

April 9, 1938.

Mr. C. C. Hardy, Principal,  
Hoisington High School,  
Hoisington, Kansas.

Dear Friend C. C.:

It is a great pleasure to do anything for you at any time, I assure you. I am writing Earl C. Woodward, of the Salina Journal. He had previously written me concerning one K. U. man and I could not give him any too strong a recommendation. I had also learned that Elmer Schaake was an applicant. We have two or three other K. U. boys who are rather eyeing the job.

I just got back this morning from an extended two-weeks trip to Minneapolis for the Physical Education Association meeting, and from the meeting of the National Association of Basketball Coaches in Chicago, which was followed immediately by the National Rules Body meeting.

The day I arrived in Kansas City I spoke to the Kiwanis Club, and the same evening, Thursday, I drove to Lebo for a high school banquet. We were snowed in, and last night I came home on the train, so this morning is the first opportunity I have had to look over my mail for two weeks.

However, I am immediately responding to your letter of the 6th instant and writing Earl C. Woodward and sending you a carbon copy of the letter that I have written him. Any time that I can be of any service to you, please feel perfectly free to command me.

With every good wish, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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April 9, 1938.

Mr. Earl C. Woodward,  
The Salina Journal,  
Salina, Kansas.

Dear Woody:

Mr. C. C. Hardy, principal and coach of the  
Hoisington High School, has asked me to write you con-  
cerning his efficiency and his ability.

I want to say to you that I have known Hardy  
for a great number of years. He played a splendid tackle  
at Springfield Teachers College, Springfield, Missouri,  
and then came to the University of Kansas where he played  
an outstanding tackle. He is one of the finest men that  
I have met. He is a great builder of the proper ideals  
in young manhood, and he is an A Number One coach.

Through his long experience in coaching and  
handling boys I would not hesitate to recommend him as  
one of the finest of the coaches in Kansas. He is clean,  
capable and courageous. I would not hesitate to recommend  
him without reservation or evasion.

With every good wish to you, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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EDWARD D. KROESCH  
Superintendent

C. C. HARDY, Principal  
Senior High School

HOISINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

HOISINGTON, KANSAS

April 6, 1938

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

Dear Dr. Allen:

Perhaps you can add to your letters of recommendation that Hardy is persistent. This time I am trying for the Salina High School coaching job. I have sent my credentials and records to Superintendent W. S. Heusner and Monday I went for a personal interview. While there I saw Earl C. Woodward of the Class of 1910. He informed me that he played two years on your teams. I thought it best for you to write to him instead of to Superintendent Heusner. The address is The Salina Journal.

The Board of Education will probably make the decision Monday night, April eleventh.

Congratulations! Even your few enemies will have to admit after this years wonderful basketball season that you are the World's Best Basketball Coach.



EDWARD D. KROESCH  
Superintendent

C. C. HARDY, Principal  
Senior High School

HOISINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
HOISINGTON, KANSAS

Please accept my thanks for your many kind efforts  
in my behalf.

Very Sincerely,

*C. C. Hardy*



June 29, 1933.

Dr. H. B. Hungerford,  
Michigan Biological Station,  
Cheboygan, Michigan.

Dear Horb:

I am sorry to bother you with this detail, but since Dean Lawson is out of town, Lawrence Woodruff suggested that perhaps we should write you a letter.

A number of our summer session students are interested in archery, and they have been shooting on the side of the hill south of the gymnasium. Instead of bringing the rather cumbersome equipment back to the gym each time I am wondering if it could be stored in the bee house down there at night, just during the summer school.

Mr. Woodruff informs me that you left word the key to the bee house was not to be given to anyone. We, of course, would have some responsible person in charge of this archery equipment, and nothing in the bee house would be disturbed.

I shall be glad to have your reaction on this request.

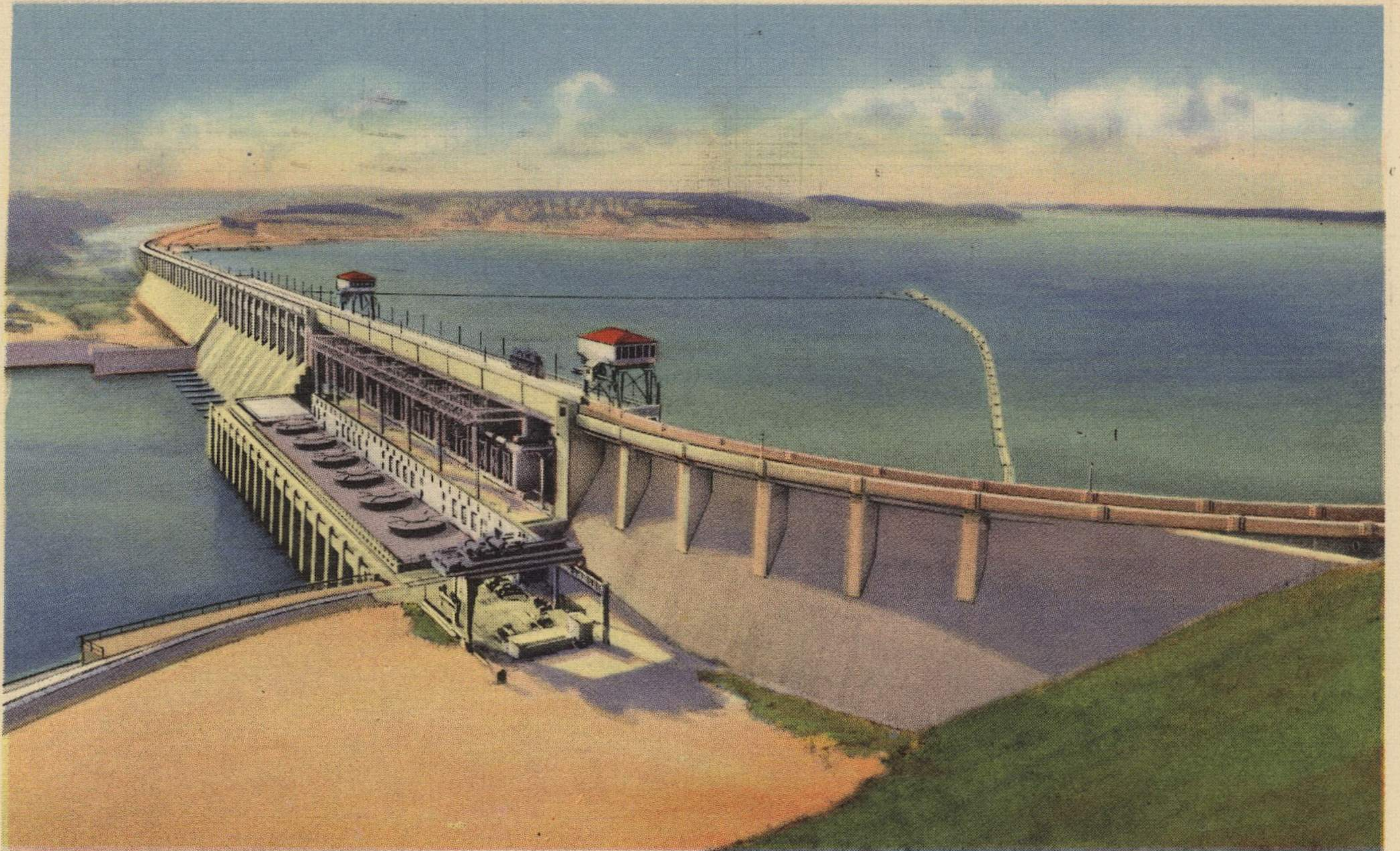
With best wishes for a pleasant summer, I am

Very cordially yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.



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*Edmund Webster - Mo.*

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twice a day - Had a  
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*Dr. F. C. Allen  
Kansas University  
Lawrence  
Kansas*



July 25, 1938.

Mrs. E. L. Hendricks,  
Warrensburg, Missouri.

Dear Mrs. Hendricks:

I just read this morning in the Times of the quite serious illness of Dr. Hendricks. May I express my best wishes and hopes for his ultimate and complete recovery.

I spoke in Warrensburg during the celebration for their basketball championship. Mrs. Allen went down with me, and of course we asked about you and Dr. Hendricks, but you were both away at the time. We were sorry to have missed you.

Mrs. Allen, Jane and Eleanor have driven to New York, and Bobby and I are here in the summer school. I have written Mrs. Allen this morning regarding Dr. Hendricks illness, and I am very sure she will write you upon receipt of my letter.

With sincere regards and all good wishes, I am

Faithfully yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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MARVIN HALL, M. D.  
SURGEON  
704 KANSAS AVE.  
TOPEKA, KANSAS

May 28, 38

Dr Forrest C Allen  
Lawrence, Kans  
Dear Doctor Allen:

Since receiving your letter  
I have been to the hospital for another  
transfusion, but I am now home again  
, feeling much better, and will be more than  
happy to have you run over to see me  
any time that you can find time to do  
so.

Please give my regards to my friends

Fraternally

Marvin Hall



July 8, 1938.

Mr. Rochelle D. Hamlin,  
215 Phelps Street,  
Windsor, Missouri.

Dear Rochelle:

Your letter of April 20 has been uncovered here on my desk, although my secretary acknowledged receipt of the same when it came in. The fault is my own for not answering sooner but the fact of the matter is that I have been out of the state much during the spring.

Coach Ramsey wrote me about you, and I want to assure you that I will be glad to help you in any way I can. However, I would suggest that you definitely plan on something that you would like to take and then pick out your school to fit that selection. I know it is perfectly natural for a boy to desire to go to a school that has a good athletic team. I am sure you will not overlook the very important element of choosing a school with a fine educational background, because after all when your college playing days are over you will want to lean on your more fundamental training for life's success.

About all that we should expect out of athletics is that it should introduce a boy favorably to society and business. If it has done that it has done the very thing it should do for young men. If it does introduce you favorably to society you have doubtless been a good trainer and a fine sportsman.

If I can be of any service to you in any way, it will be a pleasure. The tuition at the University of Kansas is practically double for out of state students, although I do not believe it is much higher now than the charge at the University of Missouri.

With every good wish, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH



Ack'd  
P.C.

215 Phelps Street  
Windsor, Missouri  
April 20, 1938

Dr. Forrest Allen  
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Mr. Allen:

Upon asking coach Geo. Ramsey of Clinton, Missouri high school to help me find a way to go on to school, he suggested that I write to you.

I will graduate from Windsor, Missouri high school next month and I find that my parents are unable to finance a college education for me, however they will help me some, just how much it is uncertain just at this time to say.

Mr. Ramsey thinks I have good possibilities in basket ball, however I was unlucky this past season, in that I suffered a case of tooth infection right in the middle of the season and was never quite able to do what I would otherwise have done. We play an out door as well as indoor season in our small school and I played some in 25 games scoring 285 points for the season. I have been high point man the past two years here and of course I realize that my chances with college basket ball would be uncertain, I would at least like to come out for practice. I am seventeen years old, five feet eleven inches in height, and weigh 150 pounds. Any kind of work I may get will be acceptable.

I have worked in a grocery, evenings and Saturdays, since I was fourteen years old. I thought perhaps you could find some way for me to work to pay in part my expenses in school. Any information will be greatly appreciated.

Yours truly

*Rochelle D. Hamlin*

Rochelle D. Hamlin



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June 24, 1938.

Mr. Richard Harp,  
1301 West Campus,  
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Dick:

I am just a little concerned about your grades. Please do not think I am nagging you, but I notice that you have been going out of town rather consistently, and I recall the fact that in your conversation with me after you had failed in your Spanish course that you stated you were going to get down on a strict study basis and make some good grades.

I recall very vividly when you went to Kansas City with Mrs. Allen and me to the Rosedale High School activity banquet in which you were set out as one of the outstanding students from Rosedale High School. I also recall that Superintendent Schlagle told me at the Argentine High School banquet the year you were a senior in Rosedale that there was one young man who was a grand student and a fine athlete, and in addition was all man. He said that boy was Richard Harp, of Rosedale.

Dick, I am concerned in you and your future. You have too many fine qualities to be doing a job only partially. That is the reason for this letter. Won't you take a re-inventory of your time and bear down on this study business? I am looking into the future year after this coming fall when Dick Harp should occupy all the highlights that Fred Pralle occupied, and in addition to that Dick Harp should be one of the outstanding students on the campus like he was at Rosedale High School.

Won't you drop in to see me, and let's talk this thing over. Athletic leadership is nil when you have nothing but athletic leadership.

Yours for a big year next year, and a bigger year the year following - for you and for all of us.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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June 1st  
1937

Mr. Gwinn Henry  
Director of Athletics  
University of New Mexico  
Albuquerque, N. Mex.

Dear Gwinn:

I imagine that you have been harassed and high pressured already to join the Lawrence Country Club.

I do not know whether you care or expect to join. However, I belong to that large group of individuals who when they see a salubrity or celebrity come to town with a big title and lots of money invariably set upon him to sell him something and get some of his money.

Last year being Director of Athletics at the University of Kansas I, along with others in Lawrence, was prevailed upon to take out a second membership in the Lawrence Country Club so that they could install an eighteen hole golf course instead of a nine hole course. I fell for the plan just like all other individuals in that class.

I have a second membership for sale and would make you a good price should you be in the market. Or, should you not care for one now and at a later date should you desire a membership, I would like very much to sell you one of mine.

In other words I have something to sell and I hope you will want to buy something. I am just writing early, or has it been early, so the bird can get at least one worm.

I am glad to see that you were successful in renting a nice home in Lawrence. I was afraid that if you waited until July 1st, the choice locations would have been eliminated.

With every good wish, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director.



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July 11, 1938.

Mr. T. P. Hunter,  
Perry, Oklahoma.

Dear T. P.:

I dictated a letter to you yesterday which you will find enclosed. I am now writing you regarding your letter of the 7th inst.

I was afraid it was more than a man-sized job, T. P. I understand that this rough-necking work is a tough job in itself. I knew that when you went down there, but I thought that I had no right to ask you to stay in summer school and pay a very large tuition and then have you lose out on your work during the summer. I did not know your financial situation, but I did understand that your brother paid a large share of your expenses.

And I do know this - it is much better for you to work and earn your own money, even though you do not play basketball much this next year, than for you to have your brother furnish all your funds and have you take the money from him in order to be eligible. You will get a lot more education working and earning your own money than you will by studying for an academic education and hoping that you will make yourself eligible for basketball. After all, T. P., you are doing the very thing that makes a man out of a boy. And you will appreciate your education a lot more when in your work you compare your brawn with the brawn of your fellows who have never been in school. In this perspective you will envision your future.

You will see what it would be with no higher educational training -- just a long, rough road where you can never climb to great heights but where you will do your work, have little responsibility, and sometimes, I think, maybe be a little happier for not having had too much education. But a fellow like you would never be content to be like the lowing herd. T. P., you have got a lot of stuff in you, and I am glad that you have written me the frank letter that you have, and I think it best that you continue to do just what you have done. You come back the next semester and make all of your work, and although I doubt very much whether you will be able to make a letter the second semester, you will be one year older and you will have a lot of experience. There isn't any question in my mind but what you will do a lot of good in basketball, and of course you will have your baseball in the spring, that is, if the varsity plays baseball.



It might be that you would not want to play the second semester and keep your eligibility for three years, but you know, I have never advised that unless a boy wants to make three varsity letters. But I find that the time to play is when you can, because you have to work hard all the rest of your life.

Yes, T., Bob and Howard are in summer school. I think Bob is going to knock out another "A" on his chemistry. He is a real student and he is so consistently studious. He gets his lessons first before he does anything else. That is a quality that I very much admire. He loves sports, but he never puts his sports ahead of his academic work. The reason I am so happy that he is fond of sports is because he wants to be a champion and he realizes that a fellow who does not train has little chance of gaining that mythical something -- that standing in front of the rest of the gang. That is about all a champion is, but it is worth striving for. Then, of course, he like any other boy does it from a selfish standpoint. It gives him so much pain to lose and so much joy to win that he will say "No" to temptation many, many times so that he can say "Yes" once to victory. And T., you are the same kind of a fellow. You are normally a pretty careful trainer. You have a fine body and splendid coordination.

I don't know whether you have started chewing and smoking down there, or not. It is pretty tough with that bunch of rough-necks not to do some of those things, because the primal activity of a rough-neck is drinking hard liquor. Those gangs are about as raw as any outfit of so-called he men that you can find. And you can't be a sissy around them, either. There isn't anything that some of those fellows haven't tried. But everyone of them likes a regular fellow who is still regular enough with them to laugh and joke and live out in the open and carry his share of the load. But there isn't a single one of them that doesn't admire a good, clean man. They know that they do those things, and they know they are wrong. But as far as they are concerned, what the blank, blank do they care. So, T. P., you don't have to smoke and you don't have to drink and chew, but it takes a pretty smart fellow to get along with them if you don't, and you are smarter if you don't, than if you do. I'll bet you will be a tough hombre when you get back.

By the way, did you know my son, Milton, who played on the ever-victorious 1935 team, has been a roustabout for 18 months out at Russell, Kansas? He lives in Russell, but drives to Gorham, 14 miles west in the oil fields, every day he works. He is a first class roustabout and makes about \$145.00 a month. He has definitely been in line for a very splendid advancement, but the repression or the depression, or should we call it the re-depression, has held him back. And of course these college boys feel like they are not advancing fast enough, even in spite of re-depressions. But he will go places. He has the training and the ability, and although youngsters think they move too slowly, in time they will move up.

So lots of good luck to you, T. Write me whenever you can and let me hear from you as I am always interested in your activity. Ralph Miller got a "D" in Zoology, and I am not sure but I believe Ed Hall also got a "D". Ralph has been a little disappointing in his grades. They were nearly all "D's". I am sorry that he did not make



better grades as he has the capacity - more than he has shown. I am afraid he is loafing, mentally and physically, more than he should.

Reverting back to Bob and Howard, - we have a six-team softball league here this summer, and Bob is captain of the Jayhawkers. They are in second place. A bunch of old school professors beat them the first game, and did the youthful feathers fly! When these old men whipped them that was the first game, but they play them again today and they think they are going to take them this time.

I am sending you a couple of Summer Session Kansans so that you can at least read a little about Mount Oread and her activities.

With lots of good luck to you, T., I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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Perry Okla.  
July 7, 1938.

Dear Dr. Allen:

I have decided not to take the courses in correspondence. I thought for a while that I would be able to complete the courses and work too, but find it harder than I suspected. I probably could have finished one of the courses, but don't believe I could ever have completed eight hours. So I decided that there was no use taking correspondence all summer if I couldn't be eligible for basketball.

I am sorry that I couldn't make the grade, and that I won't be eligible next semester, but hope to be eligible for the second semester.

I am working morning tour from twelve O'clock mid-night till eight O'clock in the morning. I come home then and sleep all day until about five or six O'clock in the afternoon. I feel good enough



to work, but do not have much desire to sit down and study lesson. So far, I haven't worked regularly, but believe I will get a full check for the first half of July. If we get a well, I should have work the rest of the summer.

Did all the boys get through all right the last semester? I know Ralph, and Ed Hall, were a little uneasy about Zoology. Are Howard and Bob going to summer school like they said they were? Again, I am sorry about not completing the work, or "for striking out," but I believe that eight hours of correspondence and a roughnecking job combined make an "Ace" pitcher. However, I do believe I can hit the next time at bat.

yours sincerely  
J. P. Hunter Jr.



July 9, 1938.

Mr. T. P. Hunter,  
Perry, Oklahoma.

Dear T. P.:

I was chagrined to find, when I called Miss Kenney this morning, that you had failed to send in any of your lesson plans on your correspondence study work. She stated that you had enrolled properly in 5 hours, but you failed to do any work, and this is the middle of July. You have 7 hours to go and that is a long stretch.

I sincerely hope that you do not let summer languor overcome you and put off until tomorrow what you can do today. Won't you write me and let me know your objective? You made a fine record this spring and we are proud of you. I am hoping that we will have reason to continue to be optimistic regarding your possibilities in academics. I know that you will be mighty happy if you will dig in and do your work.

We are playing three games with the Oklahoma Aggies, dedicating their field house on December 9 and 10, and playing them up here on February 9. We are also playing the University of Texas at Austin on December 16 and 17, and Southern Methodist University at Dallas on December 19 and 20.

So write me, T. P., that you are digging in. It might be a good idea, unless you are working regularly, to come up here to the University and even though you have to pay board, you would be in a position here to actually do this work. You won't be happy to be eligible for the second semester. Most of our games will be over by that time. I am speaking about the preliminary games, and these are the ones that put you in shape for the season.

Let me hear from you, old fellow.

With every good wish, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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August 10, 1938.

Dr. Marvin Hall,  
127 North Doheny Drive,  
Beverly Hills, Calif.

Dear Doctor Marvin:

I was mighty happy to have your good letter of the 3rd instant. Ole did not get his job at Bethany College. They hired Ray Hahn, the old Aggie tackle who picked up that Patsy Clark fumble and ran for a touchdown. You remember that, do you not?

Ole thought he had the job and he was pleased beyond measure that he would not have to go back to New York and take the beating that the pros have to take for the amount of money they receive. Ole was in yesterday just before he went home, and he was a little low, but the pick-up is coming fast and I tried to encourage him and tell him he shouldn't go back to New York, that he should go to Kansas City and land a job there.

He graduates this summer, and with a degree and his personality he should go far. He said that he could go to Kansas City and drive a Crown truck for \$27.50 a week, but I told him there were a lot better things in store than that, but even if he took that job and kept his eyes open I was sure that we could help him get a much better job. He is keen, has a strong personality, and I am sure will make good if he just keeps his chin up.

It seems as if everybody has been working this summer so far as the students are concerned. I do not know of a single student who has been loafing this summer. They have all been working, so this is a pretty good index that the job situation and the financial situation is very much on the rise. I take the Kiplinger confidential newsletter out of Washington, and they state in their letter of August 6th that the year 1939 probably will be about 12% to 15% better than 1938 according to the prevailing estimates there. Also that the world's business index is turning up after several months slump.

So with the huge government spending program and the natural upturn of business everybody ought to feel a lot better so far as the financial outlook is concerned.



Many of the people are alarmed over the way the country is going in debt. Well, gosh, we have got most of the gold of the world, and if we can't pay our debts after this financial intoxication, - who can? Every other nation on the globe is more cock-eyed financially than America. So, I am rather one of those who is not too much disturbed over what we owe. When a new administration comes in they will certainly crack down, and after this election year I look to see a very close spending program for Mr. Roosevelt.

But these WPA boys do put their money in circulation! A taxicab man told me that the WPA boys won't walk a block. We are having a WPA convention here at the University and quite a number of them are colored gentry. There are about 350 in attendance at the convention, and will be here for three weeks. So you can see that we are getting a good insight into the attitude of the WPA administrator.

Now, regarding Dean. He got his job O.K. and is very happy. Ole and Dean were in the office and I showed Ole your letter where you said you would hate to see him go back to New York. I was glad for him to see that because I do not believe New York is the place for him to go. He needs a lot of friendship and good advice from people who can assure him of the durable things of life. Ole is a little sour on certain things, and if some one can touch the better nature in his life I am sure that he will be a very fine man.

I have been playing golf in the afternoons with Gwinn Henry and Bill Hargiss. It has been hot as the mischief here the last few days, but we are promised relief by showers this afternoon or evening, - we hope. Bill told me of his fine visit with you, and I am glad that he had a chance to see you as he reports a lovely time.

Mrs. Allen and I and our children were out there in 1932 to the Olympic Games, and were at Beverly Hills. It is a lovely place. We visited in Glendale for a month, took an apartment, and we really did Los Angeles' forty square miles up in good shape. I love that cemetery at Glendale. I think it is one of the most gorgeous places in the world. A fellow feels like all the souls there are literally alive. I do not want to live in California, but I like to visit there for a month and then I want to get out.

I am delighted that you are feeling better than you have in the past six months, and I am glad that old hemoglobin is doing you right. Gee, it would be swell to see you back at the old stand, swinging with the vigor that was yours a few years ago. I marveled at your indefatigability a few years ago. You



operated all day, then drove all night to see a high school athlete for this coach or that, and you had enthusiasm for games and for people that was balanced. I only wish that people had appreciated your enthusiasm and service comparable to the energy that you were putting out. Of course, now you are going to take things easier, and you should, but when I would see you driving all night to see this or that young athlete, I just wanted to suggest that you slow up and get some sleep.

I have learned a lot since Knute Rockne's death. I used to try that day and night stuff, and they predicted the same thing for me that they predicted for Rockne, but perhaps if it hadn't happened to Rock it would have happened to me. No more high pressure for me. I get up a lot of steam, but I don't keep it up for a prolonged period. In fact, I start to go like I used to, and then something tells me that it is no good. Then I slow down.

It will be glad to see you, Doctor, and I hope that you continue on the upgrade. Please remember me to your lovely family.

With sincerest wishes, I am

Fraternally yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.



July 5, 1938.

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

Dear Hank:

I have just finished writing to two of the coaches who inquired about the shoes. As I understood it, Bud Weidick told these fellows you were not making the Wisco shoes, and they asked me about it, so the only thing for me to do was write you and find out. We certainly like the shoes, although we found that one or two of the boys had developed a stone bruise, but it was not bad. I wish I had the "Phog Allen" shoes for practice and the Wisco shoes for games. All of our boys are crazy about them, and we, of course, will use them again this next year.

Mrs. Allen, Jane and Eleanor may drive East the middle of this month and then they want to swing back by the way of Culver on the return. Bobby is in summer school getting his pre-medic work partially out of the way. Chemistry is the thing he is digging on this summer. He is making fine grades. Summer school is out here August 3, and Mrs. Allen wants Bobby and me to drive back to Culver to meet them on their return.

So, if we do that we may have a chance for a little golf with you. We will let you know as time goes on. Of course we will have a day or two together and whack that golf ball around those fairways.

Give Katherine and Hank, Jr., our love, and we sincerely hope that we will be seeing you. We also congratulate you on the progress that Hease is making. I trust that it proves to be all that you would hope for.

With best wishes, I am

Fraternally yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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# WISCONSIN SHOE COMPANY



MILWAUKEE

Plymouth Ind  
July 1<sup>st</sup> 1938

Forrest C. Allen  
Univ of Kansas  
Lawrence Kans.

Dear "Phog":-

Have your letter of the 29<sup>th</sup> and believe me we ARE making those Basket Ball shoes just the same as in the past. In fact we are having the largest sale for future delivery we ever had.

Are you coming down this way this summer. I am getting a little better a golf so can give you a better battle this year.

We have changed the name of our salve from "Skin-Ez" to "Heaze" and are doing a real nice business. Looks like one of the large advertising concerns is going to get back of it so you may hear more about it soon. Its going over big now for Sunburn.

Katherine & I surely hope you all get down to Culver soon as we always enjoy seeing you.

Regards from us to you all  
"Hank" Harper



February 23, 1938.

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

Dear Dr. Hulburt:

I am very happy to know that you received  
your copy of "Better Basketball".

When you write your comment I know you  
will be sure to address it personally to Mr. Curtis W. Mc-  
Graw and thank him, because it was Mr. McGraw who sent  
you the book.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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Mr. Curtis W. McGraw,  
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330 West 42nd Street  
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Dear Sir:

I very much appreciate the thoughtfulness of Dr. Allen in interceding in my behalf and causing you to send me a copy of his book, "Better Basketball." I have written a comment on the book and if it is not possible to get it into the March Journal, I hope that it will appear in April.

Yours very truly,

Ray G. Hulburt, D.O.  
Editor

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127 North Doheny Drive  
Beverly Hills, California  
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Dr. Forrest C. Allen  
Lawrence, Kansas

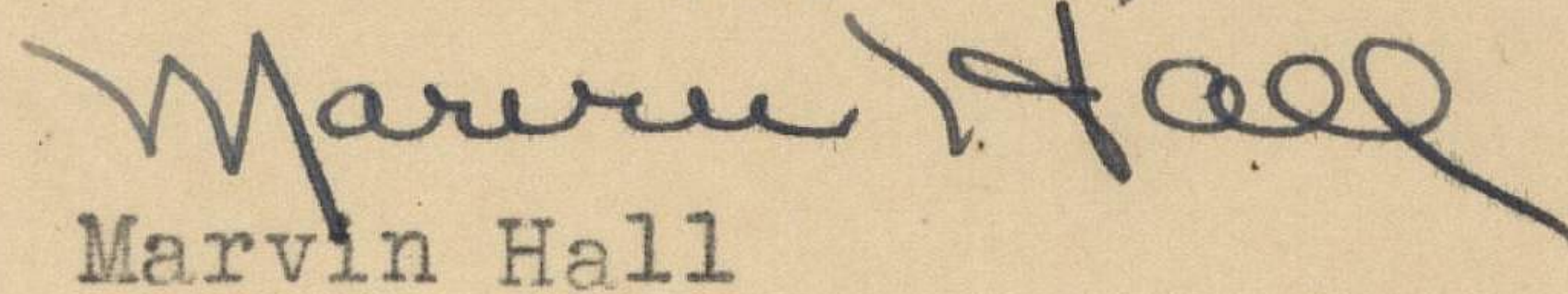
Dear Fog:

Thank you very much for your kind letters I appreciate them very much. The letters to your basket-ball players were very interesting and gives one an inside light as to why Kansas wins the basket-ball championship with so much regularity. With the national Collegiate Championship Tournament coming up for the first time I think that you and all of us are very fortunate in having such a good squad to work with and I am sure that they will go places and do things. That is a very fine Southern trip you have worked out for the boys.

Wish that you could drop in on us for a few days as we are very well situated in a lovely home in Beverly Hills. This evening we are going out on the beach for a picnic dinner and to watch the tide come in and the sun go down. I feel better then at any time in the past six months and my blood is staying up better. It now looks a little more then possible that some day I may be able to return to my work and to my friends.

I haven't heard any more from Ole so do not know if he got his coaching job or not. It doesn't look like too much of a good thing but at least it will get him started and his feet down on solid ground. I would hate to see him go back to New York. I had lunch and a nice visit with Bill Hargiss which I enjoyed very much.

Fraternally yours,

  
Marvin Hall



August 30, 1938.

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

Dear Dr. Hall:

I am wondering if you are back in Topeka by this time. I want to send you some information a little later on which I want you to have as a member of the Athletic Board and as a friend of a Kansas boy. I shall be glad to know when you are in Topeka.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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November 17, 1937.

Rev. W. Hilst,  
Preston, Kansas.

Dear Reverend Hilst:

I am very happy to have your letter of the 16th instant, and assure you that I will be glad to call Harold in and have a talk with him.

I might explain certain things that are perhaps in his mental background causing him to give up varsity basketball for intramural basketball. The Triangle Fraternity has a strong team in intramurals and doubtless the fraternity is asking him to go in for intramurals rather than for the varsity.

My approach to him would be, of course, to talk with him about coming out, but we never urge the boys to do so, placing it squarely up to their own desires. It is entirely a voluntary matter. You can see our position if we used undue pressure or persuasion. They would feel that they were perhaps doing something for the coach or for the University, if pressure were put upon them. Varsity athletics should be a pleasure and should have a side that is stimulating in play.

I am sure you will agree with me, Reverend Hilst, that the most difficult man to teach is the fellow that you have to persuade to play. There will, of course, be discouraging moments. There will be times when a boy is either mentally or physically ill, when he feels that someone else is being given a greater opportunity than he is, and it takes all the courage surging up in a man's breast to keep him going through discouragement. However, in the long run, this is good for them. I only mention these things to describe a cycle that has been in the life of each one of us, and doubtless it has recurred to him many times.

I will call him in, but you can see that I am in rather a bad position to go beyond the point of having a friendly chat with him and asking if he is interested in varsity basketball. We have issued the call and of course he has not responded. On your account we will do this extra thing, but it is not done in



the general run of cases.

I want you to know that I appreciate your interest in the Kansas basketball team and in reciprocity I am interested in your son. If there is any act or word that I can initiate in Harold's behalf, please be assured that I will always be happy to do that particular thing.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education.

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Mr. Phog Allen  
Lawrence, Mo.

Dear Sir, I received word from the boy, Harold, Hilat that he is inclined to drop basket ball this year on account of his job. Now I'm directing these lines to you in the hope some thing can be done about it for I would greatly dislike to see him do so. He was out faithfully all season on the freshman squad and had high hopes for this year. He is a natural basket ball player and I feel he has possibilities also for the Jay-hawks. And it would mean so much for his scholastic career if he would keep up this sport. Would you please call him in and talk the matter over with him. He is at the Triangle Fraternity. 1145 Ind.

Thanking you for your interest in helping us to prepare these young men for life I beg to remain  
Yours truly  
James H. Kelly - Pres. W. Hilat