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Dr. Forrest C. Allen
Director of Physical Education
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Dear Dr. Allen:

Please send your very clever and interesting mimeographed letter to:

Don Ebling
U.S.S. Farragut
c/o Fleet Postmaster
San Francisco, California

This is a more recent address than I believe you have. He will be thrilled to get the letter, and if you do not have any more of them, please let me know and I will gladly send him the one that you sent to me.

The letter was indeed interesting to me, and naturally it will be doubly interesting to the boys. You certainly covered everything in your answer, and it is not difficult for me to understand why you are popular with the youngsters.

Cordially,

W. W. Fuller

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Mrs. Alberta Hulteen
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Dear Alberta:

I have given this list of basketball players for Paul Harrington my special attention.

Some of them still are missing. If you have later information on any of them, please let us have it.

Cordially,

Fred Ellsworth
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Milton Allen, '36, 1'42, 2022 Vermont, Lawrence, Kansas, chief investigator for Hercules Powder Company at Sunflower Ordnance Works near Lawrence

Frank J. Bausch, '32, last heard from in the winter of 1941-42 when he was player-coach for Aerial Parts Mfg. Co., Wichita football team. He was formerly on the police force in Wichita.

Ormand Beach, deceased

Phil Beatty, '34, 3736 Edgemont Place, Wichita, Kansas. He has position with Boeing Aircraft Company in Wichita.

Carl Benn, fs'33, 406 E. 3rd, Newton, Kansas (home). No information.

James Brazil, '34, spent two years as a geologist in Egypt. He started work in the fall of 1941 at Russell, Kansas, for the State Board of Health. Later he was with U.S. Coal and Geodetic Survey. Now in service, Navy we think.

Ray Brinkman, b'34, 4105 Oberlin, Houston, Texas. Address obtained Sept. '41.

Ernest Casini, fs'36, working in New York City the last Mike Getto (now manager of Hotel Eldridge) knew. He can be reached through his mother, Mrs. Joe Casini, 12th Street, Jeanette, Pa.

Stewart Chambers, '35, 1'38, Ft. Hamilton, Brooklyn, N.Y. Address obtained in July, 1941.

Max Coalson, e'35, 1700 S. Maple, Carthage, Mo. Address obtained July, '38.

Bob Curd, '36, 3114 Tenth St., Wichita Falls, Tex. Address obtained Nov. '39.

Douglas Daughtry, fs'34, Greeley, Kansas (home) No information.

Ray Ebling, fs'36, with Philips Petroleum Co., living with Helen Deer Ebling, at 1110 W. 45th, Kansas City, Mo.

Lawrence Filkin, '33, m'39, Capt. Med. Corps, Camp Barkeley, Tex.

Gordon Gray, ed'36, Athletic Director of Cadets, Curtis Field, Brady, Tex. Address obtained June, 1941

J. Fred Harris, C.S.P., U.S. Navy Air Station, Richmond, Florida

Kenneth Johnson, '32, 1130 N. East 12th, Oklahoma City, Okla. This address obtained in 1939

William Johnson, '33, Ensign, Supply Corps of Navy, Babson Institute, Babson Park, Wellesley, Mass.

Francis Kappelman, ed'36, 1st Lt., (Athletic Director) Jefferson Barracks, Mo. 927 S.S. (Sp)

Kenneth Kell, ed'35, Coast Guard Officer, Training School, New London, Conn.

Roy Klaas, ed'34, 125 S. Lombard, Lombard, Ill., Address obtained March, '42.

Donald Knight, deceased

Elwood Laub, e'37, Stoutland, Mo., Address obtained in Sept.'39.

Frank Lynch, fs'36, Naval Submarine Base, New London, Conn.

Ross Marshall, fs'34, Lost Feb. '41, at Sedalia, Mo.

Theodore O'Leary, '32, Lt. (j.g.) Director of Public Relations and member of the Board, Naval Aviation Cadet Board, Bryant Building, Kansas City, Mo.

Richard O'Neil, fs'34, Box 66, Oil Center, N. Mex. Address obtained Feb.'43

Robert Oyler, '35, l'37, confidential investigation work for U.S. Army. Home address, 839 Missouri, Lawrence, Kansas

Leland Page, e'33, 4210 Wabash, Kansas City, Mo. Address obtained Feb.'42.

John Peterson, fs'36, 22-4 Fairfield, Shreveport, La. Address obtained July, '41.

Warren Plaskett, ed'35, 3927 Bales, Kansas City, Ks., Address obtained December, '37.

Jay Plumley, ed'33, representative for Quaker State Oil Co. in St. Joseph, Mo. His first wife died; subsequently married Kathrine Stevens. They are now moving to Kansas City, Mo.

Elmer Schaaake, fs'33, highly successful Lawrence high school coach. Now on staff of K U Physical Education Department.

Wilmer Shaffer, '36, Hdq. 6 E T Group, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo. Last heard from in Spring, '42.

Raymond Urie, fs'34. Lost on files, March '41.

Ernest Vanek, '35, successful coach and physical education director at Harrington and Topeka; now in Navy. Address, Ellsworth, Kansas.

Dick Wells, ed'35, Lt. (j.g.) in training at Indoctrination School at Tucson, Arizona.

Ambrose Wolken, b'35, 1st. Lt., U.S. Army Ordnance Dept., foreign service.

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Whitehead Carries the Fight to the Japs

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University of KANSAS





JAYHAWKER SPORTS



Final Big Six Standings

	W	L	Pct		W	L	Pct
Kansas	10	0	1.000	Nebraska	5	5	.500
Oklahoma	7	3	.700	Iowa State	2	8	.200
Missouri	5	5	.500	Kansas State	1	9	.100

SKIPPER PHOG HORN ALLEN brought the good ship Kansas into port at the end of the 1942-43 basketball voyage a winner by several lengths, or knots,—or fathoms,—or something. At any rate, the opposition could not "fathom" how he does it.

It was his 26th year at the helm for the Crimson and Blue, his 19th championship crew. The team was ever-victorious in conference competition, the third Allen squad to make such a record in 20 years. Others were those of 1923 and 1936. A new Big Six record in average margin of victory was established at 15.9 points, which just exceeded the 15.4 record set up by Kansas in 1936. Furthermore, in spite of gas rationing and no participation in a national tournament at the end of the season, this year's team played before the greatest number of persons ever to see a Kansas team perform. Total attendance was 96,526. Gross receipts for home games were down this year, totaling \$12,915 as compared with \$13,396 last year. The effect of rationing was shown in these figures. Away from home games brought in \$10,430 as compared with last year's \$7,708.

Surveying the year's events, a highly colorful season is revealed in retrospect. It included:

1. A faltering organization at first with poor co-operation among players and the star of the team being dismissed temporarily for "lack of interest," then a sudden unification on the Eastern Christmas trip into one of the most powerful court machines Kansas ever had. It bowled over by lopsided scores some of the country's major teams. It set up a new Big Six high score record with 69 points against Missouri. It beat Oklahoma on the Sooners' own court, a feat not accomplished by Kansas since 1938 with Pralle, Schmidt, Harp, Ebling, Corliss and Golay pitted against the famous Boy Scats.

2. Exclusive use of five superior men in early games developed a great name, the "Iron Five." However, the original Iron Five combination was never available after January 31. It was composed of Charley Black, junior forward

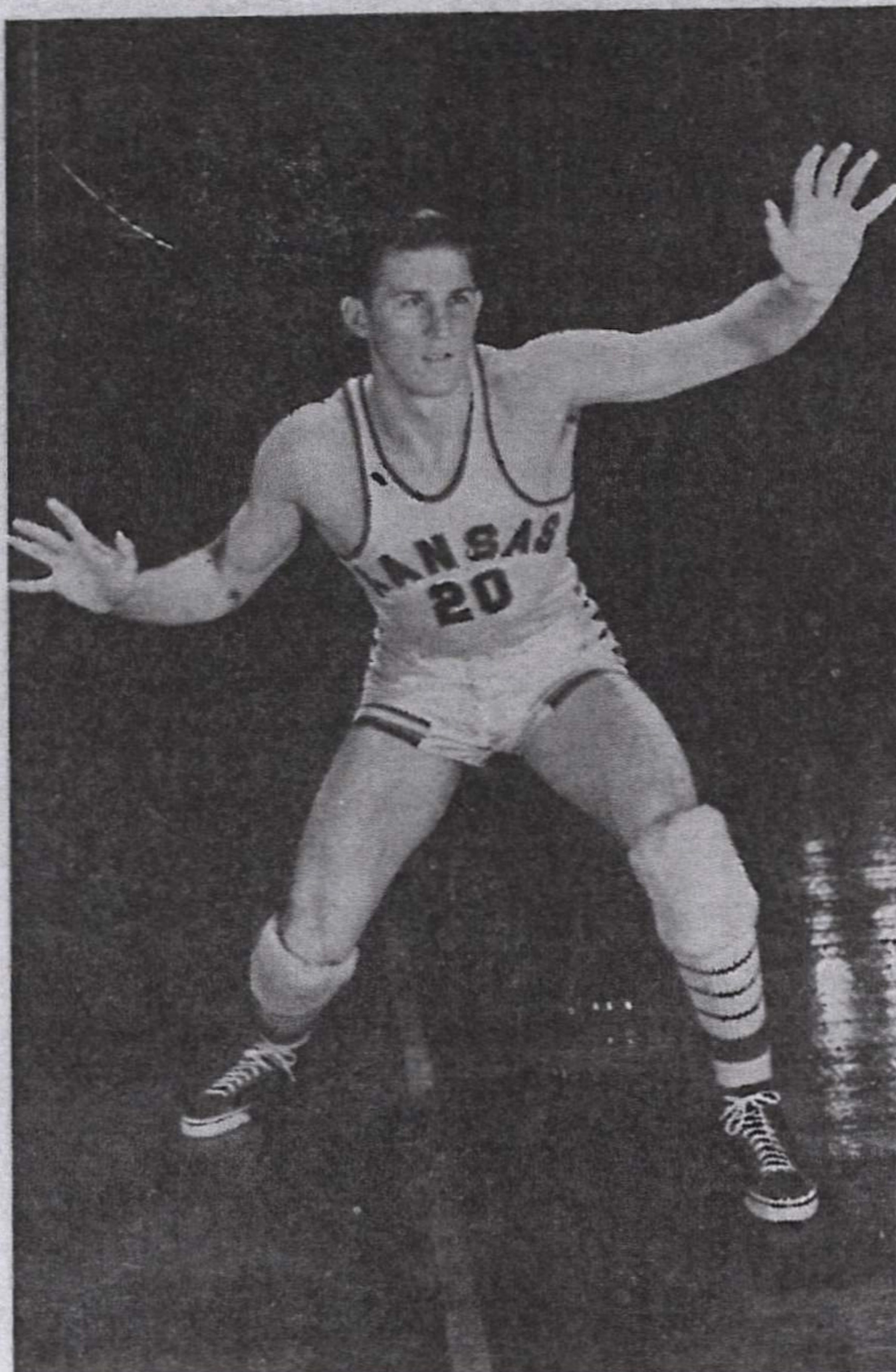
of Lawrence, Otto Schnellbacher, sophomore forward from Sublette, John Buescher, senior center from Beardstown, Ill., Ray Evans, all-American guard from Kansas City, Kan., and Armand Dixon, sophomore guard from Hermosa Beach, Calif. Black, Evans and Buescher will doubtless go down in K.U. history as immortals. The two sophomores were not far behind them.

McSPADDEN, BALLARD, KISSELL COME THRU

When Charley Black dropped out with illness, early in February, diminutive "Sparky" McSpadden proved to have the spark necessary to keep the remaining four in the running. Then when Armand Dixon left for a pre-induction visit at home just before the crucial Oklahoma game at Lawrence, Jack Ballard, 6-foot 7-inch guard, rose to the occasion and made that victory possible. Later Max Kissell furnished the marginal drive and scoring power to beat the Tigers on their own court. Others who got into the game were: Hoyt Baker, football quarterback, Bill Forsyth, Paul Turner, Bob Fitzpatrick, John Short, Don Blair, and George Dick. Each looked good working with the regulars but complete or near complete delegations of the second stringers proved inadequate in games against the Olathe Clippers and Creighton. All sixteen received letters and gold basketballs. Attention was called to the fact that every Kansas player who has won three letters since 1922 has been decorated with at least one gold football, some as many as three.

INCIDENTS

3. Turbulent "incidents" marked the season's play. In a rough, fast game at Lawrence the Olathe Clippers were far behind. Their coach did a humorous (to Kansas fans) act by sending into the game a player whose chief talents and inclinations were more in the nature of running amuck than good basketball. He made his four personal fouls in approximately two minutes and retired gingerly to the bench. At Stillwater in the game there with Oklahoma



All-American Ray Evans

A. & M. little Sparky McSpadden was incensed to square off for a boxing bout with an Aggie player. "Thin Man" Buescher, no giant himself, stepped in to quiet the trouble. At Lawrence in the closing seconds of the red-hot Oklahoma-Kansas game Bill Brill drew three quick blows from Ug Roberts, Oklahoma player. Other Kansas and Oklahoma players pulled them apart, the Oklahoma coach hustled Roberts to the dressing room and Brill followed to shake hands and "make-up."

INTO MILITARY SERVICE

4. A ceremony between halves at the final game March 6 was one of the most unusual ever to be seen at a sports event in the University's history. With all sixteen letter winners lined up to receive gifts from the Lawrence Chamber of Commerce, to have their letter awards announced and their election of John Buescher as honorary captain for the year, made known, it was also announced that eleven of them were going within the next few hours into War service. Into the Army Air Corps went Black and Short. Into the Army through the Enlisted Reserve Corps went Evans, Schnellbacher, Dixon, Ballard, Baker, Fitzpatrick, Blair, Brill and Dick. Of the other five the Naval Air Corps Reserve has Kissell, while McSpadden and Forsyth are in the Navy V-1 program, Turner is in the Navy V-7 plan and Buescher is classified 4-F and was rejected by the Army. They will carry on their studies. Buescher is a senior.

The remarkable physical condition of all players was noteworthy. First stringers who played all through the year were fresh at the end of the season. Each substitute was always able to play an entire game without a pause when injected into the line-up.

Complete Kansas Record

Freshmen 24, Varsity 45
 Olathe Clippers 40, Kansas 29
 Rockhurst 40, Kansas 44
 Creighton 38, Kansas 33
 St. Bonaventure 22, Kansas 53
 Fordham 30, Kansas 31
 St. Joseph 38, Kansas 63
 St. Louis 25, Kansas 60
 Olathe Clippers 32, Kansas 60
 Missouri 44, Kansas 69
 Oklahoma 44, Kansas 48
 Oklahoma A&M 29, Kansas 36
 North American 36, Kansas 45
 Camp Crowder 26, Kansas 57
 Rosecrans Flyers 22, Kansas 71
 Kansas State 20, Kansas 40
 Camp Crowder 35, Kansas 31
 Olathe Clippers 36, Kansas 47
 Great Lakes 47, Kansas 41
 Olathe Clippers 42, Kansas 32
 Iowa State 20, Kansas 44
 Nebraska 24, Kansas 56
 Iowa State 29, Kansas 37
 Oklahoma A&M 43, Kansas 47
 Nebraska 33, Kansas 52
 Oklahoma 35, Kansas 42
 Missouri 44, Kansas 47
 Creighton 56, Kansas 34
 Kansas State 30, Kansas 47