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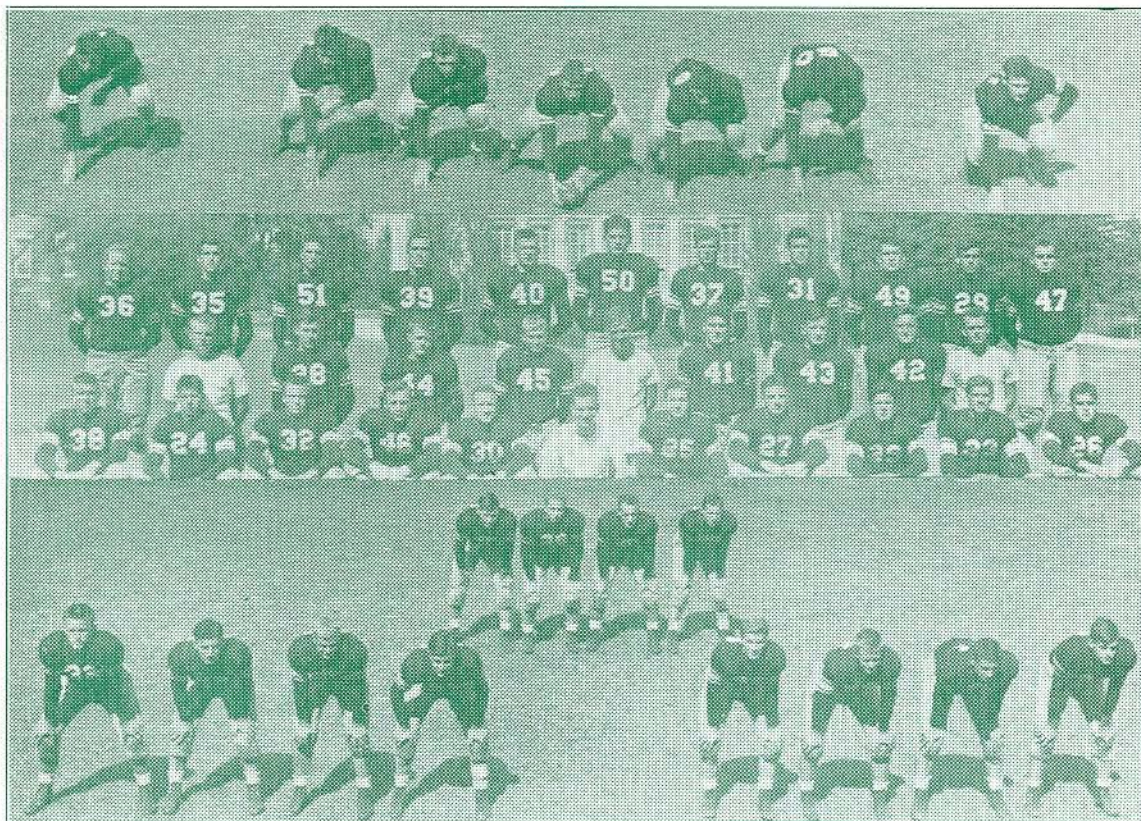
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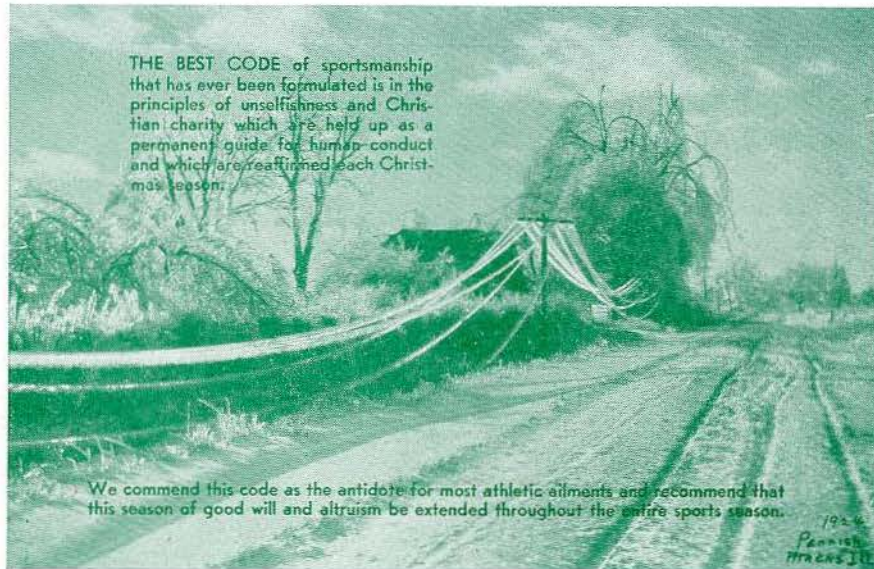


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To You and Yours at Holiday Time

The welfare of the nation depends on the health and happiness of the millions of honest and courageous people who go about their everyday way of living regardless of reported social and economic upheavals or threatened reversals in the orderly progress of civilization. The first and last lines of defense are in the moral fibre of these people. Morale is high during the holiday season because attention is centered on the contribution that can be made to the happiness of family, friend and neighbor. The nation is safe and strong when this united feeling of good will prevails because it is in such an atmosphere that human beings grow and develop.

It is the great privilege of those engaged in school work to be important agents in the promotion of this holiday phenomenon and in the extension of its influence to the days which follow. There is no more important work than this, for it is the foundation of the American way of life.

Your officers in the State High School Association pay their tributes to the constructive work you, our co-workers, have done in your own communities during 1940 and send herewith

Cordial Best Wishes for 1941 To You and Yours

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From the President's Office

The typical athlete as revealed by correspondence with those who are seeking a ruling on his eligibility is as puzzling as was the blind men's elephant, but certain characteristics stand out if one views him from close range, while other and quite opposite qualities are seen from a distance.

For the close-up view, let us hear from the boy's principal or coach: To these officials, the boy is just a scrub, possibly the 23rd man in the football squad or the 12th on the basketball team. The player is not only poor in athletics, but also poor in purse. Probably he is an orphan, or if his parents are living, he must support both himself and them. That's why he must get the job which the home boys would like to have but which, of course, they do not need.

The principal and coach are interested in him only because they are builders of character. Athletics give them their opportunity to save this boy. If the boy is eligible, he will be saved. He will remain in school, associate with the right persons, perhaps get his chance to go to college. It would be a rank injustice to deny him these opportunities. If there is a rule against him it should be waived in his particular case. If he is declared ineligible—well, why should one paint such a picture.

You are right in suspecting that the coach of the neighboring school is the source of our remote view. He ought to know his man, if current gossip is to be believed, because it is said that he himself tried to get this same athlete to attend his school. He reports that the boy is a star who can make anybody's ball club, that he lives in comparative luxury with free board, has a job at the local filling station at which he doesn't work, and a N. Y. A. allowance. In the coach's judgment, the player is clearly ineligible and it would be a rank injustice to permit him to play against any who love honor, good sportsmanship and fair play.

And now granting that all the school officials involved are upright men and true, which story will you believe and who is factually in error?

Recently we showed our confidence in and respect for one of our football officials by selecting him for a very important assignment. After his selection was announced it was called to our attention that he and the head coach, whose selection the Board had delegated to others, were members of the faculty of the same high school. Although we still had complete confidence in the official of our own choosing, we believed that it was not good policy for him to accept the assignment. When a suggestion to this effect was made to him, his reaction brought about a situation which caused the Board to recall the appointment. In spite of all our assurances of esteem, this official, it appears to us, chose to believe that his integrity had been questioned. We regret that it appeared so to him, and that others joined him in this belief. Certainly the Board had no desire to question his honesty or to do him an injustice.

Financial institutions select their employees very carefully, but after they have exercised every care to

select honest, upright men, they take further precaution by having these employees bonded. The institution says to the employee in effect: "We have complete confidence in you, that is shown by the fact that you have been selected for this position of trust, but we can't be quite sure about you so we are going to require you to give bond for the faithful performance of your duties. No one gets angry—no one feels that his honor or honesty has been questioned. Everyone recognizes this is an accepted business policy.

By the same token, we believe that it should be a generally accepted policy not to permit officials to work in games in which their own coaches or teams are interested. The policy does not lessen our confidence in the character of our officials; it is a precautionary measure to avoid even the appearance of evil. It shields our officials from some unjust criticisms and removes the cause for imaginary grievances.

It is interesting to note the ages of the members of the All-American football teams that are currently being announced. On one such team chosen by a national agency are two players who are twenty years of age, four who are 21, four who are 22, and one who is 25 years old. Ten of the All-American players completed high school when they were 18 or younger. One of the greatest of them, Tom Harmon of Michigan, was 21 last September.

Only one ruling needs to be emphasized this month. It is this: an athlete who is ineligible this semester cannot possibly become eligible before Monday morning of the second semester. Athletes who are now in their eighth semester will retain their eligibility thru Saturday night of the last week of this semester unless they are barred by the age rule.

The third all-star game is now a fact of history. The brave souls who defied the weather saw a very interesting game. It was unique in that the teams scored in every way it is possible for teams to score: a field goal, a safety, a touchdown, and a point after touchdown. The 44 all-stars gathered from the four corners of the state included the best football material we have seen in many years. The game was an outstanding sporting event and the proceeds of ticket sales supplements the support of one of our noblest charities, that sponsored by the Shriners for the treatment and cure of crippled children.

We like the game, but there are many unsolved and difficult problems connected with it. Who should select the teams and who should pay the traveling expenses of these selectors, who should select the coaches, who should manage the game, are questions to which we have heard many answers but there appears to be no majority opinion. It is granted that the Shriners of Oleika Temple have done a most satisfactory job in their ticket sales, in the program advertising, and in their entertainment of the boys who are brought to Lexington to be trained for this game. Satisfactory answers must be found to these other debatable questions if the game is to survive.

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THE COVER PICTURE

1940 Varsity Football Team, Eastern Kentucky State Teachers College, Richmond, Kentucky.

An outstanding team with a great record.

Reading left to right, top row: Travis Combs, Harlan; Ber Rasnick, Barbourville; Ted Benedett, Wheeling, W. Va.; Robert Goosens, Kewanee, Ill.; Francis Haas, Newport; Ora Tussey, Portsmouth, O.; Larry Lehmann, Ft. Thomas; Fred Darling and Ralph Darling, Gloucester, O.; Frank Flanagan, Richmond; Bill Hickman, Covington.

Middle row: Buford Griffith, trainer, Carrollton; Bert Smith, Millfield, O.; Roy Buchaus, Princeton, Ill.; Joe Bill Siphers, Benham; John Rose, trainer, Corbin; Charles "Chuck" Schuster, Chicago, Ill.; Harold White, Ashland; Walter Mayer, Cold Spring; Bill Brown, Fullerton, manager.

Bottom row: Harold Yinger, Jackson, O.; Nelson Gordon, Richmond; Clifford Tinnell, Covington; Warren Grob, Baldwin, Ill.; Bill Cross, Oneida, Tenn.; Gayle McConnell, manager, Forks of Elkhorn; Wyatt "Spider" Thurman, captain, Benham; George Ordich, Midland, Pa.; Robert Mowat, Benham; Al Dressman, Covington; Kenneth Perry, Lawrenceburg.

DEVELOPMENTS IN THE STATES

NEVADA: Nevada is the latest state to officially adopt the interscholastic football rules. They will use the interscholastic code in 1941. This makes three additional states which made adoption during the current year. There are now 28 states using the interscholastic code.

MISSOURI: This month the Palm Leaf and/or Olive Branch goes to Secretary Carl Burris and his Missouri Board of Control. Even though the state does not have a full time secretary, nor a financially successful state series of tournaments, they have been doing many of the things which characterize the states which have both. Their latest progressive step is the inauguration of a full sized illustrated state bulletin called the "Missouri Athlete." Heretofore, the state has published a small bulletin at more or less irregular intervals. The new November number is attractive and efficiently made up. Congratulations to Burris, Riley, Shepherd, et al.

KANSAS: The Kansas State High School Association is the first state to announce that the state finals will be played on courts equipped with the new type backboard. These backboards will also be used wherever possible for the lower tournaments. A great many of the high school conferences in that state have already changed to the new type backboard. The Big Six University Conference has also made the change. Minnesota and Illinois have announced that the new boards may be used in state sponsored tournaments at the discretion of the local tournament manager.

WYOMING: Without any dissenting vote, the Wyoming State Association Council adopted the new type basketball backboard for all state sponsored tournaments.

ELIGIBILITY TRENDS: During the fall, a number of the annual meetings have been held and in several cases further steps were taken to set definite time limits for the various sports and definite travel limits for meets and tournaments. Here are a few illustrations:

Wisconsin adopted a by-law which specifies that the football season shall begin on September 1st and end on December 1st. The basketball season must end on April 1st. Illinois voted on a proposal to eliminate spring football practice but the motion was tabled in order that slight changes might be made in the wording of the proposal. Two significant actions were taken by Illinois. No interstate meets or tournaments in either athletic, literary or music activities are to be sanctioned by the state association and consequently no member school may participate in such meets. The board of control is given discretionary authority to make exceptions for certain meets which are purely of a community nature and which do not involve extensive travel. In effect this means that the state can not have representatives in regional band contests, or national forensic contests or track meets which are intersectional in character. The other important action makes it possible for private and parochial schools which are affiliated members to participate in all meets and tournaments under conditions specified by the state board of control. Heretofore, such schools might engage in single games with member high schools but they were not permitted to enter any of the athletic tournaments or meets.

I WANT TO....

I have to live with myself, and so
I want to be fit for myself to know,
I want to be able, as days go by,
Always to look myself straight in the eye;
I don't want to stand with the setting sun,
And hate myself for the things I've done.
I don't want to keep on a closet shelf
A lot of secrets about myself
And fool myself, as I come and go,
Into thinking that nobody else will know,
The kind of man I really am;
I don't want to dress myself in sham.
I want to go out with my head erect;
I want to deserve all men's respect;
And here in the struggle for fame and pelf
I want to be able to like myself.
I don't want to look at myself and know
That I'm bluster and bluff and empty show.
I never can hide myself from me;
I see what others may never see;
I know what others may never know;
I never can fool myself, and so,
Whatever happens, I want to be
Self-respecting and conscience-free.

—Author unknown.

From the Secretary's Office

REPORTS NOW DUE

1. 1940 Football Participation List.
2. School's Report on Officials (Football).
3. Official's Report on Schools (Football).

The following schools have joined the Association since the publication of the November issue of the magazine. The list was compiled and sent to the printer on December 5th. Schools joining in December may present their certificates as evidence of membership if they engage in athletic contests before the January supplementary list appears.

Arlington	England Hill	McAfee (Har-
Bradiordsville	(R. 1, Catletts-	rodsburg)
Buckeye	burg)	Mortons Gap
(Lancaster)	Guthrie	Niagara (R. 3,
Buena Vista	Hebbardsville	Henderson)
Charleston(Daw-	Hustonville	Onton
son Springs)	Kyrook	Robards
Columbus	LaGrange	Rose Hill
Corydon	Lebanon	St. Augustine's
Crestwood	Little Rock	Soldier
Dalton	(R. 3, Paris)	Spottsville
	Lone Jack	
	(Fourmile)	

SUPPLEMENTARY LIST OF REGISTERED BASKETBALL OFFICIALS

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 Aker, Gay, Science Hill.
 Alexander, Samuel M., Marrowbone.
 Baker, Wilford B., Birmingham.
 Baril, Chas. A., Y. M. C. A., Frankfort.
 Barrett, Monroe E., Booneville.
 Bryant, Chas. H., 209 E. Washington Street, Glasgow.
 Cain, George E., Jackson.
 Calvert, W. E., Dawson Springs.
 Campbell, Geo. H., 116 Winchester Ave., Middlesboro.
 Cardwell, Ray, Route 3, Madisonville.
 Carter, Lawrence, Evarts.
 Cason, Joe D., 122 South Main Street, Hopkinsville.
 Caylor, Ed L., N. Main Street, Monticello.
 Cobb, Emerson, Barbourville.
 Cocanougher, Everett, Washington.
 Cole, Charles T., 113 N. Maple Street, Somerset.
 Colston, Richard, 509 W. Oak Street, Louisville.
 Colwell, Robert W., 6673 Doon Avenue, Cincinnati, O.
 Combs, Mortin, Carr Creek.
 Cooper, R. L., 406 South Eighth Street, Murray.
 Cottrell, W. A., 110 Military Street, Georgetown.
 Crider, J. E., III, Darby Street, Princeton.
 Crooks, Johnnie F., Columbia.
 Cunningham, Elmer, Switzer.
 Dalzell, Edward, Y. M. C. A., Paris.
 Damico, Ernie, 2301 Boone Street, Cincinnati, Ohio.
 Dameron, Burgess, 2408 Winchester Avenue, Ashland.
 Daniel, Clifton, Hazard.
 Deaton, Charles, Scuddy.
 Deskins, Tilden, Praise.
 Dunigan, T. H., Annville.
 Ellis, Leslie M., West 2nd Street, Central City.
 Elrod, Turner, Main Street, Irvine.
 Evans, Foster, Box 223, Fullerton.

Farmer, Jack, London.
 Farris, Abe, Sunfish.
 Fiser, J. Ernest, Benton.
 Fritts, Ray, High Splint.
 Fuller, Roger L., College Station, Murray.
 Fulton, Elmer D., Route 2, May's Lick.
 Gaines, Wilfred, Bradfordsville.
 Galusha, Wilson, Water Street, Eddyville.
 Gardner, W. Major, West Liberty.
 Garnett, Sam, 409 E. Main Street, Hazard.
 Gibson, Jas. O., Hardinsburg.
 Gibson, Willard, Frankfort.
 Gilliland, Jason B., Stanford.
 Goheen, Robert, Birmingham.
 Goranflo, Emmett, 314 Lexington, Harrodsburg.
 Graviss, George R., 330 South Limestone, Lexington.
 Guastini, Herman, Beacon and Short Dr., Mt. Wash-
 ington, Cincinnati, Ohio.
 Hall, Elvis, McHenry.
 Hamilton, Kern, 315 South Limestone, Lexington.
 Hammons, Arnold, Barbourville.
 Hanson, W. H., Millersburg.
 Hayes, Orville, Isonville.
 Heatherly, J. Foster, 217 Main Street, Danville.
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 Horning, Ralph, Sturgis.
 Howle, C. P., 508 Maple Avenue, Mayfield.
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 Hurt, Buford, Golden Pond.
 James, Emerson, Hitchens.
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 Jennings, James Lloyd, 507 South 19th St., Paducah.
 Jones, Morris, 530 E. Clay Street, Clinton.
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 Juett, James G., College Station, Murray.
 Johnson, Malcolm, Olive Hill.
 Kemerer, J. Paul, 1206½ South 7th Street, Ironton, O.
 King, Thomas E., Route 4, Hopkinsville.
 Kirkland, Kelly, Gravel Switch.
 Kraesig, Raymond, 34 17 Duncan, Louisville.
 Lee, Bobbie, Shepherdsville.
 Lewis, Thomas A., Pleasureville.
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 McDaniel, Chalmers, Viper.
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 Moore, Wm. A., Central Park, Louisville.
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 Mutchler, Bradford D., 314 Montague, Franklin.
 Oakley, Carlos, Hawesville.
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 Robbins, Burgess B., McRoberts.
 Rone, Garvin, Morgantown.
 Royalty, Glenn, Salvisa.
 Runyon, Ernest Clifton, Belfry.
 Russell, Aubrey, Ghent.
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 Sidwell, Kenneth Boyd, Tompkinsville.
 Silliman, George R., 315 South Limestone, Lexington.
 Simmons, T. C., Scottsville.
 Smith, Joe, Centre Gym, Danville.
 Smith, Lester, Monchester.
 Sosh, LaRue, W. Main Street, Providence.
 Sosnin, H. A., Sutcliffe Co., Louisville.
 Sparks, Harry M., Irvington.
 Spurgeon, Kermit, Henryville, Ind.
 Stafura, Ralph, Wallins Creek.
 Strother, Gene, 428 E. Pike Street, Cynthiana.
 Sutherland, Dr. G. L., Lexington Road, Harrodsburg.
 Taylor, James M., Calvin.
 Thompson, A. W. "Tommy", 215 W. Adair, Louisville.
 Thornton, Cecil A., Box 145, Evarts.
 Threlkeld, W. H., 1910 South 2nd Street, Louisville.
 Tipton, Andrew K., Eminence.
 Trapp, John W., LaGrange.
 Truitt, Evans M., Route 4, Marion.
 Turner, Robert, Sinai.
 Tye, H. D., Barbourville.

Vaughn, Virgil, 704 Mill Street, Henderson.
 Vettiner, Charlie, 205 Esplanade Dr., Kenwood Village, Louisville.
 Waddell, James O., Hopkinsville.
 Walker, Lewis H., Box 84, Sulphur.
 Weathers, Billy M., Elkton.
 West, Larry, Fourth Street, Oneida, Tennessee.
 Wheeler, Hallard, 601 Scott Avenue, Pikeville.
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 Whitis, Alonzo L., Burning Springs.
 Wilson, Robert R., 111 Boone Avenue, Winchester.
 Williams, Joseph C., Route 5, Paducah.
 Winkenhofer, Arnold, 346 Sompter Ave., Bowling Gr.
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SUPPLEMENTARY LIST OF FOOTBALL OFFICIALS

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A Six-Man Football League As A Varsity Farm

By PAT PAYNE, Athletic Director and Coach,
Hazard High School.

The Hazard High School is thirty-eight miles from the nearest high school supporting a football team. The next nearest is fifty-five miles away and then sixty-five miles away are several schools that have football teams. On one side of Hazard is the Cumberland Valley Conference and on the other is the Big Sandy Conference. Some of the schools in these conferences support "B" teams in football but they cannot play as far away as Hazard without making the cost of the game prohibitive. The location of Hazard then presented to us a problem in competition for our future varsity players. Every fall from seventy to ninety of the boys in our school presented themselves as candidates for the varsity football squad. Many of these boys were small and there were some few as low as the sixth grade in school. None of these boys as "cut" from the squad. Discretion soon got the better of valor, and rightly it should have, and the smallest and more timid dropped out. We tried keeping two squads operating as one, but soon found it would not work. This was especially true when the coaching staff consisted of one person. About four years ago the first competent help was added and the football staff at Hazard High School is now composed of two. A feeling that more boys should have the benefits of football had existed for a long time, so the decision was made to install a six-man football league. The response was immediate and soon four squads were practicing, each squad consisting of about fifteen boys. The league was made up of one squad each from the Lothair School, the Walkertown School, the Broadway School and the Junior High School. Four boys who had played football and were interested acted as coaches. These boys were for the most part, boys who had finished school or were ineligible from some cause or other. Each team met each other team twice, giving them a six game schedule. The same training and eligibility rules were applied to these boys as to the varsity squad. One faculty member acted as general supervisory head and met with the teams on Saturday morning when they played their games. The boys were encouraged to equip themselves with head gears, shoulder pads and shoes. In three years operation of the league the only injuries have been two broken arms.

The coaches were urged to stress blocking and tackling and some really fine results came from their work this year. Every boy on the squads attended all varsity games as a guest of the Hazard High School football squad.

The results are becoming so encouraging that they seem worth mentioning. The high school varsity squad received a number of these boys this year and they became valuable additions. The training habits of these smaller boys are improving and it is now reaching into the varsity squad. Only one boy was cut from the varsity squad this year for breaking training rules. A definite improvement is noted in the high school squad because the boys reporting have had a "taste" of contact and report because they like football. The principals at two of the schools have reported in almost glowing terms that problem boys who played on the six-man teams are cooperative now. In fact since the boys on these teams were often leaders the morale of the whole school was improved. By the time this league has operated two more years the varsity squad will be receiving a steady flow of boys who have begun to learn the fundamentals and this will make the task of assembling a competent varsity team much less difficult.

The boys were presented with letters and certificates indicating six-man football participation. This year the championship game of the league was played as a preliminary to one of the high school varsity games. But for an unfortunate break in the weather a noticeable increase in gate receipts would have resulted. As it was several new fans were made.

All in all the results from our six-man league from all angles were satisfactory and the cost was very small.

The power that is supported by force alone will have cause often to tremble.—Kossuth.

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Greatness lies, not in being strong, but in the right using of strength.—Beecher.

Conference Football Standings

Final standings in seven of Kentucky's High School Football Conferences.

Standings in the other Conferences will be published in January Athlete if they are available.

Central Kentucky Conference

Team	Won	Lost	Tied	Rating
Danville	7	0	0	26.000
Lexington	5	1	1	25.500
Versailles	6	2	0	22.000
Shelbyville	5	3	0	21.000
Somerset	5	2	0	20.000
Frankfort	4	2	2	20.000
Paris	6	2	1	19.167
M. M. I.	5	2	0	18.571
Irvine	4	3	0	17.857
Harrodsburg	4	4	0	17.500
Carlisle	5	2	0	17.143
Stanford	3	3	0	16.667
Madison	4	4	0	16.250
Mt. Sterling	2	5	1	13.125
Georgetown	2	5	0	12.857
Lawrenceburg	2	5	0	12.857
Winchester	0	7	1	10.625
Nicholasville	0	5	0	10.000
Lancaster	0	6	0	10.000
Cynthiana	0	7	0	10.000

Big Sandy Conference

Team	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.
Whitesburg	5	1	0	.833
Jenkins	4	1	1	.800
Pikeville	4	1	0	.800
Belfry	3	2	0	.600
Fleming	2	3	0	.400
Paintsville	2	3	0	.400
Prestonsburg	1	4	1	.200
Van Lear	0	6	0	.000

Cumberland Valley Conference

Team	Won	Lost	Tied	Pts.	O.P.
Corbin	5	0	0	145	7
Evarts	6	0	0	182	18
Lynch	6	1	1	174	10
Lynn Camp	5	1	0	85	66
Middlesboro	4	1	0	131	40
Harlan	5	2	1	116	45
Cumberland	5	2	0	79	39
Black Star	5	3	0	129	38
Pineville	3	3	1	57	78
Bell County	3	4	0	32	152
Loyall	3	5	0	68	124
Knox Central	2	5	0	59	98
Barbourville	1	6	0	34	157
Benham	1	6	1	32	99
Hall	0	7	1	14	154
Wallins	0	8	1	19	231

South Central Kentucky Conference

Team	Won	Lost	Pts.	O.P.
Bardstown	6	0	171	39
Elizabethtown	6	1	179	51
St. Augustine	5	1	134	61
Glasgow	4	2	135	52
Tompkinsville	3	2	27	31
Hardinsburg	2	1	67	13
St. Joe	3	3	81	61
Lebanon	2	5	58	83
Campbellsville	2	6	62	130
Springfield	0	6	20	186
Hodgenville	0	6	12	216

Northern Kentucky Conference

Team	Won	Lost	Tied	Pts.	O.P.
Bellevue	4	0	1	64	34
Ludlow	4	1	0	55	27
Highlands	3	1	1	41	31
Erlanger	2	3	0	56	54
Dayton	1	4	0	52	65
Dixie	0	5	0	7	64

All-Kentucky Conference

Team	Rating
Manual	23.33
Hopkinsville	23.33
Madisonville	18.33
Somerset	18.33
Henderson	16.66
Male	15.83
St. Xavier	15.83
Ashland	15.00
Hazard	15.00
Middlesboro	13.33
Owensboro	13.33
Central City	13.33
Pineville	11.66

Western Kentucky Conference

CLASS "A"

Hopkinsville	24.28
Paducah	22.5
Sturgis	21.25
Murray	20.62
Bowling Green	20.00
Madisonville	19.44
Mayfield	19.28
Providence	17.85
Russellville	17.85
Trigg County	17.85

CLASS "B"

Henderson	15.00
Morganfield	15.00
Princeton	14.28
Owensboro	13.75
Dawson Springs	13.33
Fulton	13.33
Central City	12.5
Marion	12.00
Clay	11.11
Elkton	10.00

Final W. K. C. won and lost records:

Team	Won	Lost	Tied	Pts.	O.P.
Hopkinsville	8	0	0	277	30
Tilghman	4	0	0	166	12
Sturgis	7	1	0	232	13
Bowling Green	6	2	0	109	71
Madisonville	6	2	1	237	47
Trigg County	6	2	1	184	25
Murray	5	2	1	164	103
Providence	4	2	1	82	66
Mayfield	4	3	0	131	85
Russellville	4	3	2	117	127
Henderson	4	4	0	152	110
Morganfield	3	4	1	65	91
Princeton	2	4	1	32	151
Owensboro	2	5	1	35	143
Dawson Springs	2	7	1	64	228
Fulton	1	4	1	31	108
Clay	1	6	1	26	172
Central City	1	6	1	80	143
Marion	1	8	1	42	250
Elkton	0	7	0	0	251

EASTERN SQUAD LIST

(BLUE UNIFORMS)

No.	Name	Pos.	Weight	Height	High School	Coach
2	Robert McCormick	G.	165	5-8	Ludlow	E. Waddell
5	Andy Berkley	B.	165	5-10	Dayton	W. E. McClure
6	Earl Klein	G.	166	5-11	Newport	"Blue" Foster
18	Bob Jenkins	E.	165	6	Newport	"Blue" Foster
20	Joe Stephens	T.	195	5-10	Russell	L. E. Patterson
21	Chas. Minor	T.	175	6-2	Lexington	J. G. Heber
23	Kenneth Alexander	B.	155	5-10	Bellevue	Ed. McNabb
24	Calvin Baird	C.	180	6-1	Pineville	W. H. Grabuck
26	Jay Rhodemeyer	C.	170	6	Ashland	Fayne Grone
28	Vince Spagnuolo	T.	210	5-9	Cumberland	R. Herndon
29	Ollie Robinson	B.	164	5-8	Newport	"Blue" Foster
30	Clyde Fuson	B.	200	6-2	Middlesboro	Case Thomasson
31	George Figg	T.	205	5-11	Ludlow	E. Waddell
33	Thomas Bowlby	G.	185	6	M. M. I.	Ward Reese
34	John Day	E.	158	5-10	Lexington	J. G. Heber
35	Junior Pack	B.	160	5-6	Catlettsburg	Houston Elder
36	Delmas Freeman	E.	190	5-10	Evarts	Ray King
40	Matt Lair	B.	170	5-10	Paris	Blanton Collier
45	Allen Robertson	B.	150	5-9	Danville	Rice Mountjoy
48	Bob Brumbach	G.	175	5-10	Harlan	Chas. McClurg
50	Russell Peace	B.	170	5-11	Corbin	Ted Meadors
55	Earl Bauer	E.	165	6	Anchorage	Paul Walker

COACHING STAFF - EASTERN ALL-STARs

W. J. "Blue" FOSTER.....Newport
 PAUL WALKER.....Anchorage
 HOUSTON ELDER.....Catlettsburg
 BLANTON COLLIER.....Paris

SCORE

	1	2	3	4	
EAST	3	8	0	0	11
WEST	0	0	0	7	7

EAST

STARTING LINE-UP

No.	Name	H. S.	Pos.
34	DAY, Henry Clay	.....	L.E.
28	SPAGNUOLO, Cumberland	.....	L.T.
48	BRUMBACH, Harlan	.....	L.G.
26	RHODEMEYER, Ashland	.....	C.
6	KLEIN, Newport	.....	R.G.
31	FIGG, Ludlow	.....	R.T.
18	JENKINS, Newport	.....	R.E.
29	ROBINSON, Newport	.....	Q.B.
5	BERKLEY, Dayton	.....	L.H.
40	LAIR, Paris	.....	R.H.
30	FUSON, Middlesboro	.....	F.B.

WESTERN SQUAD LIST

(WHITE UNIFORMS)

No.	Name	Pos.	Weight	Height	High School	Coach
2	Milton Cunningham	G.	165	5-10 $\frac{3}{4}$	Paducah	R. McRight
4	Wallis Davis	T.	220	6-1	Hopkinsville	Ralph Mills
5	Harold Blalock	T.	180	6-2	Mayfield	H. Cochran
6	Henry Althaus	C.	175		Manual	Ray Baer
15	Buster Lanham	E.	170		Manual	Ray Baer
16	James Murray	B.	185	6-1	Elizabethtown	Eugene Morgan
20	Paul Walker	B.	175	5-11	Glasgow	Frank Camp
21	Alph Demling	G.	175	5-9	Male	H. Stovall
22	George Liles	T.	185	6	Male	H. Stovall
23	Rogers Young	E.	165	5-11	Sturgis	Morgan Christian
24	Jesse Tunstill	B.	190	5-11 $\frac{3}{4}$	Paducah	Ralph McRight
26	Jack Arnold	E.	160	5-10	Bardstown	Tom Ellis
29	Chas. Landers	C.	175	6	Madisonville	Ray Ellis
30	Ralph Aldridge	G.	160	5-8	Hopkinsville	R. Mills
33	Junie Kleinhenz	B.	165	5-11	Male	H. Stovall
34	Jack FalLOT	T.	165	5-9	St. Xavier	C. Grone
35	Earl Baugh	E.			Male	H. Stovall
36	John Meihaus	B.	160		Manual	Ray Baer
40	Owen Weis	B.	150	5-7	St. Xavier	Clyde Grone
45	Roy Stroup	B.	145	5-6	Mayfield	H. Cochran
46	Douglas Gillim	G.	185		Owensboro	E. A. Hetzner
50	Paul Harris	B.	150		Madisonville	Ray Ellis
*	Billy Fair	E.	170	6-3	Murray	Ty Holland

*Injured during practice

WEST			
STARTING LINE-UP			
No.	Name	H. S.	Pos.
15	LENHAM,	Manual	L.E.
22	LILES,	Male	L.T.
21	DEMLING,	Male	L.G.
29	LANDERS,	Madisonville	C.
2	CUNNINGHAM,	Paducah	R.G.
34	FALLOT,	St. Xavier	R.T.
35	BAUGH,	Male	R.E.
33	KLEINHENZ,	Male	Q.B.
24	TUNSTILL,	Paducah	L.H.
36	MEIHAUS,	Manual	R.H.
20	WALKER,	Glasgow	F.B.

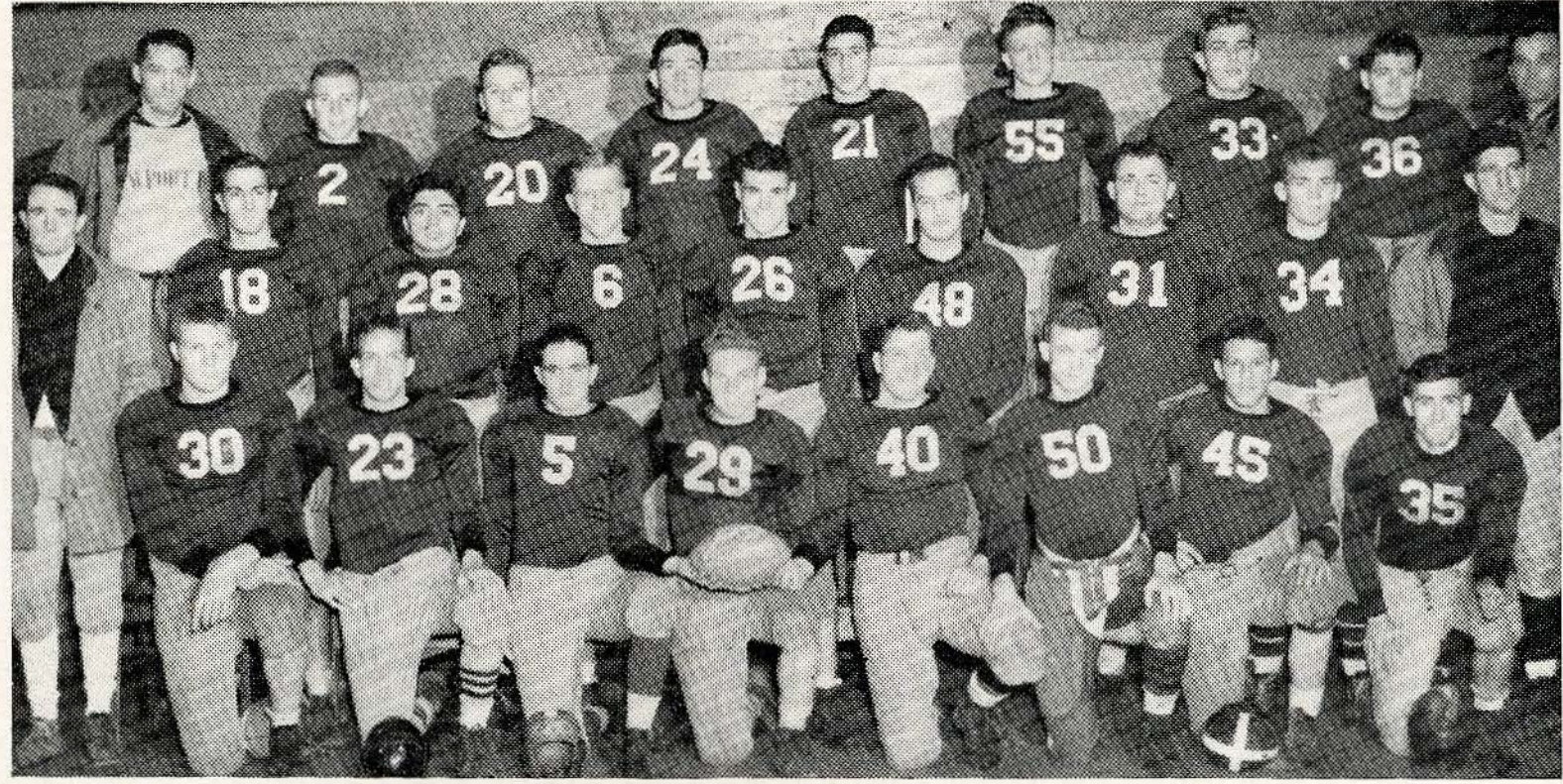
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TOM ELLIS	Bardstown
RALPH MILLS	Hopkinsville
RAY ELLIS	Madisonville

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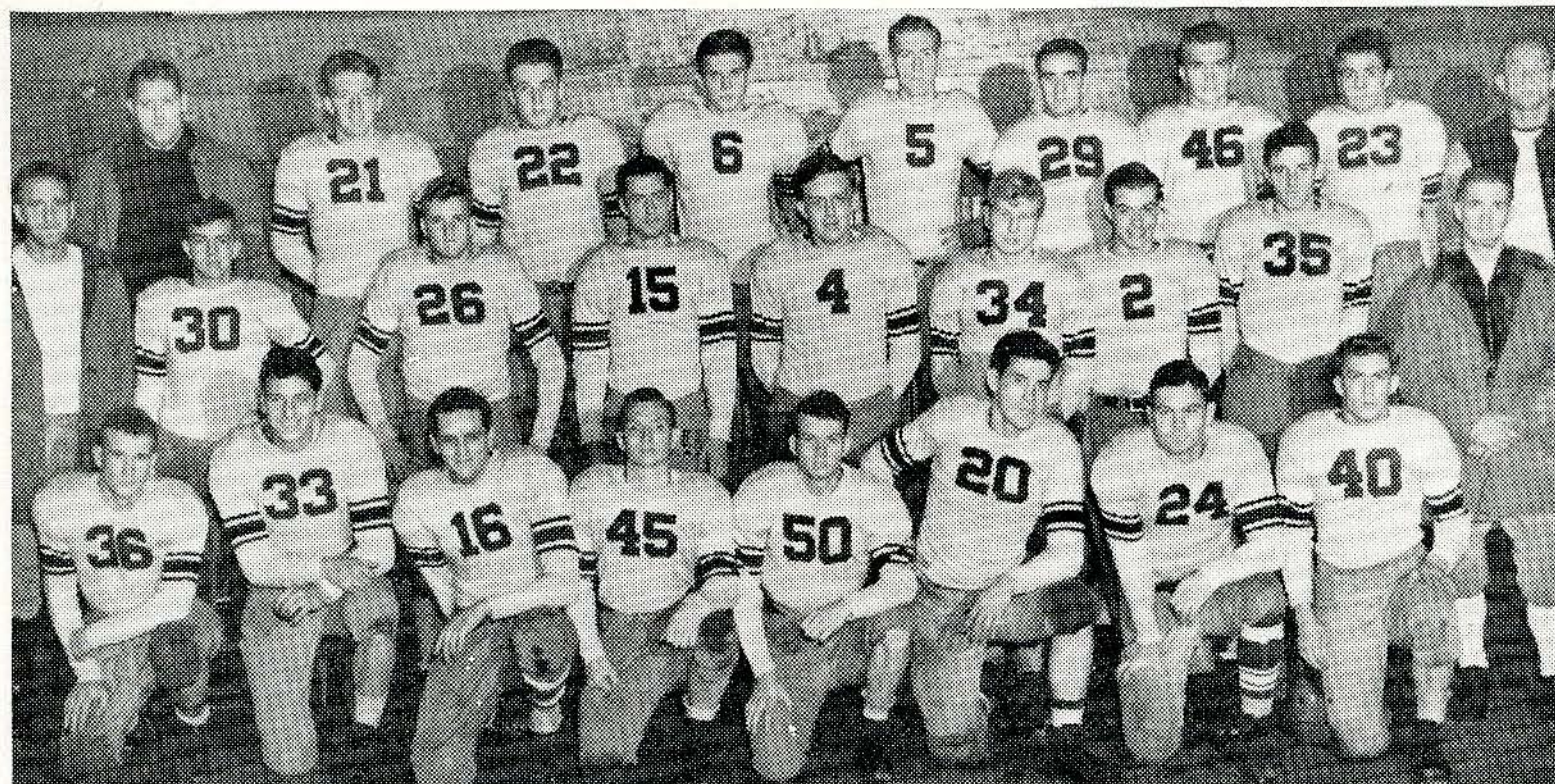
FRED KOSTER, JR.,	Louisville	Referee
ELMER T. GILB,	University of Ky.	Umpire
M. E. POTTER,	Univ. of Ky.	Head Linesman
FRED CREASY,	Murray T. C.	.....	Field Judge

THE 1940 EASTERN ALL-STARS



Bottom Row: Fuson, Alexander, Berkley, Robinson, Lair, Peace, Robertson, Pack. —Lexington Leader.
 Second Row: Coach Elder, Jenkins, Spagnuolo, Klein, Rhodemeyer, Brumbach, Figg, Day, Coach Walker.
 Third Row: Coach Foster, McCormick, Stephens, Baird, Minor, Bauer, Bowlby, Freeman, Coach Collier.

THE 1940 WESTERN ALL-STARS



Bottom Row: Meihaus, Kleinhenz, Murray, Stroup, Harris, Walker, Tunstill, Weis.

—Lexington Leader.

Second Row: Coach Mills, Aldridge, Arnold, Lanham, Davis, Fallot, Cunningham, Fair, Coach Cochran.

Third Row: Coach Tom Ellis, Demling, Liles, Althaus, Blalock, Landers, Gillim, Young, Coach Ray Ellis.

National Federation Activities

EQUIPMENT COMMITTEE: The National Federation Equipment Committee met in the national office on October 28th. Those present were: P. F. Neverman, Marinette, Wisconsin; H. V. Porter, Chicago, Illinois; E. R. Stevens, Independence, Kansas; E. A. Thomas, Topeka, Kansas; and C. W. Whitten, Chicago, Illinois.

Conferences were held with representatives from the various athletic goods manufacturers and matters pertaining to safety equipment, approved basketballs, progress in the development of a satisfactory molded football, and plans for further publicizing significant developments in connection with the production of more durable and economical playing equipment were discussed.

The manufacturers who were represented and who pledged their further support to the development program were: H. Denkert Mfg. Co., J. A. Dubow Mfg. Co., Phil Goldsmith Sons, Inc., Rawlings Mfg. Co., A. J. Reach, Wright and Ditson, John T. Riddell, Inc., A. G. Spalding Bros., Wilson Sporting Goods Co., Wintark Co.

All of these companies have been devoting strenuous efforts to meeting the needs of the high schools in connection with economical and satisfactory playing equipment. As a result of this conference, the development program will continue to function efficiently. Here are a few reminders relative to this program.

Molded Footballs: The John T. Riddell Company and the Wintark Company have been greatly interested in further developing a molded type football which might be perfected to the point where they would warrant the approval of the National Federation. Approximately 100 of the experimental molded footballs have been tested by the National Federation in cooperation with these two manufacturers. These tests include laboratory tests for durability and practical tests made by various schoolmen in all sections of the country. Detailed reports have been secured on the actual performance of the balls which have been sent out. The reports on the early balls which were sent last spring revealed some flaws in construction or in reaction. Some of these imperfections have already been eliminated and others which have been revealed by more recent tests are being considered in the factory laboratories. None of the balls have met all of the National Federation standards and consequently Federation approval has not been granted for any of these balls. **The progress is such that a satisfactory ball may still be made ready in time for the football season of 1941.** The state associations will notify their member schools relative to progress which is made along these lines.

Football Headgear: The discussion relative to safety features in football headgear centered around two problems: (1) The use of soft padding on the outside of the shell and the use of shells composed of synthetic materials; (2) The relation of injuries to the use of the cage type of nose and mouth protectors. The Wisconsin Interscholastic Athletic Association has taken definite action relative to the use of headgear with soft outside padding. They anticipate the required use of such headgear for the 1941 season.

There are two types of headgear which incorporate synthetic materials in the shell. One is the Riddell headgear which has the advantage of permitting air circulation between the shell and the headgear of the wearer. The other is the Rawlings headgear which makes free use of lastex and rubber compounds as a partial substitute for the hard fiber which is a part

of the usual headgear. The Equipment Committee is arranging for further study and tests of both types of headgear and the assistance of member schools is solicited.

As far as the traditional type of headgear is concerned, most of the companies have expended considerable effort in making it as safe and comfortable as possible. No particular change in method of construction is anticipated.

Other Protective Equipment: The various published lists of claims paid by the state association protective departments read like a war casualty list. Most of these claims are for injuries which leave no permanent marks. However, there is one type of injury which is common and which affects the injured player for life. This pertains to broken teeth. In an effort to reduce the number of such injuries, a great deal of work is being done in connection with various teeth protecting devices. A transparent synthetic plate is being tried in connection with synthetic helmets. This plate covers the chin and teeth and is far enough away from the face to give considerable protection to the nose. There seem to be possibilities for further development of such a device. **The other line of investigation is in connection with a small teeth guard which can be fitted to the mouth of the player and not interfere too greatly with his breathing.** Considerable progress is being made along this line and it is hoped that some actual experimentation can be done to help perfect the device before the opening of the 1941 season. There is much evidence to indicate that many of the teeth injuries are caused by a blow on the top of the head or on the underside of the chin rather than by a blow directly in front. The mouth guard would probably assist in absorbing the shock of a blow from above or below.

Approved Basketballs: For the current season, the Equipment Committee has expressed entire satisfaction with present basketball approval plans. **Top grade balls of the Wintark, Last Bilt or Riddell type of construction have been tested and approved for any high school game or tournament.** The balls which have been approved will bear the National Federation approval stamp burned into the ball or in the form of a gummed sticker attached to the ball. Most states specify that only Federation approved balls may be used in state sponsored tournaments. The best interests of all the schools will be served if all states will adopt the same procedure.

For the season of 1941-2, various other grades of balls are being examined. If any of these balls are found to measure up to the proper standards set by the Federation, they will be added to the present list of approved basketballs. There is a possibility that a satisfactory ball can be made for 1941-2 at a price less than that which has been found to be reasonable this season. If such a ball can be made to qualify under the various laboratory and practical tests, it will be approved. Until such action has been taken, schools should hesitate about securing such balls. First costs are not always a measure of economical purchase. The sole purpose of the National Federation along these lines is to protect the interests of the high schools. Anyone who is at all familiar with the developments of the last few years will realize the school interests have been promoted through these activities. **Ball costs of the present are only a fraction of those of a few years ago and much of this progress is due to the efforts of the National Federation.** The approved balls are not only economical but also much superior in shape and durability as compared with those of a few years ago.

SECTIONAL MEETING AT MEMPHIS: A National Federation sectional meeting is scheduled for Memphis, Tennessee, during the weekend of **December 13th and 14th.** This meeting is being held in conjunction with a meeting of the Southern Association of Secondary School Principals. Plans for the meeting are in direct charge of Secretary F. S. Elliott of Whitehaven, Tennessee. State executive officers and members of state boards of control or legislative councils are urged to attend. A number of states have indicated that one or more auto loads of such men will be made up. In some cases the state board of control has appropriated a flat fee to cover actual expenses for the trip. Details connected with the nature of the program will be mailed to the central state offices. This preliminary notice is included here so that each state within reasonable distance of the meeting at Memphis can pass the word along and make plans for sending representatives.

INTERSCHOLASTIC FOOTBALL RULES MEETING: The annual meeting of the National Federation Football Rules Committee will be held in Chicago on Friday and Saturday, January 10th and 11th. The National Interscholastic Committee is made up of one representative from each of the states that has officially adopted the interscholastic rules. Each state has one vote. The representative is chosen in any manner which may be desired by the state high school athletic association. In addition to voting members, there are a number of advisory members who have contributed materially to the progress of situations have raised questions. Here are a few but they are welcomed to the meeting and to participation in the discussions.

In addition to those members who have attended in past years, it is quite certain that the state boards of control in Michigan and Ohio will designate representatives to attend the meeting. Both states are using the major portions of the interscholastic rules and both are considering full adoption of the interscholastic code for the season of 1941. In Ohio, the northeastern section of the state has already made full adoption and they have expressed entire satisfaction with the code after it has been used during the past two years.

RECENT BASKETBALL INTERPRETATIONS

As the basketball season gets under way a number situations have raised questions. Here are a few which may be of general interest.

Play (1): A1 is in position for a free throw and the ball has been placed at his disposal. At this point the Scorer discovers that A2 is in the game without having reported to the proper officials or that A1 has changed his number without reporting it. Is the Scorer authorized to blow his horn and what action should be taken by the Official?

Ruling: The Scorer is authorized to blow his horn. This authorization is in Item 4 of the "Manual for Basketball Scorers" on the back cover of the rules book. It might be claimed that this is in conflict with the third question under Rule 6-11. This is not the case because the question is designed to cover the ordinary situation which is not complicated by an added infraction such as the one described.

Play (2): If the infraction in (1) is for changing numbers, who should throw the free throw?

Ruling: The player who is substituted for A1.

Play (3): Same as (1) except the infraction is for player of A being in the game after having committed his fourth foul or after having re-entered the third time.

Ruling: Same as (1) and (2).

In these cases the situations are analogous to those described in Item 4 of the Manual for Basketball Scorers on the back cover. The rulings are consistent with the first question under 6-11.

Play (4): Would the same procedure be followed in case the infraction is by B1?

Ruling: No. There is no authority for the Scorer to blow his horn under such circumstances.

Play (1): At the end of the fourth quarter the gun is fired with the score 30-30. In the continuing action, A1 flagrantly fouls B1. Should the foul be penalized and should an overtime period always be played?

Ruling: Yes to both questions.

Play (2): Same as (1) except that the gun is fired with the score A 30 - B 29.

Ruling: In this case there is no authorization for an extra period since the quarter did not end in a tie score. If B1 is successful with both free throws, the game is ended and B is the winner.

Play (3): Same as (1), except that the tie score is at the end of the first extra period and B1 is successful with both free throws.

Ruling: The game is ended without a second extra period.

Play (1): A1 attempts free throw. The ball strikes the ring and bounces above the basket. A2 leaps and taps the ball while it is directly above the basket and pushes it into the basket. Is this a legal goal and should it be scored as a free throw or as a field goal?

Ruling: This is a legal field goal. The free throw ends when it is touched by any player. There is no prohibition against A2 touching the ball which is above the basket.

Play (2): Same as (1), except that it is B1 who taps the ball while it is directly above the basket and knocks it into the basket.

Ruling: In this case the free throw again ends when it is touched by B1 and consequently it can not be said that the free throw is successful. However, this situation differs from (1) in that B commits a violation because of touching the ball while it is in the cylinder above the basket. This violation kills the ball and consequently no field goal is scored. Instead, a goal is awarded because of the violation. There might be good argument in support of awarding two points on the grounds that the act of A1 prevented a possible field goal by A2 who might have tapped the ball in as described in (1). However, the matter must be settled by an arbitrary ruling. Only one point should be awarded, if it follows a free throw.

Play: On a court which is equipped with the new type backboard, A1 has the ball out of bounds behind the backboard. In throwing the ball in he tosses it over the top of the board and it comes down to strike the ring. While it is bouncing directly above the ring, A2 tips it and it goes into the basket. Is this an infraction by A1 for throwing at the goal while the ball is dead and does the goal count?

Ruling: This is not an infraction. The try by A1 ended when the ball was touched by A2. It is not an infraction for a player to throw for a goal from out of bounds unless the try is successful. In this case, the try which is successful is by A2. Consequently, this is a legal play and the goal should count.

Play: A1 is in free throwing position and the ball is placed at his disposal. He consumes eight seconds in making his free throw. Is this a violation of the "three second lane rule"?

Ruling: No. In this case there are two rules in opposition and an arbitrary ruling must govern. The three-second rule does not apply during free throws.

Play: A1 is in rapid motion when he tries for field goal from directly under the basket. His momentum carries him to an out of bounds position on or outside the end line. The try is unsuccessful and B1 receives the rebound and bats it against A1 while he is out of bounds as described. To whom should the ball be awarded?

Ruling: Ball should be awarded to B. In this particular case, A1 is out of bounds through no fault of his own. However, if the court is marked with a four-foot end space, A1 can usually regulate his movements in such a way as to stay inbounds. If he does not, he must gamble with the chance of having such a play develop.

Play: How is the ball put in play after a double violation or a double foul?

Ruling: After a double foul, it is always put in play by a jump at center. The same thing applies to most double violations. One exception is in the case where free thrower A1 commits a violation through not hitting the ring before the free throw is touched by a player and B1 violates the rule by touching the free throw while it is in the cylinder above the basket. In this case the violations are simultaneous and consequently constitute a double violation. However, only the violation by B is penalized. A point is awarded and the ball is then awarded to B out of bounds at the end.

Play: Are all fouls committed while the ball is dead disregarded unless they are flagrant?

Ruling: All such contact fouls are disregarded but most technical fouls occur while the ball is dead.

Play: Are two free throws always awarded for fouls involving unsportsmanlike conduct?

Ruling: Two free throws are always awarded for contact fouls which also involve unsportsmanlike conduct but technical fouls involving unsportsmanlike conduct may result in only one free throw.

Play: A1 and B1 foul each other and it is A's fourth personal foul. The Scorer does not discover this until after A1 has attempted his free throw. The throw is successful. Should the point count or should it be cancelled and A1 permitted to throw or should the point be cancelled without any substitute throw?

Ruling: If the error is discovered before the watch is started following the last free throw, the point should be cancelled and no substitute free throw should be permitted. It is assumed that A should know when he has committed his fourth personal foul and consequently it is his responsibility to have his substitute throw the free throw. If the mistake is not discovered until after the watch has started following the last free throw, the point should not be cancelled but, of course, A1 should be removed from the game as soon as the Scorer may legitimately inform the Official.

Basketball Situations Not Definitely Covered By Rule and Subject to Interpretation By State Associations

- Three teammates entering simultaneously is interpreted to mean between time play is suspended and time play is resumed.
- Scorers are urged to (a) charge time-out to player asking for it instead of to the Captain. (b) Indicate an awarded free throw by a C and complete the O if it is not waived. An X inside will mark a successful one. When multiple throws are awarded, a connecting bar should form a double circle O O.

- On a jump ball, or on a throw-in from out of bounds, teammates may not be juxtaposition on a restraining line or circle provided an opponent desires a position between them.
- If a Captain has exercised an option, it can not be changed unless some subsequent infraction changes conditions.
- If a field goal is cancelled because of travelling, the ball should always be awarded at the side of the court.
- When A1 is throwing the ball in from out of bounds or when any bounce pass is attempted, it is a violation for B1 to stop the ball by sticking his foot to the side and in front of it.
- Whenever the ball is blown dead while in possession of a player, he is obligated to immediately pass the ball to the nearer official.
- To promote uniformity the Official who tosses the ball at center should move to his right and be responsible for that end of the floor.
- When only one Official is used, he should handle the ball when it is awarded to player from the front court but he is not required to hand it to player.
- If visitors appear in light suits and they were notified in advance, Official may order a change.
- It is recommended that when the rectangular backboard is used, the corners and edges be covered with a dark paint. Also consider raising board 9 inches.

Please Experiment and Report On One of More

- Use alley mark under backboard and allow extra player in new alley behind board.
- Consider ball in play if it hits back or backboard or a support which is clearly inside the court and then falls within the court.
- Require that Official go to the Scorer's table each time a substitution is to be made and complete substitution at the bench.
- Have one Scorer keep the running score, handle substitutions and operate the time-out watch. Second Scorer will keep the other records. The operator of the official timepiece will keep the game time. The clerk will supervise both Timer and Scorers and be responsible to the Official.
- Collect statistics to compare game with new backboard and game with old (Blanks at state office).
- Experiment with withholding the gun to end a period: (a) Until the play has been completed; or (b) Until the ball is dead.
- After goal by A, award ball to B out of bounds at mid-court.
- Secure data on intensity of light on various floors.
- Play game in five 7-minute periods without any 10-minute intermission. Prohibit player from participating in consecutive periods except that any player may play in the last period.

There's always room at the top because so many who get there go to sleep and roll off.

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He who puts all he has into his work usually succeeds—because he has little competition.

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Success does not come so much from sitting up nights, as it does from staying awake in the daytime.

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When a man is in trouble, he is inclined to believe things that he would doubt at any other time.

Your Interscholastic Association

The Kentucky High School Athletic Association is the agent of the high schools of the state. It is devoted to the interests of high school boys and girls and promotes these interests through providing the means for united effort by the men and women who administer the athletic activity of the school—principals, athletic directors, coaches, contest managers and the men and women who officiate games.

Recent developments in National and World affairs have driven home the fact that united group action is essential in any field of endeavor. **To the well organized, go the awards and rewards. Isolation and individual independence are out of style.** A thousand inventions and movements have made inter-dependence a part of our social structure. By nature and training, school men are conservative and individualistic. They will not be herded or stampeded and that is to their credit. This desirable characteristic becomes a fault when carried to the extreme. In practice, the individual executive or single school is as helpless as a refugee blitzkrieg. Group action is a prerequisite to effectiveness and this is possible only when there is a degree of group consciousness and recognition of the value of organization.

The State High School Athletic Association is a sports direction agency, primarily concerned with proper controls and strict regulation of athletic activities. Because of this, it is sometimes necessary to advocate limits which are not always popular with the

press or with that portion of the public which does not always understand underlying principles and **which centers its attention on the exceptional performer and on exhibitionism rather than on the more prosaic welfare of the many.**

There is a difference between sports promotion and sports direction. Promotion is based primarily on returns to the promoter. Direction is concerned primarily with benefits to all the participants and to spreading these

benefits to constantly increasing numbers. This difference is not universally understood by patrons of the school and therein lies one of the responsibilities of each school executive. It is his business to dispel some of the confused thinking that results when his representatives, the state executive officer or board of control, is machine-gunned with verbal barrage by local commentators. **No school is a disinterested party when this occurs. An army whose soldiers stick their heads in the sand when their officers or their strongholds are attacked is no army.** Courage implies willingness to take

a stand. Teamwork implies willingness to follow as well as to lead.

The welfare of the schools demands a united front in sports direction policies and the state high school association provides opportunity for this unity. **It, and the National Federation, of which it is a part, must be kept strong.** This strength lies in the confidence and cooperative efforts of the individual member school executive and his athletic staff.

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