

DODGE CITY SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

DODGE CITY, KANSAS

F. B. TOALSON
PRINCIPAL

October 8, 1941

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

Dear Mr. Allen:

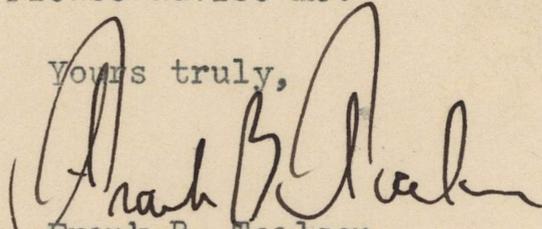
I was very disappointed when I found from your letter of September 30, that you thought it inadvisable to plan on having your Varsity Team with you at Dodge City for the Basketball Clinic December 11 and 12.

I talked with Mr. Stanton, our basketball coach, about it, and he was of the opinion that you thought that the boys might come out for Friday only when he talked with you last, and he thought perhaps that when I asked for both days, Thursday and Friday, that you decided perhaps that was too much, and that you had better not consider bringing them along. We would like to have the boys for Friday only, if that would be possible.

It is true that they would miss one school day, but it is also true that, as far as benefits to the University is concerned, they would be doing a great thing for the University of Kansas in making an appearance out here at Dodge City. I am sure that all the Southwest Basketball Teams would be here and that most of the Principals, Superintendents, and all the Coaches would be here. You see we have never had a Varsity Team in Dodge City and they would all come in to see the University of Kansas Varsity Team. I am sure that this would be a good thing for the University as well as Southwest Kansas Athletics.

If you can possibly reconsider and bring these boys out for Friday only, we would appreciate it very much. We will take care of the finances some way. Please advise me.

Yours truly,


Frank B. Toalson
Principal

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