

March 21, 1944.

1st Lt. Stanley H. Hall,  
Director of Physical Training,  
Lincoln Army Air Field,  
Lincoln 1, Nebraska.

Dear Lieutenant Hall:

I am apologizing to you, sir, for my failure to answer your communication of January 22. The letter was addressed to "Phog Allen, University of Kansas, Manhattan, Kansas". This accounts for some of the delay in having the letter arrive at the proper destination, but we had already had our allotted number of games scheduled and it was impossible to schedule any additional games.

It was not for that reason that I did not reply, but rather because of the fact that I am secretary of the Douglas County Selective Service Board, and chairman of the Red Cross War Fund drive for our county. This together with my work in physical education and basketball prohibited me from answering all communications that came to my desk.

I trust you will accept this explanation for my failure to reply sooner.

Sincerely yours,

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Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.