

December 7, 1942.

The Commandant,
U. S. Marine Corps,
Headquarters,
Washington, D. C.

My dear Sir:

It is a pleasure for me to recommend for your consideration Jack Griffin, Jr., of 476 New Customhouse, Denver, Colorado.

I knew Jack Griffin as a student at the University of Kansas in 1934-37. He was a fine athlete, very alert and knew how to take orders. Football, basketball and baseball were his major activities, but I believe he was a more exceptional baseball player than in the other two sports. I knew Jack Griffin intimately, both as an athlete and as a chum of one of my sons on the varsity here.

He is a dependable chap, makes hosts of friends wherever he goes, and has an exceptionally strong personality. He knows the meaning of the word loyalty.

I am very enthusiastic in recommending him to you because I believe that from all of his experiences both in and out of college he, in my opinion, possesses the qualifications that you consider for officer candidate material. I am glad to recommend him to you without reservation.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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