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Dear Miss Hoover:

We were very happy to have your card of the 3rd instant and glad to know that you are still getting in your games of golf.

We have been very busy with our recreational program here this summer. Most everybody has been very enthusiastic about it and we have had nearly double the participants that we had last year.

We have laid out a lovely driving range for golf which runs south of the gymnasium, geology building and auditorium and runs up behind the engineering building. It is a swell layout and it has met with a very splendid response. The golf course is better than it has been and we have put a putting clock over next to Fowler Shops.

We have had teeter-totters, a monkey maze, sand pile and horizontal bars for the little tots. Our recreation class put on three one-act plays and Professor Allen Crafton's class in Play Direction supervised our embryo Thespians. Over at the Union Building on Monday evenings we had real live, pulsating, throbbing orchestras, and for special numbers we had a girls' swing trio from Emporia come up and they did their stuff in a very clever way between intermissions at the dance, and then we had a male quartette, consisting of Fen Durand, Morgan, Coleman and Edmondson - medical students and graduates - who delighted the dancers with their musical numbers. At one dance we had 325, a larger group than some of our mid-week varsities. We had large 42 inch fans that we got from the Kansas Electric Power Company, and turned on the ventilating system in the Union Building and really had things cool.

We served punch at every one of the dances, and even went so far as to have a four o'clock tea in the Union Building at which our girls in Community Recreation served tea, Dean Schwegler spoke, and the boys were on the reception committee. It really went over splendidly and the faculty and everybody enjoyed it very much.