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Dear Dr. Allen:

Thank you for your informative and interesting letter of January 24. You probably think I had a great deal of "guts" in wiring you, as I did. However, I thought perhaps Burt could carry on, after you had given him whatever information and advise you might have.

I have just dispatched a letter to Jack Gardner, the new Basketball Coach at Kansas State, who was formerly an associate of mine here in California (despite the fact that he is a U.S.C. graduate!). I thought perhaps Jack might give me some inside, first-hand information, which might answer the question as to whether an application should be filed at this time.

Burt has written me a good letter, but it contained no information beyond that it has been carried in local papers.

If you learned anything new on the situation, or if you think it would be wise to make application at this time, I should be happy to have Burt wire me collect.

Again, with sincere thanks for taking time out from your busy life to assist me in this way, I am

Sincerely yours,

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Director of Physical Education