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

Dear Phog:

I return to the office after several days absence due to the very sudden death of my mother last Monday morning, to find your several letters, and first of all I am glad to have your report concerning Will Fleeson of Oklahoma City. I shall certainly make it my business to look him up when next in Oklahoma City.

I want to congratulate you, Phog, on the successful outcome of the three cornered tie, which I note makes you eligible for the N.C.A.A. play-off in Kansas City. Hope I can be there to watch your boys gallop to victory, failing which I expect to see them in the finals on March 30.

I wired you today per attached copy with reference to the letter you wrote to Walker of Hotel Continental, Kansas City, concerning the question of exhibiting the convex backboard during the Rules Committee meeting. I think this is very important and certainly hope you succeed in getting this man's permission to make this installation. I would like to have word from you as quickly as possible so I can make the necessary arrangements with an installation crew in Kansas City to handle the necessary work of getting this board properly installed. If you have not heard from Walker at the time you receive this letter, will you please call him and then communicate his decision to me?

Kindest personal regards.

Yours very truly,

FRED MEDART MANUFACTURING CO.

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