## Aincoln City Schools

MURLE M. HAYDEN, SUPERINTENDENT

Lincoln, Kansas

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Dr. Forrest C. Allen,
Department of Physical Education,
University of Kansas,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Dr. Allen:

At Beverly last year we purchased two of the large 16"x20" mats @ \$6.50 each and five gallons of onox @ \$3.33 per gallon. We bought this material in late October and Mr. Mase (now Principal) at Beverly) mentioned last week that he was running low. We have ordered ten gallons of onox and one large mat (16"x20") for the boys and two small  $(6\frac{1}{2}"x12\frac{1}{2}")$  one for our girls and one for our Junior High boys.

We bought this material from Onox, Inc. 121 Second Street, San Francisco, California. Mr. Alex Hyde, formerly of Wichita, Kansas is one of the officers in the concern.

I have enclosed their quarantee and one of their circulars.

It is not my intention to try to pull for this product nor to knock others, but for nearly ten years I looked for something that would help keep our boys and girls feet in good condition. I was trying to find it when I wrote you two years ago. Onox toughened our boys feet, eliminated blisters, and completely wiped out athlete's foot. Virgil Loy, a senior at Beverly this year, has been bothered with a very obnoxious foot odor for years. He told me last spring that the odor disappeared in less than a week after he started stepping on the mats.