

December 16, 1940

Mr. George Hedrick
Chamber of Commerce
WREN Building
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear George:

I had my secretary call your office to seek information on the condition of the highway just prior to my leaving for Manhattan, and the young lady who answered, of course, had no information to give. I then inquired as to what source I could go to seek this information and she did not know.

I told her that this certainly was the business of the Chamber of Commerce, along with the other services that you give. Certainly a University professor who is not in business, and who makes contributions to this organization, should receive some service.

The fact that I am a member and have sought other contributions for other civic purposes, led me to believe that I was in line by asking for such information. In most towns and cities they give members service such as this.

I am registering this protest in purely a good-natured way, but a critical one, and I trust that our Chamber of Commerce can give the services that other chambers of commerce are giving to their members.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

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