

November 24, 1937.

Mr. T. E. Lail,
Athletic Director,
Chillicothe Business College,
Chillicothe, Missouri.

Dear Mr. Lail:

I regret very much that it will be impossible for me to speak at your football banquet any evening next week. You can see by our basketball schedule that we have a heavy assignment in the future.

We are making a very unusual game out of our varsity-freshman game which will be played in Lawrence on Friday, December 3. E. C. Quigley and his son will officiate the game; we are using Bask-O-Lite goals, and putting on a lot of preparation for this game.

On Thursday evening our Physical Education majors meet for their monthly banquet. We have nearly 100 in our majors group, so you see I could not afford to miss that.

Since our basketball squad does not return until Monday after Thanksgiving, the other days in the week must necessarily be taken up in preparing our boys, so I am afraid I cannot come.

I want to thank you for your kind offer, and I assure you that I appreciate it.

With every good wish to you, I am

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education.