8. The council discussed the present method of conducting our track and field championship events, including preliminaries, semi-finals and finals. It was moved, seconded, and carried that the council form a committee to send out a questionnaire to all track coaches asking their recommendations and suggestions relative to the possibility of holding a separate C.I.F. Southern Section track championship meet for the larger schools, and a separate C.I.F. championship track and field meet for the smaller schools. The questionnaires returns are to be tabulated and prepared for a track committee for consideration.

The present track committee is composed of Mr. Ed Laurentin of La Muerta High School, Mr. Harry Bigger, Fillmore High School, and Mr. Bruce Lawell of Keppel High School.

9. The C.I.F. Bluebook water pole regulations on page 38 states that all water pole schedule must be completed by the end of September vacation. One of the leagues has expressed a desire to conduct its water pole season to run until late in the month. It was moved, seconded and carried that the water pole season schedule be referred to the committee for the swimming and water polo coaches on June 7, 1954, for consideration and recommendation to the Southern Section Council at the December, 1954 Council Meeting.

10. It was moved, seconded, and carried that the Southern Section Council extend its appreciation to the president, Joseph Rindone, Jrs. of Chula Vista High School for outstanding service during his past term of office.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:30 a.m. in time for a delicious luncheon served the Council members at the Excerisor High School cafeteria. After the lunch the Council members enjoyed the 1954 C.I.F. Southern Section Championship Track and Field Meet held at Excerisor High School field.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM W. RUSSELL

TEAM GOLF HONORS TO SANTA BARBARA
Couch Clarence Schmitz's Santa Barbara High School team was crowned C.I.F. Southern Section team golf honors in an impressive manner by winning both the junior division of the fine laces golf league schedule, winning the playoff between the two top teams in each division of the league, and they went on to capture the official C.I.F. team golf championship held May 24, 1954 at the Arrowhead Country Club in Santa Barbara.

Santa Barbara and Glendale HS were the top two teams in the northern division of the fine lace golf league, with two Long Beach schools, Wilson and Polytechnic, the leading teams in the southern division. The playoff was held at Alondra Park Golf Course in Lawndale on May 28. Twenty-one schools entered the official championship team golf event with six boys comprising the team. The aggregate score for the six boys for 18 holes was totaled, with Santa Barbara first with 464 strokes, Long Beach Wilson second with 475, and Beverly Hills third with 481. Santa Barbara's Al Geibergter turned in the best round, a one under par 71. Eighteen boys shot in the seventies. Evidence of the strength of the Santa Barbara team is that four of their team shot in the seventies, with the fifth and sixth boys also scoring 81. Four of Wilson's team had the honor of accomplishing the high school golf team.

Members of the championship team were Al Geibergter, Tom McFadden, Charles Schwab, Ted Dalzell, Leonard Vena, and Ronnie Glenn.

Mr. Norman Fawley, Athletics Director at Pacific HS in San Bernardino, served as an efficient manager for the event.

Team scores:
1. Santa Barbara 71-74-79-87-81-81-464
2. L. B. Wilson 77-76-78-87-86-79-475
3. Beverly Hills 77-72-76-80-80-83-481
4. L. B. Poly 73-87-78-83-81-84
5. La Jolla 76-72-83-92-86-86-499
6. Riverside 80-81-80-81-85-92-499
7. Tujunga 73-80-87-86-86-499
8. St. Augustine 88-88-82-89-83-83

JERRY STEELSMITH WINS
INDIVIDUAL GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP
Jerry Steelsmith of Glendale HS expanded the CIF, Southern Section Individual Golf Championship on Friday, June 4, at Monrovia Municipal Golf Course by defeating John Gilman in a sudden death playoff on the 20th hole. The Connell High player and Steelsmith had tied with two under par 70's at the end of 18 holes. Both boys parred the 19th hole, but Steelsmith's tee shot was short and was pushed a five iron to the right of the green, while Steelsmith punched his iron over to 15 yards short of the green. Steelsmith putted out in two putts, and when Gilman failed to sink his twelve foot putt, the match was over.

Eighty of the high school golfers competed with five boys breaking par during the day, and 28 scoring in the seventies over 72 courses.

The five low scores:
70-Jerry Steelsmith, Glendale; John Gilman, Cantwell.
71-Al Geibergter, Santa Barbara; Phil Tennhoff, LB Wilson; Jim Kandas, Whittier.

TEAM TENNIS TITLE TO BEVERLY HILLS
The annual tennis striker silver cup event dominated by the Southern California Tennis Patrons Association, emblematic of the CIF Southern Section Tennis Tournament, will be on display in the Beverly Hills High School trophy case until May 1957, since the Vikings won their fourth straight trophy after June 9 by edging out South Pasadena HS 4% to 3%.

In CIF team tennis, eight boys (four singles players and two doubles teams) make up the team. No boy may compete in both singles and doubles. Each singles player plays one set with each of his four opponents; and each doubles team plays two sets with each of its two opponents. Each set is won by one point, and each doubles set won score one and one-half points. In the event of a tie in scoring, the total number of games won by each school in the dual match would determine the winner.

PRELIMINARY ROUND MAY 26
Riverside def. Rancho, 25-3
Penney def. Paramour, 4-3
Browning def. La Jolla, 4-3
Cordova def. Capistrano Valley, 4-3
Huntington Beach def. Newport, 4-3
South Pasadena def. Glendale, 4-3
Beverly Hills def. El Segundo, 4-3
St. Augustine def. Corona, 4-3
Notch def. Palos Verdes, default
Monterey def. Fawling, 4-3
Thatcher def. Van Nuys, default
Beverly Hills def. Westminster, 4-3
QUARTER FINALS JUNE 2
South Pasadena vs. La Salle
Beverly Hills vs. St. Augustine’s
San Diego vs. Santa Ana
Monterey vs. Newport Beach
FINALS JUNE 9
Beverly Hills def. South Pasadena, 13-13
CIF SWIMMING TITLES WON BY BEVERLY HILLS, HARVAR
AND WITTERTON
All three classes 1953 CIF swimming champions were defeated in the first heat of the Championship Swimming Meet held May 14 at the Beverly Hills High School, when the host school won the Class C title. Harvard High School narrowly won the B championship, and Whittier walked away with the Class A plaque.

All of the events were thrilling to watch as competition was especially close. The judges of the finish were hard put to determine the places in the 50 meter free stroke when six boys hit the finish line in one wave. Four old records were broken, and with the addition of the Class B Individual Medley event, a total of nine new marks went into the official record books.

Entries into the preliminaries were limited to six from each team, and from a fine list qualifying meet held at El Segundo HS. At the two prelims meet, six boys were qualified to enter the semi finals at Beverly Hills, where two heats of six swimmers were held. The six fastest boys by time qualified for the finals. Diving prelims were held separate from the swimming, so that the events could have the attention they deserve.

Coach Urba Sanner managed the El Segundo HS preliminary meet, and Buzz Thayer managed the other prelim at Long Beach Polytechnic HS on May 7, both held in the evening so as to avoid interference with classes. The semi-finals and finals were held at Beverly Hills HS under the skilful direction of John Marrow.

The official results of the championship meet follow:

CLASS B
Medley Relay
1 Beverly Hills
2 Beverly Hills
3 Beverly Hills
4 Beverly Hills
5 Beverly Hills
6 Beverly Hills
20 Yd. Back Stroke
1 Beverly Hills
2 Brennan, Beverly Hills
3 Stoddard, Beverly Hills
4 Welch, Beverly Hills
5 Vaile, Beverly Hills
6 Lee, Beverly Hills
50 Yd. Free Style
1 Jackson, Flintridge
2 Weilcr, L. B. Poly
3 Stoddard, Beverly Hills
4 Johnson, Glendora
5 Brennan, Beverly Hills
6 Brennan, Beverly Hills
60 Yd. Breast Stroke
1 McGeir, Glendora
2 Mento, Glendora
3 Brennan, Beverly Hills
4 Brennan, Beverly Hills
5 Brennan, Beverly Hills
6 Brennan, Beverly Hills
100 Yd. Br. Stroke
1 Brennan, Beverly Hills
2 Brennan, Beverly Hills
3 Brennan, Beverly Hills
4 Brennan, Beverly Hills
5 Brennan, Beverly Hills
6 Brennan, Beverly Hills
CLASS A
Medley Relay
1 Beverly Hills
2 Beverly Hills
3 Beverly Hills
4 Beverly Hills
5 Beverly Hills
6 Beverly Hills
20 Yd. Free Style
1 Brennan, Beverly Hills
2 Brennan, Beverly Hills
3 Brennan, Beverly Hills
4 Brennan, Beverly Hills
5 Brennan, Beverly Hills
6 Brennan, Beverly Hills
60 Yd. Back Stroke
1 Brennan, Beverly Hills
2 Johnson, Glendora
3 Johnson, Glendora
4 Johnson, Glendora
5 Johnson, Glendora
6 Johnson, Glendora
50 Yd. Breast Stroke
1 Brennan, Beverly Hills
2 Brennan, Beverly Hills
3 Brennan, Beverly Hills
4 Brennan, Beverly Hills
5 Brennan, Beverly Hills
6 Brennan, Beverly Hills
100 Yd. Br. Stroke
1 Brennan, Beverly Hills
2 Brennan, Beverly Hills
3 Brennan, Beverly Hills
4 Brennan, Beverly Hills
5 Brennan, Beverly Hills
6 Brennan, Beverly Hills
CLASS C
Medley Relay
1 Beverly Hills
2 Beverly Hills
3 Beverly Hills
4 Beverly Hills
5 Beverly Hills
6 Beverly Hills
20 Yd. Free Style
1 Brennan, Beverly Hills
2 Brennan, Beverly Hills
3 Brennan, Beverly Hills
4 Brennan, Beverly Hills
5 Brennan, Beverly Hills
6 Brennan, Beverly Hills
60 Yd. Back Stroke
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bashed his second triple of the game over the center fielder's head to score Kerslake with a tying run. Fullerton retired the next two batters while holding McAnany on 3rd base, but Ben Boudreau drove a ground single through the box in the center field to score McAnany with the winning run.

In the Northern group playoffs Santa Maria High School, after being held to a 3-3 tie at the end of 3 innings by host school Bellflower, went on a merry scoring spree to smother Bellflower 18-9 in the championship game played June 4th. Santa Maria defeated Santa Clara School of Ocean View, 4 to 1 in the quarter-finals and turned back Pomona Catholic 7 to 1 in the semi-finals. Bellflower High School drew a bye in the 1st round and defeated Trona 12 to 4 in the semi-finals.

In the Southern group championship game played before 1735 paid admissions at Stark Field in El Centro Saturday night, June 5th, Chula Vista swapped Central High School 16 to 6. Chula Vista’s hard hitting attack disposed of the Free Lance champions, Pacific High School of San Bernardino, on May 25, 8 to 3. In the semi-final round Chula Vista blasted 21 hits to defeat Laguna Beach 20 to 2. El Centro won in the championship game by turning back Hemet 6 to 3 and Citrus 7 to 4. The crowd attending the Chula Vista-El Centro game was one of the largest in baseball playoff history, with games played in recent years, at Santa Barbara and Santa Maria exceeding the 1737 attendance mark.

JOE BISHOP WINS FIRST MAJOR LEAGUE CONTRACT

Jackie Bishop wins first major league contract with the Chicago Cubs.

SOUTHERN GROUP

Chula Vista 8; Pacific 3
El Centro 9; Hemet 3

NORTHERN GROUP

Trona 4; Palo Verde 5
Pomona Catholic 3; Santa Ana 2
Santa Maria 4; Santa Clara 1

CENTRAL GROUP

Fullerton 3; Chaffee 2
Deerwood 3; Santa Barbara 0
Lorita 4; Barstow 1

JACKIE DOUGLAS WINS THIRD STRAIGHT SINGLE CROWN;
CRANSTON WILSON ARE DOUBLE TITULIS

For the first time in the history of the CIF, the Southern Section, Class A singles championship has been won three times in a row, with Jon A. "Jackie" Douglas of Santa Monica High School breaking the records by defeating Gregory Grant of South Pasadena HS in the finals played Monday, June 7, at the Los Angeles Tennis Club. Douglas won the singles crown in 1953 by turning back Myron Franks, 6-8, 6-1, 8-6; and in 1952 he beat B. Schiffield, 4-6, 6-4, 6-4.

It is interesting to note that Douglas lost the first set in each of these three championship matches, and he lost the first set to Grant 3-6; but came back strong in the second and third sets to win 6-1 and 6-0.

Jim Wilson and John Cranston of South Pasadena HS won the Class A doubles title by defeating Mike Francis and Albert Prager of Beverly Hills HS 7-5, 4-6, 6-3, in a well played match. Wilson had trained with Gregory Grant in 1953 to win the doubles crown.

Play was held at the Long Beach City College battery of courts, with Mr. Walter Skeek assisting as tournament manager, on Saturday, June 5. Finals in both divisions were held on Monday, June 7, at the Los Angeles Tennis Club. Entries are limited to the top two singles players and two top doubles teams from each league.
FOOTBALL FEIGNED INJURY NOW CONSIDERED UNETHICAL

In the American way of life which has produced a great nation and now maintains it, football is an important activity which the schools have accepted as a part of their training programs. It is the responsibility of all school men to keep the game clean and educationally sound.

About the only abuses of the football timing rule (Section 3 of Rule 3, National Federation Football Rules) are in the case of feigned injury or in the case of a requested measurement. A Referee is not obligated to grant a request for a measurement, and he will not accede to such a request unless he is in doubt if the ball has reached the line-to-gain.

The feigned injury involves an ethical principal. It is now almost unanimously agreed that the feigning of an injury is an unethical practice rather than good game strategy. No player should be coached to feign an injury. Coaches should instruct their players not to feign injury. If the injury is genuine, there is none of an alleged injury and if the player is not removed, the Referee will usually start the clock as soon as it becomes the player will not be removed.

The C.I.F. feels that all high school coaches wish to keep the conduct of games on a high level, and will cooperate fully by living up to the spirit, as well as the letter, of the rules.

MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE CIF, SOUTHERN SECTION, HELD JUNE 4, 1954 AT POMONA H. S.

The special meeting of the Executive Committee was called to order by Chairman B. L. Bergstrom. Those present included Messrs. Oliver Gerter, Floyd Johnson, Bruce Lawson, Winston Nelson, and C. W. Russell.

1. Mr. Floyd Johnson informed the Executive Committee of the election on May 29, 1954 of William W. Russell, now Commissioner of Athletics for the C.I.F., Southern Section, to the position of Assistant Executive Secretary for the State C.I.F. and CIF Protection Fund. Mr. Johnson reported to the Executive Committee of the offer of the State C.I.F. to employ Mr. Russell on a half time basis until not later than January 1, 1955, at which time Mr. Russell would report for full time service to the State C.I.F. The plan would allow Mr. Russell to continue with partial employment for the Southern Section so as to assist in training a new Commissioner. Mr. Russell requested the Southern Section to consider his resignation as outlined above. It was moved, seconded, and carried to accept all compliments and regret the resignation of Mr. Russell according to the arrangement offered by the State C.I.F. Council.

2. It was agreed that the following procedure be observed:
   a. Release to the press immediately a story on Russell’s resignation, suggesting applications be forwarded.
   b. Release to schools immediately similar story, and send application blank to all schools.
   c. Advise CIFSS Council of Russell’s resignation and the action by the Executive Committee, if they wish to convene a vote, or vote by mail, on Executive Committee’s recommendation for new Commissioner of Athletics.
   d. Deadline for applications will be June 17.
   e. A personnel screening committee will review all applications. It is anticipated those candidates deemed outstanding to come to Santa Barbara C.I.F. June 22 at 1:30 for interview by entire Executive Committee. Committee will consist of Messrs. Nelson, Gerber, Bergstrom, and Russell. Committee will meet at Covina C.I.F. June 18 at 1:30.

f. Qualifications for Commissioner
   Age: 30-50
   Education: minimum of college degree
   Must be a school man experienced in athletics.
   Must be available on or about July 1, 1954.
   Offices will continue to be at Helms Athletic Foundation; man must be willing to live in area near office.