

*A. Z. D. O Football dismissal
for
Black athletes*



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LARAMIE, WYOMING**

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Dr. William D. Carlson
President
The University of Wyoming
Laramie, Wyoming

Dear President Carlson:

Following is a preliminary breakdown of correspondence concerning the dismissal of 14 athletes from the University of Wyoming football team:

TELEGRAMS (SIGNATURES)

Favoring UW Action

Cheyenne	508
Cody	330
Kemmerer	470
Rock Springs	209
Sheridan	847
Worland	38

2,402

PETITIONS (SIGNATURES)

Favoring UW Action

Afton	209
Byron	108
Casper	4,962
Cheyenne	803
Cody	55
Cokeville	119
Evanston	690
Glendo	22
Green River	76
Lander	115
Laramie	2,078
Lovell	230
Lyman	145
Newcastle	94
Powell	295

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NWCC - Powell	129
Riverton	982
Rock Springs	168
Shirley Basin	24
Sinclair	143
Wheatland	344
Worland	10
Out-of-state	143

Against UW Action

(Includes some
telegrams) 108

12,052

LETTERS (SIGNATURES)

Favoring UW Action 1,197

Against UW Action 53

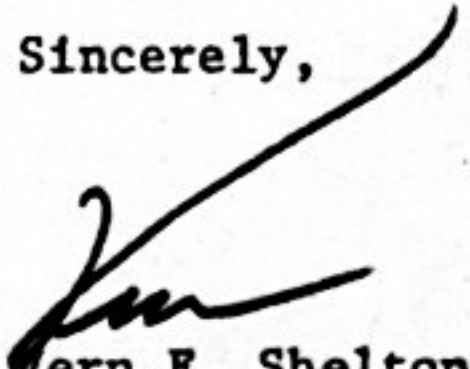
1,250

GRAND TOTAL SIGNATURES 15,704

These numbers do not include correspondence sent directly to Coach Lloyd Eaton or to members of the UW Board of Trustees. One petition of 9,200 signatures was received by Coach Eaton, along with numerous smaller petitions and letters. These figures will be reflected in our final report.

Letters and telegrams sent to the President's Office are being answered individually. These replies are a public relations asset to the University and will assist our overall development program.

Sincerely,


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for Information

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