

December 13, 1937.

Mr. George Edwards,  
Basketball Coach,  
University of Missouri,  
Columbia, Missouri.

Dear George:

I am wondering why it would not be a good thing for the B teams of Missouri and Kansas to play basketball.

We would not have to carry very many extra men, and it is always possible to get a rate for the few extra that we carry. So about the only added expense is the hotel bill.

I am very sure that all the Missouri and Kansas boys will get a great kick out of playing a B game. I am wondering if you would take it up with your authorities there and see what can be done, if agreeable to you. I think playing these B games is a fine thing to add interest to the boys who stay out to work with the varsity.

It seems to me I see a future in this B team proposition if we keep it alive with a good game. Kansas State and we are going to play a couple of games, and I find the players are quite enthused about it. To make a perfect proposition, it would only be necessary to play Missouri a pair.

Will you let me hear from you at your convenience?

With every good wish of the Yuletide season,  
I am

Sincerely yours,

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Varsity Basketball Coach,  
Director of Physical Education.