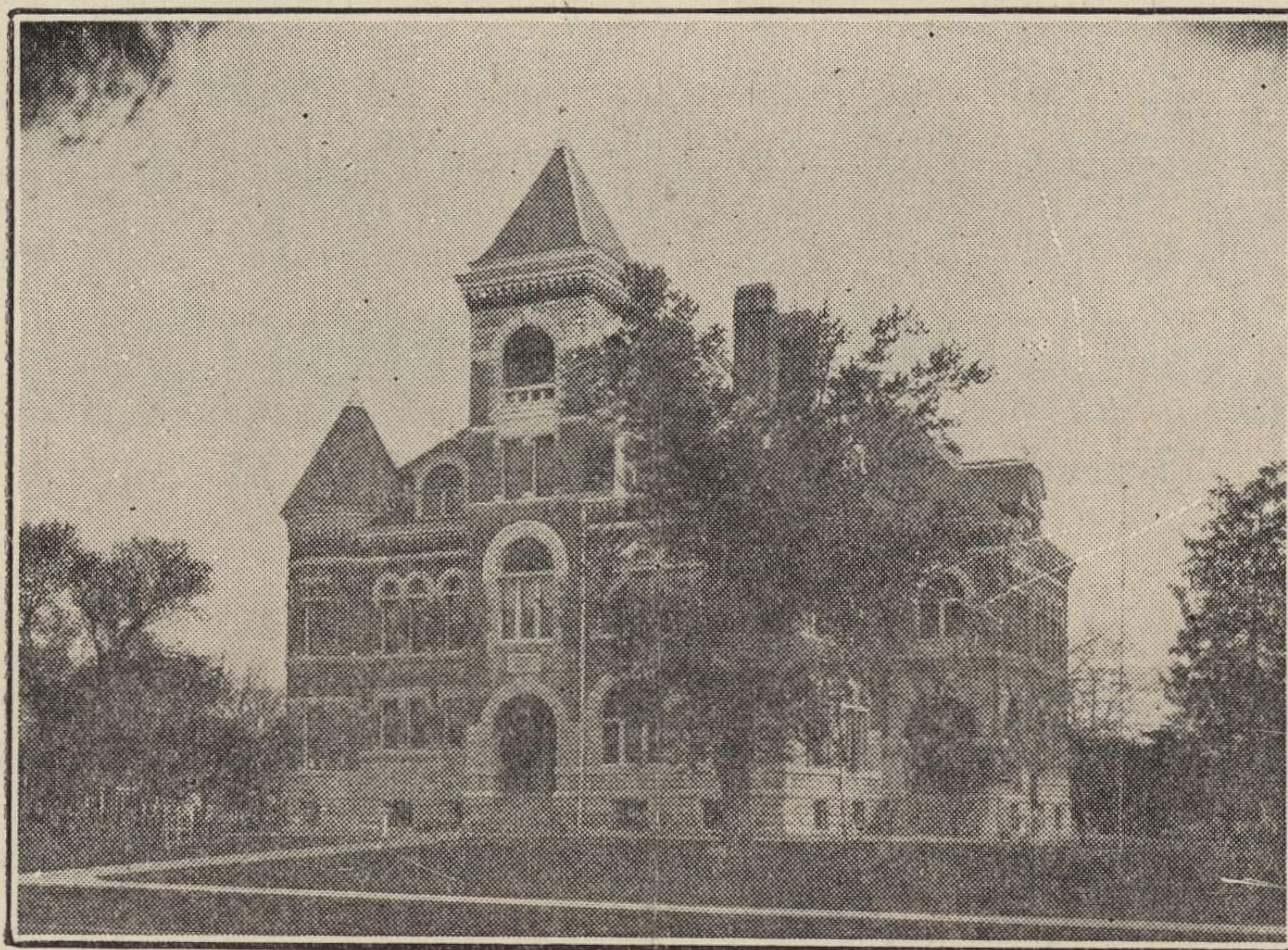


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**BACCALAUREATE
AND
COMMENCEMENT
PROGRAMS**



SENECA PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL

Class of 1940

Baccalaureate

Sunday, May 12, 1940—8:00 P. M.

SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

Prelude, "Prelude in C Sharp Minor"	Rachmaninof
Processional, "Allia Marcia"	Rogers
Jack Sparling	
Invocation	Rev. J. Joyce Wilson
Song, "Lift Thine Eyes"	Felix Mendelssohn
Junior Girls' Sextet	
Scripture Reading	Rev. J. Joyce Wilson
Sermon, "Eyes That See"	Rev. Charles A. Richard
Song, "Send Forth Thy Light"	Balakirew
Junior Girls' Sextet	
Benediction	Rev. Charles A. Richard

Commencement

Thursday, May 16, 1940—8:00 P. M.

SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

Processional, "Deux Polonaises"	Chopin
Jack Sparling	
Invocation	Rev. J. Joyce Wilson
Salutatory	Loretta Reist
Song, "I Love a Little Cottage"	Geoffrey O'Hara
Junior Girls' Sextet	
Valedictory	Dale Lamping
Address, "Thou Shalt Not"	Dr. F. C. Allen, Kansas University
Song, "Spring Rain"	Gould
Junior Girls' Sextet	
Presentation of Class	Supt. J. E. Bowers
Presentation of Diplomas	C. E. Rising
Chairman Board of Education	
Benediction	Rev. J. Joyce Wilson

The Graduates of 1940

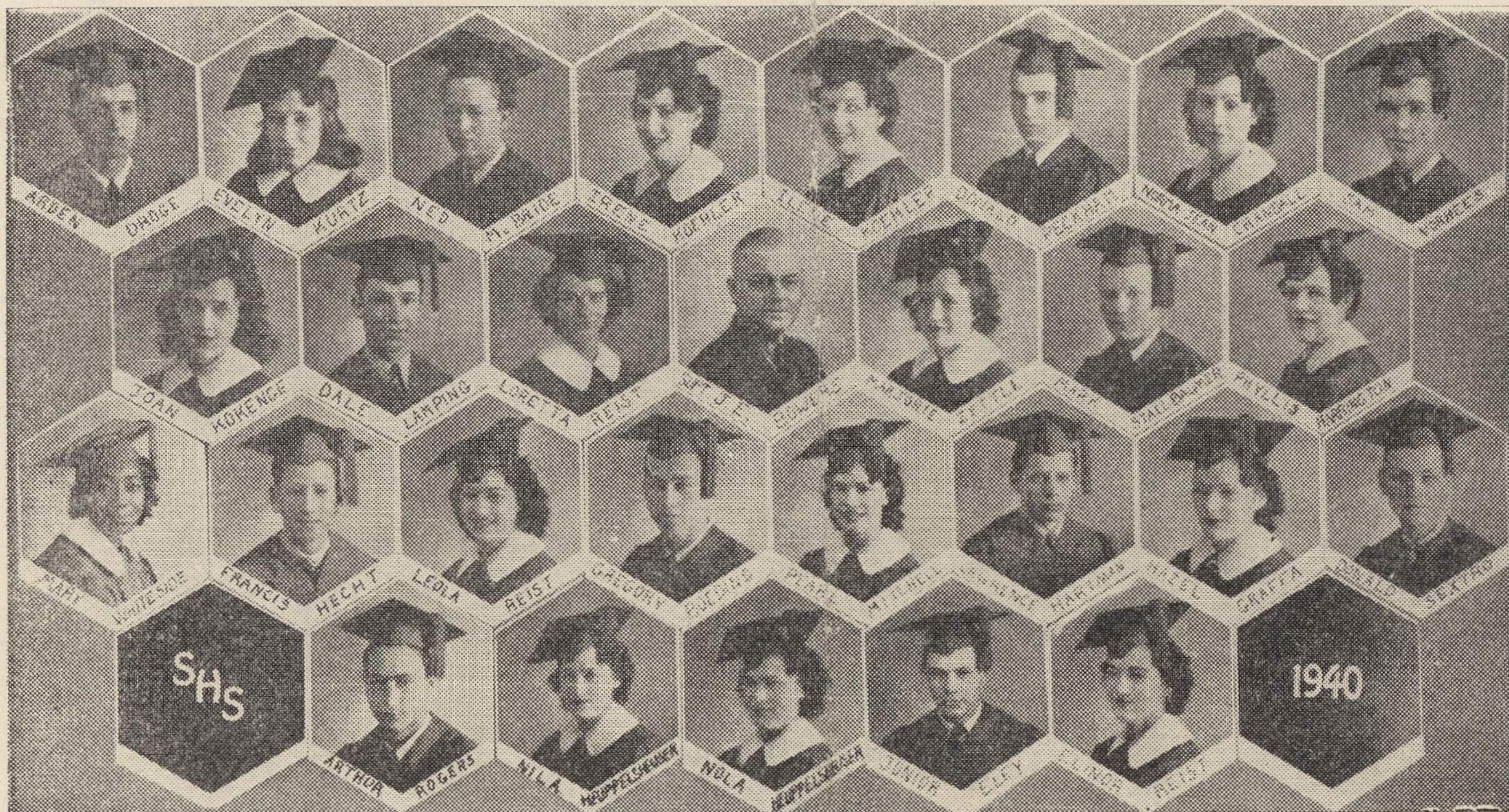


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Top row, left to right: Arden Droge, Evelyn Kurtz, Ned McBride, Irene Koehler, Ilene Koehler, Donald Peckham, Norma Jean Crandall, Sam Vorhees.

Second row, left to right: Joan Kokenge, Dale Lamping, Loretta Reist, Supt. J. E. Bowers, Marjorie Zettle, Mark Stallbaumer, Phyllis Harrington.

Third row, left to right: Mary Whiteside, Francis Hecht, Leola Reist, Gregory Boeding, Pearl Mitchell, Lawrence Hartman, Hazel Graffa, Donald Sextro.

Fourth row, left to right: Arthur Rogers, Nila Heuppelsheuser, Nola Heuppelsheuser, Junior Eley, Elinor Reist.

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SENECA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

J. E. BOWERS, SUPERINTENDENT

SENECA, KANSAS

April 23, 1940.

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

Dear Dr. Allen:

I am sending you some of the things that you may want to know about the class. Class Motto: Finished Yet Beginning; there are twenty seven in the class, ~~twelve~~ boys and fifteen girls. The Commencement will be Thursday May 16, at eight o'clock at the grade school auditorium. We would like to have your address to be about thirty minutes long. I am returning your cut which was sent to me sometime ago.

Looking forward to see you at our commencement and assuring you it is our pleasure to have you here I am,

Yours very truly,


J.E. Bowers.



THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS

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

Seneca, Kansas.

May 1, 1940.

Dear Dr. Allen:

Would you please send me the name of your address that you will give at our Commencement Exercises on May 16, 1940?

I need this for my programs.

Yours very truly,

J. E. Bowers
J. E. Bowers.

May 2, 1940.

Mr. J. E. Bowers,
Seneca High School,
Seneca, Kansas.

Dear Mr. Bowers:

I am looking forward to being with you on the
16th for your high school commencement, and shall
speak on the subject, "Thou Shalt Not".

Very sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

May 9, 1940.

Mr. John Slocum,
1526 Flass Avenue,
Topeka, Kansas.

Dear John:

Dr. Allen is planning to drive to Seneca together with
Gwinn Henry, Vic Hurt, Harry Lansing and Earl Falkenstien.
He says that they can plan to arrive early, if you desire,
and if you do plan to have a K. U. gathering it might be a
nice thing to have all these coaches present.

They will not plan to stay over night in Seneca, as they
want to be on their way to Lincoln after the commencement
exercises.

If you would like to ride up with the group there will
be room for you, and they will be happy to have you. Of
course, you probably would want to return at your leisure.

Dr. Allen suggested that he might call you tomorrow
morning if there should be any new developments in his
plans.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary to Dr. F. C. Allen.

Lawrence, Kansas
March 29, 1940

Mr. J. E. Bowers,
Superintendent of Schools,
Seneca, Kansas.

Dear Superintendent Bowers:

I am asking our publicity man, Mr. Horace
Mason, to send you mats for use in your newspaper.

I shall be glad to receive the information
that you will send me about your program.

Assuring you it will be a pleasure to be with
you on May 16th, I am

Sincerely yours,

Manager, N.C.A.A. Basketball Tournament.
Coach, Kansas Basketball Team.

FCA:AH

SENECA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

J. E. BOWERS, SUPERINTENDENT

SENECA, KANSAS

March 28, 1940.

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

Dear Dr. Allen:

I am very much pleased to learn that you will be able to be here on May 16, 1940, to give our Commencement Address.

Do you have a cut or mat that you could send me that I might use for the paper. I will return it when I am through with it.

I will send you the Class Motto and some other information about the class in a few days that you may want for your address.

Yours very truly,

J. E. Bowers
J. E. Bowers.

*Harace
will handle
this.*

March 26, 1940.

Mr. J. E. Bowers,
Superintendent of Schools,
Seneca, Kansas.

Dear Superintendent Bowers:

Thank you for your very kind note of
March 24th. It will be a great pleasure
for me to speak to your graduating class
on the evening of May 16th.

Since the state does not provide travel
expenses on such trips, I find it necessary
to charge five cents a mile eachway. I
will drive my own car, and cannot drive it
for less than five cents a mile. Kindly
let me know if this arrangement is satis-
factory with you.

Awaiting your reply, and with best wishes,
I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH

Mr. Malott appreciated very much your sending this over for him to read, and also your covering letter. He assumed that you were sending it only for his information and that you did not want him to do anything at the moment.

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SENECA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

J. E. BOWERS, SUPERINTENDENT

SENECA, KANSAS

March 24, 1940.

OK

Dr. F. C. Allen,
Univ. of Kansas,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Mr. Allen:

I would like very much to have you give our Commencement Address here on May 16, 1940 at eight o'clock. We have twenty eight seniors in the class.

I would also like to know what terms you ask when you come to give addresses. I would like to hear from you by return mail.

Yours very truly,

J. E. Bowers
J. E. Bowers.

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Mr. Forreest C. Allen
Basketball Coach
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Sir:

Would you be interested in some new material?

We have an idea which we believe may prove beneficial to both of us. It has nothing to do with the Queen of the May, but starting on May 1, News-Press Sports Editor Gene Sullivan will run in his "Wise Owl" column, an illustrated series of articles on the best high school senior athletes in St. Joseph, northwest Missouri, northeast Kansas, southeast Nebraska, and southwest Iowa.

Here is a quick, convenient way to get an accurate line on many high school boys who are capable of starring on college and university football, basketball and track teams.

This "College Future Book" feature will be brief but informative. It will contain all of the information you could possibly desire.

The six months' subscription price of the News-Press is \$3.00.

Very sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Harold C. Hult".

Harold C. Hult
CIRCULATION MANAGER

P. S. Will you please have your sports publicity man put Sullivan's name on his mailing list?

April 27, 1940.

Mr. Wilmer Shaffer,
Russell, Kansas.

Dear "Bub":

I find that I won't get to Russell on Tuesday
much before time to go to the Chamber of Commerce
meeting, but I will expect to have a visit with you.

Cordially yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

April 29, 1940.

Mr. Don Shields,
Phillips Petroleum Co.,
Bartlesville, Okla.

Dear Don:

I am very happy to enclose a copy of Dr. Peete's letter to me in which he gives the prescription for restoration of cardiac reserve. This is the same as I have sent to Fred Pralle.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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April 29, 1940

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

Dear Fhog:

Enclosed is a clipping from New York Times--covering results of your relay meet. Also article on Cunningham. You no doubt have this and suggest you may wish to forward to Glen.

Best to you and yours,

Yours,

Roy

JC

May 7, 1940.

Mr. Edgar P. Schmidt,
Supervisor of Recreation, WPA,
Topeka, Kansas.

Dear Schmitty:

Some time ago you asked me to suggest a young woman to assist you in some of your recreational work over the state, and I in turn talked to Mrs. Josephine Sams, who is doing graduate work in our department. Mrs. Sams was in my office this morning and said that she had written you about the job, but she had never heard from you. I am wondering if you have filled the place. Would you kindly advise me or Mrs. Sams?

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

May 9, 1940.

Mr. Ray Smalling, Coach,
Ames Senior High School,
Ames, Iowa.

Dear Coach Smalling:

I am very glad to know that you are interested in Goal-Hi, and you have my permission to write anything you desire in your thesis.

I am enclosing a copy of the Goal-Hi rule book, which sells for \$1.00 as a part of the Goal-Hi equipment. If you care to send me 25¢ for the book I should appreciate it.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH
Enc.

AMES SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

VERNE M. YOUNG, PRINCIPAL

AMES, IOWA

May 7, 1940

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

Dear Mr. Allen:

Through the "Scholastic Coach" I have secured some information concerning your new game of Goal-Hi. I am doing a thesis on Leadup and new games in Physical Education and would like to carry a review of your new game explaining the rules of the game, equipment necessary, and approximate cost to schools.

I am working on my thesis at the University of Iowa and would appreciate the permission to discuss your game as a leadup game and as a new game. Any information you could give me would be appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

Ray Smalling

Ray Smalling
Assistant Coach & Intramural Dir.
Ames Senior High School

May 13, 1940.

Mr. R. J. Hendry,
Silverwood's,
6th and Broadway,
Los Angeles, Calif.

Dear Mr. Hendry:

Thank you very much for forwarding the sweater and samples which you sent for our inspection.

It may be that the budget committee will not approve this expenditure at this time. However, I thank you for sending them, and I will now know what to order when and if the budget committee approves this request. We have not had an athletic collateral such as this for our equipment on trips, but I am striving to have them include that expense in the budget.

I will be returning these to you in a few days. I want to thank you for your kindness, and assure you that we appreciate your promptness.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH



HOME OF HART SCHAFFNER & MARK CLOTHES



5522 WILSHIRE BLVD.
615 WEST SEVENTH ST.
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SIXTH AND BROADWAY

May 10 1940

University of Kansas
Lawrence Kansas

Attention
Mr F C Allen

Dear Mr Allen:

In further reference to our letter of April 24, we are today forwarding the sweater at \$6.25, including emblem, which we promised to send for your inspection. This may be had in all colors.

We trust this will reach you promptly, and that we may be privileged to serve you.

Cordially yours,

R J Hendry
Contract Department
R J Hendry

May 15, 1940.

Mr. Russell E. Sprong,
4128 Linden Avenue,
Long Beach, California.

Dear Russ:

I am very happy to fill out your credentials, as you desire.

Thank you very much for your kind words regarding our basketball team. We were very lucky and fortunate to get as far as we did.

Bob is a pre-medic and will be a senior next year. He expects to take his medicine at Harvard and desires to take a competitive examination for a scholarship there. We are able to send him, but he wants to see if he has the old gray matter, and of course when a fellow is pepped up like that the only thing to do is let him go through with it.

Give our love to the Myers family. We are very fond of them. Give Mel Griffin and Bert Smith our kindest regards. We think a lot of both of them. I am glad they are both getting along nicely.

With best wishes and kindest regards to you and your good family, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH

May 8, 1940,
4176 Linden Ave,
Long Beach, California.

My Dear Dr Allen,

We noted with pleasure that you had another great team at N.U. It hardly seems possible that the little Bob Allen I used to visit with is now a University player. They do grow up.

I am writing to ask you to verify the fact that I was on your staff for one year. The enclosed form is required. The dates were Sept. 10 1922 to June 8, 1923. Ten months for purposes of reckoning.

We see the Myers girls every now and then. I think they are all feeling better than for some time. When you come to California again we would like to see you if you are not too tired and hurried.

Mel Griffin and Bert Smith are with the Junior College here and

both have had a number of very
successful years -

With best wishes to you and
yours I am

Truly yours,

Russell E. Sprong.

May 11, 1940.

Mr. Lloyd Sands,
Box 703,
Hays, Kansas.

Dear Mr. Sands:

Yes, I was surprised and pleased to get your letter of May 9th. I can appreciate the deep misfortune suffered by you and your wife in the loss of your lovely son, Don. Jack came into the office a month ago and I told him that I had not written you and Mrs. Sands but was waiting until a time that I could express to you something more than mere words could say on a piece of paper.

You and Mrs. Sands know that we lost our oldest son, Forrest, Jr., in 1925, just when he was in the bloom of young manhood, as was Don. Mrs. Allen and I spoke of your irreparable loss and associated our loss with yours. Words are inadequate, but I do want you both to know how deeply we felt upon this occasion. When I saw you and Mrs. Sands at the ball game I wanted to say something, but it was no time or place, so I waited until a more appropriate time.

I talked to Jack, but he still has not lived long enough to get the full import. Each day that he lives he will miss Don more and more for the companion that he was.

Now, regarding the matter about which you wrote. I will be glad to call Jack in and have a conference with him. I want to help him at every opportunity. Jack is a fine boy, but he has lapses at times that put him behind the eight-ball. You can count on my seeing him very early and you may rest assured that I will make no statement regarding the fact that you wrote me. I am very sure that we will be able to get him placed for next fall.

With all good wishes to you both, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH

Hays, Kansas
May, 9, 1940.

Dr. Forrest C. Allen,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Kind Friend;

No doubt you will be somewhat surprised to get this.

Since our misfortune in losing Don, my wife has been traveling with me and this leaves Jack entirely on his own. We were in Lawrence last weekend and he seems to be worrying a great deal, due to the fact that he has, as yet, been unable to make any connections for the next school term.

He has always been quite a boy for home environment and of course he misses Don a lot. Altogether it is pretty hard on him and he is so anxious to get located before next fall.

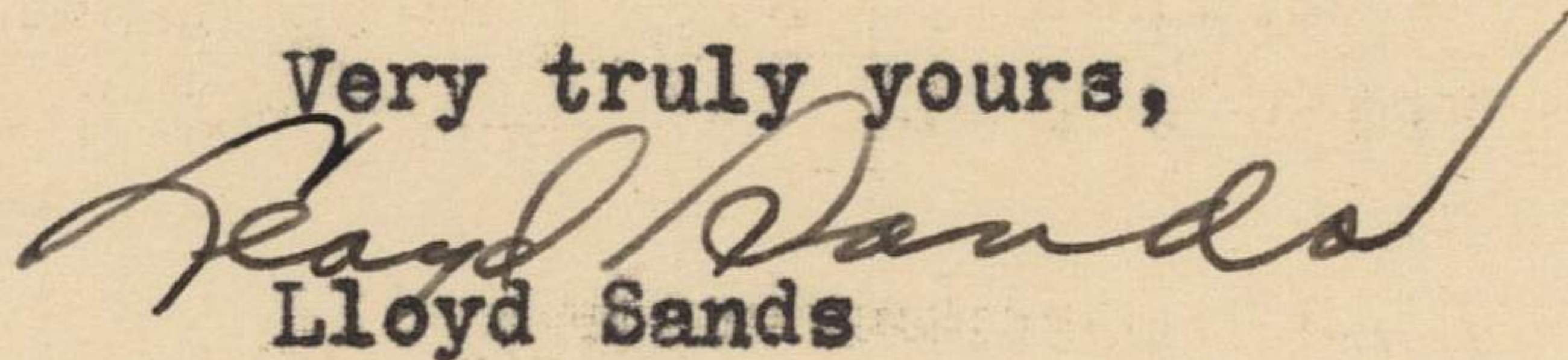
I have wondered if you could find time to talk to him sometime, as I know it would help him a lot and I will certainly appreciate it. He has a world of confidence in you and if you could assist in getting him placed for next term he will be very grateful.

I trust this is not asking too much, altho I know you are awfully busy at this time.

Perhaps it will be just as well if you don't tell Jack I wrote to you.

Thanking you in advance for any help you can offer and also for past courtesies I beg to remain, with kindest personal regards,

Very truly yours,



Lloyd Sands

Box 703

Hays, Kansas

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS
SCHOOL OF BUSINESS
LAWRENCE

FRANK T. STOCKTON
DEAN

May 15, 1940

Mr. Forrest C. Allen
Department of Physical Education
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Phog:

Thank you for sending me the outline of your staff activities. I am glad to have such a complete record. It certainly looks as if all of you had been more than busy during the past year.

Cordially yours,

Frank T. Stockton

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May 16, 1940

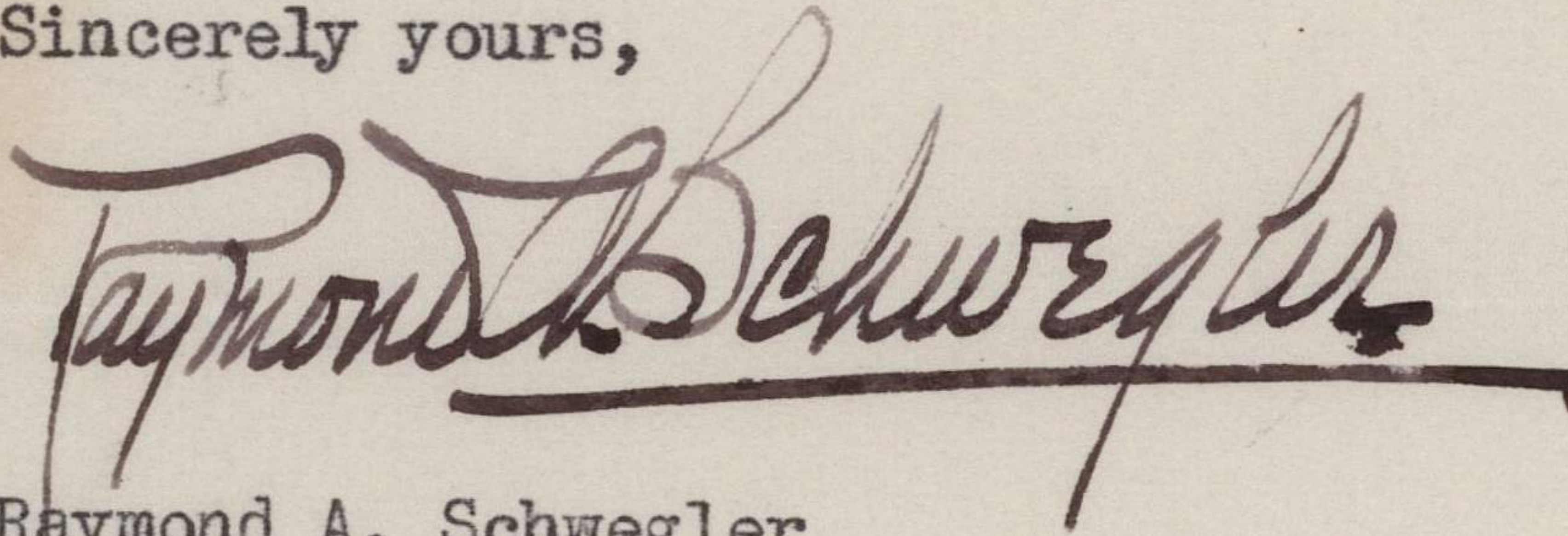
Dr. Forrest C. Allen
105 Robinson Gymnasium
The University of Kansas

My dear Dr. Allen:

Thanks for sending me a copy of the material sent
to Dean Stockton concerning the activities of physical
education faculty members.

Watch your step and keep the glucophyllin handy.

Sincerely yours,



Raymond A. Schwegler
Dean

MR:RW

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