

May 27, 1939.

Mr. Bill Rice,  
Arlington Hotel,  
530 Arlington Place,  
Chicago, Illinois.

Dear Bill:

John A. Donaldson has sent Fred Ellsworth a list of the K. U. alumni in the Chicago district who are golfers. We are counting on you for our golf tournament at the Lawrence Country Club which starts Saturday morning, June 10, at 9 o'clock. Glenn Oatman, the former Kansas and Missouri amateur open golf champion who coached our varsity golf team to a Big Six championship this year, will be the official handicapper.

We have a sporty 18-hole course here at Lawrence, with grass greens, and everybody who plays the course says it is a real championship course. It is tough, but not too tough. So we want you to come, whether you play good golf, or just golf.

Glenn Oatman is planning on matching the ten alumni, or fathers of Kansas students, against his ten seniors. Of course we will borrow the varsity golfers, but he thinks he has some pretty good seniors that would give the old-timers a great match. For those who play on sand greens, Oatman will give an additional handicap to offset your disadvantage in playing on grass greens.

Please write me at once and inform me definitely that you will be here. We start the round at 9 o'clock Saturday morning, June 10, Professor J. O. Jones and Dr. E. Lee Treece and Glenn Oatman are cooperating with me in endeavoring to make this ten team match a great affair. We will appreciate your early acceptance. I will appreciate it if you will get in touch with Tus Ackerman, George Hollingberry, Basil Church, Warren Woody and Donaldson, and see if you can bring a good delegation from Chicago for this tournament.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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