- 7. Will eliminate the player's effort to draw two shots by being fouled.
- 8. The four foul disqualifying rule will still discourage too much fouling.
- 9. Will require all players to shoot upward for basket as originally intended by Dr. Naismith.
- 10. Present congestion of tall men under basket works a hardship on short men and makes the game rough.
- 11. Less handicap to a short man in shooting extra distance than by jumping extra distance.
- 12. Will discourage using a tall man who is not as active as a shorter man.
- 13. No other sport puts such an outlandish premium on height as does basketball.
- 14. A player accommodates muscles of eyes and hands to height the same as to distance.
- 15. The only reason the height of the present basket is 10 feet is because of the gymnasium running track at Springfield College.
- 16. A 12-foot basket is a blow to the zone defense account spreading defense.
- 17. A convex board with 12-foot basket is another impediment to the zone defense.
- 18. The speedier players could recover the ball before it goes out of bounds in the 4-foot zone, thereby reducing the number of out of bounds plays in a game.
- 19. Is a decided aid to officials awarding 2 shots on fouls.
- 20. Will do away with single and double post plays.
- 21. Will do away with 3-second rule in the lane.
- 22. Will do away with rule regarding interference of ball on or above rim.
- 23. Will increase spectator enjoyment by high arch shots that hit.
- 24. Will increase visibility for spectators by raising basket 2 feet.
- 25. Will decrease number of accidents under goals, driving in, not so much hipping, nudging.
- 26. Will actually give more rebound playing space per player.
- 27. Four-foot zone behind basket another fa ctor against zone defense.
- 28. Will make unnecessary all legislation around basket, such as 1-yard rule, etc.
- 29. Twelve-foot basket is coming, as sure as death and taxes.
- 30. An eleven-foot basket would still be within reach of 6'9" or 6'10" players.
- 31. Twelve-foot basket would forever guarantee non-interference.
- 32. In Olympic participation 12-foot basket would equalize height of two teams (desire of Olympic Committee); limited class 6'2" of under, unlimited class, any height.