

February 17, 1939.

Mr. Win Tate,
Commerce Trust Co.,
Box 248,
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Win:

Thank you very much for your note from Uhanute regarding the Baxter Springs boys. I appreciate your telling me about them.

We haven't seen you at a basketball game here for a long time. Why not arrange your itinerary so that you could come occasionally? We have two home games left - Iowa State on February 20, and Oklahoma on the 25th. It would be a pleasure to see you.

With appreciation of your interest, I am

Cordially yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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P. S. Blaine Riley, one of our freshmen from Baxter Springs, was just in and told me that he knows all of the boys you mention. Mr. Chubb was mainly responsible for Blaine wanting to come to K. U. He is a fine boy.

F.C.A.

Blaine Riley says he knows all of these boys very well. Richard Chubb and his father went on trips a number of times with the team when Blaine played. He says they are all fine boys, and that Chubb and Read undoubtedly will come to K. U. Mr. Chubb was mainly responsible for Blaine wanting to come here.

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Written at Chanute, Kans.

Dear Phog:

Saw some pretty snappy
basket ball players on the
Baxter Springs team and thought
you might be interested.

Richard Chubb and Charles Read
figuring on entering University next
fall. Both are honor students.
Walter Hartley and William Burcham
will enter in 1940. They too are
both honor students.

All but Burcham also play
football.

The last two named are sons
of the vice president and the
cashier of the Baxter State Bank.
That makes them exceptionally
good.

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Tom Tate

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April 13, 1939.

Mr. C. O. Burnside,
Carpenter Paper Co.,
Oklahoma City, Okla.

Dear Cob:

I am enclosing copy of a letter I received some time ago about a basketball player at Salina, Oklahoma. I thought I had written you about him earlier, but find that I failed to do so.

I am wondering if you or any of the boys are coming up to the Relays. We are inviting a number of high school boys who are interested in basketball to come to the gym on Saturday morning, the 22nd, check out some basketball equipment and shoot a few goals. This will be a good way to get acquainted and a fine opportunity for the boys to have some fun. After their work-out they can take a shower bath so they will be in tip-top shape for the Relays in the afternoon.

If some of you are coming to Lawrence to the Relays why can't you bring Condit, and any others who are good basketball players, along with you. I shall be glad to hear from you.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH

April 13, 1939.

Mr. Rice Phelps,
Securities Investment Co.,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Rice:

We are inviting the boys who are interested in basketball to come to the gym on the Saturday morning of the Relays, April 22, and shoot a few goals. I think it would be a fine thing if you would invite Byron Kern to come down at this time. I believe it would be better if the invitation came from you.

I expect to spend my Saturday morning here at the gymnasium meeting these boys. They will all dress in one big room and will have a lot of fun. They can check out some basketball equipment and shoot a few goals, and get acquainted. After the work-out in the gym they can take a shower bath and be in tip-top shape for the Relays in the afternoon. We will have the new convex backboards up so the boys can try them out, which should add a lot of interest.

We would be delighted to have Byron Kern, and I would be glad if you would ask him to come down.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH

July 28, 1939.

Mr. T. F. Sullivan,
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Ry. Co.,
1200 Fidelity Building,
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Tommy:

I am mighty happy to hear from you, but I am sorry that I have delayed so long in answering your good letter of the 12th instant. The fact is, I have been overburdened with work.

It is nice of you to write me concerning Mr. S. L. Meade's son, Arthur. I want you to know that it would be a pleasure for us to give him some work. Of course, Sully, I am sure that Mr. Meade realizes that a boy cannot work too much and make good grades here at the University. I do not mean by that that it is not possible for him to work some, but if he works more than two hours a day there is a University requirement saying that he must carry a lesser number of hours in his school work.

It takes 15 hours of college credit a semester for a full academic load. If a boy passes in 15 hours for two semesters, then he would have 30 hours of credit. It is necessary that an athlete have 27 hours in the College and 28 hours in the Law School to be eligible for athletic participation, so you can see that if he was permitted to take only 12 hours a semester, even though he passed every subject, he would have only 24 hours at the end of the year and he would be ineligible for varsity competition. Therefore, he would either have to go to summer school or take correspondence work to make him eligible.

We can give him work for two hours a day at 35¢ an hour, which would make 70¢ a day. This would be six days a week and if he wanted to work a full Saturday I believe he could get the additional work. But the bitter truth is that I find more boys fail by trying to carry extra work to get a little extra money, and in the long run it is very disastrous. For instance, suppose a boy could go to college for \$300 a year, and if he carried 30 academic hours and passed them he could evaluate each academic hour at \$10. Now, suppose a boy is working at 35¢ an hour and endeavored to take say \$25 or \$30 extra by stretching his working hours. In the face of this if he should fail a 5-hour course he would actually lose in money five times \$10 per academic hour, or \$50. I am sure that you can get what I mean.

It is better for a boy not to attempt to work too much because the University planned a full academic load, and you cannot do too much playing and studying plus working. The Big Six Conference has a ruling that no coach may use a boy more than two hours any day in practice, and they hold the same thing to work. So you can see why these rules are made for the protection of the boy.

Please assure Mr. Meade that it will be a pleasure for us to help Arthur. John Lomborg and Cliff Olander are both in Summer School this year and we see them often. I will talk to John and Cliff concerning Arthur. I will be glad to hear from Arthur and his dad at their convenience.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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GENERAL AGENT

1200 FIDELITY BUILDING
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KANSAS CITY, MO.
July 12th, 1939.

Dr. F.C. Allen,
Basket Ball Coach,
Kansas University,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Dr. Allen:

It has been quite a while since I seen you and had the pleasure of taking any trips with you and your team. Three years ago I went in the Freight Department and am in town all the time. My address is still 1200 Fidelity Bldg. However, I am writing you as I think I have a prospect for your team.

Mr. S.L. Meade, our new General Agent, has a boy Arthur 18 years old July 11th, this year, weighs 190 pounds and is 6 ft. 4 in. tall. He played last year as Guard, Argentine High School and was given the School's Basket ball award. He is desirous of continuing with his College Education and would like to go to Kansas University provided he can get some kind of a job to help him through. He is a high type boy and a fine fellow, and I think our good friends Tom VanCleave or Morris Bridenthal will testify to that. I am sure with your handling he could be made a very favorable assest to your team. The boy is a fine student and behaves himself.

With kindest personal regards to you and wishing you continued success, I am

Sincerely your Friend,

J. F. Sullivan

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HAYS, KANSAS
March 29, 1939.

Mr. Ralph Conger,
Baseball Coach,
University of Kansas,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Conger :

I knew I had something on my mind when I saw you in Topeka a couple of weeks ago but forgot to tell you.

There is an excellent basketball center in the little town of Glendale which is near Salina. I haven't a chance of getting him so I just as well help the University of Kansas. They tell me he is the best basketball player around Salina and that came from fellows who know their basketball. Carl Thurlow is one who can tell you about this boy. He is a big fellow and I am sure Phog will not pass him up if he learns about the boy. I rather think he will welcome the opportunity of going to the University of Kansas. His last name is Beach, I can't give you his first name and I understand he is a senior.

There is another fair prospect down in the little town of Winfield, Kansas by the name of Tucker. Ha' Ha ' Dare you to get him.

With kindest personal regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

Paul B. Gross.

Basket Ball.

Oliver Rutter
Gunda Spring Kans.

Sumnerhart

from Glenn
Cunningham

May 26, 1939.

Mr. Oliver Rutter,
Genda Springs, Kansas.

Dear Oliver:

The other evening when I rode to Ottawa with Dr. Glenn Cunningham to attend a Father-Son banquet there he told me that Mr. Swinehart had said that you were interested in the University of Kansas. Mr. Swinehart also told him that you were interested in basketball.

I want you to know that we are especially interested in Kansas boys who have a fine academic rating and who also possess the qualifications of being a leader and a real athlete. If there is anything that we can do for you it will be a pleasure to hear from you, and from Mr. Swinehart, too. I have asked the Registrar's office to send you a catalog of the University of Kansas.

Assuring you of our desire to help you, and with best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH

August 12, 1939.

Mr. Reid Anderson,
1129 Penn. St.,
Boulder, Colo.

Dear Reid:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 8th instant informing me that you got a job for the rest of the summer and that you have decided to attend school at the University of Colorado this coming year.

I trust that you will be very happy and successful.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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August 8, 1939
1129 Penn. St.
Boulder, Colorado

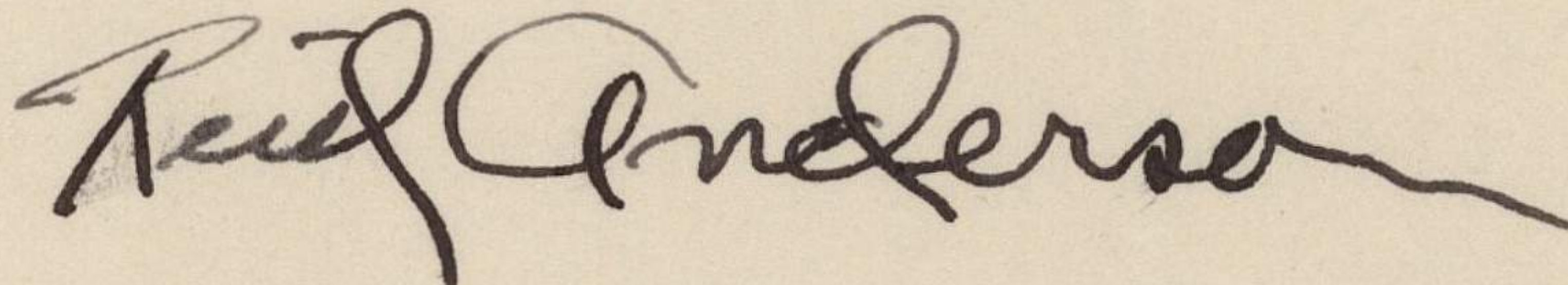
Dr. Forrest Allen
Athletic Dept., Kans. U.
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Sir,

I am writing to inform you that I have decided to attend school in Boulder this coming year. A relative of mine, who is attending summer school here, had found me a job for the rest of the summer before I received your letter.

I am sorry that I have caused you so much trouble, and I wish to thank you for all you have done.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Reid Anderson". The signature is written in dark ink and has a long, sweeping underline that extends to the right.

Reid Anderson

DECATUR COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL
Russell T. Anderson, Principal

MARIAN E. CATHCART
Secretary of Board

OBERLIN CONSOLIDATED GRADE SCHOOL
Ira Laidig, Principal

CHAS. E. HAWKES
Superintendent
OBERLIN, KANSAS

Dear Dr. Allen:

I have written my nephew Reid Anderson now at Washburn to drive down and see you as soon as possible, or before school is out.

Dr. Allen, I would like very much to see this boy under you as I feel he has the natural ability to make a good college team. Reid must change to

an engineering school this year, and if you have too many good boys with jobs and cannot use him please tell me immediately.

Mrs. Anderson graduated from Colo. U. so I believe we can help him go there as second choice of course to Kansas Univ. and your coaching.

Please help Reid if you can use a real clean boy.

Sincerely
Russell Dutch Anderson

May 25, 1939.

Mr. Reid Anderson,
1712 Lane,
Topeka, Kansas.

Dear Reid:

Last Tuesday evening I rode to Ottawa with Dr. Glenn Cumingham for a Father-Son banquet there, and he told me that he had met you recently.

I shall be very happy to see you in my office in Robinson Gymnasium next Saturday morning, May 27. Your uncle, Russell "Dutch" Anderson, has written me about you, and I assure you it will be a pleasure to see you.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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1712 Lane
May 22
Topeka, Kans.

Dr. Phog Allen
Lawrence, Kans.

Dear Mr. Allen,

I receive a letter from my
Uncle, Dutch Anderson of Oberlin, Kans.,
in which he advised me to see you
this week-end if possible.

I plan to be in Lawrence
Saturday. Would it be possible for
me to see you, and if so at what
time would it be convenient for you?

Hoping to hear from you soon,
I remain

Sincerely Yours,

Reid Anderson

CHAS. E. HAWKES
Superintendent

OBERLIN, KANSAS

March 14, 1939

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Dr. Allen
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dr. Allen:

Last spring I wrote Ralph Conger about my nephew, Reed Anderson, of Norcatar. He was considering attending the University of Kansas. I felt at that time that this boy would make almost any college team in football and basketball. He had intended of course on coming to Lawrence until he received a letter from Ralph Conger, stating that there were no jobs available this year. As a result Reed attended Washburn, by the aid of a political job in the state house which will not help him next year. Since he has made straight a's in mathematics, it is his desire to transfer to the University, if at all possible and major in engineering.

Reed was on the freshman football team until his French worried him so that he quit football in the middle of the season. He did not go out for basketball, but the coach of spring basketball ask him to go out. Reed is now working out, which of course will not hurt his eligibility in any way should he transfer. This boy is 6'3½" tall and weighs 180 pounds. He was considered the outstanding basketball player of this section of the state last year. He, himself, thinks he is a little light for football, unless he should take on considerable weight.

Reed has never smoked or drank in his life and is a perfect trainer. I am very sorry, Dr. Allen, that the several boys I have recommended to K. U. have for some reason "fluked out," that is, Francis and Hackney; I believe this boy, in many ways is just as outstanding as the other two and I hope you will be able to use him. If you advise it I will have him come down from Washburn to see you.

Sincere

Sincerely yours,

Russell "Dutch" Anderson

R. T. Anderson

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March 22, 1939.

Mr. R. T. Anderson,
Decatur Community High School,
Oberlin, Kansas.

Dear Mr. Anderson:

Your letter of March 14 addressed to Dr. Allen has been received during Dr. Allen's absence. He will return in a few days, and it will be brought to his attention at that time. I am sure that he will be interested in what you have written regarding your nephew, Reed Anderson.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary to Dr. F. C. Allen.

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STATE OF KANSAS

OFFICE OF TREASURER
TOPEKA

1435 Boswell,
March 18, 0939.

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

Dear Dr. Allen:-

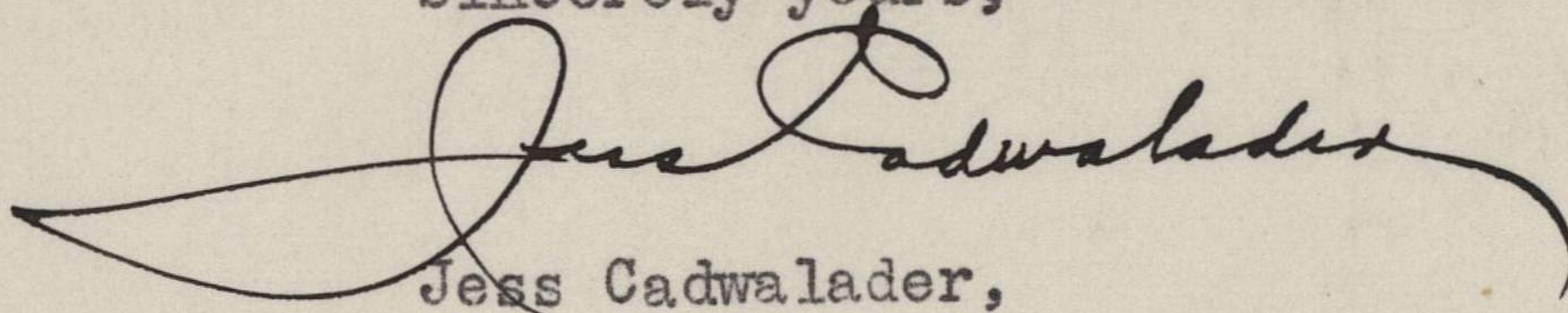
I am enclosing a clipping concerning the boy whom I talked to you about the evening of the Washburn-KU basketball game. Heslet is a large well built boy and weighed last summer 190 pounds. He played tackle and did the punting for Seaman last fall. He also plays baseball, being a catcher in this sport. His people are poor and it will be necessary for him to make his way thru college by his own efforts.

I believe that you would find him a worth while boy to help and appreciative of any favors shown him.

In this list, all of the boys, who played in the Jayhawk league are given, which would allow you to also contact other boys. The Trump lad at Alma is a very good boy and he also graduates the coming May.

With kind personal regards and best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,


Jess Cadwalader,

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HESLET IN LEAD

Has Big Margin in Jayhawk League Scoring—Jones Is Second, Kersey Third.

Final compilation of individual basketball scoring in the Jayhawk league for the season just closed shows Heslet, of Seaman, leading the league by a considerable margin with 205 points. Jones, of Wamego, is second with 154, and Kersey, of Eskridge, third with 141.

Heslet played in all fourteen games and had an average of 14.6 points per game. Turgeon, of Topeka Catholic, led the league last year with 140 points.

Leaders on other teams of the league were Trump, for Alma, with a phenomenal score of 115 points, considering that he was on a last place team; Wall, of Topeka Catholic high, with one point over Landon, 70 to 69; Glick, for St. Marys, with 122; Silven, for Osage City, with 72; Hagen, of Highland Park, with 72.

The individual scoring record compiled by The State Journal:

Alma.				
	G	FG	FT	Pts.
Trump	13	48	19	115
Dillingham	14	13	9	35
Johnson	12	10	5	25
Hastings	14	5	6	16
Gehrt	4	3	2	8
Linss	13	2	2	6
Brown	10	1	3	5
Wilkerson	11	1	0	2
Allwood	4	0	2	2
Eskridge.				

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March 22, 1939.

Mr. Jess Cadwalader,
1435 Boswell,
Topeka, Kansas.

Dear Mr. Cadwalader:

Your letter of March 18 addressed to Dr. Allen has been received during his absence. He will return to the office within a few days, and I am sure he will be interested in what you have to say regarding Heslet.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary to Dr. F. C. Allen.

April 27, 1939.

Mr. Wilson Langley,
Basketball Coach,
Essex, Missouri.

Dear Coach Langley:

I have delayed answering your letter longer than I should have, but I want you to know that it has not been on account of intentional neglect.

I notice that Andrew Goedert is a child from a very large family, and that his father is a barber. I am wondering if it would not be more economical if the family could move to some college town because it looks like many of the children will desire an education and it would be more economical to have the youngsters in a home where a college is located.

One difficulty here at the University of Kansas is the fact that the tuition is twice as high for out of state students as for residents of Kansas. I am asking that a catalog of the University be sent you so that you can make some estimate of the expenses.

Please do not feel that I do not want to help Andrew Goedert all that I can, but I am afraid that unless he has enough money for tuition it would be difficult to make the grade. I am perfectly willing to give him a job here at the University where he could perhaps make his board and room, but I felt that it would be better to tell the whole story now rather than to encourage anyone unduly and then at the last moment have them find something that would discourage them from coming.

Please do not feel that because I receive letters from coaches boosting their all-American players that I would not be interested in Andrew. In fact, I would be very happy to have him. I certainly agree with you that he would be a very valuable asset. Yes, I would be very glad indeed to see the boy, and if you should come over some time after May 6, when I return from New York, I will be very happy to have him put on a basketball outfit and have some fun shooting goals with some of our varsity and freshmen. You have been very kind to do all these things in Andrew's and my behalf and I wish it was so that you might drive over with him.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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Public Schools
ESSEX CONSOLIDATED DISTRICT
ESSEX, MISSOURI

April 10, 1939

*see cover
attached*

Coach Forrest C. Allen
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Coach Allen,

Realizing that at this time you are very busy, I am sorry to bother you, but in regard to Andrew Goedert of whom I mentioned to you in two previous letters, I would appreciate an answer as soon as possible regarding your plans, if any, concerning him.

I am aware of the fact that you receive many letters from coaches concerning their "All American" players, and it would be unwise and foolish to attempt to enroll all of these boys at your school; however, I am of the opinion that Goedert would be a valuable asset.

In my first letter to you I mentioned the fact that he had, practically singlehanded, taken our team to the state tournament during his freshman and junior year. Last year we were beaten in the quarterfinals by Houston who went on to win the State championship. This year we again represented Southeast Missouri by virtue of our winning the Regional tournament, and in the State tournament held at Springfield our team finished in second place. Going this far and piling up a winning streak of twenty-four consecutive games couldn't be due to the work of any one man, but to a well balanced team. However, Goedert is the man on whom we depended, not only for our points but also for making the passes that count and riding the fastest offensive player of the opponents whether he be a forward, guard, or center. In the seven games in which our teams have participated in State Tournaments, Goedert has been our best scorer in six, and at Springfield he shut out one All-State guard and held another All-State forward to one field goal. During the past year he fouled out on two occasions.

If you desire any additional information, I will be glad to furnish it, and if you would like to see the boy I will bring, or send, him to Lawrence.

Very sincerely yours,

Wilson Langley

Basketball Coach.

February 17, 1939.

Coach Wilson Langley,
Essex Consolidated Schools,
Essex, Missouri.

Dear Coach Langley:

Please do not feel that I appreciate your letter the less because I have not answered your kind communication of the 31st ultimo sooner.

I am sure that your senior and star player, Andrew Goedert, is a fine athlete, and I would be especially pleased to see him enter the University of Kansas. I imagine that he is a young man who is in need of work to help in his quest for an education, is he not? So many of our best boys are boys who come from families with limited incomes and it is very necessary for them to work.

I notice that he is an excellent track man in addition to his being a fine basketball player. Will you be good enough to write me concerning his financial condition? I would also like to know definitely regarding his academic excellence. Did he make A's, B's, or C's in the majority?

Thanking you for your good letter, and assuring you that it will be a pleasure to hear from you further, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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Public Schools
ESSEX CONSOLIDATED DISTRICT
ESSEX, MISSOURI

January 31, 1939

Dear Coach Allen,

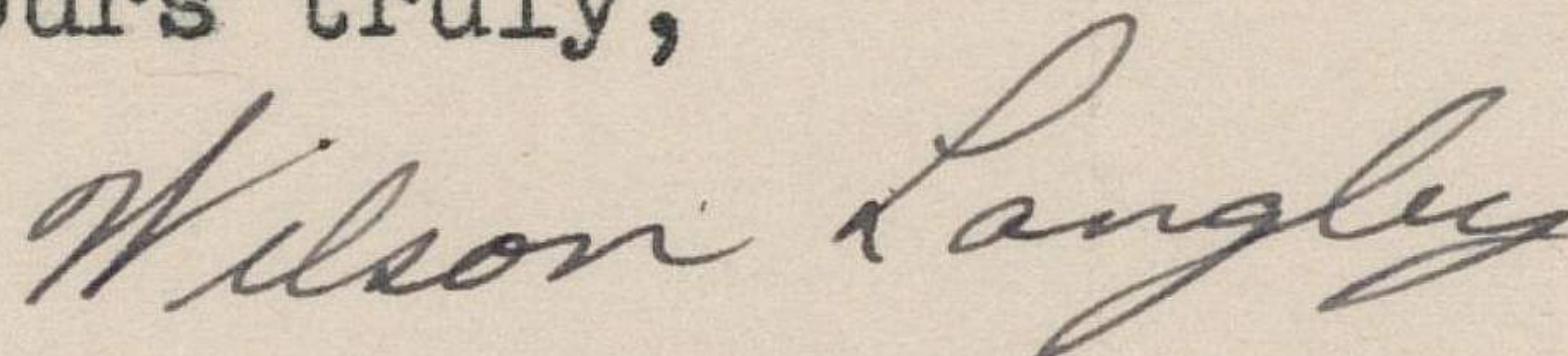
I have on my basketball team, a senior, Andrew Goedert, who in the estimation of the followers of basketball in Southeast Missouri, is one of the best ever developed in this section.

I can assure you that Goedert is a fine student and will have no scholastic difficulties in college. He is 19 years old, 5 feet 10 inches tall, weighs around 155 pounds, which is small for most teams, however, his shooting ability from any angle is hard to match. His "fight", mixed with good jumping legs, account for many points batted in on men several inches taller than he. He is an excellent defensive player and can step 100 yards in close to 10 seconds.

If you are interested in this boy I would appreciate a reply and, if you wish to check on his ability, I recommend you to any coach or referee in this section.

This is his fourth year as a regular on the Essex Hi team. Two of these years, his first and third, he, almost singlehanded, took our team to the State Tourney, and is at present enjoying his best season.

Yours truly,



Wilson Langley, Coach

March 13, 1939.

Mr. Wilson Langley,
Basketball Coach,
Essex, Missouri.

Dear Mr. Langley:

Dr. Allen has received your letter of February 20th in regard to the scholastic rating of Andrew Goedert, but due to the rush of administrative details he has been delayed in writing you. He is interested in what you have to say about the boy, and I am sure he will write you within a short time. At present Dr. Allen is in Oklahoma City attending the two day play-off of the Fifth District representatives in the N.C.A.A. basketball tournament.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary to Dr. P. C. Allen.

Public Schools
ESSEX CONSOLIDATED DISTRICT
ESSEX, MISSOURI

February 20, 1939

Coach Forrest Allen
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Coach Allen:

I was very much pleased to receive your answer concerning Andrew Goedert of this school, and am glad to be able to furnish you with the information you desire.

Andrew's father is a barber in this town and has a family of ten children. However, being a good business man he has managed to keep these children in school every day. Andrew has an N. Y. A. job on which he has worked for the past two school years. From this you can see that the boy will need some kind of employment in order to get through college. I assure you that he is a hard worker and will be easy to satisfy since he is very anxious to graduate from college.

Concerning his academic excellence, his semester grades for the first seven semesters in high school are 10 C's and 18 B's. Two of his classes have been under me, and I am certain that he is industrious and intelligent enough to have no scholastic difficulties.

Another point I would like to stress is that he is a dandy baseball player, infield or outfield, and any information you would like concerning his baseball playing could be secured from the Himmelberger-Harrison Lumber Company of Morehouse, Missouri, with whose team he played last summer.

I would appreciate any reply you might make, and you can be assured of my full cooperation in any attempt to enroll this boy at your school. I firmly believe that he would make a good student and be an asset to your ball team.

Very sincerely yours,

Wilson Langley

Basketball Coach.