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Dear Ruth:

I am sorry that I missed you and your brother when you were here for the homecoming football game. It so happened that I was chairman of the Nomination Committee that selected the officers for the U. of Kansas World War II Memorial, the Scenic Driveway with Campanile. I am enclosing one of these for your perusal, as I thought you might like to read about it. They always arrange a setup like that for us so that we are never in our offices, because the university officials realize that it is a good time to have a meeting of that kind to get the old timers back. Then there were two or three crippled high school boys who wanted me to examine their injured knees, so I was busy as a proverbial one-armed paper hanger with the itch. I did want to see you but it was impossible.

I see that they are giving you plenty of work to do and I know you like that. The fact that you have transferred back to the athletic office, I am sure is a happy experience for you. The added fact that you are in Pensacola in the winter time shouldn't make you unhappy either. I certainly envy an opportunity to bask in the Florida sunshine this winter.

I am also sending you our varsity basketball schedule, as I thought you would like to see one.

With all good wishes for your continued success, I am

Sincerely yours,

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Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.