

January 17, 1945.

Mr. J. O. Keller,
Department of Physical Education,
University of Missouri,
Columbia, Missouri.

Dear Mr. Keller:

Your letter has lain on my desk during the time that I have been endeavoring to figure out exactly what you wanted.

As head of the department, I handle most of this material. We have never had a labor foreman, but I do delegate powers to our different men in our department; (1) on curriculum; (2) on personnel; (3) on gym management; and so forth. We have a secretary in the office and all things clear through the secretary's desk.

Won't you write me giving me the information you desire? If I can answer your questions further, I will be pleased indeed to do so.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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C O L U M B I A

October 20, 1944

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION

University of Kansas
Department of Physical Education
Lawrence, Kansas

Gentlemen:

Will you please send me any material you have in the form of notices, bulletins, ideas, etc., about the labor organization in your department.

We are trying to draw up a working plan for the labor foreman in our Physical Education Department that will aid him in presenting a well managed plant in appearance, well kept activity areas, and with good equipment, etc. Thank you for your cooperation in helping us with this problem.

Very truly yours,

J. O. Keller

J. O. Keller
Instructor in Physical
Education

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UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS
LAWRENCE

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION

January 17, 1945.

Mr. Harold W. Copp, Director,
Winnetka Community House,
Winnetka, Illinois.

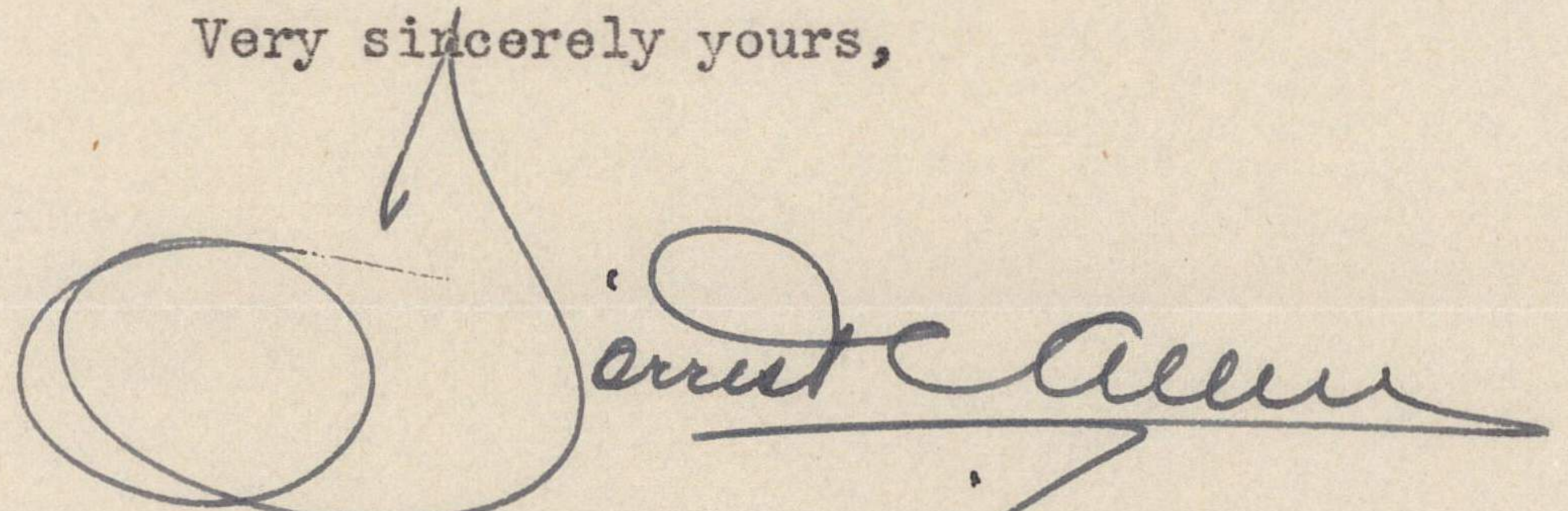
Dear Mr. Copp:

Please pardon me for not answering your communication
of October 8th sooner.

We have no need for additional help at the present
time. I do not look to see any opening in the very near future.
However, I assure you if one does occur I will be glad to con-
sider your application.

With all good wishes, I am

Very sincerely yours,



Ernest Allen

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH

January 3, 1945.

Lt. L. B. Kappelman, O-1313098,
D. of P, 3rd Gen. Hosp.,
APO 423, c/o P.M.,
New York, N.Y.

Dear Lester:

I just now received your air mail Christmas greeting dated December 3rd. Francis was in last week and we discussed the Kappelman family. We learned previously of your injury and we are glad indeed that it is no worse. We also learn that your brother, Glenn, is a casualty.

We have been sending you our Jayhawk Rebounds, but apparently you have been in a theatre of operation that made it impossible for delivery. I am just writing you this short note to tell you that we are writing another Rebounds in the very near future and we will use this new address, hoping that the next one will be delivered more promptly. Doubtless you learned that T. P. Hunter was killed on Guam on July 21.

There are so many things that I would like to say to you, but I believe I will wait for the Rebounds to give you the fullsome information.

Again wishing you the very best and hoping that you will get back to us soon, I am

Very sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

January 3, 1945.

Mr. Harold Keith,
Director, Sports Publicity,
University of Oklahoma,
Norman, Oklahoma.

Dear Harold:

Thanks for your letter, but you forgot the enclosures.

Sincerely,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.



THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA
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December 30, 1944

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

Dear Coach:

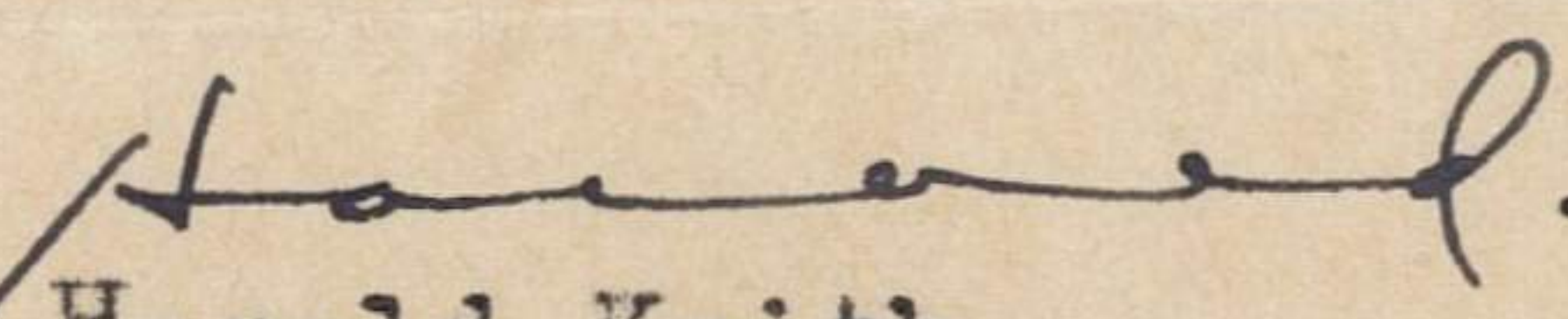
I was glad to have the opportunity of looking over your copy of Jayhawks Rebound. They really ~~are~~^{are} a swell job, ^{and} with lots of the Phog Allen humor mixed in with the fact. Also I liked the extreme length of them because I know your boys are hungry for lots of news and must eagerly devour every word.

This is the third year for our letter. I try to mail it out once every week, catching the APO, and FPO, airmail. We have approximately 300 former O.U. service men on our list which makes the postage come to considerable expense, but Dale feels, as do all of us, that it is the finest money we can spend.

No Encl.
I am inclosing some of our recent letters. I also send them, with these letters, my complete Sooner Sports service.

With best wishes, for the New Year, I am,

Sincerely yours,


Harold Keith
Director sports publicity

January 3, 1945.

Mr. Dwight Keith, Editor,
Southern Coach and Athlete,
751 Park Drive, N. E.,
Atlanta, Ga.

Dear Dwight:

I know that you think I am a terrible fellow, not answering your letter of October 20th sooner.

Dwight, I have tried every possible way to get this article out for you, but I haven't accomplished it as yet. Mrs. Griffith of the Athletic Journal had me write two articles for her, and it seems as if my work as secretary of the Selective Service Board for this county, with Red Cross drives and war fund drives, and the stepped up program in our own department, have given me so little time that I haven't been able to do the job for you as I would like.

I am afraid I can't get the article to you by January 15th. Would that disappoint you too much? Let me know.

I am glad you had Adolph Rupp. I know you like him and he is a good teacher.

With every good wish to you and yours, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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October 20, 1944

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

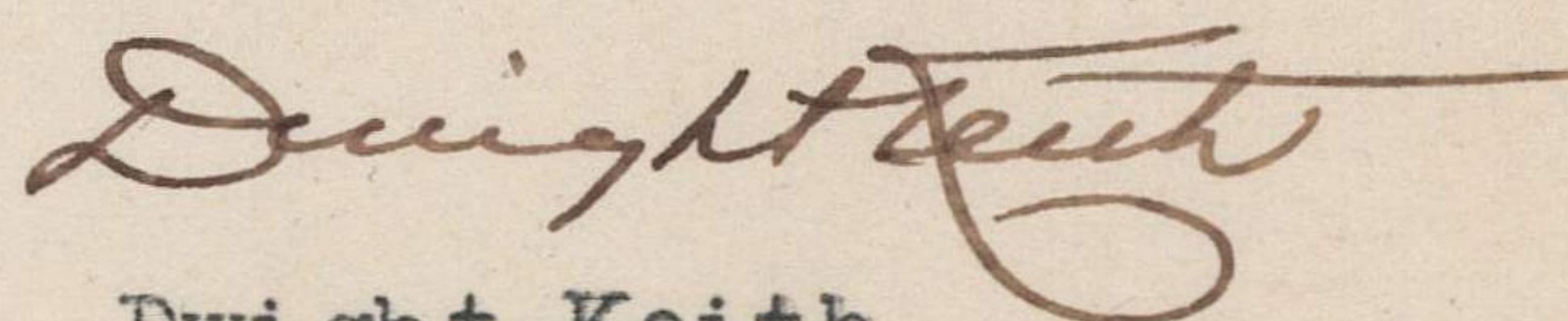
Dear Coach Allen:

No volume of SOUTHERN COACH AND ATHLETE would be complete without an article by you. I am asking if you will write me an article on "Preparing for Tournament Play" or "Handling A Team During Tournament". I would like to use this in the February issue and should receive it by January 15. I know this article by you would be of great interest and would be very helpful to high school coaches. In the issue in which your article appears, I will be glad to carry an ad for "Better Basketball" without charge.

We held our coaching school again this past summer and had Adolph Rupp put on the course in basketball.

With highest personal regards and best wishes for another successful season, I am,

Sincerely yours,



Dwight Keith
EDITOR

DK:r

~~Nov 14~~

Dec 7-44

Dear Phog. Thanks for your letter. I've been at home with "Bronchial asthma" for nearly a week or might have gotten to Lawrence. However, have had a talk with Bill and find I do not have to be ashamed of his contribution to the Sour Owl. Not that I am not irritated that he was connected in any way with the issue. However errors of judgement are so apparent even in older men that I'm inclined to feel not too bad.

Like you I think such things should be cause for disciplinary measures. Its too bad young folks have to learn the hard way. I simply asked about the past as I could remember no such measures being taken in the past.

Bill is now in the hospital with ringworm on both his toenails & finger nails. That's very persistent & I'm wondering if they will have to ship him to some base hospital to effect a cure. Haven't heard from Clint for 3 weeks & will be mighty glad to get a letter as some of the transports were torpedoed in Leyte Bay recently & last letter we got he was loaded. Merry Xmas & Happy New Year to the Allens. as ever yours Clint Kanaga

December 19, 1944.

Mr. Harold Keith,
University of Oklahoma,
Norman, Oklahoma.

Dear Harold:

I was glad to see you at the game last Saturday night. Sorry I didn't have a chance to visit with you longer.

I understand you get out a letter to your service boys. I am sending you a copy of our Jayhawk Rebounds and am putting you on our mailing list. We would be glad to have you put us on your mailing list so that we may keep up with the progress of your fine boys in the service.

I thought Bruce's team looked awfully good for the early season. He has plenty of speed and he has some height and power to go with it when he has more time to work on the big boys.

With all good wishes to you and yours for a very merry Christmas and a happy New Year, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH

December 8, 1941.

Mr. J. E. Kissell,
Portis, Kansas.

Dear Mr. Kissell:

John Buescher's address is Apt. A-5, 501 State Street,
Midland, Michigan. I am sure he will be glad to hear from
you.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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Dr. FC Allen,
801 Louisiana,
Lawrence, Kans.



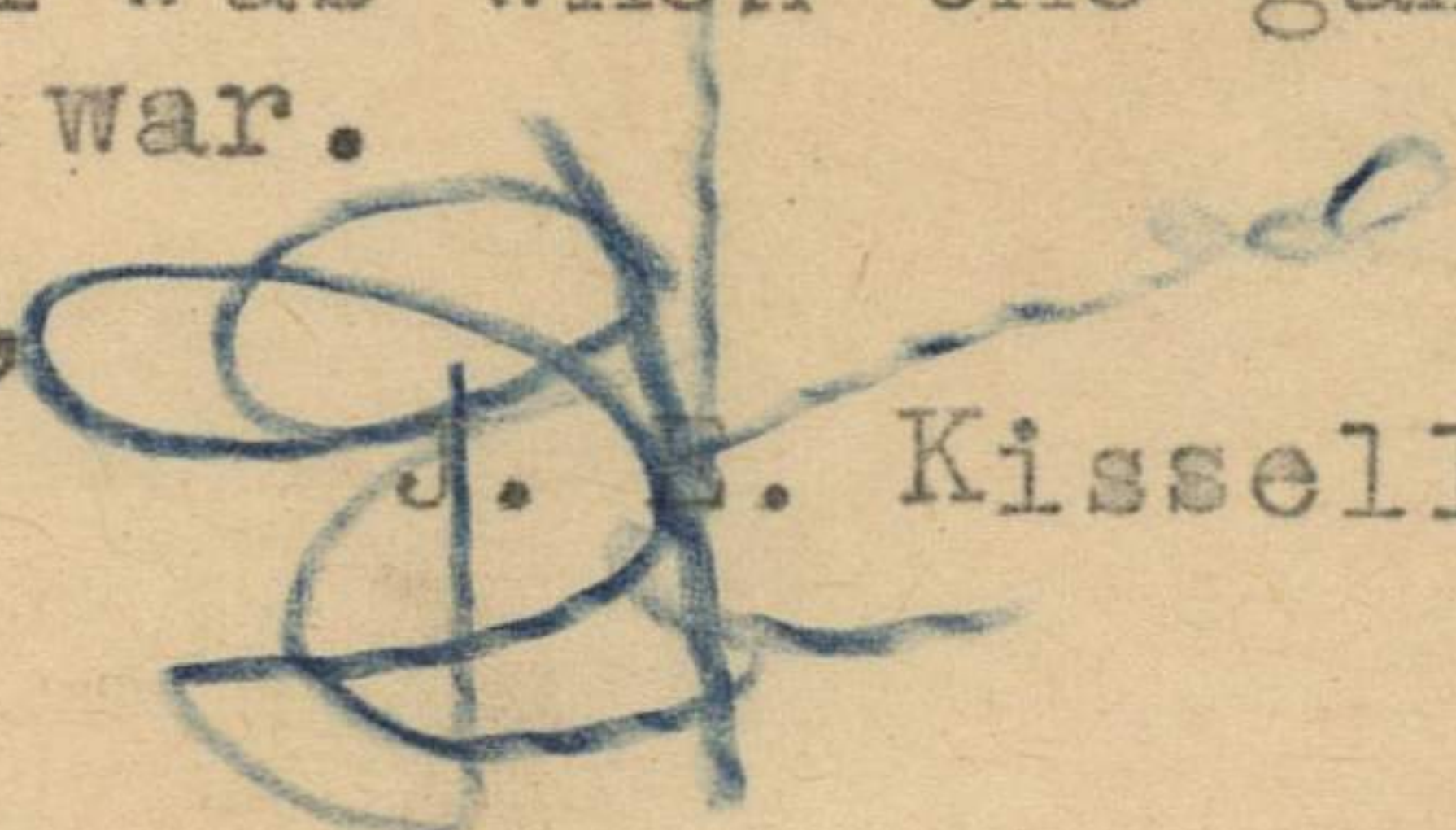
Portis, Kansas, Dec. FOUR, 40-four.

DEAR DR. ALLEN: Rebounds came today and was mighty glad to get same and will look over carefully and observe where boys are and so on.

By the way I want the address of John Buescher and ask you to send same please if you can.

Will be writing you at some more length later when BB season gets moving. I am hardly as interested in it as I was when the game was going strong before the war.

Sincerely,


J. E. Kissell, Portis

Apt. A-5,
501 State St.
Midland, Mich.

December 5, 1944.

Mr. Clint Kanaga,
Jenkins Music Co.,
Kansas City 13, Mo.

Dear Clint:

I did not see the Sour Owl, but I am told that it was the foulest and the nastiest edition that they have ever published. Nasty is the only word that I believe will describe it.

I, of course, did not talk to the Chancellor in regard to Bill, but he said it was sickening. Yes, disciplinary action has been taken, but I do not know to what extent. I am sorry that Bill was in the mix-up, because there is no excuse in students publishing a thing like that. I say "like that", only taking word from responsible people.

I am sure if my son was mixed up in that I would expect him to be called on the carpet because it is the only way that youngsters can be made to realize that they are not a law unto themselves, after all. The disciplinary action will be good in the long run, but it hurts now. A fellow may get a laugh out of it in later years, but he will do a lot of serious thinking in the meantime.

As usual, we are pulling strenuously for Clint's safety and good luck.

With all good wishes to you, and assuring you if there is anything I can do for you at any time I will be most happy to do it, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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Nov 29.44

Dear Choy-

Am sorry Bill was in the Sour Owl - but a couple of questions occur to me, which you may be able to answer.

Of course we know there have been Sour Owls in the past. Is this one worse than former issues? Also - has disciplinary action been taken in the past?

As ever yours

Clint Kanaga

P.S.

Clint Jr has been to the Philippines and may be back there again. now.

October 3, 1944.

Mrs. N. N. Kline,
104 West 17th St.,
Hutchinson, Kansas.

Dear Mrs. Kline:

I was mighty happy to have your letter and assure you that we have taken care of every request that you have made. We immediately sent a Rebounds to Lt. Robert J. Gilliland.

I am glad to know that Johnny is back in Miami again. I know he is making a splendid record. I am glad to hear that Bill is with General Patton. The boys all swear by him and I know that Bill is getting a great experience, and trust that he will come through his arduous duties in fine shape. We will have a word to say in our Rebounds about the information you gave me in the letter.

Yes, I received the returned Rebounds that we mailed to your nephew, Captain Phil Stratton, with the notation, "Missing in action". I am hoping that the wire from the War Department will turn out favorably, but we are always terribly anxious until we learn, I know how you feel regarding your loved ones who have always been so close to you. Please convey our best wishes to his mother and father.

Yes, I remember Bob Gilliland very well. I was at the house a great number of times and he impressed me very much. You can tell Bob for us that any little favor we can do for boys like him and others who are fighting our battles, gives us a real pleasure.

Give my kindest regards to Mr. Kline. I did so enjoy my visit with you and Mr. Kline that evening I spoke at Hutchinson.

With kindest regards to all, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH

Hutchinson Kansas.

Sept 24, 1944.

Dear Dr. Allen:-

I want to thank you for sending me the "Jayhawker Rebounds," and to tell you how very much I appreciate your sending them to me. So many of the names are familiar to me - in fact - I have met many of the boys mentioned. I felt very sad when I read that J. P. Hunter had been killed. He has been in our home, and Johnny always spoke very highly of him. I know he will be saddened to hear of his death.

Johnny is back in Miami again - I doubt very much if he has written you. I know of no one who likes to receive letters more, but hates to write them as much as Johnny. I hope you will forgive him his negligence. He is on his third period of duty in Miami - so it should be almost like home to him. When you were in Hutchinson, I think John was on the west coast - on a sub-chaser. He was called from that duty to go to Miami to a Destroyer Escort school. After he finished the school there and was all packed and ready to leave for duty, he was called back, and told they wanted him

to stay on in the school as an instructor in
Naval Gunnery, which he has been doing since
July 1st. I might also add that about that
same time he was promoted to Lieutenant (S. G.).

In case you are interested, I might say our
oldest son, Bill, is with General Patton's Third Army.
Our last letter from him was dated Sept. 9, in
which he said that he was having a little relaxation
from very strenuous duty, and was getting wonderful
food - and a good movie nearly every night - and
that in a combat area! He said that when they
first started, the going was pretty tough, but
that after he got going - it was more like a
"Cook's tour" through France. I know he has seen
plenty of action since that letter was written, and
of course we are anxious to hear again. Norval, Jr.
is still at the same air field in Chico, California.

I will give you the addresses of all three of the
boys, for I know they would be glad to get the
newsletter, if you are not already sending
it to them, as they were in K. U. in the
period immediately preceding the time John was
there.

I believe we told you when you were in
Hutchinson of my nephew, Captain Phil Stratton
who graduated from K. U. in 1937, and of the

experience he had a year ago, being shot down in the North Sea, and picked up 48 hours later by a British boat. On June 24, 1944, we got a wire from the War Department that he was missing in action over France since June 11, and we have received no further word, except a letter stating that he was on a mission to Pontaubault, France, and went down about 20 miles over the coast line. Since he, with his parents, lived next door to us most of his life, he was nearer to us than most nephews are - and so we have been very sad and anxious. We are still hoping that he is a Prisoner of War, but the waiting is very hard on all of us, especially my sister and her husband, his mother + father. We gave you his address when you were here, but he did not say if he had ever received a "Rebound."

Do you remember Bob Gilliland, of Hutchinson, a Phi Psi, who graduated from K. U. law school in 1941? He spent a year in the South Pacific, on an L. C. T., and had many experiences, and narrow escapes, for which he has been awarded the Bronze Star, and a citation. He was home on leave a short time ago, and said he would like very much to receive a "Rebound." He said that if you would be kind enough to send it to his parents address, and they

would see that he got it. He is having a new assignment and does not have a permanent address at present.

Norval joins me in thanking you again, not only for ourselves, but for the boys, who receive your newsletter with so much interest. Give my regards to Mrs. Allen, and let us all pray that this awful war will soon be brought to a victorious close -

Sincerely

Maude L. Kline.

(Mrs. N. N. Kline)

104 - West 17th

Hutchinson Kans.

Addresses -

Lt. (jg.) Robert J. Hilliland

16 - West 18th, Hutchinson, Kansas.

Lt. John R. Kline

33 E Venetian Way

Belle Isle Court Apt #77

Miami Beach 39, Florida.

S/Sgt. Norval N. Kline Jr.

Squadron "A", CAAF

Chico, California.

Sgt. William L. Kline, 38425478

Hq. Co. 704 - T. D. Bn

APO # 654, To Postmaster

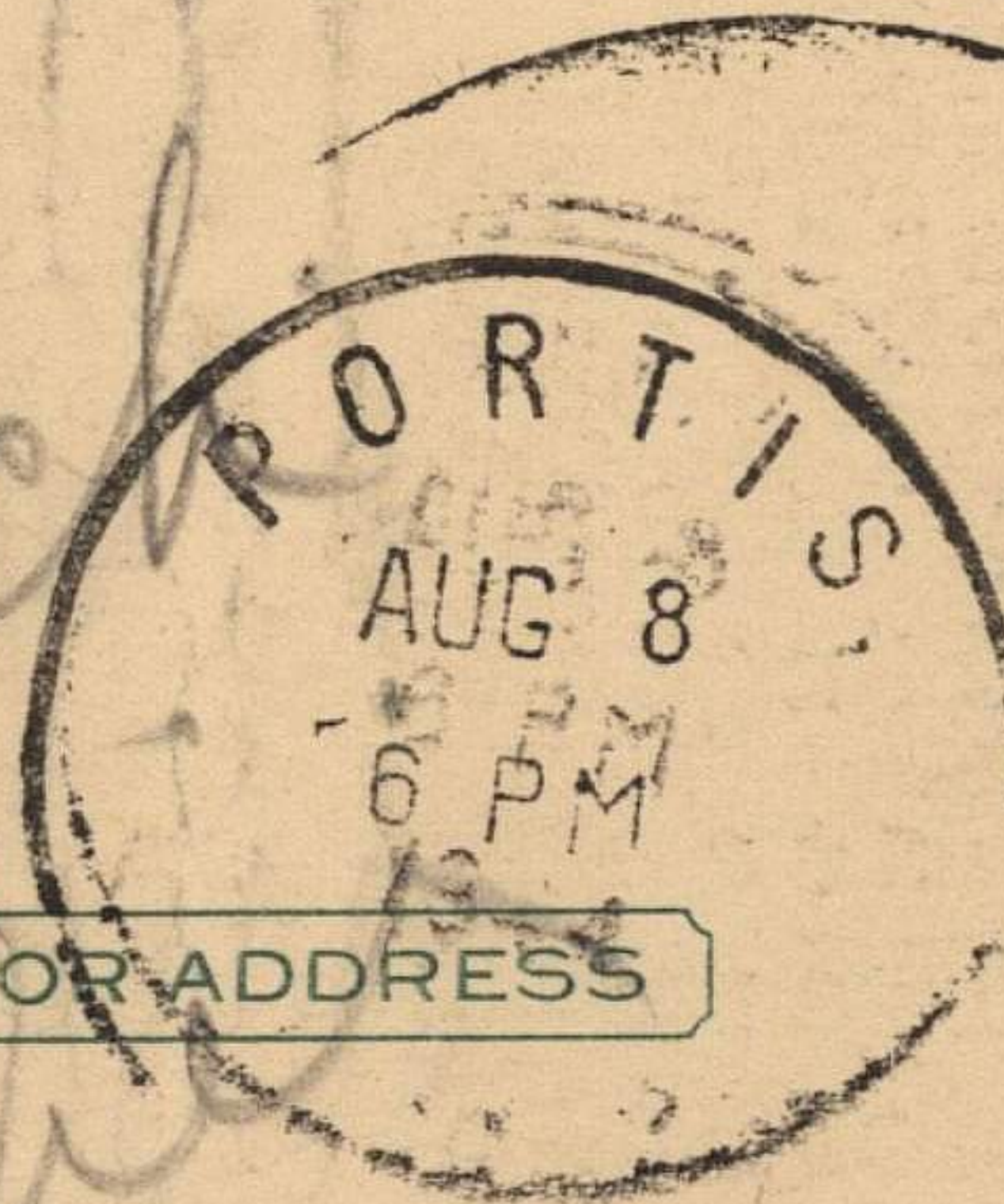
New York, N. Y.

501 State St

Apt A 59 Mech

Medford, Oregon

John



THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS

Dr. F. C. Allen,
801

1801 Louisiana,
Lawrence, Kans.

Portis, Kansas, Aug. EIGHT' 44.

Dear FC: Kindly advise address of John Buescher as I am needing it.

Glad to see ECQ on the job there at KU. Hope he does well and that in few years Kansas will be in the bowl of flowers and have the NAAC champ in basketball and also a few A's in the class room to brag about.

Warm here and if Mr. Sherman were alive he could describe the heat. I judge it is very ~~warm~~ cool in Lawrence as all Lawrence people say that city is the world's best.

How did the election suit you, that is the Primary and are you a candidate for anything?

Truly,

kissell - portis

October 13, 1944.

Mr. Ernest Klinker,
Basketball Coach,
Norwalk, Iowa.

Dear Coach Klinker:

I am happy to send you the diagrams of the back-board and the shooting lanes. These are ideas that you may elaborate upon in any way that appeals to you.

Best wishes for your success in the coming season.

Very sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

Norwalk, Iowa
October 12, 1944

Dr. Forrest C. Allen
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Sir: I attended the Iowa Coaching
School, Boone, Iowa, 1944, and enjoyed it
very much, as well as received much
instruction in coaching.

Now, I am asking you for
the charts, you spoke of, to show the
angle and bank shots for baskets in
basket ball, and any other free
material you may have.

Thanking you for same, I am

Yours very truly,

Ernest Klinker

B. B. Coach - Norwalk, Ia.

October 10, 1944.

Dr. Russell Knappen,
Head of Geophysics Department,
Gulf Refining Company,
Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Dear Dr. Knappen:

Your and Mrs. Knappen's hospitality to the Allens was deeply appreciated, I assure you. I could write a full page expressing our genuine pleasure in seeing, visiting and dining with you good people.

I have already told many of your good friends in Lawrence how wonderful you and Mrs. Knappen were to us. If we had not lost so many professors with the human touch from Kansas we would be much better off athletically and otherwise. But it was good to renew old acquaintances, and I am sincerely trusting that we can have a get-together again soon. It was a delightful epoch in our tour in friendship's village.

I am sending you a Jayhawk Rebounds that I told you about. If you like it we will put you on the mailing list, and if you wish back numbers -- we have a few -- we will be glad to send them to you.

With all good wishes and appreciation to you and your good wife, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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LAWRENCE, KANSAS

10 October 1944

Prof. F. C. Allen,
Basketball Coach,
University of Kansas,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear ~~Dr.~~ Allen:

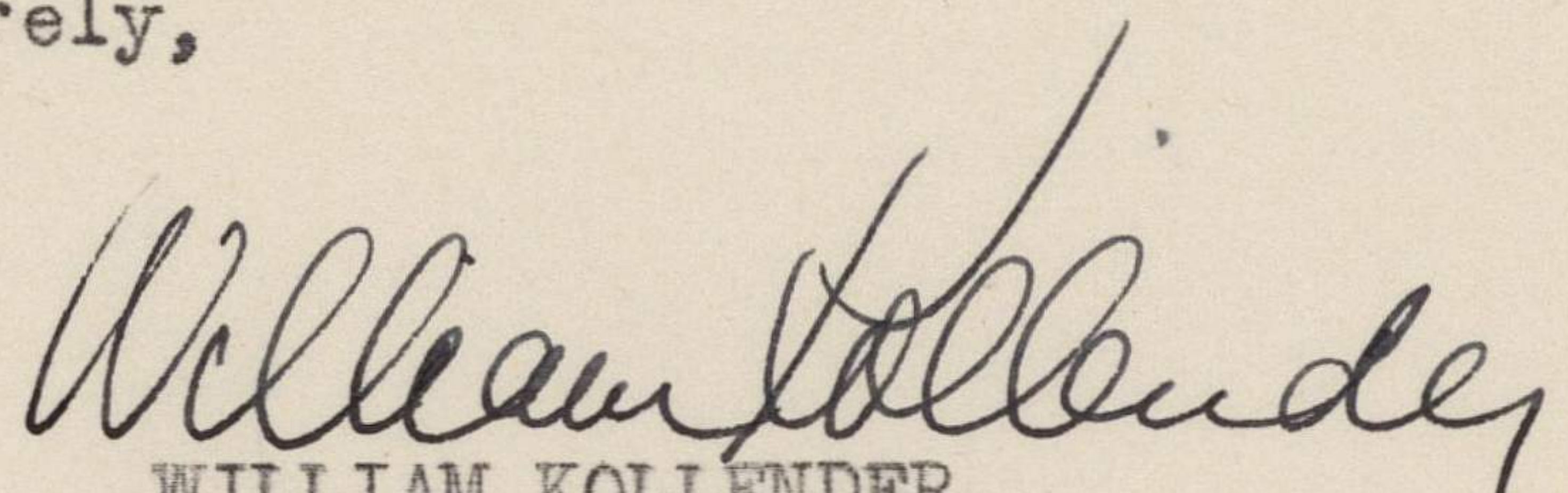
Many thanks for copy of Jayhawker Rebound No. 11
just received.

Your wonderful eulogy of "Teep" is a masterpiece,
and I especially appreciate it knowing that it comes from
the heart and is not just lip service, as one often finds
coming from so called prominent citizens regarding service
men.

I also want to thank you for the time and effort
I know it must take to compile these editions, and I am
certain that every man receiving same thoroughly peruses it's
contents.

To take the time like you must do, in preparing
this contact for the men in service, being as busy as you are,
is just another proof of "Fogg's" interest in his fellow men.

Sincerely,



WILLIAM KOLLENDER,
M/Sgt. DEML.



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KANSAS CITY 13, MISSOURI Sept 23

Dear Doc: Your Rebounds of this issue was a wonderful tribute to T.P. What a tragedy that these fine young men must go but that is war. It must not happen again!

Yes I enjoyed the dinner at the President but missed you. I asked Mc Bride to slip in the notice of this meeting on his shorts' page and turned your name in hoping you'd come.

Have not heard from Clint since Palau but will no doubt be getting word in a week or 10 days. Those distances are terrific out there. We picked up the Marines to land there a couple of thousand miles away - and that's not a particularly long haul. Best wishes to

you & yours. Thanks to Mrs Allen for taking Bell to church & also for feeding him (the latter is quite a chore as his mother would testify - As ever yours Clint Kawaga

"Edgewood"

THE SAN FRANCISCO PROTESTANT ORPHANAGE
29TH AVE. AND VICENTE ST.
SAN FRANCISCO, 16 CALIFORNIA
OVERLAND 3211

September 18, 1944

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

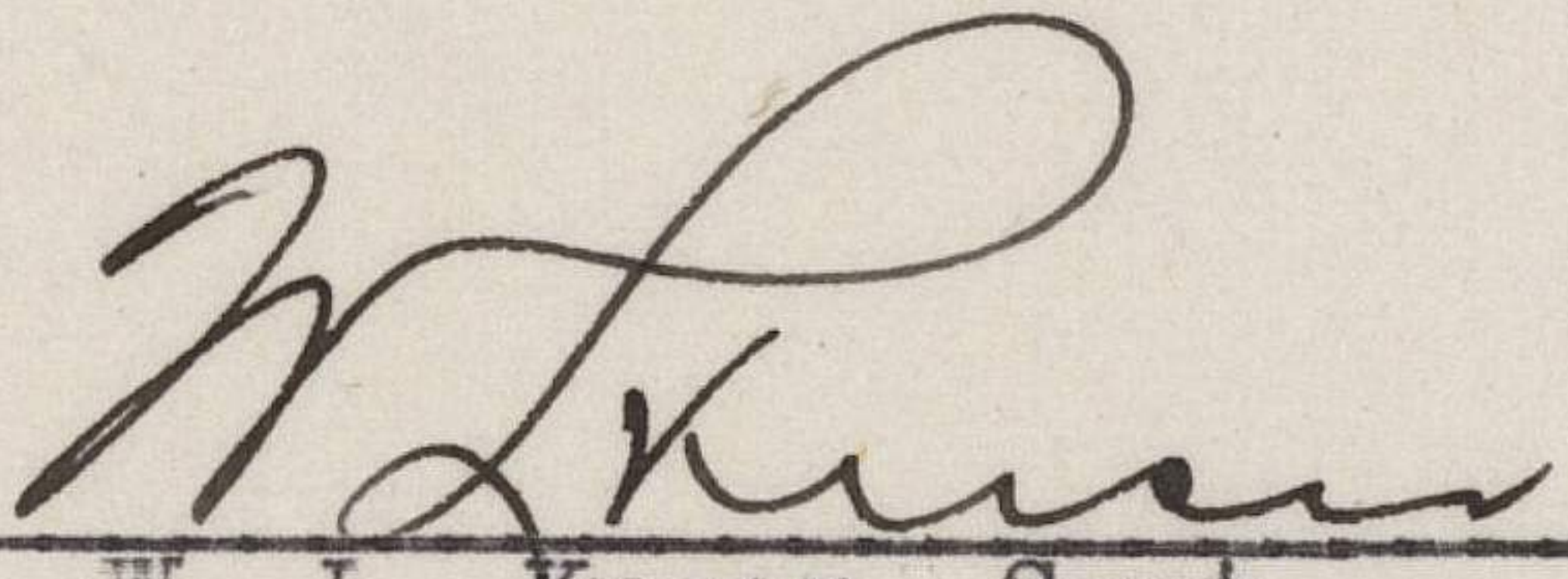
Dear Mr. Allen:

At this late date will you please accept my sincere thanks for the copy of Goal-Hi rules sent to me while we were at our summer camp last month. Your kindness was much appreciated.

My great tardiness in sending this note to you was due to the fact that I had little in the way of stenographic facilities at Camp.

Again expressing our gratitude for your kindness, I am

Sincerely yours,


W. L. Kuser, Supt.

WLK/vb

September 29, 1944.

Mr. Charles P. Kraft,
2208 East 59th St.,
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Charles:

I find that I have failed to acknowledge your very extreme kindness in mailing me photographs made at the time of the Southwest High School Father and Son banquet. I do very much appreciate your generosity and your kindness in sending me the three pictures.

It was nice of you to express yourself as you did regarding our talk. I hope that I may meet you some time again.

Thanks very much for the photographs, and permit me to congratulate you on your excellent photography.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH

September 29, 1944.

Mr. J. E. Kissell,
Portis, Kansas.

Dear Mr. Kissell:

Doubtless you received the Jayhawk Rebounds, but I do want to acknowledge receipt of your communication while you were attending the Water Conservation Congress at the Stevens Hotel in early September. I'll bet you did a good job, and while you were there had a good time.

My kindest regards to you and your good family. Max looks swell. Had a good visit with him.

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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No inside dope, no confidential information, and no "tips." Most officials are forthright, square, don't leak what they shouldn't. It's all open & aboveboard...interviews at offices, in working hours. Not cocktail or dinner gossip, for most of that is not dependable.

You or anyone else could get the news and the facts which we get, if you had the time, facilities, and experience.

Raw information often doesn't mean much. It must be sifted, checked and double-checked...from different angles, different sources. In gov't news there are always discrepancies, conflicts of attitude, pet slants, and sometimes even fibbing. Such things must be ironed out. We call it "processing" of the news. Means putting the pieces together, appraising the trends...projecting them into the future.

Such forecasting is not crystal-gazing, and is not mysterious. It is merely a form of reporting...a refinement. First you gather facts, lots of them, from many angles. Weigh the forces for-&-against a policy. If you work hard enough and know enough, you can figure what will happen. Not always perfectly, but usually right in direction and general outcome. And this is useful to anyone, particularly to men who run businesses, for business decisions often depend on what the gov't is going to do.

Our Letters supplement the daily news, are not a substitute.

But daily news is confusing, often conflicting...like a series of spots or dots. It takes on meaning only when the dots are connected, or assembled to show the pattern...the whole picture...in perspective...judgment mixed in...the judgment that comes from Washington experience.

Then you see the TREND. And then you make your OWN forecasts, applicable to YOUR business. And that is what we try to help you do.

