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July 7, 1966

Mr. Yancey Director of Placement Prairie View A. & M. Prairie View, Texas

Dear Mr. Yancey:

It had been my sincere intent to visit your office and campus again this year, preferably during the Spring period. Unfortunately, this district had a tax election which had to be scheduled on June 7. Knowing that the passage of that tax election was prerequisite to any employment, this district felt it impossible to send me out recruiting for teachers during the Spring of the year when I could give no assurance to anyone that there would, in fact, be openings.

On June 7 the voters of this city did pass the tax raise by a resounding majority. We are pleased with this, particularly when we see that a large number of districts that are our neighbors were not successful in their efforts to raise their tax ceilings. The tax election failures for our neighboring districts caused a reduction in their staff in many instances. It also seriously reduced their need for employment of new personnel. This has meant that there are a large number of applicants seeking employment at this late date in the Bay Area.

Because of the above points it will not be possible for me to make a trip to your area as I had planned but I shall look forward to the possibility of making such arrangements early next year.

Thank you for your past courtesy and assistance.

Sincerely,

Burnell E. Johnson

Personnel Director

BEJ:bjw Lines I reed no letter expressing interest in your coming to Berkeley, I assume that your plans or interest changed _ is This correct? Bed

F.E. 35 (58)

Mr. R. J. Kidd, Director The University Interscholastic League Box 8028, University Station Austin 12, Texas

Dear Mr. Kidd:

We are in the process of making our League Reporter for the month of August. At this time, we send a complete calendar of all League activities for the year. In the meantime, we include the topic for debate.

I am asking if you will please send us a copy of the Constitution and Contest Rules of the University Interscholastic League for 1966-67, in order that it may be included in this issue.

I have missed the relationship for several months with you due to illness. Mr. O. J. Thomas took over and with the office staff, carried on the League program in their usual efficient manner for which I am grateful.

We shall be locking forward to placing our order for League materials just as early as we receive order blanks with the price list.

Again we thank you for the assistance and cooperation you have given us in the past.

Sincerely yours,

C. D. Yancy Director

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Director & Duterscholastic League F.F. 35 1583 Prairie Mice Axm Callege

Prairie Mien, Texas.

Dear Sir:

I am writting you concerning Frank Vaniels, a high school athlete. He has another year in high school and a year of eligibility. He played at Central High School Iroup, Lexa, a single A nating. This school no longer exist. The student will go to the white school next year, and the athletes will be eligible to play There. I was one of the coaches in the school and after they noted to integrate, most of kur teachers were not re- hired. Therefore I had to me. Since I do not have a job I will not be able to let him room & hoard that for away from home.

I don't know what school he will attend this year. This is the information I would like to have. In a case like this is it possible for him to play at another high school. If you could make it possible I would appearate meny much. yours truly, Solomon Daniels