

# BROOKLYN EAGLE

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Dear Coach Allen:

I have been requested by an agent for a national magazine to get some dope from a prominent basketball coach for a forthcoming article. Your recent remark that basketball could use a ~~commissioner~~ commissioner like Judge Landis to cut out gambling danger interests me as a good subject.

Accordingly I have written down a few questions on the next sheet which I would like to have you elaborate on as the basis for the article. Any other thoughts you might have on this and similar subjects would be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

*Ben Gould*

P.S. I'll be out of town next week so if you can get me the dope by the end of this week I'd appreciate it.