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Dear Eddie:

Van Reen, of St. Louis, would be one of my first choices. Harrison would be second, and I do not know Reper, but I do not want North. Gibbs, of course, if we can get him would be my number one choice. I wonder if we couldn't get Gibbs and Van Reen.

Ab Curtis again is one of my A Number One choices, but he is in Dallas. What would you think of Oberhelman? I liked his work very much. If you do not care for him of course we will not even consider him. Won't you write me again and give me your opinion on the names under discussion?

Maybe there is someone else that you would like, but for the life of me I thought we had only a few good officials last year and Ab Curtis and Gibbs were what I considered the best of the lot. Van Reen has never worked for me but I am willing to try him. I saw Harrison work one game - the Iowa State-Missouri game - and I was not overly impressed, but would take him. However, I would not want him the number one man.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

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