

June 21, 1944.

To Cliff McWilliams' brother --

My dear friend:

Cliff wrote me a letter as follows: "I would like a little information, if Dr. Allen happens to know of any of the colleges that might have a vacancy for an enterprising young fellow as coaching assistant. My older brother, 29, a first lieutenant in the glider infantry division, special services, has just been honorably discharged from the army due to an old knee injury. He was a splendid football, basketball and track man in college. He has had two years of high school coaching experience and taught vocational work in agriculture, for which he is well qualified. He is rather at a low ebb because of the army's sudden action, and I know he would like to be connected in some capacity with competitive athletic coaching. If you know of any men to whom I might write I would be most appreciative indeed, as he is a very capable fellow."

Cliff did not give me your name nor your address, but I have written my son, Bobby Allen, asking that he mail this on to you as I know he is well acquainted with the family's residency.

I know Principal Miller at Marshalltown. It is a very fine school system and I think this type of job would be a fine opportunity. I would suggest that you write him if you are interested. If there is any way that I can help you I will be glad to do so. I have written Principal Miller telling him about you and as much as I know of your qualifications. I have given you a good boost. I assure you that I will be happy to help you in any way.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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