

athletics have assumed. Most colleges have a separate athletic department to administer athletic activities.

Elmore-- Then all of the intramural sports are not in the athletic department, are they?

Allen-- No, they are in the department of physical education. The competitive sports, represented by varsity teams, that the university sponsors and those under the control of the director of athletics are football, track, baseball, basketball, tennis, golf, wrestling, and swimming. The department of physical education sponsors play activities for both men and women and the intramural sports are much more numerous than are the varsity sports, and they are indulged in by many hundreds more people than are the competitive varsity athletics.

Anderson-- And then the state subsidizes the department of physical education, while competitive athletics are dependent upon the gate receipts, are they not?

Dunkel-- Yes. I understand the stadium cost \$660,000 and that the athletic association has a remaining debt of \$150,000. Is it true that there is not a penny of the taxpayers money in that large stadium?

Miller-- Yes, while we call it the Athletic Board, the University of Kansas Physical Education Corporation really built that stadium. You know, the state will not assume any indebtedness for any athletic association of any state school.

Elmore-- I imagine, Dr. Allen, that in this new department of Physical Education you expect to give a good deal of attention to the matter of training people in the field of recreation. It is true, is it not, that the two things - recreation and physical education - are not the same?

Allen-- You are right, Mr. Elmore. Some of the training in each will carry over in the other field, but by and large there are differences. My guess is that there is going to be more of a demand for people who can administer both physical education and recreation in the next 25 years than there will be for teachers of straight physical education. The average physical education course trains people to handle groups of children or adults, as the case may be, but usually on schedule and under some sort of disciplinary control. Recreation is different. You must enlist your people in recreation through interest appeal, and therefore it seems to me that the difference in training is essential.

Dunkel-- Well, Dr. Allen, I have heard a great deal about a master's degree in physical education for this department. Are you contemplating such a move?

Allen-- Yes, indeed. By next year we will have two teachers in the department with Ph.D. degrees, and 5 teachers in the department of physical education with master's degrees. There are many of our high school teachers going to nearby state institutions, like Iowa, Minnesota, and Ohio State to get graduate work in physical education. Of course, the outstanding schools are New York University and Columbia, where they give the master's degree and the Ph.D. degree in physical education. But we are very hopeful of installing a graduate course in physical education in the very near future. We are working with the authorities of the University toward that end.