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Mr. Dan Partner,
Sports Desk,
The Kansas City Star,
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Dan:

I am sending you a letter in confidence from Adolph Rupp, the coach at the University of Kentucky. This is regarding one of their star freshmen, Hallie Hudson.

If you care to use any part of this letter in clinching the point that I struck at in proselyting in basketball as well as in football, then here is evidence of such a thing.

These letters are a regular thing, and not an exception, but coming so close on the heels of my statement regarding proselyting in football and basketball I thought it might help the rabbit brothers who think I am only hitting at football to show this as a regular thing in traffic of athletes.

This boy has nothing. He needs board, room, tuition, books, clothes, medical expenses, and what have you. If a coach does it for one he is forced to do it for the others. Then multiply this amount that it takes to take care of this boy by the number of men on the first squad, and you have the answer for basketball.

I appreciate your kindly interest and attitude in all the things that I have presented to you.

With every good wish, I am

Sincerely yours,

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

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