August 5, 1944.

Lieut. J. H. Gardner, USNR
Athletic Director,
Naval Air Primary Training Command,
Bryant Building,
11th and Grand Ave.,
Kansas City 6, Missouri.

Dear Jack:

Thanks for your kind invitation to participate in a golf game with you and other Big Six coaches on Sunday, August 13th.

Just prior to receiving your letter I was in the office of Mr. E. C. Quigley, our new Athletid Director, and he asked me to drive my car over next Saturday morning taking all of our coaches along. The boys are planning to come back later Saturday night, so it will be impossible for me to stay over as most of these chaps are men of families and they must return.

However, I do thank you for your kind invitation.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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