

April 23, 1942.

Mr. Donald Burt,
Dodge City, Kansas.

Dear Donald:

Otto Schnellbacher dropped into my office and we had a fine conversation regarding you. He told me he had talked with you about coming to the University and that you felt it would be necessary to have some work while you are attending school.

You can count on work, Donald, and when we promise you work we mean that. Every boy who has an opportunity to come to the University, whether he makes it or not, if he needs work we will give it to him. But I know that you will make it because you have been so well trained under Coach Stanton. And you will have many friends here who will help you out when you need advice.

By the way, Otto Schnellbacher was just elected president of his fraternity, Delta Chi, which is a fine honor to come to a first year man. He is not only a fine athlete, but he is a fine student and a great leader on the campus. I predict a great future for him, not only in athletics, but he has what it takes. He is the type of athlete we like. I have never gone for the fellow who is just a great athlete. I think that is a mistake because after his college life is over he is forgotten. But when a boy learns the sources at the University, learns where to find avenues of knowledge, makes friends and learns how to apply the law, then he is a successful and educated man.

I have always told all the boys that athletics only introduce you favorably to society and business. You have still got to have the stuff to make good after the introduction. And when his playing days are over, the vitally necessary thing - education - is what the boy needs for a success.

I hope you are planning on attending the University. I am sure that from the way you have been so highly recommended in other ways that you will not disappoint your friends and well-wishers.

Have you any notion what you would like to major in - journalism, law, medicine, business, education, coaching? We will be glad to send you a catalog and any other special literature pertaining to the course you might select. The College of Liberal