

July 4, 1942.

Lieutenant J. E. Kimmell,
Battery "C" Commander,
57th Battalion,
Camp Callan, California.

Dear Lieutenant Kimmell:

It is a pleasure for me to recommend to you for your consideration John A. Pfitsch. Three years ago I was teaching at the University of Texas in their summer session. One of the young men in my course was John Pfitsch. He is a graduate of the University of Texas, and he asked me about the possibility of coming to Kansas to do graduate work.

I was struck by his studious and earnest habits, his close application to details, and his ability to assimilate instruction. Pfitsch came on to Kansas and made a fine record. His work was very thorough, and he was punctual and eager to do all the work that he undertook. His enthusiasm is unbounded, but he has the ability to assimilate.

He was an assistant in our Department of Physical Education. He worked in the intramurals department and his leadership in organizing and officiating was unusual. He officiated a great many of the intramural matches in all sports, and his attitude of fair dealing and courteous yet firm execution in the enforcement of penalties won him much respect among the students of the University. He is clean, capable and resourceful. And above all he is highly dependable. He is loyal to an unusual degree.

I am happy to recommend him without reservation or evasion.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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