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Dr. Forrest C. Allen
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Dear Dr. Allen:

Just a line to let you know that I am now writing sports in our Chicago bureau, and would like to have you drop up to the Hearst building and see me whenever you get in here.

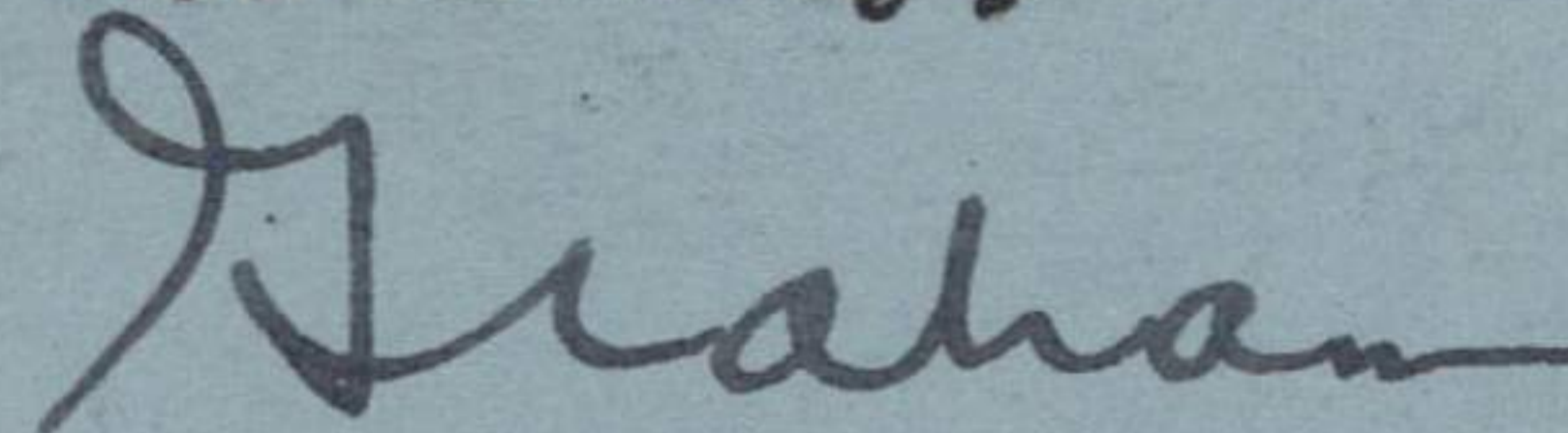
I have appreciated your help on stories in the past, and I'm especially anxious to confer with you sometime in the future on your attitude toward intercollegiate football as we know it today. I've read several write-ups of talks you have given on the subject and I think it would be an interesting interview story for our wires. It was one subject you and I never got around to in my brief visits to Mt. Oread during my stay in the Kansas City bureau!

Incidentally, along the football line, I'm planning a trip to the Midway in the next few days to try to get a cross section of reaction to abandonment of football at Chicago after nearly two full seasons.

I'll be glad to hear from you at any time, and be sure to make our office one of your stopping off places when in Chicago.

The best of luck to you and your boys this year.

Cordially,



Graham B. Hovey
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