CALIFORNIA INTERSCHOLASTIC FEDERATION
SOUTHERN SECTION
CENTRAL JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL
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JANUARY, 1932, BULLETIN

Minutes of meeting of the Council held December 17, 1931.

Room 436 University Club, 614 South Hope Street, Los Angeles.

Twenty members of the Council, the speaker of the day, Mr. Gyuna Wilson, Associate Manager of the Xi Olympiad Committee, and 21 visitors sat down to lunch at 12:15 P.M.

Following the luncheon Mr. Wilson gave a very entertaining and instructive address on the 1932 Olympic Games at the close of the address it was moved by Mr. Oliver and seconded by several Council members that we ask Mr. Wilson to furnish the C.I.F.S.S. Office with a summary of the address that copies may be put in the hands of every high school principal in Southern California.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

President O'Nara, speaking for the Council, expressed to Mr. Wilson our sincere appreciation for his splendid talk.

At 1:30 P.M. the business meeting of the Council was called by the President and roll call showed the following members present:

Day League—A. E. Veentker—Santa Monica.
Curtain League—E. C. Cline—San Bernardino.
Coast League—J. P. O'Mara—Pasadena.
Desert League—J. F. Park—Barstow.
Football League—J. E. Alman—South Pasadena.
Imperial League—J. L. House—El Centro.
Inyo County League.
Los Angeles City League.
Marino League—H. S. Wood—Torrance.
Orange League—J. W. Means—Tustin.
Preparatory League.
Riverside League—R. A. Ceverdale—Banning.
San Diego League.
San Fernando League—C. Walter Monroe—Ontonagon.
San Gabriel League—S. Chester McIntosh—Pine grove.
San Luis Obispo League—B. Sh. Tea—San Luis Obispo.
Southern League—B. C. Chisholm—Grossmont.
Tri-County League—F. R. Thompson—Claremont.
Ventura League—F. W. Wheeler—Santa Barbara.
Ventura Minor League—J. F. Polski—Nordhoff.
Western League—Edwin J. Whedon—Washington.
Harry J. Moore—State Representative.
E. W. Oliver—State Representative.
S. F. Van Patten—Commissioner of Athletics.

Minutes of October 3 approved as printed.

Mr. Oliver presented a report showing condition of the treasurer on December 9, 1931. (See complete report at end of minutes.) Mr. Van Patten reported that $756.00 had been deposited in the Treasurer since the date of the report, and that the play-off games in football were yet to be heard from, and the final game to be played in the Olympic Stadium December 19.

Moved by Mr. Oliver, seconded by Mr. Teach, that the report be accepted.

CARRIED

Mr. Van Patten presented the following as a clarification of the report of the Golf Committee. (See No. 3 of October 3 minutes.)

An Amateur and a Professional in Golf Defined

The definition of an amateur and a professional in golf shall be that which appears in the 1931 edition of the Rules of Golf at the Southern California Golf Association, pages 77 to 80, except that a high school golfer may carry clubs for hire until he is twenty-one years of age without losing his amateur standing in high school golf or any other school sport.

High school golfers are warned that the Southern California Golf Association will rule these professionals in golf if they carry clubs for hire after they reach the age of eighteen years.

High school golfers who compete in tournaments where money prizes are offered must before competing file a declaration indicating whether they are competing as an amateur or as a professional. Failure to do so will be deemed cause for disbarment from further high school golf matches.

There being no discussion the President ordered the report printed as presented.

Moved by Mr. Cline, seconded by Mr. Veentker, to table the question of a set season for each sport.

CARRIED

Moved by Mr. Alman, seconded by Mr. Thompson, that we adopt the report of the Commissioner of Athletics on the Preliminary Track Meet arrangements without change. (See October 3 minutes for report.)

Roll call by Leagues asked.

CARRIED 14 to 2

Moved by Mr. Thompson, seconded by Mr. McIntosh, that details for Preliminary Track Meet be left to Mr. Van Patten and the Executive Committee with power to act.

CARRIED

Moved by Mr. Means, seconded by Mr. Alman, that organized spring football practice be eliminated. (Organized football practice being understood to include scrimmages and the leading of regular football units.) Roll call by Leagues asked.

CARRIED 10 to 7

Moved by Mr. McIntosh, and seconded by Mr. Means, that if a boy who has been a pupil in a Private School returns to his former home school, and lives with his parents, that he become eligible at once for competition. Roll call by Leagues asked.

CARRIED 9 to 8

Mr. Van Patten reported on a Cross Country Race held December 12 at the Griffith Park Course.

Moved by Mr. Ceverdale, seconded by Mr. Whedon, that C.I.F.S.S. medals be awarded the five first place boys in each of the two classes and that regulation C.I.F.S.S. Points be awarded to the school winning each of the two classes.

CARRIED

Moved by Mr. Thompson, seconded by Mr. Teach, that Mr. Van Patten and the Executive Committee work out plans and regulations for a Cross Country Carnival for next year and report at the next meeting of the Council.

CARRIED

Moved by Mr. Means, seconded by Mr. Thompson, that Horseshoe Pitching Rules suggested by Mr. Van Patten be adopted by the C.I.F.S.S.

CARRIED
Report of Committee on Interscholastic Relations

Riverside, California
October 8, 1921

Your Committee on Interscholastic Relations has had two meetings at this Convention, at one of which several interested individuals were called to the rostrum. Your Chairman has worked closely with the Chairman of the High School Principals Association. The recommendations which we are making have the unanimous approval of your Committee, and they are in agreement with the policies of the High School Principals Association.

Your Committee recommends that the following general policies be approved by the Superintendents Association and sent to the High School Principals Association for their consideration and action:

1. All interscholastic championship games, in so far as possible, should be limited to local leagues.

2. There should be a revision of the organization of local leagues, considering size of schools, and limiting the number of schools in the league so as to reduce the number of games.

3. With the exception of San Diego, Bakersfield, Eureka, and possibly a few other places, long distance travel by athletic teams, involving staying overnight, should be eliminated.

4. American football should not be played in grades below the tenth.

5. The discuss and javelin throw as athletic activities in the schools of the state should be eliminated.

6. Spring and summer football practice by all schools should be eliminated.

7. The terms "major" and "minor" sports should be eliminated and proper emphasis placed on all sports according to their economic values to those who participate.

8. More emphasis should be placed upon the sports that follow through into after school years, such as volleyball, handball, golf, tennis, and swimming.

9. Athletic awards of intrinsic value should be eliminated and school letters substituted for all students who meet the minimum requirements in mental, social, and physical efficiency.

10. The reduction to absolute minimum of ticket selling within the school for athletic contests should be enforced.

11. Emphasis on interscholastic athletics should be decreased and emphasis on intra-school athletics increased.

12. Students should be required to pass a physiical examination by a licensed physician before they are permitted to participate in athletic competition.

13. The use of unpaid adult and student officials in all games with the exception of league games in football, basketball, and baseball should be prohibited. For these games, adult officials should be appointed by the school authorities and the officiating done in so far as possible by school people. The compensation for officials should be standardized by the local leaguers.

14. The superintendents and city and county supervisors of physical education should have a definite responsibility, along with the high school principals, in determining interscholastic relationships.

15. The high school principals of the state in cooperation with the superintendents and city and county supervisors of physical education should use the foundation laid by the CIF in developing a large group of local leagues and in increasing the personnel of the governing body.

16. The Chief of the Department of Health and Physical Education in California should be a member of the governing body which determines all interscholastic relationships.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK A. BOUE. WALTER R. HEPNER.
FREDERICK F. MARTIN.
LEWIS E. SMITH.
WILLARD E. GIVENS, Chairman.
Official Horseshoe Rules

Shoes 2½ lbs.—Official shoe.

Stakes are 40 ft. apart for official game.

Pitchers box extends only 3 ft. in front of stake.

No contestant shall make any remark or utter any sound within hearing of the opponent, or make any movement that might interfere with opponent. Penalty is that both his shoes are declared foul.

No shoe shall be examined until all are pitched.

At the beginning of a game the winner of a toss has choice of first pitch or follow. In successive games the loser of preceding game pitches first.

All foul shoes shall be removed at request of opponent.

All shoes are counted in their final position.

A league game consists of 21 points.

All shoes shall be within 6 inches of stake to score.

Closest shoe scored 1 point.

Finger scores 3 points.

All equals count as ties, and no point is scored.

In the case of a tie, the contestant who pitches the last is entitled to first pitch.

In the case of protests, etc., the referee, or sponsor, or the committee has final jurisdiction.

Invitational Tennis Tournaments

During the month of April, 1932, two invitational tennis tournaments will be held. One for Class C boys will be held at Harvard School and one for Class B boys at the El Monte High School.

Detailed announcements regarding exact dates, entry fees, etc., will be sent out about a month prior to the dates the tournaments.

It is hoped that a large number of Class C and Class B will take up the game of tennis and be prepared to enter tournaments.

Adopted for the Preliminary Track Meet for May 7, 1932

1. That we divide the leagues of Southern California into groups and hold five preliminary meets on May 7 to 11 for the finals on May 14.

2. That the five groups be as follows:

GROUP I
Bay League
Coast League
Orange League
Preparatory League

GROUP II
City League
Marine League
San Fernando League
Western League

GROUP III
Citrus League
Foothill League
Riverside County League
San Gabriel Valley League
Tri-County League

GROUP IV
Desert League
Ivy County League
San Luis Obispo League
Ventura Major League
Ventura Minor League

GROUP V
Imperial League
San Diego City League
Southern League

2. That all leagues be entitled to send four boys for each event in the preliminaries except in Groups III and IV. In Group III the Riverside County League, the San Gabriel Valley League and the Tri-County League be limited to three each. In Group IV the Desert League and Inyo County League be limited to two each.

4. That in Groups I, II and III we qualify for the finals four boys for each event or twelve in all. In Groups IV and V qualify two for each event, or four. This will give sixteen boys for each event in the finals, which is the same number that we have had in each event in the State Meet for years past.

5. That the rule governing mileage to athletes apply to the five preliminary meets and to the final meet and that the finances be controlled by the C.I.F.S.S.

Treasurer's Report—C.I.F.S.S.
December 9, 1931

RECEIPTS

8-31—Balance last report, May 8, 1931...$2827.50
5-20—Baseball .................................. 101.02
9-30—Track ...................................... 397.12
12-9—Football ................................... 85.50
12-9—Swimming .................................. 18.50

Total Receipts .................................. $3429.39

EXPENDITURES

Dinners to A.S.B.U.S.C. .................. $ 33.40
State Track Meet J.C.R. .................. 15.00
Tennis Balls (Spaulding) .................. 58.00
36 Official Keys (Dodge) .............. 234.00
Dues (S.P. A.A.A.U.) ..................... 10.00
Calif. Scy. Sec. Education .............. 3.00
Barker Brothers (Office) .............. 48.00
Office Supplies and Expense .......... 63.26
Council Expense .......................... 316.37
Telephone .................................. 114.30
Salaries .................................. 1266.00
Printing and Supplies .................. 86.43

Total Expenditures ...................... $2305.35

Balance on Hand 12-9-31 ................ $1124.04

E. W. OLIVER, Treasurer.