

April 11, 1944.

Dr. Don Carlos Peete,  
4140 Cambridge,  
Kansas City, Kansas.

Dear Dr. Peete:

I was certainly happy to have your kind missive of April Fool's Day, but instead of fooling me it pleased me very much to hear from you and your family. I am leaving now for Hutchinson, Kansas, where I speak to the Parent Teachers Association tonight, and then I go on to Cedar Rapids, Iowa. At Cedar Rapids we have an all-sports banquet - about 400 attending - so we should have a nice meeting. I sometimes think I am a little crazy to run all over the country, but we get into this maelstrom and the vortex of it seems to not let us loose.

Eleanor is coming tomorrow on the streamliner and I will see her Friday morning when I return. The Allen domicile is cleaned spic and span as if the bride is already to arrive. Bobby has everything in shipshape for his wedding on the 26th, and the Allen family is all agog.

The new draft regulation has eased the tension somewhat in the Allen household.

I will be seeing you soon, I hope. With kindest regards to all your good family, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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