

Second Annual

1940

National Collegiate A. A. Basketball Championships of America

Municipal Auditorium

Kansas City, Mo.

Columbus, Ohio

May 29, 1940

Western District
SEMI-FINALS

March 22 - 23
8:00 p.m.

N. C. A. A.
FINALS

March 30
8:30 p.m.

ADMISSION

Boxes, Loges \$1.68
Balcony 1.12
Upper Balcony .40

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Also in Session ---

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March 28, 29, 30

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March 29, 30

NATIONAL BASKETBALL COMMITTEE OF UNITED STATES & CANADA

March 30, 31, April 1

Dr. Forrest C. Allen
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear "Phog":

In order that we may have a good complete picture of the N.C.A.A. Basketball Tournament this year, we should have write-ups on both the Eastern and Western play-offs, as well as the final game. I have asked Tony Hinkle to write up the Eastern play-off for the Guide in somewhat the same manner as Swarts did last year. With respect to the Western play-off and the final game, I wonder if you would want to write these up, or if you wouldn't care to write them up, inasmuch as your team was in the play-off and the final game, if you would prevail on someone, let's say, McBride to do so. In some respects, if McBride, for example, were to write up the Western play-off and the final game he could say some complimentary things about your team with better grace than you could yourself. At any rate, time is rather short and I wonder if you wouldn't do something about these two write-ups right away. I am sure you will agree we want to have a good full description of the N.C.A.A. Tournament in this year's Guide, because I believe Tower plans to give it the first position.

Can I rely on you to provide these two write-ups and can I expect to receive them within a week? Please wire me.

I am glad to report that Saint continues to improve.

Kindest regards.

Very sincerely yours,

H. G. Olsen
Basketball Coach

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