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Dr. Forrest C. Allen,
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Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Doctor Allen:

I was glad to get your letter and am enclosing my photograph as you suggested. I will be at the National Convention and I am happy that the meeting will be held in Kansas City along with the National Tournament. It seems to me that Kansas City is the logical place to hold such a Tournament.

I would like to make this suggestion in regard to future Tournaments. As you know, we have turned down invitations to the last two N. C. A. A. Tournaments. It is not due to the fact that we do not care to participate, but it is due to the fact that the invitations arrive after we have disbanded our team. That to some Universities is not a serious problem but to us here in the South it is. I had three football men on my squad. Spring football starts here on February 1st. Naturally the football coach wants his men as early as he can get them. Spring football will be over here at Kentucky on April 6th. That would give the football men but one week of organized play with the group. Now my suggestion is this. Why not feel out some of the schools that the N.C.A.A.