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SAINT PAUL, MINNESOTA

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Mr. Everett Dean
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Dear Coach:

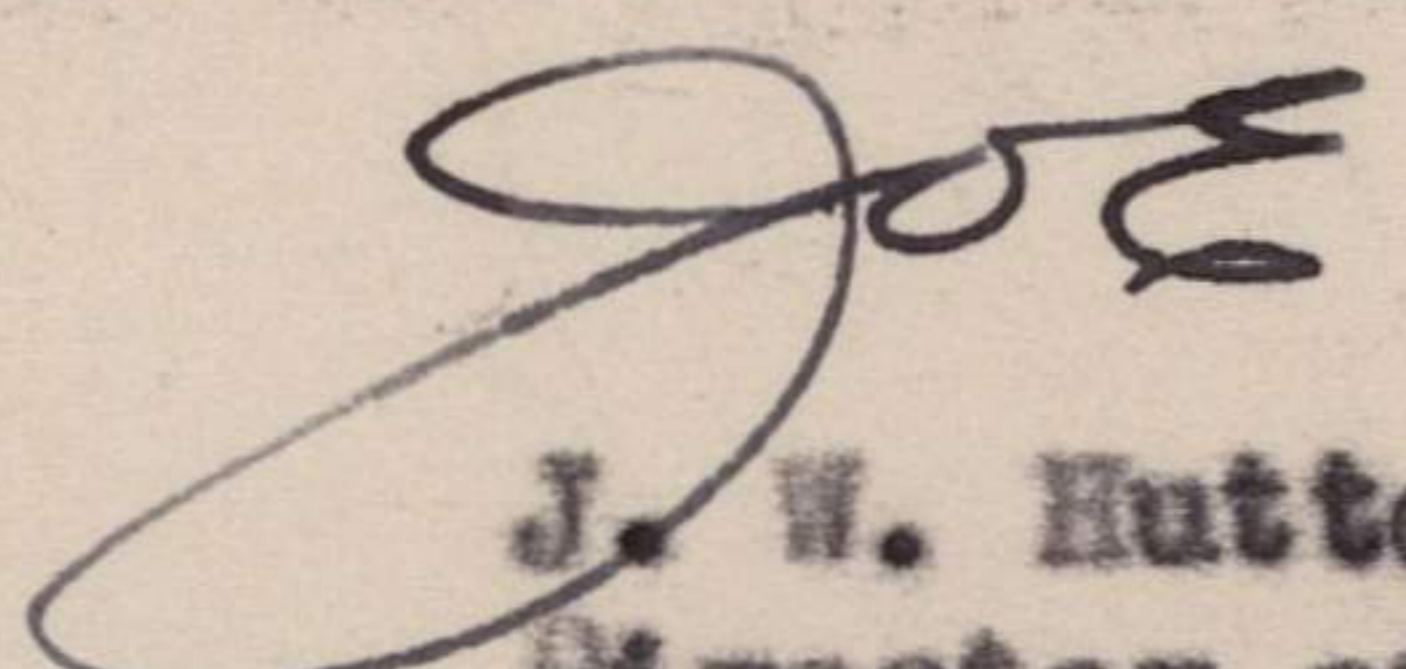
I was glad to receive your letter and have been waiting for the good or bad news with respect to the amount of guarantee which you can give us. We entered the National Intercollegiate Basketball tournament at Kansas City and advanced as far as the fourth round before being eliminated by the championship team. Two of the boys made the second All-Tournament team and will be back next winter.

We had the smallest team in the tournament, and everyone was pulling for us to win by the time Friday rolled around. We went down more for the trip, but we were fortunate in knocking off two schools who had been champions of their respective conferences, and then Thursday night defeated the defending champion 38-33. I was weak on reserves and the boys got pretty well exhausted by the time the fourth game had rolled around. In addition I had to return Wednesday night to officiate a district tournament at New Ulm so I couldn't be with my team the latter part of the week.

I have received favorable replies from Washington State College and from San Jose State College also the College of the Pacific, and I am hoping that we can put this trip across as it means a lot to me and to the college if it can be arranged.

Congratulations on your fine season, and with sincere regards to your family, I am,

Cordially yours,



J. W. Hutton
Director of Athletics

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P.S. Because of the expense of the Kansas City trip I do not think I will be able to make the coaches convention as much as I would like to. JWH