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Gentlemen:

Dean George B. Smith and I were in Kansas City yesterday and while there we stopped by to see George Powers to discuss with him the Oklahoma investigation situation. George Powers said that Dean Adams called on him at his office in the Fourth National Bank Building.

George Powers said, "Mr. Adams, what is your connection with the University of Oklahoma?" Dean Adams said, "I am an investigator for the University." George Powers said, "Yes, I know, but what is your main connection with the University?" He said, "Just a general investigator for the University." And George Powers said, "Well, the University of Oklahoma must be in a lot of trouble to have a full time investigator." "No," Dean Adams said, "not exactly, but I make it a point to investigate things over the country for the University."

Previously Dean Adams had called on Paul Good, the principal of North High in Wichita, and Mr. Good called in all the Wichita North boys who had been to Oklahoma, and let Dean Adams interrogate them. Doug Brown, a student there, was asked by Dean Adams to tell him all about the invitation of Mr. Pat Haskell. Doug Brown told Dean Adams definitely that the boys were invited over to Pat Haskell's house in Wichita and when they got there they were surprised to find Mr. Jap Haskell, the athletic director of the University of Oklahoma, there. Doug Brown told both Dean Adams and Paul Good that it was Jap Haskell who invited them down to the University of Oklahoma and that Jap offered to pay their expenses down there.

I desire to call your attention to the failure of Mr. Walter Kraft to mention the incident of Mr. Haskell offering to pay the boys' expenses to Norman.

Sincerely yours,

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