

C. I. F., SOUTHERN SECTION MONTHLY BULLETIN

Vol. 10

NOVEMBER, 1946

No. 3

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Only a small per cent of our schools are sending in the Post Card reports of Class A home games in football. About one half of those that are sent in are not mailed until Monday or later following the games. We must release the story each Monday of the games of the preceding week. A Post Card report should be mailed by Saturday at the latest. Will not every Principal help out?

SWIMMING AND WATER POLO COACHES MEET

The Swimming and Water Polo Coaches met at the Compton College Wednesday, October 16 at 3:00 P. M. Those present were:

Ivan J. Carey, Inglewood
Heber Holloway, Whittier
Gaelon Dooley, Redlands
James R. Smith, Fullerton
Vard Hunt, Leuzinger
U. E. Saari, El Segundo
John H. Wilson, Santa Ana
Ed Holston, Compton
Seth F. Van Patten, C. I. F. Office
Mr. Holston was chosen to preside and Mr. Van Patten acted as secretary.

Questions concerning water polo were taken up first.

It was reported that Anaheim, Compton, El Segundo, Fullerton, Inglewood, and Whittier would have teams.

It was agreed that all schools would have Class A teams and that as many as possible would have Class B or Class C or both. The following schedule was agreed upon:

December 5

Anaheim at Inglewood
Compton at El Segundo
Fullerton at Whittier

December 12

El Segundo at Anaheim
Whittier at Inglewood
Fullerton at Compton

January 9

Compton at Anaheim
Inglewood at Fullerton
Whittier at El Segundo

January 16

Anaheim at Whittier
El Segundo at Fullerton
Inglewood at Compton

January 23

Fullerton at Anaheim
Compton at Whittier
El Segundo at Inglewood

If any teams wanted to get into the schedule they were to be given convenient dates with the six schools listed above.

In no case was the schedule to go beyond January 31.

It was agreed to employ two officials for each of the above games and to pay each official ten dollars whether he officiates three, two, or one games.

The starting time for games on each date was set at 2:30 P. M.

The date of any game may be changed by the mutual consent of the two coaches concerned, but they must notify the C. I. F. Office.

Mr. Van Patten was directed to compile a list of officials and to make the assignments.

Swimming Relays

It was agreed to hold the swimming relays at Whittier High School on February 19 and 21. The preliminaries are to occur on the 19th and start at 1:30 P. M. and the finals on February 21st starting at 2:30 P. M.

The entry fee is to be \$1.00 per team per event. Medals will be given to five teams in each event. No boy may enter more than four events.

An admission fee to be announced later will be charged at the finals. No admission fee will be charged at the preliminaries.

The following events will be staged in the order given below:

1. Class C 6 x 100 feet Free style
2. Class B 6 x 100 feet Free style
2. Class A 6 x 100 feet Free style
4. Class C 4 x 100 feet Breast stroke
5. Class B 4 x 200 feet Breast stroke
6. Class A 4 x 200 feet Breast stroke
7. Class C 4 x 100 feet Back stroke
8. Class B 4 x 200 feet Back stroke

CALIFORNIA INTERSCHOLASTIC FEDERATION, SOUTHERN SECTION

THE ONEONTA SCHOOL
1955 Fremont Avenue South Pasadena, Calif.
Telephone CLevland 6-2336

Arthur H. Badenoch, Inglewood High School,
President of the Council
Brother Edwin, Cathedral High School,
Vice-President of the Council

Executive Committee
Kinter Hamilton, Principal Harvard School,
President.
B. L. Bergstrom, Principal El Monte High School
Ernest W. Fischer, Principal Chaffey High School
Normal C. Hayhurst, Assistant Superintendent
of Glendale City Schools
A. E. Konold, Principal, Santa Monica High
School
Seth F. Van Patten, Commissioner of Athletics

9. Class A 4 x 200 feet Back stroke
10. Class C 4 x 100 feet Free style
11. Class B 4 x 200 feet Free style
12. Class A 4 x 200 feet Free style
13. Class C 3 x 100 feet Medley
14. Class B 3 x 200 feet Medley
15. Class A 3 x 200 feet Medley

Open Meet

It was decided to have an open meet on Saturday, March 15 at the El Segundo High School. Preliminaries will be held in the morning and finals in the afternoon.

The events in the meet are to be the regular C. I. F., Southern Section events.

No school may enter more than three boys in any event.

The entry fee will be 25c per boy, per event.

Medals will be given to the first five boys in each event.

Championship Meet

It was agreed to recommend to the Council that the Championship Meet be held at the Anaheim High School.

The preliminaries will be Wednesday, May 7, and the finals on Friday, May 9.

Leagues having a regular swimming meet are entitled to send three boys per event to the preliminaries. The Commissioner of Athletics will arrange a free lance swimming meet at Whittier on May 2 for others to try to qualify.

Diving will be in the program as in the 1945 Blue Book.

TENNIS COACHES MEET

A general meeting of tennis coaches was held

at the C. I. F., Southern Section office on Saturday, October 12 at 10:00 A. M. Those present were: John H. French, Beverly Hills; R. E. Horne, Mark Keppel; Frank L. Jorgensen, Santa Paula; Keith Lee, Compton College, Lower Division; Arthur L. Nunn, Fullerton; Ray Warren, Orange; Robert Wormser, Santa Barbara; and Seth F. Van Patten, C. I. F. Office. Harold Chambers of Orange was present in an unofficial capacity.

Though the number of coaches present was small, the spread was very satisfactory and the meeting represented Southern California very well.

B & C Tennis Tournaments

It was decided informally that the B & C Tournaments for 1947 be held on two successive Saturdays in April. It was decided if possible to finish both the B & C tournaments through the quarter-finals the first Saturday and to play the semi-finals and finals the second Saturday. It was decided that no boy should be asked to play more than three matches on any Saturday. If matches were short and easy, a boy might volunteer to play an extra match in order to reach the semi-finals the first day.

B & C Team Championships

It was moved by Mr. French and seconded by Mr. Wormser that a point score be kept and the team having the most points be declared the champion in Class B and Class C for the year.

The plan proposed was to limit the entries from any school to two singles players and to two doubles teams. For each player entered one point be awarded. This would give a possible six points for the team entered. Then for each match won in singles one point would be given to the team. For each doubles match won, two points would be awarded the winning team. The team having the largest point score at the end of the tournament would be awarded the championship.

The motion was carried unanimously.

It was the opinion of those present that awarding a team championship would stimulate interest in B & C tennis. Every school will be encouraged to enter a maximum (6) number of players.

Chairman for Seeding

Mr. Warren of Orange spoke of the importance of seeding as many of the best players as possible in these tournaments. Moved by Mr. Horne seconded by Mr. Jorgensen that Mr. Warren be made chairman of a seeding committee of five for the year 1947. Mr. Warren was to choose the four other members of

the committee. The motion was carried unanimously.

It was decided to hold the B & C tournaments at Mark Keppel High School in 1947. Mr. Horne reported that he thought it might be possible to arrange to have lunch served for the players at the Mark Keppel High School. Mr. Horne and Mr. Van Patten were made a committee to explore the possibilities of having lunch served.

Approval for Southern California Tournaments

Mr. French spoke of the requirement that all high school players who compete in Southern California Tennis Association Tournaments be approved by their principal. It was agreed to ask the Southern California Tennis Association to instruct its members to have a place for the high school principal to sign on the entry blank.

It was the opinion of those at the meeting that this requirement should be waived during the summer months.

Tennis Clinics

It was moved by Mr. Horne and seconded by Mr. Jorgensen to have Mr. Van Patten explore the possibility of setting up some tennis clinics for coaches and players of Southern California. Carried.

Invitational Tournaments

Mr. Nunn of Fullerton announced the revival of the Fullerton Fall Tennis Tournament. Only singles are played in this tournament. The date for the 1946 tournament is November 29th and 30th.

Mr. Warren announced the Orange Tournament for the final week in May. Champions are ruled out of this tournament. Only 32 boys may compete.

The meeting ended at 12:00 noon.

CROSSCOUNTRY MEET WANTED

Glendale High School is looking for a cross-country meet. Any high school that is interested should communicate with Jack Gaines, Director of Athletics at Glendale.

BASKETBALL HANDBOOK

We are enclosing a copy of the Basketball Handbook for 1946-1947. This book comes to us through the courtesy of Mr. H. V. Porter

of the National Federation office in Chicago. We ask that the book be delivered to the basketball coach.

FULLERTON TENNIS TOURNAMENT

The Fullerton High School will stage its twentieth annual tennis tournament on November 29 and 30. This tournament was not held during World War II and is now being revived. A large entry list is expected. Mr. Arthur Nunn will be in charge.

RULE OMITTED FROM 1945 BLUE BOOK

A note in Rule (e) in the 1940 Blue Book was omitted from the 1945 Blue Book. The note which reads as quoted below is still in force.

"For crediting purposes the semester closes on the last day of school in the given semester. For playing contests one semester does not end until the next one begins."

SCHEDULING COULD HAVE BEEN BETTER

Due no doubt to the many changes in leagues at the end of last year, the football schedules for 1946 were subject to many changes. These changes made it difficult to assign officials at the start of the season. We hope all leagues will give extra effort to the question of basketball, and baseball schedules during the coming seasons.

DIRECTORY CARDS

Twenty-four of the 1946-1947 Directory Cards have not been received at the C. I. F. Office. We use these cards almost daily. We need them. If the Principal has the card for his school at his desk, he is asked to fill it out and send it in. Please.

STOP-WATCHES BOUGHT

The C. I. F. Southern Section recently pur-

chased twenty-five, fifteen jeweled Elgin Stop-watches. These watches were a surplus war commodity. These watches are a continuous movement variety such as the International Olympic organization requires in its contests.

Before closing the deal for the watches, one was taken to a very competent jeweler. He pronounced the watch a fine specimen of the Elgin Watch Company high grade merchandise. When told the purchase price, the jeweler said, "You are not buying watches, you are stealing them."

These watches will be used frequently in our track and swimming programs, and especially in the swimming preliminaries and in the divisional meets in track.

FLORDIA'S BULLETIN

Florida High School Athletic Association has started issuing a printed monthly bulletin. Heretofore their bulletins have been mimeographed. The Florida Association is also employing a full time Executive Secretary.

We are glad to see Florida expanding. Congratulations.

DONT MAKE EXCUSES. MAKE GOOD.

WRESTLING COACHES MEET

The wrestling coaches of C. I. F., Southern Section schools were called together at Whittier High School on Saturday, October 26 at 12:30 P. M. Those present were:

Frank Crosby, San Diego High School

Algy L. Lambert, Kearny High School

Ivan O. Olsen, San Diego Vocational High School

G. E. Spencer, El Centro High School

Walter R. Wegner, Whittier High School

Seth F. Van Patten, C. I. F. Office

Mr. Wegner acted as chairman of the meeting and Mr. Van Patten as secretary.

The question of how to cut down the time it takes to run off the final meet was discussed at great length.

It was moved by Mr. Olson and seconded by Mr. Spencer that four divisional meets be held one week prior to the final meet; one in San Diego, one in Imperial Valley, and two in Los Angeles County. The motion was unanimously carried.

It was moved by Mr. Spencer and seconded by Mr. Olson that the winner only from each divisional meet be allowed to enter the final meet. The vote was four to one. Mr. Crosby voted in the negative.

It was pointed out by Mr. Crosby that any school might have the two best wrestlers in any weight yet, by the method proposed, the second man could not enter the final meet.

It was agreed without motion to recommend to the Executive Committee that the final meets follow the given rotation for the next four years:

1947 at Whittier

1948 at San Diego

1949 at Imperial Valley

1950 at Los Angeles County

It was agreed that for 1947 the four divisional meets be held on March 15 and the final meet be held March 22.

The formal meeting adjourned at 1:45 P. M.

WRESTLING MEET APPROVED

The Southern Pacific A. A. U. Novice Wrestling Tournament to be held on December 7, 1946 at the Whittier Recreational Gym has been approved by the Commissioner of Athletics, for C. I. F., Southern Section competition. High school boys entering this meet must represent their schools, or enter unattached. They may not represent any outside team. The penalty for so doing would be disqualification from high school competition for the rest of the school year.

CROSSCOUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIP

The crosscountry championship will be held on December 14 at the Long Beach Recreation Park near the Woodrow Wilson High School. Interest in crosscountry running is wide spread this year. A large entry list is expected. Entry blanks will be sent to all schools with the December Bulletin.