

July 5, 1940.

Mr. Ray Blacker,
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Kansas City, Kansas.

Dear Ray:

My secretary just called my attention to the fact that I wrote you on March 23th saying that as soon as the rush of the N.C.A.A. basketball tournament was over I would write you. Well, the rush is over, but I am having some difficulty with one of my good Phi Psi brothers who handled the publicity down there and the program adversiting. It seems as if I am having trouble making contact with him, and since there is quite a bit of money outstanding perhaps I had better arrange a time real soon to come down to Kansas City and see about it.

Possibly I could combine this matter with seeing you and talking with Kenneth Winters. Leo Brady also called me up and said he and Larry Winn had talked to Jack Ballard's father and they wanted me to talk with the old gentleman.

On April 17th I received a letter from Kenneth Winters regretting the fact that he could not accept the invitation to the Relays and to work out in the gym shooting a few baskets, giving as the reason that the annual government inspection was on at Wentworth Military Academy and they did not permit any absences at that time. He seemed very appreciative, and it would be a pleasure for me to see him and you at your convenience, if you will let me know so that I might work out my rather difficult schedule. I am teaching two classes every day and handling the recreation here in the Summer School, which makes it rather difficult for me to break away at times unless arrangements are made ahead of time.

With all good wishes, I am

Fraternally yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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