

December 29, 1931.

Major General W. R. Smith,
Supt. U. S. Military Academy,
West Point, New York.

Dear General Smith:

The Texas Christian University is extremely anxious to secure a football game with the Army next year to be played in New York or any designated point acceptable to you.

For the past seven years there are only twelve of the leading teams that have won eighty percent of their games. T. C. U.'s record in this respect shows to have won forty-nine games, lost eleven and tied nine, giving a percentage of 817. The Army, during this period, has won fifty-two games, lost twelve and tied three, giving a percentage of 813. S. M. U. (Southern Methodist University, of Dallas) has won forty-seven games, lost eleven and tied ten.

In addition, I am giving you the record of all games played for the past four years as well as a record showing the standing of all teams in the Southwestern Conference. Texas Christian University in 1928 won three games, lost two and tied none; in 1929 won four games, lost none and tied one; in 1930 won four games, lost two and tied none; in 1931 won four games, lost one and tied one. In 1930 T. C. U. won the Southwest Conference Championship. In 1928 T. C. U. finished third; in 1930 finished third and in 1931 finished second. The attached list giving all the games played in the past four years included conference and other games.

The line up for 1932 indicates that T. C. U. will have one of the strongest teams in the Southwestern Conference and we feel sure that we can make a creditable showing playing the Army. The writer happens to know all of the newspaper publishers in New York, many of whom are my personal friends, and I feel sure a game of this kind would receive ample publicity to enable us to play before a substantial audience.

The only two open dates we have for 1932 are October 1st and October 22nd. If either of those dates are open, we will appreciate your consideration in giving T. C. U. an opportunity to fill a long cherished ambition to play a game with the Army.

Thanking you in advance and awaiting your reply with interest, I remain

Yours very truly,

AGC:MD

P r e s i d e n t.

TEXAS CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY
FORT WORTH, TEXAS.

Southwest Conference standing for the past four years, showing record of Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, Texas.

SOUTHWEST CONFERENCE STANDING

1928

	<u>WON</u>	<u>LOST</u>	<u>TIED</u>	<u>PERCENT</u>
1. Texas University	5	1	0	833
2. Arkansas University	3	1	0	750
3. <u>Texas Christian University</u>	3	2	0	600
4. Baylor University	3	2	0	600
5. Southern Methodist University	2	2	1	500
6. Agric. & Mech. College	1	3	1	300
7. Rice Institute	0	5	0	000

1929 - (Southwest Conference Champions)

1. <u>Texas Christian University</u>	4	0	1	900
2. Southern Methodist University	3	0	2	800
3. Arkansas University	3	2	0	600
4. Texas University	2	2	2	500
5. Baylor University	2	2	1	500
6. Agric. & Mech. College	2	3	0	400
7. Rice Institute	0	5	0	000

1930

1. Texas University	4	1	0	800
2. Baylor University	3	1	1	778
3. <u>Texas Christian University</u>	4	2	0	667
4. Southern Methodist University	2	2	1	500
5. Arkansas University	2	2	0	500
6. Rice Institute	2	4	0	333
7. Agric. & Mech. College	0	5	0	000

1931

1. Southern Methodist University	5	0	1	917
2. <u>Texas Christian University</u>	4	1	1	750
3. Agric. & Mech. College	3	2	0	600
4. Rice Institute	3	3	0	500
5. Texas University	2	3	0	400
6. Baylor University	1	5	0	167
7. Arkansas University	0	4	0	000

TEXAS CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY
FORT WORTH, TEXAS

FOOTBALL RECORD FOR TEXAS CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY FOR THE PAST FOUR YEARS.

1928

Texas Christian University	21	East Texas State Teachers College	0
" " "	21	Daniel Baker College	0
" " "	19	Simmons University	3
" " "	21	Austin College	0
" " "	6	Agricultural & Mechanical College	0
" " "	23	Texas Technological College	7
" " "	6	Baylor University	7
" " "	7	Rice Institute	0
" " "	0	Texas University	6
" " "	15	Southern Methodist University	6

1929

Texas Christian University	61	Daniel Baker College	0
" " "	20	Simmons University	0
" " "	23	Centerary College	0
" " "	13	Agricultural & Mechanical College	7
" " "	22	Texas Technological College	0
" " "	25	North Texas State Teachers College	0
" " "	24	Rice Institute	0
" " "	15	Texas University	12
" " "	34	Baylor University	6
" " "	7	Southern Methodist University	7

1930

Texas Christian University	47	North Texas State Teachers College	0
" " "	33	Austin College	7
" " "	0	Simmons University	0
" " "	40	University of Arkansas	0
" " "	3	Agricultural & Mechanical College	0
" " "	26	Texas Technological College	0
" " "	62	Abilene Christian College	0
" " "	20	Rice Institute	0
" " "	0	Texas University	7
" " "	14	Baylor University	35
" " "	13	Southern Methodist University	0

1931

Texas Christian University	33	North Texas State Teachers College	7
" " "	3	Louisiana State University	0
" " "	0	University of Tulsa	13
" " "	39	Austin College	0
" " "	6	Agricultural & Mechanical College	0
" " "	6	Simmons University	0
" " "	7	University of Arkansas	0
" " "	7	Rice Institute	6
" " "	0	University of Texas	10
" " "	19	Baylor University	6
" " "	0	Southern Methodist University	0

RECORD OF THE TWELVE LEADING TEAMS OF THE UNITED STATE FOR THE PAST SEVEN YEARS AND T. C. U. HAS THE LEADING TEAM IN THE SOUTHWEST. OUT OF THE HUNDREDS OF MAJOR COLLEGE FOOTBALL TEAMS IN THE UNITED STATES THERE ARE ONLY TWELVE THAT HAVE WON 80% OF THEIR GAMES IN THE PAST SEVEN YEARS.

TEAM	W.	L.	T.	PCT.	TP.	OP.
TENN	58	3	5	.591	1548	248
U.S.C.	62	10	2	.861	2338	378
UTAH	41	7	3	.854	1254	237
ALABAMA	57	10	2	.851	1751	340
PITT.	50	9	5	.847	1434	338
N. DAME	55	10	3	.846	1346	431
STANFORD	56	11	5	.836	1565	434
COLGATE	47	10	7	.825	1615	312
ST. MARY'S	50	11	3	.820	1229	287
T. C. U.	49	11	9	.917	1092	407
ARMY	52	12	3	.813	1640	250
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