

April 27, 1942.

Mr. Dan Wagner,
Captain, Basketball Team,
Schreiner Institute,
Kerrville, Texas.

Dear Dan:

Mr. M. P. Isenberger, a very fine friend of mine, of the Phillips Petroleum Company of Corpus Christi, has written me regarding your prowess and skill as a fine basketball player on your Schreiner Institute team. Mr. Isenberger states that you are a forward of the George Rody type.

George Rody was captain of our Kansas varsity basketball team of 1922 when we defeated the University of Minnesota at Minneapolis by a score of 32 to 11. We won the Missouri Valley championship that year and George Rody played a very potent part in the winning of the championship. He was a "dead-eye Dick" goal shooter and a great floor man, although he was not especially large. He possessed an uncanny eye and splendid coordination, combined with fine leadership.

So when Mr. Isenberger recommends you as a George Rody basketball player I know that he is recommending a boy who can really play basketball. We have one Texas boy on the team now - T. P. Hunter, Jr., from Margaret, Texas. He has made three letters, this being his senior year, and he is a left hand pitcher on our varsity baseball team. He is one of the most popular boys that we have on our squad.

While you may think of Kansas as "way up north", I want you to know that we have many southern boys on the team, and Kansas is not nearly as Yankee as you might imagine. I would be happy to hear from you, telling me of your desires in the way of a college major. What do you expect to specialize in? I am sending you a general catalog and after I hear from you I will be very happy to send you any specific literature that you may desire which will enable you to earn your major in the professions or the arts.

Anticipating the pleasure of your coming, and congratulating you on your fine athletic achievements, I am

Sincerely yours,

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

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