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Mrs. Beulah Engleman  
Arkansas City, Kansas

Dear Mrs. Engleman:

I have been definitely expecting to write you for a month to rejoice with you on Howard's phenomenal showing here at the University. This applies not only to his Varsity athletics, but his academic work on the campus is just as highly rated as is his basketball. He is one of the most popular student athletes that we have had for years. His quiet demeanor and his modesty in the face of great exaltation is pleasing to behold.

I am sorry that it has not been possible for you to see Howard play this year. I do hope that you will have an opportunity before this season ends. I am enclosing a copy of our basketball schedule. Would it be possible for you to come up and see any one of the home games and be our house guest during the time you are in Lawrence? I assure you it would afford us a genuine pleasure to have you in our home.

Again congratulating a fine mother on having such a grand son, and assuring you that we appreciate having such a boy on our Varsity, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation  
Varsity Basketball Coach

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