

December 14, 1938.

Mr. Maurice L. Breidenthal,  
Security National Bank,  
Kansas City, Kansas.

Dear Maurice:

We were down in Oklahoma - perhaps you know that. We got licked twice by Henry Iba's Oklahoma Aggies - perhaps you know that. We didn't look good - all of us know that!

Now, here is a little story I want to pass on to you. Evan Edwards, who is assistant superintendent of the Highway Patrol in Topeka, wrote Bus Ham, sports editor of the Daily Oklahoman, that the appointment of Gwinn Henry and so forth was all a "Phog" Allen frame-up. That little action of the Relays Club, when Carl Friend called W. W. Davis and Dr. Kirkpatrick called Dr. Billingsley, was a part of the scheme to hatch something to break at the proper time, but it didn't work out.

When I was in Stillwater last week C. O. Burnside drove over and told me that Edwards was very active with Bus Ham. I just wanted you to know the activities of certain individuals.

We are leaving tomorrow morning for Austin, Texas, where we play the University of Texas on Friday and Saturday, and on the following Monday and Tuesday we play Southern Methodist at Dallas. Hope we do some better. We don't look so hot without Miller, and especially without Mr. Pralle and Mr. Schmidt. But we will come along, although I am afraid not to a championship. It doesn't look as though we have a good sparkplug or a great leader. Our sophomores look much better than the upper classmen.

When I get back to town I do hope that I have a half-hour luncheon date with you some time without cutting in on your busy existence. I really want to have one of those old time thirty minute bull fests.

With Yuletide greetings and sincerest wishes, I am

Cordially yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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