

December 16, 1939.

Mr. Ab F. Hinshaw,
Mid-Continent Air Lines,
105 West 12th Street,
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Ab:

This will confirm my telephone call to you yesterday afternoon concerning our game here on Tuesday, the 19th, with Southern Methodist University. We are counting you as one of the officials for that game.

This morning I received your note of the 15th instant which I presume was written yesterday before our telephone call. I am sorry, too, that you cannot be with us for both games, but we are glad to have you on Tuesday.

Looking forward to seeing you, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

December 16, 1939.

Mr. John F. Carmody,
Director of Athletics,
Haskell Institute,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear John:

This will confirm my telephone call to you yesterday afternoon concerning our game with Southern Methodist University here on Monday evening. We are glad that you will be able to act as one of the officials for that game.

Looking forward to seeing you, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.



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105 WEST TWELFTH STREET
KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

December 15, 1939.

Dr. Forrest C. Allen,
Dept. of Physical Education,
University of Kansas,
Lawrence, Kansas.

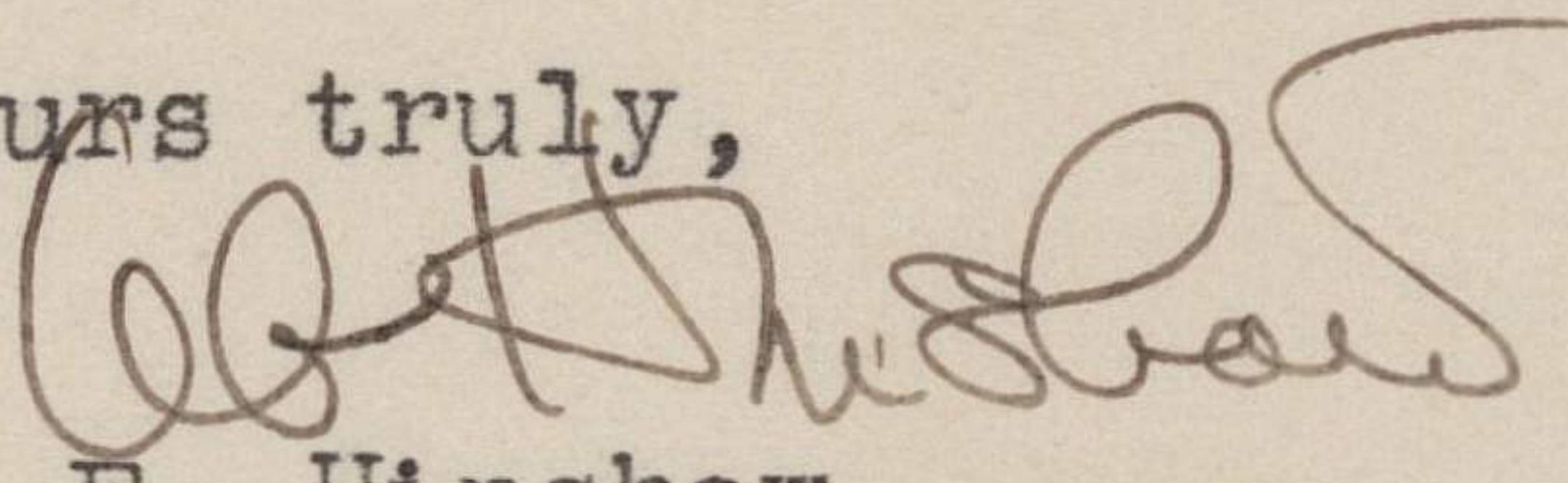
Dear Dr. Allen:

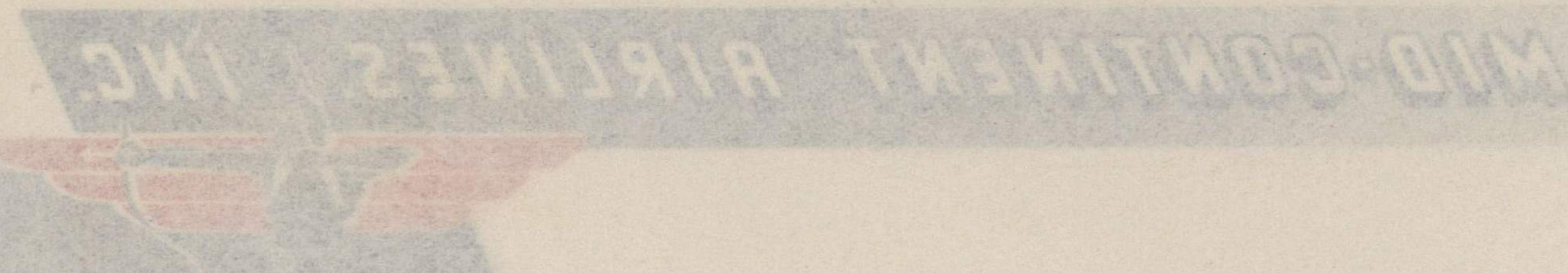
I was exceedingly sorry I could not accept the assignment to work in your games with Southern Methodist Dec. 18 and 19. I had a game Dec. 18, and I realize it would be better to have the same set of officials both nights.

However I do wish to thank you for offering me a chance to work in the games. It was nice of you to do so and I appreciate it.

Trusting you will have a most enjoyable Christmas and a Happy New Year, I am

Yours truly,


A. F. Hinshaw,
District Sales Manager.



102 WEST TARTHER STREET
KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

December 15, 1933.

Dr. Dorrleaf C. Jiffey
Dept. of Primary Education
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dr. Jiffey:

I was exceedingly sorry I could
not accept the assignment of work in your Bureau
until November 20th. I am now
a lame Dec. 18, 1933, and I prefer
to leave the same day to take a trip
to New York to get a new job.

If we have the same date to leave
I will be able to get a job
in New York and you will be
able to get a job in the same
date.

Therefore you will have a month
to get a job in New York and I am
surely able to get a job in the same
date.

Yours truly,

A. L. Hinsman

Director of State Inspectors

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I should like to use the same two officials for both nights there, so that the boys may get acquainted with them and know how they are going to call them. I know that there will be some difference in officiating, and our boys will have to get used to it, just as yours did down here.

I have talked with Mr. Stewart concerning your letter to him, and he asked me to write you. We should prefer to have officials appointed from the following list:

Don Elser
Parke Carroll
Ted O'Sullivan

If Mr. Quigley could work only one of the ball games, I should not want him to work at all, because, as I have stated, I do not wish to change officials on the boys.

Looking forward to seeing you, I am

Sincerely yours,

"Whitey" Baccus
Forrest C. Baccus
Basketball Coach

FCB*AH

December 8, 1939.

Mr. J. H. Stewart,
Director of Athletics,
Southern Methodist University,
Dallas, Texas.

Dear Jimmie:

In considering officials for our two games with you here on December 18 and 19, we had thought of using E. C. Quigley and Don Elser, a Notre Dame graduate who is now coaching at St. Benedict's College, for the Monday night game. Apparently Quigley will work only one game a week. In his letter to me of November 23rd he says: "My foot is nearly as good as it was and my leg is getting stronger each day. . . . I may work one basketball game a week, if anyone wants me to operate."

For the second game we had thought of Ted O'Sullivan, a Missouri alumnus who worked in the Orange Bowl football game last year. He is on both the Missouri Valley and Big Six list of officials, working games for both conferences. He is one of the outstanding officials in this section. For the other official I would suggest John Carnody, a Midland, Nebraska, College man, athletic director, football and basketball coach at Haskell Institute for a number of years. Parke Carroll, of the Kansas City Journal Post, also worked in the Orange Bowl game last year and he is one of the outstanding basketball officials of this section.

I haven't found out whether Quigley is available for the night of December 18th. He is in Cincinnati now attending the National League's conclave there.

I wish you would write me at your early convenience and let me know which men would be satisfactory.

With best wishes, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH

December 14, 1939.

Mr. Don Elser,
Athletic Association,
St. Benedict's College,
Atchison, Kansas.

Dear Don:

I am sending this note to acknowledge your call by telephone this afternoon. We are planning on using you as one of the officials at our two games with Southern Methodist University here at Lawrence on Monday and Tuesday, December 18 and 19. I trust you will be able to work these games.

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

November 15, 1939.

Mr. Ted O'Sullivan,
916 Walnut Street Bldg.,
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Ted:

The two dates, December 5 and February 15, are satisfactory, and I am glad that you can work the games for us.

I have just received word from Henry Iba, and I am sure you will hear from him regarding the February 15 date. We are definitely counting on you to work the game here on December 5th.

I am also recommending that you work our game on December 8th at Warrensburg in accordance with a letter I have just received from Tom Scott.

With best wishes, I am

Very sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

TED O'SULLIVAN
INSURANCE BROKER
816 WALNUT STREET BUILDING
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November 14, 1939

Dr. F. C. Allen
Athletic Department
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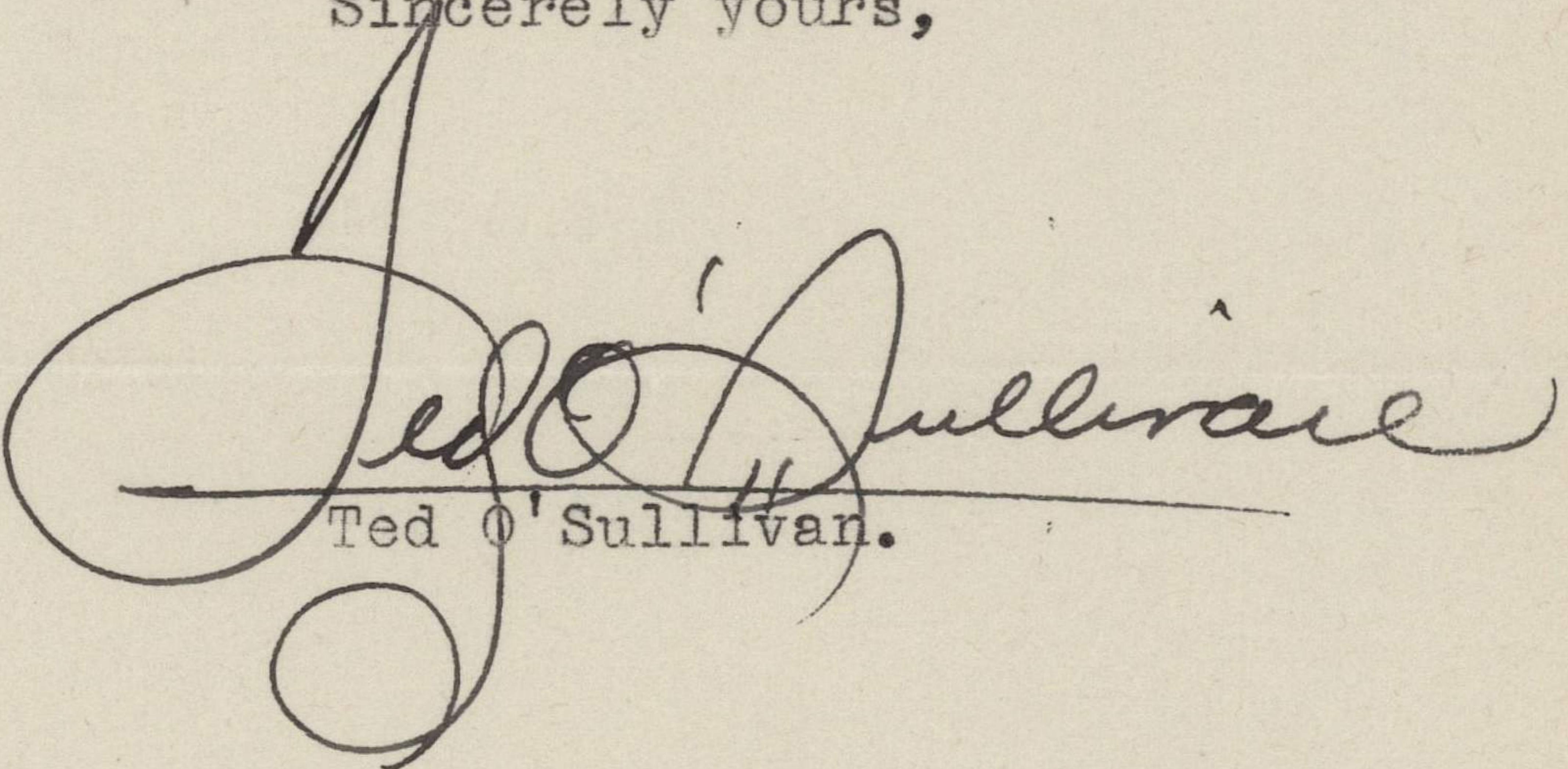
Dear "Phog":

Thank you for your letter of November 8.

I am holding the dates of December 5, and February 15 open for your games with Oklahoma A. and M. I will appreciate it very much if you will inform me definitely relative to these assignments at your earliest convenience.

With kindest personal regards and best wishes,
I am

Sincerely yours,



Ted O'Sullivan

The University of Oklahoma
Norman, Oklahoma

August 18, 1939

PHYSICAL EDUCATION FOR MEN

Forrest C. Allen
Basketball Coach
University of Kansas
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear "Doc" Allen:-

I just returned from a two weeks fishing with Harold Keith in Colorado and find your letter concerning the basketball dates with Southern Methodist. I have just mailed a letter to Jimmie Stewart and in all probability we should both get this settled right off.

Hoping you have a pleasant coaching school in North Carolina I am,

Sincerely,

Bruce Drake
Varsity Basketball Coach

July 31, 1939.

Mr. J. H. Stewart,
Director of Athletics,
Southern Methodist University,
Dallas, Texas.

Dear Jimmie:

I have not heard from you since writing you on June 8th regarding our dates with Southern Methodist next December, and I am wondering if you have reached a decision as yet.

We are anxious to get our calendar settled, and I hope you can tell me definitely when you will be able to play here. We would be happy to play you here December 18th and 19th if you are playing Oklahoma the weeke-end of the 16th. Please let me hear from you at your early convenience.

Very sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

July 31, 1939.

Mr. Bruce Drake,
Basketball Coach,
University of Oklahoma,
Norman, Oklahoma.

Dear Bruce:

I have written Jimmie Stewart at Southern Methodist a number of times in regard to our date with them in December, and so far have been unable to get the date definitely set. I have not heard from you since your letter of June 20, and wonder if you have reached a decision as yet.

Please let me hear from you at your early convenience, as we would like very much to get this date settled on our calendar.

With best wishes, I am

Very sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

July 31, 1939.

Mr. F. C. Baccus, Basketball Coach,
Southern Methodist University,
Dallas, Texas.

Dear Coach Baccus:

I have had some correspondence with Jimmie Stewart in regard to the dates you will play us at Lawrence this coming December, and I am wondering if you have worked out your schedule with the University of Oklahoma.

We are anxious to get our calendar settled, and I hope you can tell me definitely when you will be able to play here. If you are playing Oklahoma on the week-end of December 16, then of course we would desire to play you the 18th and 19th. Please let me hear from you at your early convenience.

Very sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

The University of Oklahoma
Norman, Oklahoma

INTERCOLLEGiate ATHLETICS

S. M. U.
dates

June 20, 1939.

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

Dear Dr. Allen:

I have just returned from the state golf tournament
and found your letter concerning our game with S. M. U.

At Ames I did infer that I would like to play them on
the 18th but my eastern trip calls for a departure
on the 19th so I would like a little time to brush up
on the mistakes.

I would appreciate it very much to be able to play
them on the weekend of the 16th and I will write Jimmie
Stewart to this effect. I would appreciate this switch
very much and hope that it works out to your satisfaction.

Sincerely yours,

Bruce Drake
Bruce Drake
Basketball Coach.

June 8, 1939.

Mr. Bruce Drake,
Basketball Coach,
University of Oklahoma,
Norman, Oklahoma.

Dear Bruce:

I have just received a letter from Director J. H. Stewart, of Southern Methodist University, stating that they had had some difficulty working out their dates with Oklahoma due to the fact that you desired them to play their game with you on the way up rather than on the return trip.

It was my understanding when I spoke with you at Ames that you wanted to play them on the 18th, and that would take them on the way back. However, if you have changed your mind and do desire to play them on the 16th, the week-end, down there we will accommodate you and take them here on the 18th and 19th.

You will remember I discussed that with you and you stated that you wanted them as late as possible there on their way back. It will suit me just as well to play them on the 18th and 19th, and for you to take them at the week-end.

I am writing Jimmie Stewart to the effect that we will be glad to make the switch and that it was my understanding you desired them to play on the 18th. However, you let me know what you want and we will be glad to cooperate to our limit.

With all good wishes, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

FCA:AH

June 8, 1939.

Dean D. M. Starthout,
School of Fine Arts,
University of Kansas.

Dear Don:

I have waited for an opportunity to approach Southern Methodist University on the possibility of changing these dates in December. I have an angle that I have used by writing Bruce Drake, of Oklahoma, asking him to make a shift which will enable us to play on Monday and Tuesday, the 18th and 19th.

Of course, some of the students may be leaving school for the Christmas holidays before the second game, but that would not make any difference to us.

I assure you if there is any possible way for us to play ball with you we will do it. I will advise you as soon as this possibility is ironed out.

Very sincerely yours,

FGA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

cc to Raymond Nichols.

June 8, 1939.

Mr. J. H. Stewart,
Director of Athletics,
Southern Methodist University,
Dallas, Texas.

Dear Jimmie:

Desiring to help you all that I can, and remembering that Bruce Drake told me that he desired to play you on the 18th, I accepted the 15th and 16th with you knowing that Bruce had asked me to play you on those dates so that he could play you on the 18th.

Now, Jimmie, I hope that this letter to Bruce Drake brings you your desire. If not, we will consider the 15th and 16th definitely closed. But we do have a conflict here at the University of Kansas in which our School of Fine Arts would desire this week-end, and it would please Dean Swarthout very much if you could play here on Monday and Tuesday. Then you could meet Bruce on the way up. That would make no difference to us at all. It would not hurt our gate and it would be a means of accommodating our Dean Swarthout and you.

Therefore, so far as I am concerned, I would prefer Monday and Tuesday, the 18th and 19th, over these other dates, and if you can work it out with Bruce you will have the gratitude of our dean. I personally would like to accommodate him if possible. If, however, you cannot make this change we will stand by our previous agreement.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

June 8, 1939.

Mr. Jo H. Stewart,
Director of Athletics,
Southern Methodist University,
Dallas, Texas.

Dear Jimmie:

Desiring to help you all that I can, and remembering that Bruce Drake told me that he desired to play you on the 10th, I accepted the 15th and 16th with you knowing that Bruce had asked me to play you on those dates so that he could play you on the 18th.

Now, Jimmie, I hope that this letter to Bruce Drake brings you your desire. If not, we will consider the 15th and 16th definitely closed. But we do have a conflict here at the University of Kansas in which our School of Fine Arts would desire this week-end, and it would please Dean Smarttowt very much if you could play here on Monday and Tuesday. Then you could meet Bruce on the way up. That would make no difference to us at all. It would not hurt our gate and it would be a means of accomodating our Dean Smarttowt and you.

Therefore, so far as I am concerned, I would prefer Monday and Tuesday, the 10th and 11th, over these other dates, and if you can work it out with Bruce you will have the gratitude of our deans. I personally would like to accomodate him if possible. If, however, you cannot make this change we will stand by our previous agreement.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

PGAH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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June 5, 1939

Dear Dr. Allen:

Please pardon my delay in answering your letter of May 16th relative to confirmation of the dates of December 15th and 16th for our games in Lawrence this year.

These dates are quite agreeable with us, but we are having a little difficulty working out the date with Oklahoma. We prefer to play them on the 18th, but they seem to want us to play on the way up rather than on the return trip. I had delayed writing to you about the matter until I could get straight with Oklahoma. I think you may now consider the 15th and 16th definite, unless we run into further difficulties with them.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

J. H. Stewart

J. H. Stewart
Director of Athletics

JHS*AH

June 2, 1939.

Mr. J. H. Stewart,
Director of Athletics,
Southern Methodist University,
Dallas, Texas.

Dear Jimmie:

Since writing you on May 16 I have had no confirmation of our dates to play you here in Lawrence - the 15th and 16th of December.

I am also wondering if you have been able to arrange a date to play Oklahoma.

I shall be glad to hear from you at your early convenience.

Very sincerely yours,

PGA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

May 16, 1939.

Mr. J. H. Stewart,
Director of Athletics,
Southern Methodist University,
Dallas, Texas.

Dear Jimmie:

We would be very happy to play you the two games in Lawrence on the 15th and 16th of December, Friday and Saturday. That will enable you to play at the University of Oklahoma, Norman, on the 18th.

We will consider these dates closed as soon as we receive a confirmation from you.

With all good wishes to you and your gang, I am

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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Varsity Basketball Coach
University of Kansas

Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dr. Allen:

Your letter to "Whitey" Baccus relative to return games with you in Lawrence this year has been handed to me.

We should like very much to play these games and should like to suggest that the two games in Lawrence be played on the 15th and 16th of December, which will be Friday and Saturday, and then we should be able to play Oklahoma at Norman on Monday night, the 18th. If we play you any later than the 15th and 16th, we should have to play Oklahoma prior to our games with you, as we do not wish to play three games in a row and the night of the 20th is the last night that Oklahoma could play us, since their school is out the 21st.

I should appreciate your letting me know if these dates would be convenient, and, if not, exactly what dates would be.

With best personal wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

J. H. Stewart
Director of Athletics

JHS*AH

April 26, 1939.

Mr. Whitey Baccus,
Coach of Basketball,
Southern Methodist University,
Dallas, Texas.

Dear Whitey:

I am wondering when you would like to come to Kansas in return for our two-game trip in Texas this past winter.

We expect to have a clinic game for the high school coaches the first week in December. I am wondering if you would like to come on the first or second of December.

We have tentative games on the 8th and 9th of December, and our school is out for the Christmas holidays on the afternoon of December 20. We might take you on the 18th or 19th of December if that would suit you.

I talked to Bruce Drake and he said he could play you on your way back, if you were going back to Texas, as his school is out December 21.

I am writing a similar letter to Jack Gray at Texas University, and I sincerely hope that we can arrange the games some time at your convenience.

Hoping to hear from you soon, I am

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

February 16, 1940.

Mr. H. A. Dolman, Jr.,
Athletic Association,
Oklahoma A. & M. College,
Stillwater, Oklahoma.

Dear Mr. Dolman:

I am returning two tickets which we did not use last night. Will you kindly give us credit on the tax?

That was a great game, and we congratulate Henry Iba on his "whickery".

Sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

May 7, 1940.

Mr. H. A. Dolman,
Department of Athletics,
Oklahoma A. & M. College,
Stillwater, Oklahoma.

Dear Mr. Dolman:

Our Athletic Department has again checked with me regarding our last game at Stillwater. I turned in our first check of \$400.00, and I have a recollection that Mr. Iba told me it looked as if our share of the second game would run something over a thousand dollars.

Since now is the time that all bills are being paid, I had to report that I had not received the check. Doubtless you will also hear from our Athletic Office.

Very sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

April 17, 1940.

Mr. H. E. Dolman,
Department of Athletics,
Oklahoma A. & M. College,
Stillwater, Oklahoma.

Dear Mr. Dolman:

I have just been talking to Mr. Falkenstein, our financial secretary, and he asked if we would check up with you and get a report on the balance due us on the fifty per cent option on our game at Stillwater. I will appreciate it very much if you will give us an early report on this, as we are trying to get all of our basketball accounts settled.

With best wishes, I am

Very sincerely yours,

FCA:AH

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.