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Phillips Petroleum Company

Eighty Broadway

New York

November 8, 1940.

Dear Doctor:

We are invited to bring Phillips Petroleum's basketball team, National A. A. U. Champions, to Madison Square Garden to compete with the Ohrbach Athletic Association team, New York A. A. U. Champions, the evening of November 25. The game will start about 10 P. M.

Mr. K. S. Adams and I cordially invite you to be our guest at an informal stag dinner at the Ambassador Hotel at 7:30 P. M. and afterwards at the game. We will go direct from the dinner to the Garden.

As you perhaps know, more physical skill and quicker mental decisions are required in basketball than in most other sports. All members of the Phillips team are employees of the Company, and five are All-American.

Please advise me at this office as to whether or not you can be with us. If you cannot attend the dinner but can join the party later at the Garden, your ticket will be mailed to you.

Cordially,

(Signed) Frank Phillips

Dr. Forrest C. Allen
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas.