

ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE

Annapolis, Maryland

August 6, 1939.


Dr. Forrest C. Allen
Basketball Coach
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Doc:

I recently filed my application for the basketball vacancy at the U.S. Military Academy, West Point, N.Y. Would I be asking too much of you, by requesting that you write a letter in my behalf to their Graduate Manager of Athletics, Lt. Col. Louis E. Hibbs ?

Thanking you for your kindness in this matter and with my best personal regards, I am

Sincerely yours,



Valentine Lentz
Pines on the Severn
Arnold, Maryland.