

Lawrence, Kansas

November 13, 1939.

Mr. B. T. Grover, President,  
National Association of Basketball Coaches,  
Ohio University,  
Athens, Ohio.

Dear Mr. Grover:

As you know, Frank Root has resigned as head basketball coach at Kansas State. He was replaced by Jack Gardner, one of Sam Barry's boys from U.S.C.

Since Mr. Gardner is a newcomer to these parts, and since your Convention Committee was comprised of three men - myself, George Edwards and Frank Root, all of the Big Six Conference - I would like to suggest that I be permitted to use Mr. Bill Williams, of Drake University, on this committee. This would give a representative from the Missouri Valley Conference. This conference is comprised of Washburn, Drake, Oklahoma A. & M., Washington University, Tulsa University, St. Louis University and Creighton University.

Bill Williams is a splendid fellow, and although he is three hundred miles from Kansas City, I am sure that we can work together in a very fine fashion. I would be pleased to hear from you if this meets with your approval.

With all good wishes, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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