

The following boys attended the third annual basket ball
"get together" at the University of Kansas on April 19th. 1941

NAME	TOWN
1. ✓ Jim Nebergall	Newton, Kansas
2. ✓ Don Toevs	Newton, Kansas
3. ✓ Floyd McHenry	Kansas City, Mo. (Central)
4. ✓ Stanley Mollhagen	Lorraine, Kansas
5. ✓ Mike Vargon	Kansas City, Kansas (Wyandotte)
6. ✓ Kenny Thompson	Kansas City, Kansas (Wyandotte)
7. ✓ Bill Walker	Hutchinson, Kansas
8. ✓ Ransom Bennett, Jr.	Ottawa, Kansas
> 9. Bob Dalton	Wichita, Kansas
10. Junius Penney	Lawrence, Kansas
11. ✓ Hoyt Baker	Peabody, Kansas
12. ✓ Bill Mowery	Salina, Kansas
13. ✓ Bill Forsyth	Medicine Lodge, Kansas
14. ✓ Curtis Hinshaw	Lawrence, Kansas
15. John Arnold	Baldwin, Kansas (Baker University)
16. ✓ Bob Otis	Herrington, Kansas
17. ✓ Hugh Haire	Herrington, Kansas
18. ✓ Kenny Vaughn	Herrington, Kansas
19. ✓ Guy Mitchell	Hutchinson, Kansas
20. ✓ Kenny Grass	Herrington, Kansas
21. ✓ Everett Bybee	Uniontown, Kansas
22. ✓ Gerald Bramon	Uniontown, Kansas
23. ✓ Jimmy Irick	Paola, Kansas
24. ✓ Walt Quising	Hutchinson, Kansas
25. ✓ R. H. Spencer	Russell, Kansas
26. ✓ Donaldean Maison	Lyons, Kansas
27. ✓ Charley Davis	Shawnee, Mission, Kansas

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| 28. ✓ Bob Carder | Welda, Kansas |
| ✓ 29. Bud MacLean | Shawnee Mission, Kansas |
| ✓ 30. Clarence Garner | Shawnee Mission, Kansas |
| ✓ 31. K. Oliver | Mulvane, Kansas |
| ✓ 32. Alton Wylie | Seneca, Kansas |
| ✓ 33. Lawrence Stream | Rosedale, Kansas |
| 34. ✓ Schnellbacher, Otto | Sublette, Kansas |
| 35. ✓ Harold McSpadden | Eldorado, Kansas |
| 36. ✓ Kenny Johnson | Topeka, Kansas |
| 37. ✓ Bill Palmer | Topeka, Kansas |
| 38. ✓ Paul Walker | Wichita, Kansas - East High School |
| 39. ✓ Albert Carson | Wichita, Kansas - North High School |
| ✓ 40. F. Harmon | Eureka, Kansas |
| 41. Jack Dean | Harveyville, Kansas |
| 42. ✓ John Short | Salina, Kansas |
| ✓ 43. Ned Cushing | Downs, Kansas |
| ✓ 44. Jim Costello | Westport Kansas City, Mo. |
| ✓ 45. Horace Higgins | Coffeyville Jr. College |
| ✓ 46. Bill Erickson | Leavenworth, Kans. |

From the desk of—
DR. F. C. ALLEN

Here is the
information you
desired from Gordon-

So sorry I did
not receive your
letter from Missouri,
Sat. morning.

Ruth

Guy Mitchell was here,
but not Roy.

Bill McCloud was here.

SWEET HOTELS

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A "SWEET" HOTEL

COLUMBIA, MO.

May, 9, 41.

Dear Ruth -

I have an appointment
with Mike Luber, correspondent
of the K.C. Star, Sun, P.M. at home.
He wants information
on my next year's basket ball
team - coming up.

Will you please leave
a list on my desk - for my
reference - of the list that
Gordon recommended for
trash. numerals - and ask
Gordon to help you with



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the list of Varsity men returning -
- who have been out for spring
practice. You may have to ask
Mrs. Webster to give you a
list of the Varsity men who
were on the squad this past
winter. Also ask Gard. to check
with Geo. Buescher and Dan
Blair re the new men who
checked out uniforms for
spring practice. Gard. asked
me the name of one chap
that I could not recall.
I would like the complete



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list. It is all in the office
and Miss G. has it some-
where but I was afraid that
you might not be able
to find it, therefore I chose
- this rather roundabout way
of doing it.

The check out list down in
the training room where the boys
sign slips for their equipment
will tell the whole story. I
will call at the office Mon. am.
to sign letters and get this list. I
will also call you at your home for
added information, if necessary. Thank you.
Sincerely,
John S. Sweet



April 15, 1941

Mr. Bob McKay
Pres., Men's Pan-Hellenic Council
1025 West Hills
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Bob:

On April 3 I sent you a list of high school senior basketball players who are coming to the University the morning of the Kansas Relays, April 19, and meet our Varsity and Freshmen Basketball Players.

I am herewith enclosing a supplement to that list and sincerely hope it will be possible for you to distribute these names to the various fraternities.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball and Baseball Coach

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P.S. Some of our Varsity Basketball men are members of fraternities and would be glad to assist you with this matter. Howard Englemann knows the situation, and I would suggest that you get in touch with him regarding the distribution of the names.

F. C. A.

April 3, 1941

Mr. Bob McKay
Pres., Men's Pan-Hellenic Council
1025 West Hills
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Bob:

For the morning of the Kansas Relays, April 19, we have invited seniors over the State of Kansas, who have been outstanding in basketball, to come and shoot some goals in Robinson Gymnasium with our Varsity and Freshmen players.

I am enclosing herewith a list of the boys who have written in saying they will be here on the morning of April 19. I would appreciate it if you would distribute this list of boys to the members of the different Fraternities so these high school boys will get a good rush from the various houses. We will supplement this list as other acceptances come in.

Our purpose is to give the high school boys a chance to become acquainted with our Varsity and Freshmen, and enables them to have a lot of pleasure with their favorite sport.

We would appreciate your cooperation in this matter.

With all good wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball and Baseball Coach

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It has been our custom the past few years to invite outstanding seniors who are proficient in basketball to come to the University on the morning of our Relays, April 19, about 10:00 o'clock, and work out with our Varsity and Freshmen Basketball players in Robinson Gymnasium. It is not necessary that you bring any athletic equipment. We will check out equipment to you, and you will have a lot of fun shooting goals and playing informally from 10:00 to 11:30.

Our Varsity Basketball players will be dressed and will put on a few drills, but nothing elaborate. You merely check out equipment and go with the boys on the floor and have a lot of fun shooting baskets, then take a shower, and you are ready ~~for a good meal at noon.~~ *then for an ~~early~~ start for the outstanding Kansas Relays.*

We will have a ticket ready for you for the Kansas Relays in the afternoon. Our purpose in having you here is to give you an opportunity to meet our Varsity players.

I trust that it will be possible for you to come. Please let me hear from you at your convenience.

If there is anything that I can do in the way of giving you information or rendering you any service that you should need, it will be a pleasure to have you call on me.

With all good wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball and Baseball Coach

March 21, 1941

Mr. Guy Mitchell
Hutchinson High School
Hutchinson, Kansas

Dear Guy:

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With all good wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,

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Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball and Baseball Coach

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April 15, 1941

Mr. Johnny Short
Salina High School
Salina, Kansas

Dear Johnny:

On the morning of April 19, at 10:00 o'clock, we are inviting the outstanding seniors of Kansas' high schools, who are proficient in basketball, to come to the University and work out with our Varsity and Freshmen Basketball players in Robinson Gymnasium.

We will check out equipment to you and you will have a lot of fun shooting goals and playing informally from 10:00 to 11:30. It is not necessary that you bring any athletic equipment. Our Varsity Basketball Players will be dressed and will put on a few drills, but nothing elaborate. You merely check out equipment and go with the boys on the floor and have a lot of fun shooting baskets, then take a shower, and you are ready for an early start for the outstanding Kansas Relays.

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With all good wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,

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April 15, 1941

Mr. Bill Howerly
Salina High School
Salina, Kansas

Dear Bill:

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Sincerely yours,

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Varsity Basketball and Baseball Coach

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H. S. Bays coming in for Relays

- > Donaldson Mason - Lyons
- > Ransom Bennett, Jr. - Ottawa
- > Harold McSpadden - El Dorado
- > Hoyt Baker - Peabody
- > Otto Schnellbacher - Sublette
- > Paul Walker - Wichita
- > Dick Spencer - Russell
- > Bill Palmer - Topeka (644 Emmett St.)
- > Jack Dean - Harveyville
- > Lawrence Stream - K.C., Kans. 4176 Eaton
- > Bud MacLean - 5328 Reeds Road
Mission, Ks.
- > Keith Oliver - Mulvane
- > Alton Wylie - Seneca
- > Bill Erickson - Leavenworth, 301 Central
- > Curtis Hirstaw - 1205 Ky., Lawrence
- > Albert H. Carson - 220 N. Edwards - Wichita
- > Stanley Mallhagen - Lorraine
- > Horace Huggins - 709 W. 6th Coffeyville
- > Junius Penny - Lawrence

> Bill Forsyth - medicine Lodge (Delta Tau)

> Clifford Forsyth - medicine Lodge

> Harold May - K.C. - Kansas

> Bob Terry - K.C. - Kansas

> Jimmy Duck - 204 W. Peoria - Paola

> Bill Mowery - Saliva

> John Short - Saliva

> Jim Roderick - Wetmore

February 26, 1941

Mr. Paul Walker
1253 Woodrow
Wichita, Kansas

Dear Paul:

I am glad you will be able to come for the week-end of April 19 and that you will stay with Glenn Perkins at the fraternity house.

It will not be necessary at all that you bring any equipment, because we will furnish all the equipment you will use on Saturday morning.

It will be a pleasure to see you.

Sincerely yours,

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Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

February 21, 1941

Dear Dr. Allen:

I received your letter of February 6, stating the fact that Mr. Glenn Perkins had spoken to you about my wish to come to the University of Kansas for my schooling next fall.

I am also sorry that I missed an opportunity to meet you. Mr. Vanek has told me a great deal about you.

I will plan on coming up for the week-end of April 19, and will stay with Mr. Perkins at the fraternity house. Should I bring my own equipment along for the work-out on Saturday morning?

Sincerely yours,

Paul Walker

Paul Walker
1253 Woodrow
Wichita, Kansas

March 31, 1941

Mr. Ransom Bennett, Jr.
Ottawa, Kansas

Dear Ransom:

Yes indeed, I do remember you very well when we had a conversation just outside of my door Saturday morning following the Oklahoma game here in Lawrence.

I am sure the Sigma Chi's would be very happy to have you as their guest, and we will be happy to have you as our guest in Robinson Gymnasium.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball and Baseball Coach

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F. RANSOM BENNETT
OTTAWA, KANSAS

March 24, 1941

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

Dear Mr. Allen:

I am very happy to have the opportunity of coming to Lawrence April 19th, the day of the Relays, and also in getting a chance to shoot a few shots with your Varsity and Freshmen squads.

It so happens that I had already been invited up by the Sigma Chi's to spend that weekend. Two or three of the Sigma Chi's are on your Freshmen squad and I am sure, if they live up to the wonderful hospitality they have showed me on my previous visits with them, they will make it possible for me to accept your invitation.

I suppose you saw Washington State's exhibition of sharp shooting last Saturday night in Kansas City. If they do that well this Saturday they will make it pretty tough on the Badgers from Wisconsin.

I don't know whether you remember our meeting following the Oklahoma game or not, but I was very much impressed in talking with you and will be looking forward with great interest to the morning of the Relays.

Yours very truly,

Ransom Bennett, Jr.

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HARVEYVILLE RURAL HIGH SCHOOL

C. D. DEAN, PRINCIPAL

HARVEYVILLE, KANSAS

April 1-1941

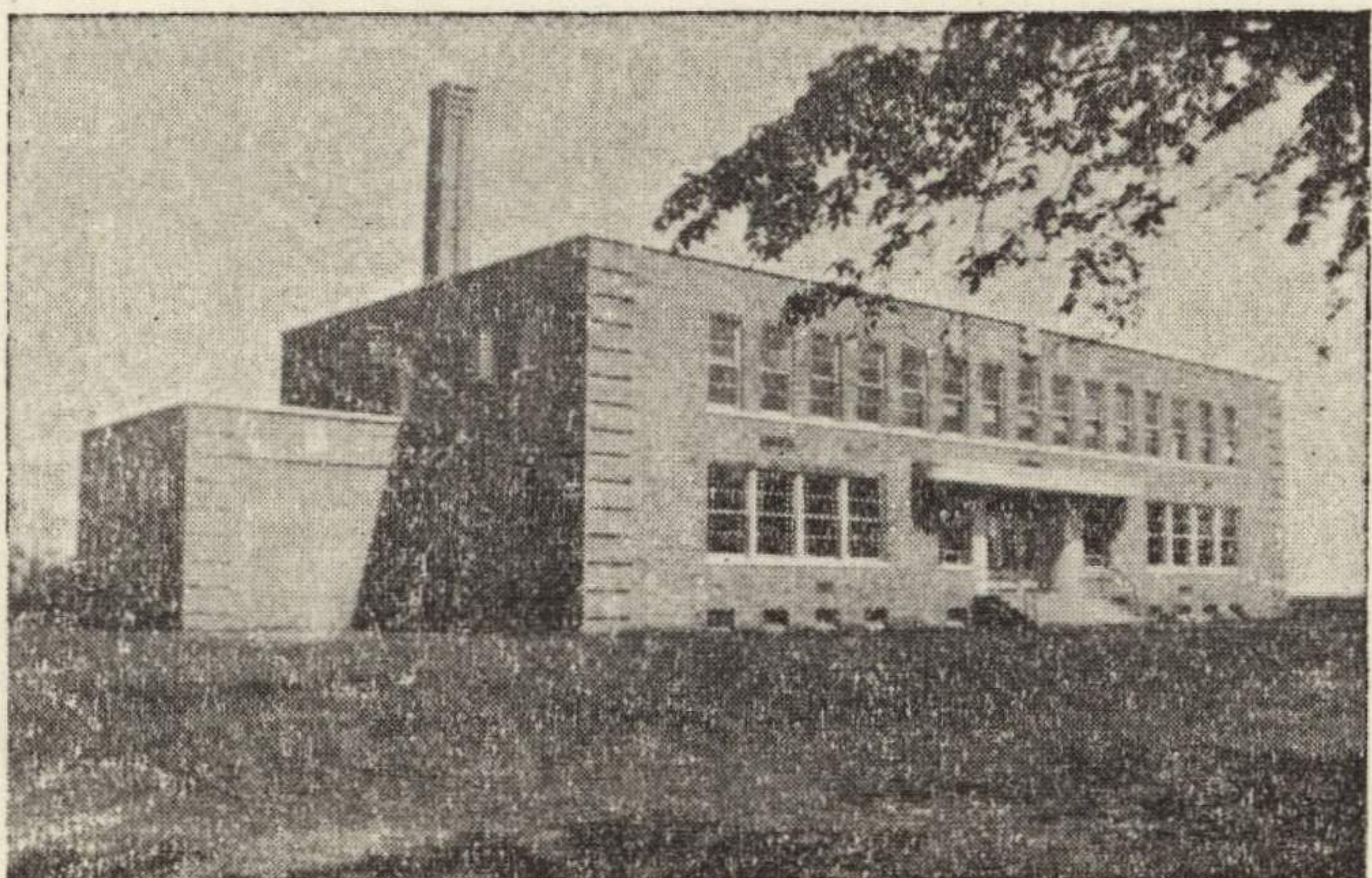
Mr Forrest C. Allen
Director of Athletics
Kansas University
Lawrence Kansas.

Dear Mr Allen:

Thank you very much for the invitation to visit the
Kansas Relays on April 19 and meet your basketball play-
ers. I shall be very glad to be in Lawrence for a
10:00 meeting Saturday, April 19th.

Yours truly,

Jack Dean



4176 Eaton

Kansas City, Kan.

March 29, 1941

Dear Dr. Allen:

I accept with pleasure your very kind invitation to come to Lawrence April 19, the day of the Kansas Relays. The program, as outlined in your letter, looks very interesting to me.

Sincerely yours,
Lawrence Stream

Dear Mr. Alder.

Your letter was received a few
ago, it was much appreciated by me,
even tho I was slow to recognize
it.

I felt quite honored to be in-
vited to the relays by you, also I
appreciate the honor of practicing
basket ball with the varsity team.

I will do my best to be present
and I am sure it will be a valuable
week end for me.

May I take this means Mr. Alder
for thank you for the invitation.

Sincerely Yours
Dick Spencer.

SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL

EL DORADO, KANSAS

March 25, 1941

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

Dear Mr. Allen:

During the year it has been my privilege to see your varsity in action twice. On both occasions I was greatly impressed with their playing and have grown to admire all the boys.

It has long been my desire to meet and talk with the members of your squad. I will be only too happy to accept your very generous invitation to suit up with them and afterwards attend the celebrated Kansas Relays.

Sincerely yours,



Harold McSpadden

HM:MW

April 14, 1941

Mr. Alton Wylie
Seneca, Kansas

Dear Alton:

I am glad that you will be able to come down to the Relays and work out with our Varsity.

The University does not give scholarships in athletics, but I think it would be possible for us to give you work to help you help yourself in earning money for your college education.

I will be glad to see you.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball and Baseball Coach

FCA:lg

alton wylie

Seneca, Kansas
April 7, 1941

Mr. Forrest C. Allen
Director of Phy. Ed. and Recreation
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Mr. Allen:

In regard to your letter of March 21, I want to thank you very much. I will be very happy to accept your invitation to the Relays and especially the chance to work out with your Varsity and Freshmen basketball players.

You mentioned the fact that if I wanted any information to call on you and since I will have to have a scholarship to be able to attend the University, I would like to talk to you about it.

Thanking you again, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Lawrence, Ks.
April 7, 1941

Dr. F. C. Allen

Director of Physical Education
and Varsity Basketball Coach
Kansas University
Lawrence, Ks.

My dear Dr. Allen:

I received your letter of March 21 containing your invitation to meet Varsity and Freshman Basketball players the morning of April 19 in Robinson Gymnasium, I am looking forward to it and you may count on my being there.

I will also plan to

go from there to the Kansas
Relays.

Thanking you for the
invitation, the Relays ticket,
and your interest and with
all good wishes

I am
Curtis Hinshaw
1205 Ky. St.,