Dr. L. R. Pyle, Mills Building, Topoka, Kansas.

Dear Dr. Pyle:

I desire to thank you personally for your generosity in making it possible for a very deserving young man to remain in school. This young man's father was a Spanish-American war veteran and was killed. The mother is in the home at Dedge City, and the young man in question had a brother who was killed by lightning this summer.

This chap is one of the finest young men that I know of and he is not an athletic tramp by any manner of means. He will make a name for himself, and you without doubt will receive a letter from him. Later on he will call on you in person to thank you. Before he is out of this University it is my opinion that his name will be on the tongue of a great many of the faculty members and athletic followers.

Mr. Hitt, our assistant registrar, has spoken of him, saying that he is one of the finest young men that he had met. He is a fine student, a fine athlete, and a real gentleman. Mr. Hitt was a Summerfield scholar and a brilliant teacher of mathematics, so I am sure that his evaluation is a real recommendation.

Again thanking you, and assuring you that the first time I am in Topeka I will stop by to express our thanks for your generosity, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation, Varsity Basketball and Baseball Coach.

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