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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

The Executive Committee met in the C. I. F., S. S. Office Saturday, October 5 at 10:00 A. M. Those present were: John Alman, President—South Pasadena Ernest Fisher—Chaffey Kinter Hamilton—Harvard S. Chester McIntosh—Puente H. J. Moore—Woodrow Wilson

The meeting lasted two and a half hours and the entire time was spent in discussing questions of eligibility and making interpretations and some corrections in the tentative constitution that was sent out the first of September. All interpretations and all rulings in regard to eligibility were informally arrived at, the agreement being unanimous in every case.

ELIGIBILITY CASES—Case I

Larry Valero attended the Bonita High School during the school years 1933-34, and 1934-35. He was a letter man at Bonita both years. His Mother has for some time been living in Placentia. She had lived there while Larry attended school in Bonita. Larry is not attending school at Valencia High School. He was ruled ineligible for competition at the Valencia High School because no evidence was submitted to show that he had changed school because of a change of residence of his Mother.

Case II

A boy attended the Sweetwater High School during the first semester 1934-35. He was a letter man in football. At the beginning of the second semester, February 1935, his parents moved into the Grossmont district. The boy entered the Herbert Hoover High School in San Diego with the permission of the Grossmont and San Diego School Districts. He lived at home with his parents in the Grossmont District. At the beginning of the present semester he transferred to the Grossmont High School. He enrolled in Herbert Hoover High School last semester in order to take courses not offered at Grossmont. He was ruled ineligible for this semester because of having changed schools without a change of residence of his parents.

Case III

Wallace P. Slattery attended the Wilson Junior High School in San Diego during the school year 1928-29. He attended the San Diego Senior High School during the year 1929-30 and during the first semester of the year 1930-31. During the second semester of 1930 and the year 1931-32 he attended as a part time at the San Diego High School taking printing only. During the years 1932-33, 1933-34 and first semester of 1934-35 he did not attend school. During the past semester ending in June 1935 he took a full course at the Herbert Hoover High School in San Diego. The Committee ruled that the present semester in school is the boy's 7th semester

and that he is now ineligible so far as semesters of attendance are concerned. The three semesters when he was in the San Diego High School as a part time student taking printing only do not count as semesters of residence in the high school.

BOARDING PUPILS IN PREPARATORY SCHOOLS

The following amendment was added to the constitution during the year 1931. It was omitted from the tentative constitution sent out the first of September. We have no record of it having been repealed. The Executive Committee ruled that it is still in force.

"A pupil who transfers to a Preparatory School as a boarding pupil becomes eligible at once providing the authorities of the Preparatory School assume the responsibility of guardianship of the pupil while he makes his home at the school. He must have been eligible according to the rules of the C. I. F., S. S. in the school from which he transferred and file a copy of his transfer in the office of the C. I. F., S. S. for the above provision to apply.

The following paragraph should have appeared in the Constitution in connection with golf regulations: An Amateur and a Profession in Golf Defined

The definition of an amateur and a professional in golf shall be that which appears in the 1931 edition of the Rules of Golf of the Southern California Golf Association, pages 77 to 80, except that a high school golfer may carry clubs for hire until he is twenty-one years of age without losing his amateur standing in high school golf or any other high school sport.

High School golfers are warned that the Southern California Golf Association will rule them professionals in golf if they carry clubs for hire after they reach the age of eighteen years.

High school golfers who compete in tournaments where money prizes are offered must before competing file a declaration in writing with the C. I. F. S. S. Office and tournament officials indicating whether they are competing as an amateur or as a professional. Failure to do so will be deemed cause for disbarment from further high school golf matches.

CONSTITUTIONAL INTERPRETATIONS

Page 6, article IV, rule (a) — A boy may not compete after he reaches his twentieth birthday. This rule is now in force in the C. I. F., Southern Section.

Page 12, article XIV, paragraph 1 reads in part as follows: "The following are to be the maximum uniform fees for athletic officials. Exceptions are subject to adjustments by the Athletic Commissioner."

An interpretation of the last sentence was requested by Mr. House, Principal of El Centro High School.

The Executive Committee ruled that the Commissioner of Athletics is not provided to make exceptions to the scale set in any case other than where unusual mileage is involved. Officials going from San Diego to Imperial Valley; officials going from the Los Angeles area to San Diego County,

## SUN DOWN HOUR

For the remainder of the football season the sundown hour for Los Angeles on Friday of each week is given below. This informatoin was obtained from the U. S. Weather Bureau in Los Angeles.

October 18 — 5:16 P. M.  
October 25 — 5:08 P. M.  
November 1 — 5:01 P. M.  
November 8 — 4:55 P. M.  
November 15 — 4:49 P. M.  
November 22 — 4:46 P. M.  
November 29 — 4:44 P. M.  
December 6 — 4:44 P. M.  
December 13 — 4:45 P. M.

## ANNUAL DUES — Article XXVI of the new Constitution

Annual Dues are now payable. They become delinquent after November 1, 1935.

Last school year's A. D. A. should be used in determining the amount of this year's dues.

Checks for dues should be made payable to the C. I. F., Southern Section and mailed to the League Representative who will send the same to the C. I. F., Southern Section.

In calling attention to the Annual Dues, which this year for the first time in the existence of the C. I. F., Southern Section, became a Constitutional feature of its set-up, the Executive Committee advised that Principals and Coaches be reminded of what schools get in return for dues paid.

The rules, regulations, precedents, and traditions of the C. I. F., Southern Section are the result of a quarter of a century, of trial and error, experiment, study, and planning by Coaches, Principals and Administrators in our Southern California High Schools.

Our methods of procedures are probably not 100% perfect for present conditions but they are the best that honesty, industry and good sportmanship have been able to devise. They are fundamental for every member school of the organization.

If every school abides strictly by C. I. F. rules and regulations and insists that every other school with which it has interscholastic regulations does the same no one may suffer any injustice.

It is the firm purpose of those in charge of the administration of the affairs of the C. I. F., Southern Section to assist in every way possible in furthering the ideals of the organization.

To every high school Coach, Principal or Administrator, membership in the C. I. F., Southern Section affords an indispensable background.

The high school student body can be told — "We are members of the C. I. F. and must follow its rules in our interscholastic affairs," and the case is settled.

The street corner interfeerer, the newspaper, the parent, the chamber of commerce, the service club, and even the Board of Education can be told the same thing and the Principal is protected.

Where the coach has not yet attained to the administrative view point the Principal has the same help in lining things up properly.

To the Principal:

The C. I. F. is your organization. You created it. You control it. Your support and your Annual Dees are needed to make it function effectively.

to Riverside County, to San Bernardino County, to Ventura County and the Counties farther north are entitled to proper mileage and to proper allowance for the extra time required in traveling. The Commissioner of Athletics is authorized to make such adjustments.

Page 10, article XII, A number of schools have asked for an interpretation of fractional measurements in classifying boys under the new three-point system.

The Executive Committee ruled that fractions of months are not to be considered in counting a boy's age.

For example; A boy who is 11 years 2 months and 15 days old is to be counted as 11 years and 2 months and his age exponent will be 22.

In measuring the height of a boy fractions of less than  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch are not to be considered. For example; A boy whose height is  $49\frac{3}{8}$  inches is to be counted 49 inches and his exponent will be 23. If his height is  $49\frac{5}{8}$  inches it is counted the same as  $49\frac{1}{2}$  inches.

In counting the weight of a boy fractional pounds are not to be considered. For example; A boy whose weight is  $96\frac{3}{4}$  pounds, is to be considered the same as 96 pounds, and his weight exponent will be 15.

## CORRECTIONS TO WORDING OF THE CONSTITUTION

Page 2, article II, section III. — After the word California in the first line insert the word "public." At the end of this section add the following sentence. "High Schools, other than public High Schools, may become members upon a favorable vote of the Council."

Page 7, article V, paragraph VI. — Change the next to the last sentence to read, "They are to be weighed and measured within two weeks of the time of their enrollment."

Page 10, article XII, paragraph II and III. — Strike out the last sentence in each paragraph.

Page 11, article XII, paragraph VII. — In the fourth line change the word "semester" to "year," and strike out the remainder of the sentence, and add at this point "boys entering school after the regularly weighing in period shall be weighed and measured within two weeks of the time of their enrollment."

Page 11, article X, paragraph IX. — Change the word "semester" to "school year".

Page 13, article XVI, paragraph V. — The first sentence should read — "In case of a tie at the end of a play-off football game one point shall be awarded to the team that has made the most first downs."

## PLAY-OFFS IN FOOTBALL FOR 1935

As provided in article XVI, section VI of the constitution the Executive Committee designated the six following leagues as the ones that may be classed as candidates for the major group. Bay League—Coast League—Foothill League—Citrus League—San Gabriel League—Orange League. These leagues in the order named are to be given preference in picking the four for the major group. If more than four other leagues of Southern California desire to enter the major group's play-off the Commissioner of Athletics must eliminate all but four by pairing the teams for games the Saturday before Thanksgiving. The number in the major group must under no circumstances exceed 8 when the play-off proper starts on Saturday, November 30.

The Commissioner of Athletics will determine not later than November 9 whether other teams not included in the major group wish to arrange for play-off games after the regular season. A play-off may be arranged for a group of teams either in the South, the East or the North is such is requested.