

August 1, 1944.

Mrs. Don Carlos Peete,
4140 Cambridge,
Kansas City, Kansas.

Dear Alice:

You did not let me know whether you wanted me to go ahead with those dates or not. I certainly shall, but want to be sure that we will not displease Boss Don.

I wrote "Greta" a letter this morning, hoping that some time the family can come down for one of our outdoor parties. They really are delightful.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

August 1, 1944.

Miss Sammy Lou Peete,
4140 Cambridge,
Kansas City, Kansas.

Dear Sammy Lou:

We are having another dance - a square dance - tomorrow evening from 8:30 to 9:45. Perhaps Dr. Major is still out so it won't be possible for the family to come down. At the last dance I told young sailor Thorne that I thought you people might be here.

He is coming out for basketball when we have practice, but we are still having intramurals so I haven't started varsity practice.

If you can't make it this Wednesday night see if you and your folks can't make it a week from Wednesday night. We will have the regular dance then, and if you will let me know I will have the regular Mr. Thorne there. You know I am glad to do anything that I can to help with the happiness of the Peete household, and incidentally with the happiness of the offspring of the Peete household.

Give my regards to all. You can always count on me, Greta.

Very sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

Dear Dr Allen,

Its not everyday that one has
such an obliging friend as I.

I'm horribly sorry that I couldn't
accept it or should I say that

Daddy couldn't get away but

thank you a million times.

Living in the City, I no doubt
will be unfortunate all

Never see the "Man" again.

Thank you again

"Greta"

August 1, 1944.

Col. Lyle S. Powell, O-128962,
Headquarters Z - 4 Op. Staff,
U.S.A.S., C.B.I.,
APO 430,
New York, N.Y.

Dear Doctor Lyle:

We are sending you a Jayhawk Rebounds which is news enough to keep you busy reading for a long time. Much of it, of course, will not be interesting, but some of it may.

We will leave it to the other Rotarians to give you the fulsome news of Lawrence.

With all good wishes for your continued success, health and happiness, I am

Rotarily yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

July 20, 1944.

Mrs. Don Carlos Peete,
4140 Cambridge,
Kansas City, Kansas.

Dear Alice:

I was happy to have your letter written from Mercy Hospital. There is one thing in my mind that I have not clarified, and that is - should I go ahead and make these dates for Jinny Jane, or wait until I have a conference with Dr. Peete and you?

We are having a street dance here next Wednesday evening. This is "liberty" night for the sailors and I could get word to Leonard F. Thorne (that is his name) to be at the dance. That might be an incentive to Sammie Lou to make the trip with her papa and mama. It is going to be outside, in front of the Chemistry Building, and we are going to have a twenty-piece band so the dancing will be good - especially when we are going to augment the concrete dancing floor with plenty of cornmeal and bran to aid the gliders and the jitterbugs. Really, it will be a very fine dance and if you will let me know whether you can come or not, we will make the necessary arrangements to have young Thorne present.

Now, seriously, it might be better for us just to correspond if you do not want to come down, and you could let me know when we could have a conference with Dr. Peete. If he has objections to a sorority I would be glad to talk with him regarding the benefits that a student derives from belonging.

Personally, I think Jinny Jane would make a fine sorority girl and a substantial one. The sororities place a very high standard of scholarship on their members, but of course there are always some who never study much, but the majority of them make exceptional grades. Please let me know before Wednesday so that I can take care of the Thorne matter and also let Bess know that you are coming. I would be glad to have all the conversation in the presence of Bess because I am sure she would be very glad to help, and I would court the discussion in her presence. She is very level-headed in setting out the benefits and drawbacks of a sorority. I am sure she would be for the sorority in the development of a serious-minded boy or girl.

Now, for the book binding. It is wonderful of you people to do this and I want you to know that I appreciate it. Any way that it is done will be exceptionally pleasing to me and I am gratified at your many kind-

nesses shown us.

If you should come down with Dr. Peete and family, I would just tell them that I had a line from Dr. Peete. It might be well for him to drop a line saying he is coming, and this other correspondence will be a closed matter.

My kindest regards to all of you, and with appreciation for the many courtesies and kindnesses shown our family, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

PCA:AH

Saturday - behind Mercy
Hosp.

My dear Forrest,

Your letter (and such a fine one -
when you are so busy!) came this
morning, and while Don is in Mercy
Hospital, I'll take up where we left off -
He will be here at least an hour and a half.
Too bad that my fountain pen is at home,
so if you don't mind, I'll use my "equipel-
ment" that I kept in the glove compartment
to write to J. J. at odd waits last winter.

I feel like the gal who poked a
stick into a hornet's nest - there is
so much to this sorority business -
Nothing was farther from my mind
than soliciting your help for dates,
but since you suggest it, it might be a

good thing -

There is so much in my mind about the whole business, I may not make myself clear.

Personally; I should like for J. J. to belong to a good society and here are my reasons - As you know, Rosedale offered little socially, and only one from her class went to K. K. She lead a rather lonely life there because she just didn't fit in with a group who started "going steady" as Saphomores & married when school was out after graduation. He didn't approve of the social set-up - (and we are not snobbish) and the hours that were kept. Then - a year at a girls' school really cut her off from what was left. She is not man crazy, but I want her to have a normal association with

boys (scarcely tho' they are) I don't know that she has ever analyzed this to herself. She is level headed and I feel that she is definitely mistress of herself and not easily led by others, but because I think that she would enjoy the social contacts of sorority life ^{I am sure} ^{int} When she talked of coming to KU - Don said she could go anywhere she wanted to, but she has always dreamed of KU - so there wasn't any dilemma there. His only comment was "I don't want her to think she can go just for the social side" - which brings up the matter of grades. J. I had to remake her whole pattern of study last year - hence - not very good grades - but I think that the need to measure up to a standard in order to be initiated

might be a very definite stimulus, -
might be just ^{the} incentive needed -

Mrs. Jeffries (who is a ^{and a Theta} Wagstaff) said
she would speak to Helen Wagstaff -
Theta - for dates - if dates are out -
she has forgotten, for as yet no
communications have arrived -

I should list as desirable - without
regard to order Pi Phi - Kappa - Theta -
You know better than I do - I shall
have to rely a great deal on future
advice from you regarding a great
many things. Not having been "Through
the mill" myself - I can be of little
help to her - She really is a sweet child
and I do want her to be happy -
She has said very little about sororities,
I think it would please her to have
such "ties" but should she not, she
would be most philosophical about it -

and go merrily on her way, none the worse. She is not a snob, (except about not stooping to things she considers beneath her) she is friendly, and happy and very much in love with the work she has chosen - and simply delirious about coming to L.U. It (The University) has been such a big part of our lives that she has absorbed our love for it.

As I said, Dan and I have not discussed these things - I felt that it was a bit pre-mature - I don't know that he is appased - but should I need your support, I'll come a running - and you dust off all your pro arguments - he's smart enough to know all the adverse reasons. I feel that it is an imposition to ask your help - but she is really coming to Lawrence

"cold" because she has no former classmates ahead for contacts. Of course - female - like - I think she has a lot to give any group - but rationally - I know there may be two sides to that, too - Any how - you are sweet to concern yourself and I do appreciate it so very much and so will Don -

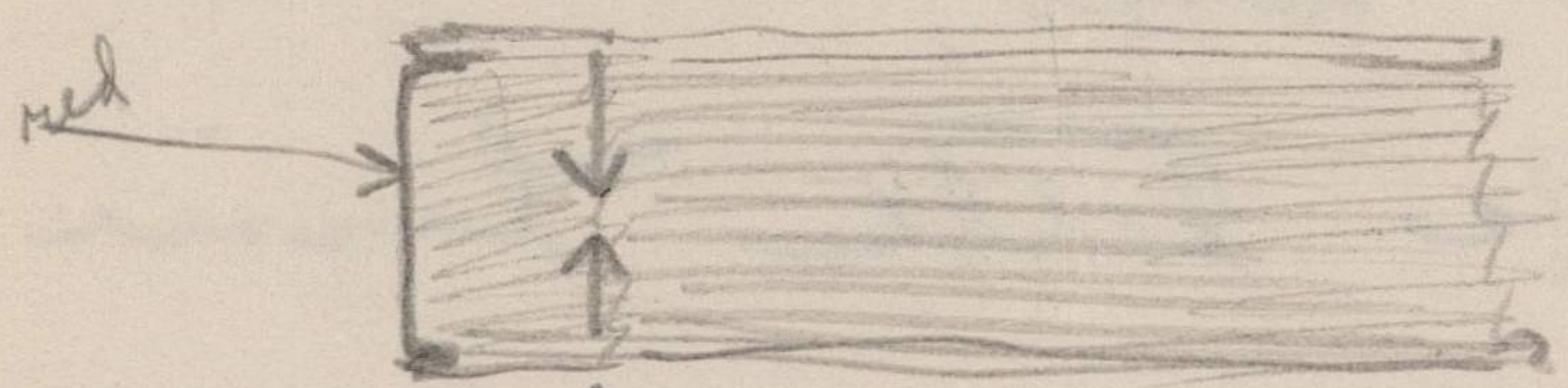
We are installing a new basketball goal in the back yard - Sammie Lane says she is going to try out for your team if the sailor does - his name by the way was Thorn - That's all she knows and it causes her no end of concern - she feels that she could accomplish more on the "ground floor" What a difference between our two girls - L.L. - knows how to go get 'em & bring 'em back alive! You'd better be able to produce "The Navy" on demand -

Do miss our long talks, but maybe we
can get caught up some day. I do hope
that we will have an opportunity soon -

Try Thanks for your interest - Forrest -
and if these things can be done without
placing you under any obligations;
fine - but please don't do anything
that will obligate you in any way -

Now for other business -

In all the kingdom there is no
pigskin for the binding of your book -
so - I'm having the back done in red -
- but saving the pig



skin back in case you
don't like it red - The binding was to
be extended at least 1 in to allow for
greater space -

and the wood cover will be repaired -
at least this will keep it in order
until pig-skin is available (the leather on
the top will be "as
was")
Be of good cheer - you shall have
the back back yet!

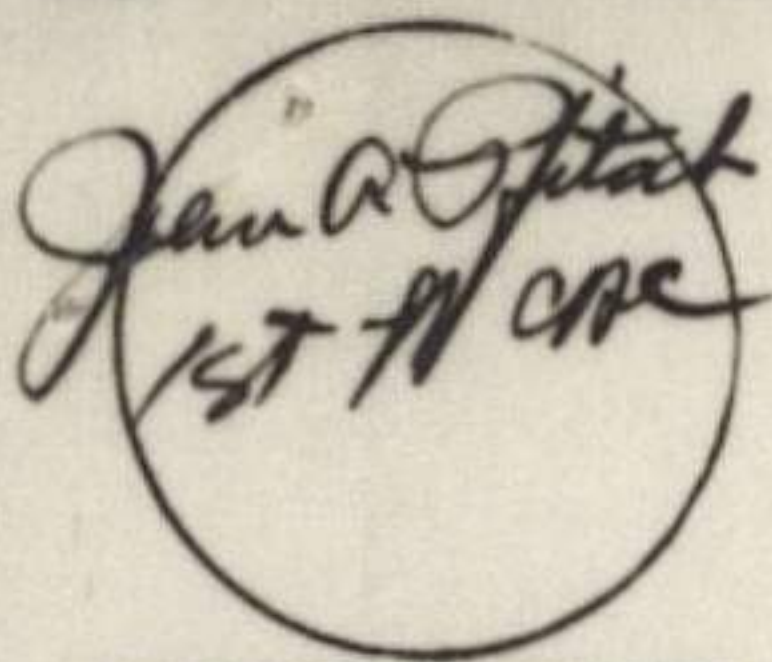
I should like to say "Love to Queen
Bess" but since you haven't heard
from me, I haven't said it -

Our regards to you - and thanks,
too,

Most sincerely,
Alice

If I haven't said things clearly, you
know me well enough to figure it out -
It is nearly 6 pm & Dan will be here
soon - I've spent quite a little time
chewing my pencil.

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CENSORS STAMP

DR. FORREST C. ALLEN
PHYSICAL EDUCATION DEPT.
UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS
LAWRENCE, KANSAS

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LT JOHN A. FITZPATRICK
SENDERS NAME
448 BARR (BND) Bn
SENDERS ADDRESS
APO 654 S. FIN. N.M.
11 May 1944
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England

Dear Doc

Just a note to let you know that I received your last Rebounds, and ^{it} as usual was a fine morale builder and interesting letter. I ran into a Major Frank Ebling from a town in Missouri above Kansas City the other day. He played for you about in '25 & believes. At any rate he was a swell fellow and was very friendly. He had followed K.O. Boudet back out the way, thru the years, and I guess knew the famous Eblings although not being related. I gave him my copy of your latest Rebounds and he said he would write to you. I am sure you will remember him. I certainly enjoyed meeting and talking to him. I haven't been able to see any of the other fellows over here, but expect to run into any of them any day. Let me keep hearing from you. Give my regards to all the bunch as ever, John

V...-MAIL

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7 APRIL 1944

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England

Dear Doc,
I got your mail letter the other day and was very happy to hear from you. Since I last wrote I have had a very interesting experience. I attended a short course in British games and sports at the U. of Birmingham. It gave me time to study the British school system and their psychology of games, which I find to be totally different from ours. I had a sweet time and learned how to play cricket, soccer, and rugby. The people I met from Canada, Australia, South Africa and America were a fine bunch and we had a sweet time exchanging ideas. I taught a class of British boys basketball for an hour. I think that the only game they will ever take from us, but I know they will adopt it. I think the game will have a great future in the British Isles. Of course we were supposed to be learning their games and it ended up us teaching them ours, but I believe they enjoyed it and this association with such a fine bunch was well worth the time spent. Hope you all are doing as good as we are and are as happy. Regards to all.

John

V...-MAIL

June 22, 1944.

Pvt. Vaughn W. B. Pontius, 37734379,
Infantry Co. F,
A.P.O. 15248, c/o P.M.,
New York, N.Y.

Dear Chick:

I am mighty happy to hear from you in old England.

Everything is getting along fine in Lawrence. We had a big bond drive and auction at Haskell Stadium last night where 5,000 people attended. We had artillery men from Ft. Riley, and our guest of honor wore the Congressional Medal. We also had Shorty Harwood, who was one of the first Marines to land at Tarawa, down before the mike, as also Lt. John Stewart who was shot down in Italy and landed with friendly underground people. It was a fine show and everybody bought bonds in the name of all Lawrence and Douglas County boys who are in the service, - and that applies to you.

I saw your wife in the bank yesterday and she is looking fine. She said she got seven letters from you in one day. Brother, you are a good correspondent, but I think she meant the mail had been held up for some time.

Mit is in Lawrence and helped out with the bond drive. He is practicing law and is doing very well. He won his first case in the Supreme Court, and is pretty happy.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

PCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FROM

Post. Naughton W.B. Pontiac

A.S.N 3772 4379

Inf. Co. F. A.P.O. 15248

%c Postmaster New York N.Y.

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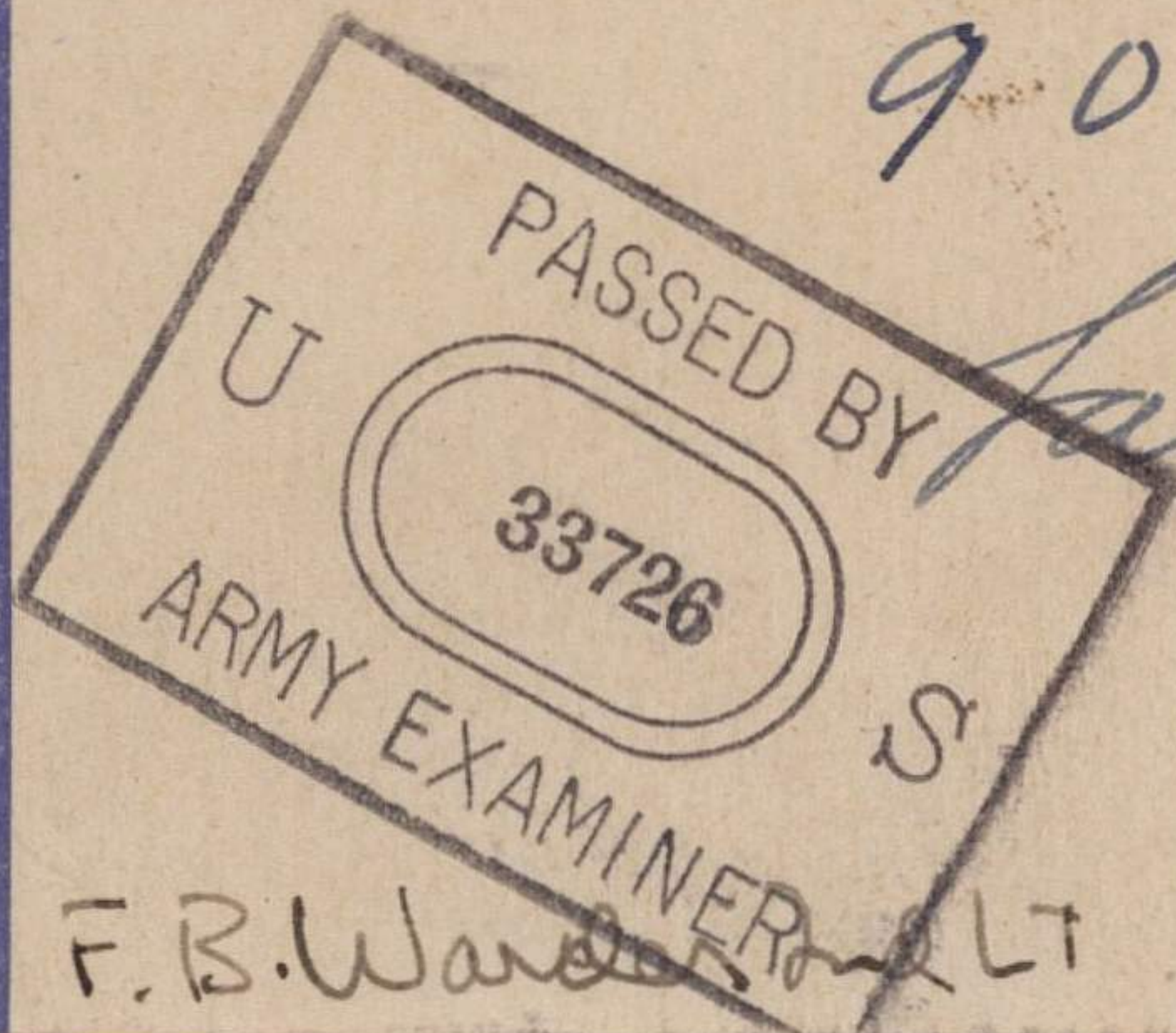
POST CARD



Doc. F.C. Allen

900 La. St.

Lawrence, Kansas





UNITED STATES ARMY

Dear Doc.

I am somewhere in England and am feeling fine, and hope you are all the same.

The country around here is really beautiful. I have never seen anything like it in the States.

How is everything in Lawrence? Is Mitt still around town. Well I will close for now hoping to hear from you soon. Chick

June 13, 1944.

Dr. Don Carlos Peete,
Professional Building,
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Dr. Peete:

When I was dictating the Jayhawk Rebounds I discovered that I had failed to make a contribution to the Francisco Memorial Fund. Please accept my check for \$25.00. I realize that this is a small amount to give for the memory of so great a man, but I am hoping to increase this amount when and if you need more. I am sure that you will, but at the present time I wanted to delay no further.

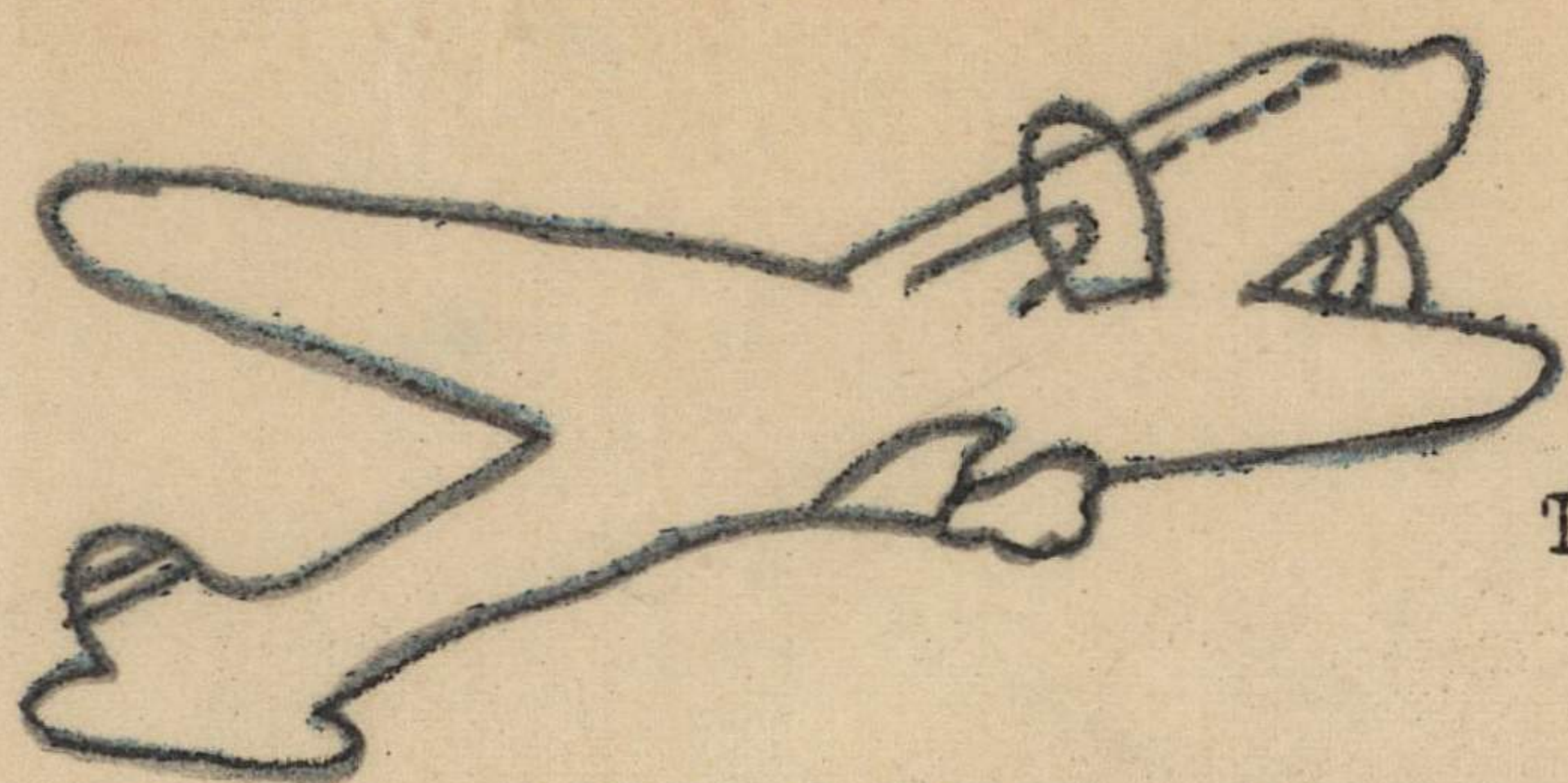
I got a nice letter from Ginny Jane saying that she enjoyed the Rebounds.

Hope to have a visit with you and your good family in the not too distant future.

Very sincerely yours,

FCA:AH
Enc.

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.



THE COST OF ONE FLYING FORTRESS!

For Jayhawk Rebounds
Mrs. H. T. not number

About thirty-five years ago, a few farsighted doctors together with the people of Kansas began to build an institution whose influence was destined to be felt all over the nation. The University of Kansas School of Medicine has sent its graduates into every state of the union, and their fine work has brought great honor to the school that so ably fitted them for a life of service. The respect for that institution has spread from coast to coast, and now, in these times, to the far corners of the earth. For many years, as this institution grew, it struggled to obtain new buildings in order to meet, adequately, the increased demands for greater space for patients and the need for more classrooms. As the school grew and the student body increased in number, the need for a student union building became more apparent -- but NO FUNDS!

Why a student union? Where can students meet their friends? Where can they enjoy a few minutes relaxation? Where can they spend some time in physical activity? Where can they read, hear enjoyable music or indulge in the time-honored "bull-fests" so dear to the hearts of the medical students who want to talk over lectures and clinical patients? The war has shown how physically unfit so many young men have become. Medical students have no facilities for recreation. School social gatherings for faculty and students are unsatisfactory because they are forced to take those gatherings to hotels, night clubs and public dance halls.

This longed-for building will solve these problems. It will be the means of putting character and morale into a very worthy institution.

WE NEED YOUR HELP! Don't say that you can't afford to help. You are helping to build a great medical school which, like your church, will pay you dividends in the future. YOU CANNOT AFFORD NOT TO HELP! You cannot afford not to have that warm feeling that comes when you have done an unselfish thing.

In the student union there will be a memorial to Dr. C. B. Francisco, who for thirty years gave his services unselfishly to crippled children. He was a respected and deeply beloved teacher at the University of Kansas School of Medicine.

Funds obtained will be invested in War Bonds now. The amount needed is far less than the cost of just one Flying Fortress. After the war this building will take form, and the fund that you have created, that we will lend to a Flying Fortress, will be restored to peacetime use and a Student Union shall rise to be a reminder and inspiration to those who will enjoy its benefits as they prepare themselves to serve humanity.

Please make checks payable to the Francisco Memorial Fund and mail to the University of Kansas School of Medicine at Kansas City, Kansas.

Back the attack and build the Student Union by subscribing to the Memorial Fund.

COMMITTEE:

Galen M. Tice, Chairman
Ralph H. Major
Don Carlos Peete

DON CARLOS PEETE, M.D.

June 8, 1944.

Miss Virginia Jane Peete,
Monticello College,
Godfrey, Illinois.

Dear Ginny Jane:

I was glad to have your letter of June 1 and happy to know that you are looking forward for your new Jayhawk Rebounds. I should have written it several days ago but have not gotten around to it as yet. We are getting most of the material in shape, so it shouldn't be long until you receive Jayhawk Rebounds Number 9.

I am glad that your experiences at Monticello have made you love K.U. more than ever, and I might add that I imagine that is quite a bit because you have always shown as much enthusiasm as your mother and dad for the University, and that is something.

We had a nice visit a couple of weeks ago with your dad and mother. Your dad was here for a faculty meeting and after the meeting they came down for a visit until about nine o'clock in the evening. We enjoyed them very much.

With all good wishes to you and to the Monticello Jayhawkers,
I am

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

June 1, 1944

Dear Dr. Allen,

For the last few weeks I have been looking for my 'Jayhawker Rebounds'.

A few days ago one of the girls returned them with a note attached thanking me for letting her read

them. All of the 'Jayhawkers' have enjoyed catching up on the latest news from the 'Hill'.

This year at Monticello has been a wonderful experience but it has made me love K.U. even more.

Thank you so very much for the "Jayhawker Rebounds."

Always,
Virginia Jane

May 23, 1944.

Mr. C. C. Pemberton,
Chairman, Program Committee,
Shawnee-Mission Cooperative Club,
Merrian, Kansas.

Dear Mr. Pemberton:

I appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing me on May 10th, and am sorry that we had a conflict in dates. Perhaps some time later we can get together on a date. It will be a pleasure to speak to your Co-Operative Club some time in the future.

Very sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.



CO-OPERATIVE CLUB
of
Shawnee Mission
Co-Operative Club

May 10th, 1944

Dr. Forest Allen,
Athletic Director,
University of Kansas,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Dr. Allen:

Referring to our conversation over the telephone regarding your speaking date at the Co-Operative Club in June, we are unable to hold the Sons and Daughters meeting that late in June.

Thanking you for your very kind offer to fill this engagement, and hoping to have you later in the year I am,

Respectfully yours,

C. C. Pemberton,
Chairman Program Committee
Shawnee Mission Co-Operative
Club

CCP*VE

April 25, 1944.

Mr. Don Pierce, Sports Editor,
Topeka Daily Capital,
Topeka, Kansas.

Dear Don:

Although basketball season is definitely over and all teams have been tucked in bed, and baseball is naturally the order of the day, together with a few spring football drills, I am augmenting my criticism of the rules committee with the enclosed remarks.

It may be too late to do anything with it, but if you wish to use it in any way you are at perfect liberty to do so.

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

April 22, 1944.

Mr. Reaves Peters,
Big Six Conference Commissioner,
342 Sh. Chelsea,
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Reaves:

This is what I think of the outfit.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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March 10, 1944

Dr. Forrest C. Allen
Director of Physical Education
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Doctor Allen:

Thank you for your speedy reply to my letter. Since it is too early for you to make a decision for the coming season, I will be glad to hear from you at a later date when you are more certain.

I hope you will be free to act as our representative in that section, I feel it will be the beginning of a long and happy association.

Baseball's policy for seventeen year old boys is that as long as they are free to sign we are anxious to acquire them. No boy already in the armed forces can be signed and while Commissioner Landis hasn't made any decision as yet, I don't think he will permit the clubs to retain control over players who enter the service without first being on the active list of some club.

Of course, this is just my opinion and we are proceeding on these lines in our system.

Please let me hear from you when you have the opportunity.

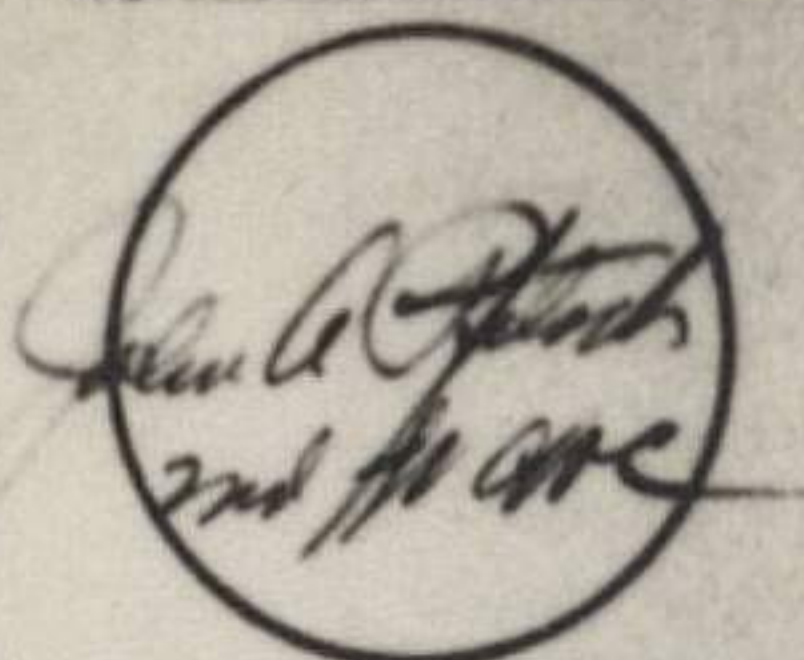
Kindest regards and best wishes.

Sincerely yours,


Joseph F. Reardon
Director of Minor League Clubs

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UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS
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LAWRENCE,
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MAR 12 1944

LT JOHN A. FITZPATRICK

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APO 638 2nd Flt CMC

11 Mar 1944

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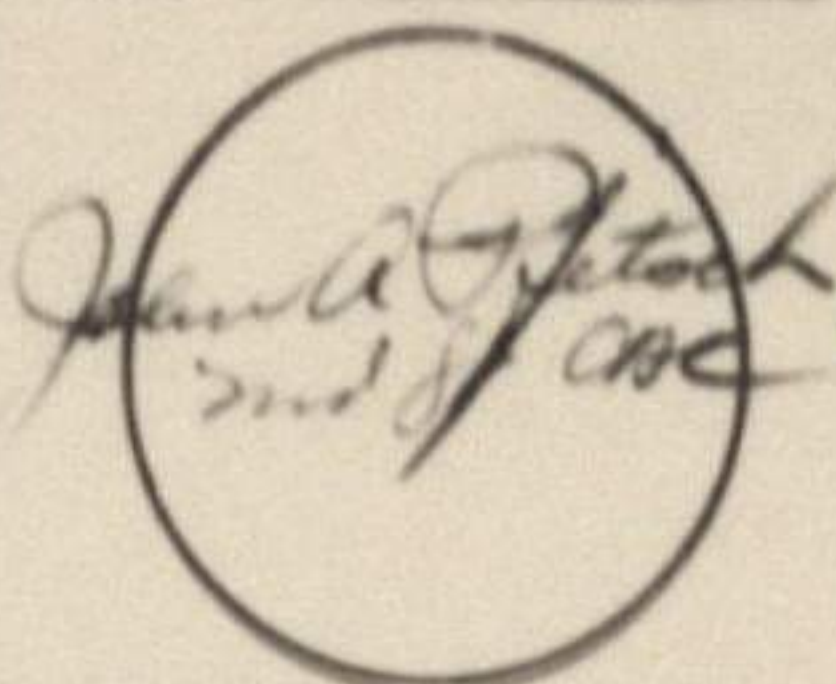
Dear Doc,
your Jayhawk Redoubt arrived yesterday
and was duly appreciated. I have shown it to every
one I am so enthusiastic about it. It is
certainly sweet to pop up with all of this hype
all over the world.

We have been able to open up a small
soft ball league and the boys are getting &
play some ball. The weather remains the same
and that is our greatest trouble at present.
I have been to London and I did enjoy the
city. We will have many things to talk
about when every one gets home.

We can keep up with the news at home
pretty well now from the daily issues of the
Stars & Stripes. Please give my regards to Henry
Dean, Mr. Falkenstein, Mrs. Webster & Jerome Mrs.
Kulturn. Wish I had her with me to help run
my office. I'm looking forward to another letter.
Sincerely, John

V...-MAIL

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DR. FOREST C. AARON
PHYSICAL EDUCATION DEPT
UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS
LAWRENCE, KANSAS

MAR 3 1944

LT JOHN A. BOWEN
SENDER'S NAME

448 QAR (ON) BN
SENDER'S ADDRESS
APO 638 3 PM NY NY

29 MAR 1944
DATE

England

Dear Doc,

I haven't heard from you for quite some time so was wondering what the score was. I have missed your little newsletters and have been looking forward to it. Thought maybe you could tell me some DDD's of some of the boys who might also be operating in this vicinity. I am glad you liked the first and to hear that you all had such a fine Christmas. I have been following R.C. in the Stars & Stripes our only army newspaper in this theater. I only wish I could have seen the games I have read about.

We have been very busy and I don't have much time to do any athletics, however I am trying to be able to attend a school in British sports & games at one of the Universities over here in the near future. I have enjoyed my contacts with the people here and have undoubtedly learned a lot. I wish I could tell you more about the place but just stick with us and you'll be hearing from us - Write when you can. Regards to all.

V...-MAIL

March 13, 1944.

Lt. John A. Pfitsch,
448 AAA (DN) Bn.,
APO 638, c/o F.M.,
New York, N.Y.

Dear Johnny:

I just received your V-mail and I am hurriedly telling you that we mailed a Jayhawk Rebounds a couple of weeks ago. We are hoping that it arrives pronto. After you receive it, if the addresses of the boys that you desire are not in there fire back a V-mail and we will list everyone that you want if they are available.

You bet, we will stick with you, old fellow. We believe in you and your kind, and we know that you are going to get the job done - and it will be a complete job this time. This morning I read of the wails of some Britishers and Americans who are appealing that we stop the mass bombing in Germany. I wonder if those people want our boys killed and the other people saved.

I know it is a tough choice for some people to make, but we didn't start this fuss and our boys are over there so if there is anything that will make it easier for our boys, I am for that. And I am also for cleaning out Berlin and Germany until there won't be another nucleus of war fermentation from the Berlin side at least for a long time. So I still say, bomb them out until they give up. In that way we will save our boys who want to come back and live in a country that at least has never raised hell every twenty years.

You certainly will be welcome at 801 Louisiana and at the University, and I want to invite you to stick that pair of feet under our table and enjoy life when you return. We certainly will enjoy you. And when we ask you to pass the butter you can either supinate or pronate when you pass the plate to me!

With lots of good luck, Johnny, and sincerest and best wishes for your safe return, I am

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

March 21, 1944.

Pvt. Vaughn W. B. Pontius,
Co. D, 62nd Bn - 3rd Platoon,
Camp Wolters, Texas.

Dear Chick:

I was glad to get your letter of the 16th ultimo. I haven't been to the Country Club since last Fall. As secretary of the draft board and as chairman of the Douglas County Red Cross War Fund drive, together with a lot of other activities that I have had, - all this has kept me away from the golf course, and it still seems as if it will be a few days or maybe weeks before I get out there again.

I saw your wife at the bank the other day and she said that you were expecting to come home real soon. When you do come home I expect to see a rough, tough G.I. soldier who will whip the heinies in a dogfight. I will bet you are in a lot better physical condition than you were when you left. The fact that the food is good down there convinces me that you will take everything in stride.

Mit is practicing law here but is apt to go in the next call. And Bob is at the University of Pennsylvania where he is a senior in the medical school. He expects to get married in about a month and will come home on a short leave.

I am sending you a Jayhawk Rebounds - a letter that I write to the boys and you doubtless will get a lot of information from some of these notations.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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1/16/44

0840 Sun

Dear Fog.

How are you and your basket ball team getting along? I hope O.K.

How is the country club getting along. Are you playing much golf these days?

We had a snow storm here last weekend. It sure is hard to march in.

We started out taking five miles hikes and now we are making twenty miles with full field pack on. We get ten minute breaks every hour. It takes eight hours to march twenty miles. I'll tell you one thing this army is a bitch. You sure have to have what it takes I will tell you that. They say that this is the worst camp in the U.S.. I mean as far as the training is concerned. It sure is tough going, I tell you that. The food is very good here. In fact it is the best you can get. This camp is a replacement center for over sea duty. There are about 45 000 men in over

this camp. are Platoon shot the
browning automatic rifle last week.
I made 1850 in rapid fire I had 185
out of a possible 200 not bad for me.

How is Milton and Bob, are they
still in town? Well I will close
for now.

yours Truly
Chick