

February 19, 1940.

Mr. Ed Lytton,
Business Manager,
Drake University,
Des Moines, Iowa.

Dear Ed:

Art Schabinger was in the office this morning talking to me about matters pertaining to the National Collegiate basketball championship games to be played in Kansas City. He incidentally mentioned to me that Major Griffith, you, and two other Des Moines citizens were stricken with cardiac difficulties all about the same time.

I had not known of your illness, and I am hastening to write you and apologize for not having written soon. I learned with much pleasure that you are getting along extremely well, but Ransom Jones, was it, and someone else passed away, two of your old Drake Relay boosters. I do not know who the fourth individual was, but I understand he worked along side you three Drake Relay boosters to keep the Relays up to your fine efficiency.

My kindest regards and sincerest wishes for your continued and complete recovery.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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