

October 19, 1940

Mr. Gerald M. Danskin, Coach
Bradshaw High School
Bradshaw, Nebraska

Dear Coach Danskin:

I am acknowledging receipt of your letter dated February 28, and which my secretary made a previous acknowledgement on March 11. You will recall that I had the National Collegiate Basketball Tournament to handle in Kansas City, both the Western and the Finals, and our team happened to be in it, so with the rush of things and the close of school, your letter became lost in the file. I owe you an apology, but the best way to face the situation is to be utterly frank.

I enjoyed hearing from you and always assure you that when friends and critics of the basketball rules write me I endeavor to present their thoughts and arguments to the Basketball Rules Committee. Of course, the Committee will not agree to adopt many of the suggestions, but some are very timely and strike their fancy.

Since the Basketball Rules Committee of the United States and Canada are presented with so many different suggestions, you can understand why all the suggestions are not accepted.

I quite agree with you in your argument.

With every good wish, I am,

Very cordially yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach

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