

February 3, 1941

Mr. J.E. Kissell
Portis, Kansas

Dear JE:

I am sorry that I have not answered your good letter of the 14th ultimo sooner. The fact of the matter is that I have been definitely on the run and have not been able to catch up as yet.

I am writing to let you know that your daughter stopped by last Sunday at the Allen household and we had a nice visit. As you probably know, we are meeting Wichita University tonight. Our first conference game the spring semester is with Nebraska, an altitudenous, gangling and aggressive group of cornhuskers. You can imagine our toiling bunch of underlings will have a whale of a job trying to whiddle those big boys down to their sizes.

I am always glad to hear from you and I assure you that I would write you more often if my time and the day would just hold out.

I see Max often and encourage him because I think he is a fine boy and will undoubtedly make the Varsity here at the University. He had some difficulty with his Spanish, but I do not contribute that to anything other than the fact that he did not have language in high school. Max will make it; do not worry about him. He is the right type of boy and we are much interested in that type.

Give my kindest regards to Mrs. Kissell. You have a lovely family.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

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