

COMPTON DEFEATS HUNTINGTON BEACH, WINS 1968 "AAA" CAGE TITLE; FINISHES YEAR 32-0



UNDEFEATED "AAA" CHAMPIONS — Compton's undefeated Tarbabes display trophies emblematic of their 1968 CIF, SS, "AAA" Championship after they defeated Huntington Beach, 64-52, to win the title. Coach Bill Armstrong and Compton principal Aaron Wade (right) congratulate team which became the first since 1952 to finish the season undefeated. Commissioner of Athletics Ken Fagans (left) coached the 1952 Compton five to a 32-0 year.

Bishop Montgomery Throttles San Marino, 70-54, for "AA" Laurels

Bishop Montgomery, a team which drew little notice during the regular season, powered its way to the 1968 CIF, SS, "AA" division basketball championship with a 70-54 verdict over San Marino Saturday night, March 9, at the Long Beach Sports Arena.

Coach Dave Benaderet's club, win-

ner of the Camino Real League title, entered the play-off picture as a dark-horse candidate in the first "AA" play-offs in CIF, SS, history with no top-seeded club.

Due to the unusual balance of power on the "AA" level, no team drew a top-seeded berth in the 1968 play-offs, and the results of the championships bore out the fact that this was, indeed, an unusual year.

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WINNING SMILES — The Bishop Montgomery Knights, and coach Dave Benaderet (right) show winning smiles after capturing the 1968 CIF, SS, "AA" basketball championship with a 70-54 victory over San Marino. Knights finished their season with a 28-4 overall record and are congratulated by Commissioner of Athletics Ken Fagans (left).

Tarbabes First Team in 16 Years to Have Perfect Season

It went according to the book at the Long Beach Sports Arena on Saturday, March 9, as coach Bill Armstrong's vaunted Compton Tarbabes won their 32nd straight game and captured the 1968 CIF, SS, "AAA" championship in the process, dumping second-seeded Huntington Beach, 64-52.

Although the match appeared to be just another outing for the highly-favored Compton five, Huntington Beach's scrappy Oilers did everything in their power to make a game of it.

Sparked by all-tournament selections Mike Contreras, Greg Snyder and Roy Miller, coach Elmer Combs' Oilers jumped out to a first-quarter 18-12 lead over the cold-shooting Tarbabes.

However, Armstrong's five wasn't going to let history repeat itself after El Segundo had been denied a perfect season by Monrovia in last year's finals, so the Tarbabes set to work and, behind tournament MVP Mike Hopwood, they deadlocked the score at 37-all at halftime.

Coming back after the intermission, Huntington Beach found it couldn't buy a basket, while the Compton five steadily improved its shooting percentage, stretching out to a five-point bulge at the three quarters mark.

Both teams relied on their starting fives for all of the scoring punch as Hopwood, Miller and Compton's Larry Hollyfield led the point parade with 18 tallies each. Oiler Snyder was a notch back, at 17, with Contreras (15) and Compton's Larry Morris (13), also making double figures.

The final tabulation found that the Tarbabes, the first team since Compton's 1952 squad to go undefeated through a season, found the range on only 25 of 56 field goals and 14 of 26 free throws while the Oilers hit on 15 of 40 field goals and 22 of 28 free throws.

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Valley Christian Rolls To "A" Division Crown

Behind the 12-point third-quarter scoring performance of guard Don Hibma, the Valley Christian Crusaders upended Aquinas, 71-66, at Fountain Valley High School on Friday, March 8, to win the 1968 CIF, SS, "A" basketball title.

It was the 25th straight win for coach Len Rhoda's crew, with only an opening-game loss to "AAA" power Dominguez blotting an otherwise perfect season.

The Crusaders had their hands full with second-seeded Arrowhead League titlist Aquinas as the Falcons jumped out to a 12-7 first-quarter lead over the cold-shooting Crusaders. However, a 25-point second-period blitz by Valley Christian gave the Crusaders all of the pad they needed to notch the win.

Aquinas came back after the half-time break determined to get back in the ball game, and closed the gap to four points after three periods. During the third stanza Valley Christian was only able to score 16 points, 12 of them tallied by Hibma.

Tim Tiemens finished with 18 points to lead the highly-balanced Valley Christian scoring attack. He was followed by Bob DeJong (16), Hibma (14), Ron Verhoeven (12) and Harlan Miersma (10).

Leading the Aquinas tally-producers was game high scorer Ted Saar, who found the mark for 30 points. Also in double figures for the Falcons were

San Gabriel Mission Wins First CIF, SS, Soccer Championship, 1-0

Playing under the jurisdiction of the CIF, Southern Section, for the first season, San Gabriel Mission nipped Salesian, 1-0, in overtime to capture the inaugural CIF, SS, soccer championship before over 400 fans at St. John Bosco Stadium on Saturday, March 9.

The Pioneers, who had compiled a 4-1-1 record in winning the CIF Soccer League's Southern Division championship, battled the Salesian unit to a 0-0 stalemate after regulation play.

It was the fine effort of returning all-CIF star Eddie Hitchcock which spelled the difference and propelled the Pioneers to their victory.

San Gabriel Mission was the defending soccer champion, having won the title in the free-lance league last season. Coach John Bristow's unit was spearheaded by three all-CIF stars from the 1967 season—Hitchcock, Manuel Gonzalez and Miguel Martinez.

More than 20 schools fielded soccer teams in the initial season under CIF, SS, control, and the number is expected to climb past 30 next year.

Jim Schmidt (10), Ed McGee (11) and Charles Larkin (11).

It was the second "A" division championship for the Crusaders, who captured the crown in 1965 with a 68-50 victory over Hemet.

"A" PLAY-OFF SCORES:

(First Round)
Valley Christian (bye)
Mojave 74, Pinecrest 39
Paraclete 67, Death Valley 45
Colbert (bye)
Santa Ynez (bye)
Templeton 72, Cate 46
Moorpark 67, Dunn 50
Lutheran (bye)
Aquinas (bye)
Rio Hondo 64, Black-Foxe 46
Banning 66, Calipatria 55
Needles 52, Apple Valley 47
Perris (bye)
Ontario Christian 64, Pasadena Poly 60
Big Bear 76, Sherman 71
Holtville (bye)

(Second Round)
Valley Christian 94, Mojave 59
Paraclete 72, Colbert 31
Santa Ynez 81, Templeton 48
Moorpark 57, Lutheran 51
Aquinas 82, Rio Hondo 66
Needles 50, Banning 37
Perris 66, Ontario Christian 42
Big Bear 62, Holtville 56

(Quarter-finals)
Valley Christian 64, Paraclete 55
Santa Ynez 60, Moorpark 56
Aquinas 73, Needles 52
Big Bear 63, Perris 55

(Semi-finals)
Valley Christian 50, Santa Ynez 49
Aquinas 86, Big Bear 70

(Finals)
Valley Christian 71, Aquinas 66

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Hopwood, voted the Most Valuable Player of the tournament by sports writers covering the two-day affair, kept Armstrong's five in the ball game with his fine outside shooting touch and aggressive rebounding.

It was a sweet victory for Armstrong, whose team was topped by Morningside in the second round of last year's championship, 43-42, when the Tarbabes were caught looking ahead.

Compton topped Monte Vista, California, Aviation and Marina en route to the finals while Huntington Beach took the toll of Magnolia, Bellflower, Sunny Hills and North Torrance to gain the finals.

"AAA" FINALS

Compton	FG	FT	Reb.	PF	TP
Campbell, f	7- 3	2- 0	13	2	4
Hollyfield, f	15- 8	2- 2	6	5	18
Hopwood, c	13- 8	4- 2	10	3	18
Taylor, g	13- 2	5- 3	5	3	7
Morris, g	6- 3	12- 7	6	3	13
Turnovers		15			
Totals	56-25	26-14	41	17	64
Huntington Bch.	FG	FT	Reb.	PF	TP
Contreras, f	8- 2	11-11	7	4	11
Ambrozich, f	7- 1	1- 0	6	2	2
Miller, c	8- 6	9- 6	6	0	18
Snyder, g	16- 6	7- 5	0	4	17
Seibert, g	1- 0	0- 0	2	4	0
Turnovers		14			
Totals	40-15	28-22	21	19	32
Officials: Al Jury and Ed Weber					
Score by quarters:					
Compton	12	25	13	14	64
Huntington Beach	18	19	8	7	32
Attendance: 9,315					

"AAA" PLAY-OFF SCORES:

(First Round)
Compton 72, Monte Vista 43
California 82, Redondo 53
Aviation 55, St. Anthony 51
Ventura 69, Culver City 55
Corona del Mar 69, L.B. Poly 60
Arcadia 68, Burroughs (Burbank) 60
Covina 68, La Habra 53
Marina 71, Redlands 50
Huntington Beach 84, Magnolia 41
Bellflower 50, Glenn 49 (OT)
Millikan 58, Warren 44
Sunny Hills 76, San Bernardino 64
North Torrance 87, Palos Verdes 47
Morningside 64, Buena 61
Monrovia 77, Northview 66
Notre Dame 70, Muir 58

(Second Round)
Compton 68, California 63
Aviation 61, Ventura 60
Corona del Mar 57, Arcadia 45
Marina 54, Covina 48
Huntington Beach 83, Bellflower 48
Sunny Hills 73, Millikan 68
North Torrance 95, Morningside 71
Notre Dame 70, Monrovia 54

(Quarter-finals)
Compton 71, Aviation 60
Marina 48, Corona del Mar 45 (OT)
Huntington Beach 70, Sunny Hills 65
North Torrance 80, Notre Dame 70

(Semi-finals)
Compton 78, Marina 43
Huntington Beach 72, North Torrance 70

(Finals)
Compton 64, Huntington Beach 52

Gymnastics Championships Slated for Millikan HS

Millikan High School in Long Beach will be the site of the 1968 CIF, SS, Gymnastics Championships, following qualifying meets at three sites throughout the Southland.

San Gabriel and Westminster high schools will both host qualifying meets on Friday, May 3, with top finishers moving into the finals at Millikan on Friday, May 10.

Schools not competing in a league will qualify through a free-lance meet at a site to be determined later.

Educator Honored for 40 Years of Service

More than 400 people gathered at the Biltmore Bowl on Wednesday evening, March 27, to pay tribute to William F. Barnett, basketball coach and English teacher at Loyola High School for the past 40 years.

During the evening's testimonial, emceed by Pat O'Brien, Barnett was saluted for his 40 years of service to the educational field, and for his outstanding job as head basketball coach at Loyola for 31 years.

Called "Mr. Loyola," Bill was coach of the Cub basketball teams from 1928 until 1959, during which time he won nine Catholic League championships and the CIF, SS, "AAA" title in 1953.

"AA" PLAY-OFF SCORES:

(First Round)
Glendora 62, Villa Park 59
Antelope Valley 76, St. Bernards 68
Katella 68, Santiago 57
San Marino 50, Garey 38
Verbum Dei 57, Workman 43
Santa Clara 77, San Marcos 66
Brawley 69, Yucaipa 64
Kennedy (Barstow) 62, North Riverside 60
San Luis Obispo 92, Hart 81
San Gabriel Mission 73, Santa Maria 59
Bishop Montgomery 73, Saddleback 57
Bassett 82, Hemet 81
Garden Grove 64, Duarte 53
Orange 87, Ganesha 62
La Salle 47, San Gabriel 45
Indio 70, El Centro 54

(Second Round)
Glendora 78, Antelope Valley 55
San Marino 54, Katella 48
Santa Clara 62, Verbum Dei 48
Kennedy 7, Brawley 63
San Luis Obispo 101, S. Gabriel Mission 83
Bishop Montgomery 68, Bassett 61
Garden Grove 61, Orange 56
Indio 61, La Salle 58

(Quarter-finals)
San Marino 49, Glendora 44
Santa Clara 76, Kennedy 75
Bishop Mont. 73, San Luis Obispo 64
Indio 56, Garden Grove 52
San Marino 65, Santa Clara 49
Bishop Montgomery 88, Indio 65

(Semi-finals)
San Marino 70, San Marino 54
Bishop Montgomery 70, San Marino 54

BISHOP MONTGOMERY

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No fewer than four teams which were rated as title contenders fell by the wayside during the first two rounds of play, and the two finalists, Bishop Montgomery and San Marino, were not even considered in the early-season picture.

But Benaderet's crew proved up to the task in the final game as the Knights stepped out to a 36-23 halftime lead and were never headed.

Paced by forward Larry Wiggins' 21 points, the Knights dominated every aspect of the game, hitting on 25 of 64 field goals, 20 of 30 free throws and snaring 41 rebounds.

Coach Garland Lewis' San Marino Titans, meanwhile, were experiencing a cold night. After equalling Bishop Montgomery's 14-point first-quarter output, the Titans were able to score only nine markers in the second period while the Knights were racking up 22 points.

High man, and real standout, for the losing Titans was forward Bob Murley, who tallied 16 points and pulled down five rebounds in a valiant effort. His sterling performance netted him all-tournament team honors along with Montgomery's Wiggins.

Statistically, the Titans were not up to the level of play which brought them the Rio Hondo League crown. Lewis' crew hit on 22 of 60 field goals, 10 of 21 free throws and pulled down 33 rebounds.

"AA" FINALS

San Marino	FG	FT	Reb.	PF	TP
Murley, f	12- 7	8- 2	5	4	16
Proctor, f	10- 3	5- 4	8	3	10
Stewart, c	9- 5	4- 2	11	5	12
Sommers, g	18- 5	2- 0	3	2	10
Bowman, g	6- 1	1- 0	0	0	2
Jordon, f	2- 1	4- 2	6	2	4
Laraway, g	2- 0	0- 0	0	0	0
Young, g	1- 0	0- 0	0	0	0
Jackson, f	0- 0	1- 0	0	0	0
Arnold, c	0- 0	1- 0	0	1	0
Turnovers		12			
Totals	60-22	21-10	33	18	54

Bishop Mont.	FG	FT	Reb.	PF	TP
Jamison, f	7- 4	6- 4	8	5	12
Wiggins, f	18- 8	7- 5	16	3	21
Patterson, c	12- 7	8- 6	11	2	20
Collins, g	22- 5	6- 3	3	2	13
Roach, g	4- 0	2- 2	3	0	2
Connors, g	1- 1	1- 0	0	0	2
Turnovers		17			
Totals	64-25	30-20	41	12	70

Officials: Jack Huntsinger and Dave Mills
Attendance: 9,315

Score by quarters:
San Marino 14 9 18 13—54
Bishop Montgomery .. 14 22 17 17—70

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

APRIL

26 Freeland Swim Qualifying Meet

MAY

3 Gymnastics Prelims
4 Council Meeting at Hawthorne High School
Swim Championship Prelims
"B" and "C" Tennis Tournament
10 Swim Championship Finals
11 Track Prelims
"B" and "C" Tennis Tournament
15 "B" and "C" Tennis Tournament Finals
17 Track Semi-finals
"AAA" Baseball Play-offs Begin
21, 24, 28 "AAA" Baseball Play-offs
"AA"- "A" Baseball Play-offs
21, 24, 28, 31 Tennis Team Play-offs
24 Track Championships
31 "AA" and "A" Baseball Championships
27 Golf Team Tournament

Southland Baseball Squads Prepare for CIF Play-Offs

Heading into the final weeks of league play, Southland prep baseball squads are looking forward to the start of the 1968 CIF, SS, baseball play-offs.

Action in the play-offs is scheduled to begin on May 17 on the "AA" level and on May 24 for "AAA" and "A" teams.

Due to an over-abundance of "AA" division leagues, it will be necessary to stage one extra play-off game for the purpose of filling the 16th berth in the "AA" play-offs.

League champions in the San Luis Obispo and Santa Barbara County Leagues will meet prior to May 24 in a special play-off contest to decide which team will fill the 16th berth, it was announced by Commissioner of Athletics Ken Fagans. The two leagues were chosen because of league schedules which allow for an extra game prior to May 24.

On the "AAA" level, each of 16 leagues will send two representatives into the play-offs, which begin on May 17 and continue on May 21, 24, 28 and June 4.

Only league champions will qualify for play-off berths in the "AA" and "A" division play-offs. If there is a tie for the league championship, the loop will have to decide which team will enter the play-offs, as only one team from each league will be admitted.

"AA" and "A" play-off dates are May 21, 24, 28 and 31.

Minutes of CIF, Southern Section, Executive Committee Meeting — March 9, 1968

The March meeting of the CIF, Southern Section, Executive Committee was called to order by Chairman Steve Miletich at 9:10 a.m. on Saturday, March 9, 1968, at the Lafayette Hotel in Long Beach.

The following members were in attendance: Chairman Miletich, vice principal, Beverly Hills HS; Richard H. Spaulding, principal, Buena Park HS; Claud Hardesty, principal, Santa Barbara HS; Robert D. Ashton, assistant superintendent, Norwalk-La Mirada USD; Rev. Alexander Manville, principal, Bishop Garcia Diego HS; Keith J. Lee, principal, Yucca Valley HS; Keith Gunn, principal, Victor Valley HS; Clair Franklin, principal, Trona HS; Alex Alexander, principal, Indio HS; James Faul, principal, Workman HS; Arthur Robson, assistant superintendent, Whittier UHSD; Rev. Thomas Kiefer, principal, Bishop Amat HS, and Commissioner of Athletics Ken Fagans.

1. APPROVE MINUTES — It was moved, seconded and carried to approve the minutes of the Executive Committee meeting of January 27, 1968, as published in the February, 1968, Monthly Bulletin.

2. APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP—It was moved, seconded and carried to recommend to the Council that the following schools be admitted to membership in the CIF, SS; Yucca Valley HS, Santa Barbara Jr. HS (associate membership) and Norco Jr. HS (reactivating associate membership).

3. PLAY-OFF QUALIFICATION—It was moved, seconded and carried that for Bosco Tech HS to qualify for the 1968 baseball play-offs, Bosco Tech must win eight of the following ten games on its schedule: March 12, Bell-Jeff; March 15, Workman; March 16, Verbum Dei; March 19, Sierra Vista; March 22, Chaminade; April 2, Chaminade; April 16, Valley Christian; April 19, Lutheran; April 30, Sonora, and May 11, Apple Valley.

4. INGLEWOOD HS REQUEST—Inglewood HS requested that the penalty assessed in the Jay Goldenberg eligibility case be modified since the boy participated in only four minutes of one contest during the season. It was moved, seconded and carried to deny Inglewood's request for a modification of the penalty.

5. GARDEN GROVE HS REQUEST—Garden Grove HS requested that it be allowed to start its junior varsity golf tournament at 2:30 p.m. on May 27, 1968, rather than the customary 3:00 p.m. starting time, since some difficulty has arisen over secur-

ing a course at 3:00. It was moved, seconded and carried to grant permission for Garden Grove HS to start its junior varsity golf tournament at 2:30 p.m. on May 27, 1968.

6. HIGH SCHOOL - PROFESSIONAL DOUBLEHEADER—The question of whether or not to allow high school athletic teams to participate in doubleheader attractions with professional teams was brought before the committee's attention. During discussion of the matter, the point was raised that, basically, a professional team is in business to make money. When attendance fails, the professionals are highly-receptive to doubleheaders involving high school teams, but when a following has been established, the high school teams are forgotten. One committee member further pointed out that the high schools would be doing their own fans a disservice by staging a game other than at their own gym or athletic field and charging more than the normal ticket price for such an attraction. The committee felt that, while the major reason given by the professionals for a doubleheader was to showcase high school talent, the move was in reality to build up a following for the professional team, and as such did not serve to further the interscholastic effort. Following discussion, it was moved, seconded and carried that the committee recommend to the CIF, SS, Council that high school athletic teams not be allowed to perform on the same program in any sport with professional teams.

7. JUNIOR-SENIOR ATHLETES' ELIGIBILITY—The problem of residence eligibility in the moving of junior and senior athletes from one school attendance area to another was brought before the committee for discussion. Some discussion ensued relative to the adoption of a philosophy statement by the CIF, Southern Section, but the matter was tabled pending further study.

8. ELIGIBILITY CASES
A. Action was taken to waive the Transfer Rule in order to permit the following boys to be immediately eligible for interscholastic athletics:

- Carlos Sargent, Villa Park High School
- Dan Powell, Montclair High School
- Anthony Robinson, Santa Ana Valley High School
- Frank Warner, Pasadena High School

B. Action was taken to waive the Previous Semester Rule in order to permit David Wallace, of Palmdale High School, and Ricky Leppard, of Edgewood High School, to be immedi-

ately eligible for interscholastic athletics.

C. In accordance with recently adopted legislation on the State level, action was taken to grant the following boys from the Harvard School an additional semester of competition: Hugh W. Jamieson, Richard H. Ryckoff, Steven M. Smith, Robert Barry and John Davies.

D. Mrs. Francis J. Modde appeared before the committee to ask for a modification of the penalty assessed against her son, Terrence, who is ineligible for one year at Santa Ana High School because of a transfer from one school to another, which did not involve a change of residence on the part of the boy's parents. After hearing the appeal and discussing the matter, it was the unanimous decision of the committee that the penalty not be modified in this case. Terrence Modde will, therefore, be ineligible for varsity competition at Santa Ana High School until December 13, 1968.

E. Mr. Walter Duffy appeared before the committee requesting a waiver of the 8 Semester Rule in order to permit his son Dennis, an additional year of athletic competition at Villanova High School. Because the facts did not warrant a waiver, the committee unanimously voted to deny an additional year of athletic competition for Dennis Duffy.

F. Mr. Ray Rodriguez appeared before the committee to discuss his son's eligibility at La Salle High School. Although the committee was sympathetic to the problem, it was the decision of the committee that under the circumstances, the boy could not be declared eligible at La Salle High School until he had been in attendance for a period of one year.

9. SANTA ANA VALLEY APPEAL—Santa Ana Valley filed a request with the committee, asking to be released from a contract signed with Long Beach Polytechnic HS in 1966 for a football game during the 1968 season. After some discussion, it was moved, seconded and carried to deny Santa Ana Valley's appeal and instruct the school to fulfill its contractual obligations.

10. MOUNTAIN EMPIRE HIGH SCHOOL APPEAL—The Superintendent of the Mountain Empire High School District submitted a request to permit his school to cancel league football games for 1968, with member schools of the Mountain Desert League. The main reason for the request was because Mountain Empire High School had a smaller enrollment than other schools in the league, and

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last year they sustained an unusually large number of injuries.

The committee discussed all aspects of the situation and it was then moved, seconded and carried to deny to Mountain Empire HS the right to cancel its football games with member schools of the Mountain Desert League during the 1968 season.

11. FOOTHILL LEAGUE PROPOSAL—Mr. Jim Lloyd, on behalf of the Foothill League, asked the Executive Committee to consider a change in Article XXXVI, Section 4 of the By-Laws in order to permit a water polo team to play 14, rather than 12, games during the regular season. The problem became acute when all eight member schools of the Foothill League fielded water polo teams and endeavored to arrange a home and home league schedule. This would require 14 games which, of course, would be illegal according to our present rule.

Because of the problems involved in increasing the permitted number of contests, it was moved, seconded and carried to refer the Foothill League's request to the CIF, Southern Section, Council. This matter will, therefore, be placed on the agenda of the Council meeting, scheduled for May 4, 1968.

12. WRESTLING PRACTICE—The Wrestling Coaches Association recommended to the CIF, Southern Section, that the starting date for wrestling practice be changed from November 15th to November 1st. They felt that the wrestling season was too limited and they needed extra time to instruct boys prior to the first match of the season.

The committee discussed the proposal but it was the opinion of most of the members present that many of our wrestling coaches were assigned in some capacity as football coaches. It was also pointed out that many of the football players participated in the wrestling program. To permit official wrestling practice to begin prior to the conclusion of the regular football season would cause problems for many schools. It was, therefore, the recommendation of the committee that further study be given to this matter in the hopes that the season could be lengthened rather than move up the starting date for practice. The Commissioner was directed to meet with representatives of the Wrestling Coaches Association to further study this problem.

13. TRACK PRACTICE CLARIFICATION—The Golden League requested that the committee clarify Blue Book Article XXXV, Section 7, pertaining to the number of days of prac-

tice which a boy must have before he competes in an interscholastic track meet. The Golden League raised the question as to whether or not this rule pertained to boys who had just completed the basketball season.

In discussing the issue, it was pointed out that being in condition for basketball did not necessarily mean that a boy was in the proper condition to compete in certain track events. For example, it would be very dangerous to permit a basketball player to join the track squad and then compete in a 440, 880, mile or two-mile race with less than the required eight days of track practice. In order to protect all boys participating in our track program, it was the consensus that there be no change made in our rule requiring eight days of practice prior to participating in an interscholastic track meet.

14. STATE CIF ACTION—Mr. Keith Gunn, Southern Section representative to the State Federated Council, reported on certain action taken at the recent State CIF meeting which he felt would be of interest to Southern Section member schools.

Action was taken to grant permission to Los Gatos High School to play a football game with a high school in the Hawaiian Islands during the 1968 season. Although permission was

granted for Los Gatos High School to make the 2,000-mile trip on a trial basis, it opened up the question as to whether or not our present 300-mile travel rule was realistic in today's age of air travel. Further study is planned on the state level relative to the 300-mile travel limit.

The State CIF approved a request for the Southern Section to grant eligibility to a 19-year-old gymnast from El Rancho High School. The 19-year-old rule was waived because it involved a boy in a non-contact sport and because of very extenuating circumstances.

The Southern Section proposal to permit high school boys to compete in amateur recreational boxing programs during the summer vacation period was referred back to the sections for study, and will be placed on the agenda of the State Federated Council meeting scheduled for June 1, at Berkeley.

The State CIF approved the transfer of Mountain Empire High School from the Southern Section to the San Diego Section at the earliest possible date that the transfer can be arranged.

There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting was adjourned at 12:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
J. Kenneth Fagans
Commissioner of Athletics

Minutes of Special Executive Committee Meeting March 8, 1968

At the request of Westminster High School, a special meeting of the Executive Committee was held on Friday afternoon, March 8, 1968, at the Lafayette Hotel in Long Beach for the purpose of discussing with the Sunset League principals the responsibility and authority delegated to each league in the CIF, Southern Section.

During the discussion, it was pointed out that the CIF would hope and expect that all problems involving protests, violations of rules and other controversial matters would be resolved on the league level. This would then enable either party who might be dissatisfied with the league's decision to appeal the matter to the CIF, Southern Section, Executive Committee.

After considerable additional discussion, a motion was made by Richard Spaulding and seconded by Claud Hardesty, reaffirming the responsibility and duty of a league to interpret, administer and enforce the Constitution and By-Laws of the CIF, Southern Section. The motion was unanimously passed.

Although the Kevin Keder case was the point in question, the Sunset League representatives were informed

that in accordance with established policy, it was each individual league's responsibility to see that all CIF, SS, By-laws are strictly adhered to, and that violations of these By-laws should be dealt with by the league, within its Constitutional framework.

Sites Established for CIF, SS, Track Sectionals, Finals

Sites for the 1968 CIF, SS, track and field prelims and finals have been established, and track coaches are asked to note sites for future reference.

This year's sectionals are scheduled for Long Beach Millikan, Westminster, Chaffey and Rio Mesa high schools, on Saturday, May 11.

Following the highly-successful format adopted last year, only one semifinal meet will be held, at Cerritos College on Friday night, May 17.

On the following Friday evening, May 24, the CIF, Southern Section, Championship Track and Field Meet will be held, also at Cerritos College.

Top finishers on the varsity level in the CIF, SS, finals will advance to the State CIF Meet, which this year will be held at the University of California at Berkeley on Friday and Saturday, May 31 and June 1.

GAMES WANTED

FOOTBALL

Scrimmages

West Covina, V only
Westminster, V only (Saturday)

Sept. 20, 1968

Estancia, FR only
Verbum Dei, V-JV-FR
Antelope Valley, JV only
Corona del Mar, FR only
St. John Bosco, FR only
El Modena, V-JV-B-C

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La Quinta, V only
Fremont (LA), V-B
Estancia, FR only
Antelope Valley, B only
St. Monica, JV only
Corona del Mar, FR only
St. Paul, JV only
Taft (Central CIF), V only

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Ramona (SD), V only
San Pedro (LA), B only
Estancia, FR only
Palos Verdes, V-JV-B-C
Excelsior, C only
Corona del Mar, FR only

Oct. 11, 1968

Centennial, V-JV-B
Ramona (SD), V only
Estancia, FR only
Foothill, JV only
Loara, C only
Corona del Mar, FR only
St. Paul, JV only

Oct. 18, 1968

Estancia, FR only
Rubidoux, FR only
Foothill, JV only
Corona del Mar, FR only
St. John Bosco, JV only
St. Paul, JV only

Oct. 25, 1968

Ramona (SD), V only
Chula Vista (SD), V only
Corona del Mar, FR only
St. Paul, JV only

Nov. 1, 1968

Estancia, FR only
Corona del Mar, FR only
Newport Harbor, FR only
St. Paul, JV only

Nov. 8, 1968

Estancia, FR only
Banning (LA), V only
Rubidoux, FR only
Corona del Mar, FR only
Newport Harbor, FR only

Nov. 15, 1968

Estancia, FR only
Corona del Mar, FR only
St. Paul, JV only

BASKETBALL

Tournament Openings

Chino, 1-V, Dec. 26-30, 1968
Burbank, 1-V, Dec. 11-14, 1968
Paramount, 4-V, Dec. 11-13, 1968
Newport Harbor, 2-V, Jan. 2-4, 1969

Nogales, 1-V, Dec. 26-30, 1968
Westminster, 1-V/JV, Dec. 2-7, 1968
Edgewood, 1-V/JV, Dec. 19-21, 1968
Troy, 2-V, Dec. 26-28, 1968
Huntington Beach, 1-V, Dec. 16-20, 1968

Would Like to Enter Tournament

Ontario, V, After Christmas
Servite, V, After Christmas
El Monte, V, Dec. 18-20, 1968
Lynwood, B, During Vacation

Scrimmage

Murphy, V-JV
Lasuen, V-JV-B-C, Dec. 2, 1968
Palmdale, V-JV-B-C, Dec. 20-23, 1968
Walnut, V-JV-B-C

Dec. 3, 1968

El Dorado, C only
Whittier, V-JV-B-C-D
Burbank, V-JV-B-C
Oxnard, V-JV-B-C
Calexico, V-JV
Monrovia, JV-C-D

Dec. 6, 1968

Downey, V-JV
Mt. Carmel, V-JV-FR
Sunny Hills, V-JV-B-C
Burrroughs (Burbank), V-JV-B-C
Oxnard, V-JV-B-C
Calexico, V-JV
Monrovia, JV-C-D
Elsinore, V-JV

Dec. 10, 1968

El Dorado, C only
Beverly Hills, V-JV-B-C
Calexico, V-JV
Monrovia, JV-C-D

Dec. 13, 1968

Sunny Hills, V-JV-B-C
Charter Oak, JV-B-C-FR
Beverly Hills, V-JV-B-C
Mt. Carmel, V-JV-FR
Calexico, V-JV
Palmdale, V-JV-B-C
Elsinore, V-JV

Dec. 17, 1968

Burbank, V-JV-B-C
Calexico, V-JV
Monrovia, JV-C-D
Anaheim, V-JV-B-C

Dec. 20, 1968

Charter Oak, JV-B-C-FR
Murphy, V-JV-B
Palmdale, V-JV-B-C
Elsinore, V-JV

Jan. 3, 1969

Burbank, V-JV-B-C
Bishop Amat, V-JV-B-C
Servite, V-JV-B-C or FR
Magnolia, V only
Pius X, V-JV-B-C
Elsinore, V-JV

Jan. 7, 1969

Bishop Amat, V-JV-B-C
Magnolia, V-JV-B-C
Whittier, V-JV-B-C-D

Jan. 10, 1969

Mater Dei, V-JV-B
Gahr, V-JV-B-C

Jan. 15, 1969

Whittier, V-JV-B-C-D
Calexico, V-JV

BASEBALL

Scrimmages, 1969

El Dorado, V-JV

February, 1969

Rosemead, V-JV-FR, Feb. 25-27
Buena Park, V-JV-FR, Feb. 28
Los Amigos, V-JV-FR, Feb. 21

March, 1969

Buena Park, V-JV-FR, Mar. 14
Los Amigos, V-JV-FR, Mar. 7 or 11
Lowell, V-JV-FR, Mar. 4
St. Paul, V-JV, Mar. 4, 14, 18, 21, 25, 28

TRACK

March, 1969

Mayfair, V-B-C, Mar. 6

TENNIS

Scrimmages

El Dorado, V-JV, any dates

February, 1969

Rosemead, V-JV-FR, Feb. 25-27
Buena Park, V-JV, Feb. 28

March, 1969

Buena Park, V-JV, Mar. 14
Lowell, V-JV-FR, Mar. 4
Walnut, V-JV, 2 dates March

WRESTLING

December, 1968

L.B. Wilson, V only, any dates
L.B. Poly, V-JV, Dec. 19-20
Walnut, V-JV, Dec. 16-20 (1 match)

January, 1969

L.B. Poly, V-JV, Jan. 7
Compton, V-JV, Jan. 7, 14, 21

CROSS-COUNTRY

September, 1968

Pius X, V-JV, any dates

GOLF

St. John Bosco, V-JV, any dates
Los Amigos, V only, any dates prior to 3-5-69

WATER POLO

Scrimmages, 1968

El Dorado, V-B-C

Swimmers Eyeing Championships at Beverly Hills High School

Outstanding swimmers in the CIF, Southern Section, are looking toward the 1968 CIF, SS, Swim Championships, to be held at Beverly Hills High School on Friday evening, May 10, after preliminary competition at Santa Monica City College on Saturday, May 4.

Swimmers who meet the pre-established qualifying times in their league championship meets will meet at Santa Monica City College to vie for berths in the Championships. Free-lance entrants will gain entry into the preliminary times recorded in a special free-lance meet, to be held at Norwalk High School on April 26.