

July 16, 1942

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

Dear Dr. Allen,

Miss Roche just sent me a letter from DePaw, where she had gone to see about being released from her contract.

The President was very reluctant to have her leave and offered her an increase in salary if she would stay there. She decided to stay. I am sorry for I think she would have been fine in our situation.

I will investigate further the credentials which you sent me, altho, according to the papers her present salary is \$1600. I have wired Dr. Moulton of Oberlin for recommendations and will do the same to other dance major departments. This late date makes things rather difficult.

Melba Schilling's address is 307 S. Center St. Dayton Ohio. She is connected with the