COLGATE UNIVERSITY ATHLETIC COUNCIL

HUNTINGTON GYMNASIUM HAMILTON · NEW YORK

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

Dear "Phog":

Because of ill health our basketball coach, John Galloway has been obliged to resign his position. In addition to his duties as basket-ball coach Mr. Galloway was also a member of our football staff.

In the selection of a basketball coach we desire a man with an established basketball reputation. The candidate chosen must have shown outstanding ability in the basketball field. Our principal interest in this appointment is coaching basketball. The football duties can be adjusted in accord with the football experience of the candidate.

We will appreciate any recommendation that you may feel free to give us for this position. The man recommended may be one of your own former players or some other exceptionally good coach that you will recommend. This position can be made a very attractive one and the Colgate Director of Athletics, Mr. William A. Reid, as well as the Colgate Athletic Council are eager to select the best man available.

Any help that you can give us in this matter will be greatly appreciated. Because we do not desire to have a great flood of applicants for the position we prefer that you consider this letter confidential.

With kind personal regards, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Andrew Kerr Football Coach

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