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I recall Maurice Cannady telling me what you had done for ~~me~~.
him. I don't mean, Doc that I want to enlist or anything. I like
my job and I think when the season is over that I will in no
way feel like a shirker of duty by continuing it. Oil is just as import-
ant as any thing else in this struggle and if my time helps any at
all toward bringing this oil to Uncle Sam I shall feel justified.

However in event of a draft, I of course would be interested in
some phase of the service other than back private in the army.
And I realize that now is the time to start looking for those other
phases of the service. I intend dropping Dean Stockton a line
in the near future to see what calls the government has issued
for business graduates if any, and I wanted to check with you
in regard to basketball and the army.

Take your time in answering Doc and if you have any dope
write me % of my mother in Arkansas City, 1003 S. 2nd. and
she will catch me on the trip.

Incidentally, I just saw your article in the Kansas City paper
about your all time team. That was surely one of my greatest
thrills and most cherished clippings. Just count that as
my present. My regards to the family and team and
a very happy and successful New Year to you Sincerely yours,
Rope.