January 25, 1943. Lieut. Paul D. Hinkle, Great Lakes Maval Training School, Great Lakes, Illinois. Dear Tony: -I have just talked to the Auditorium people. They will use a six by four foot glass backboard, and we are using a stitched, laceless basketball. I also talked to Lou Lower, the manager of the Auditorium, and he states that very definitely he will guarantee that you will have no trouble in oatching the El Capitan for Chicago. He has talked to the railroad people and they have guaranteed him definite transportation for you on the El Capitan. I have talked to Reaves Peters over the phone regarding officials. Ronald Gibbs cannot be here for Friday night but Peters can obtain him for Saturday night. I have asked that he obtain him even for Saturday night. I have also asked Peters to inform us at once or as soon as possible the men he has selected. I do not know at present because he has not announced the selection, but we will advise you as soon as he has advised us. Very sincerely yours, Director of Physical Education, Varsity Basketball Coach. FCA:AH