

February 23, 1942.

Mr. Bud French,
Central High School,
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Bud:

I desire to congratulate you on the exceptional honor that you have won in being selected as one of the members of the Interscholastic League All-Stars in basketball. This is a signal honor and I know that you are happy about it.

I am also 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 could spend as much energy as you have expended 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 these ingredients.

Bill Butler is your champion, and he is always for the live wires. I enjoyed meeting you when you came to visit at the University, and I trust that you will come again soon.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

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

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