

July 17, 1942.

Mr. Henry P. Iba,
Director of Athletics,
Oklahoma A. & M. College,
Stillwater, Oklahoma.

Dear Hank:

Jack Gardner was in this morning and arranged to play us a couple of basketball games. As you know, we are playing the Pre-Flight School in Kansas City on January 29, and Great Lakes on the 30th. If Tony Hinkle had gone ahead with the arrangements so we could have met in Kansas City we would have made everybody a lot of money. But Tony preferred to play George Edwards and that blew up our party.

However, Jack Gardner is very anxious to play you in Kansas City on January 29 when we play the Pre-Flight School of Iowa City. Do you have that date open? If you do, we will cut you in equally with the Pre-Flight School and Kansas. Gardner says he will be willing to come for expenses and I think a game between your outfit and Jack Gardner's outfit, together with our appearing on the floor the same night, should draw a fine crowd for us.

If we could match an opponent for you on the 30th that would prove a good drawing card we would still be willing to do that. Can you think of anyone that we would not have to cut the pie four ways for - someone to play Oklahoma A. & M.? You see, Hank, if we cut it four ways it will be cutting into the earnings but if we cut it three ways and get someone to play for expenses then we will make enough money for everyone.

But if you have only the 29th open what do you say as to playing on the 29th?

Very cordially yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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