

December 17, 1945

Mr. Frank P. Mandeville  
8312 High Drive  
Kansas City, Missouri

Dear Mandy:

It was good to see you Saturday night and for one of those old-time visits.

I am enclosing our Jayhawk Rebound Number 18 for you and yours. I have been intending to send this to you for months.

I saw your brother, Major Mandeville, on the streets of Lawrence and he told me of your new position. He was on the way out of the Army at that time. I saw Mrs. Mandeville and your daughter Jane, I believe, at the Missouri football game in Kansas City. Mrs. Allen and our Jane were with us.

I will stop by Saturday, 209 Dwight Building, and say hello to you. With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:MF



December 10, 1945

Mr. Hal Middlesworth  
Sports Editor  
Daily Oklahoman  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Dear Hal:

A very good friend of mine and a former star all-around athlete at the University of Kansas, Melvin Thornhill of Protection, Kansas, phoned me last Friday night asking that I reserve two tickets for him and Mrs. Thornhill for your tournament beginning December 26. He wants season tickets or tickets for all the games. He, of course, expects to pay for them, but is asking that I make the reservations for him. He will appreciate it if you will personally attend to this matter for me.

There is one other item that he asked me to take care of and I am asking you to do it for me. He wants a room for himself and his wife at the same hotel that we are staying at; namely, the Skirvin. He knows, and I know, that all the hotel rooms will be crowded and it would be impossible for him to get this room unless you made the reservation for him. Therefore, I am anxious for him to have it and I am anxious that you kindly extend this favor to him through us. If it is only possible for him to get the room by making the reservation in our name, then I want that done and he can settle with us. He is flying from Kansas to Oklahoma especially for this tournament and I am anxious that he be accommodated.

I called Hank Iba before the Tulsa football game and Hank made reservations for Mr. Thornhill for this football game. So you can see that our friend is quite a fan and is anxious to get fixed up without any possibility of a doubt. Won't you write me confirming this reservation so there will be no question about the matter.

With every good wish, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA: MF



KANSAS STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE  
EMPORIA, KANSAS

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

December 5, 1945

Mr. Forrest C. Allen  
Director, Physical Education  
University of Kansas  
Lawrence, Kansas

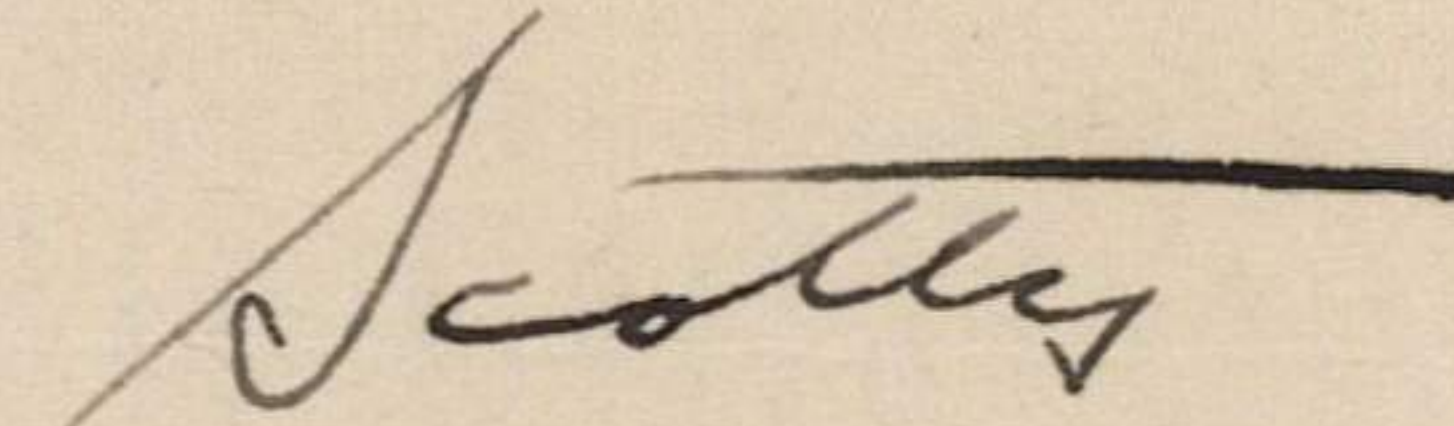
Dear Phog:

I appreciated your fine letter of November 7, even if I have been slow in replying to it. I am sorry that you were not able to be present at the inaugural, but nonetheless was happy that you thought of us.

I was interested in your comment on Bill White's editorial and I know how you feel about the matter, which is some comfort to me. I am looking forward to seeing you at the Council of Administration, if not sooner.

With kindest personal regards, I am

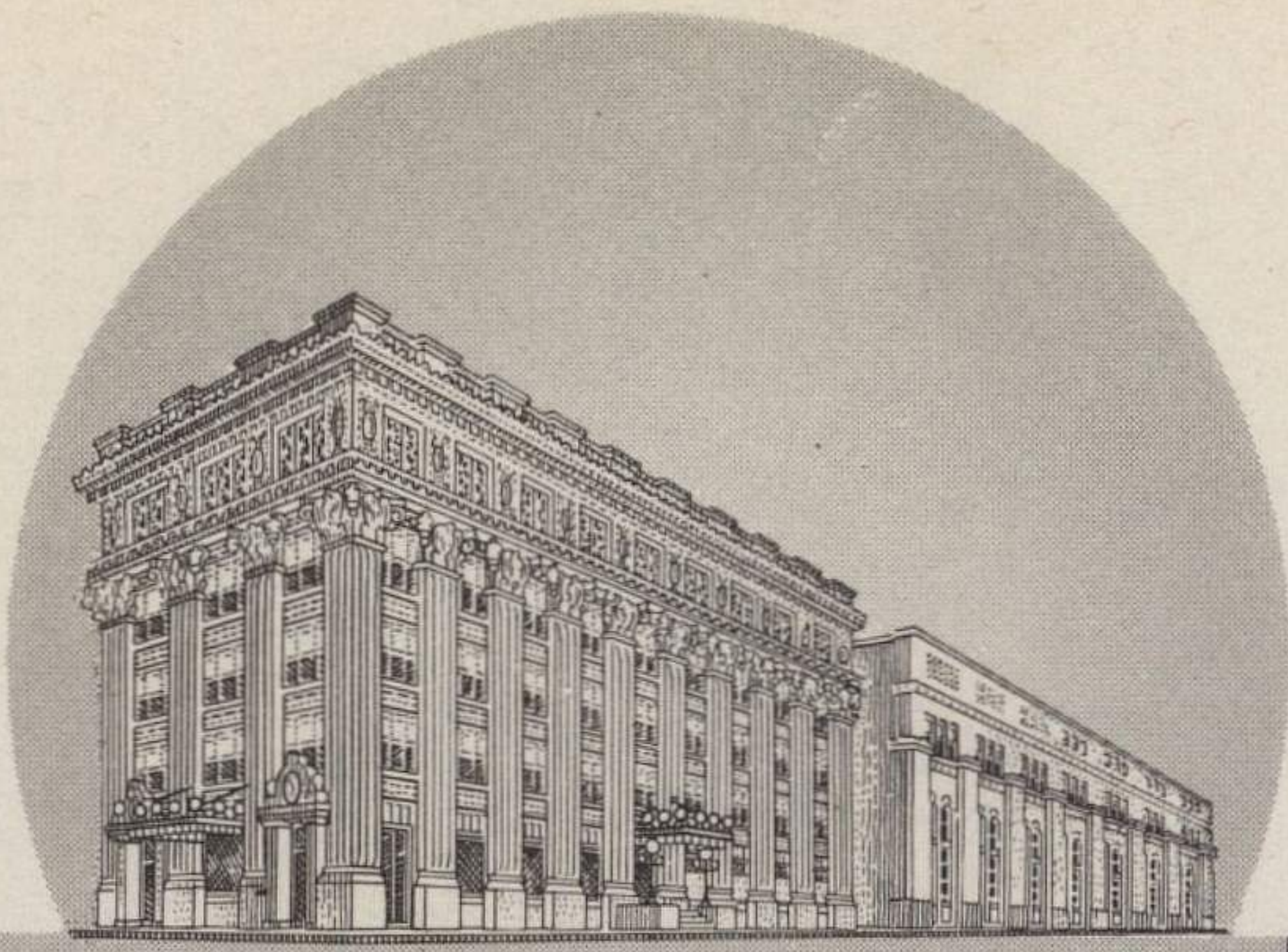
Cordially yours,



David L. MacFarlane, President

DLM/pg





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November 9, 1945

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

Dear Doctor Allen:

I, too, am sorry that your team will not be able to play in the All-College tournament. I had thought this might be the year you would join us.

Please consider this a standing invitation into the tournament and whenever you feel that you can get down this way for the annual affair we will be most happy to have you.

Yours sincerely,

Hal Middlesworth  
Daily Oklahoman



December 1, 1945.

President Andrew B. Martin,  
Ottawa University,  
Ottawa, Kansas.

Dear President Martin:

I am expecting to give a course in basketball during our eight weeks summer session beginning June 18th. You doubtless were speaking of a short intensive coaching school for Sammie Hasegawa, were you not? The eight weeks session, of course, would give him much more than a short intensive course. I am hoping to have him with us.

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.



# OTTAWA UNIVERSITY

OTTAWA, KANSAS

ANDREW MARTIN, M. A., PH. D.  
PRESIDENT

November 30, 1945

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

My dear friend Allen:

One of our graduates, Sammie Hasegawa, an American Japanese boy, is teaching and coaching at Wheaton, Kansas. He is tremendously interested in basketball, and was an outstanding player both at Redlands University, California, and here at Ottawa. He would like to take some work under you at some time, and I was wondering if you have a special coaching school, or if you are available at a summer session where he could take special work under your leadership.

Any suggestions you can give me in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Yours sincerely,

*Andrew B. Martin*

Andrew B. Martin  
President

ABM:rp



November 24, 1945.

President A. B. Martin,  
Ottawa University,  
Ottawa, Kansas.

Dear President Martin:

I am very happy to commend for your consideration Mr. Warner A. Coffin who graduated from the University of Kansas in 1941 with a B.S. degree in Education, with a major in physical education.

Mr. Coffin was one of our better students in the department. He lettered in varsity baseball in 1937. He was a member of my freshman basketball team and the freshman football team. His laboratory experience on these varsity teams has given him an unusual advantage in the coaching of the major sports.

He was at all times conscientious in his work, and a very observing student. He has a fine personality with boys. His work is not of the mere accidental type, but is founded upon experience and study. He was coach of all sports at Haskell Indian Institute where he made a most enviable record. He left Haskell in the spring of 1942 to enter the service of his country. Lieutenant Coffin has made a fine record, and I am happy to recommend him without reservation or evasion. His character is of the best, and he is clean and capable.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH



November 7, 1945

Dr. David Laing MacFarlane, President  
Kansas State Teachers College of Emporia  
Emporia, Kansas

Dear "Death-Valley Scotty":

It was mighty thoughtful of you, Sir, to extend an invitation to the reception for the President and Mrs. MacFarlane. Nothing would give me more pleasure than to attend this reception but my heart will be in it for you and the Mrs.

I congratulate you both and hope that you have a long and successful administration. I saw what young Bill White had to say regarding the color situation. I also congratulate you, Sir, on having the nerve of your conviction. Some of our friends have their civil and social rights mixed up slightly. I cherish the thoughts of our conversation when I was on the official visit to Emporia.

Sincerely and Rotarily yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Governor

FCA/lm



The reception for President and Mrs. MacFarlane will be held on Friday, November ninth at eight o'clock in the evening in the Ballroom of the Student Union.



The Board of Regents of Kansas

and

The Faculty

of

Kansas State Teachers College of Emporia

request the honor of your presence

at the inauguration

of

David Laing MacFarlane

as president of the college

Friday, November ninth

Nineteen hundred and forty-five

at ten o'clock in the morning



November 7, 1945

Sol Marks & Son  
817 Massachusetts  
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Judy:

I am enclosing a check for \$4.76 for which only in a small way repays you for your many acts of friendship and good will toward me and the Allen family. I should have stopped in long ago to have made a settlement for this but I even caused you to send out a bill.

In deep appreciation for your friendship, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach

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STATEMENT---

Lawrence, Kansas, ~~XXXX~~. Oct. 1945

M F.C. Allen

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November 16, 1945.

Mr. L. F. Metzler,  
Paola, Kansas.

My dear good friend:

I promised you that I would send you the statement by Grantland Rice concerning college football and its future. This is taken from Mr. Rice's article on page 45 of the Official Football Guide of 1945 published for the National Collegiate Athletic Association.

I wish that I might have had a longer time to discuss this matter with you as I am sure that we have some common points of interest. There are a lot of things wrong with many things, and only by honestly meeting them and fearlessly discussing them can we do something about these troublesome problems.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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# THE MO-ALPHA

PHI KAPPA PSI AT UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI

OCTOBER, 1945

Vol. V, No. 3

## WE'RE DOING BUSINESS AT THE OLD STAND!

Missouri Alpha opened the 1945 season with 3 returned members who were all veterans and initiated by the Alumni last April. After a 4 day rush period the chapter had 10 pledges whom we introduce at this point. Dick Bietling and Carl Speckman both of Westport High in K.C.; Chuck (Ed) Milliken, a veteran from Joplin, Mo.; Robert Mueller, 17 from St. Louis, Mo., Fritz Albrecht 18 from Brooklyn, N.Y. and a top notch piano player (glad we did not sell our piano); Dennis Thompson, veteran from Unionville, Mo.; Charles Hoch, 23, and 4F from San Antonio, Texas, Will Jones Graves, a vet of 27 from Lake Cormorant, Miss., and another veteran John A. Cooper, 24, from Memphis, Tenn. We are pleased to announce that our old favorite Mrs. Dungan is back and any success we had during rush week was largely due to her fine efforts and wonderful food she served. We have a fine cook (with Sigma Chi many years, but likes Mrs. Dungan much better) also a good houseboy and say can you guess what house-boys get nowadays? \$25 per week, Wow.

We wish to thank the following Alums for their able assistance during rush week, Larry Winn Jr., and Frank Nutter of Kan A., Craig Ruby, Al Olson, Lyle Willits, Orson H. Lee, George Newton and Carter L. Williams.

Some of the furniture arrived a week after rush period, so you can well imagine what handicap the boys faced in selling the lodge to strangers with such a set-up. However, we have a strong nucleus and this fact combined with Mrs. Dungan's fine qualities seem to assure Missouri Alpha of a prosperous year. February should see the house entirely full as the entire 1943 chapter has expressed the desire to return to school.

### FURNITURE AND REHABILITATION FUND TO OCT. 1, 1945

Previously acknowledged		\$4337.59	
Capt. Bob Zane	U. S. Airforce	90.00	
Capt. Bob Walker	U.S. Engrs.	10.00	
Lt. Kyle Fagin	U.S. Army in Germany	75.00	
Pvt. Roscoe Bowles	U. S. Back in U.S.	37.62	Bonds.
Lt. Comdr. Fred H. Smith	USNR	30.00	
Lt. Col. Kenny Glassburn	U.S. Airforce Europe	100.00	
Lt. Herb Dennis	USNR	10.00	
Lt. Chet W. Hitz	U.S. Army Germany	80.00	Bonds
Lt. Gordon Letterman	USNR (med)	10.00	
S/m Ben F. Crawford	U.S. Navy	50.00	
Bob Lockwood	U.S. Engrs, Discharged	10.00	
Lester E. Cadman		5.00	
Hal Bray		37.50	Bonds
Murray Wenzel	U.S. Navy Storekeeper lcl	30.00	
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\* House notes paid up in full.

Two more memorial bedrooms left brothers, who wants them at \$100.00 each. Make your name HISTORY at old 820. Your name on a bronze tablet in these rooms. Brothers killed in action were Dungan, Siebel and Bob Glenn; the first two have been honored. Now who wants to honor Glenn, kindly get your name in early as it might be too late.

\*\*\*\*\* THINK IT OVER \*\*\*\*\*



A LETTER FROM BROTHER GIESECKE

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Dear Bones:

While I know these letters get monotonous nevertheless they are facts, and I feel quite confident all the brethern are, or should be, men and can take it.

With refurnishing of the house and contracting for ice box, stoves, linens, etc., etc., ad infinitum, our outstanding bills run in the neighborhood of \$5,000 or \$6,000. In addition to that, we have back city taxes to pay in the sum \$200; another interest payment to meet in December of some \$600; consequently, it is imperative that collections of house notes be pushed strenuously. I feel quite confident that if the various brothers would each contribute a small amount that we can weather through this year, and what with the returning veterans and our new pledge class, Mo Alpha should end up the school year in fairly strong financial position.

Believe me, I greatly appreciate all the help you and the Mo Alphan have given in actually performing the job of acquainting the brothers with our financial condition. I believe unquestionably we should continue the publication of the Mo-Alphan. I sincerely hope, too, that more of the alumni will take an active part from now on and that when we hold our annual meeting on Sunday, November 18, at the house in Columbia, we can expect a good turnout.

Surely there are enough brothers still doing business here in these United States who will be glad to help us weather the next four or five months. To those I am appealing for contributions in any amount and to you fellows who plan on returning from the Services, for goodness sakes hurry up and get back for we really need your youth and enthusiasm to guide the active management of the Chapter.

Cordially yours,

*W. Marshall Giesecke*

W. Marshall Giesecke

"Treas. House Corp."

Marshall Giesecke reports that the following Bros. paid up their notes in full during the last year. Oct. 1, 1944 to Oct. 1, 1945

Lt. Bob Willits	USNR	Maj. Ivan Tweedie	Art. Lt. Phil Bollard	USNR
Fed E. Breisch		Bliss Wilder	Jim Cleary	
Charley Heite		Capt. Fred Board	AF Dr. Art A. Brewer	
Floyd Gibson		Sgt. Gardiner Lathrop	Art. Capt. Bob Zane	AF
Sgt. Jack Mackay	Airforce	Stanley Field	Lt. Kyle Fagin	Inf.
Lt. Jack Keith		Lt. Henry Michels	USNR Lt. Col. Kenny Glassburn	AF
Sam I. Major	Paid us \$250.00	F.C. "Heppy" Thorp	Lt. Chet W. Hitz	Inf,
Len Meyer		George Bradburry	Murray Wenzel	USNR

Twenty-four brothers in all, by far the best year we have ever had in collections. The year before showed a total of six brothers paying in full and the year before that seven, so you see things are picking up for your old chapter. You will also note that 50% of the above are men in service. They really deserve DOUBLE THANK from us all. We have 113 members paid up now out of a roll of 475.---that does not look so good-----25% paying over a 40 year stretch.

Brother Craig Ruby wishes to thank the following for their contributions to his rushing fund the past month. Jimmy Boyle \$100, Zan Maitland \$10, Jimmy Hand \$20; J. Austin Walden \$10 (sorry Puny your man was all sewed up Sigma Nu); Winston Woodson \$5; Happy Cowan \$10.



## ON THE ALUMNI FIRING LINE

Capt. Robert L. Zane, 0560505, APO 321, San Francisco, is No. 109 to become a fully paid up member of the House Corp. Bob says if any of you Bros. in the Pacific see the sign "Grim Reapers"--that he will be close by; hopes to find Lt. Freddie Board. Thanks Capt.--it was swell hearing from you.

Dr. Harvey Jennett '21 is no longer at Bell Memorial Hospital, having established offices in the Professional Bldg, in Kansas City.

S 2/C Bailey Gallison writes on Barbizon Plaza Hotel stationery that he is temporarily based at Pier 92 in N.Y. after returning from Africa. Says he has requested Cryptography School but hasn't heard whether he got it or not. Thinks there's a Mo Bro. there as C.O. WE'd like to hear more of this item. Bailey is only 18 miles from his home so he is home most every nite.

Jack Duncan and Craig Ruby put on a small rush party at the K.C. ball Park on July 12. About 12 rushees were entertained. These boys are getting acquainted now which all helps our rushing problem very much.

Capt. Robin Walker, 0-1102108, Co. "A" 177th Engrs. Cons. Bn., APO 729, Seattle, Wash. pays his 1945 note right on the dot. Thanx Bob, also for the \$5 on the paper. Nice goin.

Our old pal Sam Shirkey is now associate Dean of the College of Agr.

George Newton '42, Phi Beta Kappa and linguist deluxe, has received the Daniel L. Shorrey traveling fellowship at the U. of Chicago, and will work for a doctor of philosophy degree in Greek. Congratulations, George.

From Bro. P. M. Wiley's Penn. Alpha Newsletter; W and J Phi Psis in Honolulu are holding luncheons every Wednesday noon at the KEWALO RESTAURANT, Phone 67851 for reservations. There are several Mo. Bros. in that City. Why not start a luncheon club there also. Maybe we can make it Nat'l. Comdr. G. Wilse Robinson----Take notice.\*\*\*\*

Henry Houts '18 real estate specialist is now with Cornet and Zeibig 7813 Forsythe (Branch Office) Clayton 5, Mo.

Ye ed spent a very pleasant evening with Judge and Mrs. Duval Strother at their country estate near Grandview, Mo.

Here is interesting news from Lt. Kyle Fagin, U.S. Inf. First he closes out his house notes with a \$75.00 E. Bond. Next he is a proud papa of Michael Kyle Fagin, for the class of 1965 at Mo Alpha. Kyle was wounded in France with the 30th Inf. Div. last Aug. 8th and has been in various hospitals but is home now on 30 day leave and will report back to Jefferson Barracks soon. July 28th for redistribution. Thanks a lot Kyle and we sure will be on hand for the reunion after the war at Columbia.

Word from Phil Sydney '17, Zan Maitland's old college playmate and soldier of fortune (just discharged) and newspaper man from Anthony, Kansas---Anthony's only newspapers "Republican" and "Times" sends \$5 for the purpose of buying a new frame for that huge picture of that "MISSOU TIGER" (he calls it a lion) that he says he presented to the chapter after finding same in one of Columbia's better 2nd hand stores (Probably some sorority house) when in school. He says to look in Puny Walden's basement if we can't find it in the bank vault. Anyhow he sends five bucks to help furnish the "LUDGE". Thanx Phyllis. You failed to tell us what rank you attained while in uniform. Please do this for our MC SERVICE RECORD.



Lt. Chet W. Hitz, Det. IA3, 3rd E.C.A. Reg't., APO 658, c/o PM, New York is with the AMG in Germany---His Brother Carson is a B-25 pilot in Okinawa. These Brothers are really in there. Congrats boys. Hope you will be home soon.

Low and beholdts, our Bob Pickett is now a Lt. having won his commission at O.C.S. at Fontainbleau, France on June 30th. Congrats Bob. Add; Lt. Robert D. Pickett, O-2020578, 182nd Reinforcement Co., APO 545, c/o PM, New York. Bob hopes for a furlough soon and then perhaps CBI.

This magazine is going to have to get more subscriptions paid in, if it is to continue in its past good health-----\$55.00 has been received since the August issue, consequently we are about \$25 in the red as the cost of 1 issue is about \$75----What we mean is

Your subscription is due ANNUALLY so please send in  
YOUR 1945 CHECK

That is, if you like the sheet

Mo Alphan subscriptions since our last issue; Gil Stecker Ill. A \$2; Capt. Bob Zane from Manilla \$5; Ray Blacker, Kan. A \$1.50; Capt. Bob Walker \$5; Col. Fred B. Lyle \$5; Bailey Gallison \$1; Lt. Col. Kenny Glassburn \$1; Wm. H. White, Navy Cadet, \$2; Lt. Herb Dennis \$5; Benny Crawford \$5; Pledge, Harry Fey, Navy \$10; Joe Gilbert Kan. A. \$2; Lester Cadman \$1; Brig. Gen. Garland C. Black \$5; Phil Sydney \$5; a total of \$55.50. So 15 guys paid for this issue to 400 Bros. So send in your 1945 buck- - - - -

Let's give Kansas Alpha a great big hand. The boys up there got 17 boys from 5 K.C. Mo. and K.C. Kan High schools---all top notchers and 26 pledges in all from all over the country. Congrats we say. Just to show how the competetors stacked up here is a sample. From K C. Mo; Beta 1; Phi Gam 2; Sigma Chi 8; Delt 3; Kappa Sig 3, Phi Delt 7. We've never seen such a cleanup in 30 years. The editor attended the "yell-in" for these 26 fortunate guys on Sept. 24 and it was quite a sight. Girls from all the sororities on the "Hill" congregated in the Phi Psi front yard and as each pledge appeared on the porch from inside the house to be pinned---the Phi Psi yell went up along with a short song by the actives augmented by that gorgeous group of pulchritude on the lawn.

Col. Tom Putnam, 69 Tunstall Rd., Scarsdale, N.Y. has left the Army after 34 months service, but will be attached to the Sec. of War's office in Wash. D.C. for the duration.

T.C. Wright who so generously is supplying the chapter with table flat silver has advised us that the first shipment has been made to Columbia. A brother with 100% Mo Alpha spirit and action to back it up--we shout.

Col. Fred B. (Silk) Lyle, O-9855, F.A.T.C., C.T.C., APO 627, c/o PM, New York thru his family at Columbia, Mo. sends us five for our treasury. Thanks folks, we'll be seeing you a lot when the house opens. Patsy, the daughter is a senior at M. U. this fall.

Pvt. Roscoe Bowles, fresh from Europe where he garnered 3 battle stars and quite a group of souvenirs for the editor--dropt in on July 27th for a nice visit and wadayakno he paid his house notes clear thru 1951--think of that SIX YEARS ahead of time. This fella has a real love for 820 and can hardly wait to get back to finish his college studies. Roscoe will be at Camp Campbell, Ky. for 8 weeks and then on to the West. Thanks pal and hurry back and don't catch all the fish in Wisconsin, the next two weeks.



Capt. Harry Mattox, 11th Armoured Div., in Europe was awarded the Silver Star for Extraordinary work in action. Harry is the father of a Baby girl and the Mrs. is in Norborne, Mo., for the duration. Congrats Harry.

Don Brinckmann, AMMH 3/c, USNR, is stationed at Jacksonville, Fla., training Naval Air-crews and his specialty is Hydraulics. Don had a short K.C. leave in July.

Col. E. K. Musson '22, has returned from Europe with UNRA and has a new assignment in Chunking, China. Guess Doc is going to do a little Cholera chasing for them Chinamen. Likes our gag-sheet. Doc's Chi address is 6822 Leroy, Chicago, Ill. Let's hear from you Doc when you get over there.

Bob Hauserman was ordained to the ministry in the Congregational Christian churches of the USA in Cleveland, Ohio on July 23, 1945. Congratulations Bob. We know you will be a fine leader in your chosen field.

E.C. Brandenburg '14 former Zeta Chi Bro. is now located at 3101 West Manor Dr., Phoenix, Arizona. Better get acquainted with Bro. Homer Lininger at Tuscon, owner and manager of "The Lodge on the Desert" and sponsor of the local at the U. of Ariz., that is trying to become a Phi Psi chapter.

Jake Speelman '13, Captain of the M. U. Tiger football team '15 is now living at Ionia, Mich., 210 E. Lincoln. Let us hear from you Jake and give us a full account of your children's children. Please.

Maj. Eugene Baca is now attending the Staff and Command School at Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas. This makes the 3rd Mo Alpha man to go thru this hard grind. Brig. Gen. Black, Wright 4th Bryan (civilian), Lt. Stacey Haines, and Maj. Baca.

It is expected that Bombardier Lt. John Newton will be discharged from the airforce soon. John wants to finish his work at M U if things work out O K for him and we hope they will.

Lt. Jack Keith writes from Europe that his son Lawrence Edward was born June 11th in St. Louis, Mo. Again we say these PKP lads sure like boy babies--look like a beeg new house for Mo-Alpha if we expect to hold 'em all. Send all presents to #4 Heger Ct., St. Louis 10, Mo. Jack says he is getting ready to do a little footballing in France and Germany while he is waiting to see if he is shipped to CBI. Congratz Lt. on Junior. Hurry back willya? Pliz.

Craig Ruby's daughter Joyce is in MU this fall.

Hurray for Col. Kenneth Glassburn who is now in the Army of Occupation at St. Andre, France. He sends in \$100 cash to retire all his house notes 1942 to 1952 Inc., Now there's a swell gent who likes to come back to old 820 for a good session in some of those new chairs. Thanx Kenny.

Lt. Stacey Haines, graduated from the Staff and Command School on Aug. 4th and will proceed to the Phillipines. Had a nice session with Herb Dennis before he left.

Received a post card Aug. 6th from Lt. Walter Rouzer Jr., in Cannes, France. Walt is with Entertainment Branch of Special Services. Looks like a pretty fair place for a bathing beauty contest Walt. Thanx.

Bill White after being in a couple of invasions on the USS Brooklyn, is now in V-12, Columbia Univ. N.Y. and says he might end up at Mo. in the new V-12 unit forming there in Nov. Hurry back Bill and thanks for the two bucks. Nice letter--I love to get 'em.



Capt. Charley Thistle was married on July 23, 1945 in Roswell, N. Mex. to Miss Mary Shipman of that city. Congratulations, Chas. Many happy days for you and the Missus.

Capt. Bill Mason, 0237100 Hq., USFCT, APO 879, c/o PM, New York is moving into Shanghai. He is in the Hqs. Commandant's Section. Bill has been in Chungking. Thanks for your letter Bill.

Sgt. Jack Mackay is still with the airforce in India and expects to be home for Christmas. Don't know in what year.

1945 MU Football Schedule

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Sept. 22	Minn.	at	Minneapolis	Minn. 34	MU 0
Sept. 29	Ohio State		Columbus, O.	O. State 47	MU 6
Oct. 6	So. Methodist		Dallas	MU. 10---	So. Methodist 7
Oct. 13	Iowa State		Ames		
Oct. 20	Kansas State		Columbia		
Oct. 27	Nebraska		Columbia		
Nov. 3	Mich. State		East Lansing		
Nov. 10	St. Louis U		Columbia		
Nov. 17	Oklahoma		HOME COMING	Columbia	
Nov. 24	Kansas		Kansas City, Mo.		(Saturday)

The 1945 Tigers will have the services of two pretty good stars, Dellastacious and that big combination Guard and ball carrier-thru-the-KU-Line Kekeris---remember him? Well we sure do and let's begin now to plan on being at the Homecoming Oklahoma Game on November 17th in Columbia.

Remember Carl Kight pledge in 1939. Carl is a Lt. now in the AAF and stationed at the Army Air Base there where he is part of a B-29 crew, a bombardier and is bound for overseas duty. Here's hoping you return to finish your education Carl.

\$10 subscription from Cpl. Harry J. Fey, 17133622-147, AACS, Det. 44, APC 86, c/o PM, San Francisco, Calif. Harry is definitely counting on being back in MU one of these days.

Now Pfc Norm Ericson comes forth with a remodelling idea for the house sort of on the McIntyre style which has a lot of merritt and we hope the House Corp Board of Directors will consider these changes--we still think a new house would fit better.

A hot tip that will mean much to fraternities especially the smaller groups on the Mo campus----Rumor has it that The University might limit the size of the chapters to be determined by the size of the houses in question. We would be allowed about 38 men--which to the editor's opinion is an ideal size. Here's hoping regulation is installed.

Fred Macker had been transferred to Shreepport, La., in charge of the Claim department for The Employers Mutual Ins. Co.

Lester E. Cadman '12 comes thru with \$5 for furniture and \$1 for the sheet also sends the editor's son a graduation present for which we thank you Les. Hope you will get out to the chapter some homecoming and you and Lyle and Berg and I can make that drive to Columbia and I hope you don't lose your hat or Berg his cookies over the side and Willix doesn't agravate that filling station man at Boonvill, by swiping his hat.---

Bob Lockwood is now running the Lockwood Lumber Co., PO Box 68, DeQueen, Arkansas. Thanx for the \$10 Bob.



Word has been received "Wilf" Johnson, 1912 Mo Alpha pledge died in December 1944 at Cameron, Mo. of kidney trouble. Four children and Mrs. Johnson survive. It was Johnson back in 1912 who came to Columbia from a prep school back East. The name "Bones" was pinned on the editor because "Wilf" had roomed with a character at this prep school that resembled (unlucky guy) the editor and the nickname has never left us. So you have the TRUE STORY of how Bones got his name.

Dick Hall, PFC, European theatre, 3rd Bn., Hqs. Co. 291st Inf. after 3 months in the hospital traveled all over Europe trying to catch up with his outfit, says he might not get home before 1946 but should be on deck for 2nd semester of this school year. Here's hoping so Dick, Thanx for the V-mail.

Lt. James Keys, USNR and Miss Vivian Scott were united in marriage on Aug. 25th at the Later Day Saints Church in Kansas City. Lt. Herb Dennis from the Olathe Naval Base acted as best man for his old frater and Mrs. James Reese was matron of honor. Guests included close friends of the family. Mrs. Mary Regan and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pickett attended. A reception was held at the home of the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Keys spent their honeymoon in the Ozarks. Jim has to report back to Maryland after his 30 day leave from the PT deal in the Phillipines and might possibly be discharged in which case he will locate with some K.C. law firm. We forgot to mention that Miss Scott was a Tri-Delt at MU.

Dr. Lyle G. Willits opened his new home to Craig Ruby and his gang of rushees from KC on the evening of Aug. 23rd. Bros. in uniform to put in their appearance were Lt. Herb Dennis and Jim Keys. About 15 H.S. boys were entertained. A very interesting talk on Phi Psi was given by Brother Leonard Teichmoeller, Chic B '26. We are indebted to this gentleman for his fine remarks. We are also indebted to the Doctor and Laura Willits for a very, very pleasant evening. Congratz on your new home, Willix.

There will be a G.A.C next June, probably at some centrally located metropolitan city. We like the Edgewater Beach Hotel at Chicago pretty well. Start planning right now to be on hand and give the 5th district a goodly representation.

Brig. Garland C. Black '15 after returning from Europe Aug. 12th is now the commanding general of the Central Signal Corps School at Camp Crowder, Mo. Thanks for the fin Gen. See you at the Okla. game.

Lt. Bob Willits home 10 days leave in September from Pacific. Will get out on points soon. Bob will probably locate in K.C.---Sez he really should find a wife --- line forms on the right gals.....Bob has just been released from the Navy.

We just received a copy of the KANSAS ALPHA PHI PSI RAG, a fine snappy newsletter from the pen of Larry Winn Jr., The Kansas \$15,000 rehabilitation fund is getting a splen-! did beginning with \$3,000 already pledged.

West Va. Alpha has started a war memorial fund for the complete redecoration of their Chapter Room, including wall panelling, built-in benches, desk for presiding officer, carpeting, indirect lighting, a stained glass window, a suitable bronz plaque indicating the purpose to which the room will be dedicated. A mighty fine project and we congratulat this fine Chapter and Harlan Selby.

Have you heard of the S.C.? Well- this is a Phi Psi organization of brothers who have been in attendance at seven G.A.C.s. Quite a distinguished order. Back in 1916 at Pittsburgh, Penn., your editor attended his first G.A.C. God willing and his savings account large enuf, he will attend his 7th convention, come next June, at which time he will be the first Mo. brother to become eligible for this exalted order. Our sincere desire is to see more Mo. Alpha Bros. come into this club. So take the tip gents, come on to the next GAC and get a start towards this goal.



One of the high lights of the KCAA rush party held at the President Hotel on Sept. 7th, when Brother Grover Swarts back in civies gave a very humorous sketch on his travels in Europe as a Sargeant of the War Correspondents. His account of his hitchhiking trip from Cairo, Egypt, to London kept the boys rolling in the isles. Thirty rushees going to K.U. and M.U. laughed heartily for 20 minutes. This Bro. Swarts has something believe us and the A.P. in K.C. Mo. didn't go wrong when they put him on the job.

Major Rex G. Carter of the Army Airforce now is at Army-Navy hospital at Fort Smith, Ark.

DR. LYLE WILLITS LOSES PANTS ON HIGHWAY \*\*\*\*\* such could be the title of a yarn---- however it was this way---Doc, Bones and Larry Winn Jr., were driving back from Columbia during rush week and one of the rear fender covers (pants) came off when going about 60. However there was no damage and no people hurt.

We just heard that Grover Swarts was recently married to Miss Sally Law of K. C. Kansas ---congratulations are in order.

On Sept. 19th Bob Axelson phoned from the Union Station in K.C. on his way thru to Albuquerque, N.M. with his B-29 outfit. Bob says he will get married on Christmas Day and hopes to be in school by February.

Roscoe Bowles gets around. Was at Nashville, Tenn., and saw the Tenn. Delta Chapter and attended a stag rush party there, Sept. 22nd. Hope you get back to MU soon Ros,

John J. Newton is no longer a Lt. in the Aircorps, having gotten out in September. John might return to school next year.

John J. (Bud) Smith is back in St. Louis as Exec. Vice-Pres. of the Hill-Hentschel Ink Co.

Lt. Comdr. Don Faurot has been assigned to an Aircraft Carrier as athletic officer. This sea duty will keep Coach Faurot away from the Tiger Campus for at least another season.

J. L. (Bell) Dehoney is now with the Railroad Retirement Board of Huntington, West Va., Address: 528 Tenth St.. We wish you well Chub in your new position. We'll be missing you.

Lt. Herb Dennis and Mrs. D (Dot to us) and Lt. and Mrs. Stacey Haines enjoyed an evening at the El Casba together and had a real session. Herb has a brand new apartment at Armour and Broadway, S.E. corner in K.C. Says he has his own furniture fund. Thanks for the check, Herb.

The Rev. Wm. M. Johnson, Mo. A. '28 is now a Chaplain in the Armed Forces.

Lt. Chet Hitz comes clean to pay up all house notes in full with Series "F" war bonds. Fine work Chet and we do appreciate same very much.

Ben F. Crawford, Rm 3/Cl, USS Columbia, L Div., FPO, in Frisco, Calif., sends in \$55. Imagine that -- Ben was in the following engagements. Liberation of the Palan Islands, Leyte Gulf, Battle of the Suribao Straits, and the occupation of and liberation of Mindono and the landing on Lingayen Gulf. Some action Ben. He saw Bro. Art Griffin in Glendale and a high time was had by all. Ben will locate in Chicago after the war in the Advertising Agency game. Thanks Ben. We'll be seein you at the first big MU Homecoming.

Did you read where Dr. Bob Lamar, paratrooper and Major, Kansas Alpha was one of the volunteers that rescued Gen. Wainright in the Jap prison camp.



Jack Duncan will leave K.C. soon to take a job at Searcy, Ark. Sorry to lose your good help, Jack, with your Allis-Chalmers connection.

QUOTES FROM V. P. HARLAN SELBY'S WEST VA. ALPHA "MOUNTAINEER PHI PSI".

"We received a very good news letter called the Mo-Alphan published by Bones Williams for the Missouri Phi Psi chapter. This publication has been sponsoring a sort of rehabilitation fund for the use of the chapter after the war. They have raised nearly \$6,000 in cash contributions. Their total membership is less than ours. In addition we have a better chapter (Any West Va. Alphan will tell you this) so let's not permit Mo. to show us up."

WCT SAY YOU MO BRCS. LET'S BEAT WEST VA. (BY-GAWD) ALPHA. DO NOT LET THE SHOW-ME STATE DOWN. A few more grand will do the trick so Brother get out the check book. LET'S GO FROM HERE.

MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO: PHI KAPPA PSI FRAT. CORP., 515 City Bank Bldg. Kansas City, 8, Mo.

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NOTICE

\* The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Missouri Alpha  
\* of Phi Kappa Psi Fraternal Corporation will be held at 11 o'  
\* clock A.M. on the 18th day of November, 1945, at the chapter  
\* house in Columbia, Missouri, 820 Providence Road.

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AN APPEAL TO ALL VETS AND MEMBERS WHO CAN POSSIBLY GET TO COLUMBIA

The present boys in the house are ALL new to Phi Psi and its traditions and its history and its national standing. 10 are pledges - 3 are members of only 5 months. They need your help and Council. Get out to see them and talk to them and give them all the help and encouragement possible. Get to a chapter meeting once in a while. This is VERY IMPORTANT, so please bend every effort to attend the games this fall and help them along.--and leave a buck or two for the food you eat. 13 boys will have a hard go --- heating the place and buying groceries for visitors at the games ---so slip Mrs. D. a banknote and a word of thanks. She is the one who deserves the credit for our fine start this fall.

They say our pledge Fritz Albrecht is OUT OF THIS WORLD as a piano player --- listen to him and you'll agree --- my, my, my shades of Pirkey competing with that player piano back in 1913 on the Ashland Gravel Rd.

Robert H. Scott '33 is now back in Joplin, Mo. with the accountants firm of Baird, Kurtz, and Dobson. We saw his brother John in K.C. in September. Now the 3 Mo. Bros. in Joplin can get together and send us some prospects. Please meet Chuck Milliken our new pledge from 724 Connor St., in Joplin.

When any of you Mo. Bros. go thru Harrisburg on the train, just call up Brother Les Cadman of that City and he'll be down to the train with a sack full of groceries in case you are thirsty --- did we say thirsty? Well it was that way with Lyle Willits when he went thru---It was cocktails on the platform, and plenty pinch, too. H and H we mean.

Lt. Jim Keys, USNR, writes that he is legal aid and assistance officer at the Newport Naval Base at Newport Rhode Island. Says his honeymoon was tops and he expects to be out of the service by late Spring.







October 26, 1945

R. H. Malott, R.T. 3/c  
Naval Training School  
Company 82, Sec. A  
Treasure Island, California

Dear Bob:

I am glad that your shoes came in handy. Make good use of them and work on those fundamentals that I showed you, and when you get back to ole K. U., we'll be using you and those fundamentals.

I am sorry that the boys got licked so badly at Norman. Oklahoma has a powerful team and they just overpowered the boys. We didn't have enough to match their steam-roller tactics.

I would be glad to have you play around here with your basketball. I think you could do some good. We have one good Navy boy, Wendel Clar, from Dennison U. Then we have Charlie Black coming back. We have Gene Peterson, a "rangey" boy from Salina State Champions, and Stroebel, I think, who played at Washburn last year will be in November 1st with the V 12 boys. You remember him, Bob. He was a good boy--played center. Owen Peck has been called for physical examination, and they put him in 1-A, so we will lose him. Then we have a boy, Ebel, from Hillsboro, a nice big guard. So while our team will look very young and immature, I believe we have possibilities of having a better team than last year. There will be a lot of new faces. This is not a resume of all the players, but just a line on a few. Gene Peterson, this player from Nebraska, has fundamentals of minus 0. He is only eighteen and it will take him a year I am sure before he will be able to handle himself with our fundamentalists. All over the Conference they are crying their head off about Kansas getting Peterson, and I am getting a big laugh because when the team lines up, I am very sure Peterson will not be in the line-up, and all the boys in the Conference will have had the cry for nothing.

What I started to tell you was that Bob Allen is going to sea in less than a week, so you perhaps will not get to see him for several months, unless you have already called in the meantime. I know what limited liberty you have, so I can understand why you haven't had an opportunity to call.

Dean Nesmith, Coach Shenk and all the football players are at the Wichita game today. They left this morning, but I will tell Dean you said "hello" when he comes back Monday morning. We should beat Wichita.

Lots of good luck to you, Bob.

Sincerely,

Director of Physical Education  
Varsity Basketball Coach

FCA:GH



Monday, Oct. 22, 1945

Dear "Doc",

Thanks so much for the shoes. They arrived last week and have already been used several times. What a savour they were for in low shoes my ankles weren't doing too well.

I have unfortunately just received news of our bitter defeat down at Norman and have taken a royal ribbing from the boys from O.V. I decided to myself that I'd have to count on you, Doc, to give me a few scores to rib them with - maybe this winter some time. What do you think?

I read with envy of your first practice but after playing around here awhile I've come to the conclusion I wouldn't even make a good water boy.

I am hoping to see or at least talk to



Bob before he goes but as yet with our limited liberty have been able to do neither. Thank you for the Hamilton's address and I'll try and call on them but I rarely get down toward Palo Alto and my few remaining weeks are pretty well crowded. Thanks, though!

Thanks again, Doc, and I'll hope to see you in a few weeks -

Sincerely,

Bob-Melott

P.S. Say hello to Dean for me Please.



October 30, 1945

Mr. Robert & Allen Moore  
425 New York  
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Bob & Allen:

I am terribly sorry that I have neglected the payment of your bill. I have today sent to the Students Organizations Office at the Business Office an authorized request for \$3.00 for each of you, total of \$6.00.

Included in this is an extra compensation for your very fine work. I have given the business office your address so you should receive your money in a very short while. Thanks for your loyalty and cooperation, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education  
Varsity Basketball Coach

FCA:lm



October 23, 1945

Pvt. Charles Moffett, Jr. 37817699  
Co. A 82nd Tng. Bn. Plt. 3  
Camp Roberts, California

Dear Charlie:

Your letter arrived just in time for Captain Charlie Black and Johnny Pfitsch to read your epistle. I enjoyed reading every bit of it and I want to congratulate you for the winning 11 man football team. I am sending you our varsity basketball schedule to date:

Conference*		
January 7	Missouri	@ Lawrence
January 9	Kansas	@ Manhattan
January 11	Kansas	@ Lincoln
January 18	Oklahoma	@ Lawrence
January 25	Kansas	@ Ames
January 29	Kansas St.	@ Lawrence
February 15	Nebraska	@ Lawrence
January 22	Kansas	@ Columbia
February 25	Iowa State	@ Lawrence
February 28	Kansas	@ Norman

\* December 11 Rockhurst @ Kansas City  
\* December 14-15--Double header---Kansas,  
Missouri, Kansas State,  
Nebraska

We will have other games and we will try to throw one around Christmas for you but do not know how we can do it at present.

I am sending you Jayhawk Rebound Number 18. Am not sure whether you had seventeen or not but Mrs. Hulteen is no longer with us. She resigned July 1 to raise her family. I quite agree with her but we were very sorry to see her go.

Milton is in St. Louis, Missouri, Missouri Athletic Club, 405 Washington, and Bob's address is Lt. J. G. Robert E. Allen, U. S. Naval Receiving Hospital, Geneva Avenue & Moscow Street, San Francisco 12, California. They would both be delighted to have a line from you.

I see by your letter that you have not been getting any of the recent Rebounds so I will try to dig-up seventeen and sixteen for you if I can find an extra copy. Will mail them to you later and it will bring you up on some of the earlier news that did not get to you. If you do not have a Montgomery Ward catalogue this will take you up to "apple picking time".



Charlie Moffett, October 23, 1945

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Mrs. Allen left yesterday afternoon for Kansas City with my daughter Jan, Mrs. Mons. She is going to St. Luke's Hospital to be operated on early in the morning. It is a major operation but it should not prove unduly serious because it is a repair job. I am sure she should get along fine because she is in unusual good health. Jane is going to call me late tonight and tell me the time for the operation. I will drive in early in the morning for the operation. Dr. Larry Engle, one of the best surgeons in this part of the country, is doing the work so we are highly optimistic.

Thanks, Charlie, for your compliment on my pseudo-efficiency. Often wonder if I ever get anything well done. I have so many loose ends to pick up. Glad that you like the Army. Fellow always does his best work when he gets a thrill out of doing a thing. Am glad that you are in tip-top physical condition. Bet you are a rugged-looking soldier. Keep on working hard, boy, and get the corporal assignment.

I got a letter Saturday from Dr. Jessen. Old Peabody seemed realistic when I heard from him. He wants four tickets to the Missouri game and is telling of the Darriel McNeil boy: "We have an outstanding boy here by the name of Darriel McNeil that someone should drop by and talk Kansas University to. I happen to know that Oklahoma University is interested in him. He is just a junior but Beick Astel says he is the best football player in high school in the State." We will certainly follow his directions and interest him in the University of Kansas.

Getting back to Charlie Black--he is going to enter school December 1. He should be in for basketball this year. Ray Evans may come in but I do not believe they will let him out until after football season.

I have done pretty well don't you think, Charlie? I've answered your letter two and one half hours after it arrived. With all good luck and best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach

FCA:Lm  
Enc. JR



1:00 3:40  
CHAS. MOFFETT, JR.

U. S. Army

Iron Coy

17 October 1945

Dear "Doc"

I suppose by now, that you are well submerged in the New Year's work. How one man can do so much so effectively in such a short time is beyond my comprehension. But somehow you always get everything done. I hope this letter doesn't get lost in the huge pile that Miss Hulten puts on your desk every morning.

Surprising as it may seem, I really like the army. It is very tough and long hours are common, but still there is something about it that really agrees with me. I now weigh 190 lbs. and am in the best of health so far. I was made a squad leader and will have the opportunity to become a corporal if everything goes right.

The football team this year seems to be doing itself proud. Coach Shenk deserves to have a good team as he works so hard with the fellows, and they all think he is a wonderful man. It sure is swell to pick up the Sunday paper and read how the Kansas Jayhawks are doing. I have really been bragging up the Jayhawks and when they tied Iowa State I was really proud, especially as several fellows in other our barracks are from Iowa.

We have a 11-man touchfootball team and we are champs of our regiment (5000 men). We won our games by scores of 28-7, 35-0,

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41-0, 60-0, and 33-0, so we have been doing pretty good. It sure is a lot of fun and the competing teams play a good brand of football.

From what I have gathered from reading the Daily Kansan, you are planning to have a pretty good basketball team, at least lots of height. I sure hope you can win the Big Six this year as I feel we really should have won it for you last year, but somehow we just couldn't get going up at Ames. I hope to be home around Christmas time so maybe I will get to see some of your games.

Say, Doc, will you please put me on your Jayhawk Rebounds list? I always enjoyed reading it before and now it will be even better to read.

Please tell Miss Hulter and the others around the office hello for me and any others around the good old town of Lawrence, that you might see.

I know this won't do any good but I am going to tell you anyway "Don't work too hard."

P.S. Tell Mrs. Allen hello for me. Also Mit and Bob if they are still around.

Yours truly  
"Charlie"  
Moffet, Jr.