

January 5, 1938.

Mr. Bobby Dole,  
Lawson's Drug Store,  
Russell, Kansas.

Dear Bobby:

My son, Milton Allen, spoke to me about what a fine boy you are and how industrious and how energetic you seem to be. When he was home Christmas he talked quite a bit about you and how much he liked you.

I told him I was going to write you a letter to encourage you to go on to school, thus amounting to a great deal. Some day you will get your name in Who's Who, I am sure. Just living every day and doing the best you can is the best advice that I can give to any young fellow. Be sure that you pick out some fine man in Russell to copy after, and be as much like him as you possibly can.

Some time I expect to visit Russell, and I am going to have Milton take me around to the drug store where I will buy you and him a coke. He told me that you gave him a coke for your Christmas present to him. He seemed to think a lot of you because he talked about you quite a bit when he was home.

I am sending you a few of our basketball stickers so you will know when we are playing.

With every good wish to you for a very successful New Year, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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