

February 19, 1942.

Mr. Jim Addison,  
Order Supervisor,  
Lowe & Campbell Athletic Goods Co.,  
1509 Baltimore Avenue,  
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Jim:

Thank you for your letter of the 17th concerning the two basketballs that we sent you for repair.

I am enclosing herewith the bid sheet for the second ball that was sent in. We are sending through our business office today the order for the repair charges on the first ball mailed you.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,  
Varsity Basketball and Baseball Coach.

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# LOWE & CAMPBELL

## ATHLETIC GOODS

DIVISION OF WILSON SPORTING GOODS CO.

WHOLESALE MANUFACTURING RETAIL

1509-11-13 BALTIMORE AVE.,

KANSAS CITY, MO.

CHICAGO, ILL.  
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February 17th, 1942

University of Kansas  
Purchasing Department  
Lawrence, Kansas

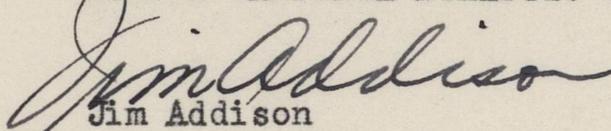
Gentlemen:

Attached is a bid covering the cost of repairing one basketball which you sent in a day or two ago. We will hold the ball and an order on it until you let us know whether or not you want the work done.

Also in the mail today we received an additional ball which is a composition cover ball, but we do not have any instructions regarding it. Wonder if you want us to furnish a quotation on this also or should we go ahead and fix the bladder as apparently that is all that is needed.

Very truly yours,

LOWE & CAMPBELL ATHLETIC GOODS

  
Jim Addison  
Order Supervisor

JA:HS

March 9, 1942.

Mr. Jim Addison,  
Order Supervisor,  
Lowe & Campbell Athletic Goods Co.,  
1509 Baltimore Ave.,  
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Jim:

We have on hand two archery "practice" targets which were bought from your firm last year some time, costing \$7.90 each. They have never been unwrapped. Four of these targets were ordered at the time, and two have been used.

We find that these targets are not the quality that we need for our archery classes.

I am writing to ask if it would be possible for you to give us credit for these two new practice targets on the purchase of two new "tournament" targets. I shall appreciate hearing from you at your early convenience.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,  
Varsity Basketball and Baseball Coach.

FCA:AH

Dr. Allen --

We have on hand two Archery practice targets which were bought last year some time, costing \$7.90 each. They have never been unwrapped. Four of these targets were ordered, and two have been used. Miss Stapleton says they are absolutely no good for her class work -- that tournament targets are needed. These will cost \$11.25 each.

Would you suggest that we ask Lowe & Campbell to take back these new practice targets that we have now, and give us a credit on an order for two new tournament targets (we would have to pay them approx. \$6.70 if they would make this exchange) ? or -- do you think we might reserve these for summer use, and buy two new tournament targets for class work this spring?

AH

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**KANSAS CITY, MO.**

March 11, 1942

Dr. Forrest C. Allen  
Director of Phys. Educ. & Recreation  
Varsity Basketball and Baseball Coach  
University of Kansas  
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dr. Allen:

We shall be glad to make the exchange in archery targets for you and will ship out the two tournament targets just as soon as you let us know whether these are to be billed through a state order or through Ober's.

If you will return the two practice targets, we will give you full credit on your old order for them and charge the regular price on the tournament targets which you want.

Yours very truly,

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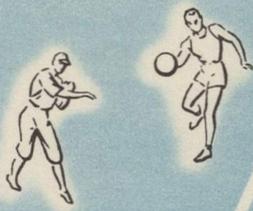
Jim Addison  
Order Supervisor

JA:HS

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April 8, 1942

University of Kansas  
Athletic Department  
Lawrence, Kansas

Gentlemen:

One of the 48" archery targets on the order #3345 was shipped today by truck. We are temporarily out of the other targets wanted but will have an additional supply of these 48" targets in about one week so will hold your order and complete delivery on the other targets needed as soon as this stock comes in.

We hope this delay will not cause you a great deal of inconvenience.

Very truly yours

LOWE & CAMPBELL

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jim Addison".

JIM ADDISON  
Order Supervisor

JA:lw

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**KANSAS CITY, MO.**

April 20, 1942

Mr. E. L. Falkenstien  
University of Kansas  
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Mr. Falkenstien:

The merchandise order on purchase order #3451 for the physical education department was shipped Saturday by Parcel Post with the exception of one #T60 women's official Gill javelin.

We are completely out these and will have to secure this special from the factory so it will be several days before this part of the order can be completed.

Very truly yours

LOWE & CAMPBELL

JIM ADDISON

Order Supervisor

JA:lw

June 20, 1942.

Mr. Les Freeburg,  
Lowe & Campbell Athletic Goods Co.,  
1509 Baltimore Ave.,  
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Les:

I wish to order the following items, to be charged  
to my personal account:

- 1 - No. 530J - Vines Tournament Tennis Racket,  
Nylon strings
- $\frac{1}{2}$  doz. - No. A150 - Wilson Championship Tennis  
balls
- 1 - No. L379 - Standard Tennis Racket Press

I am also sending by parcel post two tennis rackets  
to be restrung with No. L320 Moisture-proof Silk strings.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

Dr. Nash's  
bill

→  
Payment sent  
6/30/42

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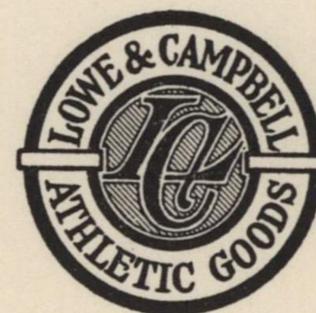
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1509-11-13 BALTIMORE AVE. KANSAS CITY, MO.

TO  
Dr. F. C. Allen,  
Director of Physical Education,  
University of Kansas  
Lawrence, Kansas

DATE 6-23-32  
SHIPPED BY P P  
YOUR ORDER  
OUR ORDER 59912

FORM NO. 122

KEEP THIS INVOICE -- IT IS AN ITEMIZED ACCOUNT OF YOUR PURCHASES. COMPARE WITH SHIPMENT AND REPORT ANY DISCREPANCY IMMEDIATELY.

1	530J	Tournament racket - Nylon
6 ly	A150V	Tennis balls
1	L379	Racket press

	6	25
	2	40
		45
	9	10
Tax		18
	9	28
Postage		24
	9	52

Ordered by mail

hb



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ATHLETIC GOODS



DIVISION OF WILSON SPORTING GOODS CO.  
1509-11-13 BALTIMORE AVE. KANSAS CITY, MO.

TO Dr. F. C. Allen, Director Physical Education,  
University of Kansas,  
Lawrence, Kansas

DATE 6-27-42  
SHIPPED BY P P  
YOUR ORDER  
OUR ORDER 59997

FORM NO. 122

KEEP THIS INVOICE -- IT IS AN ITEMIZED ACCOUNT OF YOUR PURCHASES. COMPARE WITH SHIPMENT AND REPORT ANY DISCREPANCY IMMEDIATELY.

2	T6800	Wilson "Phoenix" light weight tennis rackets		2 25	4 50
				Tax	09
					<u>4 59</u>
				PP & Ins.	17
					<u>4 76</u>

Ordered by mail

hb

The Tax charged on this invoice is the  
Kansas State Sales Tax.

June 24, 1942.

Mr. Chas. A. Burke, Jr.,  
Manager, City Department,  
Lowe & Campbell Athletics Goods Co.,  
1509 Baltimore Ave.,  
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Charlie:

Thanks for your letter of the 23rd concerning the old tennis rackets that we had sent in to be re-strung. As you suggested, kindly discard these old frames, and send me the following:

2 Wilson "Phoenix" light weight tennis rackets.

Add this to my bill for the other tennis equipment, which was received today, and I will send you a check immediately.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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June 23, 1942

Dr. F. C. Allen  
Physical Education Department  
University of Kansas  
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dr. Allen:

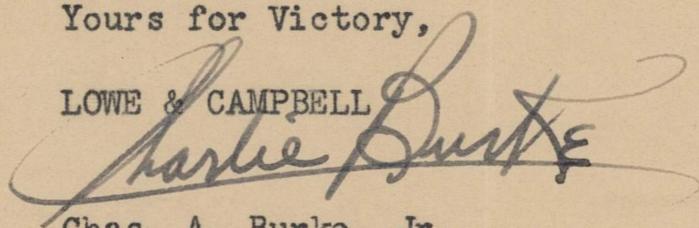
Our re-string department advises us that the two rackets sent in to us to be re-strung are not worth the expenditure of \$1.60 each. These rackets are quite old and the frames are in such a weakened condition that it would be impossible to pull the strings tight without completely breaking through the wood.

Please advise us if you would like to have us ship you two new low priced rackets to replace these. We are holding the two rackets, your property, until we hear from you. Our suggestion would be that you instruct us to destroy them rather than go to the expense of having them mailed back to you as they are absolutely useless.

With kindest personal regards

Yours for Victory,

LOWE & CAMPBELL

  
Chas. A. Burke, Jr.  
Mgr. City Department

CAB:VL

June 30, 1942.

Mr. Les Freebure  
Lowe & Campbell Athletic Goods Co.,  
1509 Baltimore Ave.,  
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Les:

Thank you for your kind letter of June 22 concerning our order for the Turf Bowling Sets. We feel that even though you cannot make immediate delivery on this order, we want to continue the order with your firm. So send along the Turf Bowling sets whenever you are able to supply them.

Very sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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**KANSAS CITY, MO.**

June 22, 1942

Dr. Forrest C. Allen,  
University of Kansas,  
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Doctor:

Thanks a lot for the order for the tennis goods - shipment will go forward to you promptly.

Regarding the Bocci Turf Bowling Sets, I have just learned from Karl Royer that we received information Saturday that our source of supply would not be able to take care of our order for a month or longer, and it seems advisable, therefore, that you place your order direct with Alex Taylor of New York.

We do not have an Alex Taylor Catalog here, but we cannot understand why there would be any price differential, unless it would be a slight one, due to the difference in transportation costs between the East and the West. There are a number of items which carry a certain price East of the Mississippi, and a little higher rate West of there. We assume that there is no difference in the quality of the sets, and we simply followed the regular price schedule given us by the manufacturer.

I am very sorry that we cannot make an immediate delivery, but this is only one of a thousand items which we are having extreme difficulty in obtaining in these uncertain times.

Yours for victory,

Les R. Freeburg  
LOWE & CAMPBELL

LRF/rw

June 20, 1942.

Mr. Les Freeburg,  
Lowe & Campbell Athletic Goods Co.,  
1509 Baltimore Avenue,  
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Les:

We have received the 1942 sports catalog No. 71 from Alex Taylor of New York. We notice that Taylor's official Boodi Turf Bowling is somewhat below that price which you quoted us.

We have a letter from Jim Addision, the order supervisor, addressed to the Business Manager instead of to us, in which he states that our order for two No. N288 Turf Bowling sets would receive early attention next week.

I am writing you personally so that you could explain to me the reason for the discrepancy in price of these sets, and if this back order is apt to be much delayed perhaps we could place the order with Alex Taylor and get our bowling sets as they state they have a good supply on hand. Will you kindly write me your reaction?

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH

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**KANSAS CITY, MO.**

June 16, 1942

University of Kansas  
% Business Manager  
Lawrence, Kansas

Gentlemen:

Your order #3971 for two N288 Turf Bowling sets and two FB20 Rubber Basketballs has been received. Thank you.

We are unable to make immediate delivery on either of these items. The supply of N288 Turf Bowling sets has not reached us yet, but we have had promise of shipment very soon from the factory and expect to have them the latter part of this week or the first of next, so will deliver these two items just as soon as our stock arrives, and we hope the delay will not cause you any inconvenience.

Our Pittsburgh store has a large stock of the FB20 Rubber Basketballs on hand there, so we are requesting them to forward enough to take care of your order. We are completely out here at the present time. We should be able to deliver these along with the Bowling sets the first of next week.

Yours for Victory,

LOWE & CAMPBELL

Jim Addison  
Order Supervisor

JA:VL

Please return to:

Department of Physical Education  
University of Kansas  
Lawrence, Kansas

THIS IS NOT AN ORDER

FORM 192 Any Inquiry Refer to Quotation No.....

JUN 26 1942

B. H. JOHNSON, BUSINESS MANAGER  
D. A. N. CHASE, ASST. BUSINESS MANAGER

# REQUEST FOR QUOTATION

Purchase Request No.....

## STATE BUSINESS MANAGER TOPEKA, KANSAS

Date..... June 24, 1942.....

Please quote your lowest prices, on the following material delivered F. O. B.....

Dept. of Physical Education, University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas.

- Discount periods begin on date of acceptance of material by the State.
- Closing date 2:00 P. M.
- To receive consideration, the original of this "Request for Quotation" with your bid filled in, must be signed and returned by the above specified closing date.
- All prices and conditions must be shown, additions for packing and other items not shown on this bid will not be allowed.
- Bids are invited on specified grade or substitute brands or qualities, or both, provided substitutes are clearly listed as such. Attach to the reverse side of this sheet complete specifications for any substitutions offered. If substitute is not mentioned, bidder will be required to furnish according to specifications.
- Do not quote on material you are unable to supply.
- The right is reserved to accept or reject quotations on each item separately, or as a whole.
- All bids aggregating a sum in excess of \$500.00 must be accompanied with a certified check for 5% of the amount, otherwise, the bid will not be considered.

QUANTITY	ITEMS AND SPECIFICATIONS	NET UNIT PRICE	TOTAL QUANTITY OR WEIGHT	TOTAL AMOUNT OF BID
1	No. B. Set "Bocci" Turf Bowling, 4 1/2 in. diam.			
<p>WE REGRET TO SAY THAT UNTIL WE ARE ABLE TO IMPORT MORE LIGNUM VITAE, THERE WILL BE NO MORE BOCCI BALLS AVAILABLE.</p>				
<p>ALEX TAYLOR &amp; CO. INC.</p>				
TERMS:.....		PLEASE TOTAL		

To Be Signed AND RETURNED PROMPTLY BY PARTY MAKING BID

Shipment will be made.....days Signed..... Address.....  
after receipt of order.

By.....

Date..... Title.....



July 8, 1942.

Mr. Jim Addison,  
Order Supervisor,  
Lowe & Campbell Athletic Goods Co.,  
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Jim:

I notice in your fall catalog that the largest  
Medicine Ball you list is only 12 inches in diameter.

I realize it would be impossible to make up any  
at this time on account of the shortage on leather, but I am  
wondering if you can't cast about and get some of the larger  
balls from some other sources from stock on hand. We have  
several of the larger ones that are nearly worn out, but since  
we have both Army and Navy training schools located here we  
feel that the larger ball will fit into the service training  
better than the small one.

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

July 9, 1942.

Mr. Jim Addison,  
Order Supervisor,  
Lowe & Campbell Athletic Goods Co.,  
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Jim:

I am enclosing a check for \$4.15 from  
Dr. W. H. Shoemaker, which I have endorsed, in payment  
of the restringing of his tennis racket, as per the  
enclosed quotation sheet.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

Enc.

August 25, 1942.

Mr. Les Freeburg,  
Lowe & Campbell Athletic Goods Co.,  
1511 Baltimore Ave.,  
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Les:

Under separate cover I am mailing one tennis racket to be restrung with Z32 Wilson Service Gut. Kindly send the bill to me for payment.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.