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U.S.S. SC-1054

/o Fleet Post Office

San Francisco, California



Nov. 24, 1944

Dear H. Allen:

We have moved around quite a bit these past few weeks & your Sept. 12 Rebound just caught up with us.

Jayhawk Rebounds

The edition was a fine tribute to a great boy & H.A. Khan - you expressed so completely the thoughts of all of us who knew T.P.

We arrived in "civilization" after 10 months in the forward area & everyone appreciates the daily



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liberty. I have run  
into many N. A. boys -  
Bob McCarty - Intramural  
Head in 1942, Bill  
Fey, a journalist &  
Ha Ha - 1939-41 &  
Joe McDaniel, County  
attorney in W.C. H.



Enclosed is an  
article about Ray  
Evans which I found  
in the rebound paper -  
he must be doing a  
fine job there -

Thanks again for  
the rebound - my  
best to Mrs. Allen

Yours sincerely,

Ray



# Trojans Hold Coast Lead

BERKELEY, Cal., Nov. 20. (AP)—Driving straight toward the Rose Bowl, the University of Southern California Trojans held the Pacific Coast football spotlight with a 32-0 victory Saturday over the California Bears at Berkeley.

Functioning smoothly behind their T-formation plays, the Trojans snagged a touchdown in the first five minutes. It was the start of a near-rout. The Trojans scored again in the initial period, and hung on a third in the second quarter to lead 20-0 at the half. California barely held its own against second and third string players in the latter phases of the game.

The 2nd Air Force Super Bombers rolled up a 47-6 victory over the University of Washington Huskies at Spokane, Wash. Halfback Ray Evans and Fullback Bill Prentice scored three touchdowns apiece. The lone Washington tally came unexpectedly in the final period, on a 61 yard run by End Jack Roberick.

## # # # SHUTOUT VICTORY

Camp Beale's Bears, after a scoreless first half, turned two intercepted passes into touchdowns and victory, 12-0, over the Fairfield Air Base Skymasters at Marysville, Cal. Warren Hodges snagged one pass and ran 73 yards to score, and Wallace Stalanker hooked another on the 35 and took it to the ten, whence it was carried over three plays later.

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At Los Angeles, the University of California at Los Angeles easily swamped College of Pacific, 54-7, in a warmup for next Saturday's vital rematch with USC. It was UCLA's biggest score in history although reserves were copiously used. College of Pacific, riddled by the transfer of 20 naval trainees made its only tally in the second period, on a pass which followed recovery of a Bruin fumble.



Donald Price Ebling

Ensign  
United States Naval Reserve



The Commanding Officer, Officers and Crew  
request the pleasure of your company  
at the commissioning ceremony of the

U. S. S. Alex Diachenko

at the Bethlehem Steel Company

Shipbuilding Division, Quincy Yard

Quincy, Massachusetts

on the 8th day of December

nineteen hundred and forty-four

at four p.m.



November 20, 1944.

Mr. Jack Elliott,  
R. S. Elliott Arms Co.,  
1508 Grand Avenue,  
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Jack:

I am sorry that we have no tickets left here for the game Thursday. The majority of the tickets were held in Kansas City for sale there.

This game was Missouri's game at Columbia, and they had it transferred to Kansas City. As a consequence, Missouri and Kansas City took the major portion of the tickets. We had a few here but they were gobbled up early.

I suggest that you call the Ruppert Stadium or the Municipal Auditorium, and see if they have any. I am sorry that I am unable to help you.

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.





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1508-10 GRAND AVENUE

PHONE GRAND 1910

KANSAS CITY, Mo. Nov. 18, 1944

Dr. Forrest C. Allen,  
Physical Education Department,  
University of Kansas,  
Lawrence, Kans.

Dear Phog:

I would like to get ~~three~~ <sup>four</sup> tickets if possible for the Thanksgiving Day Game and if you have any available there and will drop me a line I will mail you a check to cover.

However, possibly that is entirely out of your department and you have none available, and if so, just drop me a line and let me know.

With kindest regards.

Yours very truly,  
R. S. ELLIOTT ARMS CO.

By

JRE.a

"It Pays to Play"



October 26, 1944.

Mr. Fred Ellsworth,  
University of Kansas.

Dear Fred:

This is about the best I can give you at the present time on basketball, in reply to Sam Smith's inquiry:

Charlie Moffett, 4F, is the only returning letterman we will have, and at the present time he is on the football team.

We have a 16-game schedule at the present time, including the Big Six conference games. I am enclosing a copy of our schedule to date.

I don't know how many good-looking boys we will have around because most of the boys now are 17 years of age and may be called for service at any time.

We will know after November 1st what the V-12 will bring us. There are two boys - Heim and Pyle - now in the V-12 program who may be able to help us, but of course we won't know whether they will be restricted or not until their grades are in

Our men are small - we have no large men. I will worry about our strength after November 1st.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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FORREST C. ALLEN ----

Director of Physical Education

Varsity Basketball Coach

Secretary, Douglas County Selective Service Board

Chairman, Lawrence Nursery Committee

President, Lawrence Country Club

Past-President, Lawrence Rotary Club

Member, Salvation Army Advisory Board

" Board of Directors, Lawrence Community Chest

Chairman, Douglas County 1944 Red Cross War Fund Drive

Chairman for K.U. Drives - Third, Fourth and Fifth War Loan,

Infantile Paralysis,

Community Chest and National War Fund

Blood Bank Donor



October 26, 1944.

Mr. Earl Chapman,  
McLouth, Kansas.

Dear Dutch:

I heard of some of the difficulty that your wolf-pack had in getting through the women golfers. I just want to tell you that I will have it arranged so that the women will definitely allow the men to go through their foursome, fivesome, sixsome, or what have they.

There are very few clubs that permit women to play on Saturdays and Sundays. I would not want to have such a rule now with the women playing such a large part in the support of the club. Their support makes it possible for the Country Club to maintain its existence, - not alone, but together with the fine support the men give it.

However, I do want you to know that we are going to correct some of the difficulties of the club. I assure you that.

Dutch, I haven't paid you for those last eggs that you brought in, and it looks as if I might lose the five dozen egg bet to you, but there is still a chance. However, if you come in Sunday I would like to have five dozen to be paid for with real-honest-to-goodness money.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

President.



October 31, 1944.

Mr. Jack Elliott,  
R. S. Elliott Arms Co.,  
1508 Grand Avenue,  
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Jack:

Thank you for your good letter of the 23rd instant.  
I am glad you like the Rebounds. We are getting out  
another one in a few days, and will put your name on  
our permanent mailing list.

Very cordially yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.





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PHONE GRAND 1910

KANSAS CITY, Mo. Oct. 23, 1944

Dr. Forrest C. Allen,  
University of Kansas,  
Lawrence, Kans.

Dear Phog:

The other day I saw Taft Talbot pouring over a manuscript and I asked him what he was reading.

He said, "It's a letter Phog Allen writes to his boys in the service."

Afterwards he handed me this copy of your No. 11 "Jayhawk Rebounds" and while sitting at my desk after working hours I casually picked it up and thought I would glance through it.

However after making a start I read it all with intense interest.

Phog, I think that this composite letter of yours is about the finest thing I have ever heard of anyone doing to keep in touch with the boys in the service.

I can readily understand how grateful these boys are to get such a letter from you and with what intense interest they must look forward to the next one.

It must take a lot of your time but I think you are repaid a hundred fold by the gratitude of these boys of yours in the service.

Yours sincerely,

JRE.a

"It Pays to Play"



THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS  
LAWRENCE

Department of Romance Languages  
and Literatures

Monday.

My dear Dr. Allen:-

Mother and I both enjoy the  
Rebound so much, that we're sincerely hoping  
to receive it from now on. It's so nice of  
you to include us in the fortunate ones who  
make up the mailing list.

Thank you!

Maudie Elliott



October 13, 1944.

Mrs. Nora Elbel,  
1713 Mississippi St.,  
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Mrs. Elbel:

Thank you for sending your contribution to the Community Chest War Fund. We find that many faculty people are dividing their contributions so that some goes to the residence solicitors and some to the University drive.

Glad you liked the Jayhawk Rebounds. I am putting your name on the permanent mailing list so that you will receive each one as it is written.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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Wednesday  
Oct. 11, 1944

Dear Doctor Allen:

I am enclosing check for  
\$2.50 for the Community Chest  
war fund. I had to give most of  
my pittance out here. I am  
soliciting around my block, and  
since most of the folks are  
faculty people and are giving  
on the Hill, I am not having  
much luck. So I had to make  
a showing somehow.

I thank you so much for  
thinking of me in sending a  
copy of the Rebounds this time.  
Ed has sent several and they  
are so interesting - just like a  
letter from all the boys. Yes,  
we all knew and loved J.P.  
He was such a sweet,  
wholesome boy. It is such  
a tragedy that war always  
takes the "cream of the crop".

Very sincerely,  
Mona E. Bell



October 12, 1944.

Miss Maude Elliott,  
University of Kansas.

Dear Miss Elliott:

I am sending you a copy of our Jayhawk Rebounds, a monthly letter I write to our boys overseas. This is our eleventh one, and I suddenly realized that we hadn't sent you one. Frankly, it is just one of those things we missed.

If you desire any back copies - we have a few - let us know and we will be glad to send them over.

Sincerely yours,

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Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.