



THE CURTIS HOTEL
MINNEAPOLIS

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To Whom it may concern:—

My thoughts just before
the first real college game of
my life. The honor of my
race, family, & self are at stake.
Everyone is expecting me to do
big things. I will! My
whole body & soul are to
be thrown recklessly about on
the field to-morrow. Every time
the ball is snapped I will be
trying to do more than
my part (supper)

On all defensive plays I must
break thru the opponents line
at stop the play in their
territory. No fear of man's
interference & fight low with
your eyes open and toward
the play. Roll block the interference.
Watch out for cross backs
and reverse end runs. Be
on your toes every minute
if you expect to make
good. (meeting) 7:45
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