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BASKETBALL

First introduced to the Philippine public schools by the Americans in 1910, basketball has become the most popular sport among the Filipinos.

In 1934, the Bureau of Posts issues a stamp featuring basketball—**a first in the world of philately.**



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