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Dear Eddie:

We were pleased to get your letter and to know that you find your new work very interesting.

Things are going along nicely here. It does seem kind of strenuous, though, to have three classes from 9:30 to 12:30 a couple of days a week. With administrative interferences, long distance telephone calls, and so forth, that are bound to come, I have a hard time either to put off the phone calls or to meet my classes.

We are renting 10 or 12 acres from Dr. Spencer for the softball fields, and Mr. Bayles is now grading the intramural field. He is cutting a big ditch through the center to provide better drainage, then we are going to seed it and by next fall or next spring we should have a pretty good field. You may not like to hear this, but we are putting in the skating rink the way it was planned. We hope it will not be too bad, but will give some good winter skating for those who enjoy the sport under the lights at night. There will be a six inch wall all around it, so there won't be danger of losing the water through a break in the dam. Water will be drained in from the pool and the reservoir, so it should not cost us anything for that.

We are having varsity basketball practice every afternoon, and have a couple of games scheduled with Kansas State next week.

Remember me kindly to Mr. Miller. With best wishes for your success and happiness, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball and Baseball Coach.

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