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FOR MEN

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Dear Doc:

I have your letter relative to the basketball officiating. I too think it is best to have the same two officials working at both places, and as to crossing off officials from our list whom we object to, I feel that we are justified in doing this anytime we have lost confidence in the official. I have done it in the past and will continue to do it, as I don't like to go into a game if I have no confidence in the men working. The matter of a few dollars expense should not enter into it; after all this is our bread and butter.

We had the best night of the season against you. It wasn't that Kansas was playing poorly, we simply were hitting for once in the season. We made 35% of our attempts, against a season's play of 24%. We would have been tough for anybody that night.

Hope that all is well with you and yours. Bob and his wife will be home this weekend for fifteen days. I hope to get in some golf with him. Keith was home the middle of March; he seems to be getting along okay.

Best wishes.

Sincerely,

Louis Menze
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Basketball Coach