

June 3, 1943.

The Budget Committee,
University of Kansas.

Gentlemen:

Not having heard from Mr. Livingston, of the Bacharach Company, I called him this afternoon and learned some bad news. The Oklahoma man who was expected here the fore part of this week was stricken with appendicitis and was operated, so he is out of the picture. They now have a man in Texas who is having trouble with a motor. If they can release him they will bring him on.

Mr. Livingston is flying to Salt Lake City tomorrow but he will be back the first of the week and he gives me his promise that this job is very definitely on his mind and heart.

I did learn some good news, however; that the pump that we thought might take two months to procure, under the AA-1 priority rating was secured by Mr. Livingston from a pump man who accepted this priority. He diverted this pump from another shipment. So when we do get fixed up we may get the whole job done at one time.

This is very discouraging, but we know of nothing else we can do, only to be reasonable yet put on the pressure in every possible way.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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