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Dear Dr. Allen:

The question has recently been raised as to whether returning war veterans should be exempted from the "required" physical training. While we only have a trickle of veterans on the campus now, we will be flooded with them as soon as the war is over. ~~and~~ Even next fall we may have many more than we have at present. It seems to me that our department should be making plans for our post-war set-up on physical education and that ~~the P.E.~~ ~~our~~ department should furnish the leadership in selling whatever program ^{at U.K.} we feel to be the most desirable and beneficial in the light of ~~current~~ the best current thought and practices in regard to ~~the~~ physical education. ~~program~~. It is with the thought of ~~formulating~~ ^{suggesting} ~~a~~ definite outline of the pattern that our service program should take, following the war, that I am writing you this letter.

~~We will have approximately 3000.~~ Undoubtedly, we will have at least 3000 men on the campus after the war. Probably at least 1600 of these men will be freshmen & sophomores. Our facilities and staff are too limited to handle the entire 3000 men, but