

July 8, 1938.

Mr. V. F. Hornlund,  
General Supervisor, Physical Activities,  
Administration Building,  
Burnham Park,  
Chicago, Illinois.

Dear Mr. Hornlund:

I desire to thank you very much for your good letter of June 2nd in which you enclose the booklet, "Baseball".

I think you have done a wonderful job, and this booklet is a definite contribution to the great national outdoor game. I am going to enjoy reading every page of it, and I will see that this is passed on to our coaching and recreational people.

With deep appreciation, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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BURNHAM PARK.

# CHICAGO PARK DISTRICT

CHICAGO

June 2, 1938

Mr. F. C. Allen,  
University of Kansas,  
Lawrence, Kans.

Dear Mr. Allen:-

I am sending under separate cover a copy of the Baseball Book, which has just come off the press, and is another contribution in our Sports Analysis Group.

I would appreciate getting your reaction as to the general contents and layout of the booklet. It represents a terrific amount of work, but the manner in which these little booklets are received seems to make up for the labor involved in producing them. We are selling the baseball book at 35¢ per copy, the same as the Diving Book. However, the copy I am sending you is a complimentary copy.

Very sincerely,

V. F. Hernlund,  
General Supervisor,  
Physical Activities.

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July 8, 1938.

Mr. Brutus Hamilton,  
Head Track Coach,  
University of California,  
Berkeley, California.

Dear Brutus:

It was good to see you and have a visit with you. I am mighty happy that you stopped.

Glenn Cunningham has just left the office after a very pleasant visit. Glenn accepted a position this noon as a lecturer in the extension division of the University. He takes up his duties September first.

I am sending you an autographed copy of "Better Basketball". Knowing your yen for writing and your keen conception of analytical reading, I am afraid that you will find many flaws in my latest literary attempt. However, I feel that some parts of it may have your commendation. I hope that you will enjoy it, and I am presenting it to you with my best wishes.

Our love to Rowena and Jean.

Very cordially yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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July 11, 1936.

Mr. Taft Talbot,  
R. S. Elliott Co.,  
1508 Grand Ave.,  
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Taft:

We have never received the bills for the three croquet sets that you delivered several weeks ago. I hope you haven't forgotten about them. The bills should be sent in duplicate to the Summer Session, University of Kansas. We, of course, will have to O.K. the bills before the requisitions are made out.

Would you kindly date one bill for two sets about June 7, the beginning of the Summer Session, and date the other one, for one set, ten days later?

I enjoyed my game of golf with you the other day immensely.

Very cordially yours,

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Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.



July 14, 1938.

Mr. James M. Haughey,  
Titles Department, Room 920,  
Humble Oil & Refining Co.,  
Houston, Texas.

Dear Jim:

Thank you for your good letter of the 11th instant. Your letter gives me the very necessary information that I desired. At the beginning of the school year we will get together all the sub-committees representing the other groups that we had not taken care of previously.

Trusting that you may have a pleasant summer,  
I am

Sincerely yours,

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Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.



# HUMBLE OIL & REFINING COMPANY

HOUSTON, TEXAS

July 11, 1938

T. F. GREEN,  
LAND COMMISSIONER

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

Dear Dr. Allen:

I have received your letter of July 8 concerning the Special Group Meetings Committee of the University Christian Mission; you suggest that we had placed on various committees those persons whose names I gave your secretary just before the close of school last spring.

As I recall our plans, we selected D. J. Willcuts, Bob Allen, Tom Palmerlee, Mary Markham, Dick McCann, and Jim Raport to constitute the Special Group Meetings Committee; these people were chosen to represent various groups, of course, and I think we had tentatively planned for each to head a sub-committee to arrange for a meeting with his group.

The groups for which the committee members were chosen are as follows: D. J. Willcuts, Women's Physical Education; Bob Allen, Men's Physical Education and other athletes; Tom Palmerlee, Engineering and Graduate Schools; Mary Markham, Fine Arts School; Dick McCann, Summerfield group and Journalism School; Jim Raport, Men's Physical Education.

We have not contacted several other persons whom we had considered for sub-committees representing other groups such as the Law and Business schools, and the English and political science departments, and I suppose we shall have to wait until fall to do that.

I hope this answers your questions satisfactorily. If I can be of any help to you during the summer, don't hesitate to let me know.

Sincerely yours,

James M. Haughey,  
Titles Department, Room 920.



July 18, 1938.

Mr. Robert Hunt,  
Cheley Colorado Camps,  
Estes Park, Colorado.

Dear Bobby:

I am very glad to have your note from  
Estes Park and to know that you are playing and working  
hard.

We have been busy here all summer. Bob is  
going to summer school, digging in on his chemistry so  
he will have that out of the way when basketball season  
starts.

In the very near future I am going to write  
all the basketball boys a letter telling them of our  
schedule for next year and also about the possible national  
play-off. So you may expect to get a letter soon regarding  
our plans, and so forth.

It was a pleasure to hear from you, Bobby,  
and I hope you continue to enjoy your summer.

With best wishes, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.



Mrs H — Pls ackn. and  
write Bobby a friendly  
note telling him that  
I'll be writing him a  
note real soon telling all of  
the basketeers some interesting news  
Geo





CHELEY COLORADO CAMPS

Estes Park, Colo.

P.S. Had a nice talk  
with Dick Wells & his wife  
last week.

Tuesday

Dear Dr. Allen,  
Just a line to let you know  
that I'm both working and playing  
hard and that it's a great  
country here. Trust you are  
enjoying a pleasant summer.  
My regards to the family.

Fraternally,

Bob Hunt



July 2, 1938.

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

Dear Lacey:

I have just taken care of the detail that you mentioned over the telephone. I am very sure that you will have full cooperation.

Assuring you of my friendly cooperative efforts any time you telephone me, I am

Very sincerely yours,

FGA:AH

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.



June 29, 1938.

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

Dear Hank:

Some one told me that you are not manufacturing the Wisco basketball shoe for next year. Am I right, or am I right? I am writing only because I want to find this out at an early date.

Give our love to your good family, and let me hear from you at your early convenience.

Fraternally yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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June 29, 1938.

Mr. Irving Hill,  
Lawrence Paper Co.,  
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Mr. Hill:

The diagram of the lawn bowling has just arrived today from Mr. George Veenker, director of athletics at Iowa State College. He was later in sending it than I had hoped, but if I can still be of service in giving you these drawings it will be a pleasure.

I just called this afternoon, but found that you were out. My number is K. U. 89 and if I am not here just call my secretary and she will be glad to send the information on to you. I would be happy to have the drawings returned after you have finished with them.

Very sincerely yours,

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Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.



July 19, 1938.

Mr. Roy Hegeman,  
305 West 23rd Street,  
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Mr. Hegeman:

I was gratified at the possibility of finding a spare time in which the township equipment might be available for helping us in our grading work on the University intramural field.

I will get in touch with you at your convenience some time this week and go over the possibilities with you.

With appreciation, I am

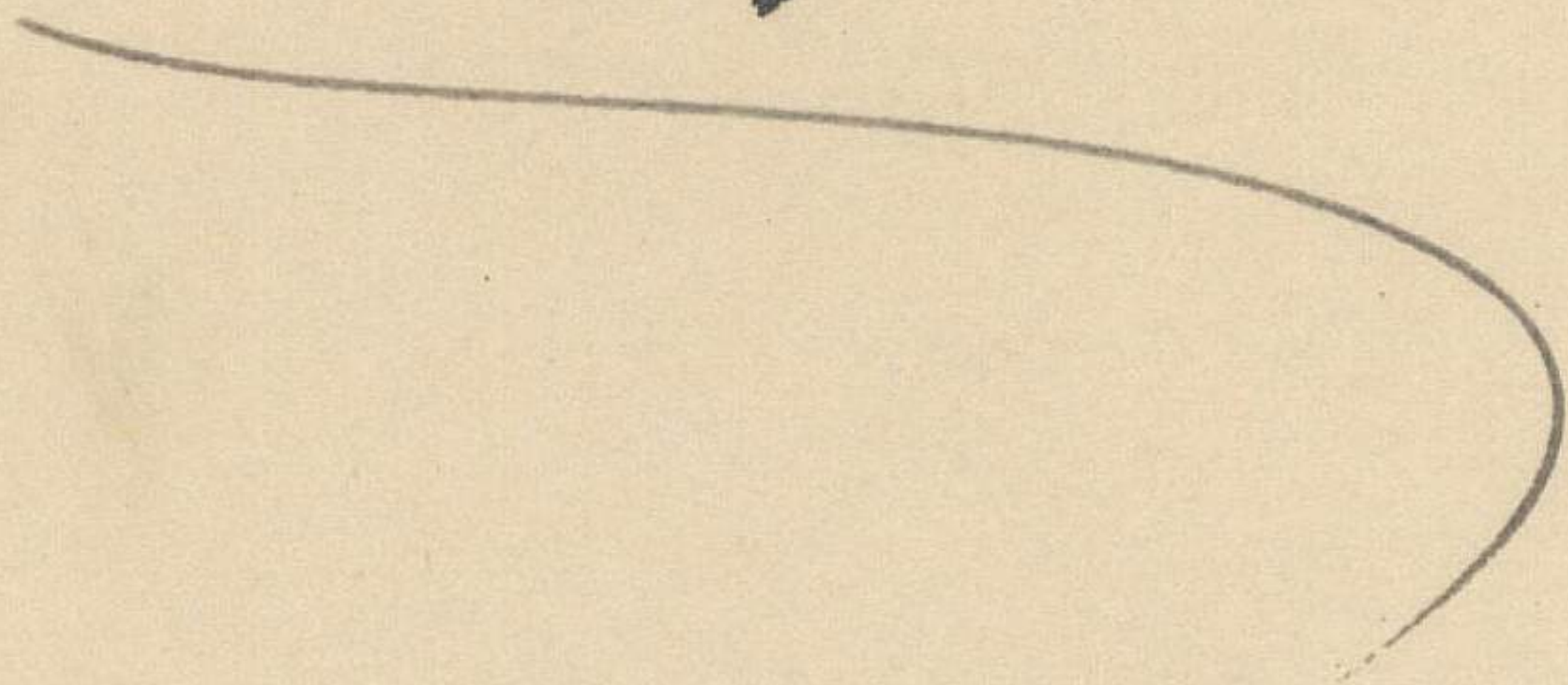
Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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Write Mr Hegeman  
and Mr Russell





Phone 1233

Mr Hegeman's address  
305 West 23rd  
Near voting precinct

Prof. Russell suggests that you call Mr.

Roy Hegeman, 2595M, in regard to machinery, etc.,  
for grading. He is in charge of the township  
equipment, and Mr. Babb thinks he has much more  
equipment than the city has.

Sat PM

I called Prof Russell on  
~~the~~ raising the roof of G<sub>4</sub> on the south  
side putting in dormer windows  
and flooring above the beams  
for additional class + research room



July 27, 1938.

Mr. Marvin Hall,  
127 No. Doheny,  
Beverly Hills, Calif.

Dear Dr. Marvin:

I am sending you one of the mimeographed letters that I wrote the basketball boys, so that you may have the basketball news which may be of some interest to you, and also so you can see how we try to encourage the boys to do a good job of training.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.



August 10, 1938.

Mr. A. Eugene Haylett,  
Troutdale in the Pines,  
Evergreen, Colorado.

Dear Gene:

I am enclosing copy of the letter I have just written  
"Bill" Greim. I hope this does you some good, and if it does  
I will be happy.

Sincerely yours,

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Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.



FRED S. SIDLES - PRESIDENT  
HARRY B. SIDLES - VICE PRESIDENT  
VICTOR L. TOFT - MANAGING DIRECTOR



## Troutdale in the Pines

30 MILES  
WEST  
OF DENVER

Evergreen - Colorado

Aug. 6, 1938

Dear "Phog"

Thanks a lot for your willingness to help me as expressed in your letter of July 29<sup>th</sup>. I assure you I sincerely appreciate it. I was more than pleased to know of your acquaintance with Mr. Greim, in as much as he is the man I interviewed and he holds my future "in the palm of his hand".

It may be some little time before they "follow through" on my references, so, as a consequence I am wondering if you would write to Willard W. Greim, 414 - 14<sup>th</sup> St., Denver, Colo., on my behalf, at the earliest possible moment. I am very anxious for the position and a letter from you will help a great deal. I assure you that I will never forget your willingness to help me.

Thanks for your many past favors and I hope the opportunity presents itself sometime when I may help you.

Sincerely  
A. Eugene Haylett



August 10, 1936.

Mr. Willard M. Greim,  
414 - 14th Street,  
Denver, Colorado.

Dear Bill:

I have been asked by A. Eugene Haylett to tell you what I know of his capabilities, personality and work. Haylett, as you perhaps know, is a brother of Ward Haylett of the Kansas State coaching staff.

D. X. Bible and I had a coaching school at Estes Park some three or four years ago, and Haylett collaborated with Dr. Evans, the student pastor of Columbia University, New York, in promoting the coaching school.

I have found Haylett exceptionally efficient, well-trained, and cultured, a young man who knows his physical education. I had opportunity to observe the way he worked and deputized his work during the two weeks in Estes Park, and I was much attracted to him.

Last year he asked that we give him a basketball game, which we did here in Lawrence. I found his team well-coached, excellently disciplined, and with all, I found that he had transmitted to them something more than mere coaching. They played a splendid game, but their attitude on the floor reflected superior training, - one of the things that we like to find in superior coaches.

Haylett has a wife and family of lovely children. I would recommend him without reservation or evasion, and I trust that his application will be worthy of your very careful and high consideration.

It was good to see you in Minneapolis, but we missed you at Atlanta. Please give Mrs. Greim and your young daughter my regards. Undoubtedly she is now quite a lady.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH



July 29, 1938.

Mr. A. Eugene Haylett,  
Troutdale in the Pines,  
Evergreen, Colorado.

Dear Gene:

Very glad to have your letter of the 28th instant, and I assure you I will give you an "A Number One" rating.

William "Bill" Grimes, head of physical education at the Denver public schools, played center for me in basketball and center on my football team at Central Missouri State Teachers College along in 1912, '13 and '14. He later went to Springfield, Mass., and took his degree there.

I trust that you land the job.

Mrs. Allen and two of our daughters are in New York at the present time, while Bobby, our youngster who was a freshman last year, is getting his chemistry out of the way this summer in quest of his pre-medic work. He is a fine student and I hope that he will be as good a basketball player as he is a student.

With every good wish, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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VICTOR L. TOFT - MANAGING DIRECTOR



## Troutdale in the Pines

30 MILES  
WEST  
OF DENVER

Evergreen - Colorado

July 28, 1938

Dear Phog:

I have made application to teach Physical Education and coach athletics in the Denver Schools and have taken the liberty to use your name as reference. If you receive an inquiry from them concerning my ability I assure you I will sincerely appreciate any consideration you may see fit to pass along, in my behalf.

With best personal regards to yourself and Mrs Allen, I remain

Sincerely  
A. Eugene Haylett.



July 29, 1938.

Mr. William Hogben,  
Camp Sosawaganing,  
Big Bay, Michigan.

Dear Bill:

I know that you had a cool head when you wrote your letter while you were sailing on Lake Superior. We spent one summer at Superior, Wisconsin, and it is a great place to live and enjoy life.

I am glad that you are in such a fine environment. Both the boys and you will profit from this association.

And too, I am happy with your increase in height. You will be good and tough, Bill, and I am counting on you for this next winter. I want you and Bill McKinley to make the grade. I like good, fine, clean fellows with plenty of leadership on my squad. When the going gets tough I like to have intelligent fellows to see the way out.

When you get through college, ten years from now we will be mighty happy to see such fellows as you come back to the University from successful jobs with the morale that is so necessary in life today.

I'll tell Bob hello for you. He is getting his chemistry out of the way in his quest for his pre-medic work. He has been studying much too hard, late at night and early in the morning, but he will have a month and I want him to do whatever he wants to do. He has lost weight and is not in good physical condition, but he will snap out of it.

With best regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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CAMP SOSAWAGAMING

BIG BAY, MICH.

Dear Dr. Allen:

I am dropping you a line from a sailing boat on Lake Superior. I am spending the summer as a counselor at camp Soso, taking care of a lot of little kids.

Besides sailing, fishing, and swimming, I have been doing a good job of eating. Put on eight pounds and have grown about half an inch since I left school.



CAMP SOSAWAGAMING

BIG BAY, MICH.

I now weight 172 stripped  
and about 6'2". Also I  
have been trying to teach  
the kids a little bit about  
basketball, so I have  
been getting a little  
summer practice in. I  
read about the swell  
trip you are taking during  
the christmas holidays, I  
hope I might be lucky  
enough to go along.



CAMP SOSAWAGAMING

BIG BAY, MICH.

Last nite the temperature  
got down to around 40°,  
and we all had to have  
extra blankets. The weather  
has been ideal so far. There  
goes the bugle so I will  
have to close

Sincerely

Bill Hughes

Please tell Bob  
hello for me.



July 25, 1938.

Dr. Marvin Hall,  
127 N. Doherty St.,  
Beverly Hills, Calif.

Dear Dr. Marvin:

I have always felt guilty ever since the time that I stayed too long at your house, when I feared we made you over tired.

I see Ole occasionally and have had some fine visits with him, but absent-minded as I was when I talked with him I forgot to ask him just how you were feeling. I asked my secretary to get your address, and she got it from Ole. Ole very much appreciates your wire and helpfulness to him, endeavoring to get lined up for next year. You never miss a thing, do you, when it comes to helping your friends?

I am sincerely hoping that all of these kindnesses and the many good deeds that you have done for others will be returned to you in your quest for better health.

I am going to send you a copy of the letter that I am sending to our basketball boys so that you can keep up with the sporting trend.

This is just a note of "hello" and "best wishes". Later I will write you a longer letter. Here's hoping you and your splendid family are all feeling much better, both mentally and physically.

With kindest regards and sincerest best wishes, I am

Fraternally yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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College and Specialist Bureau,  
Memphis, Tenn.

July 25, 1938.

I have known Mr. 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.