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Dear Phog:

I was glad to receive your letter yesterday and got to talk with Mr. Young a few minutes about the possibility of making some sort of an arrangement whereby we could give you a little more money to play here than for us to play there. Mr. Young suggested to go ahead and see what arrangements we could make and then take it to our Athletic Council.

With this set-up in mind, I am writing you to see if you could hold a date for us in Lawrence on December 28th, which would work in rather well provided we play in Colorado Springs on the 26th. In the event that the 26th date falls through we would probably prefer to play in Lawrence on the 26th inasmuch as we could hardly afford to stay over that long on our return trip.

The dedication game here on February 10th should be a gala affair as we are having a regular carnival of wrestling, boxing, track climaxed by a basketball game that night. I really feel that your team would top it off and surely appreciate your willingness to help us even though you have a conference game on the 12th of February.

I have looked up the railroad fares and find that the coach fare from Lawrence to Lansing is \$16.52 and first class is \$21.65. Lower pullman to Kansas City is \$3.15 and tourist is \$1.60. It is possible for you to put your team on the train here Saturday night following the game and you would arrive in Chicago early Sunday morning. Arrangements could probably be made to have your pullman attached to a train for Kansas and you would not have to make any changes.

Do you feel that your department could pay us a \$300.00 guarantee to play there, and we would give you \$350.00 here with possible entertainment in the form of sleeping facilities at local fraternities. m