

I haven't determined yet just how we will travel to Columbia. If the roads are open we may drive down the night before, or we may go on the train. Anyhow, we should be there the morning of the 18th, and we may pull out at night as some of the boys have examinations to prepare for. It is a four-hour trip in the day time and about five at night. The boys can't go to sleep immediately after the game anyhow, and if the weather is good we may want to drive back after the game. At any rate, I will give you definite information early enough so that you will know about our schedule in ample time.

Most of the boys on the squad are crack students and they are more interested in their studies and making good grades. Since the semester examinations start within a week they do not want to miss any more classes than necessary.

John Buescher is still a stand-out with Coach Uhrlaub who thinks he is about one of the swellest youngsters he has had. "Dutch" has him playing in the quarterback position, and he says John is a natural there. I haven't had an opportunity to see him for quite a few practices, but as soon as my schedule permits I am going up and spend an evening watching him perform.

We play Kansas State tonight and I look for a pretty tough ball game because those Aggies are coming rapidly. This boy, Jack Gardner, is quite a coach. In my estimation he will have Kansas State up there in the money and we will have a tough time beating him - if not this time, certainly down at Manhattan. In years to come I look to see a thrilling battle with this boy.

With all good wishes to you and your good mother, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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