

September 22, 1945.

Mr. Clarence Hoff, Manager,
Municipal Auditorium,
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Mr. Hoff:

Will you kindly hold February 5th for Kansas? I am not sure that the Iowa Seahawks would be the best drawing card for that date, but at the meeting in Kansas City of the Big Six basketball coaches, Lieutenant Nordly was there and was interested in playing a game then.

I received a letter from Reaves Peters and he explained that you had done everything that you could in getting some open dates for our Big Six play. Had we been able to get these open dates I am sure that we would have packed the hall if Missouri and the other schools should be granted permission. We are not sure of the permission as yet. But some day we will get this across and we will pack the hall full for two nights hand-running.

I have been endeavoring to get the Big Six exhibition play-offs during Christmas week for several years but until Kansas slumped somewhat and some of the other schools come up, there are a few votes that I am afraid will be adverse to us. But some day it will come and what a crowd of people will turn out!

Let me know if you are holding February 5th. I am hoping to play several games in Kansas City if I can arrange it. I am not going to take long trips this year. Therefore, we will endeavor to play teams in Kansas City at the Auditorium on the dates that are open.

With all good wishes to you and your colleagues, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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