

June 27, 1942.

Dean George B. Smith,
School of Education.

Dear Dean Smith:

Eddie Hall and Clif Nordstrom dropped in the office this morning on their way home on furlough. They both made good in a big way and they look like a million dollars in their Navy outfits.

You may think I am too persistent in carrying through the thought that I was sincere when I made the statement that Eddie Hall could graduate. After a short conversation this morning I took the matter up with Eddie Hall and told him that I certainly got in bad by making such a statement. Clif Nordstrom spoke up and said that he was with Eddie when he talked with Dr. Turney, the first semester, he thought. He said that he thinks pretty definitely it was Dr. Turney, and Miss Rich was there. He stated that Dr. Turney told him that he could substitute four hours of Education for practice teaching and get a B. S. degree, but not the Teachers' Certificate. It was his idea to do that thing.

I am passing this information on to you to show you that Eddie Hall was honest and that I desired to take no advantage of anyone, even to the point of helping Eddie get in Gene Tunney's program. This closes the matter as far as I am concerned, but I did not rest easy under the statement that I had stretched a point.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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