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Dear "Phog":

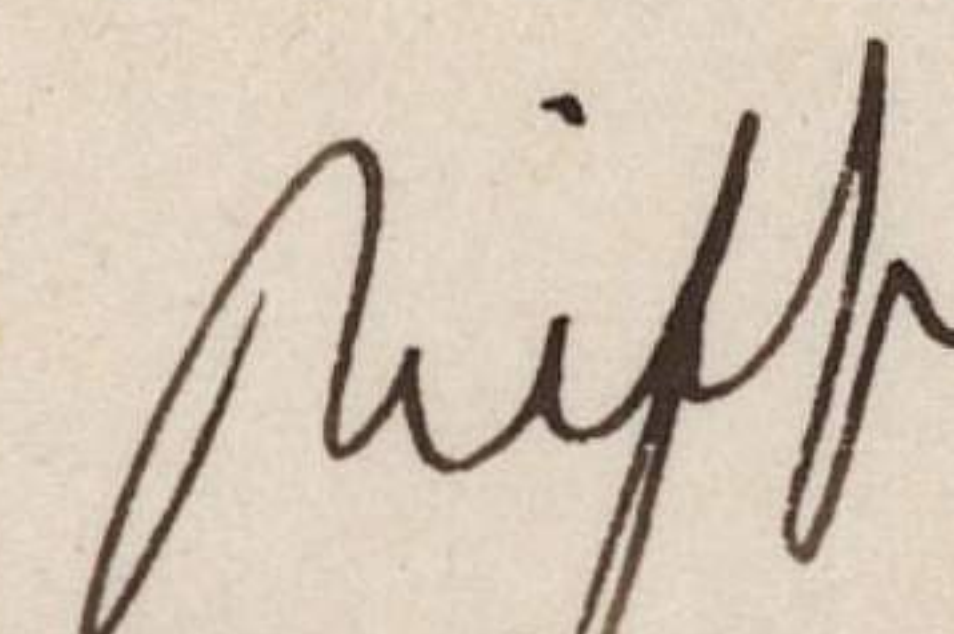
I have just returned from my trip to the Coast to find your letter of December 31st. Hearty congratulations on your winning the Topeka tournament. I have just been around the conference long enough to take your winning of championships as a regular part of the winter excitement. I am looking forward to seeing your fine team play again.

I was very interested to read your remarks in regard to Dean Nesmith. I believe good trainers are harder to find than a good coach. Consequently, I think you are deserving of some kind of a medal for developing outstanding men like Kelly, Cox and Logan. I note with surprise you did not mention Elwyn Dees at Pittsburgh. He seems to be doing a swell job back there.

I certainly appreciate your remarks in regard to Nesmith and will bear him in mind if and when we decide to switch to a full-time arrangement.

Best regards.

Yours truly,

  
L. McC. Jones,  
Director of Athletics.