

May 10, 1943.

Mr. Donald Uhlenhop,
Leonardville, Kansas.

Dear Donald:

I know how very necessary it is to aid with agriculture, but there is another very important thing and that is to fit yourself in the best possible way for the service that you can render yourself as well as your country. Of course, if you will be deferred for working on the farm, then I think that is fine, but I would be sure that such a thing would happen if you stay at home.

Otherwise I believe it would be well to plan on some educational work that will fit you for the time when this war is over, as well as while the war is on.

I am wondering if you would write me and tell me what you are figuring on studying if and when you come to college. The Army is needing engineers, chemists, and so forth, and doubtless you would make good grades and would be deferred if you undertook any of these subjects.

I would be happy to hear from you as to your reactions in this regard.

Sincerely yours,

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Varsity Basketball Coach.