

Now, answering your letter of December 1, as I told you we agreed on Joe Rieff and Don Elser. I know that Don is a Catholic but we gave him a chance here at the University of Kansas when he was at St. Benedict's, and I believe that he will appreciate what we did for him and what we are doing for him now, and if he doesn't - well, it is just another one of those cases.

Personally, I would rather take a chance on using him than to use someone else that they try to puch down our throats. You know these people up there have a habit of trying to do that thing.

You can rest assured that I will never quote you on any subject because I remember that friends and customers do fall in this same group and the kindnesses that you have shown me certainly would call for anything but that.

John Buescher got a big slam on his back last night and is a little lame today. He doesn't stand much jarring up, you know, but I believe he will be all right for the game Tuesday night. We had a chalk talk and a picture showing this morning. We are practicing this afternoon. John has made tremendous improvements in every way and he is a much easier boy to handle and a much better player than he was last year. We are very proud of him.

With all good wishes, I am

Very sincerely yours,

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

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