

he would be able to get back to protect his post before the opposition could execute their plays.. Smitty, who was breathing heavily, partly because of the first half, and also because of some physical defects, said that he was unable to beat the opponents back. He wasn't admitting failure, for he was giving his best, but merely knowing his own physical prowess and its limitations, gave his ideas in relation to how it might affect the team and not himself. This is a test of character that his coach will probably ever remember, and one that any coach would be proud to relate..

I have never been thoroughly convinced that "keeping up with the Joneses" is the best policy, but I do believe that for the sake of self-preservation, the policy of "When in Rome do as the Romans do," is adviseable.. In the state of Kansas there are over 600 high school basketball teams. This number shows the largest number of teams in any one sport.. The game of basketball in the state has risen to heights that few states in the union can boast of. We have in our state both the inventor of the game and the greatest and oldest living coach,, Dr. Forrest Allen. Both of these individuals are connected with the University of Kansas and not as some authors would have you believe, the University of Nebraska..

Communities are no longer isolated members of townships but are all corporate and are part of the whole.. This small community has received recognition of its gridiron sport because of its great teams but these same towns also have basketball teams.. Are you thrown out of the association with them during the winter months because you do not have a team?