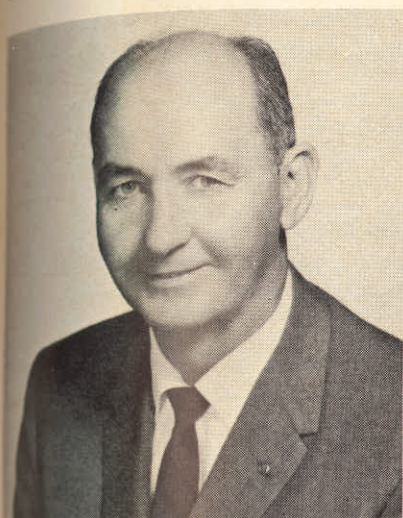


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CIF, SS, Council Salutes Veteran Educator Ashton

Robert D. Ashton, whose retirement this spring marks the end of an outstanding career of more than 40 years of service in education, was honored by the CIF, SS, Council at its May 4 meeting at Hawthorne High School.

Ashton, who has served in several capacities in the CIF, SS, for the past decade, was presented a CIF Gold Life Pass by Keith Gunn, principal of Victor Valley High School.

Among his many achievements as a member of the relegating committee, the Council and the Executive Committee, Bob was instrumental in the decision by the ABC School District to lease the property on which the present CIF, SS, office is located.

In his presentation, Gunn cited Ashton's work on the relegating committee as being an example of his attitude toward interscholastic athletics.

"After hearing everyone argue for his own cause, Bob would interrupt the conversation and say, 'All right, fellows, let's decide what's best for everyone.' In the end, that's what would be done," Gunn explained.

Ashton told Council members that he was honored with the presentation and that he hoped to get many opportunities to use the pass in the coming years.

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ARCADIA GARNERS CIF, SS, SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIP

Coach Ray Petterson's Arcadia finmen must have read the "book" before the 1968 CIF, SS, Swimming and Diving Championships at Beverly Hills High School, because the highly-favored Apaches walked off with top team honors as predicted, despite an outstanding individual performance by Lynwood's Frank Heckl, who established two new national interscholastic records.

Heckl's marks came in the 200-yard individual medley, when he clicked off a 1:42.9 clocking to erase Don Scholander's standard of 1:43.6, and the 100-yard freestyle, where a 46.3 shattered Steve Clark's record of 46.6.

Arcadia's team title was paced by the outstanding individual performances of Carter Loven, Charlie Campbell and Steve Moody. The trio accounted for a major portion of the Apaches' 45½-point output.

Second in team standings was Burbank, followed by Buena, Newport, Lynwood and Rancho Alamitos rounding out the top five.

The "B" team title was captured by Downey, while Palos Verdes nailed down the "C" crown.

C 200-YARD MEDLEY RELAY

1. Palos Verdes	1:47.4
2. Rolling Hills	1:49.5
3. Arcadia	1:50.2
4. Rancho Alamitos	1:50.6
5. California	1:51.6
6. Santa Monica	1:52.2

B 200-YARD MEDLEY RELAY

1. Downey	1:44.7
2. Costa Mesa	1:46.8
3. Monrovia	1:48.1
4. Sonora	1:48.4
5. Lasuen	1:48.8
6. Palos Verdes	1:55.6

A 200-YARD MEDLEY RELAY

1. Arcadia	1:42.2
2. Long Beach Wilson	1:43.2
3. Newport Harbor	1:43.6
4. Burbank	1:43.8
5. Palos Verdes	1:44.1
6. Norwalk	1:44.6

C 200-YARD FREESTYLE

1. Greg Carpenter, Buena	1:55.6
2. Pete Morales, Downey	1:55.9
3. Mark Rubke, Redondo	1:56.0
4. Steve Morris, Glendora	1:56.2
5. Scott Newcomb, Corona del Mar	1:56.7
6. Dick Watson, Glendora	1:56.7

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Rising Hospital Costs Force Increase in Athletic Insurance Fees

Sharply increased costs of providing hospital care, coupled with a moderate increase in medical expenses, have forced increased fees for the CIF Protection Fund's athletic coverages for the 1968-69 school year.

The football coverage fee will be \$15, while the coverage for all other sports will be \$4.25. The fees were formerly \$14 and \$3.40.

CIFPF's benefits meet and exceed the requirements of Education Code Section 31751-55, relating to mandatory athletic insurance. Total benefits available for any one injury can reach \$3,000 in medical benefit and \$3,000 in hospital benefits . . . total of \$6,000. Accidental death benefit is \$1,500.

CIFPF membership fees are set by a committee of principals and superintendents who review financial data on previous and current years claims, in order to be able to establish membership fees for the coming year. In accordance with general practice, the committee was reluctant to increase membership fees, but found no alternative in the face of rising costs of medical and hospital care. The committee maintained the present membership fees for pupil protection coverages.

William W. Russell, State CIF Commissioner & Executive Secretary of the CIFPF, stated both he and Robert E. Steuart, Administrative Assistant to Mr. Russell, would be available to attend league meetings and school district meetings to discuss the CIF Protection Fund pupil and athletic insurance programs. Invitations should be addressed to 525 E. Hyde Park Place, Inglewood 90302; telephone Area 213 678-3811.

Approximately 90% of the public high schools in California use the CIFPF for athletic coverage. The Fund is not available to private and parochial schools.

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SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIP
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B 200-YARD FREESTYLE	
1. Mike Morales, Downey	1:51.2
2. Howard Burns, Rolling Hills	1:51.3
3. Chuck Lenet, Covina	1:53.2
4. Patrick Sullivan, Pasadena	1:54.5
5. Steve Schwer, Corona del Mar	1:55.2
6. Mike Thornton, Chaffey	1:56.1
A 200-YARD FREESTYLE	
1. Frank Heckl, Lynwood	1:42.9
2. Steve Genter, Lakewood	1:46.5
3. Scott Thompson, South Hills	1:47.9
4. Carter Loven, Arcadia	1:47.9
5. Jim McConica, Buena	1:49.3
6. Doug Kirk, Lasuen	1:50.3
C 50-YARD FREESTYLE	
1. Rick Yates, Oxnard	23.3
2. Robert Montgomery, Lasuen	23.6
3. Brian Trusso, Glendora	23.9
4. Jim Self, Monrovia	24.0
5. Steve Estabrook, California	24.0
6. Steve Crum, Palos Verdes	24.4
B 50-YARD FREESTYLE	
1. Phil Omdahl, Millikan	23.2
2. Jeff Lendl, Notre Dame	23.1
3. John Pitzer, Aviation	23.3
4. Brian Berriman, Monrovia	23.4
5. Guy Burnette, Chaffey	23.6
6. Skip Barber, Burbank	23.8
A 50-YARD FREESTYLE	
1. Steve Carey, Sunny Hills	21.9
2. Al Pinson, Burroughs (Burbank)	22.0
3. Jim Puffer, El Segundo	22.5
4. Keith Donaldson, Marina	23.0
5. Jim Bourne, California	23.1
6. Bill Rogers, Newport	23.3
C 100-YARD INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY	
1. Steve Furniss, Foothill	59.0
3. Rocky Ross, Rancho Alamitos	59.5
3. Mike Carnahan, Arcadia	1:00.2
4. Wayne Layral, Hawthorne	1:00.6
5. Mark Rubke, Redondo	1:00.5
6. Dinx Murrata, Aviation	1:00.8
B 100-YARD INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY	
1. Byron Reidenbaugh, Sonora	56.1
2. Bruce Kocsis, Clement Jr. HS	56.7
3. Don Lippolot, Marina	58.3
4. Greg Feinberg, La Quinta	58.8
5. Marc Miles, Yucaipa	59.4
6. Mark Longworth, Western	1:00.4

A 100-YARD BUTTERFLY	
1. Gary Hall, Rancho Alamitos	51.8
2. Steve Cameron, La Habra	52.6
3. Robby Orr, San Gabriel	52.9
4. Steve Gieselman, Buena	54.7
5. Kris Swenson, Western	54.7
6. Doug Graham, Anaheim	56.6
C 100-YARD FREESTYLE	
1. Steve Crum, Palos Verdes	52.3
2. Robert Montgomery, Lasuen	52.4
3. Bill Shawver, Clement Jr. HS	52.4
4. Dick Watson, Glendora	52.6
5. Greg Carpenter, Buena	52.9
Eric Sorenson, La Serna	53.0
B 100-YARD FREESTYLE	
1. Phil Omdahl, Millikan	50.2
2. Jeff Lendl, Notre Dame	51.1
3. Chuck Lenet, Covina	52.6
4. Jerry Heinrich, Glendora	53.0
Jeff Tyner, Palos Verdes	53.0
6. Bill Wood, Covina	53.2
A 100-YARD FREESTYLE	
1. Frank Heckl, Lynwood	46.3
2. Steve Carey, Sunny Hills	47.3
3. Al Pinson, Burroughs	48.0
4. Dan Mathews, Muir	50.0
Doug Corrigan, Buena Park	50.0
6. Tony LaBianca, Newport	50.2
A 200-YARD INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY	
1. Gary Hall, Rancho Alamitos	1:57.3
2. John Ferguson, Burbank	2:01.4
3. Chip Furniss, Foothill	2:01.5
4. Doug Graham, Anaheim	2:06.8
5. Steve Moody, Arcadia	2:07.3
6. Neal Smith, Buena	2:08.0
A OPEN DIVING	
1. Dick Wilson, Rolling Hills	391.00
2. David Rosar, Glendale Hoover	357.75
3. Drew Medzyk, San Luis Obispo	301.40
4. Don McFarland, Burroughs	297.35
5. Robin Linfor, Kennedy	290.30
6. John Rosser, Buena	270.65
C 50-YARD BUTTERFLY	
1. Rick Yates, Oxnard	24.3
2. Steve White, Riverside Poly	25.4
3. Dave Kintas, Rolling Hills	25.7
4. Mike Carnahan, Arcadia	26.0
5. Jefferson Asher, Harvard	26.0
6. Wayne Layral, Hawthorne	26.2
B 100-YARD BUTTERFLY	
1. Chris Gammon, Costa Mesa	54.3
2. Kris Nock, Western	56.0
3. Jim Lambert, Glendora	56.9
4. Jim Jakway, Palm Springs	57.1
5. Greg Crum, Lasuen	58.0
6. Randy Buettner, Downey	58.2
C 50-YARD BACKSTROKE	
1. Steve Furniss, Foothill	27.3
2. Bill Shawver, Clement Jr. HS	27.4
3. Jim Keck, Pacifica	27.8
4. Dinx Murrata, Aviation	28.0
5. Steve Gist, California	28.4
Steve Morris, Glendora	28.4
B 100-YARD BACKSTROKE	
1. Byron Reidenbaugh, Sonora	56.1
2. Bruce Kocsis, Clement Jr. HS	57.0
3. Jim Boldt, Downey	57.5
4. Greg Feinberg, La Quinta	57.8
5. Don Lippolot, Marina	58.0
6. Glenn Gravelee, Arcadia	59.7
A 100-YARD BACKSTROKE	
1. Charles Campbell, Arcadia	54.6
2. John Ferguson, Burbank	56.5
3. Mike Banes, Norwalk	58.0
4. Dave De Grasse, Estancia	59.1
Gerry Halaska, Burbank	59.1
6. Brett Graham, L.B. Wilson	1:00.3
B 400-YARD FREESTYLE	
1. Howard Burns, Rolling Hills	3:59.1
2. David Kenyon, San Marino	4:00.4
3. Mike Morales, Downey	4:00.7
4. Tommy McLain, Servite	4:02.3
5. Craig Bowman, Garden Grove	4:06.2
6. Mike Thornton, Chaffey	4:16.4

**MINUTES OF CIF, SOUTHERN SECTION, EXECUTIVE
COMMITTEE MEETING — May 3, 1968**

The spring meeting of the CIF, Southern Section, Executive Committee was called to order by Chairman Steve Miletich, at 1:30 p.m. on Friday, May 3, 1968 in the CIF, SS, office.

The following members were in attendance: Chairman Miletich, vice principal, Beverly Hills HS; Richard H. Spaulding, principal, Buena Park HS; Claud Hardesty, principal, Santa Barbara HS; Robert D. Ashton, assistant superintendent, Norwalk-La Mirada USD; Rev. Alexander Manville, principal, Bishop Garcia Diego HS; Keith J. Lee, principal, Yucca Valley HS; Keith Gunn, principal, Victor Valley HS; Clair Franklin, principal, Trona HS; Alex Alexander, principal, Indio HS; James Faul, principal, Workman HS; Arthur Robson, assistant superintendent, Whittier UHSD; Rev. Thomas Kiefer, principal, Bishop Amat HS, and Commissioner of Athletics Ken Fagans.

1. **APPROVE MINUTES**—It was moved, seconded and carried to approve the Minutes of the Executive Committee meeting of March 9, 1968, as published in the April, 1968 Monthly Bulletin.

2. **APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP**—It was moved, seconded and carried to recommend to the Council that the following schools be admitted to membership in the CIF, SS: Dana, Foothills and First Avenue Junior High Schools of the Arcadia District, as associate members and North Park High School of San Bernardino as a regular member, effective September, 1969.

3. **PLAYOFF QUALIFICATION**—It was moved, seconded and carried that in order for Morro Bay High School to qualify for the 1968 football playoffs, Morro Bay must win five out of seven of the following games on its schedule: September 20, Gonzales High School; September 27, Santa Ynez HS; October 5, Paso Robles HS; October 12, St. Joseph HS; November 2, Junipero HS; November 9, Coast Union HS; November 16, Mission HS.

4. **BURROUGHS HS BASKETBALL REQUEST**—It was moved, seconded and carried to grant permission to Burroughs HS of China Lake, to play a basketball game with East Bakersfield HS in Bakersfield, on Saturday, November 30, 1968.

5. **BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT**—It was moved, seconded and carried to grant permission to Brethren High School to invite the Phoenix Christian High School of Phoenix,

Arizona to participate in its 1968 Christmas Basketball Tournament.

6. **300-MILE TRAVEL RULE** — It was moved, seconded and carried to recommend to the State Federated Council that our 300-mile travel rule be waived in order to permit San Marcos and Cabrillo High Schools to complete a home-and-home basketball series during the 1968 season with Santa Rosa HS.

7. **COLISEUM RELAYS** — The 1968 Coliseum-Compton Invitational Track Meet will be held in the L.A. Coliseum on Friday, June 7, which is after the completion of the State Track Meet. High school athletes have been invited to participate under the management of the Southern Section in an 8-man mile relay, high jump and the 880-yard run. It was moved, seconded and carried to approve the holding of three high school events in the 1968 Compton-Coliseum Relays.

8. **WRESTLING CHAMPIONSHIP DATES FOR 1969**—Because of a lack of adequate facilities, it was moved, seconded and carried that the 1968 CIF, Southern Section Wrestling Championship meet be held on Saturday, March 8, at Cal State Fullerton College. This would then necessitate the sectionals being held on March 1, 1969.

9. **FINANCIAL REPORT** — Mr. Keith Lee, Treasurer of the Southern Section presented a summary report showing the financial condition of the CIF, Southern Section at the end of the third quarter of the current fiscal year. He pointed out that the net income from the football and basketball play-offs exceeded our budget figures. He therefore recommended that we continue our policy of eliminating entry fees for all of our spring sports activities. It was moved, seconded and carried to accept the financial report as presented.

10. **NIGHT BASEBALL GAMES** —It was pointed out by the Commissioner that many schools are now scheduling night baseball games. At the present time we do not have a rule establishing a closing time for such contests. Recently a 16-inning game, played in the Imperial Valley, was called at 12:30 a.m., while a 19-inning game played at Anaheim, was called off at 1:30 a.m. when the automatic sprinkler system came on.

To eliminate this problem, it was moved, seconded and carried that Article XXXVI of the By-Laws be amended to provide that in any night baseball

game, no inning be permitted to start after 11:30 p.m.

11. **JUNE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING**—It was moved, seconded and carried to hold the June meeting of the Executive Committee on the weekend of June 15 and 16 at Palm Springs. The Commissioner was directed to arrange for a suitable meeting place.

12. **BASKETBALL PLAYOFFS FOR 1969**—The Commissioner reported that considerable study had been done relative to the 1969 basketball play-off format. A survey indicated that next year we will have 48 operating leagues, plus a number of free lance schools. This means that it would be impractical to continue to conduct our play-offs with the leagues grouped into three divisions.

It was therefore being recommended that the play-offs be expanded to four divisions in 1969.

The Commissioner reported that it was possible to secure the Los Angeles Sports Arena on Friday and Saturday, March 14 and 15, for the holding of the 1969 semi-final and championship play-off contests. Because the Sports Arena will accommodate nearly 15,000 fans, and because of its location which provides greater accessibility to our member schools, it was recommended that we contract for the use of the Sports Arena on the above dates.

The 1969 AAA play-offs were slated to begin on Tuesday, February 25th. This early starting date has created problems for our seven and eight team leagues as there was not enough time between the Christmas holidays and the start of the play-offs to schedule a double round. Some leagues were planning on playing a league game prior to the Christmas vacation, while others were going to schedule three league games in one week. To correct these problems, and to eliminate one Tuesday night play-off date, the following schedule for the 1969 basketball play-offs is presented for consideration:

PROPOSED SCHEDULE
"AAAA" & "AAA"
First Round—Friday, Feb. 28
Second Round—Tuesday, Mar. 4
Friday, Mar. 7
Quarter-Finals—Saturday, Mar. 8
Semi-Finals—Friday, March 14
Championship—Saturday, Mar. 14

"AA" & "A"
First Round—Tuesday, Feb. 25
Second Round—Friday, Feb. 28
Quarter-Finals—Tuesday, Mar. 4
Semi-Finals—Friday, Mar. 7
Championship—Saturday, Mar. 15
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It was moved, seconded and carried to authorize the Commissioner to contract with the Los Angeles Sports Arena for the Championship play-off basketball dates for 1969-70-71, and to approve the proposed play-off schedule as presented above.

13. SPRING FOOTBALL PRACTICE—Canyon High School of the Hart District and Royal High School of the Simi District requested permission for their football coaches to conduct spring football practice at junior high schools. Both of these are new schools, slated to open in September with 10th and 11th grade students. It was pointed out that CIF rules prohibit a senior high school coach from conducting spring practice with junior high school students. It was moved, seconded and carried to authorize the coaches from these two schools to conduct football practice for high school students transferring into their schools, but to deny them the right to include high school students in their spring practice program.

14. BASKETBALL TOURNAMENTS—The committee was asked to resolve a problem relative to sanctioning of basketball tournaments for North Torrance and Bishop Montgomery High Schools. Both of these schools are located in the same community and they both wish to conduct a basketball tournament on the same weekend in December, 1968. A review of the records indicated that both of these schools conducted tournaments on the same weekend in December, 1967, and both of the tournaments proved financially successful.

It was moved, seconded and carried to direct the Commissioner to work with the schools involved in the hopes that they could again conduct their respective tournaments on the same weekend in 1968. This would be a trial operation, and a final decision would be made at the conclusion of their tournaments relative to a continuation of future sanctions.

15. GIRLS SWIM MEET — The Commissioner reported that the New Jersey Swim Foundation was interested in sponsoring a girls' swim meet in November, 1968. Corona del Mar High School offered its facilities for such a meet and was interested in having the CIF, SS, office assist in the management of the activity.

It was the ruling of the Executive Committee that we were not in a position to sanction or assist in management of such an activity, but there was certainly no objection to Corona del Mar High School staging such a meet.

16. ELIGIBILITY CASES—

a) It was moved, seconded, and carried to waive the residence rule to permit Earl Maciel to be eligible to participate in interscholastic athletics at Gahr High School, effective September, 1968.

b) It was moved, seconded, and carried to deny the request of Gahr High School to waive our expulsion rule in order to permit Richard Nead to be eligible for athletics at Gahr High School.

c) It was moved, seconded, and carried to deny the request of Buena High School to waive our 19-year-old rule in order to permit Bill Probasco to have an additional year of athletic eligibility.

17. AREA COMMISSIONERS OF OFFICIALS—It was moved, seconded and carried to recommend to the Council that a special article be developed in our By-Laws delineating the responsibilities and duties of area commissioners of officials.

18. BASKETBALL JAMBOREE—Palmdale High School and the Anaheim District requested permission to conduct a basketball jamboree on November 30, 1968. The present rules in the Blue Book governing jamborees was not clear and after considerable discussion, it was moved, seconded and carried that Article XXXVII, Section 6, be amended to provide that a jamboree shall not count as a regular season game, but can be substituted in lieu of an inter-school scrimmage. Under this new rule it would, therefore, be permissible for these districts to conduct a basketball jamboree on November 30, 1968.

19. FREE LANCE TEAMS—Certain members of the Suburban League have encountered difficulty in completing representative schedules in gymnastics, water polo and swimming because only two or three teams in their league field teams in these sports. They requested assistance from the CIF office in joining with schools from other leagues to form special leagues in these sports.

The problem of the free lance team was discussed, and it was the feeling of the Executive Committee that the Commissioner should assist such schools in every way possible to form leagues for the purpose of conducting competition in water polo, swimming and gymnastics.

20. ELIGIBILITY OF 9th GRADE STUDENTS—Dr. Bertain, principal of Culver City High School appeared before the committee to request that our present rule be waived in order to permit 9th grade students in the Culver City Junior High School to participate on the senior high school

athletic teams. He pointed out that the Culver City Junior High School was located on the same campus with the senior high school, and that although they had separate principals, they were technically both under a director of secondary education. He further pointed out that Culver City was the only three-year high school in the Sky League, and that the member schools of that league had unanimously approved a plan to permit these 9th grade students to participate on the senior high school athletic teams.

After a thorough discussion of the matter, it was moved, seconded and carried that this request be denied because it was in violation of existing rules.

It was suggested that if the Culver City school district wished the 9th graders to compete on senior high school teams, they should change their present administrative organization so that the 9th grade could become a part of the senior high school under the senior high school principal.

21. TRANSFERS FOR ETHNIC BALANCE—A number of school districts who are attempting to gain greater ethnic balance in their high schools have encountered difficulties because of existing CIF rules pertaining to the eligibility of boys who are transferred from one high school to another. Although the committee realizes the need to secure better racial balance in our schools, it is also concerned with the fact that we must protect our athletic program by seeing that our transfer rule is fairly and strictly enforced.

After a thorough discussion of the problem, it was moved, seconded and carried to authorize the commissioner to work with the school districts involved in an attempt to help them solve their problems without upsetting the athletic balance of power in our member schools.

There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting was adjourned at 5:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

J. KENNETH FAGANS,
Commissioner of Athletics

COUNCIL SALUTES ASHTON

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"Many people have asked me what I am going to do now," Bob said. "I have many interests and hobbies, and I'll have plenty to keep me busy." He continued to say that he hoped he would get an opportunity to get back and attend an occasional Council meeting from time to time.

MINUTES OF CIF, SOUTHERN SECTION, COUNCIL MEETING, — May 4, 1968

The spring meeting of the CIF, Southern Section, Council was held on Saturday, May 4, 1968, in the cafeteria at Hawthorne High School. The meeting was called to order at 9:45 a.m., by Council President Rev. Alexander Manville, principal, Bishop Garcia Diego High School.

Mr. Dave Capelouto, vice principal of Hawthorne High School, welcomed the group to his school.

Representatives of all but the Angelus, Delphic, Foothill and San Gabriel Valley leagues were in attendance.

Also in attendance was Mr. Ted Bynum, principal of Boron High School, who will be next year's Desert Inyo League representative.

1. APPROVE MINUTES — It was moved, seconded and carried to approve the minutes of the January 27, 1968, Council meeting was published in the February Monthly Bulletin.

It was moved, second and carried to approve the minutes of the Executive Committee meeting of January 27, 1968, as published in the February Monthly Bulletin.

It was moved, seconded and carried to approve the minutes of the Executive Committee meetings of March 8, 9, 1968, as published in the April Monthly Bulletin.

It was moved, seconded and carried to approve the minutes of the Executive Committee meeting of May 3, 1968, as read by the Secretary.

2. FOOTHILL LEAGUE REQUEST—The President read a letter from the Foothill League requesting that an amendment be adopted to Article XXXXVI, Section 4, to increase the number of permitted contests in water polo from 12 to 14. The letter stated that the request was being made because, as an eight-team league, the Foothill League was not able to play a complete double-round schedule within the league under the current regulation. During discussion, it was noted that many other eight-team water polo leagues did not wish to play a double-round league schedule, preferring to fill their single-round schedules with games against non-league competition. It was further indicated that should a longer season be adopted, it would place a financial burden on smaller schools which would have to increase their schedules to conform for CIF, SS, play-off competition. It was moved and seconded to increase the number of water polo matches from 12 to 14, and the motion was defeated in a voice vote. A roll call vote was called for and showed

10 "yes" votes, 21 "no" votes and 8 abstentions.

3. RELEAGUING COMMITTEE REPORT—Mr. Steve Miletich, chairman of the releguing committee, submitted a report of his group's work toward releguing for the 1969-70 school year. He stressed that the report was merely an indication of progress and not a final recommendation. He indicated that if leagues or schools were not happy with any part of the report, they should contact their area releguing representative so that corrective measures might be taken prior to the drafting of final recommendations in September, 1968.

4. SPORTS REGULATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT—Mr. Dave Capelouto, chairman of the sports regulations committee, presented proposals from his group relative to changes in existing sports regulations pertaining to individual sports.

Mr. Capelouto explained that his group in its many meetings had attempted to update current legislation so that it might become more easily enforced and allow more liberal practices on the part of coaches of individual sports.

It was noted that the recommendations of the sports regulations committee were concerned solely with individual-participation sports rather than team sports, and as such might be considered inconsistent if adopted. Mr. Capelouto commented that his group had discussed liberalizing team sports regulations so that a coach might work with individuals on improving skills in specific areas, but that the committee wished to wait and see how the liberalization of individual sports regulations was accepted before action was taken to liberalize regulations governing team sports.

The point was made that the recommendations, as presented, might prove difficult to enforce, and Mr. Capelouto indicated that current legislation was also extremely hard to enforce and that adherence to these regulations would depend on the professional integrity of the coaches concerned.

Many representatives registered concern at the stress on specialization, the over-emphasis on these sports by certain coaches, the reluctance of coaches to accept other assignments which might keep them from pursuing their specialty, and the wording involved in the new legislation. At the conclusion of the discussion, it was moved, seconded and carried to instruct the sports regulations committee to continue their efforts along the lines in-

dictated by comments from the Council, and to prepare firm legislation for consideration no later than the Winter, 1968, Council meeting, giving league representatives time to discuss the proposed legislation with their leagues.

5. OFFICIATING FEES—Mr. Hal Butler, representing the officials fees committee, presented recommendations for final adoption by the Council. The question was raised as to how a league's enrollment, for the purpose of officials fees payment, would be determined, and the Commissioner commented that figures from the October enrollment report of the previous school year would be used. It was moved, seconded and carried to adopt the fee schedule as presented.

6. LIFE PASS PRESENTATION—Mr. Keith Gunn, principal of Victor Valley High School, was called upon to make a special presentation of a CIF, SS, Life Pass to Robert Ashton, who is retiring at the end of the current school year as assistant superintendent of the Norwalk-La Mirada Union High School District. Mr. Ashton has been a member of the Council and Executive Committee and was active as a member of the releguing committee for several years. He has also served as Southern Section representative to the State Federated Council. Mr. Ashton was instrumental in securing the site of the present CIF, SS, office on the campus of Gahr High School.

In recognition of his many years of service to the CIF, SS, and the interscholastic program, Mr. Ashton was awarded a Life Pass. He responded by thanking the Council for the presentation and commented that he planned to use it often during the coming years.

7. ELECTION OF OFFICERS—Mr. Richard Palmer, chairman of the nominating committee, supervised the election of officers for the 1968-69 school year.

Mr. Palmer announced that elected to two-year terms on the State Federated Council were Mr. Keith Gunn, principal of Victor Valley High School and Mr. Claud Hardesty, principal of Santa Barbara High School. Elected to four-year terms on the Executive Committee were Mr. Lou Joseph, principal of Desert High School and Rev. Thomas Kiefer, principal of Bishop Amat High School. Elected to fill the unexpired term of Mr. Robert Ashton was Mr. Keith Lee, principal of Yucca Valley High School.

8. 1969 BASKETBALL AND BASEBALL PLAY-OFF GROUPINGS—The Commissioner presented (Continued on page 6)

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the proposed basketball and baseball play-off groupings for 1969. He commented that since the Southern Section will include 48 leagues in 1968-69, plus qualified free-lance teams, it was necessary to expand the basketball and baseball play-offs to four divisions, rather than the customary three groups. The Commissioner noted that the "AAAA" and "A" divisions were based solely on enrollment, with the exception of the Irvine League, which was dropped to the "AAA" division. The "AAA" division was based on enrollment except for the Angelus, Camino Real and Pioneer League which have demonstrated sufficient power in the past to merit elevation to "AAA" ranking.

After some discussion as to the procedures involved in arriving at the proposed alignments, it was moved, seconded and carried to adopt the proposed play-off groupings for basketball and baseball for 1969. The Chaparral League registered a "nay" vote.

9. COMPETITION WITH MEXICAN SCHOOLS—Mr. Robert Farrell, vice principal of Brawley High School, presented a proposal to the Council from the Imperial Valley and Desert Valley League relative to scheduling competition with schools located in Mexico. Mr. Farrell commented that this proposal was aimed at promoting international relations with Mexico and the United States, resolving scheduling problems now present in the Imperial Valley and Desert Valley Leagues, and easing tense situation in predominately Mexican-American communities in the Imperial Valley and Desert Valley leagues.

Mr. Farrell, in response to questions from the Council, commented that the Mexican authorities had agreed to adopt all CIF, SS, rules and regulations concerning eligibility and exponent classification and that the proposal was a pilot program for one year and a complete evaluation would be presented to the Council at the end of that time.

The Commissioner stated that he had met with State CIF and United States authorities concerning this problem and was told that this type of program is being initiated in every area of the Nation which borders on Mexico, in an effort to cement international relations between the United States and Mexico.

After further discussion, it was moved, seconded and carried to recommend to the State Federated Council that the Imperial Valley and Desert Valley leagues be allowed to schedule non-league games with schools located

Soccer Clinic Planned at Cal State - Fullerton

A special invitation has been extended to CIF, SS, soccer coaches and interested persons to attend a soccer teaching and coaching clinic, sponsored by the Southern California Intercollegiate Soccer Association.

The clinic is scheduled for California State College at Fullerton on Saturday, September 14, 1968, beginning at 9:30 a.m.

Outstanding coaches from the college and professional ranks will present material on teaching basic and advanced skills, conditioning for soccer, offensive and defensive soccer, and the youth soccer movement. In addition, special sessions will be held for soccer officials.

Registration fee will be \$1.00 per person. Additional information on the clinic may be obtained from Mr. Edward Norman at Biola College, La Mirada 90638.

Lakewood Captures CIF, SS, Gymnastics Championship

Lakewood High, behind the outstanding overall performance of Bob Haslip, captured the 1968 CIF, SS Gymnastics Championship in convincing fashion before a capacity crowd at Long Beach Millikan High School on Friday night, May 10.

Coach Richard Flood's crew amassed 34 points to far outdistance second-place finisher Baldwin Park. Defending champion El Rancho was in fourth, behind Westminster.

Haslip had no trouble in capturing the individual high point award as he scored in three of the four events in which he participated, scoring 13½ points to defeat Brian Anderson of Westminster for the coveted prize.

In addition to winning the all-around trophy, Haslip was crowned champion in the floor exercise event and shared championship honors with Dave McCain of Mayfair in tumbling competition.

Larry Perez of El Rancho was the only repeat champion as he successfully defended his side horse title by defeating Ed Wills of Muir.

Other individual champions included Paul Ralston of Westminster (rope climb), Gary McCollom of Corona del Mar (long horse), Gary Erickson of Millikan (horizontal bar) and Jerry Iverson of Westminster (rings).

in Mexico in all sports except football.

There being no further business to come before the Council, the meeting was adjourned at 11:45 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,
J. Kenneth Fagans
Commissioner of Athletics

Gymnastics Championships

TUMBLING

1. Dave McCain, Mayfair 17.0
2. Bob Haslip, Lakewood 17.0
3. Ed Hanseith, Baldwin Park 16.9
4. John Abato, Magnolia 16.8
5. J. Abejon, Muir 16.7

ROPE CLIMB

1. Paul Ralston, Westminster 3.3
2. R. Duarte, El Rancho 3.3
3. Bob Thompson, Lakewood 3.4
4. Bob Mahorney, L.B. Wilson 3.7
5. Elshire, South Hills 3.7
- Dennis Young, L.B. Poly 3.7
- Bob McNight, Millikan 3.7

LONG HORSE

1. Gary McCollom, Cor. Del Mar 35.2
2. Bob Haslip, Lakewood 34.4
3. Brian Anderson, Westminster 34.2
4. Rick Carpenter, Millikan 34.2
5. D. Stovall, Baldwin Park 33.9

HORIZONTAL BAR

1. Gary Erickson, Millikan 17.4
2. Brian Anderson, Westminster 17.0
3. Steve Diggie, Lakewood 17.0
4. B. Kidwell, Baldwin Park 16.8
5. S. Zamora, Baldwin Park 16.6

FREE EXERCISE

1. Bob Haslip, Lakewood 5
2. Del Lightholder, Wilson 3.5
3. Gary Garrett, San Gabriel 3.5
4. J. Abajon, Muir 1.5
5. Bob Brum, Lakewood 1.5

SIDE HORSE

1. Larry Perez, El Rancho 5
2. E. Wills, Muir 4
3. Rich Godhardt, Lakewood 3
4. Stan Dye, Lakewood 2
5. G. Williams, Pasadena 1

RINGS

1. Jerry Iverson, Westminster 5
2. Bob Mahorney, Wilson 4
3. T. Villapando, Baldwin Park 2.5
4. Steve Diggie, Lakewood 2.5
5. Bob Thompson, Lakewood 1

FINAL TEAM SCORING:

1. Lakewood 34
2. Baldwin Park 19
3. Westminster 16
4. El Rancho 10.5
5. Millikan 8.25
- Wilson 8.25
7. Muir 6.5
8. California 5
9. Mayfair 4.5
10. San Gabriel 3.5
11. Magnolia 2
12. Pasadena 1
13. L.B. Poly 2.5
- South Hills 2.5

Coaching Positions Open at Poway High School

Poway High School in San Diego is in need of a head football coach, a head baseball coach and a wrestling coach, according to information received by the CIF, SS, office.

Dan M. Thompson, principal of the 1,000-student school, has requested that the CIF, SS, notify interested parties that the school is in need of new members for its coaching staff.

Applicants should note that the positions are for persons who are capable of teaching another subject as well as physical education, and that the school is utilizing a modular scheduling program.

Interested persons should contact Thompson at Poway High School, Poway, California. He may be reached by telephone at (714) 748-2000.