Naismith, and that is why I am not very enthusiastic about the set-up as I see it from the far west. Of later years Dr. Naismith would go back to Springfield a few times, but all the years of his active life were at the University of Kansas.

Walter Camp was closely connected with Yale University, and Knute Rockne was closely connected with Notre Dame. For years and years there was no connection of Dr. Naismith with Springfield College except as a loyal alumnus.

I assure you, however, that I shall not say any of these things outside, but I do not believe that you have a parallel case. And too, I want you to know that there are no "sour grapes" with us at Mansas because we are not contemplating a drive of any sort during the second World War, which, it seems, will be of interminable length.

With all good wishes, I am

Vory eincorely yours,

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