

November 23, 1938.

Mr. Louis Touton,
Kansas City Junior College,
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Louie:

Curvin Green, a graduate of one of the Kansas City high schools and a student at your Junior College there, has been down to see me a couple of times with the desire and intent of entering the University of Kansas if it is financially possible.

Curvin has had a very fine business experience. He is a graduate of one of the business colleges in Kansas City, and has been employed by the Kansas City Star as typist in the mailing department and classified ad department.

He came down again during the teachers convention in Kansas City a week ago. The thing that is bothering him most is that his parents live in Missouri, and there is an excessively high tuition for students coming from out of the state into Kansas. He does not seem to be able to get enough money ahead so that he can enter the University this next year. He is most desirous of serving you and your Camp Soso. He told me that he had spoken to you once but he was afraid that you would not remember him.

Louie, I am much impressed with this chap and I hope that if you do have an opening you will give him consideration. I do not know how fine a basketball player he is, but I do know from talking with him that he is a fine boy, and it is my opinion that he would make you an excellent helper if you should have an opening. He is the same type boy as is Bill Hogben, only I believe Curvin's business training has matured him more than Bill.

After learning of the work that he has done at the Star and the fact that he can take dictation and do typewriting as well as bookkeeping, I told him that he need not worry about work when he comes to the University, that I will hire him. If I can get you to give him an interview when he comes to see you I will appreciate it. This boy hasn't had much encouragement from home in his quest for an education, and I am tremendously interested in helping him get just that encouragement if I possibly can. Won't you give him some time if he comes to see you? He needs your encouragement.

It is not necessary for you to answer this letter, because I told him that I would write you soon and then he could make his date with you.