

ROBERT MALOTT

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Dear Dr. Allen

Well, this is certainly grand country for me to put on weight. I hope with a little luck to put on 30 or 40 pounds. That's what I need at any rate.

I get up at 6:30, go to bed at 10:30 which is probably too long a day to be ideal but it's about the best I'm able to do.

I have already constructed a backboard and post, ready to put into the ground. It's crude but will do. I would greatly appreciate it if you would send me a hoop + net and a ball to be used out doors, probably on asphalt. Send it to
R.A.M., Fallen Leaf Lodge, Fallen Leaf, Calif.