

July 5, 1939.

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Dear D. X.:

Thank you for your good letter of June 6th. I am sorry that we cannot play on January 15 and 16, much as we would like to. We are making a trip and we are playing Missouri January 18 at Columbia. You know the old Missouri-Kansas battle, so we will have to be in good shape for those fellows.

D. X., I guess we will just have to wait until 1940 because Jack and I talked last year about playing this year. If you will recall when we signed the two-year contract Jack insisted that we have return games on December, 1939, and that is what we had counted on and held these dates. But I assure you that I would not want him to miss the Madison Square Garden games if the boys like to play there. Personally, I have never been enthusiastic about playing with that sort of a set-up, but if the boys like a trip to New York, then that is fine.

I am very sure that we can get together in 1940, but we are also planning a trip in 1940 and it might be we would have to delay the games until 1941. But we will play these games sometime in the near future.

I note that you and your family are to be in Estes Park during the month of July. Well, I envy you, sir, because ordinarily I like to be away from Kansas in the hot weather. However, we have had the most delightful summer up to the present. I am teaching eight weeks in the Summer Session, and so far Colorado weather couldn't improve upon this, but we may get warmer weather. I would like to visit with you and your fine family at Estes, but I will be forced to pass it up this year. At the end of the summer session I am going down to Atlanta to be in the coaching school there. I have the north Georgia boys and Roy mmdorff has the south Georgia boys. We will play a game at the end of the week of our coaching. The same set-up obtains in football, with Alexander and Meagher and some of the boys down south.