

June 29, 1940.

Mr. Ernst A. Uhrlaub,  
805 Ohio Street,  
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear "Dutch":

I am enclosing a copy of correspondence with Don Ridler, Director of the Athletic Department of Lawrence Institute of Technology, Highland Park, Michigan. I am also enclosing one of the application blanks which I suggest you fill out and send to Mr. Ridler immediately.

I did not give him your Lawrence address because I thought this might cause him to write back to me if he is seriously interested in your application. I believe that you should get in contact with him, however, as soon as you receive this.

With best wishes, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH  
Enc.



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LAWRENCE INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY  
College of Engineering  
HIGHLAND PARK  
MICHIGAN

June 27, 1940

Mr. Gwinn Henry, Athletic Director  
University of Kansas  
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Mr. Henry:

Do you have a graduate to recommend for our basketball coaching position which is now open? We are interested in a University of Kansas man for the post.

The salary would depend upon his worth to the institution as a teacher assistant in other sports, etc.

We will be pleased to receive applications. These should be submitted immediately since we hope to fill the position before August 1st.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) Don Ridler

Director of Athletic Department.



Application Form--Basketball Coaching Position  
Lawrence Institute of Technology  
Highland Park, Michigan  
(enclose recent photograph if possible)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

College \_\_\_\_\_

Degree \_\_\_\_\_ When \_\_\_\_\_

Varsity Sports, Letters won, other recognitions \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Member of what church? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you taught? \_\_\_\_\_ Where? \_\_\_\_\_

Subjects Taught \_\_\_\_\_

Major and Minor in College \_\_\_\_\_

Married \_\_\_\_\_ No. of Dependents \_\_\_\_\_

List any employers, past or present \_\_\_\_\_  
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Coaching experience, if any \_\_\_\_\_  
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Names of three references \_\_\_\_\_  
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June 29, 1940.

Mr. Gwinn Henry,  
Director of Athletics,  
University of Kansas.

Dear Gwinn:

I am returning the letter from Don Ridler, of Lawrence Institute of Technology, together with a copy of my reply. I thought you might like to have this, together with information on Urlaub, for your file. We believe that he is the best man for this position on account of his qualifications.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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Enc.



June 29, 1940.

Mr. Don Ridler,  
Director of Athletic Department,  
Lawrence Institute of Technology,  
Highland Park, Michigan.

Dear Mr. Ridler:

Your letter of the 27th has been turned over to me by Mr. Gwin Henry, the Director of Athletics here at the University of Kansas.

We have Ernst Uhrlaub, who has just received his Master's degree in physical education whom we can very highly recommend. Mr. Uhrlaub was captain of my varsity basketball team in 1921, the year that he received his baccalaureate degree from the University of Kansas. He now, of course, has these two degrees - A. B. and M. S.

Mr. Uhrlaub did basketball coaching first at Arkansas City High School, and then at Salina, Kansas. He has had a long background in high school sports, and this year while he was taking his Master's degree he was my freshman basketball coach at the University and also assisted me with the varsity team. Not only is he well grounded by having played three years of varsity basketball under me, but he has had the experience of high school coaching as well as the freshman and varsity work this year.

He is a very clean individual. He does not use narcotics or alcoholics in any form. He is an especially safe and valuable young man to deal with young people. He is an exceptional golfer and a fine tennis player. This year he served as varsity coach of tennis. He is a highly intelligent individual, as his grades in his undergraduate and graduate work will indicate.

It so happens that Mr. Uhrlaub is out of town at the present time, but I am writing you this letter and sending him one of your application forms so that he may fill it out at his earliest convenience when this reaches him.

Referring back to Mr. Uhrlaub's intercollegiate career, it occurred to me that he was an outstanding baseball pitcher on the varsity team for three years. In his senior year he pitched both games of a double header with Kansas State College and defeated them both games.

He is a tall, wiry, angular type of athlete who has not allowed himself to grow obese during his coaching regime. As you will see from his record, he is not the mere accidental type of coach, but his work has been founded upon experience and study. I am very sure



that if you are successful in obtaining Mr. Uhrlaub's services you will be highly pleased with him as a teacher, coach, and fine example to young men.

I have a number of young men coming on who have not had the experience of Mr. Uhrlaub. The men that I have now out in the field who are capable coaches and teachers include John Burn, former coach of Stanford University's great teams, who is now Dean of Men at Stanford; Arthur "Dutch" Lomborg, Northwestern University varsity basketball coach who was captain of my 1920 team; Adolph Rupp, coach of the University of Kentucky teams, who graduated in 1923; "Frosty" Cox, captain of my 1929 team, who is now head coach at the University of Colorado; Louis Menze, head coach of Iowa State College, who graduated from Central Missouri State Teachers College at Warrensburg when I coached there; Ray Parkins, head coach at Edison High at Minneapolis, who was a teammate of Menze's; and a number of coaches such as Andrew McDonald, coach of Springfield Teachers College, and so forth. I do not believe that Parkins or McDonald or those fellows would be interested in your position, but I do feel that you might profitably contact Mr. Uhrlaub.

Very sincerely yours,

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Director of Physical Education and Recreation,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.



Mr. Uhrlaub received his A. B. degree at the University of Kansas in 1921, and his Master's degree this June. He has had long experience as an athletic coach and teacher of physical education and intramurals. He is very clean, capable and resourceful. He is a fine example to young men, and in addition to being very sympathetic, he is an extremely hard worker.

His is not of the mere accidental type of teacher and coach, but is founded upon experience and study.

Mr. Uhrlaub was captain of my varsity basketball team at Kansas in 1921. In addition to that, he played three years on the varsity baseball team, serving as pitcher. He made an outstanding success, both in basketball and baseball. When he returned to the University last fall to work on his Master's degree he served as my freshman basketball coach and assisted me in varsity basketball. This spring he has coached the varsity tennis team. You can rest assured that if there had been any impediments to Mr. Uhrlaub as a teacher and example to young men I would not have entrusted him with my freshmen men.

I am very happy to recommend Ernst Uhrlaub.

Dir. Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.  
University of Kansas  
Lawrence, Kansas.



June 3, 1940.

Mr. L. A. White,  
Superintendent of Schools,  
Minot, North Dakota.

Dear Superintendent White:

I understand from Mr. Ernst Uhrlaub, a graduate of the University of Kansas, that he has applied for a position in your school.

Mr. Uhrlaub received his A. B. degree at the University of Kansas in 1921. He was captain of my varsity Basketball team that year. In addition to that, he played three years on the varsity baseball team, serving as pitcher. He made an outstanding success both in basketball and baseball.

He returned last fall to take his master's degree in Education. While doing this work he served as my freshman basketball coach and assisted me in varsity basketball. This spring he has coached the varsity tennis team.

Mr. Uhrlaub is very clean in his habits, not using narcotics nor alcoholics in any form. He is an excellent man to deal with young people. His is not of the mere accidental type, but is founded upon experience and study. I am very glad to recommend him to you without reservation, and I am very sure that if you are successful in obtaining his services you will be highly pleased with him from the angle of teacher, adviser, and an example to young men.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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June 3, 1940.

Mr. J. Cloyd Miller,  
Superintendent of Schools,  
Denning, New Mexico.

Dear Superintendent Miller:

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Director of Physical Education and Recreation,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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June 10, 1940.

President H. A. Kelsey,  
Sterling College,  
Sterling, Kansas.

Dear President Kelsey:

I am very glad to recommend Mr. Ernst Uhrlaub, of Lawrence, Kansas, as a very superior and intellectual student and a splendid teacher.

Mr. Uhrlaub has had long experience as an athletic coach and teacher of physical education and intramurals. He is very clean, capable and resourceful. He served as my freshman basketball coach this winter during the time he was working for his Master's degree in physical education, and he did a splendid job. He is a fine example to young men, and in addition to being very sympathetic he is an extremely hard worker.

I have known Mr. Uhrlaub for a good many years and have never seen him set a bad example to any young men. On the other hand, his clean personable qualifications with young men are forcibly emphasized. You can rest assured that if there had been any impediments to Mr. Uhrlaub as a teacher and example as well as his pedagogical knowledge I would not have entrusted him with my freshman men.

I am happy to recommend him to you, and if you should obtain him I am sure that you would be exceptionally well pleased with the quality of his work and the example that he sets.

Very cordially yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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*Sterling College*

HUGH A. KELSEY, PRESIDENT  
STERLING, KANSAS

June 7, 1940

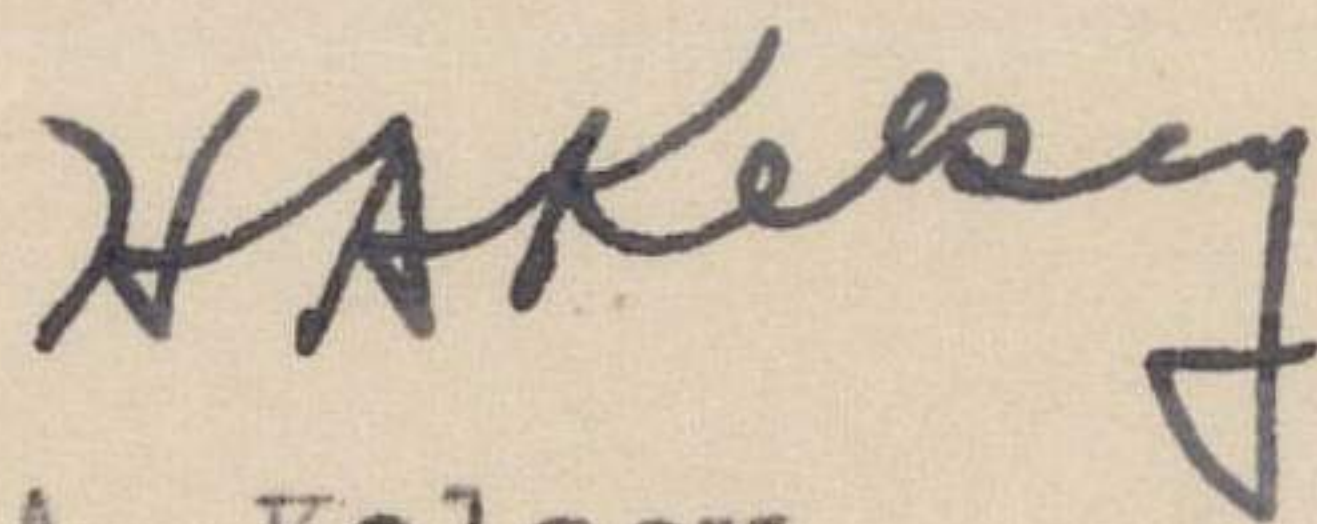
Dr. Forrest C. Allen,  
Kansas University,  
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Dr. Allen:

I have a letter from Mr. Ernst A. Uhrlaub of Lawrence, Kansas, in which he is applying for the position of physical education director in Sterling College, and he has given me your name as a reference.

Since he seems to have had considerable preparation and experience I wish you would tell me frankly what you think of his character and the inspiration or lack of it he would be to young men. We are quite particular about that in Sterling, and I would appreciate a frank letter.

Very sincerely,



H. A. Kelsey

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July 11, 1940.

Personnel Director,  
Army Corps of Civil Aeronautics Authority,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I desire to recommend to you Mr. Vincent Graves, who is making application for admission to the C.A.A. training.

Mr. Graves has been here in school at the University of Kansas for three years, and expects to graduate next summer. He has worked his way through, played end on the varsity football team and is a quarter-miler on the track team. He is a splendid athlete and a fine looking young man. He has a splendid personality, is very dependable, and does not dissipate in any way.

I am happy to recommend him very highly for your serious consideration.

Very sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.



July 12, 1940.

Mr. Frank Radmaker,  
Onalaska High School,  
Onalaska, Washington.

Dear Mr. Radmaker:

Your letter of July 8th announcing an emergency vacancy in your high school has come to my attention.

I am very happy to recommend to you Mr. Ernst Uhrlaub, of Lawrence, who has just received his Master's degree in physical education. Mr. Uhrlaub was captain of my varsity basketball team in 1921, the year that he received his A. B. degree from the University of Kansas.

Mr. Uhrlaub did basketball and track coaching first at Arkansas City High School, and then at the Salina, Kansas, high school. He has had a long background in high school sports, and this year while he was taking his Master's degree he was my freshman basketball coach at the University, and he also assisted me with the varsity team.

He is a very clean individual. He does not use narcotics or alcoholics in any form. He is an especially safe and valuable young man to deal with young people. He is an exceptional golfer and a fine tennis player. He was an outstanding pitcher on the varsity baseball team during his undergraduate days. Mr. Uhrlaub is a tall, wiry, angular type of athlete who has not allowed himself to grow obese during his teaching and coaching regime. I am very sure that if you are successful in obtaining Mr. Uhrlaub's services you will be highly pleased with him as a teacher, coach, and fine example to young men.

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Director of Physical Education and Recreation,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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This high school has over 200 enrolled and is located in South-Western  
Washington, half way between Seattle, Washington and Portland, Oregon.



Onalaska High School

Onalaska, Washington

Vacancy Notices for September, 1940

POSITION: *Man. Arts*  
~~Science, Mathematics, and Boys' Physical Education~~  
*either Man. Arts or Phys. Educ.*

1. Applicant must have a major in ~~science~~ and teach ~~Chemistry, Physics, Biology, General Science, and perhaps Plane Geometry.~~
2. Candidate must be a capable athlete and know football, basketball, and track in order to help coach same efficiently.
3. ~~An applicant that can play some orchestral instrument (not piano) preferred.~~
4. Candidate must be a clean leader of high school boys. We positive-ly do not want anyone that uses liquor or tobacco.
5. Please do not recommend any questionable candidate.
6. Applicant must have a minimum of 45 quarter hours of post-graduate credits beyond a B. A. degree (not Teachers' College graduate credits) in order to qualify for a Washington Teacher's Certificate.
7. Salary: \$175.00 to \$185 per month for nine months of 180 actual teaching days.



ONALASKA  
UNION HIGH SCHOOL

DISTRICT No. 1, LEWIS COUNTY

ONALASKA, WASHINGTON

July 8, 1940.

University of Kansas,  
% Coaching School,  
Lawrence, Kans.

Dear Sirs:

We have an emergency vacancy  
arise as per enclosed bulletin.

Thanking you for whatever favor you  
may extend to me, I am

Yours sincerely,  
Frank Radmaker.



July 17, 1940.

Miss Graves received her training in Physical Education in our department at the University of Kansas, and graduated with a B. S. degree in Education this past June. Miss Graves is a very cooperative and willing worker, and will do especially fine teaching with younger children. She has a fine knowledge of her subject and possesses qualities above average in leadership and dependability.

Dir. of Physical Education & Recreation,  
Varsity Basketball Coach,  
University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas.



July 19, 1940

Mr. J. Craig Ruby  
Personnel Department  
Hall Brothers, Inc.  
Kansas City, Missouri

Dear Craig:

I have your inquiry regarding William Saunders Hall, 5134 Hall, Mission, Kansas. I notice that you direct this to the Dean of Men. Dean Werner called my office the other day and failing to find me inquired of my secretary concerning the ability of William Hall. My secretary told Dean Werner that I was well acquainted with him so he sent your inquiry to me.

I might tell you that William Hall majored in our Physical Education Department and did creditable work indeed. He is an excellent young man. He is clean, personable and very persevering. He has no bad habits that I know of; he uses neither narcotics nor alcohol. I would recommend him without reservation or evasion.

I have checked the application blank on salesmanship because he has an engaging personality and he is quite cultured and I believe is challenging to the point that he would get the job done yet he would be able to create a desire in the mind of the individual for the particular thing that he was endeavoring to sell. I believe he has enough personality to get the buyer on the dotted line. I am very fond of Hall and have great confidence in him and believe he will make you an excellent man.

Hall was very active in student affairs and all forms of intramural athletics. He was a leader on the Hill here at the University of Kansas. If you desire further information concerning William Hall I will be very happy to give it to you.

Very cordially yours,

FCA:lg

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.



July 23, 1940.

Mr. G. I. Myers, Superintendent,  
Pilot Employment and Training,  
United Air Lines,  
Municipal Airport,  
Oakland, California.

Dear Mr. Myers:

I have known Robert E. Laub, who is a graduate of the Engineering School of the University of Kansas, for some ten years. I knew him when he was a student at Northeast High School in Kansas City, Missouri.

Later, when he attended the University, he participated in football and basketball on the varsity teams.

Laub is an excellent student, has an exemplary character, and his background has been such that he has always had to struggle for all that he obtained. He worked his way through the University of Kansas by dint of sheer courage and stick-to-it-iveness with much ability. When in college he did not use alcoholics nor narcotics, and I presume that he is still a very clean liver.

He is a very fine young man and I recommend him without reservation.

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.



# United Air Lines

TRANSPORT CORPORATION



Municipal Airport  
Oakland, California

RE: ROBERT E. LAUB

DR. F. C. ALLEN  
Kansas University  
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Sir:

Your name has been given as a reference by the above named person, who has applied to us for a position as COPILOT.

We would appreciate very much receiving your impressions of the character and background of this man, together with any particular qualifications which you believe should fit him for this position.

We assure you that any information you may be able to furnish will be held in strict confidence.

Very truly yours

UNITED AIR LINES TRANSPORT CORP.

*G. I. Myers*  
G. I. MYERS

Supt., Pilot Employment & Training

(Please use space below for your reply)





July 30, 1940

Raymond Swanson

No

X  
X  
X

X

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X

X

No

Mr. Swanson received his Master's Degree with a major in Physical Education a year ago. He is a fine, clean, serious young man, and has done an excellent job of teaching this past year. I am glad to recommend him most highly.

Director of Physical Education & Recreation  
Varsity Basketball Coach

Department of Physical Education, University of Kansas



# TEACHERS EXCHANGE

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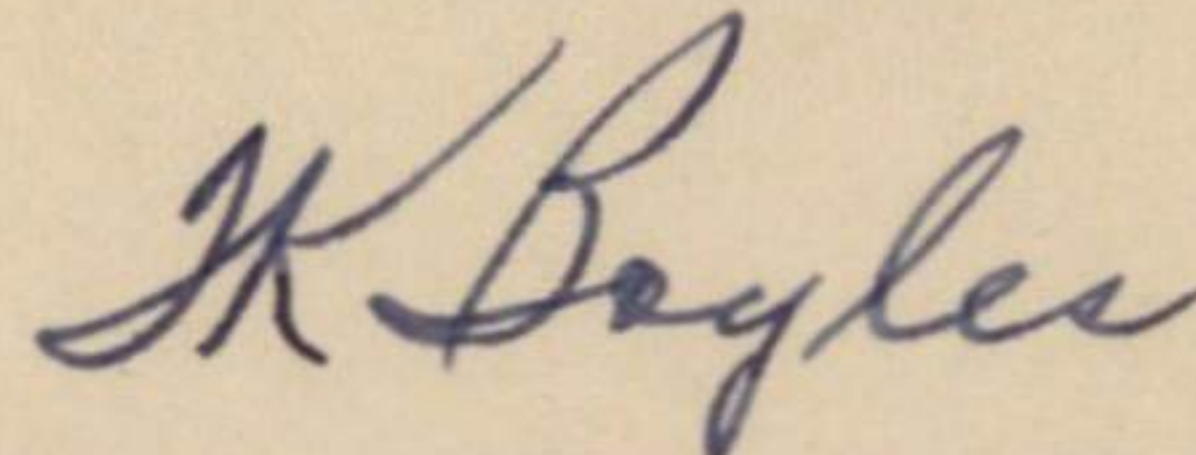
July 25, 1940

Mr. Forrest C. Allen  
Kansas University  
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Mr. Allen:

Mr. Raymond Swanson gave me your name as a reference. I will appreciate your giving me a statement, using the enclosed form.

Yours very truly,



TEACHERS' EXCHANGE

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Enc.



July 30, 1940

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University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas  
Dir. of Physical Education & Recreation

Varsity Basketball Coach



August 3, 1940.

Superintendent E. B. Watson,  
Lakeside Vineland High School,  
R. R. #1,  
Pueblo, Colorado.

Dear Superintendent Watson:

I have been asked by Howard Trabant to write you concerning his ability as basketball coach and teacher of history.

Howard's minor was social science and biological science, while his major was Physical Education. I have known Howard for several years and have always found him to be a most upright and honorable young man. He knows the value of an education because he worked at night as a baker's helper and pursued his University course during the day.

I have had him for several courses and found him a purposeful young man. He was enrolled in my course in basketball coaching and also in the theory and practice of athletic training, which is the treatment of athletic injuries, first aid, and so forth.

Doubtless you have received recommendations from the Teacher Placement Bureau of the University of Kansas. They, of course, will be able to give you more definite information on his practice teaching and other methods courses here at the University.

Trusting that you will give Mr. Trabant your very careful consideration, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH

cc: Howard Trabant



August 5, 1940.

Miss Henrietta Froehlke, R.N.,  
Director, Department of Nursing,  
University of Kansas Hospitals,  
Kansas City, Kansas.

Dear Miss Froehlke:

I am very happy to recommend Mr. James Hight to you as a young man who is very capable and dependable. I have known Mr. Hight for several years and have always found him to be most courteous, considerate and efficient with all the dealings that I have had with him. He not only is honest and industrious, but he is aggressive when it comes to doing the job.

I am very sure that you will be well pleased with him, and I am glad to recommend him to you without reservation.

Very sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.



THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS HOSPITALS

KANSAS CITY, KANSAS

OFFICE OF THE  
DEPARTMENT OF NURSING

August 1, 1940

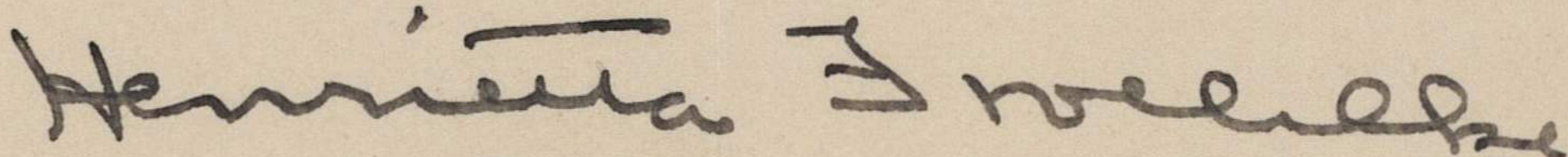
Dr. Forest C. Allen  
Department of Physical Education  
The University of Kansas  
Lawrence, Kansas

My dear Dr. Allen:

Mr. James Hight has applied for a position as an orderly in this hospital and tells me that you are acquainted with him. Would you be kind enough to tell me whether this young man is honest and industrious, and whether you think he can perform the work of an orderly with credit?

Any information that you might be able to give me about Mr. Hight will be appreciated and kept in confidence.

Very sincerely yours,



Henrietta Froehlke, R.N.  
Director

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August 6, 1940.

Mr. Alvin C. Burich, Chairman,  
Committee on Advanced Graduate Degrees,  
School of Education,  
Stanford University,  
California.

Dear Mr. Burich:

This will acknowledge receipt of your favor  
of August 2nd concerning Mr. Edward Burton DeGroot, Jr.

It is a pleasure for me to inform you that  
we have been especially pleased with Mr. DeGroot's tenure  
in our Department of Physical Education, which is a part  
of the School of Education. Burt DeGroot has made a de-  
finite place for himself here on the faculty of the Uni-  
versity of Kansas. His professional bearing, his rare  
judgment, and his fine attitude have impressed all who  
have come in contact with him.

He not only teaches his subject, but he  
teaches his students. He has exceptional energy and a  
fine versatility. He is a fine, clean personality, and  
his leadership is felt by all with whom he works. He has  
established himself and his wife in a place here at the  
University as well as the community in which they live.  
His fine physique, his clear power of reasoning and his  
emotional stability are impressive.

Mr. DeGroot was recommended to us by Mr. John  
Bunn. We told Mr. Bunn what we desired in a man, and Mr.  
DeGroot has exceeded even Mr. Bunn's fine statements con-  
cerning him. In our opinion, Mr. DeGroot is a very worthy  
candidate for a doctoral and he is destined to make a  
place for himself in administrative education. I am happy  
to recommend him without reservation.

Very cordially yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation  
Varsity Basketball Coach



# STANFORD UNIVERSITY

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, CALIFORNIA

August 2, 1940

Dr. Forrest C. Allen  
801 Louisiana Street  
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dr. Allen:

Mr. Edward Burton DeGroot, Jr. is an advanced graduate student in the School of Education at Stanford University and is a candidate for the degree of Doctor of Education.

In connection with his program, we would like to have information concerning his professional work. You have had an opportunity to observe him, and any information you can give which will aid in defining his strong qualities and his weak qualities will help us in our work with him. We would appreciate a frank statement from you giving your judgment concerning his present qualifications and his promise for development. In this statement, please give attention to such items as the extent of his leadership in the school and community, his creativeness in the development of an educational program, his seriousness of purpose, his intellectual power and emotional stability, and any other items which you would consider important in our attempt to serve his needs. Most of all, at this point in his program, we are concerned with his promise as a doctoral candidate and with the contribution he is likely to make to education after he has attained the doctor's degree. Any insights you can give us concerning his potentialities in these directions will be most helpful.

All of this information will, of course, be held as strictly confidential.

We shall appreciate your early attention to this request in order that we may have your reply before the next meeting of the committee.

Sincerely yours,

*Alvin C. Eurich*  
Alvin C. Eurich, Chairman  
Committee on Advanced Graduate  
Degrees



August 6, 1940

Mr. G. S. Landrith  
1007 Massachusetts  
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Mr. Landrith:

Mr. Bill Wade of Rexford, Kansas, a freshman at the University in 1938-39, is desirous of obtaining work so that he may pursue his studies at the University of Kansas.

I have known Bill Wade for three years and have always found him a clean, capable and efficient young man. He is interested in obtaining a University education and is willing to work hard to secure it. I had Bill on my freshman basketball team during the regular year and also during the time of spring practice when we worked several times a week for three weeks.

Bill does not dissipate and is tremendously interested in making a varsity letter, but more than that he is interested in securing a diploma from this institution. Bill is a hard worker and has a personality that is helpful to an employer.

If you could see fit to give Bill a trial, I am very sure that you will be well pleased with his personality, his efforts and his attitude. I will recommend him without reservation.

Very cordially yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation  
Varsity Basketball Coach

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