Dr. Welson P. Horn, Baker University, Baldwin, Kansas.

Dear President Horn:

My secretary, Mrs. Hulteen, told me that you had called at my office. I want you to know that I appreciate your stopping by, but I regret that I was not able to greet you. Hope you will come again.

Roturily yours,

FCA:AH

Mr. Arthur F. Hughes, Sports Editor, St. Joseph Gazette, St. Joseph, Mo.

Doer Arthur:

Yourletter of May 19th came to me regarding the foot-ball schedule for K. U. for next fall. Henry Shank will coach the football team but he is making no commitments until he knows what sort of material he will have. These boys are going to be mighty young here at the University and he really has now a heavier schedule than the material will reasonably justify.

However, when school opens I believe will be as soon as Henry will make any commitments. You might write him at your convenience.

We have not made our basketball schedule, and very little has been done definitely toward athletics here at the University. This campus is getting to be a war college like all others, and the winning of the war is, in our opinion, the most vital thing. Somehow I cannot get too pepped up over college athletics except as they provide the boys with enough toughening to get them in shape for the mortal combat in which they are very apt to be thrown. However, I do believe that we will have some form of competitive athletics, but nobody will take them very seriously until the war is over.

I am not worrying about civilian morale because they can get their recreation from the theater and from professional teams, and the boys who are studying and getting ready to soldier will get quite a bit of it in military camps when they get in. However, I am sure that all of us will want to do our bit toward competing with the sailors and soldiers when and if our schedule works out satisfactorily.

Very sincerely yours,

#### ST. JOSEPH NEWS-PRESS

AFTERNOON AND SUNDAY

# St. Joseph Guzette

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ST. JOSEPH, MISSOURI

EDITORIAL ROOMS
ARTHUR V. BURROWES, EDITOR

May 19

Dear Phog;

I don't know who is making up the football schedule at K.U., for next fall but you might tell him that the Rosecrans Field Flyers will be playing football and are looking for games. Right now it looks like a good grade college team but there is no telling what may happen later. You may remember the Flyers lost their three best basketball players the week they were to play you. I believe that they will be better in football and basketball, too, this coming season. Anything you can do yo help the boys get games will be appreciated.

Yours sincerely

Arthur F. Hughes
Sports Editor
The Gazette

Mrs. Lacy Haynes, Sr., 2300 Washington Blvd., Kansas City, Kansas.

Dear Mrs. Haynes:

It is a genuine joy for me to be able to do one little thing for the Haynes family. They have always been so loyal and generous with me that I have felt much in eternal debt to them.

If I can do anything for the Admiral or the Admiral's family it gives me pleasure and durable satisfaction.

Please remember me most kindly to your wife's husband.

With all good wishes to you and yours, I am

Very sincerely yours,

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To thus It has Conscerns

I am very happy to recommend for your consideration Lany Naymos, Jr., a student at the University of Marson for the past three years. Lacy Daynes would have graduated this year but he was very amicus indeed to do bis bit in the service, so be left along with our early volunteers.

past and know him to be a highly intelligent, aggreeally and percomble young men. He character is above repronch. He escipted no with my vereity businttell team in a mader of ways. He was not conjugative and loyal in every contact that he made with us.

deficioney by his boundless on Cambran and dynamic energy. He has a unique may of getting along with people. He libes them, and he has the ability to get the job dune. He he a fine gentle-nan and very departable.

Lany Reymon is obeen of mind and body, and is of the fighter type in that he never quite a job wrill it is finished. I would renormant him without renormation or evenion on possible officer material.

He was one of the prime leaders in his fraterally organization. As Director of the Department of Physical Education, we supervised the introduced athletics. It was he also constantly was endoworing to improve the public relationships of his fraterally in regard to the other group organizations with when his fraterally competed. Namy problems arose and it was he along with a few other leaders who endowored to work them out. He was popular with his follows in the University, which is, after all, as indication that he possesses high qualities of leadership.

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Mr. H. S. Hunt, 1515 Highland Place, Emporia, Kansas.

Dear Mr. Hunt:

Thank you very much for your good letter of the 14th instant enclosing your photograph and giving me information that you would be available until August 5th, at which time you will report to Chapel Hill.

Congratulations on your Navy assignment. I am sure that you will do a very fine job and we wish you every success.

We have recently acquired the services of Ray Kanehl, of Wichita East High School, who will report to us July 1, and will be with us for the duration.

For the short while that you would be available to us we do not consider that we have an emergency existing here that would call for your very fine services. I do thank you, however, for writing me. We have our swimming and life saving under control. We have a lieutenant and two chief specialists in the Navy who will help us with our work.

I am returning your photograph for your use.

Wishing you much success at Chapel Hill, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education, Varsity Basketball Coach.

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#### QUINCY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND ATHLETICS

HAROLD S. HUNT, DIRECTOR

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June 14, 1943

Dr. F. C. Allen
Director of Physical Education
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dr. Allen:

This letter is being written on the chance that there might be a need for another instructor in your department for the summer session.

I have recently been commissioned as a physical instructor in the Navy and have just been informed that I will not be called to active duty until August 5th. Having established my family in Emporia for the duration, I am interested in obtaining employment until time to report to Chapel Hill.

My qualifications included a Master's degree from the University of Iowa in addition to twelve years experience in teaching and administration in physical education. I hold a water safety instructor's rating in the Red Cross and have had extensive experience in teaching allfforms of swimming and lifesaving. Henry Shenk can furnish you with any information you might wish regarding personal qualifications.

Should you decide favorably on this application, I can be reached at my Emporia address which is:

1515 Highland Place Phone 1473 - L4

Sincerely,

H. S. Hunt

JAMES H. HAMMOND
LAWYER
6 SECURITY FEDERAL BLDG.
COLUMBIA, S. C.
June 4, 1943

Doctor Forrest C. Allen Department of Athletics University of Kansas Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Sir:

Thanks for your kind letter of June 1, enclosing you address.

I agree heartily with everything you have to say.

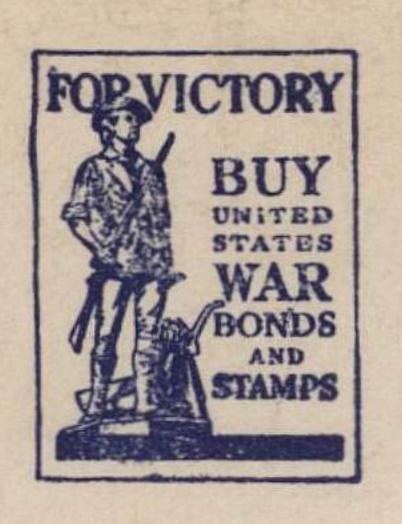
Some months ago, I tried to persuade the University and The Citadel, where I went to college and played on both teams, to undertake just about this procedure, but have gotten no where with the University, although The Citadel is highly in favor of it.

I am, at this time, President of the Alumni Association of The Citadel and vitally interested in seeing that athletics are brought back to the student body, but it is a hard battle and will take considerable shock to revise it here.

Very truly,

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EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

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# NAVY DEPARTMENT WASHINGTON

Dear Doc.

I was more than gaad to receive your letter the other dag and want to apologize right now for not having answered soon but you know how those thinks go. I also want to thank you for the offer to write the letter for me and to tell you that you should know that the first person I would ask for a letter would be that rotten basketball coach at the old State U.

There is nothing new going on in this place at the present time. The only thing that we have released of interest lately is the Attu landing and fighting and somehow I can't bet very worked up over that. It seems a little slow to me. Everything else on the Navy is quiet right now.

I got a letter from Chuck Elliott yesterday and he seems to be doing okay. He is now in Texas as you probably know. From the way his letter sounded he is really interested in the work he is doing.

I am going to have to cut this short for I have to go in and check the tickers (AP, UP, INS, FCC) and see if there is anything on them that we should know about here. One of those things that someone has to do and it looks like I am elected as I am on by myself.

Again I want to thank you for the offer of the letter and assure you that you will be the first one that I call on if I need some help.

Tell all of the Allen family makkenoxime hello for me and give them my best.

Your gob pal

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Mr. F. D. Holland, Jr., University of Kenses.

Dear Buddys

This is simply a friendly letter written in the hope that we may clarify some of your duties as supervisor in charge of the towel room.

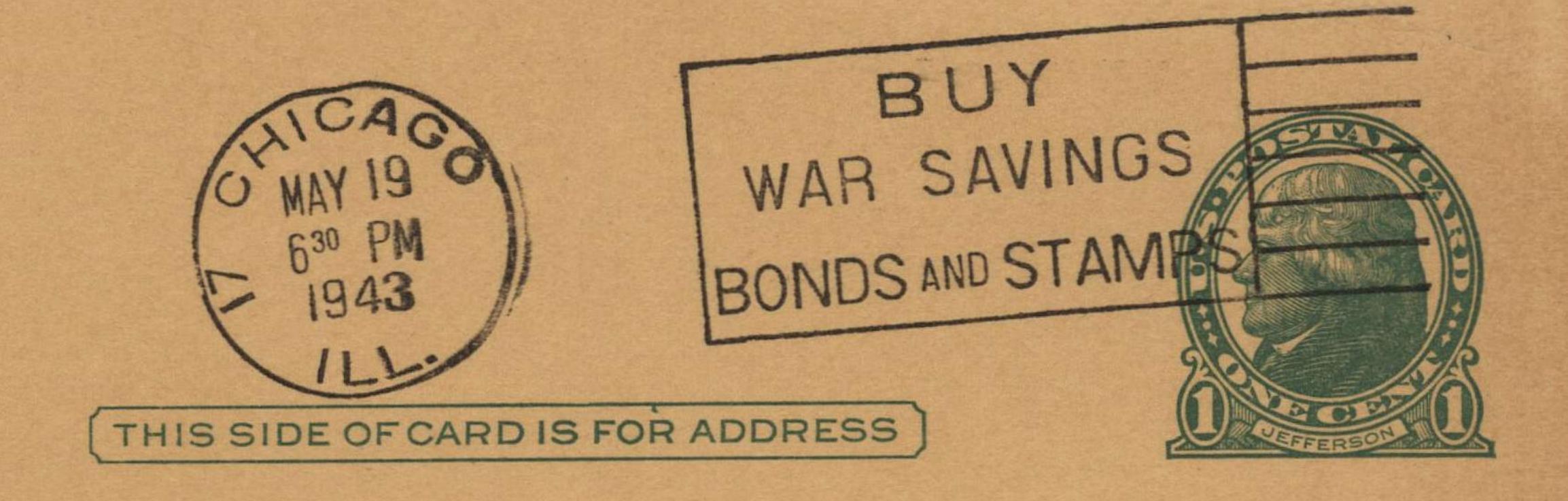
As you know, it was disappointing to come up to the meeting last night and find only three of the boys present. It would have been much better if you had written a short note to each boy, instead of merely posting a sign. A note would have personalized the fact that you wanted each individual present, and I believe the boys would have made a greater effort to be there.

Hereafter we must make it our policy to penalize each boy who does not show up. We did this last semester, and it is the best way to make a boy realize that he is losing 70% by not being there, instead of making 35% for the hour that he attends the meeting.

Another suggestion I have is that you as supervisor should have taken care of the windows in the towel and basket room, seeing to it that there is plenty of ventilation through there. Don't depend on the boys to open the windows. We have asked the Buildings and Grounds men to work on the windows so there should be no difficulty in getting them open.

Remember, any time you can't get anything done report to the office, and that is the time we will act.

Cordially yours,



Univ. of Rausas Phys. Educ. Slipt Laubrence, Raus.

# HYGELA

The Health Magazine 535 N. Dearborn St., CHICAGO, ILL.

Dear Suhverilier,

Thank you for your payment of 2.5° received 5-4-43 with your order for 1 year subscriptions to HYGEIA.

HYGEIA Department AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION Mr. R. A. Haggart, Chief Mate, SS Nathaniel J. Wyeth, San Francisco, California.

Dear Bob:

I was indeed happy to hear from you. I saw John Brand at the Country Club yesterday and he told me you had written him.

Smith, told me that she had a stopwatch which had belonged to her husband who had used it to time horses, and now that she no longer had any use for it she wanted to sell it to me. Ever since I got your letter that was in the back of my mind, but I couldn't think of her name. It occurred to me this morning and I called her.

People are always trying to sell me something, from therapeutic lamps to scales. There was one fellow who had a therapeutic lamp for his wife who died of cancer, and he wanted to trade me the lamp for a couple of season tickets so he could take his girl to the football and basketball games.

Mrs. Smith is taking the stopwatchto Makepeace to have it appraised. Then I called John Brand and told him what I had done. I also called Mr. Rankin and had a nice visit with him.

I am sending you a copy of a mimeographed letter we sent to some of our boys in the service. You may be interested in some of their activities.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely,

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Dr F C Allen University of Eassas Lawrence Ks R A Haggart,

Chief Mitt; '35' Nathanie

San Francisco Calif

May 10th 1943

(Date)

Dear Phog;

Thanks for giving Kansas anouther great basketball team. I was as nersons over the outcome of the games as if I were on the sidelines. Duning the season I was ashere, teaching navigation at the U S Maritime Officers School in Alamdea. Recently I joined this vessel and will be at sea for a spell.

Do you have any spare stop-watches gathering dust around your home or desk? If so I'd like very much to buy one. They are impossible to purchase out on this coast, and shaps and navigators need them badly. If you do have one for sale, just box it up and send it to me at;

2430 Roosevelt Drive

stateing the price ... and Laura will shoot back a check.

Congratulations, too, on the Red Cross drive. It seems strange not to be the sharing the responsibility of the many civic projects of Lawrence.

My very best personal regards to you and Mrs Allen from your friend,

Mr. Lacy Haynes, Jr., George Washington Inn, Washington, D. C.

Dear Lacy:

I had a call from your dad the other day, saying that you had refused to let me or any of the old folks or any of your friends around here help you. I want to commend and congratulate you on the old fighting spirit to do the job yourself.

Your dad said you got into the Navy on your own power and you are still going to move on your own power. Congratulations on that spirit, but I want you to know if and when you are in need of any help in any way please do not forget the address.

I trust that you enjoyed the letter to the boys in the service and will use that letter as an aid in lining up their addresses when you want to drop them a note. Another will be forthcoming in a few weeks now. We will have a lot of names to add to this one, and one will be Lacy Haynes, Jr.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education, Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA: AH

Mrs. Justin Hill, West 7th Street, Lawrence, Kensas.

Dear Margaret:

These are the "Small Blacks" that I told you I would send to your offspring. There is one for each of them, one for Jus and one for you.

We got the "Small Blacks" at the Harvey House. Our youngsters loved to eat them years ago, and we have never gotten out of the habit.

Simerely yours,

Director of Physical Education, Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH

Miss Harriet Hutchison, Gower Place, Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Harriet:

There is one thing that we overlooked, and that is sending you one of these mimeographed letters that we sent to Ray and the other boys. I thought you might like to have this. We will keep you on our mailing list.

Sincerely,

FCATAH

Mr. Albert E. Haas, Haas & Wilkerson Insurance, 912 Baltimore Ave., Kansas City, Mo.

Doar Als

I have kept your letter of January 22nd on my desk intending each day, week or month to answer the same. I have now finally gotten around to it and am sending these two letters back from the Chinese boys. I am sure that Mrs. Haas may want to keep them, if she is anything like my wife. Mrs. Allen goes all out on these things and I am sure that Mrs. Haas will keep these letters. So I am sending them to you for that purpose.

I have had a great deal of contact with Chinese boys and I think they are wonderful. You did a great service in taking these boys to the game and I would have enjoyed immensely meeting them.

You know, Al, this old world is a protty small place, after all, and if we do a kindness like this not only do we get a big thrill in doing it at the time, but many wonderful contacts are made in this way and no one knows when good things will come back to a fellow who does the decent thing.

With all good wishes to you and yours, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education, Versity Basketball Coach.

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#### PERSONAL

Dr. F. C. Allen Athletic Department University of Kansas Lawrence, Kansas

Dear "Phog":

I want to write and thank you for the tickets to the basketball game last Saturday night. I certainly don't want you to feel that I expect you to give me free tickets every time K.U. plays in Kansas City although I expect to go. However, I do appreciate it, and it is mighty nice of you to remember me.

An interesting thing happened in connection with the tickets Saturday night that I thought you would appreciate knowing about.

I asked Cal Morrow to tell you I would like to have four tickets, and, at the last minute, the couple with whom we were going couldn't go so we took the two extra tickets down to the Kansas City Canteen and asked the man in charge if a couple of soldiers would like to go to the basketball game. In a little while out came two Chinese boys, who are in the Air Corps. and stationed in Kansas City studying radio.

It seems as if these boys had played basketball in San Francisco. One of them was born in China; the other in California, and night after night they had been sitting around the Canteen with nothing to do and had been asked nowhere. Since they appeared to be very gentlemanly and intelligent, we took them right along with us and sat with them. As we became acquainted we got to feeling glad that we drew these boys as they were pretty lonesome and homesick and their appreciation of this little favor was really pathetic.

We took them for a ride after the game and bought them something to eat. This week we received a letter from each of the boys and a large potted plant was sent out to the house to Mrs. Haas. We are going to continue to keep in contact with them, and we are going to have them out to the house Sunday, so you see, you are responsible for this, and I thought you

would get a kick out of it. I am enclosing the letters the boys sent to us.

It looks as if K. U. has a wonderful team this year, and I hope you are able to keep your team together and gain national recognition. I would say a National Championship, but I am afraid to mention it.

Wishing you the best of luck, and with kindest regards, I am

Very truly yours,

Albert E. Haas

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Lt. Myrl J. Hodson, 236 N. 17th St., Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Dear Myrl and Jane:

I find that I have not answered your letter of April 18th, but I have just written to a gentleman down in Brazil who wrote me on December 14th, so you see I do get far behind in my correspondence.

The day I saw you good people I was in a rush to make three connections - Mr. McBride, Mr. Haynes and Mr. Reaves Peters, so you see I had a lot to do in an hour's time. I did not notice that I revealed my nervousness, but you people were going some place, as I recall, on short notice, so it was just one of those hello and goodby salutations. I have been accused by a number of people that I put out the nervous sign when I am in a hurry. But don't we all?

I notice where the 88th division was called on the alert. I remember pretty distinctly one September night about ten o'clock we were called out at Camp Sheridan and marched ten miles just because the colonel was anxious to show a visiting colonel how quickly he could get his camp marching. So I am not surprised with this World War on that these alerts are sounded just at the most unsuspecting moment. Apparently the rumor regarding the President was correct because I noticed where he had been down there, and he was also out at Fort Riley.

Jack Ballard, whom you know, wrote me from Fort Riley that he was one of the honor guards that sat with the President in church at Fort Riley on Easter morning. He certainly was all set up over the fact because he sat just four rows from the Commander-in-Chief.

All of our basketball boys are now in the service. Charlie Black is in Utah, Ray Evans is in St. Petersburg, and Armand Dixon is in California. They are scattered to the four winds of the United States, but none of them have gone overseas as yet. I am obtaining a list of all the boys and we expect to write a monthly letter to them. I will send you a copy of our next month's issue.

Now, regarding the photos. I will be honest and state that I am not sure that I can locate them but I will endeavor to do so. I have this bad habit. I will carry a pack of envelopes in my pocket for about two months. I generally use these envelopes on the outside

to make notations on and then when they are about worn out I take a new pack. So I will have to look back in my old supply and see if I can not locate them. And if I do I will be very glad to send them to you.

With all good wishes to you two, I am'

Sincerely yours,

FCA: AH

Sunday 4-18-43 Sear "Phoy" It was grand seeing you again, but somehow you didn't seem at ease, and it bothered me. I guess you ever disturbed, but neither of us shawed have been. Myl Thinks you are grand, suicerely eikes you, and I kope you like him, too. The had a very nice, but short, furlough. Moch of the time eve speut in Lowa, and it managed to rain quite a lit, even got law enough to freeze. Living on a form is wonderful, and I do he lieve I like it better than eity livie. Todag the entire 88 th during was called an "alect," pretty unesural for Sundays, and In practically tearing my hair, wondering just ishat is rep. I never was any good when it came to suspense. There is ruman going around that the

Frendent is supposed to be here, that it is sorly a rumar so far. No one will prahably know he's even ligh Rashington until he is safely have again. Everytherig Hassamed sut in Mes-koger shile ere ever gans. He hardly knew our own street when we came to it. Even the lilaces that were frost-bitten early in march got new life and blussanded ant. I meant to ask your when me saw you, do you still have that phote of Myre that I had bent in two. I know yper don't want it, do you? And good, for all I know now, you might not even want that let picture of me augman. I am still puggled about the new you, Jamess.) This to me amunde will me

Army Postal Section APO 437 c/o Postmaster Los Angeles, California, May 3, 1943

Dear Doc:

Alberta sent me a copy of your letter to the boys, which I received today. To say that I was pleased is a weak way of expressing my real feelings. I realize more than lots of people just how busy you really are, and can appreciate the task it would be to write to each of us who look forward to word from home. Your plan of a consolidated letter is aces with me.

I have a real job here. I am on detached service from my outfit. One 2nd. Ltl, and 17 enlisted men are operating APO 437until a new unit is activated to take over. I am senior non-com here and am acting first Sgt., along with my duties as Army Mail Clerk. The postal service is the one branch of the army where all financial responsibility is in the hands of an enlisted man rather than an officer.

My job as A.M.C. is very similar to that of ASS'T Postmaster in a civilian post office. I have custody of the stamp stock, responsibility for all money order business and so forth. BUT I like it -- It seems to be right up my alley. When I get back to the P.O. in Lawrence, I don't believe the boys will be able to make me take a back seat with regards postal knowledge, for believe me I'm learning a lot here.

I have been working on the possibility of going to officer school, and believe I'll get the job done one of these days. The army has a project which is called the "Army Specialized Training Program". I have taken the preliminary examination which I passed with better than a GOOD grade. I am awaiting a call to be interviewed by the board of officers who have the responsibility of selecting men to be trained as officers in the branch of the se service in which they are best qualified. If I can convince the Board that I am of officer caliber, maybe I'll get to go to school some more. It will be worth it for I believe that I can pass and eventually become a wearer of the BRASS rather than stripes. That seems to be what Alberta wants, so I guess it's the smart thing to do. She is usually right— or did you know that?

Once more I want to express my appreciation for having been remembered. It is a treat to read your letters, and I shall look forward to the monthly letter to the boys. One of these days this struggle will be over, and I'll be coming home to take your secretary away from you. Until then I'll be thankful that she is under the guiding hand of so good a friend.

Adios Doc, I'll be looking for more word fromyou.

Veo Vunne

On of the K boys,

Sgt. A. G. Hulteen
Army Postal Section
APO 437 c/o Postmaster
Los Angeles, California.

# THE CREIGHTON UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENT OF ATHLETICS OMAHA, NEBRASKA E. S. HICKEY HEAD COACH OF BASKETBALL May 4, 1943

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

Dear "Doc:"

I have your letter of April 30.

I was very pleased to hear from you again and to have your ideas on the choice of the N.C.A.A. Committee last year. I surely can second your ideas concerning Dr. King. You would only have to read the fine letters that he has sent; especially the one following our announcement this spring, to know of his fairness. I hope nothing will ever reflect on him but of course he is only one on a Committee; but we can always be sure of his position.

I have appreciated your letters very much and hope that it will not be too long in the future when we can have a good visit again.

Sincerely yours,

ESH/PS

E. S. Hickey
Basketball Coach