1.1 July 7, 1927 Mr. A. A. Schabinger Athletic Director Creighton University Omeha, Nebraska Dear Schaby: I am sending you a letter of Percy D. Godfrey. I trust that you will write him telling him that he will hear in a due course of time from the chairman of the membership committee. With every good wish, I am Very cordially yours, Director FCA:EWH

[) Ed July 7, 1927 Mr. Percy D. Godfrey Assitant Basketball Coach University of Minnesota Minneapolis, Minn. Dear Mr. Godfirey: I have just returned from my coaching schools in Kearney, Nebraska and Logan, Utah. I have your letter of the 25th ult. awaiting me. I have sent your letter to Mr. A. A. Schabinger, Athletic Director, Creighton University, Omaha, who is secretary-treasurer of the National Bashetball Coaches Association. He will write you regarding membership. Nothing has been done regarding the Finkerton case. It has not been submitted to the eligibility committee as yet. I just wanted to get the information, and I believe that I have it, namely, that he has played more than his allotted time. I do not know of any first class opening as a basketball coaching job at the present time, but I certainly will be very happy to let you know should one present itself. With every good wish, I am Very cordially yours, FCA: EWH Director

August 25, 1927. Mr. A. Schabinger. Director of Athletics. Creighton University, Omaha, Nebraska. My dear Schabby: I am sorry to trouble you so much. Somehow, my stenographer misplaced the letter that I wrote giving you the names of the appointments, etc. Will you kindly send me a carbon copy of the letter I wrote you, with whatever corrections you have made? I should be very happy to see Gus Tebell on the Board of Trustees and trust that he Will accept. F. Krisler is Fritz Krisler. He is the manager of A. Staggs National Basketball Tournament. Perhaps he should not be on there, if he is not a competitive coach, but it was my idea that he was Freshman coach there, and would qualify. I believe he was on the reception committee, was he not, I have been moving around from pillar to post so much that I do not have things assembled as yet. I shall appreciate it very much if you will send me the full line of appointments, acceptances and possible substitutions. With every good wish, I am Very cordially yours, Director. FCA:G

Department of Athletics
OMAHA
August 19, 1927

Dr. F. C. Allen, Athletic Director University of Kansas Lawrence, Kansas

Dear "Phog":

I just received word the other day from Ruby, Andreas and Price. They all seem to think that Gus Tebell should be the other member of the Board of Trustees, taking Dr. Meanwell's place.

I have written Tebell asking him to accept. I have also written to the coaches who were appointed on the various committees.

One coach I do not know. That is F. Krisler. Please send me his initials and school so that I may be able to write him. I probably should know him, but for some reason cannot place him.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

A Schabuga Director of Athletics

Department of Athletics
OMAHA
August 25, 1927

Dr. F. C. Allen, Director of Athletics University of Kansas Lawrence, Kansas

Dear "Phog":

Replying to your letter of August 25, I am giving you below the full list of appointments on committees. I have not had time to hear from all of them. Those who have accepted by letter I will mark with an "X".

1. Membership Committee.

F. J. Murray, Marquette University, Chairman.

First District: D. O. McLaughry, Brown Univ. Traviduce R.J.

Second District: Leo Novak, Army. Med Point, ny.

Third District: G. K. Tebell, No. Carolina

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Fourth District: John Mauer, Univ. of Kentucky. Leington Ky.

Fifth District: F. J. Murray, Marquette Univ. milinuke, Nis.

Sixth District: Sam Barry, University of Iowa.

Seventh District: Hugh McDermott. Ny Okla.

Eighth District: E. L. Romney, Utah Aggies. Logan

Ninth District: C. M. Price, Univ. of California. Pals acts, Cal

2. Program Committee.

Nels Norgren, Chicago University, Chairman.

Don White, Washington University,

E. J. Martie, University of Nevada, Remo,

Press Committee.

R. L. Matthews, St. Louis Univ., Chairman X.

E. J. McNichol, Univ. of Pennsylvania, Phila.

R. H. Hager, Oregon Aggies,

4. Coaching Ethics.

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7. Officials Committee.

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H. W. Beresford. u. of Calarate.

You will notice in these appointments that Price is a member of the Board as well as the representative of the Ninth District on the Membership Committee; the same is true of Gus Tebell in the Third District.

I expect to hear from these men at any time and will keep you posted.

I do not believe F. Krisler would be eligible. What is your opinion?

I have a letter from Craig Ruby criticising Dr. Meanwell's attitude and offering to do all he can for the organization.

If there is any other information you want, let me know.

Cordially yours,

Director of Athletics

A. A. SCHABINGER,

Director

C. A. WYNNE J. S. NEARY J. A. TRAUTMAN J. H. SPEICHER R. A. LOWER

THE CREIGHTON UNIVERSITY

Department of Athletics OMAHA August 27, 1927

Dr. F. C. Allen, Director of Athletics University of Kansas Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear "Phog":

The letters from the different basketball coaches appointed on committees have just started to come in.

Received acceptances this morning from George Keogan, George Edwards and J. E. Martie of Nevada. They expressed a willingness to serve in their letters that is pleasing to read, and I think it was a good move to put Martie of Nevada on the committee.

Will let you know as soon as I hear from other coaches.

Sincerely yours,

A A Schabunger Director of Athletics

August 28, 1927. Mr. A. A. Schabinger, Creighton University, Omaha, Nebraska. My dear "Schabbie": Thank you very much for your good letter of the 25th inst. Somehow, I misplaced the letter and could not locate it. I am sure that practically all of these men will accept, but I should be glad to have a statement from you informing me of their acceptance at your convenience. I do not think that it will operate against us to have Price and Tebell on the Board, as well as a representative of the 9th district and third district respectively. I quite agree with you that F. Krisler would not be eligible. It just seemed to me that he was basket ball coach because he handled the basket ball tournament for Stagg. However, I think you are right and I should like to name Everett Dean, Goach of the University of Indiana, Bloomington. If you will write Dean and see if he will accept, I think it will be a good thing. I believe that he should be named Chairman because he is close to Chicago and he has been in his own Conference for several years. I believe with the Big Ten entertainment committee, it ought to go big. I will drop each one of them a line with just a word of greeting and a wish that we can make the Coaches Association the best ever. Everywhere, I get the reaction that things are going to be dandy in the Coaches Association.

With every good wish, I am

Very cordially yours,

Director.

September 1 1 9 2 7

Mr. A. Schabinger, Athletic Director, Crayton University, Omaha, Nebraska.

My dear Mr. Schabinger:

Glad to have your letter giving acceptances of McLaughry of Brown, Novak of Westpoint, McDermott of Oklahoma, and Hagen of Oregon Aggie. Shabby, as soon as you get these acceptances, why would it not be a good plan for you to go ahead, with authority from the president and anyone else that you may want, and have some stationery run out. I should think that some very classy stationery, with the officers, trustees, and members of the committe on the sheet, would do a real bit of service. You could, perhaps, send twenty-five or fifty wheets to each officer or member of the committee.

This work would entail some expenditure, but, by using this stationery to make a preliminary call for help in a rush enrollment to get funds, I believe that it would be a paying investment. You can ask each one of the officers to s nd in their two dollars at once. This would give you over a hundred dollars to work on, and each one of the members of the Membership Committee could use this fact, that on the first call for members, you had one hundred per cent response.

What do you think of a monogram for the National Basket Ball Coaches Association? I have just sketched one on a piece of paper here, and would enjoy your doing the same thing. I made a very large A to begin with and then set an N on the A. That made the cross bar on the A handle the two B's, and then a C encircling the major portion of the N and it makes a pretty nifty monogram. Try it out, and, if you think that something like this would go big, write me about it.

We could have this stuff run in two colors, and I believe you could get out some real nifty sta-

tionery; then a thin line on the bottom with an appropriate slogan. What do you think of this idea:

The slogan I haven't coined in my mind yet. I would like to have your angle. Perhaps there is altogether too much stuff suggested for one page, but I wanted to get your criticism at least.

If you have received the acceptances and the rejections, will you please compile a list of officers, chairmen, and the respective members of the committees, and send me, so that there will be no possibility of error in getting the bone fide members straight in my mind? I have written each one of the respective members, urging that they accept to help along the good game. I am receiving some good letters from various coaches, saying that they have written you accepting, and that they are very happy to do all they can to boost the sport.

With every good wish, I am

Very cordially yours,

FGA: OT

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R. A. LOWER

THE CREIGHTON UNIVERSITY

Department of Athletics
OMAHA
August 31, 1927

Dr. F. C. Allen, Director of Athletics
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas
Dear "Phog":

Have received the following acceptances:
McLaughry of Brown, Novak of West Point, McDermott
of Oklahoma, Hager of Oregon Aggies.

Will write you about others as they come in.

Most cordially yours,

A A Schabunger Director of Athletics

September 17, 1927. Mr. A. A. Schabinger, Director of Athletics, Creighton University, Omaha, Nebraska My Dear "Shabby": Along about the first of September I received a letter from C. M. "Nibbs" Price, University of California, saying that he had not heard from you regarding his appointment on the Membership Committee of the Basketball Coaches Association. Is this correct? "Bhabby", I got some information regarding one of the members on our publicity committee saying that he was a real drunkard, etc. If this is the case I think we had better be sure of our appointment, I had never heard this before. I am wondering if you can guess who it is. They say that this fellow starts a rough house whenever an opportunity arrives. Some one has said that when three fellows get together we will have at least one drunk if this fellow is in the party. I do not eare to write these things but I am wondering if you can guess. Very cordially yours, Director. FCA:LB

September 30, 1927. Mr. A. Schabinger, Director of Athletics, Creighton University, Omaha, Nebraska. Dear Schabie: I will be glad to have a chat with you regarding the things you discussed in your letter concerning the man who has been misrepresented. I am glad to know that you are preparing your stationery and your book with the constitution printed therein. Since your letter I have heard from Schlademan and Mather, I would be glad for you to suggest a nomination for the chairmanship of the officials committee. I am not sure whether you have Mather wrong or not. He has had a bad operation and may not be quite well. He was one of the first fellows to write in the Acts of Meanwell in killing the dribble. I would be glad to have you give me your slant on what you think about it. I agree with you that if MeNichol does not answer soon that we should appoint someone else in his place on the present committee. I also agree with you that it is a matter of good form to have the officials accept in writing. You have been studying the replies coming to you and I believe you would be in a better position to suggest a chairman in Mather's place than I would. I went your counsel please, Schabie. Write me, will you? Very cordially yours. Director. FCA:W

Department of Athletics

OMAHA

September 20, 1927

Dr. F. C. Allen, Director of Athletics University of Kansas Lawrence, Kansas

Dear "Phog":

Replying to your letter of September 17, no, I did not write C. M. Price, University of California, because I settled that with him before we left Chicago. This will explain my action to you.

Regarding the second paragraph in your letter, I know the man you are writing about and while this man may indulge at times he has been grossly misrepresented to you. At least, as far as my knowledge is concerned—I know of only one occasion where he might have been in this condition and will explain the circumstances to you later, which I know you will understand. While it does not meet with my approval or yours, I do not think that is a habit with this fellow.

I am now preparing our stationery and our book with the constitution printed. Have heard definitely from all committee members except Murray, Schlademan, Mather, McNichol and Beresford. I think it is a matter of form but want their official acceptance in writing.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Athletics

Department of Athletics

OMAHA

September 23, 1927

Dr. F. C. Allen, Director of Athletics University of Kansas Lawrence, Kansas

Dear "Phog":

Have heard from all of the appointees on committees except Murray of Marquette and McNichol of Pennsylvania. I am sure about Murray but do not know about McNichol.

You have appointed E. J. Mather of Michigan as Chairman of the Officials Committee. I just received word from him, and he declined his appointment. I am not surprised. In fact, I thought he would line up with someone else. You know who I mean, and he is the only one. Please appoint someone else as Chairman of that committee, and I will write to him.

I have written McNichol a second time and should have heard from him. If we do not get his reply shortly, I suggest appointing some one in his place on the Press Committee.

I shall await your early reply regarding the new appointment.

Cordially yours,

Ala Schabunger Director of Athletics October 12, 1927.

Mr. A. A. Schabinger, Director of Athletics, Creighton University, Omaha, Nebraska.

Dear Schabble:

I got a letter from "Piggy" Lambert today wanting to speak up on the rules, etc.
I think it is a good time now for us to plan our offensive and publicity stunt.

I am wondering if you have had the stationery printed or are you still waiting on me to make that appointment? I wrote you but have not heard from you. If you are holding up the appointment, please wire me at my expense, your suggestions and I will act at once. You have the list before you of all appointments and I thought it would be easier for you to nominate five or six good men that you think would make workers.

I had in mind Dean of Indiana but it seems to me he was on another committee. I am writing this letter from home and from fear of making an error, I want you to check over your list and tell me if I am wrong. Have we named George Keogan of Notre Dame an assignment or BillBoelter of Drake? I think any of these men would be good.

I am a little confused on the Nibs Price appointment. I knew that he was one of the officers but I was of the notion that we were to appoint him on the Membership Committee. I think having Hager, Rheinhart and Hunt on the Coast Committees is a good stunt.

Trusting to hear from you in the near future, I am

Very cordially yours,

Director.

FCA:DMW

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Oct. 22nd	Marquette Uni. (HOMECOMING)	Creighton		
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Department of Athletics
OMAHA
October 13, 1927

Dr. F. C. Allen, Director of Athletics University of Kansas Lawrence, Kansas

Dear "Phog":

Have been so busy with football that I haven't had much of an opportunity to answer your letter of September 30.

I have definite word from McNichol of Pennsylvania and Murray of Marquette accepting their appointments. Everyone has signed up now, and we need to appoint someone as Chairman of the Officials Committee in the place of Mather. I would like to suggest: H. G. Olsen of Ohio State, and C. W. Corsaut of Kansas Aggies.

If you find time please write me immediately about this so I can get their consent and go ahead with the stationery and constitution.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Athletics

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October 20, 1927. Mr. A. A. Schabinger, Director of Athletics, Creighton University, Omaha, Nebraska. Dear Schabbie: H. J. Olsen or C. W. Corsaut, either one, will be very pleasing to me. Do as you think best. I rather like Charlie Corsaut. He is a dandy good fellow. Very cordially yours, Director FCA: DUW

November 1, 1927. Mr. A. Schabinger, Creighton University, Omaha, Nebraska. Dear Schabbie: I just received a letter from J. E. Martie, Director of Athletics, University of Wevada, saying that he was anxious to receive some of that stationery that we were to have printed for him. How are things coming by now, Schabbie? I suggest that you have some of this good looking stationery struck off and mailed around so that we can begin collecting the necessary dollars to pay for it. With best wishes, I am Very cordially yours, Director FCA: DMW

January 13, 1928. Mr. A. Schabinger, Director of Athletics, Creighton University, Omaha, Nebraska. Dear Mr. Schabinger: Your letter of January 9th in regard to the National Association of Basketball Coaches has been received. Dr. Allen is now out of town and will not be back until the first of next week. Your letter will be brought to his attention at that time. Very truly yours, Financial Secretary HHG: DMW

Mr. A. A. Schabinger,
Director of Athletics,
Creighton University,
Omaha, Nebraska.

Dear Schabie:

1 have not as yet received a page
of the Basket ball Coaches Association stationery. What has happened to it, Schabie?
If I do not get it I will be unable to get
new members.

I have had letters from the coast stating that Meanwell plans to do away with the dribble. I am writing weekly articles for the Associated Press and I am doing what I can to notify the coaches and public of the move. I am, of course, trying to do it in as polite a way as possible.

I want to write a letter to each chairman to stimulate activity for the good of the
game. Perhaps my stationery has gone astray.
At any rate I am in need of it and would appreciate it very much if you would forward some to
me with bill attached.

With kind regards, I am

Very cordially yours,

Director

FCA:DMW

NATIONAL BASKET BALL COACHES ASS CIATION

- Membership Committee. F. J. Murray, Marquette University, Chairman. First District: D. O. McLaughry, Brown Univ., Providence, R. I. Second District: Leo Novak, Army, West Point, G. K. Tebell, No. Carolina Third District: State, Raleigh, N. C. Fourth District: John Mauer, Univ. of Kentucky, Texington, Ky. Fifth District: F. J. Murray, Marquette Univ., Milwaukee. Wis. Sixth District: Sam Barry, University of Iowa. Seventh District: Hugh McDermott, University of Oklahoma. Eighth District: E. L. Romney, Utah Aggies, Logan, Utah. Ninth District: C. M. rice, Univ. of Cal., Palo Alto, Cal.
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- Everett Dean, University of Indiana,

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 Illinois.

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- Basketball Rules Committee.

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 Lafayette, Indiana.

 William Chandler, Iowa State University.

 George Keogan, University of Notre Dame,

 South Bend, Indiana.
- 7. Officials Committee.

 E. J. Mather, Chairman, University of Michigan.
 Charles Black, University of Nebraska, Lincoln.
 H. W. Beresford, University of Colorado.

Lawrence, Kansas, February 4, 1928.

Mr. A. A. Schabinger, Basketball Coach, Creighton University, Omaha, Nebraska.

Dear Schabie:

I have just received letters from Leo Novak and Sam Barry and they state that they have not yet received their stationery and membership blanks. It is necessary that they have this before they begin their membership drive. I presume in the rush of other matters this has been overlooked and hope you may have an opportunity to get it to them before long.

Will you please send me a report of the number of members of the Association to date.

Very cordially yours,

President

FCA: DIM