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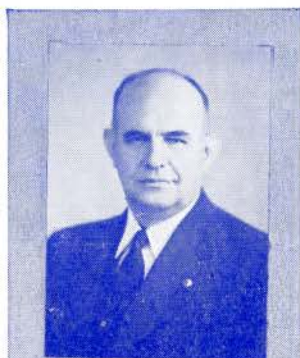
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A TRIO OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBERS of the NATIONAL FEDERATION



W. E. GRIFFITH, Somerset, Pennsylvania

"Times of national stress bring demands on school athletic departments. Some proposals would benefit boys and girls—others would not. The extent to which the best of these are adopted and made to function depends on the degree of nationwide teamwork.

"One strand of wire is a poor load carrier. A cable is humanity's G string of commerce. The strands of school athletic interests are interwoven in state and national organizations. These can and will carry a load—but schoolmen must keep the strands interwoven. It is their cable."



H. R. ADAMS, Hyrum, Utah

"We talk a great deal about the High School Curriculum, the deficiencies in subject matter, and the worthy use of leisure time. It's time we began to get down to brass tacks and say a little about a worth-while athletic program that will function in every high school to develop every boy. That is a common sense preparedness program."



J. E. ROHR, Nekoosa, Wisconsin

"The National Federation has been active in bringing about an understanding of and a uniform administration of game rules. Football and basketball meetings, sponsored and directed by a centralized agency, promote co-operation and good will between the interested groups and produce an efficient and truly national program."

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Tournament Time In Old Kentucky

Throughout the Commonwealth some five hundred or more teams are feverishly preparing to make the best possible showing in the approaching tournament season. From Bardwell to Inez, from Franklin to Newport, big schools and those enrolling a dozen boys are intent on hitting the jack pot at the Louisville Armory during the month of March.

A few scattered teams have unbroken strings of victories while a greater number boast imposing records and can be counted out of the milling by no stretch of the imagination. Many of the "record" teams will find the going too tough in the district and regional meets, and at least a few ebony colored entries will put in their appearance when the big scramble gets under way. A tour of the state will reveal that in the minds of great numbers of local fans there are fifty or more teams capable of wearing the crown now in possession of the Inez Indians. Forwards, centers, and guards of all-state calibre are a dime a dozen. But the optimism of the faithful followers is in a very substantial measure responsible for the success of the tournament programs in every part of the state.

No one of sound mind would attempt at this time to nominate sixteen teams for the finals in Louisville, but a number of teams are outstanding in certain sections and should pick their way through the opposition or at least wreak destruction before succumbing to the onslaughts of the opposition. Down in the Pennyryle and Purchase country Calvert City, Murray, Sharpe, Central City, Hanson, and Hartford have a host of supporters, and their records have a way of speaking for themselves. In years past Sharpe and Heath from the western part of the state have carried back the big cup representing state basketball supremacy. Coming into the cave country, and through the childhood haunts of Honest Abe and by My Old Kentucky Home the tourist is likely to encounter wild-eyed fans who will tell him that either Bowling Green, Horse Cave, Munfordville, Greensburg, Bardstown, or Lebanon Junction is capable of finding the way around in either regional or state tournament play. Swinging to South Central Kentucky one finds that Somerset and Corbin are expecting to make their mark before the last whistle blows. Out of the Blue Grass come rumblings which will not be silenced: Midway, Kavanaugh, and Burgin, are recognized as a triumvirate worthy of due respect, but fans in Lawrenceburg remind you that there are two schools in that town, and the faithful at Mt. Sterling throw out a word of warning to those who put too much faith in the first mentioned trio. Down in the mountains there are such familiar names as Hazard, Benham, and Betsy Layne. The word is don't sell the mountain boys short; they are usually somewhere near the scene of activities when state laurels are passed among the deserving. In Eastern Kentucky Olive Hill is making plenty of noise and may break up the Ashland-Cattlettsburg monopoly in that part of the state. Coming down the river touring basketball teams can run into plenty of trouble at every stop. Covington, Dayton, Erlanger, Newport, still seem unable to settle their differences, but the tournaments are great

equalizers or eliminators. If we chance to stop at Williamstown the probabilities are that we shall be informed that the next state champion romps on the hardwood of the local high school. Down at Louisville are three schools that are often the scourge of Kentucky basketball, and this year likely will be no exception although the three teams, St. Xavier, Manual, and Male seemingly are considerably weaker than the average representatives from the Falls City area. Louisville has produced more state champions than any other region of the state, and it will always be well not to count their teams out of the running until the fireworks are over.

Regardless of the outcome the nearly one hundred district, regional, and state tournaments will afford a wonderful source of entertainment and benefit to the hundreds of thousands of fans and players alike. Next to good roads, high school basketball has been the greatest impetus to the development of good will and understanding among the many different sections of the state. High school players have traveled millions of miles throughout Kentucky during the last fifteen years seeing different sections and making friends of those who otherwise would have been total strangers. One trip from Columbus to Ashland will constitute a semester's work in Kentucky geography for the wide awake high school boy playing on the average team of the state. Incidentally, many a Kentucky boy called to the armed service will be thankful for the physical training he received while drilling away to win games for Alma Mater.

Annual Meeting Of The National Federation

The annual meeting of the National Federation will be held at the Whitcomb Hotel in San Francisco on Monday, February 23rd. Since the Department of Superintendents and Principals will be meeting during the same week, many school administrators who are interested in the athletic activities will be present. All of them are cordially invited to attend any of the meetings of the Federation.

There will be an exhibit of printed materials which are used by the various state high school associations in connection with their work.

The principal speaker during the Monday morning session will be Honorable H. A. Johnson, Chief Justice of the Montana Supreme Court. The topic of his address will be "High School Athletics as Seen from the Bench." There will also be a discussion of special problems of metropolitan areas as they are related to the state association. This discussion will be led by a representative of one of the large city school systems.

The afternoon session will be the annual business meeting of the Federation. The Council will act upon the application of New Jersey for membership in the National Federation.

The Treasurer's report will be heard and this will be followed by reports of standing committees and by the election of two members of the Executive Committee. The members whose terms expire with this meeting are W. B. Spencer of New Haven, Connecticut,

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From The Coaches Association

BLUE FOSTER

President K. H. S. C. A.

At the recent annual meeting of the National Interscholastic football committee, the following resolutions, which I am sure are of interest to all Kentucky coaches, were passed.

It was resolved that the National strength and welfare will be promoted by adherence to the following policies:

A. That there be no curtailment in the present programs of Interscholastic competitive sports

B. That there be an increased activity to promote health, safety and physical education in the public schools

C. That there be an increased and more dynamic program in Intra-Mural sports and games for both boys and girls

D. That competitive sports in the high schools be continued in such a way as to maintain adult morale as well as that of youth

E. That the high school organizations act in the conviction that physical fitness, mental alertness, quick reactions, endurance, stamina and keen competitive spirit are needed by our youth and our grown people to combat and overcome the treachery and total war tactics of those who threaten our national safety

"It is the sincere belief of the National Interscholastic Football Committee that a comprehensive and continually expanding program of controlled high school sports will prove a blessing to our nation and that our Army, Navy and Marine, and Air Force will benefit from the training and experience which is being given in these contests."

Soon the coaches of the various districts will be asked to select a delegate for our annual meeting which is held during the state basketball tournament each year. The date of the meeting will be the same as that selected by the various district managers for the drawings.

It is the wish of the officers of the association that this delegate bring to the meeting in Louisville the true views and wishes of the coaches in his section. Action will be taken on all, and recommendations to the KHSAA made accordingly. In some sections it has been the policy of the coaches to send as a delegate the coach of the regional champions who automatically would be at the state finals. This policy would assure us of hearing from at least 16 widely separated areas.

The officers of the association would also like to

have the opinion of the football coaches in each part of the state on the advisability of holding a football clinic each Spring at the conclusion of practice at the University. On the program would be some of the state's outstanding coaches. Based upon their records, regardless of the size of their schools, each would be assigned a subject best suited to the individual. In addition have the coaches at the University appear, and also have moving pictures of the various bowl games worked into the program. This can be arranged in case a majority of the coaches favor same.

Some very interesting information is being gathered from associations in other states. This will be submitted to the members at our annual meeting in April.

I am sure that every coach in the state should belong to our organization, and take professional pride in so belonging. If we are organized and strong we can be of great value to fellow members. Paul Brown gives the high school coaches of Ohio most of the credit for his receiving the Ohio State job; a similar movement has gotten under way in Illinois. In several states the coaches association has had strong influence in enabling coaches to weather local storms. If you are not now a member resolve that you will be, yearly dues are only 50 cents and the Secretary and Treasurer is Doug Smith of Bowling Green; contact him. Your membership card is an admission to all high school athletic contests; carry one.

BLUE FOSTER,
President K. H. S. C. A.

Golden Jubilee Of Basketball

The Golden Jubilee of Basketball Campaign, which is now in full swing throughout the country, is commended to the high schools of the State of Kentucky as being worthy of support. It is hoped that every team in the state will cooperate with the Naismith Memorial Committee, which is endeavoring to build a Memorial to Dr. James Naismith, at Springfield, Mass., in the form of a Temple of Basketball and Hall of Fame.

Basketball has served the youth of the country to good advantage and it is only fitting that youth now do something to help the game. Each school has been asked to designate one of its regularly scheduled home games as a Golden Ball Game, with a portion or all of the receipts going to the Naismith Fund.

Every team that plays a Golden Ball Game will be honored by having its picture and the record of the game preserved in the Hall of Fame. This is the only time that such a distinction will be attainable for the average player, because in the future only the outstanding players of the country will be immortalized by having a place in the Hall of Fame.

Register your Golden Ball Game at once with the Naismith Memorial Committee, Springfield, Mass.

Annual Meeting Of The National Federation

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and B. C. Alwes of Donaldsonville, Louisiana. Election is for a term of three years.

MEETING OF EXECUTIVE SECRETARIES: The executive secretaries will meet on Sunday night, February 22nd, at the Hotel Whitcomb. While this meeting is primarily for the purpose of discussing matters of especial interest to state association executive officers, it is open to anyone who has a legitimate interest in the work of the state associations.

One of the reports at this meeting will be a report on eligibility rules by R. M. Berry of Idaho Falls, Idaho.

From The Secretary's Office

District Tournament Sites And Managers

1. Fulton.....W. L. Holland & J. O. Lewis
2. Heath (R. 2, Paducah).....Ed Peck
3. Mayfield.....Ray Ross
4. Murray.....Ed Filbeck
6. Marion.....Casey Organ
7. Madisonville.....Sam B. Pollock
8. Hopkinsville.....Ralph Mills
9. Sturgis.....W. T. McGraw
10. Barret Man. Tr. (at Henderson)..Cooksey Crafton
11. Daviess Co. (at Owensboro)..Lawrence L. McGinnis
12. Breckinridge Co. (at Hardinsburg)
-John M. Henninger
13. Hartford.....L. G. Shultz
14. Drakesboro.....Lonnie Wells
15. Sunfish.....Glen Duvall
16. Caneyville.....G. Riley Nichols
17. Bowling Green.....H. B. Gray
18. Franklin.....Richard Winebarger
19. Glasgow.....Paul Vaughn
20. Edmonton.....Leon Cook
21. Columbia.....Thomas C. Little
22. Horse Cave.....W. B. Owen
23. Elizabethtown.....H. C. Taylor
24. Chaplin.....J. Stanley McGown
29. Okolona.....T. T. Knight
30. Bagdad.....Beckham Power
31. Campbellsburg.....G. H. England
32. Crittenden.....M. Gardner
33. Florence.....F. D. Caton
34. Dixie Heights (R. 4, Covington)...G. K. Gregory
35. Dayton.....Olin W. Davis
36. Holmes (at Covington).....Herbert B. Smith
37. Renaker (R. 6, Cynthiana).....Ross Chasteen
38. Augusta.....Garrett Harrod
39. Fleming Co. (at Flemingsburg)...Frank D. Scott
40. Paris.....F. A. Scott
41. Garth (at Georgetown).....K. G. Gillaspie
42. Burgin.....J. I. Huddleston
43. Lafayette (at Lexington)...Clarence T. Sharpton
44. E. S. T. C. (at Richmond)...Thos. E. McDonough
45. Perryville.....R. C. Campbell
46. Stanford.....J. T. Embry
47. Somerset.....W. B. Jones
48. Hazel Green (at East Bernstadt)...J. B. Reams
49. Laurel Creek (at Mill Pond)...Raleigh Campbell
50. Corbin.....H. A. Howard
51. Middlesboro.....Case Thomasson
52. Loyall.....W. O. Leedy
54. Vicco.....Arthur Eversole
55. Breathitt (at Jackson).....R. M. VanHorn
57. Belfry.....L. C. Farley
58. Betsy Layne.....Arthur W. Haywood
60. Morgan Co. (at West Liberty).....W. O. Pelfrey
61. Trapp (at Winchester).....Robert Berryman
62. Hitchins.....Max Calhoun
63. Lewis Co. (at Vanceburg).....Arthur W. Corns
64. Ashland.....Roy G. Smith

Voting in Districts 5, 53, 56, and 59 resulted in ties and the tournament sites in these districts had not been determined when copy for the February issue of the magazine was sent to the printer.

Supplementary List Of Registered Basketball Officials

- Austin, Ray, Third St., Williamsburg
 Brinkmeyer, Robert B., 1019 Considine Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio
 Campbell, Robert, Cave City
 Carroll, Willard, West Paducah
 Compton, Walter H., Irvington
 Cooper, Willard, Whitley City
 Criswell, John Warren, Randolph County Lumber Co., Parker, Indiana
 Cabbage, Cecil, Muldraugh
 Davis, Ralph, Vanceburg
 DeMoisey, Frenchy, Greendale
 Dossett, Burnett N., Calvert City
 Gues, Charlie, 506 N. Main, Marion
 Halmess, H. J., Carrollton
 Haney, Arnold, Cannel City
 Hodges, Holbert, East Bernstadt
 Hornback, Ted, 1740 Normal Drive, Bowling Green
 Johnson, James H., 806 Brady, Morganfield
 Lawrence, Frank J., College High School, Bowling Green
 Lewis, Herb, 105 College, Glasgow
 Long, Dalton, Kirkmansville
 McCreary, John F., Columbia
 McCuthan, Arad A., 524 E. New York, Evansville, Ind.
 McGee, Carl H., Upton
 Moore, Wm. A., 4211 Vermont, Louisville
 Postlewaite, Clarence, Whitesville
 Ross, W. C., Horse Cave
 Salato, James C., 316 Village, Bowling Green
 Shelton, Gentry A., Central Christian Church, Lexington
 Spurgeon, Kermit, Henryville, Indiana
 Stephenson, Casey, Cherry Village, Bowling Green
 Swain, M. E., Vine Grove
 Tucker, Ed, Central Ave., Somerset
 Tucker, N. L., Vine Grove
 Varble, Bill, 111 32nd St., Louisville
 Ward, Edwin E., 424 Park Ave., Elizabethtown
 Wright, Frank H., Lynch

Supplementary List Of Approved Officials

- Crutcher, Ernest J.
 Dunigan, T. H.

REPORTS PAST DUE

1. 1941 Football Participation List
2. School's Report on Officials (Football)
3. Official's Report on Schools (Football)



TROPHIES TO BE PRESENTED AT THE STATE HIGH SCHOOL TOURNAMENT

Trophies to be presented at the conclusion of the annual Kentucky High School Athletic Association basketball tournament, which is to be held at Louisville, March 19-21, are pictured above. Included in the group of trophies are awards for the championship and runner-up teams, the consolation winner, members of the all-star team, and members of the squads of the championship and runner-up teams. The large championship trophy is in the center of the

picture, with the runner-up trophy at the right, and the consolation trophy at the left. Each member of the 10-man all-star squad is to receive one of the small trophies pictured at the base of the championship award, and little individual basketballs shown at the bases of the small trophies are to go to members of the championship, runner-up, and consolation winners.

Athletic Activities And Priority Restrictions

At the annual meeting of the National Interscholastic Football Committee, there was a thorough discussion of the relation of interscholastic athletic activities to the problem of national defense and national welfare. It was the unanimous opinion of the group that every effort should be used by the members of the committee to gear the entire high school athletic organization to the national defense and national welfare program. This can best be done by:

- a. Encouraging the investment of all available funds of individuals or athletic departments in defense stamps or defense bonds.
- b. Using the school athletic facilities to promote a maximum program designed to maintain both youth morale and adult morale.
- c. Increasing the scope and efficiency of the interscholastic athletic program and basing it on principles which will build health and physical strength, and
- d. Acting on the belief that a comprehensive and continually expanding program of controlled high school sports is an essential factor in the training of those who will soon be called upon to join forces with the men who are actively and directly engaged in defending our nation.

It was further the feeling of the Committee that the ability of the schools to make a maximum contribution along these lines is in danger of being retarded through priority limitations which, while not meant to curb such activities, do inadvertently result in such curtailment. At the present time, there is evidence to indicate that some of the products which are used in the manufacture of basketball and football bladders and in the manufacture of the ball casings themselves are not available to ball manufacturers. It is evident that only a comparatively small amount of rubber is used in this way and it is the plea of the men engaged in the school athletic activities that the authorities will give every reasonable consideration to the needs along these lines.

It is also evident that the allocation of rubber tires for use on school buses has a direct bearing on the problem of some of the essential activities of the school. One of these is related to the ability of a school to use school buses for transporting athletic teams or similar groups for the regular orderly promotion of

the activities of the school athletic department. It is the understanding of the Committee that tires will be allotted for use on school buses, provided their primary purpose is to transport students to and from the school building. The incidental use of buses for the transporting of athletic teams or similar groups in the continuance of their regular school activity program will not affect the ability of such schools to secure tires for vehicles used in this way. That seems a reasonable interpretation to place on the priorities regulations and is in harmony with the spirit of the priorities program. Unfortunately, such interpretation is left to the local priorities board and it is inevitable that these interpretations will vary widely. It is the plea of the groups represented by the Interscholastic Football Committee members that no hamstringing action will be taken by the men who have charge of this particular matter in the local groups.

The essence of these opinions will be forwarded to:
Rubber and Rubber Products Branch
Division of Civilian Supply
Office of Production Management
Washington, D. C.

Atten: Willard Helburn, Chief.

A service might be rendered by members of the Committee if they would write a few lines to the same agency. Obviously each man will use his own words and express his own sentiments.

Letter Received in Response to Those Written by the National and State Secretaries About Priorities in Athletic Materials.

OFFICE OF PRODUCTION MANAGEMENT
Washington, D. C.

January 6, 1942.

National Federation of State High School Athletic Associations,
7 South Dearborn Street,
Chicago, Ill.

Gentlemen:

The Rubber and Rubber Products Branch recognize the necessity of making provision for the use of rubber in the manufacture of certain essential athletic goods. This matter is being given careful consideration.

Your co-operation is appreciated.

Very truly yours,

(signed) WILLARD HELBURN, Chief
Rubber and Rubber Products Branch.

SOUTHEASTERN CONFERENCE BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

AT JEFFERSON COUNTY ARMORY

Louisville, Kentucky

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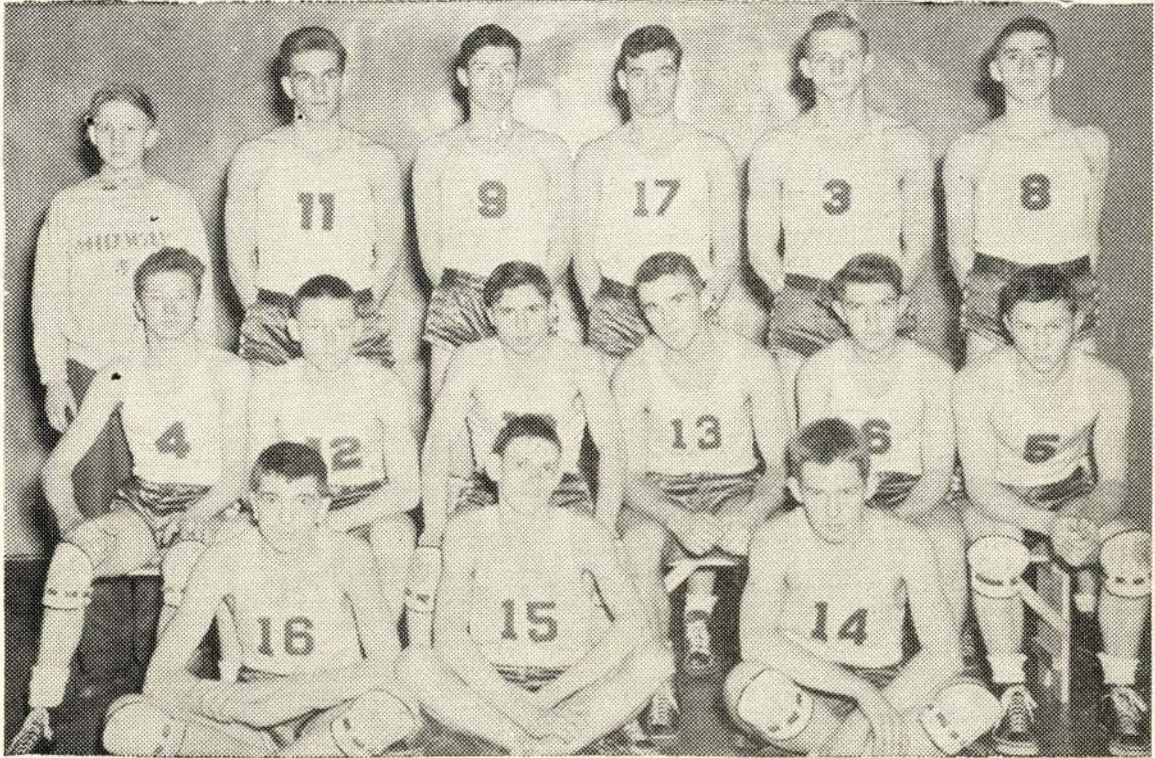
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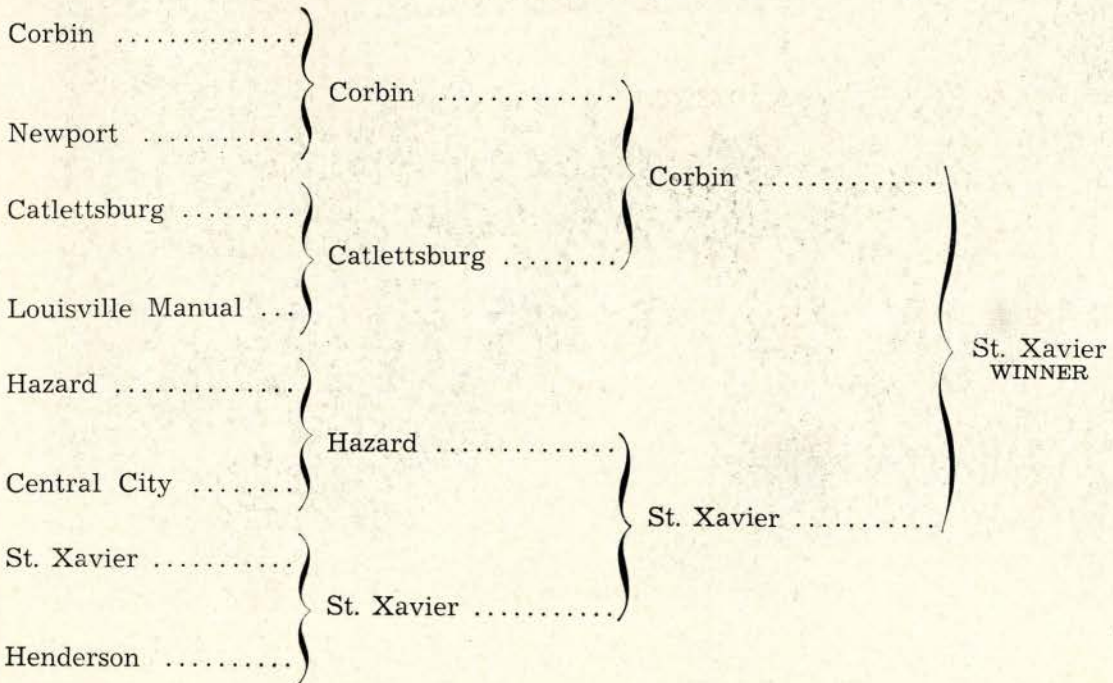
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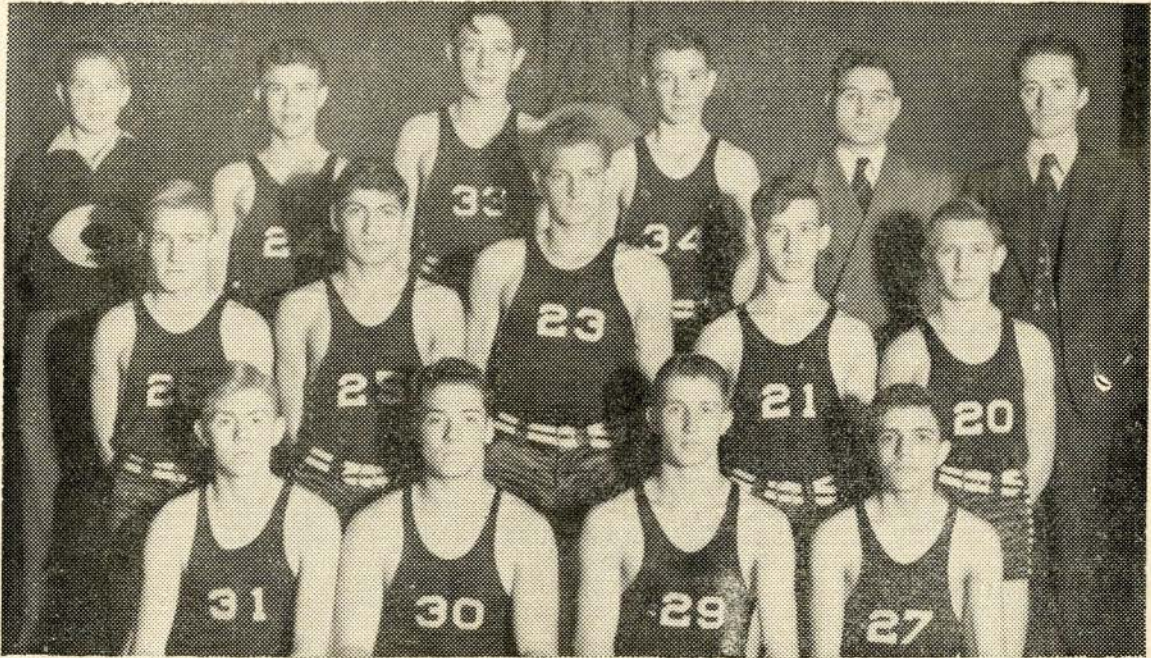


1942 squad St. Xavier High School, Louisville, Kentucky—Kneeling: Arthur Heitlauf, Frank Dougherty, Captain Tom Barry, John Knopf, Jimmy Huter. Standing: Jerry Grenough, Manager, Harry Landes, Junie Zoller, Tom Canary, Jack McIntyre, Bob Kemper, Paul Young, Bert Toomey, Bob Schumann, Coach.

All-Kentucky Conference Tournament, Lexington, Ky. February 6-7, 1942

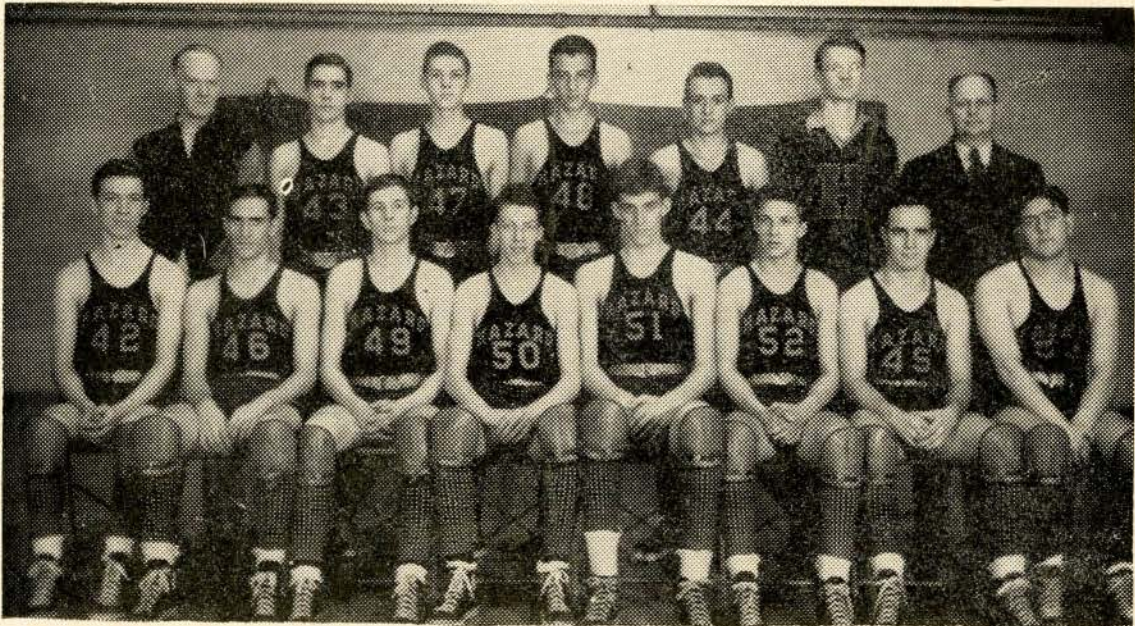


Corbin High School, Runners-Up



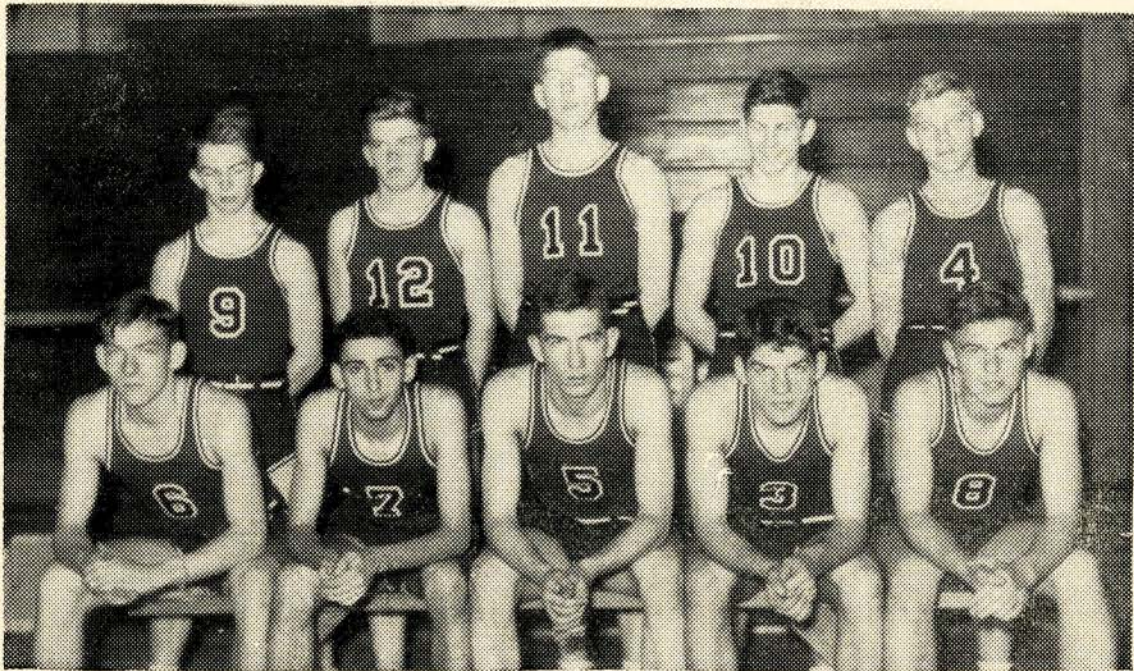
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Hazard High School, Consolation Winner



Front Row—Left to right: B. Boher, D. Rogers, W. Reeves, J. Domyns, B. Collins, Ed Douglas, D. Pritchard, M. Nager. Back Row—Left to right: Coach Pat Payne, J. Brashear, A. Strong, G. Townes, R. Hayes, G. Baker, Mgr., Principal J. Foley Snyder.

Catlettsburg High School, Catlettsburg, Ky.



Front Row—Left to Right: Robert Brooks, William Spears, Jack Pigg, George Wechsler, Robert White.
Second Row—Left to Right: George Williams, Cecil Colvin, Kenneth Pigg, Grover Shepherd, William Selbee, Coach Clifton Dowell, Principal Carl Hicks, Student Manager James Kimberlain.

Central City High School, Central City, Ky.



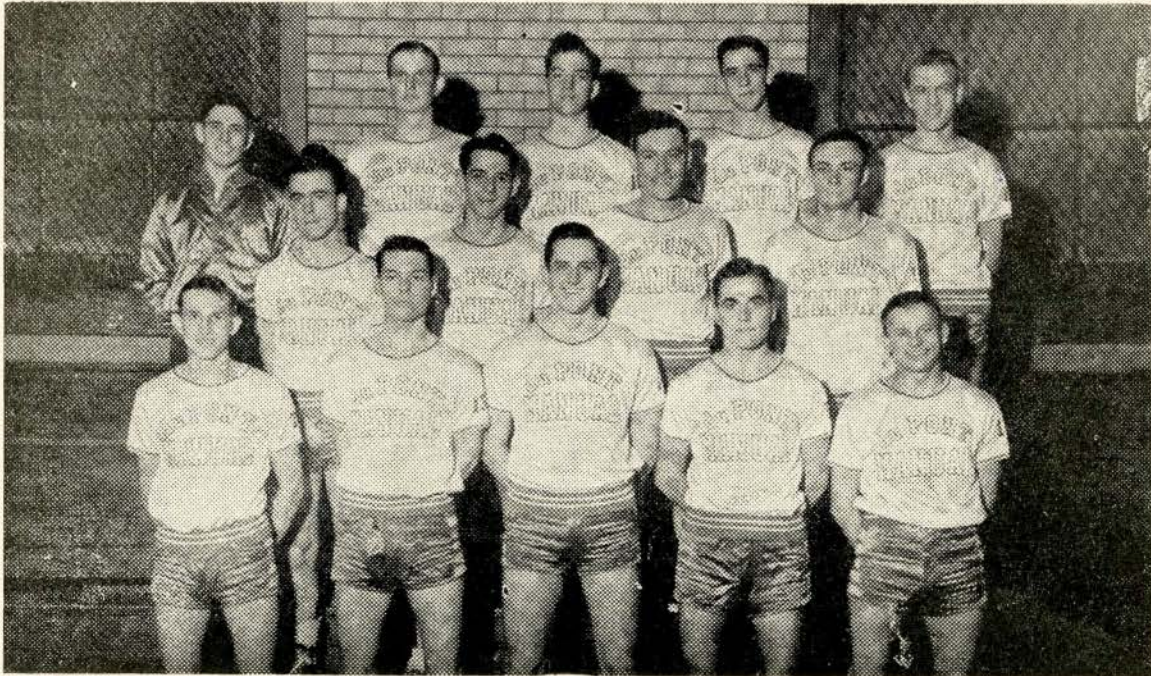
Front Row—Left to Right: James Walker, Evan Ray, Earl Ray Capps, E. G. Stevens, Billie Eades, Buddy Eades. Back Row: Coach George T. Taylor, Beauchamp Kirkpatrick, Billy Arnold, Willam Miller, Robert Millard, Winifred Kelly, team manager.

Newport High School, Newport, Kentucky



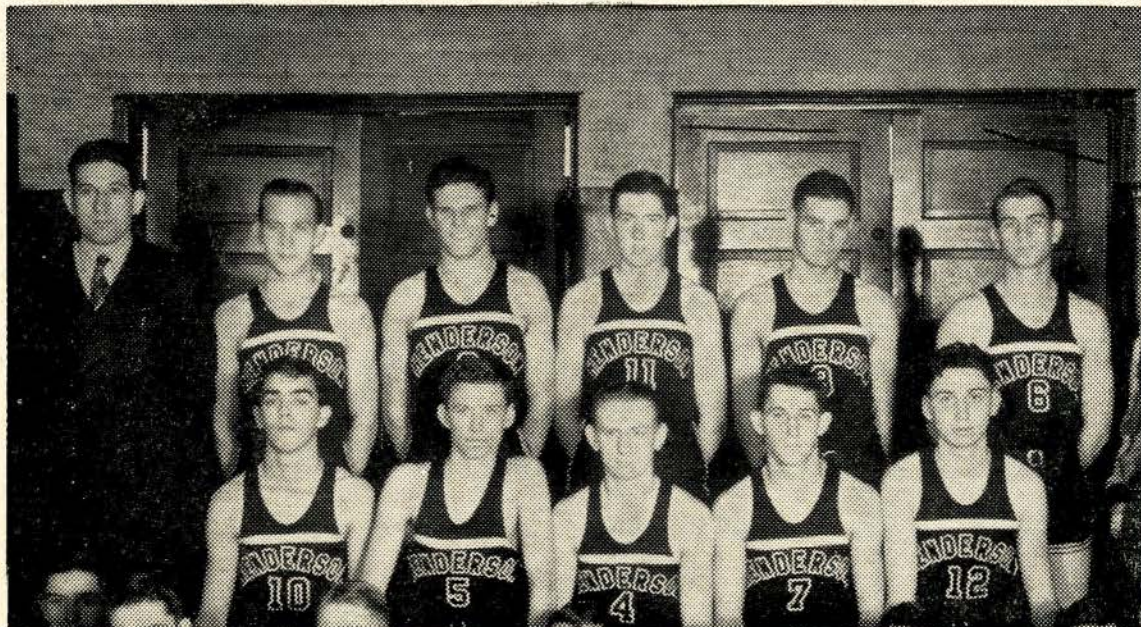
First Row—Left to Right: Erwin Petering, Richard Veith, Lee Gillenbeck, Bob Stone, Everett Beger, Ray Migenery, Jack Chaille. Second Row—Left to Right: Coach Foster, Clifford Beyersdoerfer, Eugene Riddle, Tom Caudill, Donald Gunther, Greene Gabbard, Herbert Citron, J. L. Cobb, Principal.

du Pont Manual High School, Louisville, Ky.



Front Row—Left to Right: Forrest Fears, Charles Jones, Robert Carpenter, Robert Ries, Gilbert Bisig. Second Row—Left to Right: Robert Cusick, Robert Able, Ray Mosely, William Bryant. Third Row—Left to Right: John Dayton, Mgr., Robert Miller, Dave Bruning, Norman Minogue, William Gardner.

Barrett Manual High School, Henderson, Ky.



First Row—Left to Right: Ewing Alan Sharp, James Earl Lilly, George Korb White, Oswald Eudale Todd, John Chambers Weiner. Second Row—Left to Right: Coach Wilms Kiefer, Hurley Rey Israel, Leslie Allen Farra, Harold Fielding Garner, John Francis Melton, Jack Matthew Bippus.

Interscholastic Football Questionnaire

This questionnaire is sent annually to representative football men in order that their views may be presented at the various state meetings and at the annual meeting of the National Committee.

Part I.

Check-Up On Present 1941 Rules

1. When the kick-off is out of bounds, B may choose to take the ball on their 40. Is this rule satisfactory? Yes 1,916; no 262.
2. Ball may not be punted from scrimmage after it has been advanced beyond the scrimmage line. Is this rule satisfactory? Yes 2,015; no 142.
3. It is not a touchback: (a) When a forward pass is incomplete in B's end zone, or (b) When there is interference in the end zone. Is (a) satisfactory? Yes 2,065; no 63. Is (b): Yes 1,691; no 217.
4. There can be no interference during a pass which does not cross the line. Is this rule satisfactory? Yes 1,909; no 224.
5. When a player is in illegal forward motion at the snap, the ball remains dead. Is this rule satisfactory? Yes 1,623; no 504.
6. A player may not participate after he has voluntarily gone out of bounds. Is this rule satisfactory? Yes 2,048; no 79.
7. A substitute may re-enter any number of times. Is this rule satisfactory? Yes 2,085; no 27.

Part II. Needed Data

1. Number high school games you observed this season: 23,736. For these list number of times: (a) Return-kick (not from scrimmage) was made, 1,103; (b) Fair catch was made, 1,751; (c) Free-kick was used after fair catch, 181; (d) A team abused privilege of free substitutions, 410.

2. Did you use any of the molded type footballs? Yes, 109; no, 0. Results: Satisfactory except two.

3. Did you experiment with eliminating penalty for second pass from behind the line? Yes, 70; no, 0. Results: Favorable, 70; opposed, 0.

Part III.

Possible Changes For 1942 Rules

1. Make one rule cover all three free kicks: (check 2). a. For free-kick after fair catch permit ball to be kicked from anywhere along the proper yardline (between the inbounds lines). Yes, 1,769; no, 35. b. If any free-kick is out of bounds between the goal lines, permit B to take the ball at the inbounds spot or on the yardline 20 yards from the kick (same as present kick-off). Yes, 1,571; no, 487.
2. Prescribe that ball remains dead: (check 1) a. For snap infractions such as: fewer than 7 men on the line; player prostrate at the snap; illegal position of linesman; teammate of snap receiver less than 1 yard behind line. Yes, 1,384; no, 618. b. For those in a and also "offside." Yes, 556; no, 1,042.
3. Eliminate: (check 2) a. Return-kick. Yes, 1,030; no, 1,043. b. Fair catch. Yes, 623; no, 1,481.
4. About pass interference by B: (check 2) a. Make penalty loss of 15 from previous spot and first down for A. Yes, 1,001; no, 943. b. Remove the extra 15 yard penalty when interference is also unnecessary roughness or else add 15 yards to loss when same act is by A. Yes, 1,028; no, 841.
5. When kickers are first to touch kick: (check 3) a. Kill ball as soon as illegally touched. Yes, 1,089; no, 955. b. If a is not adopted, kill ball as soon as kickers are in possession. Yes, 1,412; no, 429. c. Make penalty loss of 15 from previous spot. Yes, 326; no, 1,538.
6. When fouls between downs occur at approximately the same time (before the stakes are moved), let penalties offset. Yes, 1,721; no, 312.

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S. I. A. A. Basketball Tourney

The nineteenth annual S. I. A. A. basketball tournament will be held on the campus of Western Teachers College in Bowling Green, on March 5, 6 and 7, according to an announcement made by W. L. "Gander" Terry, Western athletic director who is manager of the tournament.

Eight S. I. A. A. teams with the best standings for the season will participate with the champion being crowned on Saturday night. The teams will be announced following a meeting of the tournament committee Monday, March 2.

The Western Hilltoppers, hosts of the tournament, will again be the defending champions, and according to their mid-season record will be the team to beat for the title.

The Hilltoppers have ruled the S. I. A. A. with an iron hand since 1934. That year the Hilltoppers won the championship at Jackson, Mississippi by beating Berea 42-40 in the final game. In 1935 and 1936 the Hilltoppers were runners-up. In 1937 when the tournament was held in Bowling Green for the first time, they won the title, defeating Murray in the finals 37-32. In 1938 the Hilltoppers won their third championship by defeating Murray 44-39. Their fourth conference championship came in 1939 at the expense of Jacksonville (Ala.) Teachers by a score of 56-43. In 1940 the Hilltoppers annexed their fifth by defeating Louisiana Normal 39-33, and last year won their sixth championship by dropping Murray 45-41.

This year's tournament will mark the sixth time that the event has been held in Bowling Green. The five previous tournaments have been financial successes.

Interscholastic Football Questionnaire

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7. When a foul occurs prior to a forward pass or kick from behind the line or during any loose ball from scrimmage, penalize from the previous spot (as at present), except that if the foul is by the offense and is behind the previous spot, penalize from the spot of the foul. Yes, 1,582; no, 509.

8. About a forward pass which is completed behind the line: (check 2) a. After such pass, permit player to run, pass or kick. Yes, 1,436; no, 643. b. Treat such a pass the same as a handed pass. Yes, 1,253; no, 747.

9. If second pass from behind the line is not legalized, prescribe distance penalty of 5 yards for all three illegal passes. Yes, 1,292; no, 647.

10. When pass is incomplete behind passer's own goal line (not intentional), prescribe loss of down only. Yes, 1,701; no, 309.

Six-Man Rules Proposals

NOTE: Check these only if you are coaching, managing or officiating six-man games.

11. Eliminate the return-kick. Yes, 123; no, 198.

12. Base the Six-Man Rules on the Interscholastic Code. Yes, 309; no, 21. Publish these in a separate six-man rules book. Yes, 210; no, 95.

13. Provide protection for the catcher of a kick by prohibiting a tackle: a. While he is still in an unprotected position. Yes, 100; no, 217. b. Until he has taken two steps. Yes, 64; no, 164.

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ATHLETICS AND NATIONAL DEFENSE

The entire resources of the nation must be made available for defense activities. There are many ways in which the high schools can make a contribution. The entire high school athletic organization must be geared to the national defense and national welfare program. There are certain principles which may be followed in the efforts of these departments in order that these efforts will not be disjointed and ineffective.

- a. All available funds of individuals or of the athletic department itself should be invested in defense stamps or defense bonds. In some cases, it may be desirable to invest in the Series G Savings Bonds. These bonds bear interest at 2½% and the interest is paid annually. This interest would provide a sinking fund for the athletic department so that it would always be insured of having at least a small amount available for the purchase of necessary materials at the beginning of each school year.
- b. Maximum use of the school athletic facilities should be made to promote a program designed to maintain youth morale and adult morale.
- c. The scope and efficiency of the interscholastic athletic program must be increased and there must be ever increasing efforts to base all of the activities of the program on principles which will build health, physical strength and morale.
- d. Those in charge of athletic departments must maintain their faith in the great value of a comprehensive and continually expanding program of controlled high school sports as an essential factor in the training of those who will soon be called upon to join forces with the men who are actively and directly engaged in preserving the nation.
- e. Since priorities limitations might retard these essential activities, it is necessary that the values of the athletic activities as a part of the training program be presented to the local boards which are in charge of the distribution of materials which directly affect the ability of the schools to maintain and expand their physical training programs. These materials include tires and accessories which are used on school buses which are incidentally used in the transporting of teams or other groups. It also applies to materials which are used in the manufacture of basketballs, footballs and other necessary playing equipment.

The high schools have always been in the forefront of any movement designed to maintain and increase the appreciation of all Americans for the great privileges they enjoy in a nation devoted to the preservation of maximum liberties for its citizens. **The schools will continue to be in the forefront of this type of activity. The ultimate safety of the nation will be determined by how efficiently this work is done. Athletic departments are one important part of the school system which can and will keep America thoroughly American.**

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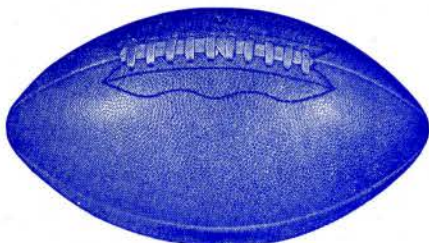


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