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Dr. Forrest C. Allen,
Director Of Phy. Education.,
University of Kansas,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Dr. Allen:

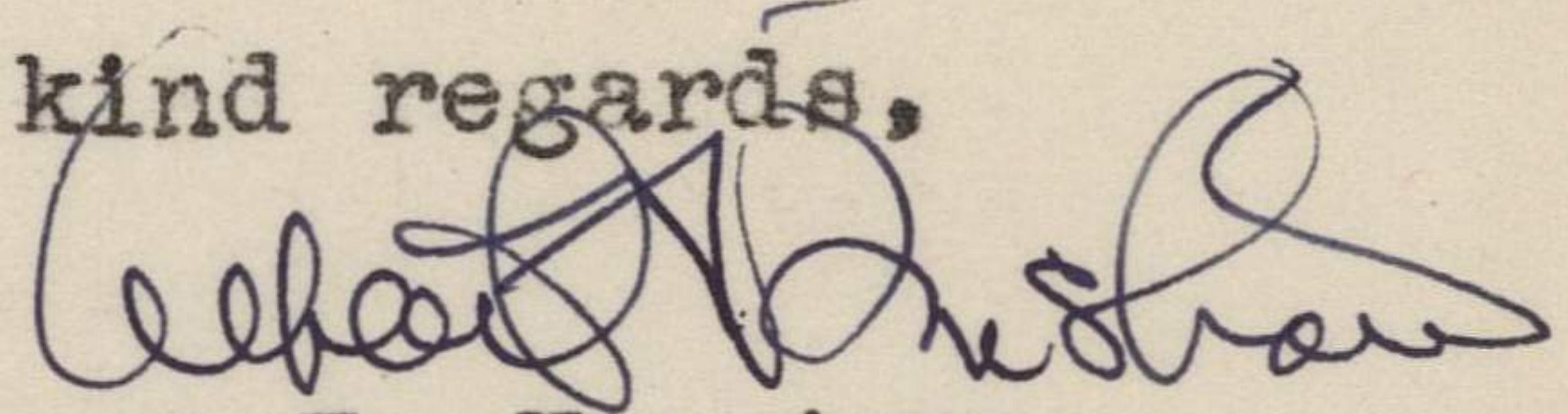
Thank you for the Washburn game in Topeka. For awhile I didn't know whether I would be here or not, but as I told you, I will be around during the basketball season.

I am open Feb. 2nd, and if the officials whose names you submitted can't work I would be glad to.

So far my schedule is Dec. 16; Jan. 13, 21, 31; Feb. 1, 5, 9, 10, 24⁵, 26; Mch 1.

If you can use me in any of your games I would appreciate it a great deal.

With kind regards,


Albert F. Hinshaw,
5602 Park Ave., K. C. Mo.

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DR FOREST ALLEN

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS LAWRENCE KANSAS

WILL GREATLY APPRECIATE ANNOUNCEMENT YOUR GAME TOMORROW OF OUR GAME

HERE WITH STLOUIS FLYERS TOMORROW NIGHT AT PLAMOR ICE-PALACE

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HARRY HODGINS

630PM

Telephone Your Telegrams to Postal Telegraph

December 1, 1937.

Mr. Forrest Hewitt,
Washington, Kansas.

Dear Forrest:

We play Drake University at Des Moines on December 29. We will perhaps not return from Des Moines until the next day.

We are playing Southwestern at Winfield on the 21st and may practice there on the 22nd and permit the boys to go home from there. We may have them return here December 26.

I trust that you can arrange to drop in.

By the way, have you gotten a copy of the new book, Better Basketball? I am recommending it very highly and I trust that you will be able to review a copy because it is the best thing that I have done, and I know you will be happy with it. I am sending you a mimeographed sheet describing the contents.

Sincerely yours,

Varsity Basketball Coach,
Director of Physical Education.

FCA:AH

THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS



D. Forest C. Allen
University of Kansas
Lawrence Kansas

Dear Coach!

Will you be
working the
boys Dec.

28, 29, or 30th.

I would like
to slip in on a
practice or

two. We have
some new high
school rules.

You know

Sonest Hewitt
Washington D

December 3, 1937.

Mr. Henry Harper, Sr.,
Plymouth, Indiana.

Dear Hank:

Your good friend, A. K. Richter, dropped by and wanted to know if I had used Skin-Ez on the athletes. I told him that I had turned this over to Elwyn Dees, our trainer, and asked that he use it and report back, but during football season he was so engrossed in getting the team in shape that he had little time for research or detail.

I did tell A. K. that I would again emphasize to Elwyn the necessity of trying this out, and he is doing so. I am using the other jar to experiment with, but have as yet not procured the guinea pig.

My son, Bobby, has some little trouble, but he has been using some stuff he got at Culver and I have not been able to talk him into using this. I have told him that I wanted him to use it, and he said, "But why should I, when this other does the work?" But I think I will have no difficulty, so I will be able to report in the near future.

I have every confidence that this will do the job because I have inspected and smelled the ingredients of this athletes' foot stopper quick, and I believe you have got something there.

Lots of success to you, Hank. And also tell A. K. that I will boost your combined products all that I can. I think we are going to like your shoes. We are playing our first game tonight against the frosh, and then we go into heavy duty next week with four straight game in four days. I am going to find out whether my men are iron men or mice. This ought to tell.

The Allen's love to the Harpers.

Fraternally,

Varsity Basketball Coach,
Director of Physical Education.

FCA:AH

January 12, 1938.

Mr. Fred M. Harris, Jr.,
The Chanute Tribune,
Chanute, Kansas.

Dear Freddie:

I am enclosing a copy of the Big Six ruling on eligibility.

Ralph tells me that he only scrimmaged in the afternoon against a group where everybody plays basketball, high school and junior college.

The Big Six ruling only permits high school boys to play against their alumni group. Kenneth Caldwell wired Professor W. W. Davis asking if he could play against a junior college, and Professor Davis wired him and told him that if he did it would make him ineligible. Professor Davis called me up and asked me if I would call Ralph and warn him against playing against a junior college. I called Ralph's father and told him that according to the Big Six ruling it would make him ineligible if he played against a junior college team. Cappy told me that the boys had talked about playing but he didn't know what they were going to do.

If Ralph just played in the afternoon and there was no admission charged, I do not see that there is any ground for an investigation. However, if he played at night and regular admission was charged, I am afraid they might raise some trouble. This is all I know about it, Fred, and I believe if Ralph's statement is correct there is nothing to worry about.

I, I too am sorry that I did not have a chance for a longer visit with you and your good wife. We have had no news from Russell yet, so I imagine that there is no addition to the Allen household in Russell.

We trust that you are both well.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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THE CHANUTE TRIBUNE

JOHN P. HARRIS · SIDNEY F. HARRIS

CHANUTE, KANSAS

January 11, 1938

CLARENCE W. MOODY
EDITOR AND MANAGER

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

Dear Doctor:

I would appreciate it if you would send me the Big Six ruling on eligibility. There has been considerable comment on the report of a possible ruling against Ralph Miller for participating in a practice with the junior college here, and I should like to see the actual rules that might affect him.

Also, if you care to do so, I should like a statement from you on the matter. I know that it might put you, or Ralph, on a spot, so that is entirely up to you.

When would an investigation by the Big Six committee be held, if such were required?

We have been smothered with questions on the matter, particularly since Kemper's observations Sunday were printed. They seemed much more positive than Potter's earlier in the week, and have caused a good deal of concern here.

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CLARENCE W. MOODY
EDITOR AND MANAGER

Dr. F. C. Allen--2

I know you understand my position here, and will do what you can to give ~~the~~ me correct dope. Thanking you very much for your cooperation, I am

Sincerely yours,

Fred M. Harris, Jr.

Fred M. Harris, Jr.

P. S. Sorry I didn't have a chance for a longer chat with Mrs. Allen, Mit, and yourself the other evening. Has Mit's heir arrived yet?

January 14, 1938.

Dr. Marvin Hall,
704 Kansas Avenue,
Topeka, Kansas.

Dear Dr. Hall:

I had expected to have Santa Claus deliver this book to you, but with the rush of basketball season and the many details of getting the book on the market I have neglected to autograph the book in time to get it in the mail for you.

Since then I have been continuously on the go, and only today did I put the December 25th heading on it, so I am still having the old Christmas spirit somewhat belatedly.

I trust that you will enjoy some of the yarns in the back of the book under the title of "Tales of Yesteryear". There are a couple of good football yarns in there, as well as some of basketball, and I am hoping that at least you will derive a miniature mental wallop out of some of them.

With every good wish, I am

Fraternally yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH

January 12, 1938.

Mr. Charles M. Harger,
Abilene, Kansas.

Dear Mr. Harger:

I will be happy to come to Abilene on Friday,
January 21, to speak at the Rotary Club at 12 o'clock at
the Sunflower Hotel, at which time you will entertain the
high school basketball squad.

It will be a pleasure to see you.

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

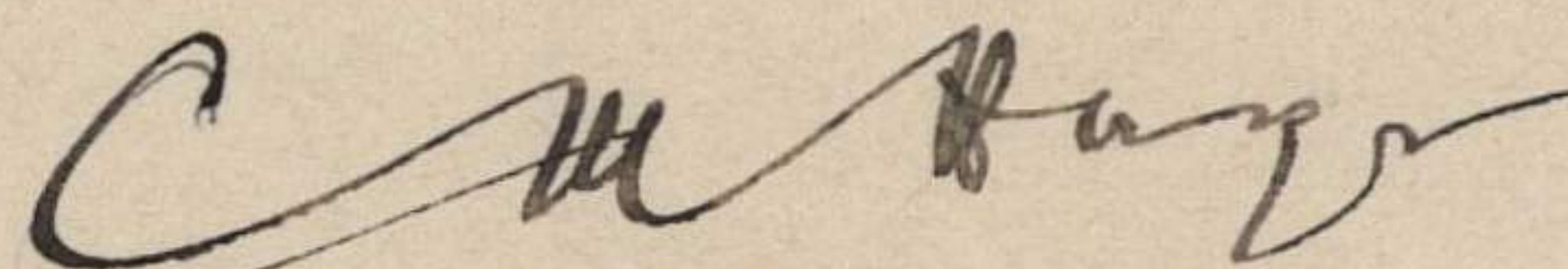
My dear Dr. Allen:

The Rotary Club invites you to make a talk on Friday, January 21, at 12 o'clock at the Sunflower Hotel. On that occasion we shall entertain the basketball squad of the high school and we shall appreciate it greatly if you accept the invitation.

We are sure that you will do the Club and the boys a lot of good and it will be a worthwhile talk.

With my personal regards, I am

Respectfully,



C. M. Harger,
Chairman

CMH:RP

December 24, 1937.

Miss Shirley Ann Hargiss,
1409 Rhode Island Street,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Shirley:

Shirley, when you came in with your bright and cheery smile this morning I reached into my pocket to find something for you and all I could find at that time was a stick of gum.

What I really wanted to give you is what I am sending you and Clark in this letter. I trust that you and Clark will enjoy some shows this week. Take along your parents and let's all have a good laugh.

You are a fine little saleswoman.

Wishing you a very Merry Christmas and a
Happy New Year, I am

Your well-wisher,

FUA:AH

Varsity Basketball Coach,
Director of ~~Physical~~ Education.

December 29, 1937.

Mr. Henry Harper,
Plymouth, Indiana.

Dear Hank:

I have received a fine leather folder from the Wisconsin Shoe Company, and a Christmas letter signed by J. E. Carney, wishing me Christmas greetings, and so forth.

Now, I want to see if I can do a little chiseling, Hank, if you can do it for me. I have a very fine friend in the athletic department, Mr. Earl L. Falkenstien. He is the financial secretary. He was with me for a great number of years when I was director of athletics, and he is still on the job with Mr. Gwinn Henry, my successor.

I would like to get a folder for him, if possible, and if you can not get it, it will be all right. I don't know whether you can chisel your company for one or not, but it wouldn't do your company any harm and might do them some good. If you cannot do this, Hank, be perfectly frank, as you know I am a rather understanding gentleman in regard to these things when I ask favors that cannot easily be accomplished.

Our love to the Harpers, and with the season's greetings, I am

Fraternally yours,

FCA:AH

Varsity Basketball Coach,
Director of Physical Education.

December 30, 1957.

Mr. Louis G. Hesselden,
403 N. 12th St.,
Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Dear Mr. Hesselden:

Pardon my delay in not answering your communication of the 13th instant sooner.

The Vestal Mechanical Laboratories, Inc. of St. Louis, Missouri, finished the auditorium floor where we play basketball. This floor is under the care of the superintendent of buildings and grounds, Mr. C. G. Bayles. It was he who made the selection of this product, as this floor was under his supervision during construction.

Frankly, if I had been making the selection I would have used the Seal-O-San finish, a product of the Huntington Laboratories, Huntington, Indiana. I believe Seal-O-San a superior product.

However both floor finishes are very good, as is the Hilliard floor finish, of St. Joseph, Missouri.

Very sincerely yours,

Varsity Basketball Coach,
Director of Physical Education.

FCA:AH

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JOHN MILNE, Superintendent

DECEMBER 13, 1937

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS
LAWRENCE, KANSAS

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TO WHICH GYMNASIUMS ARE ACCUSTOMED.

THE VESTAL MECHANICAL LABORATORIES, INC., OF
ST. LOUIS, MISS., HAVE REFERRED TO YOU AS A USER OF
THEIR PRODUCTS. WE SHOULD BE VERY PLEASED TO HAVE
YOU WRITE US CONCERNING YOUR FRANK OPINION OF VESTAL
FLOOR FINISH FOR GYMNASIUMS.

VERY TRULY YOURS,



LOUIS G. HESSELDEN
403 N. TWELFTH ST.
SCHOOL ARCHITECT

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December 30, 1937.

Mr. Ira Henry,
Coates House,
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Ira:

I have been chagrined beyond measure to receive a letter from Mr. Frank L. Myers, of Manhattan, copy of which I am sending you. You can appreciate my position, especially since you wrote me enclosing check and asking me to use my offices in getting tickets for you for the Kansas State - Nebraska game.

I did this, and I understand that you had very fine seats. It is needless for me to recall the many acts of kindness that I have performed for you regarding your K ticket and other comparable courtesies.

I have talked to Mr. Edwin Henry and Mr. Earl Falkenstein about this matter, and I feel that it is time that you should view this with deep concern and send a good check for the amount that you owe Kansas State College Athletic Association.

You will recall that I saw you Thanksgiving Day and mentioned this to you, and you made a remark that you wondered why they held the check so long. I am wondering, Ira, why you have waited so long to make amends. I am under the impression that a fellow who can attend football games at different locations can certainly afford to take care of his obligations promptly and without embarrassment to his friends and other prominent people in the athletic world.

I trust that you will haste in your settlement, sending the money direct to Mr. M. F. Ahearn, Director of Athletics at Kansas State College. Will you be kind enough to advise me when you have done this?

Very sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education.

December 7, 1937.

Mr. I. W. Hartley,
Charlton Insurance Agency,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Mr. Hartley:

I am enclosing check for \$2.00,
payable to the Douglas County Tuberculosis Association.

You can mail the seals to me at
the office, or leave them some time when you are going
by.

Cordially yours,

Varsity Basketball Coach,
Director of Physical Education.

January 5, 1938.

Mr. Alfred G. Hill,
Publisher, Cheyenne Tribune,
Cheyenne, Wyoming.

Dear Scoop:

I have just received a letter from Red Markley stating that he and you had Christmas dinner together.

I have written to Curtis W. McGraw, the vice president of McGraw-Hill Book Company, asking him to send you a copy of "Better Basketball". I trust that he will send you one, and if he does I would appreciate your sending him a note of what you think about the book, as I know that he will appreciate that.

My kindest regards to you and your good family.

Sincerely yours,

Varsity Basketball Coach,
Director of Physical Education.

FCA:AH



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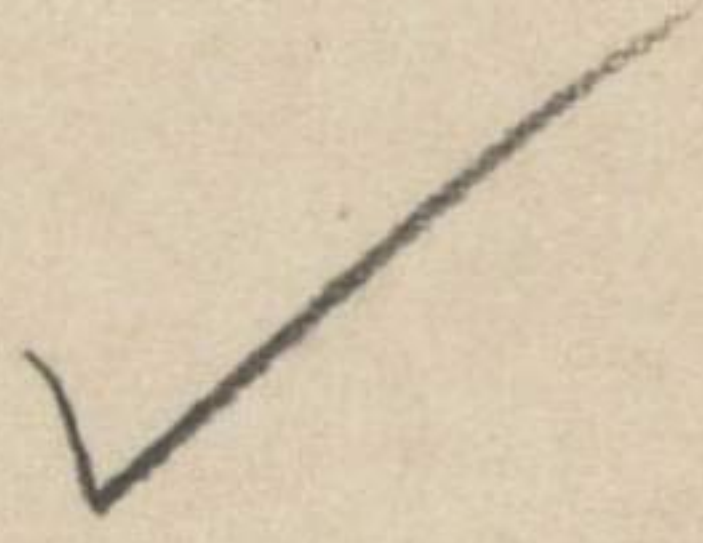
January 4, 1938

Mr. Forest Phog Allen
 Basketball Coach
 Kansas University
 Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Mr. Allen:

We have had numerous calls for your latest book, "Better Basketball" and we cannot find a source of supply.

Please use the enclosed card to advise from what publisher we may obtain this book.



Yours very truly

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CLH:HN

January 8, 1938.

Mr. Wm. Hogben,
447 West 62nd Terrace,
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Mr. Hogben:

I want to thank you so much for your kindness in taking Mr. Volz back to Kansas City last night. We desired a competent official, and the only way we could get him back to Kansas City was to impose on your generosity. Thank you so much.

I also want you to know that in my opinion Bill is going to make a fine basketball player. The big boys that guard, Arnold and Kline, were not quick enough on the shift to meet the shiftiness of their more experienced opponents. Bill is a good scrapper, has a good head on him, and although I did not play him the greater part of the game, I want you to know that I think he has fine possibilities. He is intelligent, aggressive and consistent.

The freshmen were bothered somewhat by stage-fright, but on the whole I thought they gave a good account of themselves.

Again assuring you it was a pleasure to see you, if only for a short time, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH

January 11, 1938.

Mr. Harold H. Hawkins,
308 N. Granby,
Richmond, Virginia.

Dear Harold:

We were happy indeed to hear from you
with your Christmas greeting.

Kindest regards to you and Mrs. Hawkins.

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

January 11, 1938.

Mr. Craige Harper,
4915 Central Street,
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Craige:

I too was sorry that you could not make
K. U. this year, but sincerely hope you can make
it next year.

I enjoyed your Christmas greeting and your
remembrance. Good luck to you, Craige.

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.



With WARM
GREETINGS at
CHRISTMAS and
BEST WISHES
for the NEW YEAR



Sorry I couldn't make
K.V. this year. Hope to
see you next year.

Sincerely yours

Leraige Harper
4915 Central St. Kansas City

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MADE IN U.S.A.

January 11, 1938.

Mr. Marvin Harms,
925 Pawnee Road,
Wilmette, Ill.

Dear Marvin:

Mrs. Allen and I certainly enjoyed the Christmas greeting from you and Mrs. Harms. I dropped over Christmas morning and had a fine chat with your sister and my good friend, J. J. Wheeler. They are certainly a great pair.

With every good wish, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH