

The freshmen have Billy Dewell, the Newton star who is a brother of Johnny Dewell that you played against down at S.M.U. He is quite a boy. We also have Bud French, a star from Central High School of Kansas City. Marvin Sollenberger and Dick Miller are coaching the freshmen. Murray Brown went to Topeka in the physical education set up in the Topeka High School, so we hired Solly and Dick. Both of these boys have one semester of eligibility, but I figured they would not be productive of much good especially when we are going to Madison Square Garden and we would have to change the line up the second semester, so I suggested to Solly it wouldn't be worth while - so he is not out for basketball. I will try to send you some clippings from the Kansan from time to time so that you can keep up with the progress of the team.

Mother and I both spoke about Penn's loss to Penn State last Saturday. I know that must have been terribly disappointing, but upsets will come and doubtless Penn faced the problem of finding good forward passers. Maybe Penn State capitalized on that after the loss to the Navy.

Give my regards to Barney Sheridan and tell him to keep on hitting the ball. And here's the best of luck and best wishes from the Allen clan.

Affectionately,

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