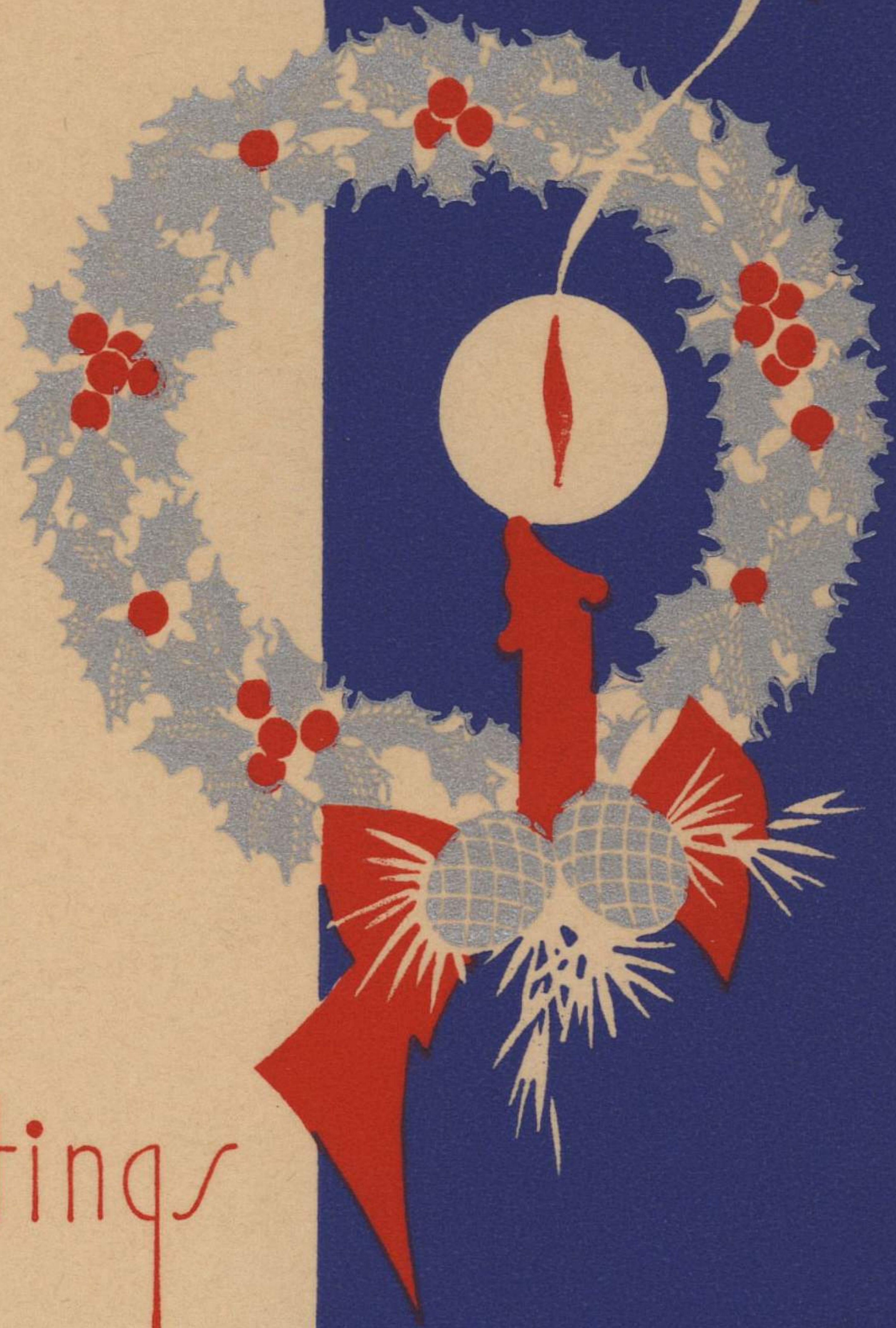
With every good wish to you, I am

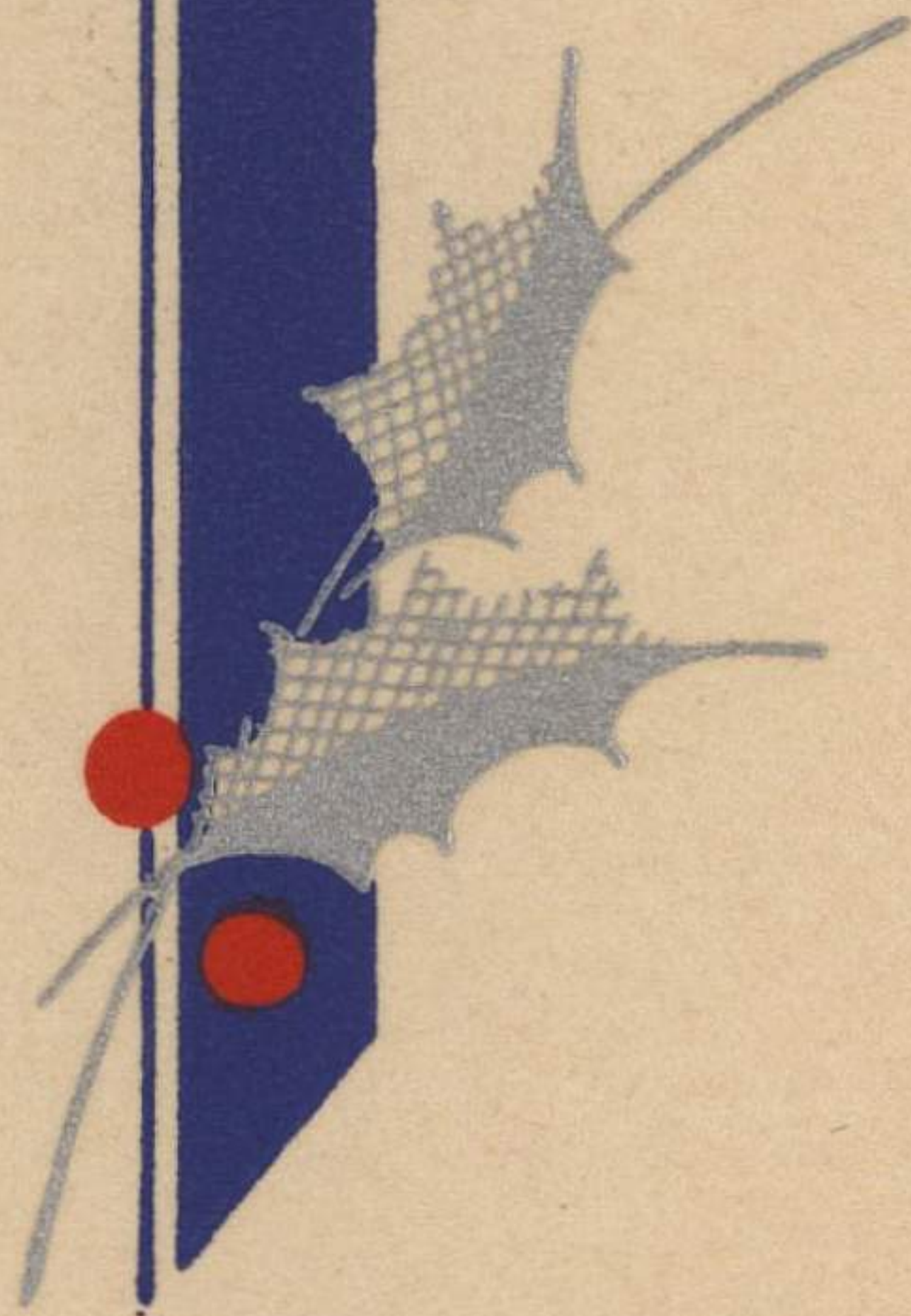
Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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Greetings





Here's wishing you Cheer
In the old-time way
and a very
Merry Christmas

Dick Wells

1830 Grant Apt 701*
Denver Colo

February 3, 1938.

Mr. Armin Woosteneyer,
Peoples State Bank,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Woeste:

Thank you very much for your kindness in securing the four Boy Scouts to run balls for the table tennis players at the basketball game last night. Will you please tell the boys we are very grateful for their assistance?

With best wishes, and thanking you, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.



UNIVERSITY of KANSAS BANDS

RUSSELL L. WILEY, Director

LAWRENCE, KANSAS

February 8, 1938

Dr. Forrest C. Allen
Director of Physical Education
University of Kansas

My dear Dr. Allen:

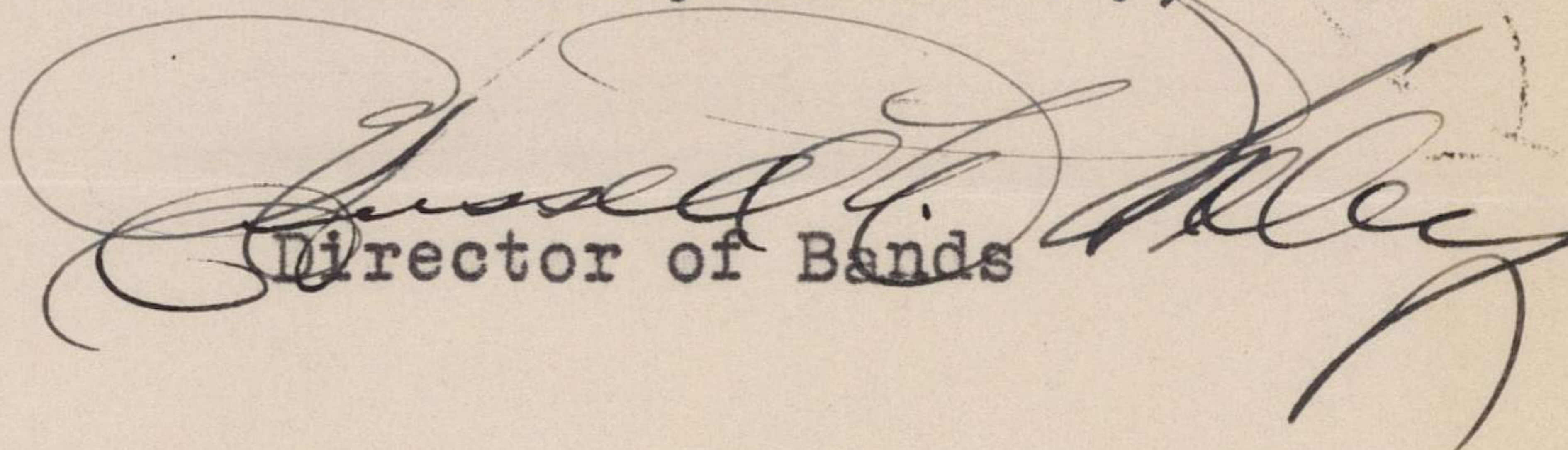
Thank you very kindly for your letter of February 7, with copies of Mr. Fuller's letter and your answer to it.

I appreciate very much indeed your sending this over, and I am glad to know that the Band is adding materially to the pageantry at the basketball games.

The Band will be in Kansas City Friday of this week, and I am writing Mr. Fuller that we will be glad to have him drop over to the lovely Wyandotte High School to hear the Band Friday morning and be our lunch guest there Friday noon.

Certainly the basketball team is going to town, as it always does; and you and the team deserve all of our congratulations for heading off Kansas State, when they were out to get us regardless of the price.

Yours very sincerely,


Director of Bands

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AND OTHERS

February 8, 1938

Mr. W. W. Fuller
Fuller Grain Company
Board of Trade Building
Kansas City, Mo.

My dear Mr. Fuller:

Dr. F. C. Allen sent a copy of your letter over to me, and I appreciate very much what you said about the Band.

We will be in Kansas City Friday of this week, playing at Wyandotte, Argentine, and Shawnee Missions high schools. We will play a double assembly program from nine to eleven o'clock Friday morning at Wyandotte, and will have lunch in their cafeteria shortly after eleven o'clock. We would be delighted to have you drop over and hear the Band in one or both of these programs, and be our guest at lunch.

We will have around ninety boys in the group, and they are looking forward to a big time in Kansas City. Hoping to see you Friday morning, I am

Yours very sincerely,

Director of Bands

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February 14, 1938.

Mr. Clinton B. Wager,
268 Zumbro Street,
Winona, Minnesota.

Dear Mr. Wager:

Mr. George O. Foster, Registrar, forwarded your letter to our office for our attention.

I regret to inform you that no financial inducements are offered students to matriculate in the University of Kansas for the purpose of athletic competition.

I am sending you our four-year curriculum for a major in Physical Education in the School of Education with a B. S. degree. I trust that you may find something of interest herein, and if there are any further questions that I can answer for you, or if we can serve you in any way, it will be a pleasure.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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Enc.

February 10, 1938

Mr. Clinton B. Wager
268 Zumbro Street
Winona, Minnesota

My dear Mr. Wager:

Your letter of February 7 is at hand.
This is to inform you that the University of Kansas
basketball team now stands in first place in the Big
Six League in athletics.

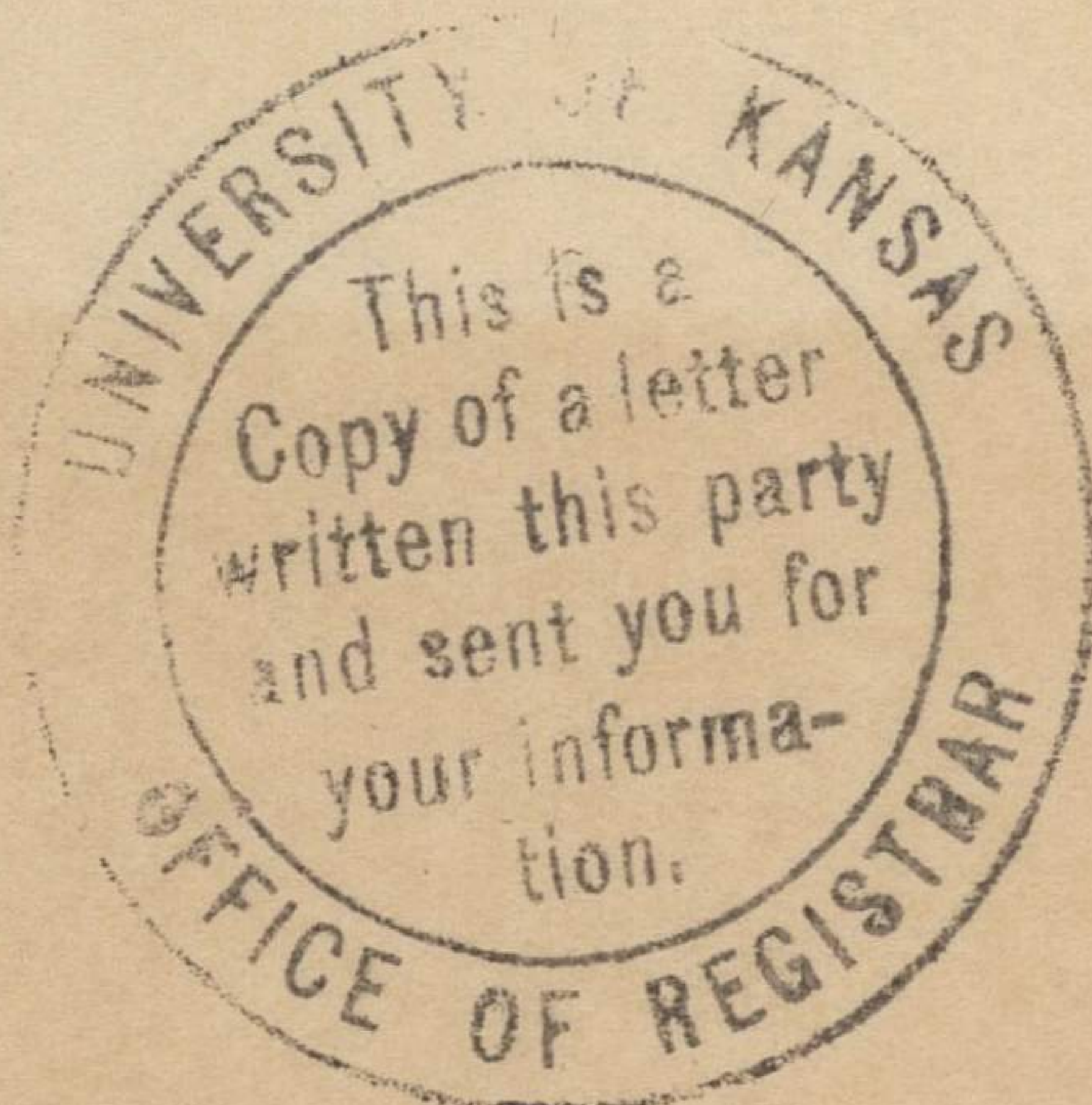
I regret to inform you that no financial
inducements are offered students to come to the Uni-
versity to participate in any athletics.

I mail you our general information bulle-
tin, and am passing your letter to Dr. Forrest C.
Allen, Dean of our School of Physical Training.

Very truly yours,

George O. Foster
Registrar

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268 Zumbro Street
Winona, Minnesota
February 7, 1938

Dear Sir:

I would like to know of some of the opportunities offered basketball players in the Big Six Conference. And what does your school have to offer. Also tuition, cost of board & room and the general trend of living expenses. If the college has a bl bulletin, I would like one also. The above information would be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely yours,
Mr. Clinton B. Wager
268 Zumbro Street
Winona,
Minnesota