# C. I. F., SOUTHERN SECTION

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#### MINUTES OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING FEB. 7, 1953

The February meeting of the Executive Committee was called to order at the C.I.F. Office in Helms Hall at 8:30 A.M. by Chairman B. L. Bergstrom. Those present were Messrs. Winston Nelson, Floyd Johnson, H. S. Packwood, A. E. Konold, and Wm. W. Russell.

1. Santa Barbara HS presented its 1953 Tennis schedule, with a request that the Executive Committee determine how many matches Santa Barbara must win in order to qualify for C.I.F., Southern Section Team Tennis playoffs. It was moved, seconded, and carried that Santa Barbara HS win 8 out of 10 matches listed on the schedule below, in order to qualify.

The Santa Barbara HS schedule is as follows:

March 11 Oxnard

March 14 Mark Keppel

March 18 Santa Paula

March 21 El Monte

March 25 Glendale

March 27 Whittier April 7 Ventura

April 10 Wilson (L.B.)

April 11 Jordon (L.B.)

April 14 Thacher

- 2. St. Augustine's HS of San Diego submitted its basketball schedule asking that determination of qualification for basketball playoffs be made. It was moved that of the 13 games listed in the period of January 7 through February 24, 1953, that St. Augustine's win 10 out of the 13 games in order to qualify.
- 3. Mr. Russell was authorized to represent the C.I.F., Southern Section at the Health, Recreation, and Physical Education convention in Fresno the last week of March.
- 4. After a review of recent eligibility questions brought to the C.I.F. Office for interpretation, it was moved, seconded, and carried, that the Executive Committee recommend to the Council that the Council President appoint a committee to study the rule pertaining only to residence requirements.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:30 in time to attend the C.I.F., Southern Section Council Meeting.

> Respectfully submitted, William W. Russell Commissioner of Athletics

## MINUTES OF COUNCIL MEETING FEB. 7, 1953

The regular February Meeting of the C.I.F., Southern Section Council was called to order Saturday morning, Feb. 7, 1953 in the patio of the Helms Athletic Foundation Building, by Mr. H. S. Packwood, President.

- 1. Roll call was taken, with all leagues being represented with the exception of the following: Arrowhead, Foothill, Pasadena Junior High, Southern, and Tri-State.
- 2. It was moved by Mr. Gunn, 2nd by Mr. Bonnett, and carried to dispense with the reading of the December Minutes as they had been published in the Monthly Bulletin.
- 3. It was moved, seconded, and carried that the new California High School of the Whittier District be placed in the San Gabriel Valley League as of September 1953.
- 4. The Ventura League requested the Council to reconsider the dates set for 1953 football playoffs (start weekend of Nov. 27). It was moved, seconded, and carried to table the request of the Ventura League in this matter. The dates will stand.
- 5. Mr. Oliver Corbin of Covina HS reported for the Committee to Evaluate Playoffs in All Sports. Mr. Corbin reported 100% of the leagues replied to the questionnaire sent out by his committee. The Committee reports:

"Previous to its meeting, the Committee polled all the leagues in both the Large Schools and the Small Schools Divisions of the Southern Section.

"Returns from the small schools indicated an overwhelming preference in favor of continuing play-offs as conducted at present. The leagues in the Large Schools Division voted unanimously to continue play-offs according to the present plan.

"The leagues were also polled with regard to their attitude concerning State Championships in the various sports. A large majority of the leagues voted against State Championships in all sports. There was, however, scattered voting in favor of State Championships in various sports such as track and basketball.

"The Committee therefore recommends that:

- 1. Play-offs in all sports in the Southern Section continue as in the past.
- 2. The State Track Meet not be included

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as an event in Southern Section competition."

After discussion on the committee report, it was moved, seconded, and carried that playoffs in all sports continue as they are now being conducted. It was moved, seconded, and carried that the matter of discontinuing the Southern Section's participation in the State Track Meet be tabled for further study. It was moved, seconded, and carried that the Commissioner send out a questionnaire to all league representatives about participation in the State Track Meet.

6. Mr. Russell presented a tabulation of the replies from the various leagues concerning their preference for either National Federation or National Collegiate Football Rules for use during the 1953 season. The tabulation showed 15 leagues favoring Federation Rules, 7 favoring NCAA Rules, 2 leagues recorded a tie vote within their league, and 2 leagues failed to reply. After discussion, it was moved, seconded, and carried 17-4 on a roll call vote, to adopt the National Federation Football Rules for the 1953 football season.

7. It was moved, seconded, and carried to empower the President of the Council to appoint a committee to study residence rules requirements. The President appointed Mr. Keith Gunn of Victor Valley HS as Chairman, Mr. Donald McIntosh of Colton HS, and Mr. Don Jordan of Garden Grove HS as members, with Mr. Russell to serve as needed.

8. It was moved, seconded, and carried to approve the Minutes of the Executive Committee meeting February 7, 1953.

9. Mr. Wm. C. Smith of Inglewood HS presented a progress report for the Committee on Athletic Classification. Mr. Russell was requested to duplicate and forward to all schools for their

consideration, some recommendations on this subject. The Committee would like to have schools forward their opinions with suggestions to Mr. Smith.

10. The San Diego City League requests that Kearny HS be permitted to have the 9th grade boys from the Kearny Jr. HS compete on the Kearny Senior HS athletic teams in San Diego City League competition. After some discussion, the motion to permit this was lost on a roll call vote, 6-13.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:00 P.M. Respectfully submitted. William W. Russell Commissioner of Athletics

#### SAN DIEGO HS WINS FOURTH STRAIGHT WRESTLING CHAMPIONSHIP

It will probably be quite some time before one of the C.I.F., Southern Section schools matches San Diego High School's outstanding record of four consecutive wrestling titles, an achievement of which Coach Frank Crosby's boys can well be proud. As in 1952, Redondo High School won the runner-up position in the championship tourney held March 7, 1953 at the Hoover HS gymn in San Diego.

Preliminary eliminations were held at San Diego and at Whittier on February 28, with the top four boys from each of these two meets going on to the final competition on March 7. Eighteen schools entered boys in the prelims.

Results of Wrestling Championship Tourney, March 7:

95 LB. WEIGHT CLASS

Stanley Hunsucker, Hawthorne Robert Kirshbaum, Redlands William Corcoran, Whittier

4 Jack Duncan, Vocational 103 LB. WEIGHT CLASS Bernardo Hernandez, Whittier

Ernie Hernandez, Redondo Beach Glen Sisco, Leuzinger Dean Luxa, Escondido

112 LB. WEIGHT CLASS Jim Bodenhamer, Kearny Ralph Barbo, Redlands Alfred Escobar, Leuzinger

Jerry Routh, San Diego 120 LB. WEIGHT CLASS Allan Roe, Whittier

Robert Saunar, San Diego Ken Gardner, Redondo Beach

4 Joe Shoen, Kearny 127 LB. WEIGHT CLASS Nelson Cadava, San Diego Don Thomason, Morningside 3 Richard Neese, Redondo Beach

Jerry Bridges, Kearny 133 LB. WEIGHT CLASS Carl Loos, Chino Don Hall, San Diego

Jerry Branan, Redondo Beach Warren Osborn, Vocational

138 LB. WEIGHT CLASS Erven Harmon, Vocational Allan Close, San Diego Mike Dufresne, Kearny 4 Jim Stark, Chino

145 LB. WEIGHT CLASS Barry Billington, Inglewood Herman Johnson, San Diego Lowell Brown, Redondo Beach 4 George Wimer, Vocational 154 LB. WEIGHT CLASS Jim Carlson, Inglewood

Gary Hoppe, Redondo Beach John Minafee, San Diego Tom Penick, Vocational 165 LB. WEIGHT CLASS

Robert Woodson, San Diego John King, Redondo Beach El Malias, Inglewood 4 Allan Row, La Jolla 175 LB. WEIGHT CLASS

Tom Hutchenson, Redondo Beach Russell Elwell, Coronado Ventura Quesada, Redlands

4 Clyde Conger, Vocational 190 LB. WEIGHT CLASS Bill Patten, San Diego Keith Henderson, Army-Navy John Gibson, Inglewood

Dean Parks, Redlands 225 LB. WEIGHT CLASS Jim Clark, Inglewood Dick Gilliland, Kearney Henry Mesa, Whittier 4 Charles Cascioppe, Escondido

POINT SCORING

San Diego Redondo Beach Inglewood Whittier Redlands Kearny Vocational Chino Hawthorne Escondido Army-Navy Morningside Coronado Leuzinger La Jolla

WRESTLING; PREVIOUS CHAMPIONS 1952 San Diego HS

1951 San Diego HS 1950 San Diego HS 1949 Central HS (El Centro) 1948 Central HS (El Centro)

# 1953 SWIMMING RELAYS SUCCESSFUL EVENT

The 1953 Whittier HS Swimming Relays will go down in the record book as one of the best held, since the weatherman cooperated in providing suitable temperatures for the outdoor pool and the competitors enjoyed themselves while establishing new records.

Twenty-two schools entered 172 relay teams with the result that 710 boys splashed into the pool during the afternoon. Wilson HS of Long Beach won the Class A title, while host Whittier garnered both the Class B and Class C championships.

Although swimming marks made in C.I.F., Southern Section events now compare favorably with those of any other section in the nation, 4 new records were written and 2 old records were tied in the two day event, February 24 and 27, 1953. Wilson's 4 man backstroke team set

a new mark of 2:48.6 in the prelims, and then broke that record with a 2:48.5 time in the finals. Whittier did the same when their Class C medley relay team set a new record of 59.4 in the prelims, only to lop off a full second in the finals with a superb 58.4 effort. Testimony to the continued improvement in swimming is the fact that only one record which was on the books in 1948 still stands, that being the Fullerton HS Class A 4 man breast stroke (4 x 200') mark of 2:54.4.

# SUPPLEMENTAL LIST OF APPROVED SANCTIONED EVENTS

The following list of approved sanctioned events will supplement previous lists published in the Monthly Bulletin. Each of these events has been approved by the C.I.F., Southern Section office. The host and sponsoring high school is responsible to see that each of these invitationals is held in full conformance with C.I.F.

BASKETBALL

February 27, 28-Santa Monica High School, Class "B" Invitational Tournament

March 31, April 1, 2-Puente High School, Baseball Tournament

TRACK

March 14-Long Beach Polytechnic High School, Long Beach Relays April 4-Santa Barbara High School, Santa Barbara Easter Relays

April 17-Bonita Union High School-Bonita Fifth Annual Inv.

May 23-La Jolla High School-Southwest Pacific Border Association Amateur Athletic Union Track Meet

## **TENNIS**

March 31, April 1, 2, 3, 4-Santa Monica High School, 138th Annual Dudley Cup Tourna-

May 27, 28, 29—Orange High School — 26th Annual Orange Invitational Tennis Tourna-

# GYMNASTIC CHAMPIONSHIP MEET

The 1953 C.I.F., Southern Section Gymnastic Championship Meet will be held Friday evening, April 24 at the Polytechnic High School gymnasium in Long Beach, starting at 7:30. Mr. Gordon Dooley of Poly HS will serve as meet manager.

Official Entry Blanks will be sent out to all schools within the first week in April.

1:35.4

## RESULTS OF THE WHITTIER HS RELAYS FEBRUARY 27, 1953

CLASS A 6 X 100 FREE STYLE Wilson

2 Whittier 3 El Segundo

4 Santa Ana

Polytechnic 6 Newport

CLASS A 4 X 200 BREAST STROKE 1 Polytechnic 2:56.		CLASS B 4 X 200 FREE STYLE  1 Whittier 2 Newport		2:28.9*
3 El Segundo		3 Fullerton		
4 Whittier		4 Wilson		
5 Huntington Beach		5 El Segundo		
6 Newport		6 Jordan		10
CLASS A 4 X 200 BACK STROKE  1 Wilson	2:48.5*	2:30.4—1950	record by Whittier F	iS,
2 El Segundo		CLASS B 3 X 200 MED	DLEY	
3 Whittier		1 Newport 2:04.		2:04.7*
4 Huntington Beach 5 Polytechnic		2 Whittier		
6 Inglewood		3 Downey 4 El Segundo		
*New record. Old record by Wilson HS,		5 Inglewood		
2:48.6—2-24-53		6 Jordan		
CLASS A 4 X 200 FREE STYLE	2 24 0	*Ties old record	d. El Segundo,	
1 Huntington Beach 2 Whittier	2:24.9	2:04.7—1950	E CTM E	
3 Polytechnic 1 W 2 Ne		CLASS C 6 X 100 FREE STYLE  1 Whittier		*
		2 Newport		
5 Santa Ana		3 Fullerton		
6 Beverly Hills		4 Beverly Hills		
CLASS A 3 X 200 MEDLEY 1 Wilson	1:57.9*	5 Palm Springs 6 L. B. Jordan		
2 El Segundo	1	CLASS C 4 X 100 BRI	FAST STROKE	
3 Whittier				1:30.4
4 Huntington Beach		2 Whittier		1 2 2 2 2 3
5 Polytechnic 6 Santa Ana		3 Palm Springs		
*New record. Old record by Whittier HS,		4 Beverly Hills 5 Jordan		
1:58.7—1951		CLASS C 4 X 100 BAC	K STROKE	
CLASS B 6 X 100 FREE STYLE		1 Wilson		1:27.4
1 Whittier 2 Downey	1:39.2*	2 Whittier		
3 Newport		3 Huntington Beach 4 Newport		
4 Wilson		5 El Segundo		
5 Fullerton		6 Palm Springs		
6 El Segundo		CLASS C 4 X 100 FR	EE STYLE	1.12.0
*Ties old record, Whittier 1:39.2—1952  CLASS B 4 X 200 BREAST STROKE 1 El Segundo 3:16.7 2 Whittier 3 Wilson				1:12.0
		3 Wilson		
		4 Fullerton		
		5 Beverly Hills 6 Palm Springs		
4 Downey		CLASS C 3 X 100 MEI	DLEY	
5 Polytechnic		1 Whittier		58.4*
CLASS B 4 X 200 BACK STROKE  Newport 2:59.7		2 Palm Springs 3 Newport 4 Beverly Hills		
2 Whittier 3 Downey		5 Fullerton		
4 Huntington Beach		6 Huntington Beach		
5 Inglewood			Old record Whittier I	HS,
6 Jordan		59.4—2-24-53		
TEAM SCORING				
CLASS A	CLAS		CLASS C	58
1 Wilson 50 1	Whittier	57	1 Whittier	36
2 Whittier 41 2 2 El Segundo 41 3	Newport Downey		2 Wilson 3 Newport	35
	El Segundo		4 Palm Springs	25
5 Huntington Beach 29 5	Wilson		5 Beverly Hills	21 17
6 Santa Ana 11 6	Fullerton Inglewood		6 Fullerton 7 Huntington Beach	9
7 Newport 4 7 8 Inglewood 2 8	Huntington		8 Polytechnic	6
8 Beverly Hills 2 9	Jordan	5	9 El Segundo	4
10	Polytechnic	4		
PREVIOUS CHAMPIONS				
1952 El Segundo Ho	intington Bea	ch	Huntington Beach	
1951 El Segundo W	hittier		Whittier	
1950 El Segundo El Segundo Whiteian			Whittier Whittier	
1949 Whittier Whittier 1948 El Segundo Whittier			Whittier	
1947 Beverly Hills Whittier			Whittier	
1946 Beverly Hills W	hittier		Beverly Hills	