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Mr. Phog Allen
Coach of Basketball
Kansas University

Dear Sir:

We have organized a basketball tournament in Troop "A" between the different platoons. After all the plans had been made we found out we didn't even have a basketball to play with. Would it be at all possible to send us one or two of your old practice balls to carry on for us.

I could hardly express my personal, and the troops appreciation for anything you could do for us along this line.

Hoping to hear from you soon and wishing for your continued success, I remain

Respectfully yours
J. Mangini
Athletic Director, Troop "A"