

May 17, 1939.

Mr. Victor Ebaugh,
McPherson, Kansas.

Dear Victor:

I am very happy to have your good letter of the 12th instant and I certainly can appreciate your feeling of uncertainty when you are forced to wait until around July first before a final answer is given you regarding a CSEP job. I am very sure with recommendations from Professor Potwin and Professor Uhrlaub, together with your fine academic work, that doubtless you will get a CSEP job.

I quite agree with you that you cannot come to K. U. without financial help. I presume that you will be able to work this summer and save some money toward your tuition and fees. If you will look on page 23 of the University catalog, which has been sent to you, you will get some idea of the fees you will have to pay. The matriculation fee for residents of Kansas, which is paid but once, is \$10.00; the incidental fee for students in the School of Engineering is \$25.00 a semester; there is a health fee of \$4.00 a semester; the activity fee is \$6.00 the first semester and \$2.75 for the second semester. In addition to the above fees, there may be some laboratory fees, depending upon the courses in which you enroll.

When you consider that the tuition at a small college is two to four hundred dollars, and while they offer you work and sometimes a scholarship, the tuition at the University is sometimes less than one-fourth that of any of the small colleges. I am sure that you have considered that very carefully in making your decision.

Now I am ready to tell you that we want you at the University of Kansas because we believe that you want to get an education. Personally, I am not so much interested in a boy coming to the University primarily to compete in athletics, but you have already shown me that you are especially interested in your engineering work, and I am in a position to aid you by giving you work in the Physical Education department. We use boys and pay them 35¢ an hour in the towel room. I would be glad to assure you such a job if you are certain that you want to attend the engineering school at the University of Kansas.