

March 21, 1939.

Mr. Ray Parkins, Coach,
Edison High School,
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Ray:

I have your note of the 14th instant, and don't believe you should become discouraged yet. Here is what Andy Kerr says:

"Our director of athletics, William A. Reid, is at present in Florida. When he returns he will take up the matter of our basketball coaching proposition, and will get in touch with the men in whom he thinks he is interested. I am very much impressed with the recommendation of Ray Parkins. He must be a very fine basketball coach. I have had a recommendation concerning him from a source in Minneapolis which I consider quite reliable. I believe I have met the boy because I think he was in one of my coaching schools at St. Paul in 1932. . . ."

I am sending on the additional information which you have given me, and I am sure that when Mr. Reid returns to his office that you will be given every consideration.

Best wishes.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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