

it since I was the individual concerned.

I am afraid that I am not going to get away very early. We have the School of Education party tonight, and tomorrow the Co-operative Club is giving a banquet to the basketball team. They will elect the honor captain at that meeting. Then on Friday evening the "K" Club is giving an honor dance to the basketball team and will crown the queen. So I have promised to at least make my bow at the dance. The way the schedule looks now the best I can do is to get in to San Francisco on Sunday morning. If you will kindly make reservations for me at the same hotel that Oklahoma is staying I will appreciate it. And if there are any rates to be had I would appreciate your making arrangements for me at the same rate so that we may spend no more of the tournament's money than is necessary.

I spoke to both Iba and Bruce Drake last night about your making arrangements, and they said they would be very happy for you to do it. This accounts for the request in my wire. I believe you can save a lot of money by dealing cooperatively.

I am glad that you feel the general committee should be in Chicago to study the tournament play. There are a good many things to be discussed and it will be a pleasure to talk over the tournament procedure. I think we have great possibilities and I am hopeful that the arrangements can be such that everybody will be entirely happy about it.

I, for one, do not believe that it would be too late even if you finished the national playoff by April first. I think Ole wanted to settle it as early as possible. Certainly I did not want you to construe any of my letters that I was dissatisfied with the date as arranged only as a representative of our Fifth District and as a member of the national committee I did not want to agree on a date that would prove to be a hardship in traveling from the mid-lands of the continent to the coast and then back to Chicago in such a short time. I felt that many of the teams would feel they were under a decided handicap as compared to the eastern winner.

In another day I will send you a copy of the official report that I have written Harold Olsen.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

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Chairman, Fifth District, N.C.A.A.

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