

WESTERN UNION

Stillwater, Oklahoma  
March 5, 1940.

Dr. F. C. Allen,  
Lawrence, Kansas.

The following action was taken by our Athletic Council this morning.  
"It is moved, in view of the fact that no definite date has been set for the play-off in the Fifth District of the N.C.A.A. Basketball Tournament and, furthermore, since March 18 is an open date for all possible competing teams, as well as the auditorium in Oklahoma City, that we accept the invitation of the Metropolitan Intercollegiate Basketball Committee to participate in the national basketball invitation tournament in Madison Square Garden on March 11-15 and return to compete in the N.C.A.A. tournament."

It must be understood from this action that we are most desirous to continue our support of the N.C.A.A. and to play in the N.C.A.A. tournament which this plan of dates makes possible.

Athletic Council,

Oklahoma A. & M. College.