

January 16, 1942.

Mr. George Edwards,
Basketball Coach,
University of Missouri,
Columbia, Missouri.

Dear George:

Last Monday we had J. Willard Ridings at our Rotary Club, and his son, Paul. He is Director of Publicity at Texas Christian University, and Paul holds the same job at Midland College, Fremont, Nebraska. This is the only father-son combination in this sort of a job in the world.

Paul told me at Rotary that he would never forget you because you gave him the first basketball that he ever had to practice with, but he said that he crossed you up because he did not grow into the basketball player that he should have been. He graduated from T.C.U., but came back to Missouri for his master's degree in Journalism.

J. Willard said he stopped to see you last August but you were out of town on vacation. He made a host of friends here, and there is an interesting coincidence in the fact that we play T.C.U. next year and they will play us here in 1943. So we are looking forward to a visit with J. Willard in '43, since he always accompanies the team.

This is just a word of greeting from your old friend. I think J. Willard, if I remember correctly, said that he graduated about the same time you did, George, and they both told me of your activities in Delta Upsilon. So we had quite a visit with them.

Very sincerely yours,

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