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

Dear Doc :-

Enclosed please find cashier's check for ten simoleons to get me four(4) tickets to the game here Saturday. The reason in being late is that I've been up into the state of Nebraska and just got back last week in time to go to Columbia to the Oklahoma-Missouri game. I had all ready gotten my tickets there from George Edwards, but didn't get down there in time to get any for November 24. I know that if there are any left you and Mr. Falkenstein will lasso four for me. I saw him and C.E. McBride just before the Nebraska-Kansas game. In spite of the score, it was close, and with a bit of luck Kansas would have won.

The price of the tickets may be \$2.25 or it may be \$2.50 each, but if it be the former, just buy your self some tomato juce with the remainder. I'm enclosing a self-addressed, stamped envelope for your reply. Just this one time please extand yourself for me, and I'll appreciate it very much, and not practice the lasiis-faire doctrine again. I saw Sylvester Thomas(Sol) McInenerney the other day in Omaha(he's our special agent out of Des Moines) and the big Celt weighs 215 pounds, which is 18 more than I do. Both of us could well have served our country during the recent hostilities by letting ourselves be sold for lard. I'll bet Sol couldn't jump 14 feet in broad jump now, with all that weight.

I am making no predictions on the game. When Purdue beats Ohio State, UCLA beats St. Marys, etc. I give up. I put one dollar on a parlay this week on a ten game guess and hit nine of them. Needless to say, I didn't get any money for that ninety per cent guess.

Regards,

LC.