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Dear Red:

Your letter just arrived and I am answering it immediately.

I am happy that you are well located.

Yes, I wrote to John Helm quite some time ago but received no reply. Why don't you write him again and ask him what he is planning to do? I have not heard how he came out at Denver, as far as his individual efforts were concerned. I will be interested in hearing from you regarding Helm and any other matters that seem of interest to you.

We were not good enough for the Oklahoma Aggies. Kurland was just too tall and we could do nothing about it, try as we would.

We were very happy to name you leader of your group and I hope that you continue to lead as long as you are in the service, and then return to the university for your degree and participation in athletics.

Our basketball banquet is to be held at the Eldridge Hotel at 6:30 P.M. on April 9, Tuesday, and the Co-Op Club will be host.

Charlie Black just got back from New York. He played in the game in which the East beat the West 60-59. He enjoyed an interesting time.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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