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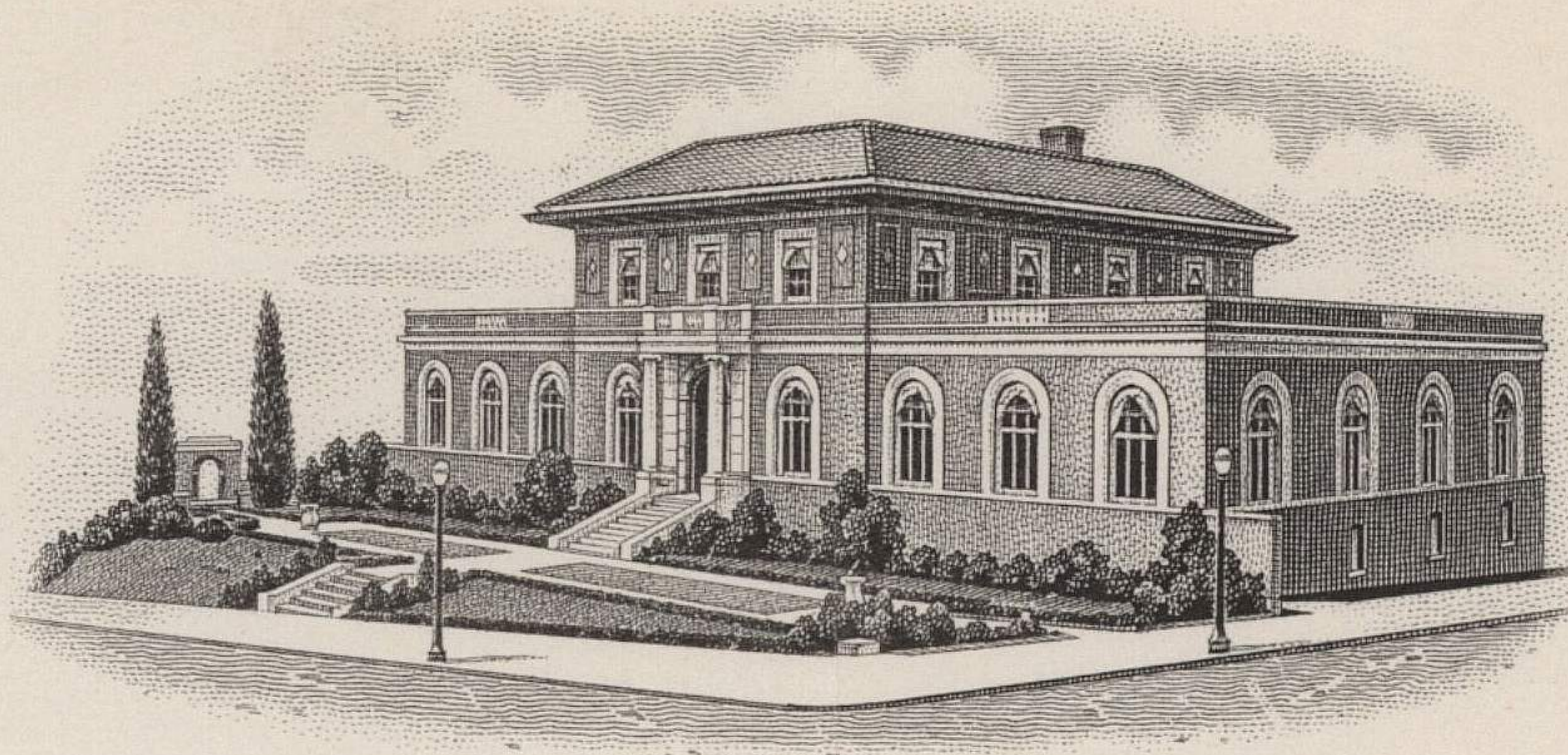
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Dr. F. C. Allen  
Athletic Department  
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Lawrence, Kan.

Dear Phog:-

Here is the information I got today on Earl Stark. He is the son of a carpenter at one of the packing houses, and while his father has steady work there are other children in the family and they don't have much money to educate Earl. He is just an average student but I'm sure that he could do good college work.

He has a sister living in Leavenworth, Kan., and could probably register out of there in order to get around the out-of-state student clause if that would create any difficulties for him.

Hank Iba now appears to have the inside track on him, although George Edwards has shown interest in him. He's going to make some one a wonderful college player, as I told you the other night and as you had heard before. I'd like to see him go to K.U. because he is just the kind of boy you like to coach and would go to town under your system of play.

Let me know ahead of time when you are coming over here so I will be sure to be in town.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Gene".

Gene Sullivan, Sports Editor  
The News-Press  
St. Joseph, Mo.