HIGH SPOTS OF THE BILL

- 1. Sponsored by the National Physical Education Association.
- 2. Endorsed by American Legion, Elks, and N.E.A.
- 3. Primary function of the bill is to raise the physical fitness standard of all youth (both boys and girls).
- 4. Aid given to states in proportion to the number of youth compared to the total number in the United States. On this basis, Kansas would receive approximately one million dollars annually. The program would be administered through a state physical education director and would be used:

(a) To aid teacher preparation

(b) Improve facilities

(c) Improve teacher salaries

SUGGESTIONS FOR WRITING TO CONGRESSMEN

1. The letter should be a brief, concise but forceful personal appeal that the bill be supported because:

(a) The primary function of the bill is to raise the standard of physical fitness of the youth of the nation (both boys and girls).

- (b) Federal aid is particularly important in states like Kansas that have small revenues for education.
- (c) The need for raising the physical standards is shown by the number of rejections for military service because of physical disability.

 (Latest figures on draftees show 43% rejection).
- 2. The letter should be a personal urge or plea that the bill be brought out on the floor and given the support it deserves.

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