

# FRED MEDART MANUFACTURING CO.

POTOMAC AND DE KALB STREETS

SAINT LOUIS, Mo.

J. BANASHEK  
SECRETARY

July 10, 1945

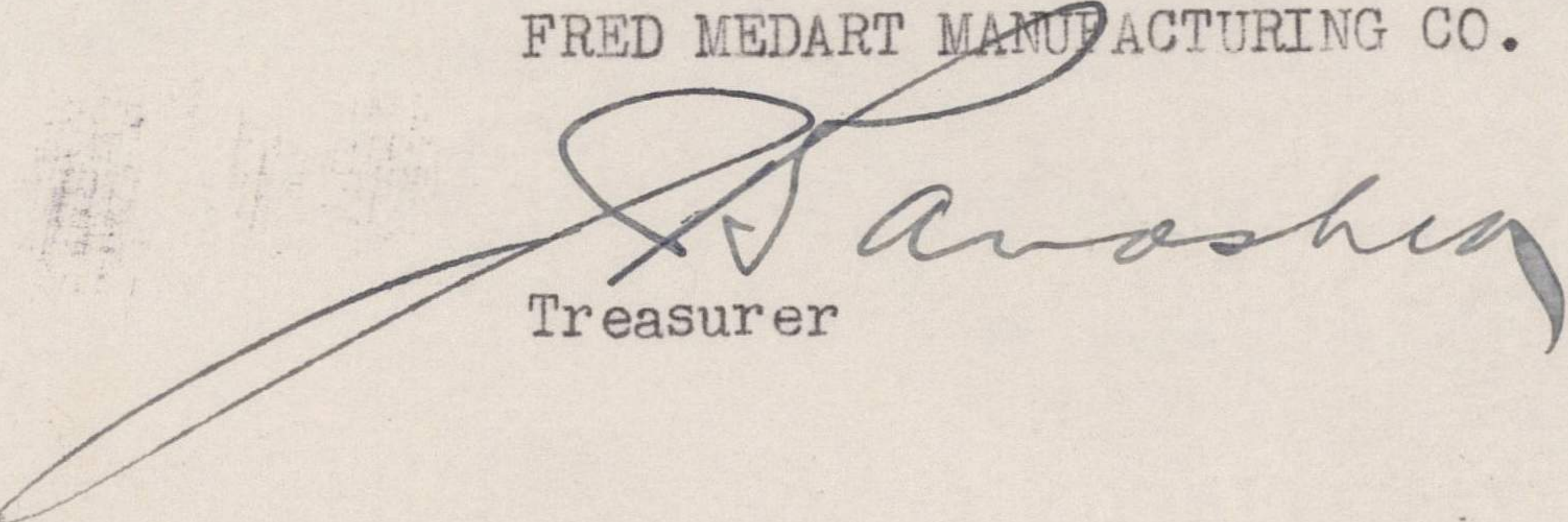
Dr. Forrest C. Allen  
University of Kansas  
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Doctor Allen:

Enclosed herewith is check for \$1,093.46 covering  
the royalty due on Goal-Hi sales for the quarter  
ended June 30, 1945.

Yours very truly,

FRED MEDART MANUFACTURING CO.

  
Treasurer

JB:MS

Enc. Check #32654



July 12, 1945

Mr. J. Banashek, Secretary  
Fred Medart Manufacturing Company  
Potomac and DeKalb Streets  
St. Louis, Missouri

Dear Mr. Banashek:

With gratification I wish to acknowledge receipt of check for \$1,093.46 covering the royalty due on Goal-Hi sales for the quarter ended June 30, 1945.

This is very pleasing to me, and I assure you that I see in the future great possibilities for enlarging the sales of this splendid device. I have been communicating with Lt. Col. Roy E. Weinzettel, and I am sending you a copy of the Jayhawk Rebounds which is a monthly publication written by me for the boys in the service. This reference to Lt. Col. Roy E. Weinzettel is on page 15 of the enclosed Rebounds.

With all good wishes for the future, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education  
Varsity Basketball Coach

FCA:MEH



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August 22, 1945

Mr. Albert B. Martin  
314 Woodlawn Avenue  
Topeka, Kansas

Dear Albert:

I am happy to have received your letter of the 24th instant, and I am answering you pronto. Maurice will have no difficulty in getting a part-time job in the K.U. gym. When he stopped by to see me prior to his trip to California, he mentioned the job and I told him O.K. I assure you that I will treat him as I would want someone to treat one of my own sons. I appreciate your desiring him to earn the money, as this will mature him in a definite way.

I want you and Mrs. Martin to know how much I will enjoy having Maurice on the squad. The fact that you were neighbors a great many years heightens this interest. And the fact that Maurice and Sonny Hamilton are good friends is also a good consideration. But above everything else, Maurice is a good boy in his own right. He can carry a load of responsibility because he is the right type. I have always been very fond of your son and we want you people to come down when Maurice plays, because he will be on that Kansas squad, I can assure you.

Regarding the duties of City Councilman, I find them interesting and sometimes a little perplexing, but it always works out. We are having a lot of fun.

Sincerely,

Forrest C. Allen  
Director, Physical Education  
Varsity Basketball Coach

FCA:ef



Albert B. Martin,  
314 Woodlawn Ave.,  
Topeka, Kansas,  
August 21, 1945.

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

Dear Phog:

I have just received a letter from Maurice. He has been working as a linemen on a telegraph gang of the Santa Fe in California this summer. He says that he would enjoy a part time job in the K U gym this coming term to earn part of his way. Chuck Mills (who was his basket ball coach at Topeka High for one seanson) mentioned the possibility to me sometime ago and I relayed it to Maurice. Maurice will probably return hime shortly after the first of September.

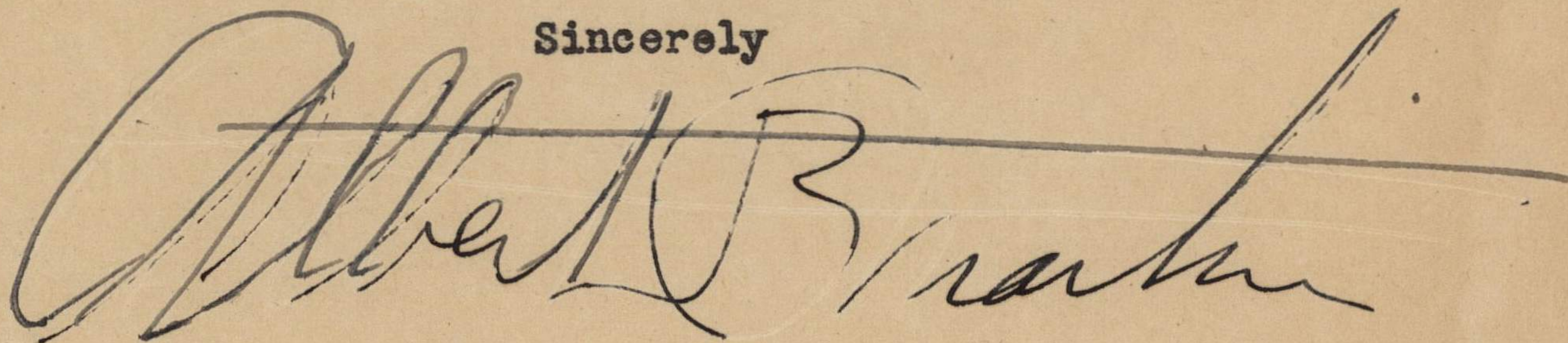
Maurice intends to try out for the basket ball team. He is 17 (will be 18 in February) and is 6'4" and weighs 175 or 180 lbs at present.

If no gym job is available he can doubtless find some other job as he is pretty well acquainted in Lawrence. He will have saved considerable money during the summer, we will provide some, but he will have to earn a little. I want him to earn his money and I want him to carry a regualr college schedule, which he can do if he has too.

Maurice will visit you as soon as he returns but I thought it might be well to write to you in advance, which I am doing without his request.

How do you find the duties of City Councilman?

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Albert B. Martin". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the typed name "Albert B. Martin".



6 Oct '44

Dear Dr. Allen:

In Belgium

I received the envelope of  
rebouder the other day and thank  
a million for sending them, as you  
might realize the greatest thing we  
can get is a few words from home.  
We are well fed & clothed so all we  
lack is news.

We get to listen to the World Series  
which comes here around eleven at  
night - we think St Louis will win.

We are close enough now to spit over  
into Germany - in fact part of our outfit  
are there now.

The sun is shining to-day - the first we  
have seen in a long time - it's very damp  
& disagreeable here I guess this time of  
year - This particular country is very pretty  
In fact I saw the cleanest towns here  
that I have seen since I left N.Y. over a  
year ago.

I got to see Paris the other day. Nothing  
unusual - lots of fine clothes - they are hungry  
& Crane Cigarettes - a carton of Camels can be  
sold for 20 to 40 dollars



They evidently wear their kids on cigarettes  
anyway they are still wearing dappers and  
out begging us for them - They come around  
the camp & pick up the snipes.

We were in on the Siege of Brest. It was  
one of the Jerries to have quite a bit of  
good three star Cognac & some Groceries  
saved up which we took over. They had  
their hospitals dug back in the sides of the  
hills in the rocks - tunnelled in - I went thru  
one - they had 750 wounded in there - more  
like going thru the Kentucky Caves. We all  
learned to eat lobster over on the coast - The  
French can really fix up the cooking - I guess  
what they say that eating is an art in  
France - lately I think for them its almost  
a maneuver.

These Jerries are suckers for puncher  
movements - We pick em off their work on  
them - This American Army has become  
a rough, tough fighting outfit you can depend  
on that, looks like we will have to fight them  
all the way to Berlin.

Well I guess I'll get to move in a bldg. Now  
however been inside since 17 May.

Best wishes to you & Mrs Allen  
and thanks a million for the  
remembrance.  
Doc Mandible



August 4, 1945

Lt. A. N. Murphey  
438 N.W. 22nd Street  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Dear Lt. Murphey:

Your letter was unclaimed as shown on the envelope we sent to Chanute Field. I am sending this to your home hoping your folks will forward it to you.

Will you please have them send us your correct address so that we may continue sending you the Rebounds if you wish them.

Sincerely,

Forrest C. Allen  
Director, Physical Education  
Varsity Basketball Coach

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Enc.



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Great Lakes, Ill.



RECRUIT TRAINING COMMAND  
U. S. NAVAL TRAINING CENTER  
GREAT LAKES, ILLINOIS

Aug 14, 1945

Dear Doctor,

I thought perhaps you would be interested in the enclosed picture. The game is very popular.

It was quite by chance that I came across the picture. It is from the latest bulletin, and previous to its publication I was detached. My temporary address ~~is~~ is to be Seattle, Wash., and from there it is supposed to be sea duty. (Late developments make it look like a cruise.)

If you put out the information sheet, ~~please~~ please send it to:

L. L. Meade - C. Sp.  
Receiving Station  
Naval Station  
Seattle, Wash.

The scratching is due to the limited time.

Thank you!





**UP IN THE AIR IN A GOAL-HI GAME.** Two Service Schools goal-hi teams battling under the basket in a new game inaugurated here last spring. Goal-hi has become one of the Service Schools Athletic Department's most popular sports and now has a leading spot in the department's extensive intramural program. Here you see four men in the air simultaneously. Count the feet, not the men.

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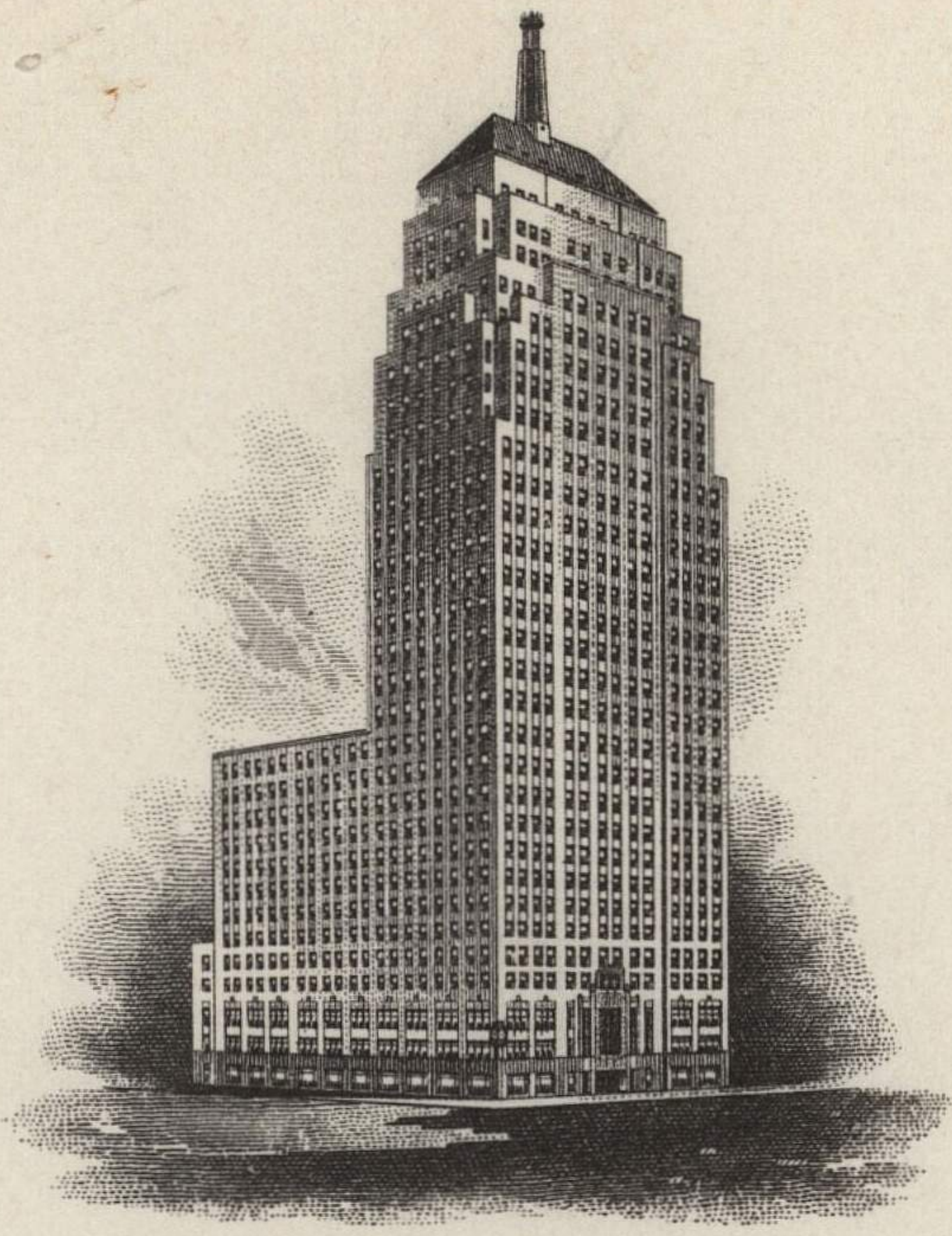
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# THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK AND TRUST COMPANY

CAPITAL FIVE MILLION DOLLARS

ESTABLISHED 1889

OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA.

August 24, 1945

## TRUST DEPARTMENT

KENT B. HAYES, VICE PRES. & TRUST OFFICER  
A. N. MURPHEY, ASSISTANT TRUST OFFICER  
C. P. WRIGHT, ASSISTANT TRUST OFFICER

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

Dear Dr. Allen:

I thank you for your letter of August 22nd and the copies of Rebounds which I have read, enjoyed and forwarded to my son.

You will be interested to know that Cob Burnside returned home this week and that he is out of the Navy.

Sincerely yours,

ANM:BJB

Murphey



August 22, 1945

Mr. A. N. Murphey  
Assistant Trust Officer  
The First National Bank & Trust Co.  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Dear Murph:

I am mighty happy to have your letter of August 16 giving us instructions on the mailing directions to your Lt. A. N. Murphey.

We will be very happy to send the Rebounds to you and you can mail it to him after reading. I am sorry that I haven't had you on the list all this time.

I am sending you some copies of a few Rebounds of which we have extras. With every good wish to you and yours, I am

Sincerely,

Forrest C. Allen  
Director, Physical Education  
Varsity Basketball Coach

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

Dear Dr. Allen:

The Rebounds sent to Lt. A. N. Murphey at Chanute Field, Illinois was returned to you instead of being forwarded by the Army Post Office and then you forwarded the same to me. He is now in Europe and I would appreciate it very much if you would strike his name from your mailing list but at the time of doing this place my name on the mailing list. By doing this I can forward it to him and it will also enable me to read each issue.

With personal regards,

Sincerely yours,

ANM:MJJ



July 24, 1945

Master Lock Company  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Attention: Mr. John Michor, Service Department

Dear Sir:

We are enclosing herewith a letter from you dated July 18, 1944 in which you advised us that you could not furnish us a key No. W1316 because it identified a padlock specially prepared for the United States Government, and that you had been instructed not to furnish keys for such locks without the authorization of the department involved.

We forwarded this letter to Lt A.B. Copping, commanding officer of the V-12 group here and he has put his authorization on the bottom of your letter.

I hope this sufficient authorization for you to send the key. Also send bill for cost of same and we shall be glad to remit promptly.

Yours sincerely,

Secretary, Physical Education Dept.



UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS  
LAWRENCE

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION

July 19, 1945

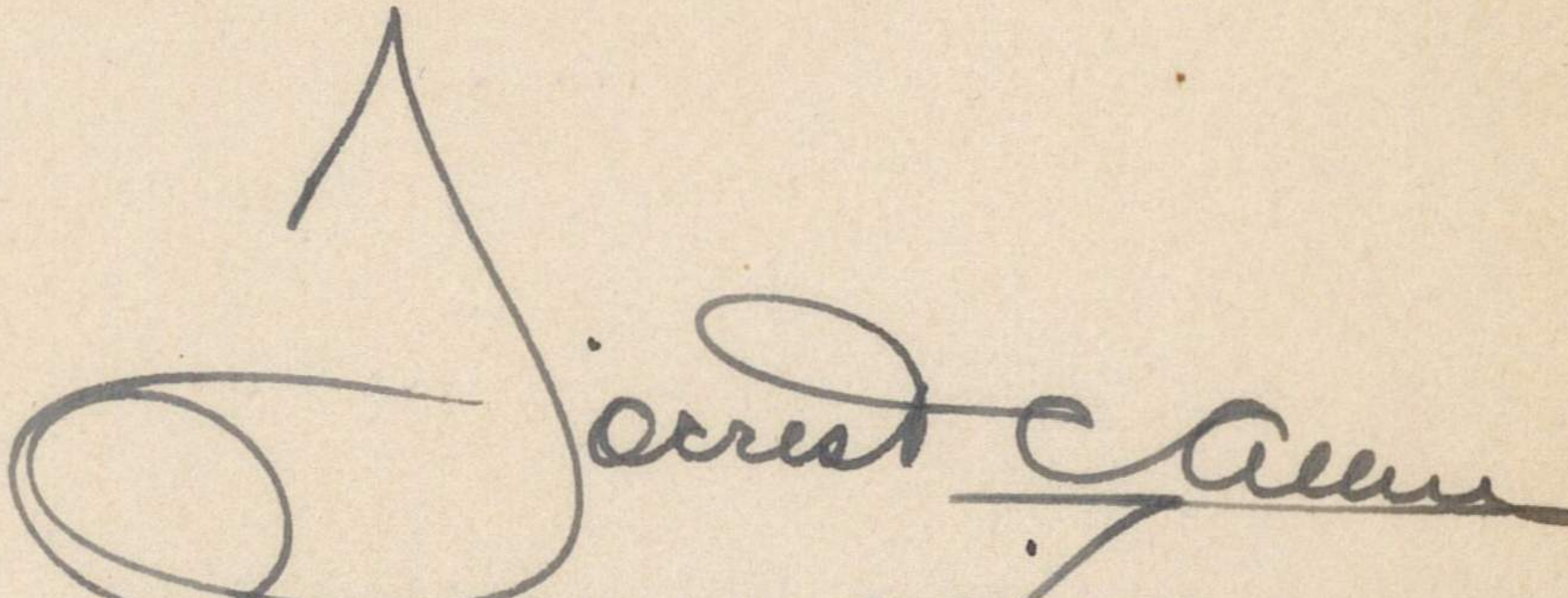
Lt. A. B. Copping  
Navy V-12 Office

Dear Lt. Copping:

I am enclosing the communication from the Master Lock Company of Milwaukee. The second paragraph of the letter refers to the matter we had under discussion.

If you will kindly prepare the proper authorization, we will appreciate same.

Very cordially yours,



Director of Physical Education  
Varsity Basketball Coach

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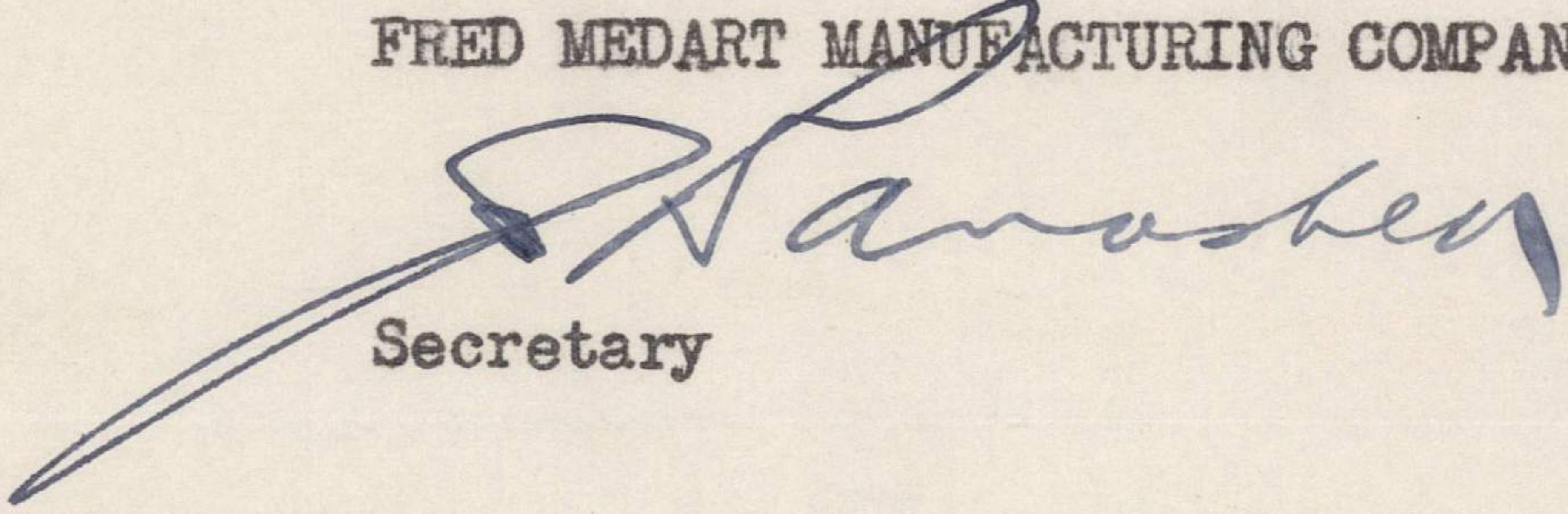
Dear Dr. Allen:

Just about the time some of us at the office were inquiring about Roy Weinzettel, I received your copy of the Jayhawk Rebounds. I found it very interesting, particularly the reference to Roy.

It must be quite a task to prepare this paper, but I'm sure your boys in the service find it of great interest.

Yours very truly,

FRED MEDART MANUFACTURING COMPANY

  
Secretary

JB:GR



July 21, 1945

Mr. C. G. Manning, Principal  
Fergus County High School  
Lewistown, Montana

Dear Clarence:

Your splendid letter of the 13th instant pleased me very much. You certainly completed your District Assembly work in a hurry. Congratulations and best wishes to you in all your activities for the year.

I have exhausted the list of available men for the work you describe and I am sorry to not be able to recommend a young man to you. However, I do have in mind an Army Major who played ball for me at the Teacher's College at Warrensburg, Missouri back in 1913 and 1914. I should add this man is in his early fifties and is a vigorous fellow. He has a splendid personality and knows all sports wonderfully well. He is clean and is not the type of fellow that you think of as a Major in the Army who might do things that would embarrass you.

Let me know if you are interested and we will have him contact you. I regret that there are no young men available at the present time. With every good wish, I am

Rotarily yours,

Governor, district 123 R.I.

FCA:MEH



FERGUS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

C. G. MANNING, PRINCIPAL  
LEWISTOWN, MONTANA

July 13, 1945

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

Dear Forrest:

While this is not strictly a letter relating to Rotary, I wish to express to you my appreciation of the opportunity of associating with you at the International Convention and for your fine contribution to the group.

I have just completed our District Assembly work and finished my schedule for official visits. Where the gas or transportation facilities will come from to enable me to travel some 4500 miles in making the visits is yet to be found.

Now, if I may change to business and recall our conversation relative to available material for physical education and coaching, I should like to say to you that I am in need of a good man who can take over physical education work with boys and do the coaching in basketball and football. He will have an assistant to help him with the coaching work. This position will pay \$2500 to \$2800 for the first year and we may, if necessary, stretch this amount a bit. I should like, however, to keep within the schedule if possible. There is a pretty good future in the position at Lewistown and I am sure anyone would agree that it is a rather desirable community in which to live. I am enclosing an information sheet which will give you more details about the school set-up and the community.

I shall be very grateful to you for any assistance which would put me in contact with men who might be available for the position or I am willing to let the matter rest in your hands by saying to you that I would be very pleased to accept a man whom you might recommend. Will you please use telegraph wires collect for any messages which you would like to send.

Thanking you for any services which you may render, I

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Sincerely,

*C. G. Manning*

CGM:GT



Information Sheet - Public Schools  
Lewistown, Montana  
April 1945

The City - Lewistown is the exact geographical center of Montana. The population of the school district is about 6,000; the city, 5,400. The elevation, 3,800 feet; the rainfall, 17 inches; the climate is delightful with no hot days, and in winter, there will be few days below zero. Violent wind storms are unknown. The city is located in an excellent agricultural valley that is surrounded by mountains.

Two railroads, one airline, bus lines and good roads provide excellent transportation facilities.

The people are of the very best American stock, no undesirable groups; no poverty or very low income groups; no war industries.

Recreation - The mountains provide the finest kind of recreation. Within walking distance of the city is one of the best fishing streams in the United States and many more are in the mountains. Wild game is plentiful. Outdoor life is one of the fine assets of this part of the state and nation.

Cost of Living - Rooms, houses, and board can be secured for less than in other cities of the same size or larger. At the present time prices are at their maximum and will be lower in the postwar period. Rates for rooms in modern homes average about \$18 per month. Small houses, unfurnished but modern, average around \$25 per month with furnished homes renting for \$35 to \$45 per month. Good board will average \$1.30 to \$1.50 per day. The use of an apartment by two or more persons may reduce the costs.

The School System - The enrollment in elementary grades is about 700; in junior high 200, and in high school 500. Fifty-six teachers are employed. The school activities are housed in six buildings. The buildings are all modern and in good condition except two. These will be replaced in the near future by two new buildings incorporating the very best features of a modern building. The average enrollment per class room: in elementary grades, 30; in junior high, 25, and in high school, 23. The program of studies meets the interests and needs of every pupil.

Salary Schedule - The rules and regulations governing the employment and payment of teachers have just been revised to meet the present and postwar periods. The schedules are based on sound financial conditions and procedures and can be maintained without fear of reductions. Following are some of the most important provisions:

1. Single salary basis - A teacher with the same qualifications and experience receives the same salary in any department in the system.



2. No person with less than four years of advanced training is employed for any position.

3. The minimum salary for teacher with A.B. degree, but without experience, is \$1500; for M. A. degree, \$1600.

4. For each year of successful experience in another system \$30 is added to the minimum. To illustrate: A teacher with ten years experience starts at \$1800 in this system.

5. Maximum salary - \$2500 for class room teacher.

6. The length of the school term is 38 weeks with the actual days of teaching ranging from 180 to 184. The school year begins September 1st.

7. Sick leave without loss of pay is 5 days per year but is cumulative up to 21 days.

8. Complete medical examinations are provided for at the expense of the school.

9. Sabbatical leave is provided under which the teacher receives at least 25% of his salary while away.

10. A teacher always receives the difference between cost of a substitute and his own salary even after she has used up her sick leave.

11. Accident insurance covering on-duty service is carried for all teachers.



July 13, 1945

Maurice C. Moggie, Secretary  
Rotary Club  
Manhattan, Kansas

Dear Secretary Maurice:

I have just talked to Tom Griffith and learned that you are the very good Secretary of the Manhattan Rotary Club. Tom of course has told you that our district assembly will be at Manhattan on Monday, July 23rd. There will be a lot of things that we will bother you with, or I might say would bother other people but I am sure will not bother you.

Tom is taking the matter up with your board regarding breakfast with the visiting Presidents and Secretaries of Rotary Assembly. I am also expressing Tom a 35 m/m film, "The M.C. of Cogville Rotary" which is to be shown as part of the program of our assembly. You will hear from me again regarding our scheduled time of events and so forth, but I much prefer time for fellowship and friendship rather than too much set program.

We will have Corlett Cotton our song leader of Lawrence, and Cecil Hough, our pianist to handle our music at the assembly. I did not want to impose upon musicians locally for the full day, and since Corlett and Cecil did the job for us at Olathe, we are asking them to accompany us to Manhattan.

It will be a great pleasure to see you all the 23rd.  
With every good wish I am

Sincerely yours,

Governor, District 123 R.I.

FCA:MEH



June 29, 1945.

Memorandum to Chancellor Malett:

Dear Chancellor Malett:

When I was at the International Convention of Rotary in Chicago from June 18 to 21, one of our very good District Governors from Dedham, Massachusetts, - Rev. Lyman V. Rutledge, asked that I convey his kindest wishes to you. He was at your reception in Cambridge prior to your coming to the University.

He asked many questions about you and the University. He intended to get out this spring, but was thwarted in his purpose. He is well acquainted with Mrs. Irving Hill and Professor Edwin Mortimer Hopkins. He is minister to First Church in Dedham, Mass.

So I am passing along his good wishes.

Sincerely,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.



June 25, 1945.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell R. Muncy,  
Halfway, Oregon.

My dear Young People:

Permit me to thank you for the announcement of your wedding,  
and allow me to wish for you a long, happy and prosperous wedded  
life.

Yesterday was Commencement time, and only a year ago, Shirley,  
you were receiving your diploma. We, of course, miss you, but we  
hope that everything good will come to you and yours.

With all good wishes, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH



Mr. and Mrs. William S. Rhodes

announce the marriage of their daughter

Shirley Jean

to

Mr. Wendell R. Muncey

on Wednesday, the twenty-third of May

Nineteen hundred and forty-five

Salem, Oregon

At Home  
Halfway, Oregon



June 6, 1945.

Mr. Louis E. Menze,  
Director of Athletics,  
Iowa State College,  
Ames, Iowa.

Dear Louis:

I am confirming my wire of this date, congratulating you on this fine position of yours. If anybody ever deserved it, you do, and have for quite some time.

As soon as Harry Morrow of the Journal-World, called me and gave me the information, I called Mrs. Allen and told her the good news. She said to express to you and Mattie her kindest wishes and she is hoping that your administration will be a great success. Of course, whatever job a fellow has, he has his troubles, but with your personality and your ability to meet the public I am sure that you will hold them to a minimum.

I am delighted for you and your fine family. It gives me a real kick to see you get that job.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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