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

Doar Hal:

Your wire and your letter of the 16th have been received and I assure you that I would give serious consideration to your proposal in normal times. However, I have not said much about it, but we are curtailing our traveling this year to the minimum. I have not booked any outside games as yet and will not do so where excessive traveling is involved.

The Office of Defense Transportation is urging all of us to curtail to the maximum. Of course you read where Mr. Truman is asking none of the football teams to make reservations far in advance. As the war gets more grim, the strain on the common carriers is more severe and I am looking for the OMT to ban much basketball travel.

For two years now the government here at Haskell Institute and other places has asked the faculty members not to go home for Christmas vacation. Churchill's announcement in London of the great need to finish the war at the earliest possible date, and President Roosevelt's emphasis that we draw all forces into the war, have caused me to feel that I should cooperate in every possible way with my basketball team.

Last year when we went to Madison Square Garden we refused to take a Pullman and rode chair cars during the day and stopped at hotels at night. It was an extremely tough trip and not the most enjoyable one from a travel standpoint, but the boys learned a lot that I will never forget. They were fighting among themselves and I did not expect to win any games on the eastern trip, but when they were thrown with soldiers and sailors who had been standing for three days on a transcontinental train, then the boys began to see by contrast how insignificant and petty their differences were. Here were men offering their lives and standing the most severe inconveniences without a whimper. The morale of those boys in the armed forces caused our players to snap out of it and we came through our eastern trip undefeated - something that I had never imagined could happen. And this stimulus carried on through the season. This is the real secret of our success last year. Of course, I was able to portray to these boys the status of the soldier and the sailor, and the status of the students. They grasped in their minds the job they should have been doing all along.

Here's the thing, Hal. We have the Navy boys here and their maximum leave is 48 hours from the time they leave this campus until the time they return. I do not see how we could take part in a tournament such as you describe and keep our boys in good standing with the powers that be. Will you explain this for me, please?

I want you to know that I would cooperate with you fully and under ordinary conditions I would be glad to enter the tournament if it were possible. But during war years I definitely feel that we should curtail our trips.

With all good wishes to you, I am

Very sincerely yours,

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Director of Physical Education, Varsity Basketball Coach.



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

Phone 2-1211

E. K. GAYLORD, PRESIDENT

Dear Doctor Allen:

am hoping that you have been thinking favorably about my telegraphic invitation to our holiday basketball tournament and hereby renew the bid. I'm sure that you aren't familiar with the details of operation so I'll try to explain.

The tournament was started some eight years ago with the idea in mind that it would give teams a good three or four-day drillx in advance of the regular season in some good competition. Most of the coaches have told me that they find it the best proving ground for pre-conference seasons.

"e have invited 16 teams to the tournament each year, getting them from Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, New Mexico, Wyoming, etc. In order to give the teams a maximum of competition, a consolation playoff was set up, so that the teams could go on playing almost as long as their coaches wanted them to. Originally, the tournament ran four days in five --- that is Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Monday. Last year, because of the press of railroad travel and hotel accomodations over the weekend, we moved the event into three days --- Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday and trimmed the playing schedule some.

We are now planning on the same setup this year. That is three straight days of play. First-round losers would drop into the consolmation bracket and if xxxxx successful there, continue until defeated. Thus each team is assured of at least two games and we were able to arrange even more games for twice-defeated teams when the coaches were anxious for them.

Wartime having changed conditions somewhat in the Big Six, the University of Oklahoma is planning to enter the tournament this year and we feel that their entrance will add considerably to the attractiveness of the event.

I also feel that having the University of Kansas in the tournament would insure its success--- both artistically and financially. You have many friends on Oklahoma and a host of admirers. Kansas also has a large number of alumni in our state and I believe you have seen



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how your teams pack them in when playing Oklahoma teams.

Just now I am debating on whether to plan an eight-team or 16-team tournament. I intend to poll the coaches who have been coming to the tournament since its start and see what array are the prex prospects at each school, before making that decision. In either case, I'd like to have Kansas in the field.

This is one tournament in which the teams get all the money---which I believe is how you would have it. We deduct the operating expenses which include rent, officials and indidentals from the gross receipts and split the rest among the teams on the basis of how far they traveled and how far they went in the tournament. The shares haven't been tremendous but I don't believe many teams have lost much money coming here and the coaches say the value of the tournament exceeds any financial differences.

We have been delayed in organizing this year's tournament because the Municipal Auditorium here where the games are played on the elevated stage) has been out of service because of a fire. But work is to start on the repairs Monday and we can now go ahead with tournament plans. The dates are Devember 27, 28, 29.

I hope you will give this your earnest consideration and I am extremely hopeful that you will be able to come down for the tournament. If there are any questions, won't you let me know at once?

Yours very, truly,

Hal Middlesworth Sports Editor

Daily Oklahoman

Mr. Hal Middlesworth, The Daily Oklahoman, Oklahoma City, Okla.

Dear Hal:

I, too, am sorry that we cannot play. Let me give you a slant on the Oklahoma Aggie angle. Last year you doubtless remember that Hank kept his big boy on the bench and finished the game with four men here at Lawrence.

The Chancellor of our University, Chancellor Deane W. Malott, is conservative so far as athletics are concerned. He was at the game and was personally shocked at the sight of what he saw on the Oklahoma Aggie bench. He called me the next morning and asked me to cancel the other game with Oklahoma Aggies. I told him I could not do that because we had an agreement to play. The Chancellor stated that he was on the verge of calling up the president of Oklahoma A. and M. College and registering his indignation at such, as he termed, "questionable sportsmanship".

Our people did not like it, and since we had had a similar game here a year ago the Athletic Board and all the conservative faculty members were against scheduling any more games. This is exactly how it is and I would not be permitted to play a game until their ardor cools. I believe in being perfectly frank and putting my cards above the table.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education, Varsity Basketball Coach.

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Major George Mandeville, Surg. Sp. Trps. 2nd Inf. Div., APO 2, c/o P.M., New York, N.Y.

Dear Dr. Mandeville:

I was happy indeed to get your V-mail letter and to glean so much information from one small page. I am sorry that we have not had you on our mailing list. Wish that we might have had you.

However, we are sending you the last three Jayhawk Rebounds and this will provide a lot of interesting reading, we hope. You will break into print in Jayhawk Rebounds No. 11.

Drop us a line from time to time as I assure you we are mighty happy to hear from you and we are mighty proud of your achievements.

Sincerely yours,

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DEAR DOCTOR ALLEN:

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THAN OUR BULK VINEGAR. WE HAVE HAD TWO DEASANT DAYS IN THE LAST 6 WEEKS. WE HAVE NEVER-PARK

I HAVE BEEN OVER HERE DODGING NOW SINGE IT STARTED. ITS FUNNY NOW BUT A PRETTY GOOD SIZED SHELL LIT ABOUT TEN YARDS AWAY. I ALMOST TORE DOWN A ROW OF TREES AND DID SKIN MY KNEE GETTING INTO A SAIT TRENCH. OF COURSE WE SLEEP IN SLIT TRENCHES AT NIGHT UNLESS WE PEEL THAT WE DON'T CARE IF SOME BODY COLLECTS OUR INSURANCE. BELIEV ME IF YOU HAVE NEVER BEEN ON A BATTLEFIELD I OU DON'T KNOW WHAT TOU HAVE MISSED. THE FIRST WEEK HERE MY URINE WAS NOT SURE WHIGH LEG TO GO DOWN. SAW THE IRISH PLAY LOTS OF SOCCER LAST WINTER. I CAN'T UNDERSTAND HOW THE IRISH GOULD PLAY THAT GAME WITHOUT FIGHTING, THEIR FISTS AND ARMS FREE AND THEIR LEGS KICKING AT RACH OTHER.

I SEE BY THE GRAPE VINE THAT MY OLD FRIEND HENRY SCHEME IS IN CHARGE OF THE FOOTBALL. TWO OTHER K.U. BOYS ARE HERE, MAJOR YOUNG OF LAWRENCE WHO WAS ON THE TRACK TEAM A FEW YEARS BACK AND GAPT. TODD OF CLAY CENTER, MAJOR YOUNG IS IN CHARGE OF THE HOSPITAL PART OF OUR DIVISION. HOPE EVERYTHING IS WELL WITH YOU.

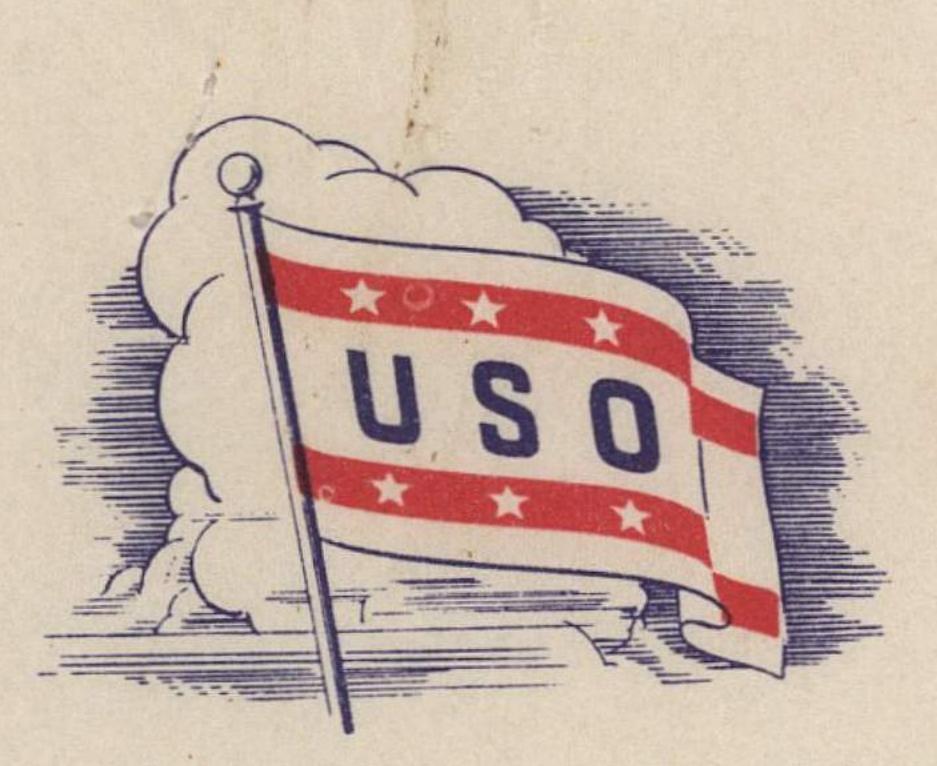
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Believe you me, all of the principles you instill in your boys are correct. That fact is more evident to me now than ever before. Please blep 'Jayhawk Rebounds' coming and the best of luck to you. also send mæj. Elbel's address to me of you have it available Sincerely Waller Miller

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Dear Mr. Miller:

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I do not know your athletic history or your athletic ability. You see, a letter in varsity athletics is a symbol of laboratory work done on the athletic field. Did you make a letter in college in any sport?

In my text I mention the fact that in the early days the physician contracted the diseases that were communicable to man so that he might more sympathetically treat his patients. By that time the physician was generally dead and was not able to treat his patients, but it was a humanitarian idea anyhow. This goes for a trainer in athletics. I go into great detail explaining that the fellow who has experienced sprains, bruises and contussions as well as mental and physical dejection after a hard game fits himself to be more sympathetic as a trainer for the boys who come under his care.

I would rather suggest that you take the matter slowly in figuring your way through this thing. You facetiously suggest that you might buy one of my books. I did a lot of joking about the book, but everything that I taught at that school and more is in that book. I wrote the book as a matter of self-defense and as a means of educating the high school and college coaches in a better understanding of the boys and the proper fundamentals to use. Frankly, I think the chapter on the treatment of athletic injuries is worth four dollars because it is the only contribution of its kind on the market. If you feel like it, you might get the book and study this, and it is a lot to study. Then you might be in a better position to know whether you wanted to enter this field. For a good trainer, the remuneration is excellent, but they generally pick their trainers from men who have been in athletics.

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Dear Dr. Allen:

Last week at the coaching school I attended the evening session and heard your talk on Athletic Injuries. For some time I have been interested in Athletics and would like to be a trainer, I wanted very much to talk to you personally here but could'nt break through the crowd. I hope I can tell you my story briefly and you can find time to give me some suggestions. I would appreciate it very much as I know you are busy.

I have had five years of college and have a B.S. degree in pharmacy. Included in the pharmacy course are subjects such as physiology, pharmacology, bacteriology, physics and chemistry. I have had about eleven years experience in the drug business, my future looks promising financially but due to the long confining hours I would like to get into some other field. I like athletics and after talking with coaches and athletic ditectors have decided that my education would best fit into training. I am 28, married, one child so the problem obviously is how to learn and support the family too. Is there a future in this work and how would you suggest I get started?

Any advice you may be able to give me will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely yours, Frank Miller

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P.S. I might even buy one of those four dollar books.

August 15, 1944.
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Dr. A. J. Mix,
Huntsville, Ontario.
Dr. A. j
Dear Dr. Mix:

Dr. Allen is on his way to Beone, Iowa to attend the Iowa Coaching School. He asked that the following information be sent to you. In order to get the Jayhawk Nursery to be included in the Community Chest it will be necessary to apply at the Chamber of Commerce for an application.

Dr. Allen welllbe back here next Monday and will work on the matter further.

Bery cordially yours,

Director of Physical Education, Varsity Basketball Coach.

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S. CANDELLE STREET, CO. THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS OFFICE OF ADVISER OF WOMEN LAWRENCE July 18, 1944. Dr. F. C. Allen, Director of Physical Education, University of Kansas, Lawrence. Dear Dr. Allen: Miss Meguiar has gone for her summer vacation. However, if we can have the basketball dates when they are ready, it will be helpful to us in compiling our office calendar. It is my understanding that we shall not publish a "K" Book this year, but we shall need in our own office a University calendar and should like to have as much information as possible. Thank you. Very truly yours, Marie Miller sent of Beher 12. Sent argust 12.

Miss Elizabeth Meguiar, Adviser of Women, University of Kansas.

Dear Miss Meguiar:

I have not replied to your letter of June 15th asking for our basketball schedule because we have none. The Big Six Conference is meeting on August 12th to draft the basketball schedule. I presume that will be too late, but it is the best we can do under the conditions. We have no basketball games scheduled outside of the Big Six Conference at present.

Will you let me know if this date will not be too late? If it is not, we will furnish you with the schedule.

Very sincorely yours,

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Director of Physical Education, Varsity Basketball Coach.

THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS OFFICE OF ADVISER OF WOMEN LAWRENCE June 15, 1944

Dr. F. C. Allen 107 Robinson Gym University of Kansas

Dear Dr. Allen:

We are beginning to compile information for the "K Book Calendar" for the coming school year, September 1944 to July 1945. We should like to have from you any events which you would like to schedule in the "K Book."

The time for the compilation and printing of the "K Book" is always short. We, therefore, shall appreciate any information you can supply ascearly as possible.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Very truly yours,

Elizabeth Megnian

Asset La the Adviser of Women.

MM: mk

Mr. Marion Miller, Lowe & Campbell Athletic Goods Co., 1509 Baltimore Avenue, Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Marion:

The book, "How to Relax", by William H. "Little Bill" Miller, came to me at Boone, Iowa, Coaching School on Thursday, August 17.

I glanced over the book, but Marien, there isn't a thing that would be helpful to me. I do not want to appear to be egetistical, but his explanation of problems, physiologically and anatomically, are way off the center. Therefore, I do not believe that his illustrations are predicated on scientific fact.

I am returning the book to you, trusting that you will give me credit for the return of the book. I am enclosing ten cents postage for your expenditure.

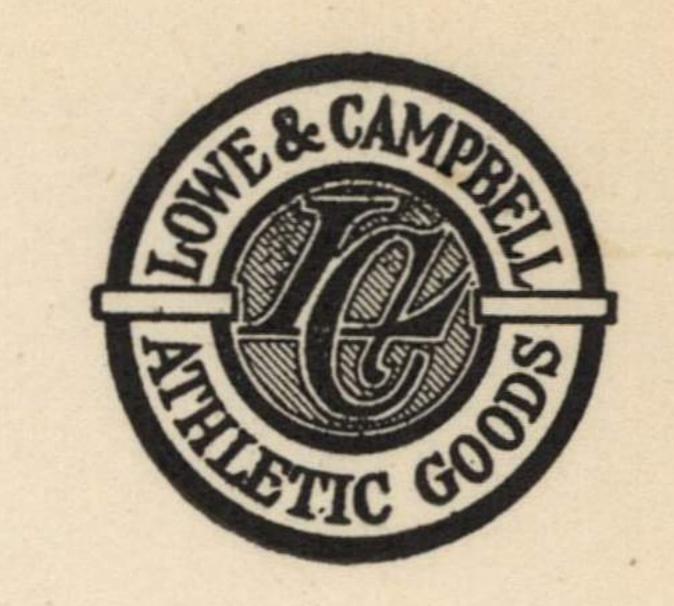
Thanking you so much for sending it to me, and regretting that I could not receive any benefit from the same, I am

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Lt. Col. R. L. Markley, 8 Riverside, Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas.

Dear Red:

We are delighted that the Markleys have a very affable, beautiful and versatile daughter who plans to attend the University of Kansas this September. The Allens are pleased because we will see more of the Markleys in Lawrence.

Now, frankly, "Phog" Allen hasn't much of an alibi, except that I am a member of the local draft board which meets twice a week, have just finished a term as president of Rotary, have had charge of the Douglas County War Fund drive and the Douglas County Red Cross drive, as well as similar drives for the University, in addition to my regular schedule of teaching and coaching. And the fact that gasoline is what it is - in some cases higher than liquor - we have been walking quite a bit, and although I haven't had my bicycle out for some time, use it occasionally.

All of that is no excuse why I should not have responded to that golf and dinner date over at Fort Leavenworth. The fact was, I was so confounded numb and dumb that I failed to call on you the evening I spoke at the enlisted men's basketball league dinner on the 13th of March. Never once did I think to call the Markleys because it was on a forced drive when I made the trip.

Golf balls are scarce, but I have got enough to play, - but here's the catch. Our youngest married daughter was home for five weeks from Philadelphia. Our second married daughter, the wife of a lieutenant aviator in the Navy, is coming Friday for five days, and our oldest daughter with a family of three from Palo Alto is expected to arrive about September first. So the household is getting occupants in it, more in a relay manner than the old order of things.

Bobby, who will finish medical school at the University of Pennsylvania the middle of September, will arrive about October first to do his interneship at Rosedale. However, I imagine he will do a lot of commuting until he gets settled.

I might be afraid of my golf game, but I would never be afraid of putluck at the Markleys.

Now, regarding the most important thing that concerns your family.

All the new girls are to register with Mrs. Eugene Brume, alumni pan-hellenic sponsor, at 601 Mississippi Street, Lawrence, Kansas, for the five-day rushing period, September 11-15. Mrs. Brume has a list of the homes where these girls may stay prior to the time they move into a sorority house. In the main, these homes are very lovely places, and are not the regular rooming houses. If a girl should not pledge a sorority she gets in touch with Miss Elizabeth Meguiar, adviser of women, and through her office gets located.

If this isn't all that you want to know, let me hear from you and we will get it, or "have it got".

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

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Director of Physical Education, Varsity Basketball Coach.

Lieut. Colonel R. L. Markley 8 Riverside Fort Leavenworth, Kansas

26 July 1944

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

My dear Phog:

The Markley's have a darling daughter who plans to attend K.U. to begin this September. Her mother (not to mention her father) is anxious that the daughter make the entry to the University in due form and with proper decorum.

We have heard of the custums (of the service) that certain homes are made available to entering students for a limited period who may or hope to be asked to fraternize with others. Will you suggest such a place in keeping with the mother's fond fancies of good taste?

For the past six months I have awaited that call from you for golf and dinner with us here at the Fort. Time is "flewing", golf balls more scarce, and always a transfer is possible to all members of our Armed Forces, however none is anticipated. Soon I will presume you are afraid either of your golf or the potluck you will get in the army. Write the dope.

Sincerely,
Red LM autilly

Mr. Robert H. Malott, Fallen Leaf Lodge, Fallen Leaf, Calif.

Dear Bob:

I am happy to know you have received the equipment in shipshape. I am sure by now you have got the backboards up and you are really rebounding that casaba against the old board.

Don't worry about the wear and tear on the ball. We will charge that up to profit and loss. You remember the Jewish gentleman who said, "We lose a little on each sale, but where we make the money is in the volume." We may wear out a little leather, but where we win our games is through the many practices.

I had a short visit with your dad and mom before they left for California. I gave your mother some exercises, squeezing on a rubber ball as an aid to limbering up her stiff hand. I believe we are going to get some results.

I am working on my Jayhawk Rebounds letter and will send you one shortly.

Sincerely yours,

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Dr. F.C. allan Phys. Ed. Dest University of Kansas Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Doe, Thanks for equipment and letter all sirined fine "the working on backboard and hoop. Quite a job It will be secure when we finish though We have a fairly good place the abe the ball lisphalt. It will be hard on the ball however. are you sure its. O.K. Well O'll remen. you sure ils. (!). Ver Hour adnise + Phanks again Zoh