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Dear Henry:

I was surprised to receive your letter as of May 28th, stating that your cabinet feels that student season tickets should not be counted in net gate receipts. Of course your students do not know what schedule you make and I doubt whether it would be important from their stand-point if we were ever on your home schedule.

I quite agree with you that your school has paid Kansas more money than you have received from us.

This is perhaps true with most of the schools you play, due to the fact that you have a much larger standing capacity than most any other school. However, doubtless you will agree that the other schools make fifty percent of the attraction.

I am reminded of the occasion a few years back when most of your Oklahoma papers attacked Kansas and me personally for not scheduling games with you. I was cognizant of the fact that you had never written asking for a game. Yet, that did not lessen the barrage. I felt very keenly that any word from you could have set your own local papers right but apparently none were forth coming.

Upon receipt of a letter from you asking for games, we agreed to appear at your field house to dedicate your edifice with one of our Sophomore teams. We asked for our conference guarantee and nothing more. Nor have we ever been unreasonable.

I now take it that apparently you do not desire to continue relationships which have been very pleasant and which have afforded some very splendid competition.