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Dr. Forrest C. Allen  
Varsity Basketball Coach  
University of Kansas  
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dr. Allen:

Arriving home Sunday night at 8:30 after viewing the Corps at the Military Academy at Lexington, Missouri, and having dinner at Quincy, things are now beginning to get back to normal, as the old pair of corduroys, flannel shirt, and Francis Schmitt's bow tie are now in vogue here at the office.

Needless to say, you and Mrs. Allen gave us a marvelous week end and one which we will long remember. It was a great thrill to see John Buescher in action on Friday night against the Varsity, and my sincere hope is that John can pay dividends for you during the next three years at K. U.

I have just had a visit with Mr. Virgil Reither, Sport's Editor of the Illinoian Star, the local daily newspaper, concerning my trip to Lawrence and also in regard to your work with the members of your department as well as your new game "goal-hi". Mr. Reither has, for a long period of years, been an admirer of yours and would appreciate it if you would put his newspaper on the mailing list of your Sports Publicity Department so that he might feature news items and place newspaper cuts of your athletes in his paper if you so desire.

Frankly, I was much pleased with the fine physical condition that you were in during this last trip and I only hope now that since the "war is over on the Hill" that you still will keep your chin up and hit the ball in the true "Phog" Allen manner.

Be sure to keep me posted in regard to the progress of your plans for the National Intercollegiate Basketball Tournament so that I might be of assistance to you at any time during the winter months.