

February 23, 1942.

Mr. Ken Bounds,
Northeast High School,
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Ken:

Congratulations to you on the exceptional honor that has come to you in being selected as one of the members of the Interscholastic League All-Stars in basketball. I know you are happy about receiving this signal honor.

I am very sure that you realize that while athletics carry a tremendous appeal, the durable and most lasting benefit comes from your academic achievements. No boy would spend as much energy as you have in winning this honor without having a very fine mental equipment. It takes both to be a real leader and I congratulate you on having both of those ingredients.

I enjoyed meeting you when you came down to visit the University and I trust that you will come again this spring. You have a champion in Bill Butler, and I might add that he doesn't pick dead horses. He is always for the live wires, the boys who have personality, intelligence and good physiques.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball and Baseball Coach.

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