Harlingen, Texas Oct. 25th. 1937

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

Dear Doc:

I do hope you will overlook my delay in writing you. I intended writing sooner but several things came up and it was impossible to do so.

Enclosed you will find a money order for \$ 40.00 which I think will take care of my debt to you. At least as far as money matters are concerned. If this isn't right let me know and I will fix it right up. I really appreciate this favor a lot and if I can ever do anything to help you in any way feel free to let me know of it.

How are things shaping up this year for you? What are the prospects for another championship basket team? I will be following the progress of the team throughout the season and I hope you rock em and sock em.

That must have been quite a victory for K. U. over Oklahoma. I sure was glad to hear of it. I saw where Eblings' brother played an important part in the victory. He should make you a pretty good man shouldn't he?

I am enjoying this year in the valley moreso than I did last year. They really do play a good brand of high school football down here. We have a nice team this year and expect them to go pretty far. We really could stand more experience at tackle; but we have a couple of good, big husky boys and they are beginning to learn what it is all about.

I am going to start basket ball in about two weeks. I will have a little more to start with this year than I did last year. I have five lettermen back as compared to one last year. We went to the state meet last season; but it will be a long hard road to get that far this time. I will have a starting team that will average around 6' or 6'l". But the kids down here are so inexperienced and require a lot of work on. I plan on staying here over Christmas vacation and practice every day. My folks are coming down again this winter to spend the holidays with me.