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Dear Phog:

An alumnus of K. U. was in recently somewhat concerned over the placement job that K. U. is doing in various fields. He had a number of illustrations pointing out where we seem to be falling down. Of course, it is always possible that we have no one to suggest for these jobs, but, on the other hand, you will be interested in what he said were reliable figures.

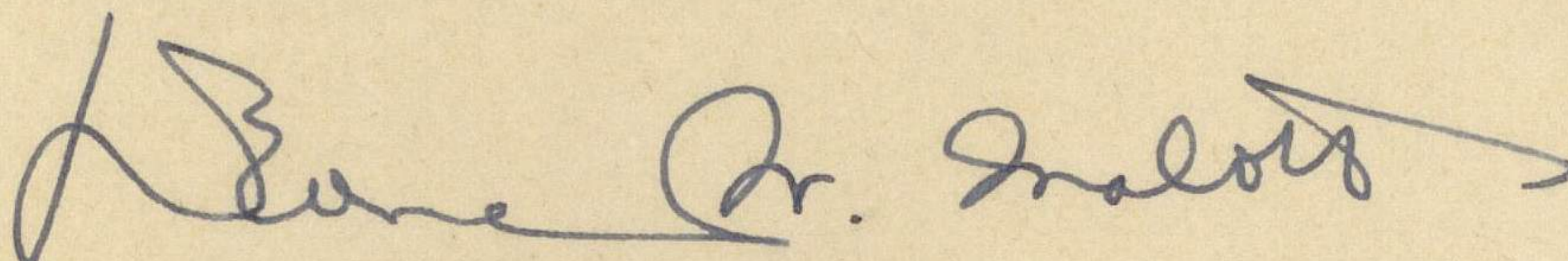
He says that inquiry was recently made of "some 127 of the largest High Schools in the State as to their Coaching Staffs, and from what schools they were from. 92 replied, representing some 258 positions, with the following result: Kansas State Teachers College, Pittsburg -- 42, Emporia State Teachers -- 38, Kansas State College -- 32, Kansas University -- 18, Fort Hays Kansas State College -- 16, Southwestern -- 11, College of Emporia -- 10, Baker University -- 10, other denominational schools -- 49, and from out of state schools -- 29. These figures do not show one significant fact, namely, that the State College at Manhattan has come to the front very rapidly during the last three years. Neither do these data reveal the fact that the Emporia Teachers College has a very weak coaching staff."

He also brought out the fact that in the last two years the following Kansas State men have obtained high school coaching positions: "Newton -- 2, Leavenworth, Atchison, Coffeyville, Wellington, Arkansas City, Wyandotte of Kansas City, Kansas, Fredonia, Dodge City, Eureka, Marysville, and Augusta, College of Emporia and Arkansas City Junior College."

I thought you would be interested in this because it is a matter of some concern to all of us to get our graduates out into the coaching positions wherever possible.

This information I have given you is, of course, for your confidential information. I knew you would be interested.

Sincerely yours,



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