

Scranton, Kansas
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Dear Phog,

I am a freshman at Scranton High School and I enjoy basketball. I played this year for the first time and I had considerable success.

I would like to follow the work of a coach and I would like to have some information about your career as a coach and your beginning.

When did you first choose the vocation of a coach? How much education did you have? How many years of basketball have you played? Where all have you coached? Did you start coaching in a high school or a college? What subjects do you think would help me most in ~~my~~ high school? I suppose what college do you suggest I go to and what subjects would help me most.

How much higher do you think the baskets should be in basketball

I will appreciate it if you will send me this information as soon as possible.

If you can think of anything else that I should know I will be glad to hear it.

Yours truly
Bill Eklund

Scranton, Kansas

P. S.

How long do you think the war will last, Phog? HA, HA.

If it is still going on when I get out of high school I am going to join the Naval Air Corps.