

Dear Jayhawkers:

The following article is a copy from the sport page of the Kansas City Star. This idea came from a close follower of KU athletics (W. W. Fuller, Board of Trade Bldg., Kansas City, Missouri). I think it is a grand idea and am happy to enclose it with the next issue of the "Rebounds." Although I do not keep in touch with many of you, I learn of your whereabouts through the "Rebounds." My thoughts are of you many times and I wish you all the best of luck.

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P.S. As thorough and exact as Mr. McBride is, he overlooked one of Dr. Allen's important duties. He is a member of the Selective Service board and spends many hours each week helping select the manpower for our Armed Forces. Ogden Jones, a member of the KU faculty, is chairman of the Douglas county board.

FROM THE MARCH 7 ISSUE OF THE KANSAS CITY STAR:

Maybe you've been wondering how long Phog Allen will continue to coach basketball. You've been reading about Phog, very much about him and considerable by him, for 10, these many, many years. Is he going on forever winning basketball championships or running them up? Being curious and unafraid you asked him. And you learned that Phog will be coaching five or six years more. And then no more.

"When am I going to retire?" Phog repeats the question as though the idea is something altogether out of the unexpected and unthought about, but you soon know better than that. "I can tell you now when that's going to be," he quickly adds.

"When I reach the age of 65. Department heads retire at 65." (Phog is the head of the department of physical education.)

"Other faculty members may continue until they are 67, but I'm not hankering for those two years. I do not wish to coach after I am 65. I have no ambitions to break the records of Alonzo Stagg or Connie Mack."

"But what will you be doing, Phog? You can't keep all that restless energy close by while you roll in a parlor chair."

OUTLINES HIS PROGRAM

"Don't let that worry you," says Phog. "I'll use all the energy I can muster. I'm going to play golf and I'm going to write. And say the things I want to say."

Tut! Tut! Phog, as though you haven't been saying the things you've wanted to say, all along.

"I guess I'll have to admit that I haven't been a shrinking violet in that regard," says Phog. "That's right, and I'm going to continue to do the things I've actually wanted to do; play golf and write."

The K.U. basketball coach already is the author of three books. Perhaps it would be more accurate to say he is the author of two books and a co-author of a third. His "My Basketball Bible" and "Better Basketball" have had a wide sale. In collaboration with other educational authorities Phog wrote