

November 27, 1940

Mr. Johnny Sabo
339 Sheridan Road
Winnetka, Illinois

Dear Johnny:

Yes, Johnny, I did receive your letter as of last week, but I have had so many conflicts in time that I have neglected to answer only my most urgent correspondence. Not that I would not do anything for you that I could, but I simply did not have time enough to go around.

You know, Johnny, I have never been especially strong in writing unsolicited letters; I do not believe they get the job done. I have always felt that if the individual was interested sufficiently in the personnel that he would write to me. I have always found that when I write these letters to these presidents that they feel as if we are trying to force someone upon them.

I am wondering if you will see Major Griffith. He is in a much better position to pull certain strings than anyone else in the country. Now, Johnny, do not feel that I am turning you down, I am not, but I do not remember a person I have met by the name of President Frank L. Eversull, and I am afraid that he would feel that I was forcing something upon him.

If you feel, Johnny, after receiving my letter, that a letter from me would do any good, I would write him, but I would endeavor to have Major Griffith sell him on you first and let my letter come in to reinforce the situation.

I am sorry that you lost your position in the east. It seems especially unfortunate that you should lose this after making such a fine record.

My kindest regards to you and your good family,

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

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