

December 29, 1941.

Professor W. W. Davis,
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Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Friend W. W.:

In yesterday morning's Kansas City Star Dan Partner had purported and reliable information concerning Gerald Tucker's eligibility status in his special story in the Star. He quoted the Big Six Conference rules to the effect that after four weeks of residence in an institution like Kansas State a player could not transfer to another institution like Oklahoma and be eligible in two semesters as Gerald has done.

Partner states that Tucker was in residence at Kansas State seven weeks before transferring to Oklahoma. Dan further quotes the rule of the Big Six which from any logical process of reasoning this fellow could not be eligible at Oklahoma for the first semester. They have already played him in five or six non-conference games and doubtless are anticipating playing him in the conference games. Their first conference game is against us here in Lawrence on January 6. From all the statements published out of Oklahoma they expect to use him.

Dan also states that this question has been brought before the faculty representatives and the athletic directors, and to date nothing has been done. I am wondering if you could give me any information on whether this question has been brought before the faculty representatives for consideration.

I am writing Mr. Gwinn Henry, the Director of Athletics, asking that some recognition of this case be brought to the authorities if it is in order. I will appreciate hearing from you.

Sincerely yours,

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

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