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Dear Dr. Allen:

I tried to answer your letter of April 14th in person but found that you had taken on the baseball team for a little relaxation during the spring and as a consequence you were at Ames at the time I called at the office.

Your report of the final play-off on the N C A A tallied very closely with the reports which Everett Dean brought to me. Jack Friel seems to be in the habit of pulling stunts which are not the most strategic or which have not the desired psychological effect on his boys. In any case they certainly seemed to be playing under par against Wisconsin. It is undoubtedly true, however, that the type of game Wisconsin played against Washington State affected the results a great deal. It is too bad that we have to put up with such unsportsmanlike playing.

George Nettles came up from Pittsburg for a short visit. It was good to see him. You probably know that we saw the Rose Bowl game together. It was fun to be around the campus. Since I have become Dean of Men my trips east have become more infrequent. It was for this particular reason that I enjoyed seeing so many of my old friends. The campus certainly looked fine. I would like to get back for Commencement and help with the Seventy-Fifth Celebration but I am afraid my recent trip east exhausted the family budget.

Sorry that I missed you.

Sincerely yours,