

Research has shown that this will do two things. There will be no excuse for the discriminatory rule they are now proposing, and it will also show that it will clear up 8-% of the fouls. It would clear up the congestion under the basket because the better shot is attempted not directly under the basket but 7 to 10 feet out from the basket.

Yet the Rules Body does nothing about it. Players would not be fouled out, the referee would not award the extra free throw shot, and the area around the basket would be cleared up by this simple innovation.

Too many coaches want rules that will operate against their rivals and they become interested in a rule when an opposing player is apt to defeat them. Therefore, I would suggest that this rule become operative say two or three years from now so that it could not be construed as a rule against the present players in the game.

Kansas has done all right in their competition and we are not complaining about the tall players, but other coaches are.