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My dear Doctor Allen:

Your very interesting note of May 18th has given me reason for a good deal of thought. I hope that my resulting suggestions may be of use to you in the new and promising relationship that you describe as having been set up for you at the University of Kansas.

The national organizations in which I would suggest your membership are: -- The American Physical Education Association, Mr. Elmer D. Mitchell, Secretary, 311 Maynard Street, Ann Arbor, Michigan; the College Physical Education Association, Harry A. Scott, Secretary, The Rice Institute, Houston, Texas; the American Student Health Association, Secretary Dr. Ruth Boynton, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota. If you will permit me to do so, I will communicate with the secretaries of these three organizations and ask them to write you directly inviting you to take membership.

The University of Kansas is a member institution of the American Student Health Association and Dr. Ralph I. Canuteson is on the Council of that Association. It would be well for you to check in with that organization as a representative of the University of Kansas.

Your search for a young man with a Ph.D. degree who can teach physical education subjects giving the proper background is based on a very proper standard, but I think you will have difficulty finding a young man with a worthwhile Ph.D. degree in that field who would be available for \$2800. I do not know of any such young man who is further on his way toward a degree of Doctor of Medicine. The combination is an ideal one, but it is no longer a practical one. By the time one has spent the investment necessary for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in this field and then the amount necessary for the degree of Doctor of Medicine, he is not at all content with the salaries that are available after such a fine preparation. I could recommend some very competent young men who have finished their degrees of Master of Arts