

December 6, 1937.

Mr. Elmer Schaake,  
Bethany College,  
Lindsborg, Kansas.

Dear Elmer:

I am sending you copy of a letter I have received from H. Dean Stallings, Acting Director, South Dakota State College, and a carbon copy of the letter I have written to him.

Please be very careful, Elmer, of your construction and your English in your letter of application. It will have a lot to do with how seriously you are viewed by Mr. Stallings. I am very sure that you and your wife can get up a swell application, and I would not make it too lengthy, but would tell him that you would be very happy to have an interview if he considers your application seriously.

I am very enthusiastic about the letter that Mr. Stallings writes, and I believe that by a very careful and dignified approach in the letter that you construct that you will at least be given serious consideration.

You always can count on me for 100 per cent cooperation and help.

Sincerely yours,

Varsity Basketball Coach,  
Director of Physical Education.

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