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

Dear Mr. Allen:

Your very complete and helpful letter of June 8 arrived on the eve of our Commencement activities which ended yesterday. I regret that I have not had an opportunity to acknowledge it more promptly. You were most courteous to so fully amplify the personal recommendation blank which you have filled out for Lyle Stephenson Powell with your letter. When Dr. and Mrs. Powell and Lyle, Jr. and his younger brother visited Culver enroute to New York City they impressed us most favorably. Lyle, Jr. showed up well on our scholastic aptitude tests and we shall be happy to admit him to the Academy upon your recommendation because we feel that he will have no difficulty in meeting the scholastic entrance requirements.

Dr. Powell certainly is very modest. He merely mentioned that he held a Colonel's Commission in the Reserve Corps, but said nothing of his World War record. We shall be delighted to have the Dr. and Mrs. Powell as our patrons.

The very interesting information you have given us concerning Mr. Dick Williams is also appreciated and will be placed in the file of his son, who, as you know, will attend Culver this summer by way of getting an introduction to our training.

Mrs. Henderson and the youngsters join me in sending best wishes and kindest regards to you and Mrs. Allen and your fine family. Our oldest son, Bob, left early this morning for Englewood, New Jersey. He will spend eight weeks this summer