March 26, 1946 Mr. Ben Douglas Grinnell College Department of Athletics Grinnell, Iowa Dear Ben: I have been delayed in answering your letter due to the pressing basketball season which is now past. It was swell to hear that you are back from Peleliu and that you are back in the coach business. As you know, even with all the headaches it does have many advantages. Thanks for your well wishing. It helped a lot, I know. We were all disappointed in not being able to handle Oklahoma A & M but we are glad that the grind is over and are looking forward to a fresh session next year. Spring has come to Kansas and the golf course becomes more attractive each day. I have been able to get out on a few occasions between speaking trips. Let me hear from you again. It is always a pleasure to know what you are doing. With best wishes, I am Sincerely yours, Director of Physical Education, Varsity Basketball Coach. FCA:MF -