NO FORGIVENESS
We can forgive the football official who makes a mistake in handling a game.
The fellow who leaves the job should be given the boot. He has no place in a football game.

THE NEW C. I. F. OFFICE
Having never been trained in the use of superlatives, and having not practiced their use to any extent, we are at a loss as to where to begin to describe Helms Hall, the new home of the C. I. F., So. Section office.
To say that Helms Hall is a pile of bricks, and concrete, and steel would be true, but it would be misleading.
To say that Helms Hall is a mass of brick, concrete and steel that has been moulded by the builders art into a beautiful building would be true statement but only half a truth.
Helms Hall was built with a purpose in the mind of the Founder.
Mr. Paul H. Helms has all his life been a great lover of athletics. He has longed to give expression to his admiration of the men and women of this world who have been able to perform super feats of strength and strength because of right living.
Mr. Paul H. Helms has been able in the midst of a mature business career to plan and create the Helms Athletic Foundation which is housed in Helms Hall.
In Helms Hall is to be found probably the finest athletic library in the world. It has taken years of pains taking work and effort to assemble this collection of books, records, manuscripts, pictures, and etc. Their value cannot be recorded in dollars and cents.
The walls of Helms Hall are adorned with hundreds of pictures of great artists in repose and in action.

COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
The Council of the C. I. F., Southern Section met in Room 418 in the Student Union Building at the University of Southern California at 9:30, A.M. Saturday, December 10, 1949. Twenty-four of the twenty-one delegates were represented as follows:
New members of the C. I. F., So. Section, Four new member schools were admitted to the C. I. F., So. Section, by motion duly seconded and passed unanimously. They were Notre Dame High School of Van Nuys, Nazarine Academy of Pasadena, North Phoenix High School, Arizona, and Mesa High School, Arizona.
Mr. Ingham’s Report.
The Brethren High School of Paramount, Calif. asked admission. By motion the request was deferred until the February meeting of the Council. The Chairman was directed to appoint a committee to investigate the school’s presentation to enter the C. I. F., So. Section competition.

FILMS AVAILABLE
The C. I. F., So. Section Office has 16 millimeter films of our championship football games for the past two years and of the So. California Track Meet for the past three years. These films will be mailed to any school wishing to show them.

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"Specifically: (1) A trophy, costing more than $5.00, which is presented to the school with the boy's name on it may not later be given to the boy without violating the rule. (2) A boy may receive awards from different sources provided the awards do not exceed $5.00 in value each. But this does not mean that the rule may be avoided by making several awards in order to keep down the value of each. If the spirit of the rule is violated, the award will apply. (3) Sweaters costing more than $5.00 may not be given to a boy, and which is more than $5.00 in value, is given to a boy, the boy may not pay the cost above $5.00 and accept the award. Such an arrangement would be for the purpose of evading the rule and therefore will be in violation of the spirit of the rule, and it follows a violation of the rule itself."

Federation Football Rules for 1956. President Lauer made an official statement of attention to the action of our State Council at its May meeting to the effect that all sections of the State would be required to report any violation of the Federation Football Rules during the 1950 season. He stated that as to the probability of the same confusion coming about as happened in 1941 and 1942 when we did try to follow the Federation rules, the rules were much confused and implied the C. I. F., So. Section and the C. I. F., Los Angeles City Section to return to the intercollegiate rules. The result was the present modification of the Intercollegiate rules for 1956.

Mr. H. J. Moore and Mr. S. Chester McIntosh both emphasized the many changes that have been made in high school, collegiate, and professional football rules. All these changes have tended to bring the three codes in harmony, and so pointed out that the professional rules and the high school rules are now very similar. It was pointed out also that the changes in the college code for several years past have come from the high school and professional codes.

Mr. Moore emphasized the importance of the National High School Football Rules conference to be held in San Francisco on December 30 and 31. He advised all football coaches to attend this conference if at all possible.

Mr. Lauer, Mr. William W. Russell who will be in the C. I. F. Office starting February 1, 1950 was introduced to the meeting. He expressed his pleasure at being in the county office and he has been at C. I. F., So. Section. He assured those present that he would be all right for the C. I. F. when he comes to the office.

Tie Rule in Football. Mr. Van Patten recommended that the tie rule in football (Rule 6, page 28, 1949 Blue Book) be not applied to any final post-game in football. It was moved by Mr. Bonnett and seconded by Mr. Hamilton that a dual championship should be made official in the case of a tie. Mr. Hamilton expressed the willingness to serve.

A general discussion of the league arrangement indicated that the San Diego County schools be willing to serve.

Mr. Lauer announced that the Southern California Interscholastic Federation has a new executive committee consisting of Mr. G. R. McMillin, Mr. Lauer, Mr. J. W. McMillan, and Mr. W. W. Russell. The Federation will meet on the 3rd day of each month.

FOOTBALL GAMES WANTED

Roosevelt High School seeks new games for the San Gabriel High School. The Roosevelt High School has an open date for the week end of November 6. Montebello has an open date on October 27. Call Mr. H. A. Jones—1170.

The new Coast League has the following by dates: November 6, 1950.

The Coast League schools each have three dates (September 22, September 29, and October 6) on which they want to arrange non-league games.

FOOTBALL PLAY-OFF WINNERS

In the Northern Group of Leagues Boulder City, Nevada won nine games from Pueblo 10 to 7. In the Southern Group Point Loma won from Bonita by a score of 27 to 14.

THE COLISEUM FOOTBALL GAME

The final game of football in the Central Group was staged in the Los Angeles Coliseum on December 10 and was a splendidly played contest. Both teams gave all they had. The officiating was very high class. The teams battled up to the last second of the fourth quarter. It was one of the best final games in C. I. F., So. Section history.

All the above is true and yet less than 9000 people came to see the game.
CROSSCOUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIP

The preliminaries of the crosscountry were held on December 3, 1959, with 29 teams competing.  The schools were divided into six groups, each group being a race.  The schools were divided by enrollment with the first race containing the five smallest that had entered into competition. Six boys were allowed to run for each team, with five boys being scored.  Medals were given to the first five boys in each race, and plaques were awarded to the winning school of each race.

The boys’ school, and the winning time for each preliminary race are listed below.

Race 1  Runney—Coronado  9:42.0
2  Graves—Chula Vista  9:44.8
3  Sacoledo—Colton  9:45.0
4  Stower—Hoover (SD)  9:45.5
5  Miller—Keppel  9:50.0
6  Bonham—Whittier  9:20.0

The following schools were the winners of each preliminary race.

Race 1  Escondido
2  La Jolla
3  Colton
4  Hoover (SD)
5  Keppel
6  Whittier

December 9, 1949 was the date of the finals.

The winning team of each preliminary race and the winning boy were allowed to compete in the finals.  Medals were given to the first five boys in the race, to the boys on the winning team, and a plaque to Whittier High School which was the winner, and therefore recognized as the So. Section Champion.

The following were the first five boys in the final race.

Bosham—Whittier
Miller—Keppel
Aguirre—Whittier
Keck—Whittier
Runney—Coronado

The times each boy made are listed below.

9.259  Bonham—Whittier
9.28  Miller—Keppel
9.34  Aguirre—Whittier
9.41  Keck—Whittier
9.42  Runney—Coronado
9.44  Bush—Hoover SD
9.49  Cameron—Keppel
9.50  Sacoledo—Colton
9.51  Perez—Escondido
9.57  Sower—Hoover
9.58  Stower—Hoover
9.59  Banks—Keppel

WATER POLO CHAMPIONSHIP

El Segundo is the C. I. F. So. Section Water Polo Champion in Class A and Class C, and Whittier is the Class B Champion.

The following are the final standings in C. I. F.
So. Section Water Polo.

Class A  El Segundo  Whittier
Fullerton  Ingledwood
Downey  Leuzinger
Redlands  Compton

Class B  Whittier  El Segundo
Downey  Fullerton
Ingledwood  Leuzinger

Class C  El Segundo  Whittier
Fullerton  Ingledwood
Downey  Leuzinger

MINUTES OF COUNCIL MEETING, JANUARY 4, 1950

The meeting was called to order at approximately 10:30 A.M. Roll call was taken and all members were present except the Foothill and Pasadena Jr. High.

Council Members Present
Bay League—Kenneth Mitchell, Beverly Hills
Catholic League—Wally Daley, Loyola
Griswold League—Winston Nelson, Pomona
Desert Inyo League—Keith Gunn, Victor Valley
Futbol League—N. C. P. St. Louis
Imperial Valley League—Perry Palmer, Brawley
Metropolitan League—Marvin Clark, La Jolla

Orange League—S. S. Smith, Brea-Olinda
Pasadena Jr. High League—Not Present
Preparatory League—Kinter Hamilton, Harvard
Rivera County League—D. G. Brunswell, Covina
San Luis Obispo League—George Flomson, Paso Robles
Southern League—Dwight Loper, Vista
Sunset League—Sidney Davidson, Newport

Tri-County—Fonzi Frazier, Corona
Tri-State League—Lester Mullins, Needles
Ventura League—Harry Biggar, Fillmore
Virus League—Joe Bowers, Simi

The minutes of the October 10, 1949 and December 10, 1949 meetings were read.  The minutes were approved as read.

Financial Report

Mr. Russell gave a financial report for the first semester of 1950 school year.  He was moved and seconded to the financial report.

Football Rules

Mr. Larry Houston and Mr. Norman Duncan outlined the major differences between the National Intercollegiate Federation Football Rules and the modified NCAA rules which are now used in the high schools of Southern California.  Mr. Houston recommended adoption of the Federation Rules, subject to the approval by the football coaches in our leagues.  Mr. Houston pointed out the Federation Rules will stimulate the elimination of careless fouling and therefore prevent injuries.

Mr. Duncan listed several points that are better than our present rules.  (1) The rules are simple to enforce as well as to understand.  (2) The new rules simplify all rules on kicked balls over the opponents’ goal line.  (3) Either team may run with a fumble which will aid to open the game up, and tend to reduce injuries by eliminating tackle up for loose balls.  (4) The game will be faster for the boys playing.

Mr. Duncan explained that arrangement had been made to have Mr. H. V. Porter, Secretary of the National Federation, come to California and hold a series of meetings for the purpose of discussing the football rules with our coaches.

It was announced the C. I. F., Los Angeles City Section had appropriated $150 to help pay the expenses of Mr. H. V. Porter.

It was moved and seconded that the C. I. F., So. Section pay $150 to help with the expenses of Mr. Porter.  Carried.

Several meetings to be held under the auspices of the football associations at which Mr. Porter will be present were announced.  The first educational meeting will be held on February 27 at San Diego.  Other meetings will be held at Riverside February 28, Santa Ana March 2, Los Angeles March 3, and Santa Barbara March 4.  All meetings will be held in the afternoon and the second half in the evening.  At Santa Barbara the meeting will be an all day affair.

Each Council Representative was directed to obtain a vote for each school in his league, as to the football coaches’ opinion of the rules.  These votes are to be sent to the So. Section Office by mail before March 13, 1950.

Reorganizing Report

Mr. Bergstrom presented a report on the reorganizing in San Diego County.

Mr. Clair John presented a minority report on the problem for San Diego County.

Mr. Frank Chaste presented the majority report.  A roll call vote was taken and the minority report received 11 votes and the majority report received 8 votes.

The meeting was adjourned for lunch at 12:00.  Lunch was served at Helms Hall in the patio.  The meeting was again called to order at 1:00 P.M.

Mr. Nelson moved and Mr. Bigger seconded that the previous motion be reopened for discussion.  Carried.  Mr. Floyd Johnson pointed out that the motion which had been passed by the Council had been voted down 14 to 5 at the San Diego County meeting.  In the following discussion a proposal was made that was considered as Plan 3.  The plan suggested the following leaguers: San Diego City League (Grossmont, Hoover, S. T., Kearny, La Jolla, Point Loma, San Diego. Southern League Army & Navy, Brown, Fullbrook, Julian, Mr. Empire,