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President T. J. Tomney,  
Arizona State Teachers College,  
Flagstaff, Arizona.

Dear Dr. Tomney:

I have been asked by Mr. Maurice Moulder, the athletic director at Iola Junior College, Iola, Kansas, to write you concerning his fitness for your football coaching position.

May I state that I have had the extreme pleasure of teaching a couple of summers at your Teachers College several years ago, while Mr. R. H. Lavik, who is now at Tempe, was your athletic director. I feel that I am well acquainted with your environment. From 1912 to 1919 I was director of physical education and athletics at the Central Missouri State Teachers College at Warrensburg, Missouri. I coached all sports in that institution at that time, so I feel that I know something about the needs of a teachers college.

I have known Mr. Moulder from the time he was a student at Manual Training High School in Kansas City, Missouri. He was a splendid all-round athlete and a fine young man. Later he entered the University of Missouri, where he played quarterback under Mr. Grim Henry, who is now athletic director and head football coach at the University of Kansas. After graduating from the University of Missouri Mr. Moulder assisted Mr. Henry down at the University of New Mexico, at Albuquerque. When Mr. Henry left the University of New Mexico to come to the University of Kansas, Mr. Moulder went to Iola Junior College, where he has enjoyed great success with high school and junior college athletics.

Maurice Moulder is a fine, clean young man who sets a splendid example to the men under him. His work is not of the mere accidental type, but is founded upon experience and study. Wherever Moulder has coached he has had exceptional success, and I take it from this that he is not only stimulating, but is an excellent teacher. I am very happy to recommend him for your careful consideration.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.