

March 1, 1941

Mr. Harold W. Copeland, Principal  
Holyrood Rural High School  
Holyrood, Kansas

Dear Mr. Copeland:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your good letter of the 24th instant and I assure you that nothing would give me more pleasure than to speak at your Banquet at Holyrood.

I have agreed to coach the varsity baseball team this spring and we have games with Oklahoma on April 17th and 18th. It might be possible that I could speak at your Banquet on April 22nd.

The State does not make provision for our traveling expenses and I make no charge except for transportation with my Buick Roadmaster which I drive. It is necessary because of my heavy schedule to go and come at my convenience, therefore, I drive a large car so that I am not worn out when I get to my destination after a hard drive. I find that I cannot operate my car for less than 5¢ per mile each way.

If you would care to pay for my transportation on this basis, I will make every effort to be with you. I would appreciate it if you would write me at your earliest convenience and let me know if the 22nd is agreeable with you.

Very cordially yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation  
Varsity Basketball Coach

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