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Dear Doc:

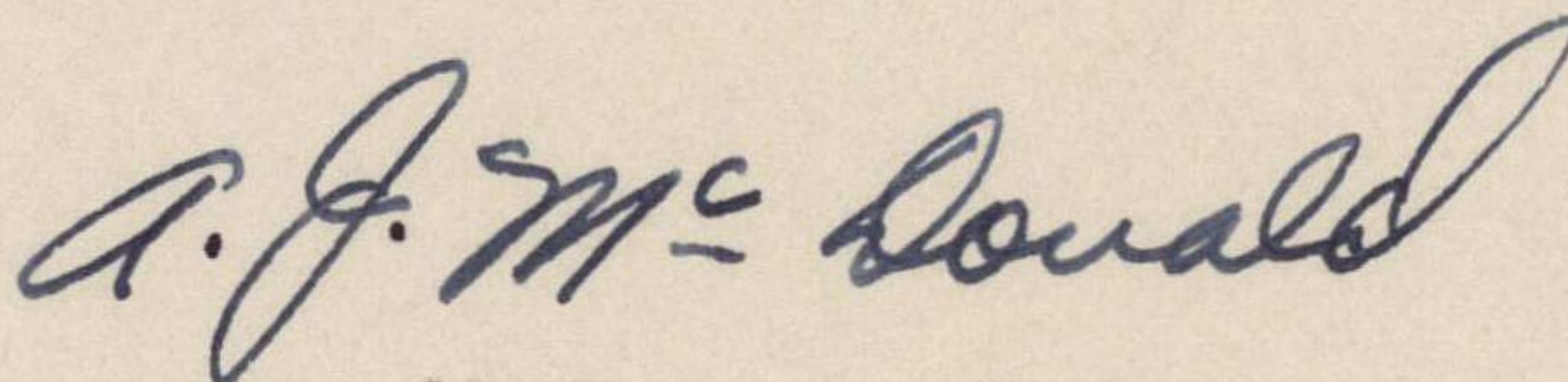
I am making this study as a thesis requirement for my Master's Degree in Physical Education. I am enclosing a copy of my thesis topic and outline.

This first questionnaire I am sending to 50 or more representative basketball men all over the country to be followed by a more detailed questionnaire to the 12 or more outstanding basketball contributors that will be selected by this jury of 50 or more.

I would appreciate any remarks or suggestions that you may have as I want to do a real job of impartial research. I would appreciate an answer at your earliest convenience as I am not sending out the other letters at this time.

I trust you have had a good summer and with kindest personal regards, I am

Sincerely,



A. J. McDonald

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