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Chancellor Deane W. Malott
Office of the Chancellor

Dear Chancellor Malott:

Certainly we will do everything we can immediately to repair the wire netting backstops at the concrete courts.

Budgetary balances have been badly kicked to pieces in repairing the backstops for the other tennis courts. Labor shortages and procurement of the necessary wire netting have also caused bottlenecks.

Certainly now, if at any time, we need everyone of our tennis courts and other recreative facilities in the best possible shape.

I can share the unhappiness of the students when they fail to find the tennis courts rolled and lined at times.

It costs us \$1.00 per day per court to roll and mark these playing surfaces. A rain obliterates all markings and so you can begin to see what showers cost us. Getting these courts marked again taxes our labor supply.

If the Athletic Department has need for Mr. Davidson and his helper, it is necessary for us to wait until these workmen can give us a share of their time.

I am sure you can see the picture without further elaboration, but we will get it done somehow. I mean pronto! But just how will be another problem.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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