NEW USE FOR A TWO TON TRUCK

At a track meet at the Covina High School on April 14 popular Coach, Ted Gorrell, provided a novel platform for the timers and judges. The Covina High School owns a two ton truck with a flat body. Ted had placed on the truck a group of folding chairs for the use of the timers and judges between races. The truck body was high enough to provide a good view of the races. When it was necessary for the officials to move from one finish line to another Ted became a truck driver long enough to make the move. Rocking chairs in place of the folding chairs on the truck would have made the judges stand, the most popular spot on the field.

A PROTEST IN REVERSE

It is not uncommon to receive a complaint about some condition in connection with the set-up for athletic competition which is not up to standard. It was a new one that came to the C.I.F. Office recently setting forth the alleged fact that the Riverside Jr. College and High School track, and runways for the jumps, were so fast that it was not fair to hold one of the Divisional Meets out there.

We took occasion to visit the Riverside Field on April 15 and saw the Riverside County League track meet. The track and field were in perfect condition. The day was ideal for a track meet. The Riverside County boys set a number of new records which would seem to indicate that the track and field are fast.

Jesse Mortenson, the Riverside Jr. College coach, says their track and field is going to be kept in good shape, he doesn’t care who complains. He says he won’t plow up the track or dig holes in the field to please even the C.I.F. Anyone using the field has got to take it as it is.

FOOTBALL GROUP MEETS

The Officers of the Southern California Football Association and the Commissioners who appoint football officials from the Association met at Pierre’s Cafe on Huntington Drive April 15 for a conference regarding assignment of football officials for next season. Those present were:

Walter Bell—President Association
Jim Tunney—Vice-President Association
George Costello—Secretary Association
Art Badenoch—Commissioner So. College Conference

A. W. McDermoth—Commissioner Eastern Jr. College Conference
J. P. O’Mara—Commissioner Western Jr. College Conference
Guy Daniels—Commissioner Citrus Belt League
Wm G. Lopez—Commissioner Los Angeles City Schools
Seth F. Van Patten—Commissioner C.I.F., Southern Section.

The conference was informal. Some of the topics discussed were:

1. Coordinating the work of the Commissioners.
2. Wider distribution of assignments to officiate.
3. No more than one game for an official in any one day. It is understood that this does not apply to double-header games.
4. A master schedule of assignments for each week.

Another meeting will be held early in September when definite plans will be adopted looking to closer cooperation among all the Commissioners.

C. I. F., SOUTHERN SECTION COUNCIL MEETS MAY 20

The Annual Meeting of the Council of the C.I.F., Southern Section will be held in Room 322 of the Students’ Union Building at U.S.C. on Saturday, May 20 at 9:30 P. M.

There are a number of constitutional amendments to be passed upon. Five or six important reports will be given. Officers for next year will be elected. A full forenoon’s work will be awaiting the Council when it meets. A lunch will be served for the Council and committee members.

The meetings of the Council are always open to high school principals and coaches and others interested in the work of the C.I.F.

COAST LEAGUE SWIMMING MEET

It was stated in the April Bulletin that only the Bay League and the Foothill League have regular league swimming meets to qualify boys for the Finals on May 26 and 27 at Compton. We have since learned that the Coast League will this year have a swimming meet at San Diego prior to the Final Meet.
C.I.F., SOUTHERN SECTION, TRACK AND FIELD RECORDS

Below are the C.I.F., Southern Section, Track and Field records. Last year the C.I.F., Southern Section, began the practice of presenting a gold shoe to any boy establishing a new record in any track or field event.

A boy who makes up his mind to win one of the C.I.F. shoes has set a tough assignment for himself. However, nine new records were made in 1938. Can the 1939 boys do equally well? We are going to believe they can until May 20 anyway.

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**BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIP**

The First Annual C. I. F., Southern Section, Badminton Championship was held at the Anaheim High School gymnasium Saturday, April 22. Although only four schools, Anaheim, Laguna Beach, Santa Ana and South Pasadena sent in entries, the play was spirited and the winners showed lots of ability.

Young of Santa Ana won the singles. He won from Helling of Anaheim in the first match 13-2 and 13-0. In the second round he won from Way of South Pasadena 13-3 and 13-2. In the final match he disposed of Lehmer of Anaheim 15-1 and 15-3.

The doubles were won by Lighthart and Easton of Laguna Beach. In the first round they won from Corbin and Sawyer of Anaheim 15-4 and 15-2. In the finals they disposed of Anderson and Rotenberry of Anaheim 15-0, 10-15 and 15-6.

The game of Badminton is growing very fast in public favor. A start has been made in C.I.F. competition. We anticipate that another year many more teams will be on hand to compete for honors.

By winning the doubles Laguna Beach acquired its first C.I.F., Southern Section Championship.

Mr. Dick Ryan of the Anaheim High School reports that Badminton is very popular with the adult evening classes at Anaheim. They have an enrollment of 118 on Monday nights with an attendance of about 50, and 86 are enrolled Thursday night and the attendance is about 30.

Players pay 10c an evening. Birds are furnished by the school but players supply their own rackets. The Anaheim gymnasium floor is 80 feet by 120 feet which gives room for six regulation courts.

**FEDERATED COUNCIL OF THE C.I.F. MEETS MAY 27**

The May meeting of the State Council of the C.I.F. will occur May 27 at 9:30 A.M. in Room 418 Students' Union Building, U.S.C.

Two important topics that will be up for consideration are:

1. Football playing rules
2. Insurance for injured high school athletes.

**ENCLOSURES**

One copy of the minutes of a meeting held by the State Council of the C.I.F. in San Francisco on April 5 is enclosed.

One copy of an entry blank for the C.I.F. Southern Section wrestling championships to be held at the San Diego High School on May 13 is also enclosed. Schools needing more copies will be supplied upon request to the C.I.F. Of fice.
FOOTBALL RULES COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS INTERSCHOLASTIC RULES

The football rules committee made up of Walter Bell, Art Badenoch, Bill Dunn, Bill Foote and Glenn Lewis met at the Long Beach High School Wednesday, April 19 at 2:30 P.M. All members were present. Mr. Virgil Frampton, Vice-Principal and Mr. Cecil Zaun, football coach of the South Gate High School and Mr. Van Patten of the C.I.F. Office were also at the meeting.

The committee members reported that they had each discussed the Interscholastic Football Rules with numerous coaches and others interested in high school football and that practically everyone favored the interscholastic rules over the intercollegiate rules which we have always used.

Mr. Frampton and Mr. Zaun were from a committee of the Los Angeles City Schools which is studying the Interscholastic Rules with the idea of their possible adoption by the Los Angeles schools.

It was moved by Mr. Lewis, seconded by Mr. Badenoch that the Committee recommend to the Council of the C.I.F., Southern Section at its meeting on May 20 the adoption of the football rules of the National Federation of High School Athletic Associations for the 1939 season. Carried unanimously.

TIMING AT THE DIVISIONAL MEETS

Importance

There are two outstanding reasons why accuracy of timing at our five divisional meets is important. Records made are accepted as new C.I.F., Southern Section records. Beyond the first place boy in each divisional meet others to compete in the Finals are picked on times made.

Difficulties

In timing an ordinary race a timer watches the tape and snaps his watch when the winner breast the tape. At our divisional meets the timer must in addition to operating his watch take definite note of the boy he timed, and he must also get the boy's name, school and number. The timers who time 2nd, 3rd, or 4th must work without the aid of the finish tape and must do a judge of finish work in noting the place of the boy timed.

Cautions Suggested

Watch the starter. Pay no attention to the runners. Start the watch when the smoke of the gun is seen. Watch the tape or finish line as the race ends and snap the watch as the runner finishes. Watching the race often leads to anticipating the finish and the time shown will be too fast.

Special Rules

Eight timers will be provided, if possible, for each divisional meet. This will allow for two timers on each of four places. In order that the procedure at each of the five divisional meets may be as uniform as possible head timers are asked to follow the directions given below.

1. When two timers do not agree record the median time.
2. When two timers differ by only one tenth of a second record the slower time.
3. When runners finish less than a yard apart it may be necessary to record the same time for both but the place of each in the race should be recorded. We want no ties if possible.
4. Observe as closely as possible the distance between runners. This may aid when watches seemingly disagree.
5. In all cases of seeming disagreement the head timer's decision is final.

ATHLETIC INSURANCE COMMITTEE MEETS WITH MR. ORION

The athletic insurance committee consisting of Mr. S. Chester McIntosh, Dr. George H. Bell and Mr. Seth Van Patten were called to Sacramento on Thursday, April 20 for a conference with the State Insurance Department and the legal adviser of the State School Department.

Mr. Harold B. Haas, Assistant Insurance Commissioner represented the Insurance Department and Mr. Lentz, the legal adviser of the State School Department, was present as was Mr. Orion.

The proposition of establishing a mutual benefit organization under control of our High School Principals to look after the expense in caring for boys injured in interschool games was discussed.

Mr. Haas informed the Committee that it is his opinion that an enabling act by the State Legislature will be necessary before such an organization can be legally set up. Mr. Lentz concurred in that opinion.

The form of a mutual organization now in successful operation in Wisconsin and several other eastern states was reviewed.

Mr. Haas agreed to have an amendment incorporated into one of the Insurance Department bills now before the State Legislature, to make such an organization possible.

It is the opinion of Mr. Haas that when an association is set-up it should take the form of a non-profit corporation with a board of directors made up largely or entirely of school men.

Mr. McIntosh and his committee are going ahead as rapidly as possible in working out details for the organization with the idea of presenting plans to the Principals of the State in time for final action to be taken by the State Council of the C.I.F. when it meets on May 27.
WISCONSIN ACCIDENT BENEFIT PLAN

Taken from the Wisconsin Interscholastic Athletic Association Bulletin

The Wisconsin Accident Benefit Plan adopted by the W.I.A.A. eight years ago and amended as experience suggested will be continued during the coming year under the following rules and regulations:

I. Dues. The dues for 1938-39 will be as follows:

Class A—Schools of more than 1,000...$50.00
Class B—Schools of from 600 to 1,000...40.00
Class C—Schools of from 250 to 600...20.00
Class D—Schools of from 100 to 250...15.00
Class E—Schools of less than 100...7.50

II. The 1938-39 Schedule of Benefits:

Entire sight of one eye if irrevocably lost...$200.00
Fractured pelvis...80.00
Both bones of either leg fractured between ankle and knee...75.00
Both bones of either arm fractured between wrist and elbow...60.00
Cerebral hemorrhage...50.00
Either leg fractured above the knee and in cast...50.00
Either arm fractured above the elbow...40.00
Fractured Vertebra...40.00
Either bone of either leg fractured between ankle and knee...30.00
Either bone of either arm fractured between wrist and elbow...25.00
Fractured collar bone...20.00
Fractured scapula...20.00
Fractured cheek bone...20.00
Fractured knee cap...20.00
Fractured jaw...20.00
Fractured nose...10.00
Fractured bone in hand—
radiograph required...10.00
Fractured bone in hand—no radiograph...7.50
Fractured bone in foot—
radiograph required...10.00
Fractured bone in foot—no radiograph...7.50
Fractured ribs—two or more...
(One rib only—$5.00)
Complete dislocation of joints, if injury keeps participant out of competition for a period of at least 15 days.

Knee...$15.00
Shoulder...12.50
Ankle...10.00
Arm—elbow or wrist...7.50

X-ray examination to determine fracture...5.00
(This will only be allowed in cases where request for fracture is filed and X-ray is negative to fracture.)

Dental Schedule

One chipped tooth...$2.00
Broken facing...3.00
Replacing knocked out filling...3.00
One broken tooth...10.00
Loss of one tooth...10.00
Maximum fee for one dental injury...25.00
Ordinary small fillings...2.00

Wisconsin Medical Regulations

1. Benefits on green stick fractures will be limited to half the amount listed on the Schedule.
2. A radiograph may be required on all injuries scheduled at $20.00 or more. If a radiograph is requested on other scheduled injuries, an allowance of $2.00 for each picture will be made in addition to the scheduled benefit.
3. The amount actually allowed will not exceed the itemized statement filed by the physician which must accompany every request for benefit. The listed amount is the maximum in each case.

Dental Regulations

1. If dental radiographs are requested, an allowance of $2.00 will be made in addition to the scheduled benefit.
2. In the event an injured tooth is so badly damaged that it is lost because of an injury, a maximum benefit of $20.00 will be allowed upon approval by the Dental Advisor.
3. In dental injuries where the Dental Advisor of the W.I.A.A. states that a less expensive type of filling would have been practical and would have given good service, adjustment will be made accordingly.
4. The amount actually allowed will not exceed the itemized statement filed by the dentist which must accompany every request for benefit. The listed amount is the maximum in each case.
5. Dental work must be completed before an adjustment will be made.
6. No payments will be made for dental injuries unless the required dental card was filed with the Secretary.
7. Dental benefits will not be paid for teeth reported as defective on examination unless corrected and so certified before date of injury.

"THE MAIN ISSUE IN LIFE IS NOT THE VICTORY BUT THE FIGHT. THE ESSENTIAL THING IS NOT TO HAVE WON BUT TO HAVE Fought WELL."
—Baron Pierre de Coubertin.