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Mr. Theron S. Parmelee
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Salt Lake City, Utah

Dear Mr. Parmelee:

In reply to your favor of the 30th ultimo I beg to state that our Christmas holidays begin on December 18th and close on January 3rd.

The town of Lawrence is a small town and when our students are away, of course, we naturally draw a very small gate. I do not see that we would be able to offer you much of a guarantee when the students are out of town.

And, again, it rather antagonizes the students for us to play games during the vacation when they do not have an opportunity to see the games played.

The Big Six Conference always schedules a game for each one of their members as soon as the schools open up in January. I presume that they will follow the same scheme of things. Our schedule is made at Lincoln, Nebraska on Friday, May 21st. After that time I can give you definite information when our first game will be played.

There is a rule in our conference which prohibits our scheduling any game until the conference schedule is arranged. We might be able to play you on the night of January 3rd or the 4th if the conference does not arrange a date at that time.

It might be better for you to suggest what you could play a game for in Lawrence. We would then be able to tell you whether we could meet your request for a guarantee.

Very cordially yours,

Director.

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