

June 17, 1942.

Dean George B. Smith,
School of Education.

Dear Dean Smith:

I asked Henry Shenk to check up on our graduates, seniors and juniors with an idea of submitting to you this list of our physical education majors. Only the men above sophomore standing are listed.

Out of this group I believe we could pick ten or twelve men who would be capable under supervision of doing an excellent job. Of course, some of these boys may leave before school opens up, but with the R.O.T.C. leadership in giving drills and with our staff I believe we could get along pretty well if compulsory physical education were inaugurated here at the University of Kansas. I do not mean that we could handle a maximum load with just these men, but this would be a good nucleus, and by getting in a few extra men I believe we could do the job. The men I talk about bringing in would be men that we could perhaps encourage to take graduate work, but we would have to pay them more than a mere scholarship offering.

I will be glad to talk with you at your convenience.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball and Baseball Coach.

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