

"Prexy Charles says that amount is not much in times like these. He admonishes with this sentence: Let's go for old K.U. Let's let the old K.U. spirit flow once more -- it's been a long time. You will be sorry if you miss this one. Let's go for old K.U.

"The football coaches will be present and there will be many an opportunity for the assembled multitude to celebrate their great victory over the Missouri Tigers on Kansas Memorial Field last Thanksgiving Day in football. Kansas defeated the Tigers in football, in track, and two out of three games in basketball. Certainly with that athletic record and with good food and good music, the Jayhawk Club of Greater Kansas City should have a grand evening."

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It just occurs to me that we have not given some of you boys the results of the Big Six basketball season. Iowa State and Oklahoma tied for first place with nine wins and one loss. Missouri and Kansas tied for third place with five wins and five losses. Kansas defeated Missouri in the pre-season play-off games in the Municipal Auditorium, but lost at Columbia and won at Lawrence. Nebraska and Kansas State tied with one win and nine losses.

At a meeting of the Athletic Board on Friday night, March 31, thirteen men were awarded the varsity K in basketball. They are -

Harold "Sparky" McSpadden - captain - of Eldorado, Kansas  
Don Barrington, fullback on the football team - of Kansas City  
Charles Moffett, halfback on the football team - of Peabody  
Homer Sherwood - of Arkansas City  
Bob Turner of Tacoma, Washington  
William Lindquist - of Kansas City, Kansas  
George Dick - of McLouth, Kansas  
Gordon Stucker - of Lawrence  
Willard Frank - of Wichita  
Bob Malott, son of Chancellor Malott - of Lawrence  
Don Diehl - of Smith Center  
Dean Corder - of Welda  
Louis Goehring - of Arkansas City

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Now for the NCAA playoffs. In the Eastern NCAA, Dartmouth, Catholic University, Temple and Ohio State were the representatives of Districts 1, 2, 3, and 4. Dartmouth defeated Catholic University, and Ohio State defeated Temple. Then Dartmouth defeated Ohio State, to be the Eastern NCAA champion.

In the Western NCAA playoffs much difficulty was encountered. Iowa State, with a Navy unit, was finally selected, after considerable difficulty, as the 5th District representative. In the 6th District Arkansas was selected, but a traffic crossing accident maiming and killing some of the members caused Arkansas to withdraw. The University of Iowa was asked to fill in, which they did, and then later resigned. Then Missouri, with its third place civilian outfit, finally substituted for the Southwest Conference, and made a good showing. The Pacific Coast Conference did not have a playoff and consequently did not have a representative, but the authorities of the NCAA selected Pepperdine College, a school that in years previous had played in the smaller college tournament in Kansas City. Pepperdine was a civilian