

Frank continues, "For the sake of the records, might change my rank for I received a small promotion a while back. Best of Luck on the coming season, as always I will be following your results game for game. . . . My regards to Dr. Lawson, Miss Lear, Dr. Woodruff, and anyone else."

It is a pleasure to pass along your greetings, Frank. I am sure your friends are happy to hear from you, and join me in best wishes to you.

Lt. Commander Wm. H. Shannon, a splendid teacher in Economics and a swell golf coach, so the varsity boys say, writes that he is still on the staff of the Supply Corps School at Harvard University.

1st Lt. Ray D. Tripp, with the U.S. Bombing Research Mission, APO 413, New York, wrote in October, saying, "I've been in England about a year and have served out a tour of missions as a pilot on a Fortress. Since the middle of May I have taken over a chairborne job in London, and it appears likely that I may be here for some time. It is not an uncommon thing to run into former K.U. men wherever I go, and it's always a pleasure to talk over the good times we had while on Mount Oread." Lots of good luck to you, Ray.

Sgt. Bob Charlton is with a bombing group, APO 650, New York, and says, "Just read a copy of Jayhawk Rebounds and really enjoyed it. Passed it on to another old K.U. boy in my squadron, Lt. C. F. Sherwood. He is from out near Dodge City. . . . Have made recent missions over Italy and France and must say the Nazis can still put up plenty of flak. And they don't throw bon-bons at us! We are pushing them back but the job ahead is still rugged. Don't be overoptimistic for an early victory. . . . Am situated on the Isle of Corsica, Napoleon's old home land (tell Prof. Melvin in History Dept.) Also have seen Isle of Elba. The French here are a hardy race and make excellent wines, cognacs, etc. The country itself is quite beautiful and very much like the Missouri Ozarks. However, that K.U. campus will look good to me."

We hope it won't be long until you can be back on our beautiful campus, Bob.

Lt. (jg) Larry Beaumont, VB 131, Fleet Postoffice, San Francisco, an Aggie basketball luminary under Jack Gardner, stopped by one day for me to fix his sacro-iliac. We had a nice visit and I was able to do something for him to put him back in good flying condition again. Larry wrote us as follows: "Just received your Rebounds. I'm a little late in my thanks to you for straightening my back and for adding me to your mailing list for the Rebounds. . . . T. P. Hunter was one of the finest opponents I've met, Doc, and it really touched me when I read of his death. Today I'm one of his teammates on a larger team and I'm going to try to score one for T. P. Our acquaintance was very limited but I can remember when he cut my eye open in one of our games and it worried him more than it did me. He was a gentleman player with plenty of fight and determination, and I'm sure he went down without a whimper."

We have enjoyed a letter from Mrs. N. N. Kline, of Hutchinson, Kansas, the mother of Lt. John Kline. I am passing along parts of it to you boys, because I feel sure you will be interested. Mrs. Kline says, "I appreciate your sending the Rebounds to me - so many of the names are familiar; in fact, I have met many of the boys mentioned. I felt very sad when I read that T. 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