

January 10, 1941

Mr. Eddie Hogue
Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City
Kansas City, Missouri

Dear Eddie:

We will expect you on January 13 at Lawrence to work our Iowa State-Kansas game. The game starts at 7:30.

You will dress in Robinson Gymnasium. The game is played in Hoch Auditorium which is just two buildings west of the Gymnasium.

I am not sure whether you have worked any of our games here at Lawrence, but we have three doors in Robinson Gymnasium, and you come on in the west door. Toward the back part of the hall you will see a sign "Intramural Office". You will dress in there where we have showers and other facilities.

It will not be necessary for you to call when you get in Lawrence because doubtless we will be in the Gym dressing at that time.

Thanking you for your letter, I am,

Very cordially yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

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Eddie Hogue

RETURN IN 3 DAYS TO

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF KANSAS CITY

FEDERAL RESERVE P. O. STATION

KANSAS CITY, MO.

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Kansas City, Missouri
January 9, 1941

Dr. Forrest C. Allen
Varsity Basketball Coach
Kansas University
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dr. Allen:

This will confirm my assignment to officiate your game with Iowa State, Monday, January 13. I am driving from Kansas City and will call as soon as I get in Lawrence.

Wishing you the best of luck, I am

Yours very truly,

Eddie Hogue
Eddie Hogue

January 17, 1941

Mar. 7'

Coach Bruce Drake
University of Oklahoma
Norman, Oklahoma

Dear Bruce:

Your letter of January 15 stating you would see me last night at the Missouri game just came in the mail this morning. I am sorry if I missed seeing you last night, but due to weather conditions you may have changed your mind about coming.

I inquired in the Athletic Office if they had reserved a ticket for you but they had no knowledge of doing so. Earl Falkenstien is ill with the flu and it may be that you came in just in time to inquire at the box office for a ticket and the workers there did not recognize you.

I am writing Hogue today regarding the possibility of his working our game here in Lawrence on March 7. If he is unable to work that date, I will follow your suggestions and write Pressley.

Thanking you for your good wishes, and assuring you of our best wishes for your success, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

FCA:lg

The University of Oklahoma
Norman, Oklahoma

INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS

January 15, 1941

Dr. Forrest C. Allen
Basketball Coach
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Doc:

Congratulations on your splendid victory over Louie. I know it was a tough one for him to lose, but from all accounts of the game your boys appeared to be the aggressors in the stretch and after all that is what counts.

In view of the fact that Eddie Hogue is the first alternate for our game in Lawrence March 7, I think we had better stick to these assignments so long as it is possible. At the time I called you regarding a replacement for Hyatt in our game at Norman, I had written Mr. Hogue, our first alternate, and he was unable to work this game because of a schedule conflict. Moe Pressly was the second alternate, and he resides in Omaha, Nebraska. When we get that far down the list of alternates very little thought or time is given as to their ability, because previous to this year we had very few changes in our original assignments. Because of Pressly's locality and the cost of bringing him here to Norman, I called you long distance to see if we could agree on a official that was located closer to Norman and save us both a little money.

I think it is wise that in our game in Lawrence, March 7, that we stick to our original agreement on alternates to fill ~~fill~~ in this gap left by Hyatt. We have as the first alternate Hogue, Pressly and Larson in that order. Of course if they can not work, the next one down the line is agreeable with me.

I will be in Lawrence tonight to see your Missouri game at which time we can settle this matter. I would also appreciate a scout ticket for this game.

Give my regards to Bob and your wife and best of luck to you until March 7.

Sincerely yours,

Bruce Drake

Bruce Drake
Basketball Coach

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January 17, 1941

Mr. Eddie Hogue
3801 Terrace
Kansas City, Missouri

Dear Eddie:

Would it be possible for you to work
the Oklahoma-Kansas game at Lawrence on March 7?

Chuck Hyatt was to be one of the officials
but he has notified us that he will be unable to
come on that date.

Bruce Drake and I have agreed on you to
work that game, and also you are the first alternate
suggested. We would appreciate an early reply from
you.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

FCA:lg

cc: Bruce Drake

January 22, 1941

Mr. Bruce Drake
Basketball Coach
University of Oklahoma
Norman, Oklahoma

Dear Coach Drake:

Your communication of January 21 has been received and I too am sorry that I missed seeing you at Manhattan last Monday night. After the game I did not go down to talk to the officials; perhaps I should have this time, but I never do.

The roads were icy and since I had Bob Allen and John Kline along with me we left immediately after the game so the boys would get to bed.

We have just received word from Eddie Hogue this morning that he will be able to work our game here in Lawrence on March 7.

Thank you for your kind words, and with all good wishes to you, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

FCA:lg

The University of Oklahoma
Norman, Oklahoma

INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS

January 21, 1941

Dr. Forrest C. Allen
Basketball Coach
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dr. Allen:

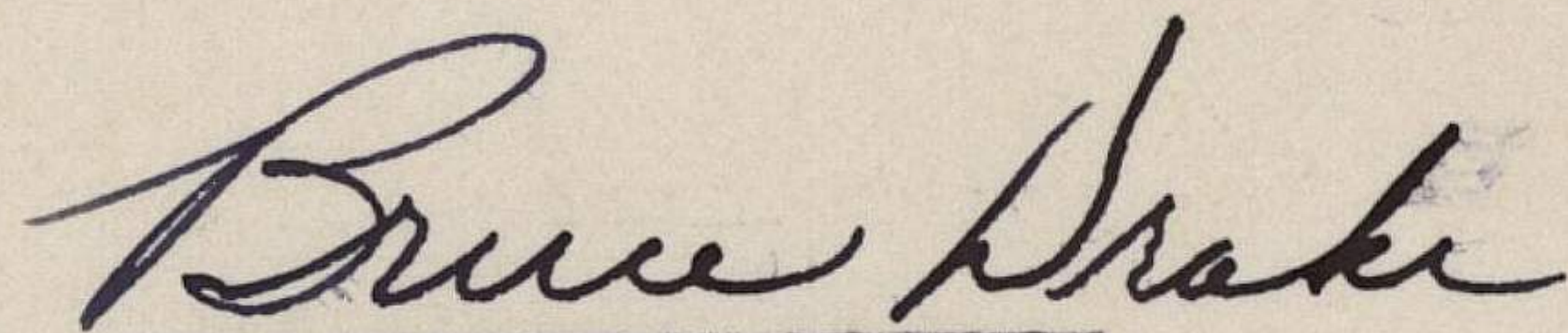
I have just received your letter concerning Eddie Hogue and I am sorry that I did not get to see you at Kansas State the other night. I got caught in the mob and went on down stairs to talk to Quigley and thought possibly you would come down to the dressing room. I tried my best to make it to your Missouri game but the snow and ice caught me at Florence where I was forced to spend the night.

After the Kansas State game I took the train on up to Ames and got to see his well balanced club in action for the first time. Missouri made a game of it all the way mostly through the jump and long shot variety, and after seeing both clubs I am convinced that I am going to be in for a lot of headaches when I play either of them.

Congratulations on your victory last night and even though I was not there I had a mental picture of the way they must have had them stacked in to beat "old Phog" and to convince the legislators that they are sadly in need of a larger playing field. It is a shame they did not have these politicians out to see our game for I assure you they all went home happy.

Let me hear from you as soon as you get a confirmation from Eddie Hogue and I extend to you my sincere wishes for your continued success.

Sincerely yours,



Bruce Drake
Basketball Coach

January 22, 1931

Mr. Eddie Hogue
Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City
Federal Reserve P.O. Station
Kansas City, Missouri

Dear Eddie:

Your letter of January 21 advising us that you will be able to work the Oklahoma-Kansas game in Lawrence on March 7 has been received. We will be glad to see you.

May I take this opportunity to tell you that you worked a fine game here in Lawrence when we played Iowa State. There were many compliments on your and Moe Pressley's excellent officiating; especially in calling all fouls. So many officials in our Big-Six Conference the last few years have been letting everything go and calling only occasional fouls. I never speak to officials before or after a contest; hence, I have not had an opportunity to tell you this before now.

We will be looking forward to seeing you on March 7; incidentally, you will work with Ted O'Sullivan.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

FCA:lg

Kansas City, Missouri
January 21, 1941

Mr. Forrest C. Allen
Varsity Basketball Coach
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Mr. Allen:

I shall be available to referee your game with
Oklahoma University in Lawrence on March 7.

Yours very truly,

Eddie Hogue
Eddie Hogue

December 20, 1940

Mr. Charles Hyatt
Phillips Petroleum Co.
Bartlesville, Oklahoma

Dear "Chuck:"

Eruce Drake mentioned the possibility of your not being able to officiate for us in our games at Norman on January 8. Is there any truth in this roomer? I hope not.

Will you kindly inform me at your earliest convenience?

Sincerely yours,

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Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

P.S. Your letter of December 18 was received after the above was dictated and written. Our game with Oklahoma at Lawrence has been changed from the 8th of March to the 7th. Does that make any difference? I thought you wanted to officiate these games. It causes us quite an inconvenience to agree upon you and then have to call it off.

F.C.A.

PHILLIPS PETROLEUM COMPANY

BARTLESVILLE, OKLAHOMA

November 14, 1940

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

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Dear Doc:

Have just received a letter from Ab Young, President, West Coast Amateur Basketball League, 637 North Wilcox Avenue, Hollywood, California, and he would like to have Wellhausen write him immediately.

Certainly hope Al can catch on although the monetary return~~x~~ is not as much as he has been used to getting.

Cordially yours,

Chuck Hyatt

Chuck Hyatt

CDH:ea

PHILLIPS PETROLEUM COMPANY

BARTLESVILLE, OKLAHOMA

December 18, 1940

Dr. Forrest C. Allen
Basketball Coach
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Doc:

I am indeed sorry to inform you that I will be unable to officiate at Lawrence, March 8, due to a conflict with our own basketball schedule.

I want to take this opportunity of thanking you for okaying me for this game and also the one at Norman. Certainly do appreciate it.

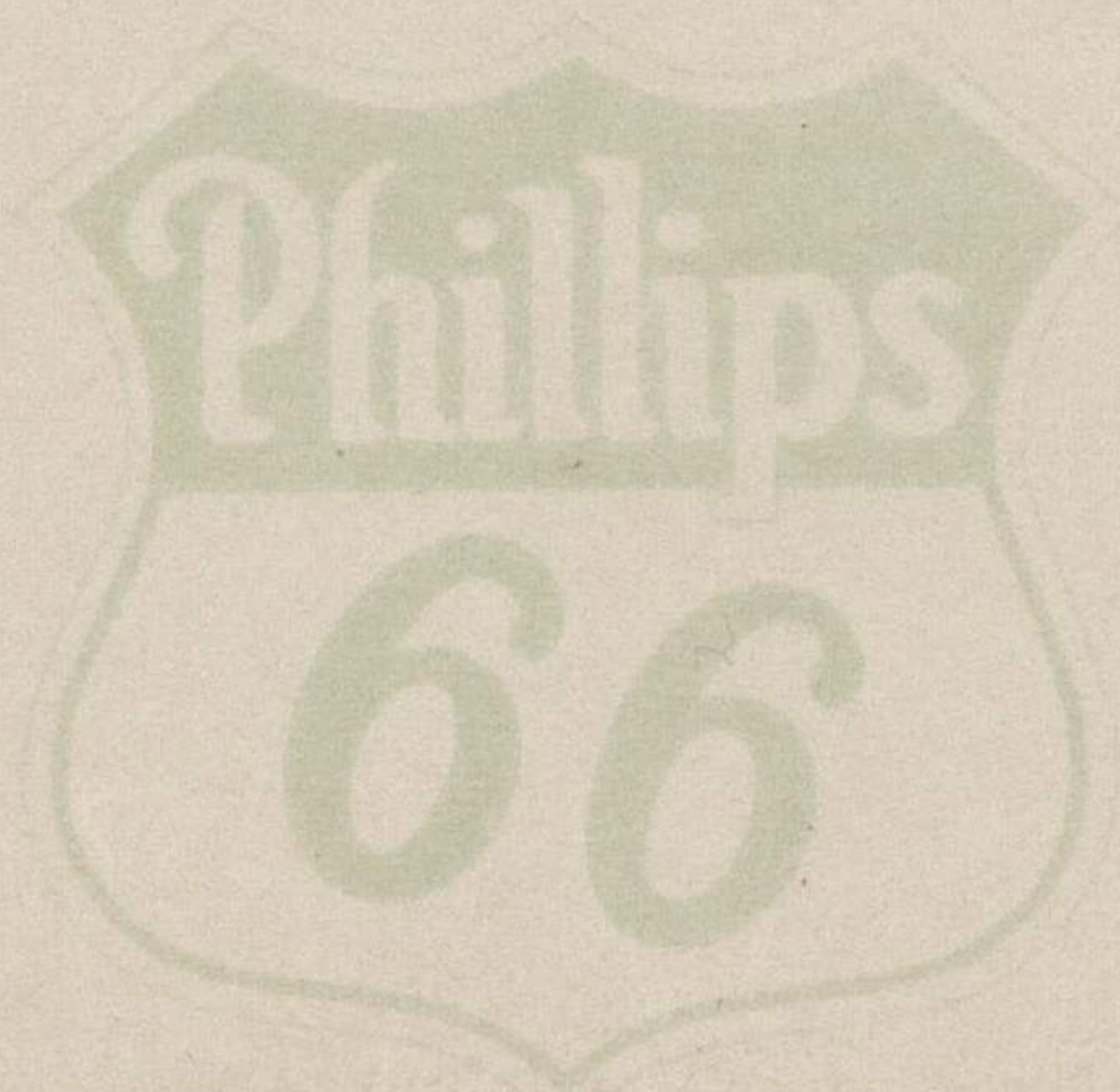
Best of luck in your coming conference campaign and with kindest personal regards, I am

Very truly yours,

Chuck Hyatt

Chuck Hyatt
Basketball Coach

CDH:ea



December 13, 1940

Mr. Bruce Drake
Basketball Coach
University of Oklahoma
Norman, Oklahoma

Dear Bruce:

I am enclosing herewith a copy of a letter I have written to George Veenker regarding our game at Lawrence on March 7.

Ted O'Sullivan brought this matter to my attention when he stated his schedule from George Veenker listed our game as of March 8.

This is merely for your information.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

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Enc.
cc: Ted O'Sullivan

December 13, 1940

Mr. George Veenker
Athletic Director
Iowa State College
Ames, Iowa

Dear George:

Bruce Drake of Oklahoma and I have agreed to move up our game with them at Lawrence from March 8 to March 7.

Will you kindly make the change on your assignment sheet?

Thanking you, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

FCA:lg
cc: Ted O'Sullivan
Bruce Drake

IOWA STATE COLLEGE
OF AGRICULTURE AND MECHANIC ARTS
AMES, IOWA

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION
FOR MEN

December 16, 1940

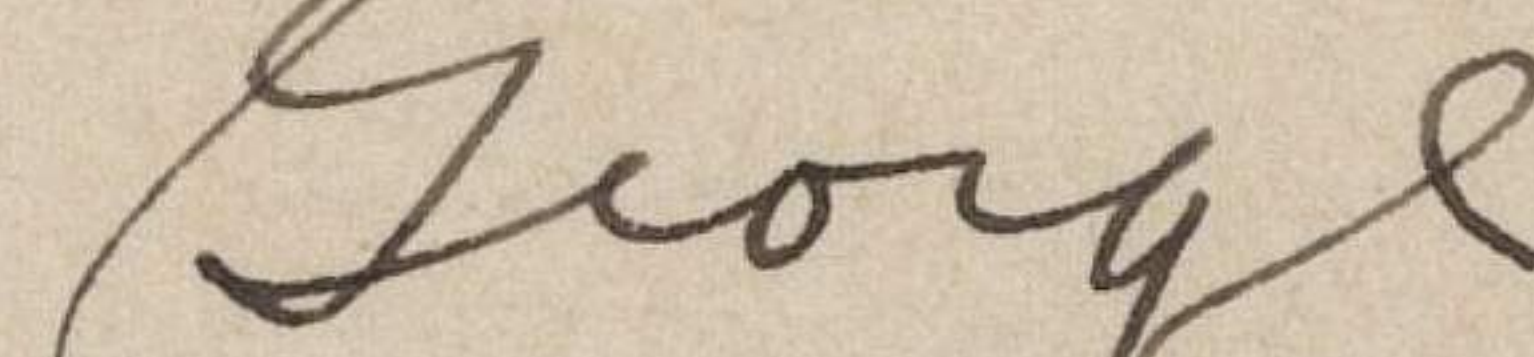
Dr. Forrest C. Allen, Basketball Coach
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Phog:

I have your letter of December 13th and we will go ahead and notify the officials concerned that your Oklahoma game has been changed from March 8th to March 7th.

Inasmuch as our office started on the assignments of basketball officials for this year, we will go ahead with the work connected with this this year and Reeves Peters can take over starting next year.

Sincerely yours,



George F. Veenker, Secretary
Big Six Directors

GFV:EC

January 8, 1941

Mr. George F. Veenker
Athletic Director
Iowa State College
Ames, Iowa

Dear Mr. Veenker:

Your letter of January 6 regarding officials for the Oklahoma-Kansas game on March 7 at Lawrence has been received.

Dr. Allen is out of town at the present time but as soon as he returns this matter will be brought to his attention.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary to Dr. Forrest C. Allen

IOWA STATE COLLEGE
OF AGRICULTURE AND MECHANIC ARTS
AMES, IOWA

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION
FOR MEN

January 6, 1941

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

Dear Doc:

In reply to your recent letter notifying this office of the change in your basketball game from March the 8th to March the 7th, Oklahoma vs. Kansas University at Lawrence, Ted O'Sullivan has accepted the change in date, but Chuck Hyatt, the other official, is unable to work on March the 7th.

I am writing you at this time so that you can get together with Bruce Drake and select your own official.

Will you kindly drop me a line so that this office will know that you are handling this, rather than us.

Sincerely yours,



George F. Veenker
Athletic Director

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L.E.M.

GFV:EC

Dear Doc:
We have been winning
but I don't know if we
are really good. See you
Monday. Lance

December 20, 1940

Mr. Carl Sears
Adams Hotel
Cheyenne at 4th
Tulsa, Oklahoma

Dear Carl:

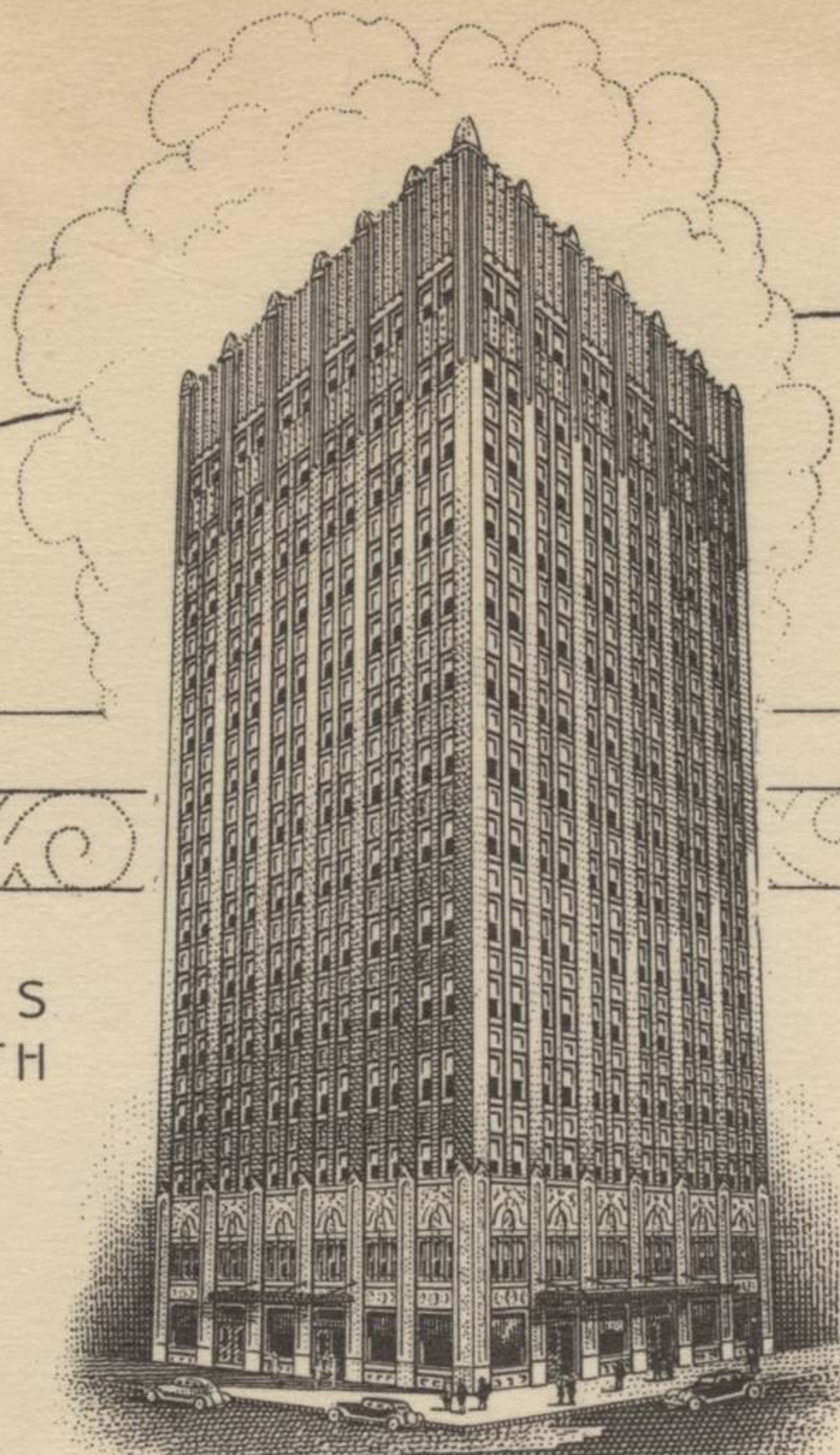
I am glad to have your letter of the 2nd instant
and if an emergency should arise regarding officials I will
be glad to keep you definitely in mind.

With all good wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,

FCA:lg:mln

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach



200 ROOMS
EACH WITH BATH

F. E. WASSON
Manager



ADAMS
Hotel

An Address of Distinction

CHEYENNE AT 4TH
Tulsa, Oklahoma

Dec. 2, 1940

Dr. Forrest C. Allen
Department of Athletics,
Kansas University,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Dr. Allen:

Sometimes circumstances beyond control prevent officials from carrying through an assignment.

In case such a contingency arises please give my experience and schedule consideration.

Enclosed is my schedule as of this date for your information.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely,

Carl Sears

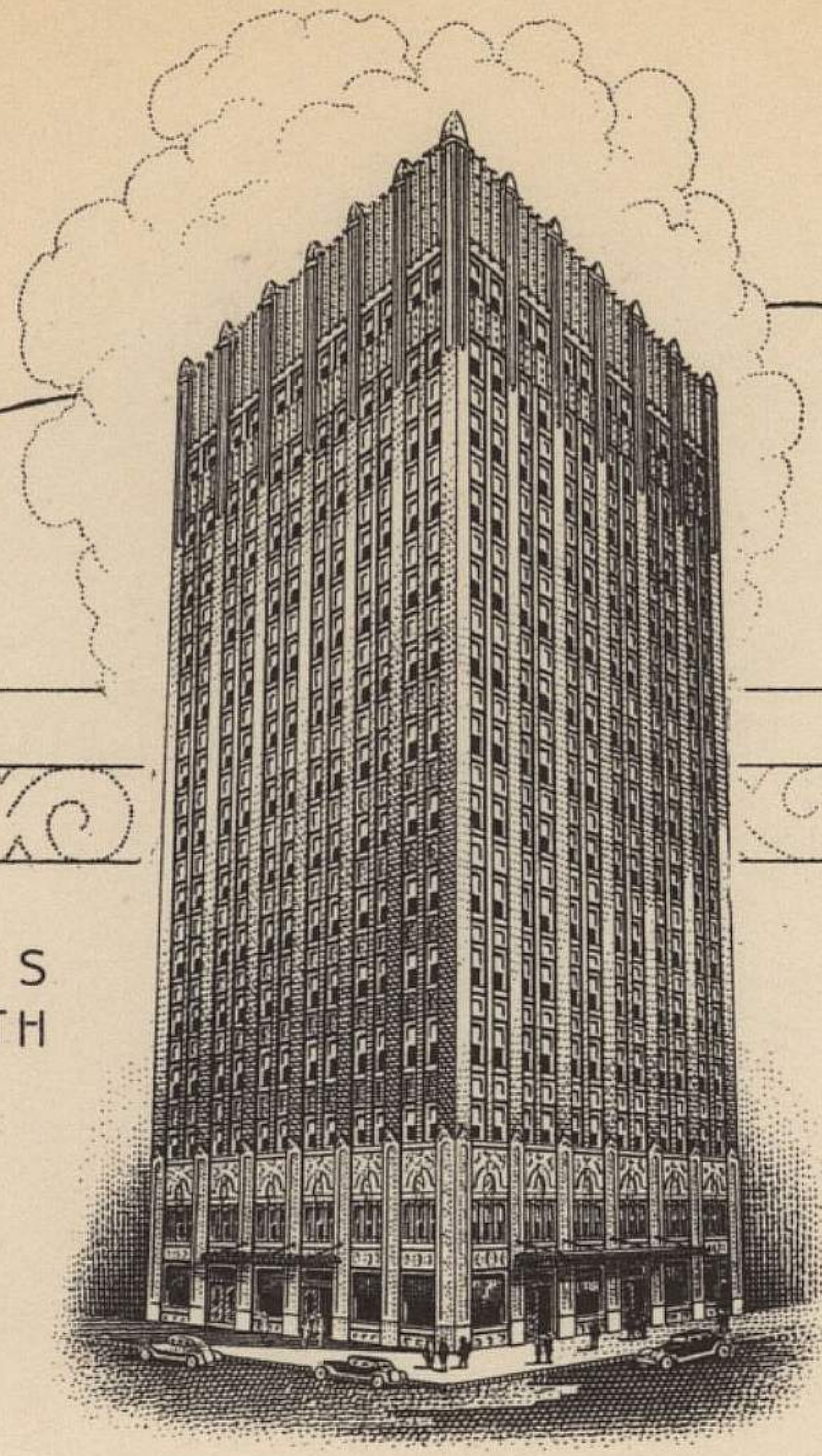
Carl Sears
Adams Hotel.

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Air Conditioned Rooms and Coffee Shop

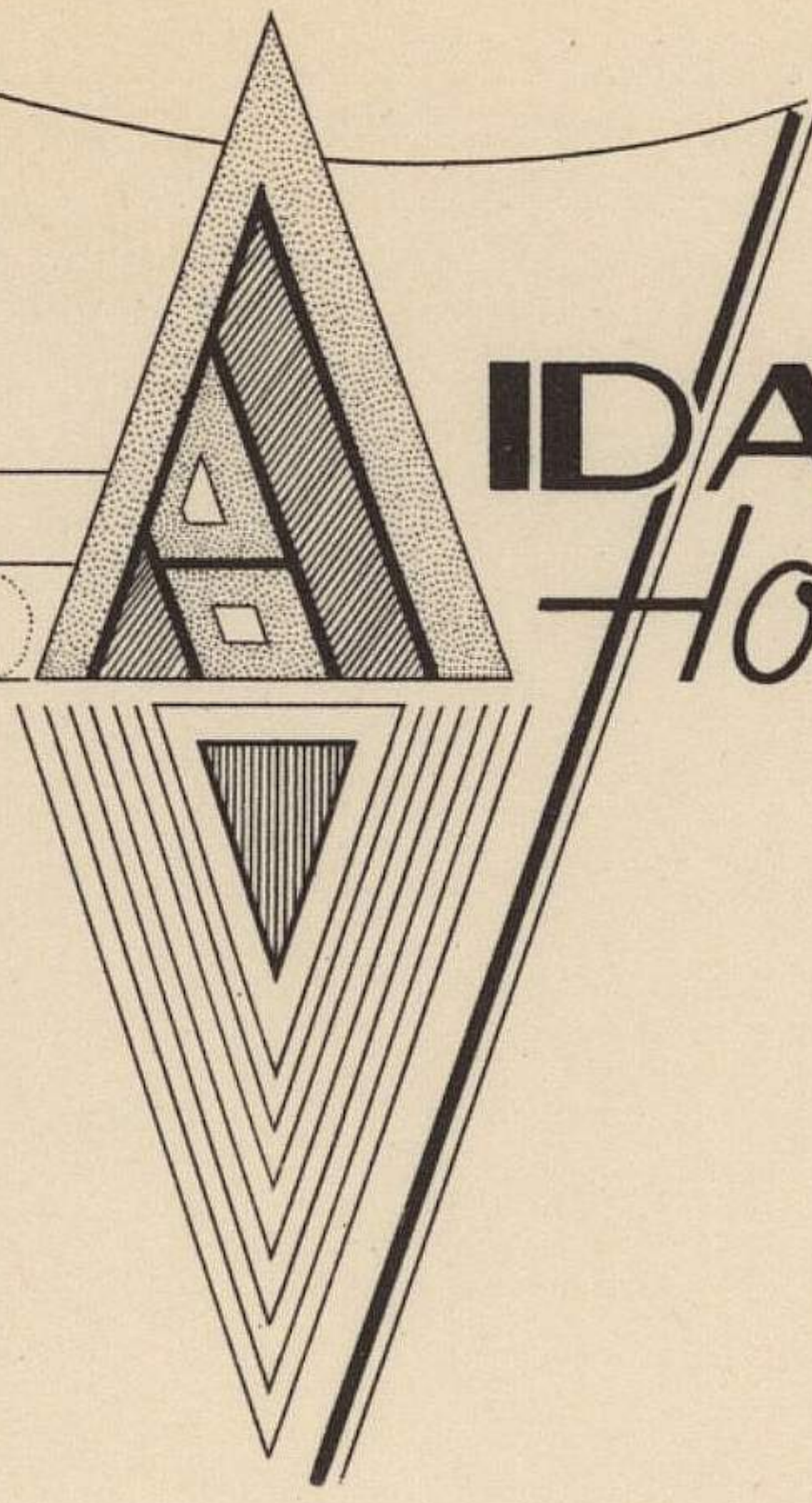
Basketball schedule -- Carl Sears -- 1940 - 41.

Dec. 13	--	Tulsa HS vs Ada	at Tulsa
Dec. 17	--	East Central vs Tulsa U	at Tulsa
Jan. 3	--	Webster HS vs Central	at Tulsa
Jan. 4	--	Arkansas U vs Pittsburg T.C.	at Pittsburg, Kan.
Jan. 10	--	Texas U vs Arkansas U	at Austin, Texas
Jan. 11	--	" " " "	" " "
Jan. 14	--	Tulsa U vs Pittsburg T.C.	at Tulsa
Jan. 17	--	Rice U vs Baylor U	at Houston, Texas
Jan. 31	--	Tulsa HS vs Opponent	at Tulsa
Feb. 1	--	Arkansas U vs Pittsburg	at Fayetteville, Ark.
Feb. 13	--	Central State vs Opponent	at Edmond
Feb. 14	--	Baylor U vs Texas U	at Waco, Texas.
Feb. 15	--	Muskogee HS vs Tulsa HS	at Muskogee
Feb. 18	--	Drumright HS vs Opponent	at Drumright
Feb. 21	--	East Central vs No. Western	at Ada
Feb. 22	--	" " " "	" "
Feb. 27	--	Central State vs Okla. Baptist	at Edmond
Mar. 8	--	Tulsa U vs Drake U	at Tulsa
Mar. 13	--	Okla. City U vs East Central	at Okla. City
Mar. 14	--	Okla. City U vs So. Western	at Okla. City



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Manager



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An Address of Distinction

CHEYENNE AT 4TH
Tulsa, Oklahoma

Oct. 30, 1940

Dr. Forrest C. Allen
Department of Athletics,
Kansas University,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Dr. Allen:

Another basketball season will be with us before we know it, but it seems only yesterday that you stretched me out on the floor of your room in Hotel Howard, at Fayette, Mo., and gave my sacroilliac the works.

You were the young coach of the Warrensburg Normals, and I a brash high school basketball player down in the back.

Now you are starting another year of coaching and I my twentieth year of officiating.

My assignments for the regular season are in the Southwest Conference, Missouri Valley and M.V.A.A.U., but I had hoped that sometime our trails would cross again.

Possibly your pre-season or inter-conference schedule would provide an opportunity to work some of your games.

With kindest personal regards and best wishes, I am

Sincerely,

Carl Sears
Carl Sears
Adams Hotel.

Air Conditioned Rooms and Coffee Shop

November 5, 1940

Mr. Carl Sears
Adams Hotel
Cheyenne at 4th
Tulsa, Oklahoma

Dear Mr. Sears:

Your letter of October 30 to Dr. Allen
has been received.

Dr. Allen is out of town at the present
time speaking at the State High School Teachers
Associations meetings, athletic sections, in Toledo
and Milwaukee.

Your letter will be brought to Dr. Allen's
attention upon his return.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary to Dr. Forrest G. Allen

Athletic Department
St. Benedict's College
Atchison, Kansas

DON ELSER-Athletic Director
Head Football Coach

MARTY PETERS-Basketball Coach
Line Coach

REV. MICHAEL CARROLL, O.S.B.
Faculty Representative

Dec. 3, 1940

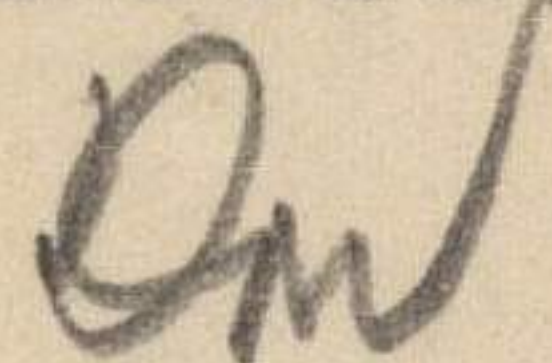
Mr. Forrest Allen
Kansas University
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Mr. Allen:

I will be in Lawrence on the two dates
that you assigned me. Dec. 9th, and 10th.
Thank you a lot for the assignments.

Wishing you continued success in your
fight for the conference championship I am,

Sincerely yours,



Don Elser
Athletic Director

Athletic Department
St. Benedict's College
Atchison, Kansas

DON ELSER-Athletic Director
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MARTY PETERS-Basketball Coach
Line Coach

REV. MICHAEL CARROLL, O.S.B.
Faculty Representative

Oct. 22, 1940

Mr. Forrest Allen
Kansas University
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Mr. Allen:

Just a reminder to let you know that I will be available for basketball officiating this year. In the event an opportunity for my services should come up I would certainly appreciate it.

Wishing you continued success and hoping to hear from you shortly I am,

Sincerely yours,


Don Elser
Athletic Director

November 5, 1940

Mr. Don Elser
Athletic Director
St. Benedict's College
Atchison, Kansas

Dear Mr. Elser:

Your letter of October 22 has been received.

Dr. Allen is out of town at the present time speaking at the State High School Teachers Associations meetings, athletic sections, in Toledo and Milwaukee.

It was Dr. Allen's desire to answer your letter before he left town, but not finding time to do so, he asked me to tell you that you may count on receiving a reply from him as soon as he returns.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary to Dr. Forrest C. Allen