

July 13, 1945

W. L. Baughman, Principal
East St. Louis Senior High School
East St. Louis, Illinois

Dear President Baughman:

I regret that I am unable to recommend a competent assistant to your Wirt Downing and to your "Pick" Dehmer.

The war has done things to us, so that we are unable to recommend a suitable man for your very nice salaried position.

I can appreciate the excellent advantages offered teachers regarding tenure in your pensioned system.

I do appreciate your writing me and wish that I might reciprocate your kindness.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education
Varsity Basketball Coach

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