

accommodate your father when it seems to me the matter is in your and their hands.

You doubtless know that I have never placed a very high evaluation on money except for the comforts and the benefits that it might bring people. I have never been much interested in your father's wealth. In fact, it has been of little concern to me. And you know, doubtless, that you, George and Ethel have received bequests and gifts from your father and mother, but Bess is the only one that has received nothing. I only mention this to show you that I have never been greatly concerned about those matters, preferring to earn our own money and handle it in our own way without the unpleasantness and dissatisfactions that seem to have come from these gratuities.

I certainly have no feeling in the matter and only mention these things to emphasize this fact - that after your father passes away if there is not some sort of a settlement the pre-nuptial agreement of Mr. Milton will hold and it will be one year before any settlement can be made through the probate court. Mrs. Milton will be forced to pay six per cent interest on the house that she is living in and any property used by the renters or dwellers on the property will be charged at regular legal interest rate. The people with money will be able to get along, but the people without money will be the ones penalized.

I do not think it is time to quibble over these matters, nor will anyone derive any undue gain by attempting to drive a sharp bargain because the very purpose of the whole thing will be defeated and the individual who is endeavoring to gain an advantage will lose.

It is a very easy matter to settle a situation if everyone will want to be fair about it. But if anyone wants to hold out for more than their fair share and equity I am sure that the whole thing will be defeated.

Again let me assure you that my only activity has been upon the insistent request of your father who still expresses the desire that his children have his property. Certainly any contract entered into should be respected and no one should suffer if everybody wants to be fair.

If there is anything that I can do further please let me know, but I have no desire to spend my time and money needlessly.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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