

November 23, 1940

Mr. Webster H. Holloway
1511 Fidelity Building
Kansas City, Missouri

Dear Web:

Thank you for your kind invitation of the 20th
inviting me as a guest of the K. U. Club's Stag Rally at the
University Club.

I will be happy to accept the invitation as it is
always a pleasure to greet you. The fact that Chancellor
Malott and the rest of the coaches will be in attendance will
give an opportunity for the Kansas City alumni to get better
acquainted with the coaching staff. We will see that Bill
Hargiss gets word.

I did not go to Columbia, but I heard over the radio
that you were one of the dignitaries that did the honors for the
University. I was happy to see the boys come back with a bang
in the fourth quarter.

With all good wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

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WEBSTER W. HOLLOWAY
1511 FIDELITY BUILDING
KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

November 20, 1940

Dr. F. C. Allen
Head Basketball Coach
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Phog:

A week from tonight, namely, the 27th, we are having a big Stag Rally of the K. U. men at the University Club. We are circularizing by letter some 1500 to 1800 former K. U. men, advising them of this meeting, and our guests will be headlined by Chancellor Malott and the entire coaching staff of football, basketball and track.

Doubtless Fred Ellsworth has already gotten this information to you, but I desire to supplement it with a personal invitation, urging that you be present. Chancellor Malott has accepted, and I understand that Gwynn Henry and his assistants will be on hand. All of us want you and Bill Hargiss to make a special point to be here, and I wish you would please telephone Bill or see him, and tell him that we also want him here.

We think we will have a crowd of around 200 or 300, and it is our purpose to present all of the coaches and ask them to make a few remarks. Everything will be informal and the speeches will be mostly extemporaneous, with the possible exception of Dean Malott. I am going to bill you as one who will be present, so don't disappoint me.

With usual good wishes, beg to remain

Very truly yours,



President, K. U. Club of Kansas City

December 3, 1940

Lt. Chas. E. Hassett
Btry E 128 F.A.
Fort Jackson
Columbia, South Carolina

Dear Lt. Hassett:

Your letter of November 29 to Dr. Allen has been received. Since he is out of town at the present time, Dr. Allen has asked me to reply to your letter.

We do not have any mimeographed material with respect to basketball plays used here during the past several years. However, Dr. Allen's new text, Better Basketball does contain such material. This book is published by the McGraw-Hill Book Company, New York, and it may be possible that you can procure a copy for your reading room.

Lowe & Campbell and other sporting goods companies also carry the text.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary to Dr. F.C. Allen

QUARTERS

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MISSOURI NATIONAL GUARD
Clinton, Mo.
November 29, 1940.

Dr. Phog Allen
Athletic Director
Kansas University
Lawrence, Kansas

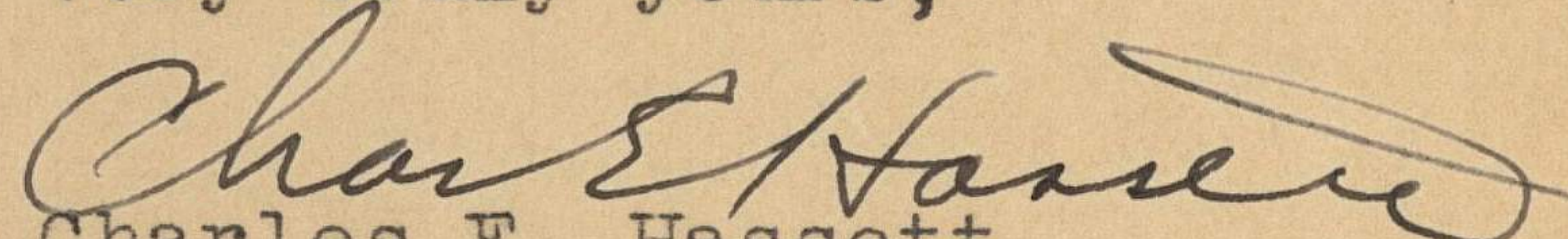
Dear Phog:-

This unit of the 128th Field Artillery leaves Clinton next Thursday, December 5, for a years active duty in South Carolina.

The government has a splendid program for competitive sports such as basketball, football, hard and soft ball, etc. We will reach there about the time the basketball season will begin, and we have excellent material for a fine basketball team.

It has occurred to me that you might have some mimeographed material with respect to K. U.'s plays in past years, and which might be of aid to us in developing a winning basketball team. If you have any material which you could make available to us it will be a great favor to us to have the benefit of the same. If so, please send it to the address below.

Very truly yours,


Charles E. Hassett

Address:-
Lt. Chas. E. Hassett
Btry E 128 F.A.
Fort Jackson
Columbia, S. C.

November 6th
1 9 4 0

Mr. J. Fred Harris
N Y A Supervisor
State & Twiss Sts.
Topeka, Kansas

Dear Freddie:

Dr. Allen's secretary, Miss Gerstenberger, has asked that I reply to your request for tickets for the Oklahoma game Saturday.

She perhaps has advised that Dr. Allen is out of town until Friday or Saturday, and rather than keep you in suspense I am writing to advise that two tickets are being held for you.

Freddie, I have no authority to issue tickets other than the one you are entitled to as a "K" man, and I do not believe that Dr. Allen has any tickets other than those he uses for his personal use. I happen to know that Dr. Allen bought tickets for some friends of his that he wanted taken care of.

Coaches and staff are limited the same as "K" men and I do not believe that Dr. Allen has any extra tickets. So, we will hold these two and, if some other arrangements are made between you and Dr. Allen, we will be glad to release them if you do not want them.

Hoping that you are enjoying your work and getting along nicely, I am

Very sincerely yours,

E.L. Falkenstien, Sec'y
U. of Kans. Phys. Edu. Corp.

ELF:IW

November 6, 1940

Mr. J. Fred Harris, Jr.
N.Y.A. Supervisor
State and Twiss Street
Topeka, Kansas

Dear Mr. Harris:

Your letter of November 5 addressed to
Dr. Allen has been received.

Dr. Allen is out of town at the present
time on speaking engagements in Toledo and Milwaukee,
and is not expected to return until the latter part
of this week. For that reason I have turned your
request for tickets over to Mr. Earl Falkenstien,
Financial Secretary of the Athletic Department, who
has charge of ticket sales.

I am sure you will hear from Mr. Falkenstien
very shortly.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary to Dr. Forrest C. Allen

FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY
NATIONAL YOUTH ADMINISTRATION
FOR KANSAS

NEW ENGLAND BUILDING, TOPEKA, KANSAS

State & Swiss St.
Nov 4, 1940
Topeka, Ks.

Dear Doc:

You might wonder what has ever become of me. To begin with and to sum everything up into a nutshell, I have been plenty busy. When I see you or when I get a typewritten from this slow moving organization I will tell you all about this kind of work. You can expect a hook letter in about a week or two.

At the present I'm interested in obtaining two tickets for the Oklahoma Kansas game that are classified under the complimentary variety. My dad has my "K" ticket and I do not want to ask him for that ticket. If it is impossible to obtain a poss. ticket for me and my gal I'll have to turn loose with some of this hard earned dough. So you see if I can get by a little better I'll be able to take care of some of my bankers sooner.

I imagine that you have numerous requests for tickets but if it will be impossible would you reserve me two and let me know by return mail. There

I will mail you the money.

How are the basketball boys getting along?
I hope you have another winner. Are the
last year frosh doing any good? There
my boys doc, and I hope they crowd out
some of your regulars or at least make it
hot for them.

As I said before I sit down and
write a nice long letter later. Hoping
everything is O. K. with you at this writing
I remain

yours very truly
J. Fred Harris.

G. S. my address is
J. Fred Harris
N. Y. A Supervisor
State + Swiss St
Topeka Ks.

Freddie

December 4, 1940

Mr. Nat Holman, President
National Assn. of Basketball Coaches
City College
New York, New York

Dear Nat:

A booklet of the National Association of Basketball Coaches of the United States addressed to Dr. James N. Naismith has come to our office.

Dr. James N. Naismith passed away on November 28, 1939. I am sure that you knew this.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

FCA:lg

December 11, 1940

Mr. Harold Hauser
Marion, Kansas

Dear Dutch:

Mr. Earl Falkenstien just dropped in my office and told me that under date of November 12, 1940 he wrote you that he mailed you six tickets on October 12 for the Kansas-Kansas State game at Manhattan. He enclosed a bill for \$13.65 covering the cost with insured mailing charges.

Mr. Falkenstien states that he has not heard from you in reply to his inquiry of the 12th of November.

You will remember, Dutch, that you called me from Marion and asked that I contact Mr. Falkenstien and have him mail you six Aggie tickets. You also requested, according to my notes, that Mr. Falkenstien should send you a bill. I am sure that this is just an oversight on your part because I know how professional men get covered up with their practice and forget the minor details.

These tickets were obtained from Manhattan and charged to us and we have sent them cash to cover the full amount. I will appreciate it if you will let Mr. Falkenstien hear from you at your early convenience.

With all good wishes to you for a Very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

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Law Offices
HAROLD M. HAUSER
Dean Building
MARION, KANSAS

December 13, 1940

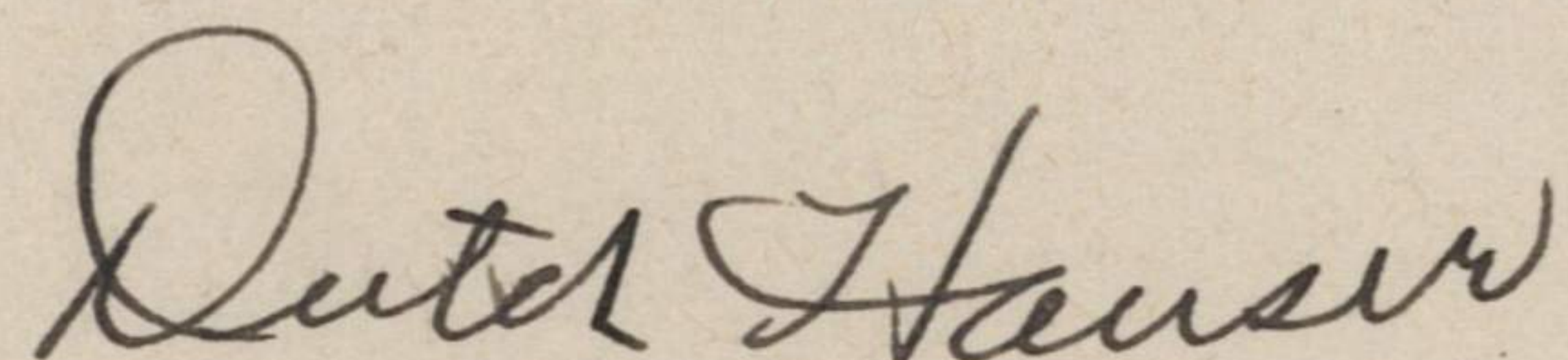
Mr. Forrest C. Allen
Director of Physical Education
Athletic Department
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Doc:

In response to your letter of December 11th, please be advised that I am sending Earl Falkenstien a check today. I regret that I have overlooked this matter and trust this late payment will not embarrass you. I have been exceedingly busy with politics and the oil business, and consequently have neglected my correspondence.

With very best personal regards, I am

Very truly yours,



HAROLD M. HAUSER

HMH:LB

December 13, 1940

Mr. Dick Harp
1301 West Campus
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dick:

I have just had a letter from Mr. C.H. Thompson, Kansas City Star, saying that his son Tom was in school. I have never had the pleasure of meeting him and Mr. Thompson asked if I knew him.

I would appreciate it if you would bring Tom to the office sometime where I can have a visit with him.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

FCA:lg

December 14, 1940

Mr. Harold Hauser
Marion, Kansas

Dear Dutch:

Sure, Dutchman, it is okay with me.

Earl Falkenstien still had this on his books and he wanted it to be collected, and you know how some of these boys are; they just forget certain checks. Now, I am not talking about you; I am talking about some of the boys who constantly forget to send checks.

I am always glad to do anything that I can to cooperate with you, Dutch, and you have been mighty nice, so I thank you for your letter and thank you for sending the money on to Earl.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

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December 16, 1940

Mr. George Hedrick
Chamber of Commerce
WREN Building
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear George:

I had my secretary call your office to seek information on the condition of the highway just prior to my leaving for Manhattan, and the young lady who answered, of course, had no information to give. I then inquired as to what source I could go to seek this information and she did not know.

I told her that this certainly was the business of the Chamber of Commerce, along with the other services that you give. Certainly a University professor who is not in business, and who makes contributions to this organization, should receive some service.

The fact that I am a member and have sought other contributions for other civic purposes, led me to believe that I was in line by asking for such information. In most towns and cities they give members service such as this.

I am registering this protest in purely a good-natured way, but a critical one, and I trust that our Chamber of Commerce can give the services that other chambers of commerce are giving to their members.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

FCA:lg

December 23, 1940

Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Haynes
2300 Washington Blvd.
~~Washington, Kansas~~
Kansas City,

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Haynes:

We certainly appreciate your generosity and thoughtfulness in asking the Allen Tribe to your domicile, but it happens that we will be on our way out of Washington, D.C., heading for Chicago, on that day.

However, we do want you to know how very much we appreciate your thinking of us.

Wishing you and yours the Happiest Yuletide and a Most Prosperous New Year, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

FCA:lg

January 10, 1941

Coach Bill Hargiss
University of Kansas

Dear Bill:

I do not place Mr. Christian but you can see by his letter that he is a University of Kansas man.

Fred Ellsworth doubtless could tell you what fraternity he belongs to.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

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Encs.

January 15, 1941

Vance Hall ✓
Charles Walker

Dear Hutch and Vance:

Maurice Jackson desires to take a picture on Friday afternoon at 3:30 P.M. in Hoch Auditorium. He wants you two boys in your white Varsity uniforms, together with Dean Nesmith and me.

If you see Dean he will arrange for your equipment. Maurice will see Dean also, so all you will have to do is to report to Dean and he will dress you up and send you to Hoch at 3:30.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

FCA:lg

January 24, 1941

Mr. Lacy Haynes
Kansas City, Kansas Star Bureau
Kansas City, Kansas

Dear Lacy:

Gee, it is swell to get a letter from a fellow like you when you say the things you do.

I did not know until last evening that you had been quite ill. Lacy, Jr. told me that you had the flu, but I stopped by Morris Breidenthal's the other evening and your secretary told me that it was a little tougher than that. In fact, I am inclined to believe it was darn tougher than that. And here you were a very sick man and I did not send any words of encouragement to you, and here I am, feeling a lot better, and you just convalescing, getting back to your desk for an hour a day, have time to encourage me. Now what sort of teamwork is that?

But I want to assure you, Lacy, that had I known you were sick I would have had a report on you every day. You are such a quiet and efficient worker that nobody ever expects you to slow up nor get slowed up.

Let me tell you how very much your words of encouragement mean to me. They are worth millions.

Give my kindest regards to Mrs. Haynes and Mary Jane, and of course, I see Lacy, Jr. quite often so I am 100% for the Haynes family.

With deep appreciation, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

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January 22, 1941

Dear Phog:

One of the things that have been helping me to get out of the house since the bugs caught up with me a little before the first of the year is the fact that the Allen basket ball team keeps steaming up. No matter how the fever pointed, I always got the report of the score as quickly as it came in here.

Keep on going!

With kindest regards and best wishes,

I am

Sincerely,

Jacy

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

LCH:VS

January 27, 1941

Dr. Ray G. Hulburt, Editor
American Osteopathic Association
540 N. Michigan Ave.
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Dr. Hulburt:

Thank you for writing me very frankly as you have done in your letter of January 24.

I assure you that I am very happy to be of any service, and I know that you will consider the welfare of all concerned when you write your article.

I am enclosing two or three snapshots and if you will kindly return the ones you do not use I will appreciate it. In fact, I would like to have the one that you do use returned after you have finished with it.

Very cordially yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

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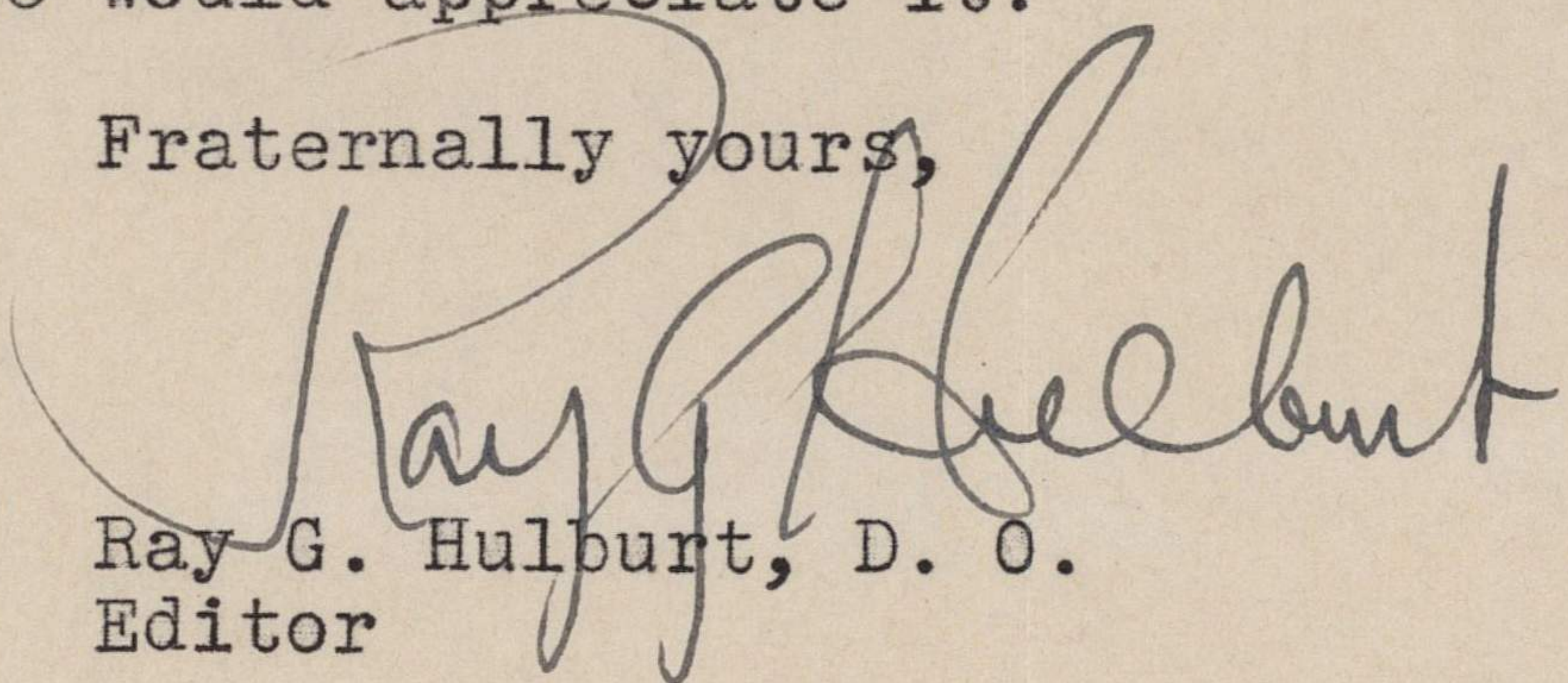
Dear Dr. Allen:

We have prepared an article for OSTEOPATHIC MAGAZINE on you and your career as basketball coach based on the article by Mr. Howard Turtle which appeared in the Saturday Evening Post. Most of it is taken up with telling how you keep your players in trim for the game, and for this purpose we have used direct quotations from Mr. Turtle's article.

Because it contained so many quotations, we submitted our article to the editors of the Saturday Evening Post and have obtained their permission to publish it. Full credit is given to the Post and to Mr. Turtle.

We are wondering whether you can send us a good informal snapshot of yourself that we can use as an illustration. If you have two or three from which we can make our selection, we would appreciate it.

Fraternally yours,


Ray G. Hulburt, D. O.
Editor

H:R

P. S. I am not unmindful of your general attitude toward mention of your osteopathic connections, but since Mr. Turtle brought it out so clearly I thought it O. K. to proceed.

January 29, 1941

Mr. George Hedrick
Secretary, Chamber of Commerce
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear George:

I am enclosing a carbon copy of a letter from Mr. G.F. Alcott, 1206 E. Jefferson, Bloomington, Illinois, and a copy of my reply, regarding a field house in memory of Dr. Naismith.

We have had other correspondence since, but I am sending you this to show you that the correspondence was initiated by Mr. Alcott, feeling that we should have a field house here.

If you are interested I shall be glad to take up the matter with you and send you the remaining correspondence.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

FCA:lg
Encs.
cc: Glenn Charlton

January 30, 1941

Mr. Jay B. Hinton
Box 732
Coolidge, Arizona

Dear Mr. Hinton:

The "out of bounds" mentioned in the rule that you quote refers to the out of bounds only after a field goal is made, and then if a substitution is made after a field goal a charged time-out should be declared.

Very cordially yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

FCA:lg

Coolidge, Arizona
January 25, 1941

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

Dear Sir:

Will you please give me your interpretation of Rule Number 4, Section 3, page 5 in Spalding's Official Basketball Guide which reads as follows:

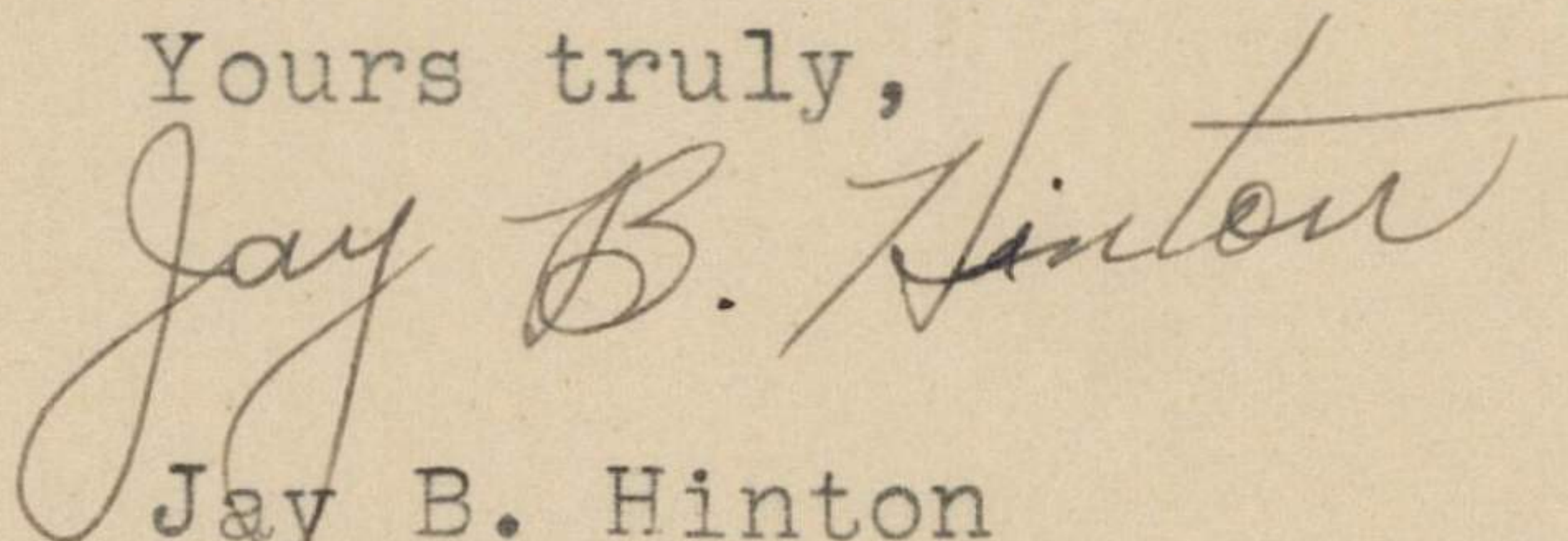
"A substitute before going upon the court shall report to the Scorers, giving his name, number and position. The Scorers shall sound a horn immediately if the ball is dead or as soon as it becomes dead, except that a substitution may not be made in the interval following a field goal and putting the ball in play from out of bounds unless a charged time-out has been declared....."

There is some question among the coaches and officials of this locality as to whether the "out of bounds" mentioned in the above rule refers to out of bounds at anytime during the game, or only after a field goal is made.

Specifically, is it legal to make a substitution on an out of bounds ball other than the out of bounds after a field goal?

I would appreciate your attention.

Yours truly,



Jay B. Hinton
Box 732
Coolidge, Arizona

JBH:VL

January 31, 1941

Mr. Henry Harper
Plymouth Bowling Center
West LaPorte Street
Plymouth, Indiana

Dear Hank:

Glad to have your good letter of the 9th instant, and sorry that I have not answered sooner. But you can bet your life that I will write a letter to the Phi Psi's in Greencastle, Indiana, regarding Hank, Jr. I will send a copy of the letter to you for perusal of the family.

Yes, I am well acquainted with the high standard of De Pauw University, and I am glad that you, Hank, Jr., and Mrs. Hank have settled on a fine institution like this for the young man.

Bobby is a senior this year, and while we were in Philadelphia, he called on Dean William Pepper of the Medical School and was admitted to the University of Pennsylvania. He will enroll there next fall.

Some day we hope to have the Harpers out or we hope to see the Harpers in Plymouth.

With all good wishes to you and yours, I am,

Fraternally yours,

FCA:lg:mln

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

Plymouth Bowling Center

West LaPorte Street
PLYMOUTH, INDIANA

Jan. 9, 1941

Dr. Forrest C. Allen
University of Kansas
Lawrence Kansas.

Dear "Phog":

Just a line to let you know how much we enjoyed the Allens Christmas Card. It was sure a dandy picture and is now resting on the table in our front room. Also enjoyed reading that article in the Saturday Evening Post. Kathering also got a big kick out of it and Hank Jr. has told the world that he knows you.

Hank Jr. has decided that he wants to go down to DePauw University at Greencastle, Ind. for his first couple of years. It has a very high rating and their credits are good anywhere and as he still wants to take Law he is in for six years of College. He has really become a sweet basketball player and I sort of hate to have him hidden away at De Pauw. He really is not fully developed as yet but inside of the ~~next~~ two years he will be a honey. He can keep up with any of them now. The team he is on here in the high school has won 7 out of nine. Now as a favor I wonder if you would drop a line to the Brother Phi Kappa Psi at DePauw and recomend Hank. They are a nice bunch down there and so I am asking all the brothers to drop them a line as I want te get Hank in if I can. Thanks.

Give my regards to Mrs Allen and tell her that I sure hope that we can all get together again soon.

Fraternalyyours,

"Hank" Harper