

Joplin Senior High School

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Dr. F. C. Allen
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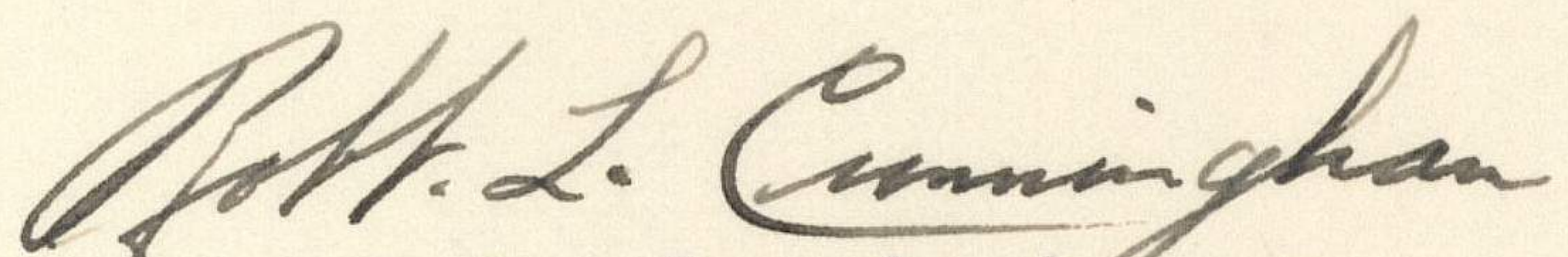
Dear Dr. Allen:

I am writing this letter in the interest of one of my students here in the Joplin Senior High School who is very anxious to come to the University of Kansas upon completion of his high school work this year. I myself was a student of the University of Kansas and graduated from there in 1936.

The main reason that I have encouraged this young man to go to K.U. and his main reason for wanting to go to K.U. is because of his interest in athletics, particularly basketball. Knowing of the excellent basketball ^{training} that young men receive at the University of Kansas, I can think of no better place for him to go.

I have never been an athlete or basketball player, but it is my candid opinion that this young man is an unusually fine prospect for the basketball team at the University of Kansas. I certainly hope that I will be able to see him attend K.U.

Very truly yours,



Robert L. Cunningham
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