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Mr. Leo "Dutch" Meyers
Director of Athletics
Texas Christian University
Fort Worth, Texas

Dear Dutch:

I desire to inform you of one of our outstanding basketball coaches in the person of Gordon Gray. Gordon played three outstanding years as guard on our Kansas Championship team, and then he went to Harlingen, Texas where he made a fine record.

Gordon is back at Kansas University this year working on his Masters Degree, and I have appointed him as my Freshman Basketball Coach. He is also helping me with the Varsity and is doing a splendid job.

Gordon Gray is clean, personable, and capable. He is an excellent coach and sets a wonderful example for the young men that he works with. His work is not of the mere accidental type but is founded upon experience and study. He is a physical education major and knows the theory of physical education as well as competitive athletics.

He does not use tobacco or alcoholic beverages, and I would recommend him to you without reservation or evasion. He is one of our young coming coaches. When I review the names of the men who have been turned out here such as Dutch Lomborg of Northwestern, John Bunn of Stanford, Adolph Rupp of Kentucky, and Forrest (Frosty) Cox of Colorado, I place Gordon Gray right along with these fellows.

If you are further interested in Gordon Gray, I would be very glad to write to you.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

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cc: Mr. Dan D. Rogers
cc: Gordon Gray