

Rolla Clymer correspondence

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This series of the Rolla Clymer collection includes sent and received correspondence arranged chronologically beginning in 1909. With few exceptions, the correspondence provides a continuous and very complete view of his activities. Much of the earliest correspondence in the Clymer collection pertains to information about the College of Emporia for the period Clymer was a student there. Scattered throughout the remainder of the correspondence is information about Emporia athletics and alumni activities and letters with former classmates. From 1914 to 1918, Clymer was editor and manager of the Olathe, Kansas, Register. In 1918, Rolla Clymer moved his young family to El Dorado, Kansas, where he became editor and manager of the El Dorado Republican. Except for a six month hiatus in 1937 as editor and manager of the Santa Fe New Mexican in Santa Fe, New Mexico, Clymer served the remainder of his professional career in El Dorado.

In his later years, Clymer devoted much of his time to efforts to preserve the Kansas Flint Hills region which he dearly loved. In addition to newspaper editorials, he wrote and published numerous widely circulated articles and poems about the Flint Hills. Perhaps his best known tribute was his poem "Majesty of the Hills," which helped earn him the designation as Poet Laureate of the Flint Hills. Rolla Clymer died on June 4, 1977, having been the editor of the El Dorado Times for fifty-nine years. For a complete contents list of the Rolla Clymer collection, see the External Links below.

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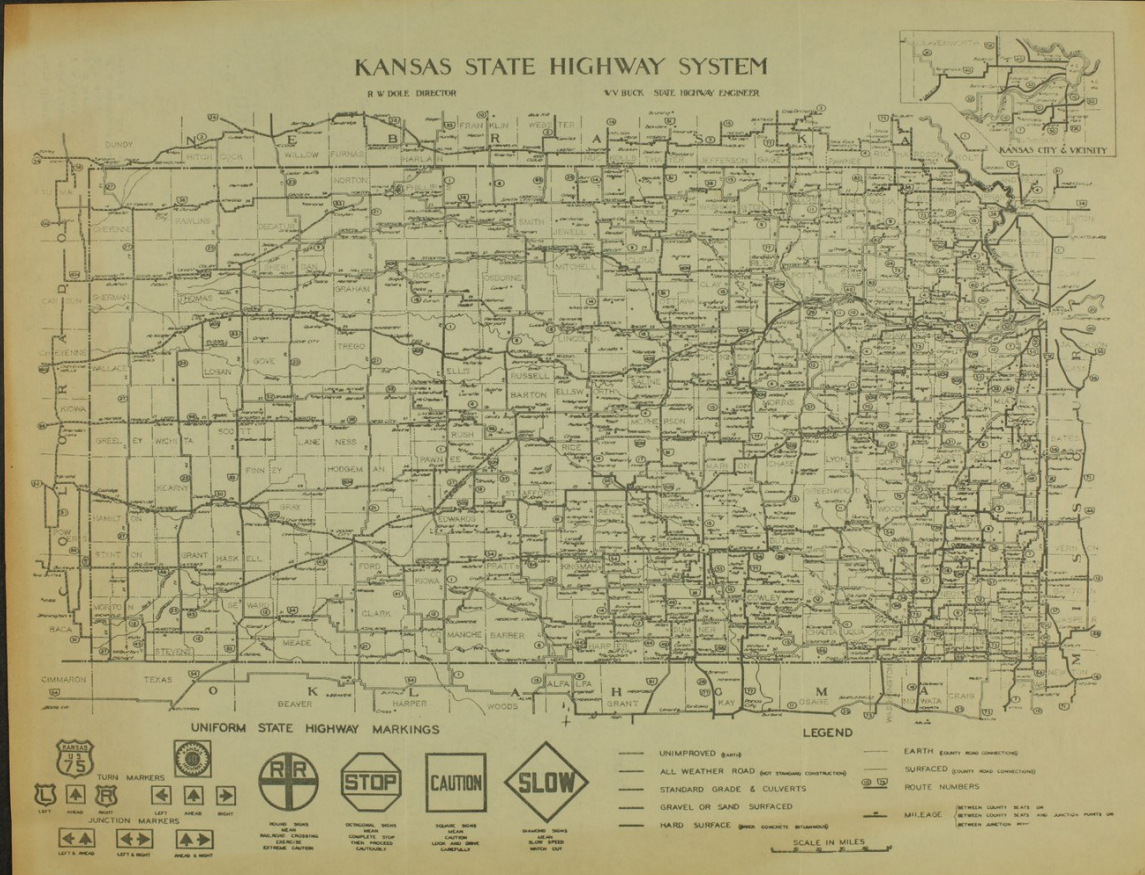
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September 23, 1930

My Dear Les:-

Betty shed tears over your article, "Buddy Edmonds, Stout Fellow." I was near to blubbing myself. Still feel that way. I wish there was something to do, some way to help. If sympathy helps one iota, you have it in abundance. We will all be wishing and hoping with you.

Sincerely your friend,



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The Associated Press.

GENERAL OFFICE
383 MADISON AVENUE AT 46TH ST.
NEW YORK, N. Y.

September 23, 1930.

To Proprietors,
The Times,
El Dorado, Kansas.

Gentlemen:-

We are advised by our Traffic Department that special services, as indicated below, were sent to your paper.

To cover the actual expense of these, The Associated Press making no charge for its services, a special draft has been drawn on your paper for \$10.00.

Please notify your business office and bank in order that the draft may be honored upon arrival in your city.

Very truly yours,
J. R. Youatt
Treasurer.

Kansas primary election August 5th.

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Sept. 24, 1930.

Mr. Rolla Clymer, Editor,
Eldorado Times,
Eldorado, Kans.

Dear Sir:-

The Arkansas City League of Women Voters is making an exhaustive study of the "City Manager" form of Government and has asked me to secure opinions from various sources in cities where this form has been tried - whether a success or not and why not.

Will you please advise me what the result has been in your city. Your early reply will oblige,

Yours truly,

Mrs. F. A. Lytle

Secy.

515 N. D. St.,
Arkansas City, Kans.

KANSAS STATE CHAPTER OF
SIGMA DELTA CHI
PROFESSIONAL JOURNALISTIC FRATERNITY
MANHATTAN, KANSAS

September 25, 1930.

Mr. R. A. Clymer, Editor
El Dorado Times
El Dorado, Kansas.

Dear Sir:

Your paper has been nominated as the representative of your district in the Superior Editors Contest sponsored by Kansas State Chapter of Sigma Delta Chi.

It was nominated in the classes "The paper which has the most constructive policies as exemplified in grade of news printed and the stands taken for the good of the community," and "The woman actively engaged in newspaper work, who has done the most constructive good in Kansas journalism." Will you please send three different issues of your paper, any that you may select, to be judged along with others in these classes.

We must receive these papers by October 1 in order to have them before the judges meeting. Send them to Sigma Delta Chi, K.S.A.C., Manhattan, Kansas.

Thanks.

Sincerely,

Earl C. Richardson

Earl C. Richardson
Committee Chairman.



September 27, 1930

Mrs. E. A. Tufts,
Arkansas City, Kansas

Dear Mrs. Tufts:-

In reply to your letter, will say that Eldorado is well satisfied with the city manager form of government, having had it for about fifteen years. The success of this plan depends upon the manager. If he is of the right type and has the support of good men on the commission behind him--constituting as it were a directorate of the municipal corporation--the plan is bound to work acceptably. It is, I think, preferable to other forms of city government.

Very truly yours,

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September 27, 1930

Mr. Milo V. Thompson,
News Editor The Associated Press,
Kansas City, Mo.

My Dear Mr. Thompson:-

I was sorry I missed you upon the occasion of your visit in Eldorado yesterday. Hope you will come again soon.

Our requirements for the world's series games this year will be the same as last. We want the full running report of all play by Morse wire. However, we do not care for all verbiage which says "Ball one, strike one," etc. The report we had last year gave the names of the players as they came to bat, related briefly what they did, and each half-inning was confined to a few lines. All the information was there in condensed form, which was highly satisfactory to us and to our readers. We do not care for a lead or a box score. We write our own lead and make up our own box score as the play proceeds.

I hope you can take care of us along these lines. Please let me know if it will be possible, as we want to make the proper announcement.

Very truly yours,

THE TIMES PUBLISHING COMPANY
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Eldorado, Kansas

September 30, 1930

The Associated Press,
Kansas City, Mo.

Have arrangements been made our service baseball
series Please answer.

THE TIMES

prepay and charge

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~~Septemberr~~
October 1, 1930

Mr. F. E. Milligan,
Fort Scott, Kansas

My Dear Mr. Milligan:-

We have liked the amateur boxing tournaments here and still feel that way after the second trial. It has been a good sporting event which has not failed to hold the interest of our fans. Consequently, we have been quite liberal with our space. The tournament this year spent about sixty dollars with us for advertising and job printing. Of course, we gave much more than that in the way of publicity, and our efforts and other papers undoubtedly contributed to its outstanding success. You will have to handle it as you see fit and according to your own ideas of policy. Showers is an excellent promoter, clean and keen. If you want some amateur boxing in Fort Scott, you couldn't get a better man to handle it. Your paper won't make much money out of it and will have to give considerable free publicity. We have felt that it was worth while. You will have to judge by your own standards.

Very truly yours,



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October 2, 1930

Mr. R. A. Clymer,
El Dorado, Kan.

Dear Clymer,

If I had time I would go down to Eckdall & McCarty's and get some paper edged in black but I want to get this off to you today so will use as is.

I have seen the College team a few times,-- including the alumni game. What I say will be my own honest impressions of the entire situation. I am "in bad" out at the institution on the hill but I will tell YOU how I feel.

I do not know all the names of the boys as I formerly did. I have never seen the College of Emporia with better Freshman football material. The entire squad is practically Sophomores and Freshmen. If we had either Grant or Henry as we formerly did, I would safely predict that we would lose not more than two games all Fall and that commencing next year we would be as tough as we have been for a decade. As it is I will be glad if we win two games this Fall or any succeeding Fall. Let's hope I am all wrong, a poor guesser, and have to eat my words. However, even tho' we should win more than two or have a fairly successful season I still will not change my mind.

The alumni won as they should. All those boys have been coaching and were in good shape. As I look back I could have played a fairly good game the year after I was out. The alumni team was made up of the old 1928 team with a few from further back. Bertsch played a wonderful game at end,-- just like he used to. The College team tried to match power with the alumni,-- with Appelk, Munday, Selves, Haun, etc. Silly idea! Why did not Rosy send them in there to kick that ball every time they got it for 20 minutes. Run the old grads up and down the field. That would have given them a chance to beat the old boys.

The College has Diebolt and Wilson and Long for tackles left from last year. They have a new man,-- Emsch (sounds like Nebraska and looks like it!) 200 pounds, active and alert. Rankhouser is a big lineman who wants to play guard and can. At ends we have Gibbs, a three yearman who will be good. Also Henning who is no good. Rice Brown is slender but a fighter and clever pass receiver. He will have to work hard to develop some ends but they are out there.

Hickey at center is left over but has been injured. He has two Freshmen who look fair, one should be very good with some sound coaching and hard work.

Backfield? Oh boy we have 'em. Simonton is back. He is dumb but a good player. If he keeps up his grades he will be a good man. Then Barnes, a sophomore from Southern Kansas who has been coached by a C of E man and knows all plays looks mighty good. He looked good last year but Rosy did not seem to know he was in school until this Fall.

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Rice at half is the fastest man we have but fumbles very badly. Some teaching and proper "handling" might help cure him. Gudge was cured of the same habit, - and how! Lohr, a freshman fullback looks better now than Replegle did as a freshman and I mean it! Day from Hiawatha is a dandy, fast, terrific driver, lots of guts, smart, but inclined to be too hot headed and too critical of fellow players but good coaches take all that out in a hurry. There are three others as good as Day that I do not know. There are five or six other linemen as good as good AS FRESHMEN as many of the members of the championship 1928 team.

Last Spring Coach Denny of Hiawatha brought this man Day down to Emporia to look things over, talk to coaches, enthruse a little etc. He told Rosy he had a man here and wanted him to talk to the boy. Not much enthusiasm was shown. He told him again, and agin. Finally one day he had the boy out to chapel and told Rosy the boy was there. "Well, I'll probably see enough of him next fall when he comes down without getting all excited over him now." That has been his attitude all the time. A boy who will be a regular at K.U. this fall (or atleast has been given great press reports) was here two years ago, when we had the big 1928 champions. He did not make the team even as a sub. He felt alright about it as he realized the power of that team. BUT he left and said he thought in a school the size of the College, the Coach ought to know who he was when he met him on the street after he had been here during one season. And he was right about it.

Technically Harr does not know football or he cannot put it over to the boys. He has to get beaten repeatedly with a certain combination or piece of strategy before he see it clearly. By that time the opposition has gotten up a new one. All our previous coaches have been a step ahead of the field instead of a lap behind.

I go to the E club dinners, "talk it up" among the boys, etc with the hope that we will keep the material coming until we get a change.

Washburn will have the bog team this year. Pittsburg will be good. Wichita may but we hear from first hand reports that the coach at Wichita is extremely profane, and terribly abusive. Kansas boys will not stand for that and he cannot put out a consistent winner with that kind of tactics. The Normal will have a fast clever team.

I must stop this as I get discouraged when I try to analyse the situation. As long as I just look at it casually I get along fine and can even kid myself into a bright outlook.

I sure would like to see you here some day and we would go out and look the boys over.

Best wishes to you, Beth, and the family.

G. Conlin
Rolla

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The Associated Press.

SOUTHWESTERN DIVISION
1715 GRAND AVENUE, GATEWAY STATION P. O.
KANSAS CITY, MO.

October 3, 1930

Mr. R. A. Clymer,
The Times,
El Dorado, Kas.

Dear Mr. Clymer:

"We have received a number of requests for the evening paper comics and cartoon service in full page mats, suitable for immediate casting in curved plate boxes.

Arrangements have been completed to supply these mats as soon as enough members agree to a small increase in assessment necessary to cover the extra costs. The additional assessment will not exceed \$2 weekly and may be as low as \$1 if enough members want to make use of this method of cutting composing room expenses.

The proposed full-page mats would include all captions and necessary outlines and be ready for use as a newspaper page with one casting. Each page would contain four 6-column strips, two 3-column panels, two 2-column panels and the crossword puzzle and would be supplied in the 8-column size, about 16½"X20½".

If this full-page service is instituted, the original assessments made to cover the expense will be adjusted subsequently whenever increased participation makes it possible to lower the rate.

Please let me know if you are interested.

Sincerely,

W. L. Thompson
News Editor

MMTB



October 4, 1930.

R. A. Clymer, Editor,
Walnut Valley Times,
El Dorado, Kansas.

Dear Sir:

We notice several articles in your paper on the editorial page the purpose of which is to influence the voters against voting for the Income Tax Amendment.

I would like one-fourth double column in your paper on the editorial page, at so much per day, as often as I wish to use it from now until election, to be used in favor of the Income Tax Amendment, the material for which I will supply.

Kindly let me know whether you can furnish me this space and at how much per day, if I use the space at least ten days? If I use it twenty days? If I use all the days from now until election?

I do not want this accredited to me, personally, but you could mark it- Member Income Tax Committee- if you so desire.

Kindly let me hear from you at your earliest convenience.

Very truly,

October 6, 1930

Mr. J. D. Joseph,
Whitewater, Kansas

My Dear Mr. Joseph:-

I am enclosing a rate card in answer to your letter. The open rate on the left hand side of the card is the one for you to use in figuring your space requirements. The inch rate, of course, refers to one column wide and an inch deep. An advertisement two columns wide and five inches deep would be ten inches, which would cost \$3.50 per issue. If you use sufficient volume of space during a thirty days' interval, the rate automatically takes the designations listed below. I am sure you will find this card carrying sufficient information for your purposes.

As to publishing your copy on the editorial page each day, I cannot assure that. We do not sell position in our paper; the exigencies of each day's problem must take care of that. However, we would keep your request uppermost in mind and I feel it is altogether possible that we might be able to place your advertisement on that page most (if not all) of the time.

If you favor us with your copy, we will try to give you the best of service.

Very truly yours,

THE TIMES PUBLISHING COMPANY
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October 6, 1930

Mr. Milo M. Thompson,
News Editor The Associated Press,
Kansas City, Mo.

My Dear Mr. Thompson:-

We are not interested in a full
page mat of comics and cartoons. We never make up a full
page to run that way, and the extra expense of having
these features in such form would be a dead waste as far
as we are concerned.

Very truly yours,

THE TIMES PUBLISHING COMPANY
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October 6, 1930

Western Newspaper Union,
Wichita, Kansas

Dear Sirs:-

Please ship us at once fifty (50) pounds of
dry Stek-o paste.

Very truly yours,

THE TIMES PUBLISHING COMPANY
per

The Associated Press.

SOUTHWESTERN DIVISION
1715 GRAND AVENUE, GATEWAY STATION P. O.
KANSAS CITY, MO.

October 6, 1930

Mr. R. A. Clymer,
The Times,
El Dorado, Kas.

Dear Mr. Clymer:

Against that time, which must eventually come, when The Times will need the state printer service, please put this letter in your files.

The assessment increase for the service will be \$48.05 weekly. This will eliminate the expense for extra protection, special fight, baseball and election wires. It will also put The Times in the class in which it belongs and need not, I am sure, hinder the development of local news.

You told me one time that you were going into this subject after you got that new press paid for. That day must be nearly here.

Best wishes to you,

Sincerely,

Milo M. Thompson:B

Milo M. Thompson
News Editor



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The Associated Press.

October 7, 1930.

GENERAL OFFICE
383 MADISON AVENUE AT 46TH ST.
NEW YORK, N. Y.

Mr. R. A. Clymer,
The Times,
El Dorado, Kansas.

Dear Mr. Clymer:

At the request of a number of member newspapers, we have made arrangements to supply each day's releases of the Comics and Cartoon Service in full-page mats, including captions and lines. This is contingent on obtaining orders from a sufficient number of members, at a small additional assessment, to cover the cost.

This page mat, 8 columns wide, would include the four 6-column strips, two 3-column panels, two 2-column panels and the 2-column crossword puzzle. It would be approximately 16½ inches wide by 20½ inches deep, printing surface.

The day and date would be included in a folio line but the name of the paper could not be included. The mat would be ready for casting the plate used in your newspaper, eliminating all individual flat-casts, setting and renewing captions, making-up each day's comic page and rolling the page mat.

If you are using a full page of comics, we believe, the savings effected in the elimination of these mechanical operations will be much greater than the additional assessment for the page-mats, which would be from \$1.00 to \$2.00 weekly, depending on the number of members participating.

The full-page mat service will be started as soon as we have sufficient orders to cover the expense. You would be advised of the exact assessment before the service is begun and this would be adjusted subsequently whenever increased participation makes possible a reduction.

May we have your decision, please, at your earliest convenience?

Sincerely yours,

W. F. Brooks
General Feature Editor

WFBrooks:FJS:HG

(AP) MEANS ASSOCIATED PRESS

Rolla Clymer correspondence

Copy

Rolla:

Of course the Eldorado tournament was in a class by itself, but Herington certainly did herself proud--n'est-ce pas?

A.C.S.

Oct. 13, 1930.

Frank Brickell,
Herington Ice Company,
Herington, Kansas.

Dear Mr. Brickell:

Upon arriving home from the recent editorial golf tournament in Herington, I wish to write immediately to thank you personally for the two Sarazen woods which came to me as winner of the consolation of the first flight. They are beautiful clubs and make a prize which any golfer would certainly value most highly.

I want to thank you, too, even more sincerely for the part you and the other business men of Herington had in the hospitable arrangements which contributed so enormously to the pleasure of our stay in your city during the tournament. Herington, I believe, is the smallest town in which we have ever held a tournament and yet I do not exaggerate in the least when I say that no other town ever showed us a better time. Every civic and personal courtesy that could possibly have been shown us was done, and I don't know when I have had a better time. All of the golfing editors of Kansas feel under deep obligation to Herington and I want to add my special thanks and appreciation to the rest.

Sincerely,

A.C. Scott



October 13, 1930

Mr. W. F. Brooks,
General Feature Editor,
The Associated Press,
New York, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Brooks:-

We have already written to Mr. Milo
M. Thompson, division news editor at Kansas City, saying
we are not interested in the full page mat service.

Very truly yours,

THE TIMES PUBLISHING COMPANY
per

October 14, 1930

Mr. Bert Harris,
Herington, Kansas

My Dear Bert:-

You put it over in great style. It was a grand tournament, well arranged and well handled in every particular. After our splurge last spring, in which we went entirely too strong, you showed an extraordinary fine brand of common sense by doing your best and not trying to out-do anybody else. I am proud of you. You should also be happy over the fine cooperation you had at home; the fellows there certainly helped a lot. I think I got more satisfaction ~~fixing~~ out of the cooperation of the home folk than anything else from my tournament.

I pulled out early Saturday and did not get to tell you goodbye. I would have said these things then, but am now writing them instead. I suppose you are tired this week, but it ought to be a fatigue savored by a consciousness of well done. Now go ahead and get elected to the legislature. And then may the Lord have pity on you.

Sincerely yours,

I am writing a thank-you note to Jett's today.

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October 14, 1930


Jett Mercantile Company,
Herington, Kansas

Dear Sirs:-

I am the very happy recipient of a Gladstone bag given by your firm as a prize in the Kansas Editorial Association golf tournament held last week in Herington. It was a generous gift, far too generous for such a would-be golfer as I, but I prize and appreciate it very highly. I want you to know how grateful I am to you for this evidence of your good will toward our association, and wish to thank you most cordially for the gift itself. The Herington tournament was well handled and the cooperation of your business and civic interests is a bit of community enterprise that does your town proud. I spent two very pleasant days there and will always carry with me a most favorable impression of your wide-awake and progressive town.

Again thanking you, I remain

Sincerely yours,



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October 14, 1930

Mr. Cecil Jones,
Wichita, Kansas

My Dear Lad:-

I have cracked a sore lip several times over your good letter which arrived today. I am sorry that your faith in some of our specimens of mankind has been weakened. I knew your opponent quite well from previous contact, and was not surprised at anything that happened. However, putting down a groove is something not ordinarily tolerated by the devotees of the game--those fellows who would rather be good sports than champions. I got a great deal of amusement out of the whole affair, but think you bore yourself most nobly under the provocation. I hope your war clubs will be duly sharpened, and that next spring you will take all the braw lads into camp when we come to Wichita. I doubt if I will be in the first flight on such a course as the Wichita Country Club, but I can sit on the fence and watch you go by.

Hope I can see you sometime. It is a long while between tournaments. And I like to be around you.

Sincerely,

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KANSAS GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY



WICHITA, KANSAS

October 14, 1930

Mr Rolla A Clymer
The El Dorado Times
El Dorado, Kansas

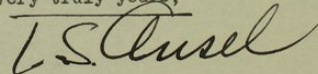
Dear Mr Clymer:

After playing a great plenty of golf and having a great time in general, it occurred to me that I should drop you this note to express my pleasure at meeting you and to congratulate you and Mr Harris upon the tournament held at Herington.

Though I did not attend the El Dorado meeting, from what I have heard of it, it too must have been a corker. Because I had not previously attended any of these tournaments, you can appreciate the fact that my pleasure at Herington was rather unlimited.

The next time I am in El Dorado I am going to take the liberty of dropping in upon you with Mr Cox to say hello.

Very truly yours,



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The Associated Press.

SOUTHWESTERN DIVISION
1715 GRAND AVENUE, GATEWAY STATION P. O.
KANSAS CITY, MO.

October 14, 1930

Mr. R. A. Clymer,
The Times,
El Dorado, Kas.

Dear Mr. Clymer:

State President Oscar S. Stauffer has directed me to issue a call to the regular fall meeting of the members and editors of Kansas Associated Press newspapers to be held at 10 AM November 8 in Lawrence, Kansas.

The Topeka Daily Capital, which invited the members of the Kansas association to be its guests this fall, has yielded to the Journal-World the pleasure of being host with expectation of entertaining the group next Spring instead.

Because discussions at this meeting will touch upon a large part of your newspaper service and your expenses it is desirable to have your paper represented by yourself, if possible, or by one of your responsible editors, or both.

Incidentally, the day of the meeting is the day of the Kansas-Nebraska football game at which the members and editors will be guests of the Journal-World and the state university.

Sincerely,

W. B. Thompson
Secretary
Kansas Associated Press

MMT:B

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The Associated Press.

WICHITA, KANSAS,
OCTOBER 16, 1930.

TO ALL PONY MEMBERS:

BECAUSE OF THE LARGE AMOUNT OF SPORTS AND REWRITES FROM THE NIGHT REPORT CARRIED ON THE KANSAS WIRE THE FIRST TWO HOURS IN THE MORNING IT HAS BEEN SUGGESTED THAT THE SENDING OF THE FIRST QUOTA BE DELAYED AN HOUR. WITH THE PRESENT TIME OF FILING IT OFTEN IS DIFFICULT TO GET NEW MATERIAL FOR THE PONY REPORT.

SEVERAL MEMBERS ALSO HAVE REQUESTED THAT THE KANSAS CITY MARKETS BE DROPPED FROM THE REPORT AND NEWS SUBSTITUTED. AS IT IS THE POLICY TO LET THE MAJORITY RULE, MAY WE PLEASE HAVE YOUR VOTE ON BOTH OF THESE QUESTIONS IMMEDIATELY?

SINCERELY,

Calvin B. Munson
CORRESPONDENT.



THE VOICE

Speaking for all of the United Companies

ELLIOTT BELDEN, EDITOR

ABILENE, KANSAS

October 16, 1930

Rolla Clymer, Editor
The El Dorado Times
El Dorado, Kansas

Dear Rolla:

A photograph taken at the Herington tournament is enclosed. While it is not an especially good picture, I believe that a close student of editorial golf in Kansas would recognize on the left the recent president of the Kansas Editorial Golf Association.

I want to thank you again for the excellent suggestions you gave me last Friday night for our tournament here next Fall. If it isn't too much trouble, I would appreciate having you send me copies of some of the printed material which you used at El Dorado. I refer particularly to the list showing prizes for various flights and instructions concerning the tournament.

Sincerely yours,

P.S. Please remember that we are counting on you sure for the tournament at Abilene next Fall.

Rolla Clymer correspondence

HUGH J. POWELL

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Rolla Clymer,
El Dorado Times,
El Dorado, Kansas.

Dear Roll:

We inclose herewith copy of KGGF program for next week. Would appreciate your printing same in your valuable paper if you have space. If you cannot use the program in full, we should like very much if you could at least give the hours when we are on the air each day. Three evenings each week WNAD, the Oklahoma University station, Norman, Oklahoma, has considerable time, and it would be an accommodation to your readers to advise them of KGGF broadcast hours.

Very cordially yours,

Hugh J. Powell

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