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Mr. Cy S. Sherman  
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Dear Cy:

I acknowledge with thanks your marked copy from your Brass Tacks column, January 31, 1944, calling attention to the fact that Basketball is subject to rules changing.

I'm sending you a copy of a letter I wrote Hugh Fullerton of the Associated Press Association, January 25, 1944. This is a rather long epistle but I am sending you this so that if you have a spare ten hours you may take it home and read it from your easy chair. I would kindly refer you to page three of this epistle, in the second paragraph, which mentions General Abner Doubleday's invention or rather origination of baseball of over one hundred years ago. Basketball is about fifty years younger than baseball, hence it's only natural that in the growth of any great game, you're bound to have changes. Won't you agree with that?

I'm also sending you a copy of one of my radio addresses that I make each Thursday evening over the University of Kansas station, KFKU. You may not agree with all of this but there still is a lot of truth in some of this.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

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