

330 u 6 J V
used
01 12 50
23 OCTOBER 1944
ROOM 2625, NAVY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON 25 D.C. OR
64 GALVESTON PLACE S.W., WASH
20 D.C.

DEAR DR. ALLEN:

AFTER TRAVELLING WAY OUT TO NEW GUINEA AND BACK, YOUR "REBOUNDS" FOR JULY, I BELIEVE, FINALLY CAUGHT UP WITH ME HERE IN WASHINGTON D.C. BUT IT WAS NO ONE'S FAULT BUT MINE FOR MY COMPLETE FAILURE TO NOTIFY YOU OF MY CHANGE OF ADDRESS. I WAS JUST SO DAW-GONED HAPPY TO GET BACK TO "THE GREATEST PLACE IN THE WORLD" THAT I FORGOT ALL ABOUT IT.

THEY FINALLY DECIDED I HAD SEEN ENOUGH COUNTRY SO SHIPPED ME BACK TO BE A "CONSTITUTION AVENUE COMMANDO" FOR AWHILE, BUT ONLY FOR AWHILE, FOR I AM ALREADY SCHEDULED FOR SHIPPING BACK OUT IN JAN. YOU CAN REST ASSURED THOUGH, THAT I AM LAPPING UP EVERY SECOND OF MY DUTY IN THESE GRAND OLD UNITED STATES, AND FULLY APPRECIATING EVERYTHING THAT I HAD SPENT THE LAST TWO YEARS LONGING FOR.

DUTY HERE IS QUITE A NOVELTY WHAT WITH WAVES ALL AROUND EVERY YOU LOOK. NO KICKS FROM THIS CORNER ABOUT THAT PHASE OF THE ASSIGNMENT.

I HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED DUTY IN THE COMMUNICATIONS OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS AND HAVE AN INTERESTING JOB--IF YOU LIKE COMMUNICATIONS. CERTAINLY NEVER A DULL MOMENT.

HAVE RUN INTO QUITE A NUMBER OF FORMER JAYHAWKERS INCLUDING ENSIGN PAUL MACCASKILL AND 1ST LIEUT JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, OF MT. OREAD POLITICAL AND PUBLIC SPEAKING FAME. IF YOU KNOW OF ANY OTHERS AROUND THIS NECK OF THE WOODS WOULD APPRECIATE HEARING ABOUT IT SO PERHAPS WE CAN HAVE A GRAND OLD JAYHAWK REUNION ONE OF THESE DAYS.

INCIDENTALLY, SHORTLY AFTER RECEIPT OF THIS BY YOU, I HOPE TO HAVE ANOTHER ALL-AMERICAN FOR YOUR UNDEFEATED QUINTET OF 1964. MAY GET CROSSED UP AND CAN ONLY OFFER A FEMININE VOICE LOUDLY SUPPORTING FROM THE FIRST ROW....BUT I WILL BE HAPPY EITHER WAY.

THE ENCLOSED CLIPPING APPEARED IN THE WASHINGTON POST THE OTHER NIGHT AND I THOUGHT YOU MIGHT BE INTERESTED IN RECEIVING IT. ALSO READ IN THIS MORNING'S PAPER OF THE MIGHTY FINE 20-0 LICKING THE BOYS GAVE NEBRASKA. IS THERE ANY SCHOOL LEFT OR HAVE THEY TORN IT CLEAR DOWN IN CELEBRATION....A MUCH BELATED CELEBRATION. GIVE THEM TWO LICKINGS IN BASKETBALL THIS WINTER AND IT WILL BE A 4-0 SEASON ALL AROUND. INCIDENTALLY, HAVE YOU SCHEDULED ANY GAMES FOR DECEMBER OR JANUARY BACK HERE CLOSE TO WASHINGTON? ARE YOU PLAYING IN NEW YORK, AND IF SO, WOULD YOU HAVE ANY EXTRA ROOM ON THE BENCH FOR A POOR OLD NAVAL OFFICER WHO IS REALLY STARVED FOR A FAST 40 MINUTE SESSION OF BASKETBALL PLAYED THE JAYHAWK WAY?

I KNOW YOU CANT ANSWER ALL THESE QUESTIONS, BUT I SURE WOULD APPRECIATE JUST A NOTE ABOUT THE GAMES ...WRITE IT ON THE END OF YOUR NEXT "REBOUNDS" WHICH I AM ANXIOUSLY AWAITING.

FOR THE SAKE OF THE RECORDS, MIGHT CHANGE MY RANK FOR I RECEIVED A SMALL PROMOTION A WHILE BACK. BEST OF LUCK ON THE COMING SEASON, AS ALWAYS I WILL BE FOLLOWING YOUR RESULTS GAME FOR GAME.

FRANK E HARWI JR
LIEUTENANT USNR

P.S. My regards to
Dr. Lawson, Miss Jean,
Dr. Woodruff + anyone else.

SINCERELY

Frank E. Harwi Jr