

We have just gotten word this morning from Corinne Oyler that her husband Lt. Robert B. Oyler, O-2000896, Hq. 20th Corps, APO 340, c/o Postmaster, New York, N.Y., one of our varsity basketball Jayhawkers of '34 and '35, has not received his Jayhawk Rebounds. We are checking back on our old files, and making an effort to bring Bob up on his Jayhawk Rebound reading. Uncle Sam has done a good job of delivering the Rebounds, but for some reason he has failed in delivering, to the Judge Advocate General's Office, this sport dope. Bob Oyler was County Attorney of Douglas County, and a successful practicing Attorney at Law here when he entered the service. He has made a fine record, and Bob, we are doggone sorry somebody shorted out on you.

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Lt. Lester B. Kappelman writes us from the Hammond General Hospital at Modesto, California.

"This evening I have the old southpaw warmed up so thought it would be a most opportune time to attend to a matter about which I have been most delinquent. A very short time ago, among a bundle of letters which followed me to Europe then back again to California, arrived your nice letter to me in France, dated January 3, 1945. Believe it or not, some of the letters I've been receiving are over a year old. But, I still enjoy reading them and catching 'up on all the news I missed."

"You mentioned sending me the Rebounds, but I still have never received them; and if the mailing list hasn't already exceeded your supply of paper, I'd sure appreciate one next time you go to press. Outside of a very few of the fellows whose names appear from time to time in the Journal-World, I've just about lost out on their whereabouts."

"'Rope' Engleman must have received some nasty burns in his mishap. I sure hope he is coming along in good shape. As for me, I think I have about six more months in the hospital. Since I was home last winter, my arm has been worked on twice, but to date the median nerve has not been successfully sutured. Altogether, about six centimeters of scar tissue have been removed from it, and "next time" the neurosurgeon says he will be able to get good nerve bundles for a permanent suture. Today I removed a cast I've been wearing for five weeks, so celebrated it with a swim in the pool."

"We have quite an extensive reconditioning program here -- a fine big, well-equipped gymnasium, beautiful swimming pool, and various diamonds and courts, plus fishing and hiking trips in the mountains. Oh yes, out by the swimming pool are two Goal-Hi courts. I never shoot out there without thinking of you. My left-handed shooting and passing, like Englemen's penmanship, is improving slowly but surely. Sure wish I could have had this left-handed shooting, a few years ago."

"With the Athletic Department in its straightened financial condition, I hope the Training Table menu won't have to include a provision for "Dago" Nesmith with special diet of garlic and red peppers this Fall, to get him back in shape after his Italian athletic invasion!! Or would spaghetti do it, Dean?"

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Lt. Richard P. Brown, O-1321320, Co. L, 137th Inf., A.P.O. 35, c/o Postmaster New York, N.Y., the son of Dr. Earl G. Brown, former commissioner of Health for the State of Kansas, writes from Belgium acknowledging receipt of his Jayhawk Rebound and stating that he still enjoys following the goings on in Kansas. The 137th Inf. was part of the Kansas National Guard. Lt. Brown states that his first sergeant was a former Lawrence boy - Muzzy.

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