

ATHLETIC SECTION
MIDWESTERN SIGNAL CORPS
REPLACEMENT TRAINING CENTER
CAMP CROWDER, MISSOURI

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

Dear Mr. Allen:

I received your letter this morning, and may truthfully state that it was a most pleasant surprise. We can now see that the faith put in the universities and colleges of our nation by the War Department was well placed.

Your idea to play both Fort Leavenworth and our team on the same night, although it will be extremely tough for your boys, is a splendid one, and I am sure that both of the Army teams will prove worthy opponents.

I accept your offer with great pleasure because we really want to play your team, and I believe that your proposal to play both teams would be an outstanding attraction.

If you can name a date upon which you could play at Camp Crowder, we would greatly appreciate it. Thanking you again for your cooperation and consideration,

Sincerely yours,

William F. Krickhan, Jr.

WM. F. KRICKHAN, JR.,
1st Lieut., Signal Corps,
Chief, Athletic Section.

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P.S. We will send all available information and mats in time for your publicity.