

April 3, 1943.

Dr. W. W. Parker, President,  
Southeast Missouri Teachers College,  
Cape Girardeau, Missouri.

Dear Friend Walter:

This congratulatory note is very much belated, but none the less genuine. I saw your fine Cape team defeat Mary for the National Intercollegiate finals and I thought the next day that I would send you a wire congratulating you and the school on your fine achievement. But you know how the pressure of administration is. Something crowds it out, and that is the case with me and your congratulatory note.

With the big league ball club in your environment and a National Intercollegiate championship basketball team, old Cape Girardeau, under the efficient leadership of W. W. P., is tops.

Please convey my words of congratulation to your coach and to your fine team. And also please remember me to your very fine family.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

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Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.