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Dear "Doc":

I know a lot of K.U. people shared the same feeling of pride that I did when they saw the announcement in the Sunday Kansas City paper regarding your selection by the Helms Foundation of Los Angeles as "the greatest basket ball coach of all time". The only thing is that the Helms Foundation is just finding out what all of we K.U. people (and the other teams and coaches in the Big Six) have known for a good many years. It is, however, a real satisfaction to see that your ability is properly recognized.

I am sorry to have to admit that I did not have a chance to see your swell 1942-43 team in action this year but between gas rationing and a lot of night work to be done in connection with our Army Air Force contracts, there never seemed to be sufficient spare time.

Congratulations again on the honor and heres wishing you continued success and good luck.

Yours very truly,

"Red" Cromb

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