

October 13, 1938.

Mr. Elwood Pitzer,
Head Basketball Coach,
Springfield High School,
Springfield, Ohio.

Dear Elwood:

We were all very happy to get your good letter of October 10 and to know that you had been selected at Springfield High School. This is a distinct honor and I want you to know that the whole Allen family is very pleased and happy at your good luck.

You didn't say one word about that good wife of yours whom the Allens were very crazy about. Write and tell us about your family. Mrs. Allen and the whole family were enthralled with your pretty wife. We talk about her a lot and have wondered how you two were getting along. Won't you write and tell me what happened to your family?

Now, regarding "Better Basketball". You bet, I will be glad to autograph it, and when I do my autograph will convey some very pleasant and forceful words for you as a player and a coach.

The entire family has read with much pleasure the clipping you enclosed, so I am returning it as I imagine that you may want it for your scrapbook or for other purposes.

It was good of you to write me and I want to assure you that it will be a pleasure to help you any time that you call on me for cooperative aid.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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