

Greetings have also been received from Lacy Haynes, Sr., head of the Kansas City Star Bureau for Kansas, - the 24 carat friend of all Jayhawker athletes and a man who never turns a Jayhawker down.; from Pvt. Ralph H. Miller, 12th T.S.S., Scott Field, Ill.; from Lt. (jg) and Mrs. W. C. "Bill" Johnson, 3887 Randall, Jacksonville, Fla., who announce the birth of another young queen to grace the Johnson household; and from Major Lawrence E. Filkin, MC, Co. D, 315th Med. Bn., APO 90, c/o Postmaster, Los Angeles, California.

Lt. Comdr. A. W. Helling, PWO, U. S. Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Calif.; S/Sgt. and Mrs. Ralph N. Dugan, 70th B. Hq. & A.B. Sq., Las Vegas, Nevada; Midn. Monte J. Merkel, V-7, USNR, Co. 9, Section 36, Notre Dame University, South Bend, Indiana; Major Frank J. Anneberg, S.S.O., A.A.A.T.C., Camp Davis, N. C.; Av/C Charles W. Elliott, 837th N.T.S., 44-1-3, AFNS - HAAF, Hondo, Texas. If Chuck had been able to get the traveling diaries of the 1943 Kansas basketball team what a swell thing it would have been to send to the mothers of all these boys at Christmas time. Later in this letter we will give you excerpts from the diaries of those boys who did turn them in to the office.

Christmas greetings come also from Vance Hall, at Gary Field, Blythe, California; from F. Marshall Hulett, Jr., USNR Midshipmen's School, Room 1006, Abbott Hall, 430 E. Huron St., Chicago II, Illinois; from Lt. and Mrs. W. G. Wade, Hotel Mayfair, Sioux City, Iowa - I certainly want to meet the Mrs., Bill, when you return; from Pvt. Ray Harris, 770 T.S.S., Barracks F-525, Sec. 3, Buckley Field, Colo.

An announcement of the marriage of Don H. Pierce to Miss Vivian Landrum, at the First Christian Church in Topeka, Kansas, on December 22nd, has been received. Our heartiest congratulations, Don!

Pvt. Nelson H. Sullivan, Co. H, 12th QM Tng. Regt. T-346, Camp Lee, Va., writes that he is now a proud father. Sally Ann Sullivan was born November 3,

Lt. W. H. Shannon, SC, USNR, Navy Supply Corps School, Soldiers Field Station, Boston, Mass.

"Bill" Shannon writes: "Sam Sifers has just reported for duty and I have promised to turn over my series of Jayhawk Rebounds for his reading. Two other K. U. boys reported in yesterday -- Dave Fisher from Topeka and Thomas Higgins from Kansas City."

Lt. Curvin H. Greene, Naval Air Station, Banana River, Fla.

"Even though Rebounds shared top honors with the Thanksgiving Day bird, it was nonetheless appreciated. For the last three years the feast day hasn't been quite the same - one was at sea, another in Alaska and the past one here in Florida."

Richard W. Farris, Ph.M.3/a U. S. Naval Hospital Staff, Barragut, Idaho.

Dick is from Ottawa, Kansas, and says, "I haven't been able to keep very good track of K.U. football this year but I see we beat M.U. the other day and I am very happy because there are a lot of M.U. men here and we do a lot of chinning."

J. Fred Harris, of the U. S. Naval Air Station at Richmond, Florida, continues to publish a very clever news sheet, as well as coach the station basketball team.