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# Official Handbook

or the

North Dakota High School League

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# The League Calendar

# NOTE PARTICULARLY:-

ALL MEMBERSHIPS EXPIRE September 30th, and are renewed only by specific payment of dues.

The fee is \$1.00 for towns under 1,000 population; \$2.00 for towns between 1,000 and 2,000; and \$3.00 for towns over 2,000.

BUT IF dues are not paid by November 1st they shall be doubled and if not paid by December 1st, they shall be increased by \$5.00. Further, no memberships shall be accepted after January first. AND:—Dues cannot be accepted if your OFFICIAL ELIGIBILITY BLANKS HAVE NOT BEEN FILED WITH THE SECRETARY.

# What To Do In

#### SEPTEMBER:

- (a) Pay the dues at once; secure all League blanks thereby, and athletic books.
- (b) Join the Athletic Accident Benefit Fund, to protect your school, and your boys, \$1.00 for football, 75c for six man football. Explain the Fund to all athletes.
- (c) Have a physical examination of all boys preparing to participate in athletics.
- (e) Begin at once to check player's eligibility:—Age, semesters of attendance, seasons of attendance, and scholastic records the past semester particularly. Watch 9th semester athletes' ages!
- (f) Get an early start on the SIX MAN FOOTBALL.
- (g) Give special attention to the tobacco and beer rule, right from the start.
- (h) Why not a special "For-the-good-of-athletics" assembly, early in September.
- (i) See News Letters for the Football Tournament Plans.

#### OCTOBER:

- (a) Hurry and pay the membership fee. After October 31 the membership fee is doubled.
- (b) What of the Six Man Football Championship?
- (c) A good time now to think about the Accident Benefit Fund, for Basketball at 50c per boy.

## NOVEMBER:

- (a) At N. D. E. A. time, the Annual Fall meeting is the big meeting of the League year. This is the time to bring in all sorts of well thought out plans and suggestions. Send coaches to the athletic clinic.
- (b) Start your plans from the first, for the never-varying custom in all contests, and particularly in basketball, of (a) exchanging Eligibility Sheets; and (b) Contracts.
- (c) If your dues are still unpaid, HURRY UP, for after the last day of November dues are increased by five dollars. Too bad, too.

#### DECEMBER:

- (a) If your membership fee has not been paid before the end of this month, you are out of the League.
- (b) Class B schools better send in their \$2.00 Tournament Fees now for it has to be doubled after the 15th of next month. You might forget it.
- (c) With basketball right on us, why not check again every possible representative of your school on all eligibility points; complete the physical examinations; really secure parental consent; protect the boys with the Athletic Accident Benefit Fund; hold a special assembly to talk about all eligibility rules; with special bearing on the tobacco and beer rule. Watch all ninth semester boys for ages.
- (d) Yes, the League has adopted a Committee Report, urging against interscholastic competitive contests for girls. It is not prohibited however, by our League as has been done in some states.

#### JANUARY:

- (a) Too late to join the League now.
- (b) Pay up your Tournament Eentry Fees of \$2.00 (Class B Schools) before the 15th, and save the \$2.00 penalty. Send it to your District Tournament Chairman.
- (c) Did you actually complete—the physical examination; parental permission for participation; athletic assembly; membership in A. A. Benefit Fund—and other good resolutions—or are you merely paving some more (with good intentions).

#### FEBRUARY:

- (a) Tournament entry fee is doubled now (\$4.00), but still can be received by the 15th. Hurry it to your District Tournament Committee Chairman.
- (b) Avoid the end-of-the-season embarrassment to your school and team, by making certain before the Tournaments are any nearer, that there is no possible eligibility question about any of your contestants.
- (c) Why not write to your Tournament Committee, giving suggestions for tournaments.

#### MARCH:

- (a) "A" Tournament March 13-14-15, "B" Tournament March 20-21-22.
- (b) With the closing of the basketball season you are preparing your data for the Official Eligibility Report, whereon you list the record of absolutely every lad who has represented your school in any inter-scholastic basketball contest, however unimportant, on any team.

#### APRIL:

- (a) Track time begins. The League is making a strenuous effort to develop track and field work. Get your lads in as many meets as you can. It is a fine spring sport.
- (b) Unless otherwise notified, any Track Meet large enough to have 6 League schools entered, if an open meet, automatically becomes an Official Qualifying Meet for any subsequent State Meet. Qualifying events must have at least 3 contestants; and 1st and 2nd place winners are eligible for the "State" Meets.
- (c) Have you considered the Athletic Accident Fund protection for your track and field boys? It has frequently saved some school embarrassment, and helped lads pay injury bills.

#### MAY:

(a) Classified High Schools, whether 1st, 2nd, 3rd, or whatever size in enrollment must be League members to participate in any kind of Inter-scholastic contest,—athletic, music, declamation, etc.—whether held in a County Festival, or a State University or elsewhere. Lines are to be more rigidly drawn than heretofore. League Eligibility Rules apply.

# Summary of Significant Dates

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September 30th. All memberships expire at midnight.

November 30th. Memberships paid after this date cost \$5.00 additional.

December 31st. No membership can be received after this date.

Dead line! Tournament Entry Fee of \$2.00 is due. Pay it to your District Tournament Committee Chairman.

January 15th. Tournament Entry Fee doubled to \$4.00 after this date.

February 15th. Tournament Fee not accepted after this date. Dead line!

# Directory

# A. The League Meetings.

- 1. The Annual Meeting, at the time of the N. D. E. A.
- 2. The Spring Meeting, at the time of the H. S. Conference at the University.

# B. Membership of the Board of Control.

# Board of Control

B. C. B. Tighe, Fargo, Pres. Term expires 1942.

M. B. Zimmerman, Wahpeton, Vice-pres. Term expires 1942.

L. A. White, Minot, Sec'y-Treas. Term expires 1941.

Earl Abrahamson, Mohall. Term expires 1940.

J. J. Roberts, Elgin. Term expires 1940.

# C. District Tournament Committees:

Note: The following men constituted the Tournament Committees for 1939-40 and are re-appointed for next year. In the event one man removes, the remaining two are authorized to appoint his successor.

The first named is chairman.

#### District No. 1-

J. E. Knain, Milnor; A. L. Lantz, Casselton; A. M. Dahlen, Fairmount.

#### District No. 2-

J. J. Elster, Hillsboro; Walter Reitan, Larimore; E. A. Jerde, Finley.

#### District No. 3-

Harold Wakefield, LaMoure; E. A. Quam, Oakes; E. C. Ingvalson, Ellendale

#### District No. 4-

E. S. Killie, Fessenden; R. L. Edwards, Hannaford; R. O. Bostram, Harvey.

#### District No. 5—

O. C. Meyer, Wishek; M. C. Olson, Napoleon; L. T. Totdahl, Steele.

#### District No. 6-

Guy Thorson, Washburn; Lloyd Williams, Wilton; L. O. Alm, Underwood.

#### District No. 7-

E. O. Morstad, New England; D. G. Stubbins, Mott; Arthur Olson, Regent.

#### District No. 8-

H. A. Westley, Marmarth; O. L. Jensen, Scranton; J. V. E. Worling, Haynes.

## District No. 9-

W. L. Jacobson, New Salem; Robt. Lovell, Killdeer; C. L. Woodward, Model H. S., S. T. C., Dickinson.

#### District No 10-

H. W. Pearson, Belfield.

## District No. 11-

O. E. Tiller, Walhalla; H. J. Talle, Neche; A. O. Elstad, Drayton.

#### District No. 12-

I. E. Ottem, Langdon; M. R. Lazenby, Michigan; O. B. Haroldson, Sarles.

#### District No. 13-

Leonard Havig, Rugby; B. B. James, Egeland; C. J. Glust, Rolla.

#### District No. 14-

A. J. Solvie, Plaza; T. S. Grimsrud, Granville; E. R. Manning, Drake.

#### District No. 15-

E. C. Johnson, Kenmare; W. E. Michaelson, Crosby; Lloyd King, Bowbells.

# District No. 16-

Edwin Lee, Alexander; C. H. Rodewald, Tioga; Iverson.

# D. DISTRICT TOURNAMENT CENTERS AND MANAGERS 1939-1940

Dist	Location	Manager
Dist.	School, Lidgerwood	E. V. Murdoch
2 State	Teachers College, Mayville	Lewy Liee
2 Uich	School Ellendale	E. C. Ingvalson
4 Uiah	School Fessenden	E. Ø. Kime
5 Uich	School Ashley	B. F. neitzman
6 High	School Washburn	G. A. Indison
7 High	School Mott	Supt. D. J. Stubbins
Q High	School Hettinger	Supt. J. J. Roberts
0 Link	School New Salem	Supt. W. L. Jacobson
10 Stote	Teachers College, Dickinson	H. J. Wielibergen
11 High	School Cavalier	U. N. Christopherson
19 High	School Langdon	E. Ottem
12 High	School Leeds	Geo. Kioustau
1/ High	School Granville	T. S. Griffishuu
15 Men	corial Hall, Kenmare	E. C. Johnson
16. High	h School, Williston	Supt. J. N. Urness
A. Farg	conal Tournament Centers and Manage Construction School, Enderlin School, Bismarck Colored Hettinger	A, P. Beleal
C. High	h School, Hettinger	J. J. Roberts
D. Digi	h School, New Salem	W. L. Jacobson
E. High	h School, Walhalla	V. E. Tiller
r, rugi	h School, Willow City	J. E. Slatta
U Uin	h School, Williston	J. N. Urness
m. mg	n School, Williams	
Class I	te Tournament Centers and Manage 3.—H. S. Gymnasium, Minot A.—Memorial Hall, Bismarckte Track and Field Meet:	G. O. MellemSupt. H. O. Saxvik
Bisma	rck	W. H. Payne
H. Dis	strict Official Qualifying Track and Managers:	
Dist.	Place	Manager
1 Stat	co College Fargo	C. C. Finnegan
2. Jan	nestown College	E. J. Cassell
2. Jan		T. E. Simle

3. Bismarck \_\_\_\_\_T. E. Simle

4. Dickinson S. T. C.	H. J. Weinbergen
5. University	C. A. West
6. Devils Lake	F. H. Gilliland
7. Minot	W. D. Allen
8. Williston	J. N. Urness

N. D. HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE

# Scattered Items of Interest

#### The National Federation of State H. S. A. A.

The development of the National Federation of State High School Athletic Associations has been more rapid and more complete than many school men may know.

The most recent report indicates that all the states of the union but twelve are now members. The exceptions are: California, Texas, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, Kentucky, Maryland, New Jersey, Massachusetts, Vermont, New Hampshire and Deleware. Kentucky is expected to affiliate this year. The combined school membership of these 35 states is 24,291, representing about 3,574,000 high school students.

Fourteen have full time paid executive-secretaries: Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Nebraska, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, South Dakota, Texas and West Virginia.

Nineteen of these states require registration of officials.

Thirty-one states conduct state rules interpretation meetings, our own state being reported as one of these.

Twenty-one states have officials' organizations, but do not require registration, and our own state is reported as one of these, since there are a number of officials' groups thruout the state.

Twenty-six states use the National Federation rules books, as North Dakota has done for several years.

Twenty-three states sponsor athletic accident benefit fund plans. Our own state was one of the earlier states to undertake this; but the movement has spread rapidly.

Eleven states determine state football championships; 44 have state basketball championship tournaments; 35 in tennis; 30 in golf; 20 in swimming; 14 in wrestling; 1 in softball 14 in baseball; 14 sponsor literary activities (including our state); 9 sponsor music activites; 7 sponsor commercal activities. 13 states sponsor girls athletic association (but this does not automatically mean that they sponsor interscholastic contests for girls). 33 states publish some form of bulletins at regular intervals, some of them much more elaborate and expensive than our news letters.

# THE ATHLETIC ACCIDENT BENEFIT PLAN

The A. A. B. fund plan has now passed the experimental stage in our own state and in several other states where it has been tried out for several years. Altogether 23 states are operating A. A. B. fund plans all of them following rather closely upon the original plan as developed in Wisconsin.

The special handbook of 1938 gives all needed details but our correspondence each year makes it obvious that there remain some misconceptions.

First:—The A. A. B. fund plan definitely is not insurance, and should not be so called. There is no contract between the individual athlete and the A. A. B. fund of the N. D. H. S. league. The league does not guarantee the payment of any or all claims. It does expect to pay. It always has paid; and in full. And there seems to be no reason to feel that the A. A. B. fund plan need fall short of making full payments. But this is a fundamental conception that must be kept clear.

Second:—The A. A. B. fund plan does not anticipate payments on all and sundry injuries. The schedule of benefits is the guiding authority, and the board of control is authorized to make payments only in keeping with the schedule of benefits. This lists over thirty specific injuries, all either breaks or dislocations. And it is to be noted that only the breaks and fractures are "protected." For sprains, and bruises and cuts and infections, for torn ligaments and srtains and for a miscellany of accidents that can and do occur, there is no place in any of the schedule of benefits of any of the A. A. B. fund plans of any of the states.

Third:—Specific amounts can be paid for treatments for the specified breaks and dislocations. Payments cannot be made if the doctor or dentist does not give service. That is \$10.00 is not paid for a broken tooth, but when a tooth is broken and is repaired, then the fund can pay up to \$10.00 on the bill. If the bill is less than the amount specified by the schedule of benefits, then the A. A. B. fund pays the actual amount of the bill.

Fourth:—Three definite obligations rest upon the school-man-incharge in his own school:

- (A) The collection of the fee and forwarding the amount to the league secretary. A boy's protection begins, not when he pays the school representative the amount, but when the school man pays the fees over to the league secretary. This must be clear. It is exactly the same principle used by insurance companies. Locking the fees up in the school-office safe does not make the boy a member of the state H. S. league A. A. B. fund.
  - (B) As soon as the injury occurs, a post card is to be sent to

the secretary whereupon the official report of injury blank will be returned. The notification to the secretary must be made within 12 days maximum. But why wait at all!

(D) Then the report blank from the secretary giving proof of the injury and treatment, as signed by a school representative and doctor or dentist must be returned to the secretary. This should be done promptly; and must be done within at least 60 days. But again, why wait!

The board of control hereby reports that every claim for every injury as listed in the schedule of benefits has always been paid in full to date. This is a remarkable record. Thruout the state there seems to be a keen appreciation of the service the league is rendering the boys of the schools. C. and G. S. league members have asked if they could not get membership. Boys from non-member league schools have asked for membership. Some schools register their entire working squads of football players—Jamestown registered over 80 boys in football alone! Many schools have consistently registered their boys every year since the A. A. B. fund was started.

In these several years, but two criticisms have been made to the secretary about the A. A. B. fund. One was to the effect that it seemed unfortunate if not unfair that x-rays could be paid for but that fluroscopic work could not be, thus "encouraging x-rays whether needed or not;" and the other was the grievance, natural enough when a lad had an extremely high bill (around \$400.00) caused by a bad arm fracture that did not respond properly, and the league could pay only the amount as listed by the schedule of benefits. Presumably there have been other feelings of criticism, not expressed in letters. But in so far as they are of the same character, little can be done about them. They are based on misunderstandings. For until the league itself authorizes some different payment, the board of control has no legal right to make payments other than in strict accordance with the officially accepted schedule of benefits. The schedule of benefits is the "law of the Medes and Persians" so far as payments are concerned. All A. A. B. fund plans of all other states operate in exactly the same way.

However constructive criticisms are eagerly sought by the board of control. The plan seems to operate with remarkable ease and comfort and to the general satisfaction of members.

#### MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS

By C. O. Jackson, Scholastic Coach June. 1940

While most state high school athletic associations require a certificate of physical fitness for every boy or girl who engages in interscholastic competition, there are still many administrative agencies that have not assumed this responsibility. C. O. Jackson, assistant

professor of physical education at the University of Illinois presents some convincing facts in support of pre-sport medical examinations together with ways and means of handling the problem.

Every study of high school students bears this out, that we must be certain that we have a sound physical specimen to begin with. One survey (White House Conference on Child Health and Protection) of 45,000,000 pupils reported 35,000,000 of the group as reasonably normal. But among the others, 6,000,000 suffered from malnutrition, 1,000,000 had damaged or weak hearts and 382,000 were tuberculous.

Another study (Public Health Bulletin," The Health of the School Child") of 30,000 school children showed that approximately 10,000 had diseased tonsils, 11,000 heart defects and about 100 tuberculosis. The study also made mention of the rapid growth and development of the heart and lungs during the secondary school level, and revealed the fact that there is more than a 50 per cent increase in heart defects during this period.

Granted that the majority of these boys and girls never participate in athletics, but it is discomforting to think of the number that actually do.

Data on 12,000 athletes in 375 high schools in Indiana who took the required state examinations in 1934 show that there were 193 cases of defective hearts, 29 deformities, 21 were who underweight, 17 with hernia, 9 who had tuberculosis, 9 with varicose veins, appendicitis, rheumatism (3 each) and 25 miscellaneous.

One hundred and thirty-three schools reported a toal of 303 boys who were rejected as physically unfit. While this is only two and a half percent of the entire group, it is significant nevertheless when you remember that most of these boys had previously considered themselves physically fit in every way!

Colleges and universities consider rigid medical examinations a necessary pre-requisite for participation in all sports. Altho the athletes are older and usually more mature than high school boys, examinations are compulsory in almost every school.

Even where the matter of cost is a vital factor, worthwhile examinations can often be given without serious strain on the school or the athletic association budget as the case may be. In many instances, the parents themselves are financially able and willing to bear the cost, if they recognize its value. Occasionally, a physician interested in boys and athletics, may be given a courtesy pass to all contests and invited to act as the team physician during the games. If possible, he should be present during all practice sessions as well.

Still another plan is to arrive at an agreement with local physicians, whereby a fixed sum, usually so much per pupil, makes possible a physical check-up of every student in school.

A casual examination may be much worse than none at all, because of the false security it creates. The examining physician, there-

fore, should give an examination comparable to that required by life insurance companies, with the possible addition to the Shick, Dick, and tuberculin tests.

While the school cannot accept responsibility for injuries received in athletics, it has a moral obligation to insure reasonable safety by providing competent supervision.

# HANDICAPPED ATHLETES CAN MAKE GOOD

While a plea is being made for an efficient physical examination for boys who are to enter athletics for their own protection and that of the school and coach, athletic history is full of thrilling examples of handicapped boys and men who rose above their obstacles in a mighty way.

What high school boy does not know of Glenn Cunningham and Archie San Romani, both badly burned in early youth.

The June issue of the Scholastic Coach tells of a number of athletes who just could not be kept back, despite apparently insuperable obstacles:—

There was Kelly Horn of the University of Alabama, a high jumper of real note who with a withered left foot, a result of a burning accident, wearing only one jumping shoe cleared the bar at 5 feet 7½ inch!

The Des Moines Daily Register reports the feat of Hubert Norman of Clinton, Iowa, who set a new state record in the 220 free style swim, despite the fact that he had but one leg. And one is reminded of Louise Benson of Milwaukee who once made the U. S. Olympic team as a swimmer, after undergoing seven operations for infantile paralysis.

Who has forgotten "Three-fingered" Moredcai Brown? Luther College man of the state, know George Baker, mayor of Decorah, Iowa, who bowls in state competitions and is an excellent tennis player and golfer—despite the fact that he was born with both arms crippled. Robert Allman of Pennsylvania received marked attention in a recent issue of the Saturday Evening Post—the famous blind wrestler. An Iowa team has won significant distinction this past season in basketball as it has been led by a lad whose arm had been paralyzed by infantile paraylsis, and another Iowa high school had a like experience with a football team, except that its leader was also blind in one eye.

And so on. Most coaches and followers of the Land of Sports have known personally of similar examples.

But the point of these paragraphs, is not alone to give credit to the courage and skill of these athletes. Rather is it to stimulate all coaches and principles toward activite encouragement of a program of athletic activities for ALL SCHOOL BOYS, even including the handicapped.

# Report of the League Secretary

The league membership year is from September 30th to September 30th. It is the school itself that is the member—not the coach or the principal or the superintendent. The superintendent is, by League Constitution the official representative of the school unless some other faculty member is officially and specifically so named by the superintendent. The League through its officers addresses its activities directly to the superintendent. While the Board of Control welcomes correspondence from any one interested in contest or athletic problems, it is the superintendent of the school who is the normal representative.

While the League memberships may be renewed up to and including the last day of December, there is a rather definite line of correlation between the date of the renewal of membership and the school's interest in the League. Long time members and ardent supporters of the League rarely let September go far without caring for their renewal fees.

For this reason, again this year the secretary makes his report in terms of months, listing schools according to their months of renewals:

July:-Portland; Killdeer.

August:—Minto; Velva; Watford City; Aneta; Starkweather; Leith; Mohall; Alexander; Lisbon; Devils Lake; Hoople; Harvey; Havana; St. Mary's (Bismarck); Bismarck; Drake; Crosby; Kenmare; Assumption Abbey, (Richardton); Ray; Larimore; Max; Reeder; New Leipzig; Lakota; Hatton; Dickinson; Beach; St. Leo's, Minot); Linton; Drayton; Halliday; Calvin; McClusky; Williston; Ellendale; Cavalier; Steele; Stanley; Jamestown; Oakes; Grafton.

September:—Rolette; Dazey; Michigan; Petersburg; Donnybrook; Mandan; Valley City; Rugby; Egeland; Enderlin; Elgin; Wilton; Rhames; Regent; Napoleon; Langdon; Alamo; Noonan; Bottineau; Oberon; Scranton; Grand Forks; Park River; Elbowoods; New England; Marmarth; Hazen; Hillsboro; LaMoure; Fessenden; Cando; New Salem; Nome; Carrington; Sykeston; Parshall; Wildrose; Sherwood; Milnor; Wyndmere; Lidgerwood; Lansford; Kulm; Wishek; Ashley; St. Thomas; New Rockford; Columbus; Gilby; Belfield; Plaza; Zeeland; Monango; Kensal; Tower City; Coleharbor; Powers Lake; Bowbells; Flaxton; Bowman; St. John; Sheldon; Hannaford; Westhope; Minnewaukan; Wahpeton; St. James Academy (Grand Forks); Finley; Minot; Osnabrock; Willow City; Fort Yates; Sentinel Butte; Hettinger; Portal; Calvin; Churches Ferry; Carpio; Underwood; Hunter; Mohall; Sharon; Mayville; Glen Ullin; Cooperstown; Haynes; Hankinson; Anamoose; Granville; Ryder; Mott;

Model High, (Valley City); Hamilton; Walhalla; Edgeley; Model High (Minot); Larimore; Leeds; Northwood; McVille; Model High, (Dickinson); Arnegard; Sanborn; Tioga; Fargo; Turtle Lake; Makoti; Pembina; Hebron; Page; Berthold; Mercer; Medina; Hope; Garrison; Strasburg; Marion; Grenora; Braddock; Langdon; Rolla; Casselton; Sacred Heart, (Fargo); Edmore; Kindred; York; Forman; St. John's Academy, (Jamestown); Coteau; Washburn; Cogswell; Nekoma; McGregor; Douglas; Maddock; Epping; Beulah; Bucyrus; Courtenay; Esmond; Taylor; Crystal.

October:—Golva; St. Francis, (Hankinson); Taylor; Sarles, Inkster; Rock Lake; Ambrose; Towner; Neche; Milton; Sheyenne; Bathgate; Streeter; Fairmount; Webster; Oak Grove, (Fargo); Bisbee; Hannah; Carson; Hazelton; Dunseith.

November:—Omemee; Tolley; Maddock; Upham; Glenburn; Lignite; Fort Totten; Wimbledon; Taylor; Flasher; Buffalo; Fingal.

**December:**—Surrey; Crary; St. Mary's, (Devils Lake); Buffalo Springs.

June:--Underwood (for 1940-1941).

July:-Elgin (for 1940-1941).

The problem of delayed membership not infrequently has its source in a local debate as to whether to enter the C. and G .S. League or the N. D. H. S. League, or whether to enter both, or whether to enter neither. The N. D. H. S. League has authorized no effort toward securing membership from the consolidated school, but does authorize the Board of Control to take into annual membership a year at a time; such consolidated high school as may meet the standards of classified high schools. However the C. and G. S. League has found itself at times with a number of smaller 3rd class high schools seeking admission in parts of the state where there are more C. and G. S. schools than H. S. League schools. The official N. D. H. S. League answer is to the effect that all classified high schools must join their own N. D. H. S. League if they would hold any competitive relations with other classified high schools, but they are at liberty to join the C. and G. S. League also if they so desire, provided only that no school may participate in more than one series of District contests.

# Report of the League Treasurer

The usual annual C. P. A. audit is shown elsewhere in this Yearbook, but it has been found helpful for the treasurer to give in "round figures" a somewhat detailed financial story of the year. Since

this story is being written some time prior to the audit, the figures will not exactly correspond with those of the audit.

1. How much money has the N. D. H. S. League?

This is always a good question, in any organization. Last year's audit of June 30, 1939, showed the League to own government securities as follows:—\$1,150 in U. S. treasury bonds 3¼'s; \$600 in U. S. treasury bonds 3½'s; \$1,500 U. S. saving bonds, 1937; \$2,100 U. S. savings bonds, 1939; total \$5,350.00, government securities. To this is to be added the savings account of \$1,842.54 in the Union National Bank of Minot, which is protected by the U. S. government. This totaled \$7,192.54 as shown by the investment account in the C. P. A. audit. To this might be added the \$421.88 in the closed bank account, registered card No. 503, Mandan Farmers State Bank, for it appears that the bank is slowly paying its way out. But from the total was to be subtracted \$153.90 as we were overdrawn by that amount at that audit time.

The N. D. H. S. League has been most fortunate in its care of its moneys. As shown in previous yearbooks, the moneys were at one time kept in C. D.'s in banks in Minot, Grand Forks, Fargo and Mandan. But by action of the board of control the moneys were taken later invested in government bonds, avoiding problems that later arose in some of the banks. The Farmers State Bank at Mandan closed before that \$500 lpus \$101.88 in interest could be withdrawn; but the bank to date (July 1, 1940, has made four payments—\$60, \$60, \$60 and \$47.83, the most recent payment being this spring.)

A consideration of the expenditures as analyzed in the following accounts will indicate that the Board of Control feels free so to direct expenditures that the league's finances are kept about the same from year to year. For instance the B tournament now pays its own way, but the A. A. B. fund fails to pay out in eleven man football and six man football particularly. And the board spends more freely for other items. The changes in the investment account since last year's audit include the exchange of the U. S. bonds since they had matured for U. S. savings certificates for the same amount, \$2,100.00; the withdrawal of \$500.00 from savings account to the checking account which was running low reducing that account then to \$1,351.75. The only increments were the findings of \$1.00 error in interest, and the adding of the year's interests on the savings account.

2. How about the tournaments, are they not a source of considerable income?

Yes, the A tournament continues, as it has for years, to be the main source of income for the league. If anything happens to the A tournament, the league would either have to fold up, or withdraw from most of its activities, or raise its membership fees to perhaps ten to fifteen times the present amounts. Several yearbooks have published resumes of incomes from the A tournaments over a series.

of years. This year Mr. Saxvik wrote a check for \$3,285.63 as the league's share of the net balance from the A tournament. While the B tournament not only paid all its own expenses including \$173.44 (not included in the A set-up), but turned over a net balance to the league of \$247.02 for the first time in the entire history of B tournaments.

The regional tournaments, consisting of a single game, usually do not pay out well, as there are frequently held in neutral towns. Whenever there are net proceeds, the share from the representative of each district goes back to that district to help make up any deficit from the district tournaments.

Most district tournaments do not pay out. Whenever there is a net balance, it is credited to the district; except that the board has now ruled that such balance may be kept within the district, and only accounted for by the district committee. Whether this is a wiser plan, remains to be seen. Heretofore such balance has been kept in the league treasury subject to call from the district committee whenever needed, on the grounds there is more continuity in the maintenance of the league office and more frequent change in district committees whose records are not always complete from year to year. Each district pays for its own trophies and balls but is not required to take all four trophies if it does not so desire.

3. How are the finances of the athletic accident benefit fund?

The A. A. B. fund is really doing well. It is not, of course, a "money making" venture. It has to date on the whole, just about held its own as the following summary will indicate. Perhaps the fairest test of whether the A. A. B. fund is doing well or not, is in its ability to meet the claims that are presented. It is a matter of pride that the A. A. B. fund has paid every claim presented to the board of control, and has paid in full either according to the schedule of benefits or according to the bill, for sometimes the bills are slightly under the schedule. This record is one of gratification to all league members surely, for it is to be remembered that all A. A. B. funds (about 20 states now have them) are still experimental. It will be remembered too that essentially the A. A. B. fund is merely a fund wherein is placed the fees from boys' memberships at a fixed amount per sport; and from this fund at the close of each sport season, may be drawn such money for payments as specified by the schedule of benefits, as the financial condition of the fund permits-If there is enough on hand to pay all scheduled claims in full, such is done; if there is only 50% enough then a 50% payment would be made. In addition to this however the league authorized the placing of \$1,000 to the credit of the A. A. B. fund, and last year for the first time in the experiment, the fund was overdrawn as a whole, in the amount of \$51.15 as shown on page 47 of the 15th yearbook. That statement however failed to account for the \$17.00 in the physical education account (the auditor not understanding this to be part of the A. A. B. fund) hence the net loss was only \$34.15 at C. P. A. audit time last year.

- (A) Basketball is a money maker for the A. A. B. fund. This account opened the season with a net balance from other years of \$775.25 received \$238.50 in fees, and paid out \$138.00 on claims, bringing its net balance to date up to \$865.75. It is the basketball account that brings the A. A. B. fund thru each season.
- (B) Hockey started the year with a balance of \$1.50; received 50c in fees; paid no claims; closes with a balance of \$2.00.
- (C) The physical education class account opened the season with a balance of \$17.00; took in \$12.00; had no claims; and closes with a balance of \$29.00. It has seemed a bit odd that this phase of the A. A. B. fund has not "caught on" more completely. Its use by class members, at so small an expense, might readily save the school and the instructor that serious problem that is certain to arise some time when some class member, required by the schools to take physical education, is inadvertently and unfortunately injured. It seems well for all principals and physical education instructors to clear themselves in advance, by publicizing the existence of this phase of A. A. B. funds, merely as a selfish protection, if for no other reason.
- (D) The track and field account opened with \$1.25 on hand; received \$1.50 in fees; paid no claims; closed with \$2.75. It might seem that the protection of trips alone would be worth the insignificant fee of a quarter.
- (E) Eleven man football, wonderful sport that it is, represents a physical hazard to boys and a financial hazard to the A. A. B. fund. Another way of saying the same thing is that the A. A. B. fund functions at its best in the two football sports. The eleven man football account closed last season \$654.50 in the red, last year being a hard season. This year has not been so bad; receipts have been \$1,124.25 and claims (at this writing) have been \$1,221.00 indicating a net loss for the year of only \$96.75. This is in spite of the fact that the board of control paid one claim held over from a previous year and paid another claim (\$75.00) when belated payments could readily have provided a means of avoiding the claim. The eleven man football account is then \$751.15 in the red, to date.
- (F) The six man football account closed last year with a net loss to date at audit time of \$174.75. Membership fees for this school year have been \$473.25, and payment for claims only \$453.00 indicating a gain of \$20.25 for the year. The account thus stands at a net loss of \$154.50.

In summary—The A. A. B. fund opened the year with a net loss of \$34.15; gained \$90.50 in basketball; 50c in hockey; \$12.00 in physical education; \$1.50 in track and field; and \$20.25 in six man football; and

lost \$96.75 in eleven man football; thus showing a net balance to date of \$6.15.

This means that the A. A. B. fund having protected many hundreds of boys in six lines of physical activity, and having paid out several thousand dollars has done so at a cost of but \$6.15 to the league. This seems like a remarkable record. It means also of course, that the fees charged by the A. A. B. fund, based upon the experiences of other states, must of necessity be just about correct; for there is no need to make a profit, and the net balance is so small that there is little place for lowering membership fees.

4. What about the expenses of the board of control, their salaries, honorariums, etc.?

This question has been asked in apparent seriousness and merits a place in this report. Only the secretary receives any salary or any honorarium or any remuneration of any kind at any time. At the present time the salary of the secretary-treasurer is \$700.00 and there are no special additions or remunerations of any kind. The editor of the first yearbook received \$100.00 for that work and the amount represented an excellent investment for it (A) started the tradition of the yearbooks which have been continued ever since; and (B) that first yearbook required the bringing up-to-date of data some of which was of years past, not too easy to locate and assemble. But the annual yearbook is considered a regular part of the secretary's assignment, properly enough. The secretary did receive an added \$100 when he compiled the special handbook of interpretations at the direction of the board of control. The N. D. H. S. league office carries on almost as complete service as is rendered in our three neighboring states all of which spend from three to five times as much in office salaries and office labor.

Board expenses have been as follows:-Meeting at the University last summer for Tighe, Zimmerman and White: \$47.75. Meeting at Fargo N. D. E. A. time, with phones and wire, \$5.15. L. F. Rice, of Velva special trip for conferenc\_e with secretary, \$2.00. Mr. Tighe, attendance at Chicago conference \$40.00. Mr. Abrahamson, special trip for conference with secretary, and phones \$9.37. Mr. Roberts, attendance at St. Louis meeting of national federation of state H. S. A. A.'s, \$85.00. Board of control meeting at Bismarck \$131.28 during A tournament. Board of control meeting at Minot, during B tournament, \$115.39. Board of control meeting at University, \$34.50 attended by Zimmerman, White, Tighe. Board of control meeting at Bismarck at time of state track meet \$27.61, attended by Tighe, Zimmerman, Roberts, White. L. F. Rice, partial expenses attending six man rules committee meeting in Chicago, \$25.61. C. F. Denton, attending federation rules committee meeting in Chicago, \$20.00. B. C. Tighe, refund on wires and long distance phone calls, \$3.05. Total, \$584.71, not including the secretary-treasurer's salary. Presumably the board of control makes many mistakes thruout the year, but those who know most intimately of their work must credit them with many hours of unselfish devotion to the only organization in the state that is at all effective in tieing together the interests of the North Dakota high schools. The league is rightly credited with doing much in promoting good fellowship, good sportsmanship and good understanding among the state high schools.

5. Are the expenses of the league office rather high?

Realizing that the secretary-treasurer has no regular office help for his league work the board has regularly allowed up to \$50.00 for office assistance, and last year proposed to increase the amount to \$100.00. At this writing, office assistance for the year has totaled only \$32.25 for the secretary has been able frequenty to commandeer the services of a friendly wife, a college freshman-son, a college senior-daughter and a high school junior-daughter, together with some Saturdays and Sundays and evening-hours.

Stamps, stamped envelopes, clasp envelopes, stationery, stencils, mimeo paper for news letter and mimeograph ink, 2 receipt books, these have been the major items, totaling \$185.95. Rental of safety deposit vault box for \$3.30 and 45c for re-packing a trophy for shipping to Mandan complete the items listed under office expense: \$221.95.

6. Are there not other, miscellaneous expenses?

Yes, and perhaps many or most of these could be included under office expenses.

Express, 30c; telegrams and long distance phones, \$176.31; bank charges, \$33.81; treasurer's bond, \$25.00; expense on questionnaires by E. A. Quam and Johnnie Mach for the league, \$7.65; annual audit by C. P. A., \$25.00; purchase of football film, \$150.00; rental of film for physical education section of N. W. N. D. E. A., \$3.80; supplies for news letter (might have been placed in office expense), \$23.24; refunds on overpayments and errors, \$16.75; N. S. F. checks, \$2.30. Miscellaneous receipts have consisted of the \$16.75 of overpayments and errors; \$1.05 for bank exchange costs; \$2.00 to correct N. S. F. checks; 30c for handbook.

7. The membership account shows that \$303 was received to cover normal membership fees and a few penalties. The problem of the "penalty" is one that concerns the board of control each year. In years past, a number of schools found themselves embarrassed at Tournament time when they were ineligible as non-members. Hence the proposal to add "penalties" for late entrants. The news letters and the yearbook publicize this each year and still each year there are a few schools that in November and December decide to enterthe league, or discover that "George" had overlooked the payments.

In not a few instances the coach or superintendent pays the dues from his own pocket. The league doesn't need the penalty fee as much as is needs the membership. The penalty doesn't "teach them a lesson" for the superintendent or coach may not be at that school next year. So what to do? It concerns only the few schools that are on the ragged edge of not joining the N .D. H. S. league; not sure whether they'll have a good enough basket ball team; not sure whether to join the C. and G. S. league; not sure whether there'll be a gym to play in, etc., etc.

8. The interest account is not a large one. Most of our investments are in U. S. government savings certificates which mature in ten years, the \$750.00 investment maturing at \$1,000.00 and others in like proportion, and interest is made in that way. The \$1,150 invested in U. S. 3½'s treasury bonds and the \$600 in U. S. 3½'s treasury bonds bring in their semi-annual payments regularly. Both of these bonds are up several dollars above par thro the 3½'s mature in 1941.

9. For the three football state championships, the league paid \$58.97 for the attractive gold plated full size balls mounted on ebony bases, which seemed to meet with general approval.

The basketball awards have been in use in the sixteen district tournaments and the two state tournaments for a number of years, and seem to represent the best possibe purchase. The contract has two years yet to run. For the year's supply of all track and basketball trophies, Jostens of Owatonna were pair \$1,273.17. Most district tournaments use the four trophies, but at their own option a few give three only and one or two small districts give only first and second place awards. The basketball situation is gradually clearing itself. In a year of two probably nothing but the molded ball will be in use, and since the core is the basic part of the ball, the leather cover and the imprint of one firm name or another will not matter much. Offered their option between the Lasbilt and Wintark cores, most districts use some one of the several Lasbilts. Northern School Supply company were paid \$233.64 and Colborn School Supply company were paid \$100.49 for the usual division of business between the two firms. State B tournament balls were bought by the tournament management from the Saunders company of Minot, who whoesale athletic equipment.

The league's investment in balls and trophies balance itself since the tournaments are charged with these as "preferred" expenses.

A clarification of the trophies and awards account should be made by the statement that the state and district track and field awards totals \$466.65 not including the \$41.76 paid for the tennis and golf awards. The basketball district and state awards total \$756.10, by contract, when all districts use all four awards. Express and postage

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charges are not included in the above contract. Since there is never any income from either district or state track meets, the league provides the \$508.41 worth of trophies and awards for the track and field events, but gets full refund from the state and district basketball tournaments for the basketball trophies and awards.

10. The checking account. All accounts except the investment account are run thru the cash account.

At the time of this writing, July 8, prior to the C. P. A. audit the cash account shows a balance of \$1,302.37.

There will be no further income for the summer. Expenses will have to do with fall preparations (A) \$130.00 for national federation rule books; (B) \$350 to \$375 for the yearbook; (C) \$100 to \$200 printing, postage on league packages and the like.

# 1940 C. P. A. Audit

Minot, North Dakota July 20, 1940

Honorable Board of Control,
North Dakota High School League,
L. A. White, Esq. Secretary and Treasurer,
Minot, North Dakota.
Gentlemen:

In the following three pages, I am pleased to submit to you a complete report of the business transacted by your organization between July 1, 1939 and June 30, 1940.

All vouchers and bills, as well as bank accounts and securities have been carefully checked and verified. The claims have been checked with the records, and the books and records have been found in the usual good condition.

Trusting that this report will meet the approval of the Board, and thanking you for this assignment, I am,

Respectfully yours,

F. E. Luehe,

Certified Public Accountant.

# NORTH DAKOTA HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE

Collections:	
Membership Dues	<b>\$ 2</b> 98.00
Athletic Benefit Fund	1,828.00
Football (6 man)\$ 473.25	
Football (11 man) 1,124.25	
Basketball 228.50	
Hockey50	
Track 1.50	
Physical Educational Fund	12.00

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Board of Control		40.00
Closed Bank Dividend		47.83
Interest on Investments	<b>-</b>	65.51
Tournaments		4,502.69
Miscellaneous		21.80
Transfer from savings account		500.00
Deposit in Union National Bank	<b>-</b>	\$7,315.83
Disbursements:		\$ 874.92
Outstanding Checks July 1, 1939		φ 014.92
Claims	100.00	
Basketball	138.00	
Football (11 man)	1,221.00	
Football (6 man)	453.00	
		\$1,812.00
Board of Control	784.71	
Office Staty., etc.	283.44	
Miscellaneous	475.91	
Handbook	260.67	
General Expense		\$1,804.73
Tournament	397.81	
Trophies and Balls	1,666.27	
Tournament Expenses		\$2,064.08
Outstanding Checks July 31, 1940	174.24	, ,
Disbursed thru Union National Bank	6,381.49	
	\$6,555.73	\$6,555.73
Outstanding Checks:		
No. 236		
No. 810		
No. 813		
No. 945		
No. 1009		
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No. 1022			5.00	
	ng Checks			\$ 174.24
Investment Account:				
July 1, 1939			_\$7,191.54	
Transferred to Bank A				\$ 500.00
Interest				
June 30, 1940				6,715.31
<del>- ,,</del> ,				
<b>\</b>			\$7,215.31	\$7,215.31
Recapitulation Athletic I	Benefit Fund:			
Basketball, July 1, 193			\$ <b>775.2</b> 5	
Collections		š.	228.50	
Claims	\$	138.00		
June 30, 1940				\$ 865.75
Football (6-man) July		174.75		
Collections			473.25	
Claims		453.00		
June 30, 1940 (Over				-154.50
Football (11-man) July		654.40		
Collections			1,124.25	
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June 30, 1940 (Over		_,		751.15
Hockey, July 1, 1939	ululu)		1.50	
Collections			.50	
June 30, 1940				2.00
			1.25	F 11
Track, July 1, 1939			1.50	
Collections			1.00	2.75
June 30, 1940			17.00	2
Physical Education, J			12.00	
Collections			12.00	29.00
July 30, 1940				
Total Balance	e (Overdraft)			\$6.15
Net Worth:				
July 1, 1939				\$ 7,880.59
Interest				89.28
Membership			<u>-</u>	298.00
Miscellaneous				21.80
Tournaments			-	4,502.69

Board of Control	.\$ 744.71	
Miscellaneous Payments	275.91	
Secretary's Salary	700.00	
Tournament Expenses		
Trophies and Balls	1,666.27	
Office Labor and Supplies	283.44	
Handbook 1939	360.67	
June 30, 1940	8,363.55	
	\$12,792.36	\$12,792.36
Record of Investments:		
U. S. Treasury Bonds, 3¼ %, Issue 1941—2-\$500,	1-\$100, 1-\$50	\$1,150.00
II S Treasury Bonds, 3 1-8%, Issue 46-49-6-\$10	0	_ 600.00
U. S. Savings Bonds—1939—2-\$750, 1-\$375, 3-\$75_		_ 2,100.00
II S Savings Bonds, 1937—2-\$750	<del>-</del>	_ 1,500.00
Union National Bank—Savings Account No. 78	5_ <b></b> -	_ 1,365.31
		\$6,715.31
Financial Statement June 30, 1940:		
Investments	\$6,715.31	
Closed Bank	374.05	
Union National Bank	1,942.28	
Outstanding Checks		\$ 174.24
Due L. A. White, Secretary		500.00
Athletic Benefit Fund	6.15	
Net Worth		8,363.55
	\$9,037.79	\$9,037.79
Respectfully submi	tted,	
F. E. Luehe,		
Certified P	ıblic Accour	itant.
Minot, N. D., July 22, 1940.		

Minot, N. D., July 22, 1940.

# Meetings of Board of Control

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# July 1, 2, 3, 1939, University

Present—Tighe, Zimmerman, White. Abrahamson unable to attend. Roberts attending University of Minnesota Summer School.

Note—Early spring correspondence, renewed later in the summer, made it clear that the Board members felt possibly a summertime conference might be more advisable than the traditional midwinter meeting, though from the first Mr. Roberts had felt uncertain about his attendance.

1. The Proposed Six Man Football State Championship. The general setup plan is already adopted by the League, based on the Committee's report. The committee's map proposes the districting. For the District Committee members, it was proposed that Mr. White and Mr. Rice as chairman of that committee should study the membership of the state playing football and nominate district committees, naming school men not involved in the basketball committee setup. It was proposed that there be a committee of three in each District, with a newspaper man as counsellor.

It was proposed that the datings for the playoff games be fixed and announced soon.

- 2. Trophies . The secretary was authorized to purchase a bronze gold-mounted football as a trophy,—one for each of the three new championships, at a total cost not to exceed \$100.00. See prices submitted by Mr. Sherman of Balfour Company; and Fargo Jewelry Company.
- 3. For the Eleven Man Football Committees of the Four Regions, membership was proposed as follows:

Southeast:—Seifkin of Hankinson; Beleal of Enderlin; Rogers of Carrington, later replaced by Edgeley since Carrington is in the Northeast District by the committee's report, the map of which was not available to the Board members at the time.

Southwest:—Miller of Beach; Tonning of Watford City; and Hill of New Leipzig.

Northwest:—Bostrom of Harvey; Stewart, Stanley; Elliott of Bottineau.

Northeast:—Stevenson of Lakota; Christianson, Cavalier; Estenson, Cooperstown.

4. Reference to the East-West Conference. It was proposed that the general plan, the constitution, etc., should be given publicity in the League Yearbook, since this is definitely a part of the League setup. The secretary acknowledges the omission.

- 5. Consideration of basketball tournament officials. Since Hertig and Anderson are not available from South Dakota, the former having moved and the latter not sanctioned, it was proposed to secure Hertig from Minneapolis, together with Hunt from Miles City and Higgins of Minneapolis, asking the latter for recommendations of another man. Omacht and Crose were no longer available when invited to work a tournament because of conflicting dates .
- 6. There was some consideration of tournament dates, but the tournaments are more or less stymied because of Good Friday coming at the usual A Tournament time. The dates previously set by corrospondence of the Board still hold:—A Tournament March 7, 8 and 9; B Tournament a week later.
- 7. The Board members suggested the advisability of preparing some definite proposal for League consideration in re the A Tournament setup, which proposals took the following form:
  - a. Consider the 12 schools above 3,000 population as A Schools.
  - b. Schools of lesser population are definitely B Schools.
  - c. There is no shifting between A and B Schools.
  - d. For next year select 8 schools:
    - (1) By lot, or (2) by taking the 7 involved in last year's tournament and add an 8th by lot, or (3) take the 8 largest schools, or (4) the 8 largest towns.
  - e. Then let the other 4 A schools challenge any of these 8 for entrance into the A tourney.
  - f. Let the challenge game be played at the home town of the one or the other; the visiting team to receive a strong balance of the receipts; the League to guarantee minimum expenses.
  - g. Or at some neutral gymnasium if desired, but the League will guarantee expenses.
- 8. Further discussion of basketball tournaments and problems, but no conclusions reached or motions made.
- 9. Consideration of the A. A. B. Fund. Board members seem to feel the Fund is doing well. Reference made to the Minnesota situation in which it is reported the State Insurance Commission advised League authorities to pay all claims whether in the Schedule of Benefits or not. Further information is not yet available. This seems an anomalous and improper situation for no A.A.B. Fund could survive. Agreed that reports should be made within 10 or 12 days; and completed data documents within 60 days—always allowing for untoward circumstances that in individual cases might justify extension of time.
- 10. Consideration of the Eleven Man Football East-West setup again. No new action taken.
- 11. The secretary asks for suggestions about the Yearbook, the 1939 book being shown.

12. Discussion of "High School Week" at the University. It was agreed that we should give official disapproval to the action by fraternities and sororities as they invite students to visit the University durng High School Week, who are not school representatives in any of the contests.

Mention was made of the participation of grade school pupils in contests, but no action was taken. Our rules permit their participation; if the University wants to add eligibility rules of their own, as long as they subscribe to those of the League, perhaps we should accept their proposed rules.

13. Reference to the new 4 foot bank-board rule in basketball. Agreed our previous action in accepting the new ruling is appropriate.

14. The Federation has a supplement of Six Man Football rules in the regular Eleven-man football rule book; but these differ somewhat from the Epler book.

Which book shall be considered official?—Agreed that the Epler book shall be the official Six Man Rule Book for the N. D. H. S. League for the year; same as heretofore.

15. Discussion of the Dubow ball. Reference made to the officials of the Coaches' Association recommending against the Dubow ball for tournaments, even after it had been explained how the Federation has encouraged this ball for the financial advantage of high schools. Agreed every effort should be made to get as many schools as possible to try out the new Dubow.

16. Subsequently Mr. White and Mr. Rice proposed the following Six man school heads as members of the 8 District Committees. See list below.

17. Discussion of Track and Field Meet plans. It was proposed that the secretary see J. C. Gould, maker of the motion given on page 21 of the 1938 yearbook in re alternating between the University and Bismarck. Does this preclude the placing of the Meet at some other place?

18. Reference to the coming Junior Red Cross Convention. Secretary given privilege of inserting printed materials with News Letter, for publicity purposes.

- 19. Reference to the "International Track Meets."
  - a. Some question was raised as to whether the Federation would approve, since it hesitates to approve inter-state meets except by specia laction.
  - b. Should Grand Forks work up such a meet with Winnipeg, Mr .Tighe volunteers to see Mr. Bonhoff as to his interest and its possibilities.

Adjournment.

# B

Bismarck, N. D., N. D. E. A. Time, October 25, 26, 27, 1939

### Wednesday Evening

All members present.

1. Concerning Drake-Wildrose playoff in 6-man game for Region honors. Mr. Rice explains Drake wants to play Thursday and Wildrose wants to play Saturday, the next step (western championship) to be played the following Tuesday. Understanding Wildrose had played Tuesday, Board rules fairer to play game Saturday, as a school day. (Subsequently it appears that Wildrose had asked for later date since they had been delayed by injuries, and Drake was prepared Wednesday which was the proper time according to the accepted League Plan—a point overlooked by the Board.

Moved by Abrahamson, seconded by (?) —— that above ruling be made, and motion carries.

2. Concerning Portland and Finley playoff. Understanding that the District Committee had approved Portland vs Sanborn game as playoff for the District honors, when they were told by wire from Portland that they had played the game as per direction from Berg, chairman of committee (35 to 7) and were now being challenged by Finley whom they had beaten twice already, the Board ruled Finley had not proper right to challenge, and so ruled. Subsequently however, Heller of Page and Jede of Finley, both committee members. appear before Board and explain that they had no knowledge of Berg's action in listing the Portland-Sanborn game as the District championship game; that Page had defeated Portland and Finley had defeated Page ,and there seemed little question that Finley seemed not only better than Sanborn, but probably the strongest in the District; that Berg had agreed that the Finley-Portland game should be played, and that Johnson, Superintendent of Portland, had also so agreed, with day and hour and officials all set. Board then changes decision and rules this game should be played for District honors. (Note: It appears later that Portland goes ahead and plays Kindred for Eastern Half honors anyway.)

# Thursday Morning Breakfast

General discussion of League finances. Recognized as being entirely satisfactory; also recognized that outgo now exceeds income. Consideration of A. A. B. Fund claims. Board authorized payments as now noted on each claim-report.

Tournament officials agreed upon:—Hertig (initials and address to be secured from M. B. Z.); Higgins (name to be secured from U. N. D., C. A. West), and Hunt of Miles City (name to be secured from Wienbergen of Dickinson), to act as tournament officials.

Moved by Earl Abrahamson, seconded by Zimmerman, that L. A. White be sent to the Federation meeting to be held at N. E. A. time. At White's insistent suggestion the name of Roberts is substituted for that of White. Motion carried.

Moved by Abrahamson, seconded by Roberts, that the B Tournament be held at Minot, under their invitational terms, as follows:

- a. First monies be for expenses of the tournament itself, including the trophies and balls.
- b. Next \$75.00 go to the Junior Chamber of Commerce.
- c. Any net balance thereafter be divided 50/50. Carried.

Also recommended that the Junior Chamber give full consideration to the A Tournament prices, with a view to raising the prices of admissions somewhat.

Concerning Basketball Clinics: It was decided that the Board take no action authorizing them unless there seems a demand for them shown during the League meeting Thursday afternoon. (Note: There was no such demand at the League meeting time.)

Question: Use of football film. Concluded it might best be placed under the direction of the Extension Department and its use by schools encouraged. Secretary directed to see Miss Johnstone in re the scheduling of the film.

Question—Shall the League send a representative to the Minneapolis Rules Committee Conference (a Minnesota men's gathering)? Board concludes not.

The State A Tournament: No invitations formally presented as yet, hence no action taken.

Track: A brief discussion of track problems . No action taken.

Tennis: Proposed by Zimmerman that the tennis tournament might advisedly be held in the fall instead of the spring. No action taken.

Girls' interscholastic contests discussed but no action taken. The matter to be brought before the League at their meeting.

Shall there be a mid-winter Board of Control meeting? Perhaps there will not be sufficient work to justify it. Let it ride until the time approaches. Shall one or more coaches be invited to attend? No action taken.

Six Man Tournament Setup. No action. Waiting the League meeting.

Mandan Training School: Shall boys from there attending the Mandan H. S. be considered immediately eligible or held as transfer students for new semester? No action taken.

Concerning the new setup at Williston for C. C. students or N. Y. A. in dormitories (Some new type of setup whereby boys from other communities work part of the day and attend school part of the day.) No action.

The "Internation Track Meet." Possibilities of extending the idea, more directly under League control and finance, to Winnipeg through Grand Forks, etc. No action.

What of problems of High School Week: See Special Committee Report of Colton, Thompson and Gould during League meeting.

What of St. Mary's at Bismarck? Are they abiding by requirement of having a coach who is on their pay roll, as per Article 5, Section 8?

### Thursday Night

Concerning St. Mary's and Fort Yates: Moved by Roberts, seconded by Zimmerman, that both be placed in District No. 9, Basketball District, and in the corresponding district for football.

Further discussion of and action on the Portland-Finley football mixup with action taken as reported above.

Moved by Zimmerman, seconded by Roberts that the Board approve the following plan for the Class A setup in basketball (Note subsequent action at League meeting): Grand Forks, Grafton, Park River and Devils Lake to be considered in District No. 1; Fargo, Wahpeton, Jamestown and Valley City in District No. 2; and Mandan, Bismarck, Dickinson, Williston and Minot in District No. 3; and that each District in any way they desire select their entrants into the State Tournament, in this proportion; District No. 1, 2 entrants; District No. 2, 3 entrants; District No. 3, 3 entrants. Carried. Note: This is in keeping with a conference of the schools involved and with League action, and is to ratify them.

Adjournment.

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# Bismarck, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, March 7, 8, 9, 1940

Present— All members: Tighe, Zimmerman, Roberts, Abrahamson, White.

- 1. Motion concerning Track and Field Meets. Made by J. J. Roberts, seconded by Abrahamson, that the State Track and Field Meet be held on Saturday, June 1st, with tennis events beginning the day before; and that District Meets be held on Saturday, May 25th (or the preceding night if desired), leaving the 18th and the 12th respectively open for Invitational and H. S. Week dates. Carried.
- 2. Johnny Mach representing Supt. Urness asks about the eligibity problem of the NYA setup in Williston, whereby boys of 18 or over are brought from anywhere around the state to attend school half time, taking 3 subjects, and working and living at the State Experimental School. Board, having considered the problem before, still feels the rules of eligibility including the "transfer rule" all

apply, and these lads are not eligible the first semester unless they are freshmen.

He also raises question about Edw. Tafte of Williston who had attended Towner school for about a month as he tended his father's cattle, taken there because of drouth. He entered school this fall; must that month of attendance at Towner count as a semester? The Board of Control, having considered the problem before, could find no way of ruling other than that such attendance did represent a semester.

- 3. Saturday Coaches and Board Luncheon planned for Saturday. Without motion, the secretary was authorized to provide arrangements for about 35-40 places, for an official luncheon of the Board and Coaches.
- 4. A representative of the Devil's Lake school asks if one or more substitute players can replace injured or otherwise unavailable players. Moved by Abrahamson, seconded by Roberts, that the tradition of former tournaments be upheld, namely that after the original lists of players have been forwarded to the tournament manager and made further definite by appearance in the tournament, no substititions could be made. Carried .

During the discussion, there was some thought that changes might be okayed up to actual time of play, or even farther in the series than that, for any lad that had not participated, but the final conclusion seemed to be that the opening of the tournament play marked the dead line for changes in the official list. Otherwise some school or schools might be tempted to bring along an indefinite number of players for a last minute selection.

5. J. C. Gould met with the Board, discussing certain items incident to the West District basketball plans; and also brings word from the Coaches' Association incidentally that, at work on their basketball schedules, they would find it helpful if next year's tourney dates were set.

Moved by Roberts, seconded by Zimmerman, that the State A Basketball tournament for 1941 be held on March 13, 14 and 15; and the B Tournament on March 20, 21 and 22, thus closing schedules for both groups at the same time. Carried.

In discussion of the above motion, it was brought out that it would be highly desirable for the U. N .D. to place the District Music contests late in April.

6. Passes for policemen's wives. In answer to a request by phone, the Board discussed this, but could find no reason for such passes, to be told later by Manager Saxvik that he had previouly turned aside a similar request. An official "pass list' is provided by the Board for the Manager's use.

7. While Mr. Gould was present, in response to an inquiry, he explained in fullest detail the method of "drawing" for the A Tournament, and satisfied all Board members that there was no chance for error or shift of any kind. All games were played just as drawn. There was no exchange of brackets. For the sake of record it is hereby recorded that Manager Saxvik reports that only twice in Bismarck tourneys has there been any interchange of brackets, and that was with the knowledge and consent of the Board of Control, and with public knowledge. The reason for the shifts was for financial advancement: The placing of a Bismarck team (and the full four team bracket) in the evening if they happened to draw the afternoon bracket was deemed financially advantageous. But Manager Saxvik reports that this has been done only twice; and no change was made this year.

Motion by Zimmerman, seconded by Roberts, that thereafter there be no exchange of brackets, and all games in both A and  $\mathbb D$  Tournaments be played as drawn. Carried.

8. Motion by Roberts, seconded by Zimmerman, that B. C. Tighe be nominated and elected president, and L. A. White, as secretary. Carried.

Motion by Abrahamson, seconded by Roberts, that Zimmerman be named and elected vice president. Carried.

Note: This is to represent the official reorganization of the Board of Control, which had been overlooked previously.

9. Motion by Abrahamson, seconded by Roberts, that an order for district and state track trophies be awarded Josten Mfg. Company at prices quoted for the years 1941 and 1942, to make these coincident in time with the basketball contract. Carried,

Note: Provision was made officially by agreement to add awards for an additional relay event in the event the event is placed in the meet.

10. Agreement: After discussion it was agreed that all districts should pay directl\_y for their basketballs and basketball trophies, since they deal directly with their firms in placing their specific orders anyway.

The Board will continue to make the contracts and secure the cooperative prices, but checks will be sent to the firms involved instead of through the secretary, as the intervention of the secretary seems to serve no good purpose.

11. Discussion: Since there had been some disagreement in District No. 1 over the entrance of Sacred Heart into the District Tournament there. Mr. Tighe read a group of letters that seemed to have direct bearing on an unfortunate situation. The Board all felt that no school could be withheld from its rightful entrance into a tourna-

ment, no matter how strong or weak its athletics, or what the nature of the school.

12. Discussion of "neutral floors" for basketball tournaments. In the discussion it was pointed out, with some variance of opinion, that some advantage might accrue to the team that can play some of its games on the final tournament floor, and this, added to natural advantages of eating and sleeping at home with no trip, may be of some significance in tournament outcome. State records however do not seem to establish any definite proof on the idea; but all agree that at least there is no negative influence of home play and acquaintance with a floor.

The points were subsequently discussed when Mr. Saxvik was present.

13. Some discussion on Internation Track and Field Meets, with reference to the meet held last year at Williston. No action or conclusion.

14. Discussion of football championship setups. Agreed without motion: 1. Permit continuance of all championship setups. 2. Let participation of all schools be optional. 3. All ties are to be determined by (here the discussion ended, assuming the Coaches' Association might have some helpful suggestion, but at the luncheon of the Board with the Coaches, apparently no good opportunity arose for discussion, hence the point was left open.)

- 15. Discussion of limitation of use of Memorial floor. Agreed after conference with Saxvik:
  - Bismarck to play Mandan on Memorial floor, but not within a month of the state tournament, in the event the tournament is again held at Bismarck.
  - 2. The West Conference games (playoff of the 4 teams) may be played on the Memorial floor if the Committee of the West Conference so desires, i. e., time and place of these games as determined by the West District Committee has Board approval.
  - 3. Exclusive of these West District games, no A school may play more than one game on the Memorial floor; and this carried with it the idea that any other "A" school might play one, but only one game.

16. Discussion: Shall trophie and awards be given out at the close of the tournament games, and at the Memorial Hall, rather than at the school party. Agreed to try the idea.

Note: Subsequently it was found to be a fitting climax to the tournament and seemed to meet with general favor. Few if any of the large crowd left the hall before the presentations.

17. Board of Control-Coaches Luncheon. Forty three present at

the 50 cent luncheon provided by the Board of Control. Tighe refers to the Memorial Hall floor and plans for "neutrality;" introduces B. A. Peterson, Balfour, Secretary of C and G. S. League, who speaks briefly; introduces Higgins and Hunt, the two officials of the tournament; also Dr. Clare Gates of the State Health Department, who makes a few remarks.

Open discussion on hockey as a possible H. S. League sport—a number of schools report they are doing considerably with it.

George Newgard of the Coaches' Association presents a series of problems. Chas. Kimball speaks of officials' clinics.

Higgins tells in some detail of the fully successful plan worked out in Minnesota: Some men meet in Minneapolis with H. V. Porter of the National Federation for special training in rules and interpretations; receive no pay but get expenses. Subsequently they go to different parts of the state and hold clinics to help other officials, receiving \$10.00 and expenses per clinic. The Clinics are more and more being taken over by the Officials' Association. Officials are rated by coaches and others, ratings being filed with League Secretary and Officials' Association Secretary. Four highest rated officials then are automatically selected for the state tournament. Higgins emphasizes the value of Coaches' Associations and Officials' Associations. Says coaches are given special rate of \$1.50 for special section of best seats, but their wives pay \$4.00. About 350 of the 450 coaches are members of the Coaches' Association. In Minnesota formerly, 8 players, then 8, plus 2 alternates to be used in event of sickness or disability, then last year 10 players. Cost of clinics seems prohibitive, but they seem very worthwhile.

Mr. Hunt of Miles City speaks, and tells of the value of Clinics in Montana. Says 10 players are allowed in Montana.

Weinbergen tells of the Physical Education Convention to be held at Fargo next fall. This spring at Wichita, Kansas, March 26, 27, 28. Refers to experiments in some states being made in permitting players to be eligible who are not passing in three subjects; one argument being that they need the stimulus of athletics more than ever, and perhaps more than others.

18. Motion by Roberts, seconded by Abrahamson, that the track and field meets include the newly proposed track event—the 440 relay, in all District and State Meets. Carried.

Note was made that there should be no points given for the new relay; and that the order for awards be increased for the 8 Districts at \$3.75, and 4 for the State at \$1.70.

19. B. A .Peterson of Balfour, representing the C and GS League raises the question of both Leagues trying to operate a Six Man Tournament, wondering if either the one or the other should not

take it over. The Board pointed out that the H. S. League could not take over the consolidated and graded schools that are not eligible to membership in our League, and hence could do nothing about it in that direction, and were not aware that our Six Man schools were seriously handicapped by their tournaments of the year; but the Board would take the matter under advisement.

He asks for information about the A. A. B. Fund, stating that their League plans to tie in with some insurance company.

- 20. Newgard explains the Hillsboro side of the Rugby-Hillsboro (and Committee) difficulty. Board takes no action, awaiting further information.
- 21. Ladd of Herfft-Jones discusses possible trophies for football awards. No action.
- 22. Newton of Josten Mfg. Co. gives complete listing and contract for all trophies and awards purchased.
- 23. Newgard of Coaches' Association presents a list of problems and recommendations as follows:
  - 1. Provide for a 440 relay race at all track meets.
  - Provide a special reserved section for coaches at the state basketball tournaments, who are member of the State Coaches' Associations. This will help develop interest in membership in the Coaches' Association.
  - 3. Permit 10 players to constitute the official tournament team.
  - 4. Develop a plan for rating officials. The coaches are working on a rather complicated plan, and take this means of showing the Board that they are not ignoring it.
  - 5. Let 4 men be sent to the annual Minneapolis meeting for interpretation of rules and standardization of interpretations; let these 4 be sent into the several sections of the state to hold clinics among coaches and others. (Note: The recommendation referred to Mr. Higgins' description of the Minnesota setup, whereby those attending the Minneapolis are allowed actual expense; and subsequently as they hold clinics are paid \$10.00 per meeting, plus expenses.
  - 6. Provide a "big name" from outside the state to come to Coach. West's coaching school, at League expense. "The coaches recommend that Coach West's letter about this be turned over to the League Board of Control without specific action or recommendation by the Coaches' Association."

Signed, George Newgard.

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## Minot, March 14, 15, 16

All members present except B. C. Tighe (for Thursday afternoon) he also from there on.

- 1. Discussion: Should there be a limit on the number of football games and the number of basketball games a team should play during the regular season? It was advocated that the next news letter might advisedly carry the point of view expressed in the Pennsylvania Athletic Association paper, calling for a limitation of about 18 basketball games; and Mr. John Roberts reports that at the Federation meeting, 16 games for the season was advocated as an appropriate number. No action. The National Federation has also advocated limits.
- 2. Discussion: What about limiting awards to gifts having an "intrinsic value less than one dollar?" The present book of interpretations does not have this wording which is recommended by the National Federation, but the former white book of interpretation does have it. The secretary feels that perhaps he made some error in the newer handbook, and failed to get the dollar limit wording in the new handbook, for all Board members remembered that such was the League limitation. The matter is to be given publicity in the News Letter and annual Yearbook.
- 3. Motion for rule books. Moved by Roberts, seconded by Abrahamson, that the secretary be instructed to purchase from the National Federation 235 each of the following: Football rule books with 6 man supplement at 12 cents; Football play situations at seventeen and a half cents each; Basketball rule books at 7 cents; Basketball play situations at 19 cents; and a like number of Basketball Aids to Leaders at 6 cents (a set of 5); and Football Aids to Leaders at 5 cents (per set of 5). Carried.
- 4. Discussion: Problems connected with District No. 1 and Sacred Heart Academy. No action.
- 5. Agreed: That an official Board meeting be held at the Conference time next week at Grand Forks.
- 6. Agreed: That secretary shall refund monies received as penalties for late entrance into League, on grounds that such memberships came in under protest, largely to make it possible to play with other classified high schools.
- 7. Question: Can some restrictions be provided whereby a given school may not 'fix up' its graduating requirements, thus retaining as eligible a lad who might otherwise graduate? No action.

# Saturday Morning

All members present. Mr. Saxvik confers, also Mr. Mellem, also Mr. Havig of Rugby.

- 8. Mr. Saxvik gives financial report for State A Tourney: \$3,285.63 net to League—second highest in League history; also gives game and all state report.
- 9. Okay local Western Union broadcast by wire, code of game to Grand Forks, for broadcast from there; no evidence that Board had authorized exclusive rights to KLPM except that a year ago Board decided not appropriate to permit KFYR or other broadcast to handle games here.
- 10. Should KLPM be permitted to announce its own "official tournament all state teams?" Agreed not advisable; suggests substitute: KLPM's all season teams, without reference to tournament, except incidentally as part of the season; not to be an "official" tournament team.
- 11. Suggested more announcements to audience through the progress of games might be helpful, in re banquet, award of trophies, etc.
- 12. Discussion: How care for team players who seem unable to get seats at this tournament; one boy from Sanborn reported turned away from night game. Saxvik and Mellem study gym, make proposal to Board for erection of seats that would accommodate 40. Board approves the expense from League funds, on motion by Abrahamson, seconded by Roberts.
- 13. Supt. Havig of Rugby meets with Board, explaining Rugby-Hillsboro football game of last fall as he understood it.

Note: Rugby had gone first to Carrington as directed by District Committee, then to Devils Lake as directed by Board of Control, to play Hillsboro for Regional title in football, and Hillsboro neither went nor sent word of non-appearance in time for Rugby to withhold travel.

Explanations seem to be: Monday Havig discusses with Elster (Hillsboro) playoff next day at Carrington, Elster agreeing, unless his appeal to the Board were favorable. It developed later that the wire of appeal to L. A. White, Secretary, was not delivered to him until afternoon on Tuesday, he being out of the office, and Rugby started to Carrington, and Hillsboro did not. (Appeal was not granted, and Board ruled Hillsboro second chance to meet Rugby, this time at Devils Lake, but Hillsboro did not appear nor send word to Secretary, to Devils Lake or to Rugby.) This game planned and authorized by Board of Control, although District Committee had previously ruled Hillsboro to forfeit the game expected at Carrington; Board felt it wise to give a second chance. No action.

- 14. Motion for District and Regional Tourneys: By Roberts, seconded by Zimmerman, to clarify understanding that for district and regional contests, officials be authorized to allow up to 40 cents a one way mile by car, or actual railroad fare by train, and up to \$2.50 per day for room and board. Carried.
- 15. Motion by Zimmermn, seconded by Roberts, that all net profits from District Tournaments be retained by District Committees to be divided among their several teams instead of being forwarded for credit to the H. S. League as heretofore. Carried.

Note: The discussion seemed to develop and maintain the understanding that as heretofore net proceeds from Regional games be sent to the H. S. League, and belong to the H. S. League.

- 16, Motion by Roberts, seconded by Abrahamson, that Golf and Tennis matches for the State Track and Field Meet begin Friday, May 31. Carried.
- 17. Motion by Abrahamson, seconded by Roberts, that Mr. Payne of Bismarck be named State Track Manager for the year, and Mr. T. E. Simle of Bismarck be named manager of the District Track Meet there. Carried.

Note: Location of other District Tournaments and Managers, to be according to previous discussions, as stated below.

- 18. Discussion: Agreed each school shall attend the District Track Meet nearest; may not select and choose. Meets at Grand Forks, Devils Lake, Minot, Williston, Fargo, Jamestown, Bismarck and Dickinson.
- 19. Discussion: Use of high school boys brought in from other high schools for the summer coaching school at U. N. D. Felt best to use local boys.
- 20. How use the League's \$150 football film? Suggested make announcements about its availability through the News Letter.
- 21. Discussion of bringing in outside "big name coach" for the U. N. D. Coaching School. Advantages and disadvantages seen. Proposal was at League expense. No action. Note: Later the secretary was authorized to propose to the University authorities that the League go 50/50 on the expense of an "outside big name coach."
- 22. Discussion: Berthold boys paid 50 cents toward Six Man football membership in A. A. B. Fund, school to pay the other quarter. Boys paid in early September. Boy hurt in late September. Money not forwarded to League Secretary until first week in November. This is definitely not in keeping with News Letter explanations. Coach and Supt. had discussed matter previously, and admit own remissness. Lad hurt with broken leg and \$75.00 bill. What to do? No action.

Adjournment.

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# Bismarck, June 1, 1940

Present: Tighe, Zimmerman, Roberts, White. Abrahamson absent.

- 1. Some time was spent in checking over, item by item, the contract with Josten's for the forthcoming two years' supplies of trophies and awards for basketball and track. The outlined contract presented all items, with prices, plans for engraving, plans for shipment, etc. It was approved.
  - 2. Discussion of officials for state basketball tournaments.
    - A. Agreed as before that Herting and Walker again be secured as tournament officials, this time for the A tournament.
      L. A. White reported that he had already contacted these men by phone thru Herting and had their acceptance. Crose and Oudahl have been found to be unavailable.
    - B. It was proposed to act upon the frequently made proposal to use some 'local officials' i. e. from North Dakota. Hence it was agreed by all that Jarrett of the U. N. D. and George Heidt of Mandan be secured, for the B tournament, with the proposal that they should withhold themselves from Regoinal and District tournament officiating, and limit themselves as much as possible to A games thru the season.
  - 3. Discussion of six man football rules. The National Federation has prepared a set of rules printed as a supplement to the football rules book. But the national rules committee (not of the Federation) representing Epler, inventor of the game, and the American boy which has fostered the new game on a national basis, has prepared another rules book, considerably larger and more elaborate, with some different interpretations. The question comes; Which shall be finally and officially authoritative? Some federation states have made the supplement as prepared by the federation official, this being the book the N. D. league is distributing. Before action is taken, it was proposed that the secretary contact Mr. L. F. Rice of Velva who represented the state at the Epler rules committee meeting and secure his recommendation and judgment.
  - 4. Discussion of the question: Shall our state organize for basketball interpretation meetings after the plan proposed by the Coaches association, and similar to the plan in use in Minnesota?—By (A) sending four representatives at league expense to the fall Minnesota meeting when a federation official gives special coaching in rules; and (B) by sending these four men into four each of the 16 districts for Interpretive Clinics at expense plus \$10.00 fee.

It was tentatively agreed, Zimmerman being absent at the time,

and Abrahamson not being present at the board meeting that if any such plan is to be adopted, not to exceed \$350 to \$400 shall be spent. Four men representing the four parts of the state were also suggested as possible representatives, in the event appropriate action were subsequently taken by the board.

- 5. Discussion: Should there be a limit of three events, aside from the relays, for any one athlete in district and state meets? Apparently there is a fairly clear tradition in state meets and a less clear cut tradition in some district meets that there is such a limit. But there seems no official source for such tradition. While it would seem that such a tradition might well be made official, no board action was taken.
- 6. Discussion: How many tennis players and golf players may enter a tournament? Conclusion—A maximum of four players from any previous meet may enter the state meet—two singles players, being the winner and runner-up; and one doubles team, which might include one or both of the singles players. Thus a preliminary meet might send 4, 3 or 2 tennis players to the state meet. And in golf the same restriction is made. The action specifically is to exclude the entrance of runner-up teams in doubles in tennis and golf, this to avoid the longdrawn out matches.
- 7. New standards for new discus. Entrants from individual meets to qualify for the state meet must throw the new discus at least 125 feet according to the new standard. Other standards as set forth in the 1938 yearbook are as follows:—

# (A) Field Events

Broad Jump—19 ft. High Jump—5 ft. 6 in. Shot Put—42 ft. Javelin—145 ft. Pole Vault—10 ft. 6 in.

# (B) Track Events

100 yd. dash—10.6 sec. 220 yd. dash—24.4 sec. 440 yd. run—55.0 sec. 880 yd. run— 2min. 10 sec. Mile run—4 min. 55 sec. 200 yd. hurdles—24.5 sec. 120 yd. hurdles—17 sec.

Note: No standards have as yet been set for either of the relays.

Note: It is being proposed, no action as yet, that the new 880 relay be displaced by a medley relay.

Note: It is being proposed, no action as yet, that the javelin throw be abandoned, as too dangerous. It is reported that a Langdon lad was pierced thru the skull this spring; and at this State Track and Field Meet at Bismarck a little lad, an onlooker was missed only by inches, it being reported that while on his hands and knees the javelin either passed over his shoulder or under his arm, grazing his shirt.

Adjournment.

N. D. HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE

# The Annual Meeting of the N. D. H. S. League

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Study Hall, High School Building, Bismarck, N. D., Oct. 28, 1939

Present: About 100 men, representing between 50 and 60 schools. B. C. Tighe presiding.

- 1. Secretary's report. Moved, seconded and carried that inasmuch as the annual report has already appeared in print in the Year-book, its reading be dispensed with.
- 2. Treasurer's report. Moved, seconded and carried that inasmuch as the C. P. A.'s annual audit of the treasurer's books has already been presented through the annual Yearbook, any further report at this time be dispensed with. (Note: A new Letter distributed three days prior, brought the books up to date as of October 20, 1939.)
- 3. Report of Special Committee in re advisability of establishing32 Districts instead of 16 for the B Basketball Setup.

Report shows that only 41 wanted this new districting, while 94 did not; but 73 wanted 16 Districts as at present, with 4 teams entering the Regional games, and 56 did not.

After the report Supt. Grimsrud of Granville moved that the entry of 4 teams in the Regional be made compulsory; the motion was aduly seconded, but in the vote it was lost.

4. Special Committee from Conference time (Colton, Thompson and Gould) report on problems of H. S. Week:

Why the 25 cent entry fee? Answer: Mr. Page explains that the U. N. D. must be endowed by the Grand Forks Chamber of Commerce over \$800.00 to help finance the contests. Even the many 25 cent fees are not enough. What of the eligibility rules—smoking, drinking, etc.? Answer: The University authorities recognize this as a serious and difficult problem to handle, and are working at it. They have broadcast the rules to the schools and have urged their faithful adherence. No action taken on the report.

- 5. Moved by Payne, seconded by Christopherson that a commitfree be appointed to continue the study of the problems of H. S. Week. Carried. Chair appoints the same three men: Colton, Thompson and Gould.
- 6. Announcement of the nominating committee: Wakefield, Reitan, Killie, Miller and Johnson (Kenmare); these men have been appointed, as by rule, a month in advance.

7. The secretary proposes a series of problems that the League might care to consider (these were proposed in the most recent News, Letter distributed through the state three days ago):

Track and Field Meets; the Football Tournament Setups and Problems; Pre-School and Spring Football Practice; Girls' Interscholastic Athletics; the U. N. D. Coaching School; Use of the Football Film.

- 8. Motion concerning Spring Football Practice, by Mellem of M not (authorized to speak for Minot) to the effect that each school be allowed 2 weeks of spring football practice at any time they desire; seconded by Zimmerman, with the understanding that this is a permissive rule. After considerable discussion the motion was lost.
- 9. Motion by Abrahamson, duly seconded, that we do entirely away with restrictions on spring football. Motion lost.
- 10. Dr. Gates of the State Health Department gives a significant report on girls' interscholastic sports, indicating through his questionnaire that there is only a small proportion of the schools that desire to play interscholastic sports for girls.

Motion by Beleal, properly seconded, that a committee be appointed to study the problem further, keeping in contact with Dr. Gates. Carried.

11. Report by Abrahamson, representing a committee of Abrahamson and Tighe, in proposals for handling the Class A and Class. B setups in basketball:

Take the 10 schools in towns of 5,000 and more population;

Take the 2 schools in towns between 3,000 and 5,000;

Take Park River, since it has frequently anticipated as a Class A school, and has a larger enrollment, and let these schools be A Schools; and all other schools to be B schools.

Motion carries.

Note: There had been discussion that Grafton and Park River might have their choice whether to become A or B, and were to remain such for at least 2 years before changing to the other if they later so desired, but this point does not appear to be in the motion as the secretary caught it, as made by Abrahamson, seconded by Quam and carried.

- 12. State Six-Man and Class B Football Championship Setup. No problems were raised as the topic was broached.
- 13. Moved by (?), seconded by several, that the State Track and Field Meet be held at Bismarck this coming Spring. Carried.

Note: The question was raised as to whether it would be desirable to complete the finals of the track meet under the lights at night.

McMahon asks for the privilege of inquiring by questionnaire as to the desires of the men of the state.

14. Morstand moves, seconded by Quam, that the figure 30 be substituted for the figure 10 in Section VIII, Article VI of the Rules of Eligibility, exact wording to be given secretary by the maker of the motion later, the motion including the idea that this is "provided the youngster has not participated in athletics during the time." Carried. See footnote, page 248.

15. Schroeder proposes that 10 players be permitted to enter the State Tournaments, but this does not seem to meet with popular approval, partly because of the added expense at the Tournament, and partly because the same privilege would have to be extended to B Tournament teams (some of which would find it a burden during District and Regional games when at their own expense); and partly because the need does not seem great, inasmuch as the tournament is for 3 days now instead of 2 as formerly.

16. Nominating Committee report by Wakefield: Presents the names of Zimmerman and Tighe to succeed themselves.

From the floor Van Wyk of Valley City and Elster of Hillsboro are nominated. (Note: In answer to the query in re the eligibility of Van Wyk, Mr. Hanna named him as the official representative of Valley City.)

Note: Agreed by all that the two highest be declared elected. Abrahamson, acting as head teller, appoints several to help collect ballots, which are handed in as names of towns are called from the secretary's roll, a record being kept of the number of schools present in representation. Ballot outcome: Zimmerman-43; Tighe-35; Van Wyk-21; Elster-16.

Adjournment.

Footnote concerning Item No. 14 above, referring to proposed amendment, first reading, to Eligibility Rule No. 8:

AFTER ATTENDING THE FIRST SEMESTER OF THE NINTH GRADE HE SHALL HAVE CREDIT ON THE SCHOOL RECORDS IN UNIT PER YEAR OR HALF UNIT PER SEMES-TER SUBJECTS OF AT LEAST THREE HALF UNITS EARNED AND RECORDED AT THE CLOSE OF THE LAST SEMESTER IN WHICH HE WAS ENROLLED AS A STUDENT. THIRTY DAYS OR MORE OF ATTENDANCE OR PARTICIPATION IN INTERSCHOLASTIC COMPETITION WITHIN ANY SHORTER PERIOD BEING SUFFICIENT TO CONSTITUTE ENROLLMENT IN ANY SEMESTER.

(The above is the reading as sent by Supt Morstad following his introduction of the amendment, his wording at that time being incomplete and unsatisfactory to himself.)

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# Woodworth Hall, U. N. D., Thursday, March 21, 1940

Present: About 40 men, with duplicate representatives from several schools, and some men not representing any League schools, so that there was an insufficient quorum for constitutional change.

- 1. Report of Secretary-Treasurer:
  - a. Financial and regular secretary's report to be printed as usual in the Yearbook, after annual audit.
  - b. Report on dates of Track and Field meets, with reference to the new 440 relay, as per previous action of Board of Control. District centers to be as last year, except Fargo instead of Wahpeton.
  - c. Board recommends same setup for championship series in football as this year; ties to be settled by the California plan, wherein number of first downs is considered basic.
  - d. Board of Control recommends consideration of limitation on number of football games and basketball games for a season. Mr. Roberts, having attended National Federation meeting, reports that this is a live question, and the recent issue of the Pennsylvania Athlete indicates the same thing. Apparently about 18 games is considered an appropriate number of basketball games, and about 8 in football.
  - e. Reference is made to the League's football film, entitled "The University of Football," available for member schools.
  - f. Reference is made to action of Board of Control whereby net proceeds from District Tourneys are to be left in control of District Committee for their division; and Regional net proceeds belong to H. S. League.
  - g. A brief financial report is made of the Class A Tourney at Bismarck, grossing \$5,565.50 and netting \$3,285.63; and the Class B, grossing about \$2,350.00 and netting over \$200.00.
- 2. Second reading of the proposed amendment to Eligibility Rule No. 8, which defines a semester as 30 days instead of 10, or participation in interscholastic competition. No vote, since there was an insufficient number for a quorum to change constitutional acts.
- 3. Report of Special Committee of Colton, Thompson and Gould, made by Colton. Reference was made to the finances, and the question of pupils paying 25 cent fees all over the state when their funds are used mostly for the state meet. Should there be any change in the

State setup? Are there ways in which the District contests can be magnified in importance?; is it necessary to pay so many fees?—these were some of the questions the committee considered. The committee report was accepted without action, and the committee continued.

Comments: Rogers proposed perhaps it would suffice to have District Meets only. Gould felt it wise to build up the Districts; also to hold District Meets later. Urness pointed out there was no quorum for action. Page explained that District Meets were early to make it possible for the University music people to give more help with the judging.

Another member asked why the fraternities and sororities were permitted to give apparently official invitations to non-participating high school students to visit the University during High School Week. Several school men objected to the plan of such visits. Mr. Page stated the University did not approve, but seemed to feel little could be done to control it.

Thompson, White and Colton express approval of the work of the University in their handling of the State Contest, the latter two making it clear that the Minot State College was not interested in competing with the University for control of the State Contest.

4. Under new business, Supt. Murdoch of Lidgerwood presented the following, which he called an amendment, though it is not clear what part of the constitution or bylaws it amends. He stated that, while the group from District No. 1, that he represented, were aware that they could force action by the League if 20 or more members were present, he felt it would be wiser merely to present the matter for consideration, that it might be given publicity and thought, to come up at the next League meeting.

The proposal is as follows, taken directly from the mimeographed letter handed the secretary:

# DISTRICT NUMBER ONE North Dakota High School League

To the member schools:

By a unanimous vote of the public high schools which are members of the League in this district, the following statement has been prepared and ordered circulated. We ask you to consider the matter, and the amendment, and ask your support, even though the situation may ont concern your district. It is of vital concern to many schools and districts in the state.

After several years of deliberation, the North Dakota High School League in 1932 established the present plan of A and B tournaments, and the arrangement was first used in 1933. In previous years, the member schools located in the larger cities had completely dominated the district, regional and state tournaments because of the fact that these had the opportunity to draw more pupils from the more populous areas, and consequently more "material" for competitive groups. The smaller school were, and are restricted to areas of smaller populations, often entirely rural areas. The Reform Act of 1932 proved very satisfactory, and the smaller schools enjoyed competition with other schools on a more even basis.

Gradually, a situation entirely unexpected in 1932 has developed. So-called B schools in the largest cities in the state have in many instances taken charge of the B tournaments. In 1938, and again in 1939, one of these B schools, located in Minot, won the state B championship; a B school located in Bismarck has completely dominated the tournaments in its district and Region. It is happening that some cities have a representative in both the A and B state tournaments. Gradually we are getting back to where we were in the days before the Great Reform Act.

As an instance, we cite the situation in our district. After Sacred Heart Academy, a B school located in the city of Fargo, with an opportunity to draw pupils from an area of more than 30,000 population, had won the district tournament by a lop-sided score, the member schools, in a meeting held at Wyndmere last fall, voted to concede the district championship to Sacred Heart without the formality of playing a tournament. At a later meeting, after the President of the Board of Conrol had ruled that he could not support any motion to allow a school to represent the district unless the right had been earned in a tournament, the matter was reconsidered, and the regular tournament conducted.

At this meeting it was also decided to introduce the following amendments, to be presented at the Spring meeting of the League on Thursday, March 21st, 4:00 at Grand Forks.

- 1. No two or more schools located in the same city, village or school district may participate in both A and B tournaments.
- 2. The Board of Control is hereby authorized to arrange a separate and distinct and additional tournament for all private high schools members of the League, whenever the same shall seem desirable and expedient.

These matters will be presented at the Spring Conference; it is necessary to secure a quorum of twenty schools. Therefore, we urge your attendance and ask your kind support for the amendment.

By unanimous order of the Member Schools in District One, N. D. H. S. League, A. M. Dahlen, secretary."

It was proposed that items No. 1 and 2 above be sent through

\$ 161.32

the News Letter to the schools of the state for consideration and possible action next fall at the annual meeting.

Gould comments that it is his understanding that all matters pertaining to the A and B Tournament are specifically left in the hands of the Board of Control.

Proposal: Dahlen of Fairmount proposes that it might be for the welfare of the District Committee setup if an arrangement might be made whereby one member, presumably the one oldest on the Committee in point of service, shall retire each year. Without specific action by the League, this seems to merit the approval of the group.

Proposal: Clements proposes that pupils should be considered eligible until their 21st birthday, this being the official age in Oklahoma, his former state. Reference to the general age status throughout the U. S. shows that but 5 states use the 21 year limit, and aside from Oklahoma they are southern states; and a showing of hands indicated that the members present would prefer a change downward to a possible 19 year limitation, rather than upward to 21. Upon this discussion, Mr. Clements withdraws his proposed amendment.

Adjournment.

# Financial Reports District Basketball Tournaments

DISTRICT ONE

LIDGERWOOD—SUPT. E. D. MURDOCH, Manager February 29, March 1, 1940

#### Receipts

Neceipto		
Season Tickets: 117 adults @ 65c less commission to schools\$ 37.70 56 students @ 40c less commission to schools 17.55  Total season tickets	\$	55.25
Single Admissions: \$91.65 229 adults @ 40c 50.50		
Miscellaneous late aumissions	œ.	144 20
Total single admissions	φ	\$ 199.45
Total Receipts		ф 199.49
Expenditures		
1. Officials:       H. Bridgeford, fee and expenses       22.50         K. Kaiser, fee and expenses       10.00         C. Omacht, fee and expenses       15.00		
Total officials	\$	47.50
Z. Teams     Trans. Meals       Havana     \$12.00     \$5.18—\$17.18       Hankinson     8.00     5.18—13.18       Casselton     26.00     5.18—31.18       Wyndmere     8.00     5.18—13.18       Total paid to teams	\$	74.72
3. Management:       \$ 2.66         Postage       5.62         Telephone calls       6.57         Printing, adv. and tickets       6.57         Ball (Incl. bal. sub. dis. ball)       11.66         Rental lumber for bleachers       5.72         Trophies to H. S. League (2)       17.00         Special police and janitor       10.00         Misc. expenses, meetings, etc.       8.00		
Total management	\$	77.23
Total expenditures		\$ 199.45
DISTRICT ONE—Sub-District (a) LIDGERWOOD—SUPT. E. D. MURDOCH, M	/lai	nager
February 22, 23, 1940		
Season Tickets: 119 adults @ 65c less commission to schools\$ 55.92 123 students @ 25c less commission to schools 27.70	2	
Total season tickets	\$	83.62
Single Admissions: 135 adults @ 40c\$ 54.00 94 students @ 25c23.70	0	
	ø	77.70

Total single admissions\_\_\_\_\_

1.	Expenditures Officials: 4 games fee and expenses\$ 25.00
	Officials: Bennie Mellem, 4 games, fee and expenses\$ 25.00 Elmer Rukke, 4 games, fee and expenses\$ 45.00
	Total officials
2.	Teams Havana, transportation and meals\$ 25.00 Hairmount, transportation and meals 25.00 Hankinson, transportation and meals 19.00  \$ 69.00
	Total teams
3.	Management: Balls (L. A. White) paid Northern School Co\$ 10.50 Boltsage and express
	Total management\$ 4.83 Balance to L. A. White
	Total expenditures\$ 161.32
	DISTRICT ONE—Sub District (b) WYNDMERE—SUPT. W. C. HANSON, Manager February 22, 23, 1940
	Receipts
Se	eason Tickets: 68 adults @ 65c less commission to schools\$ 25.95 120 students @ 40c less commission to schools\$ 26.15
Si	Total season tickets\$ 52.10 ingle Admissions: 145 adults @ 40c\$ 58.00 50 students @ 25c12.50
	Total single admissions \$ 70.50
	Total receipts
	Expenditures
1.	Earl Bute, fee and expenses 35.00
2	Total officials
	Total officials \$\ \text{Trans. Meals' Total Allwd.} \\ \text{Casselton} \ \ \text{Suored Heart} \ \ \text{10.20} \ \ \text{5.00} \ \ \text{11.29} \ \ \text{Lindred} \ \ \text{Sacred Heart} \ \ \text{10.20} \ \ \text{5.00} \ \ \text{5.00} \ \ \text{5.00} \ \ \ \text{5.00} \ \ \ \text{5.00} \ \text{5.00} \ \text{5.00} \ \ \text{5.00}
3	Balls (L. A. White) paid Northern School Co. 5 15.80 Telephone and telegrams
	Total management\$ 17.10
	Total expenditures \$ 122.60
	Report of Tournament Fees, District One, J. E. Knain, Chairman 8 schools paid entry fees @ \$2.00 less exch. on checks\$15.80 Expenditures \$ .99
	Postage on 35 letters & 30 7.81
	Committee expenses:  Supt. Dahlen, to Wyndmere, Lidgerwood 2.00 Supt. Lantz, to Fargo, Wyndmere 3.00 Supt. Knain, to Fargo, Wyndmere, and Lidgerwood 3.00 Total expenditures \$15.80

# DISTRICT TWO MAYVILLE—LEWY LEE, Manager March 1, 2, 1940

# Receipts

,	Sea	16 adult	tickets @	ф1.50							
	Sin	gle Admis Thursday Friday af Friday ni Saturday Saturday	sions: evening - ternoon te morning evening -	and aft	ernoon		\$108.00 55.00 115.00 80.00 232.68	\$	99.00		
		Total Balance fi	single ad rom distri	missions et comm	ittee entra	nce fees		\$	590.68 $22.00$		
		Tota	l receipts_							\$	711.68
		1000			Expenditu						
		Officiala			Fee		Total				
	1.	Officials	och		\$40.00		\$40.00				
							$\frac{40.00}{15.00}$				
		T Dint	cagnier		10.00		$\frac{15.00}{22.50}$				
		Hovde an	d Hillesia	na	22.00						
		Consola	ation Refe	rees.				\$	117.50		
		Tot	ai oniciais	>							
	2.	Teams		Trans.	Meals	Total	Allwd				
	۷٠.	McVille	<del>-</del>	_\$30.60	\$20.00	\$50.60	\$50.60				
		Amoto		24.00	20.00	44.60	$\frac{44.60}{57.80}$				
		Larimore		_ 34.80	25.00	97.80 95.20					
		Hone		_ 40.40	25.00 25.00	48.80	35.20 48.80				
		Northwoo	d	_ 23.60 22.60	25.00 25.00	47.60	47.60				
		Finely -		14.60	20.00	34.60	$\frac{34.60}{25.00}$				
		Hatton		10.00	15.00	57.80 35.20 48.80 47.60 34.60 25.00 57.80 10.00	25.00	1			
		St. James	 3	_ 32.80	25.00	25.00 57.80 10.00	57.80				
		Portland		_ 10.00		10.00	10.00	' e	417.00		
		Tot	tal Teams		15.00 25.00				111.00		
	3.	Managem	ent:	1X7hite	.)		\$ 28.40	1			
		Trophies	(10.14.7)	nite)	e)		_ 11.00	}			
		Committe	e expense				_ 10.00	í			
		Scoreboa	rd rent .		ırds		2.4	Ś			
		Stamped	envelopes	anu co			21.3	5			
		Otto For	auverusiii Policii	5,			_ 5.00	)			
		Franklin	Skogen-	Labor;	Bill Krog	h—Labor_	_ 15.00	)			
									131.50	1	
		Tota	al manage	ment _	Order of J	T Elleto	- r	\$ \$	45.68		
		Bal.	to 2na Di	st. Act–	-Oraer of J	i. J. Eiste		φ		_	
										\$	666.00

# DISTRICT THREE ELLENDALE—E. C. Ingvalson, Manager February 29, March 1-2

# Receipts

Season Tickets: 73 adults @ \$1.00	00			
Total season tickets Single admissions Balance from District Committee	9999	$\begin{array}{c} 103.00 \\ 220.05 \\ 15.35 \end{array}$		
Total receipts			\$ 338.40	

	Expenditures Officials—2 @ \$35.00 each	\$ 70.00	
1.			70.00
2.	Total officials  Teams	Allwd. \$23.14 7.28 7.40 9.10 24.96 20.80 14.56 4.94 32.45 15.08 13.53 16.12 19.76	209.22
	Janifor servicePrinting	13.78	
	Total management	_ \$	59.18
	Total expenditures		\$ 338.40
	DISTRICT FOUR FESSENDEN—E. S. KILLIE, March 1, 2, 1940 Receipts		
	Season Tickets: 54 @ 40c	\$	74.85
	436 @ 50c  Total single admissions  Entry fees	8	581.30 5 20.05
			\$ 676.20
	Total receiptsExpenditures		•
1	Officials   Fee   Exp.	Total \$ 5.00 7.50 40.00 40.00	\$ 92.50
2	Total officials  Trams Trans. Lodg. Meals Total officials  Carrington \$9.60 \$15.00 \$21.50 \$46.1  Benson Ag. 13.44 7.50 21.50 42.4  Oberon 11.28 15.00 21.50 47.5  Harvey	0 \$46.10 4 42.44 78 47.78	
	Total teams		\$ 422.97

3.M	anagement: Trophies\$	28.40					
	Trophies	11.00					
	TrophiesBall	2.53					
	Ball Post. and exp Telephone and telegram	20 14					
	- I - h one and felegram	1 25					
		4.71					
	Roll tickets	8.71					
	Extra phone  Roll tickets  Advertising and tickets	3.50					
	Labor	10.00					
		5.38					
		5.00					
	Breakage on chairs	5.43					
	Breakage on chans	10.00					
	Edwards, Com	7.00					
	Bostrom, Com.						
	Killie, Com	.35					
	Bostrom, Com.  Killie, Com.  Exchange on checks	.00	g.	126.40			
	Total management		ψ.				
	Total management		φ	OT.00			
			_		\$	676.20	
	Total expenditures				Ψ	010.20	
	Total Orbon-						

Regional tournament this year was changed to Enderlin since Carrington's Consolidated Tournament made it impossible to hold the Regional there that week-end. In order to make it pay out at Enderlin, Supt. Beleal asked that we bring the Aggies to play the runners-up in that district, Enderlin, offering to pay \$20.00 for the expenses of the Aggies district, Enderlin, offering to pay \$20.00 for the expenses of the Aggies through his Civic club. The idea seemed good, but it did not work out in practice. Of a total gate of \$63.50, \$16.13 was split between Fessenden and Sanborn, Fessenden getting \$11.50 and Sanborn \$4.63.

# DISTRICT FIVE ASHLEY—B. F. HEITZMANN, Manager March 1, 2, 1940 Receipts

30 @ 75c 9 @ \$1.00 Total season ticke Single Admissions: 216 @ 25c 212 @ 15c 99 @ 50c 92 @ 30c	\$ 12.50 22.50 9.00 \$ 44.00 \$ 31.80 	
Total cincle admis	sions \$ 181.80 ict committee \$ 16.00	
1. Officials_	Expenditures Fee Exp. Total \$20.00 \$20.00 20.00 20.00 5.70 5.70 7.95 7.95 1.95 1.95 \$55.60	
2. Teams Steele Wishek Zeeland Strasburg Linton	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	
3. Management: Trophies (To L. A. W	hite)\$ 121.49 hite)\$ 28.40 \$ 11.00	

54	OF	FICIAL	HAND.	BOOK					
	Postage and express	;			1.35 1.83 3.00 13.52 .61 5.00				
	Total management					\$	64.71		
	Total expenditures							\$	241.80
	WASHBUR Febr	N—G. A. uary 29,	March	RSON, I	√lanage 10	r			
gor	ason Tickets:		ceipts			_			
	Total season ticket						120.00		
SIII	ngle Admissions: Total admissions Balance from distr					\$	$392.00 \\ 1.00$		
	Total receipts					_		\$	513.00
1.	Officials Hendrickson McKenna Slater (consolation) Scorer, timer, cashier	Expe Fe \$35 40 15	enditure e .00 .00 .00	s Exp.	Total \$35.00 40.00 15.00 10.00	\$	100.00	•	
2.	Teams Trans  Max \$ 9.22  Elbowoods 18.00  McClusky 9.00  Garrison 8.44  Wilton 2.6  Turtle Lake 4.8  Underwood 3.6  Mercer 6.8  Coleharbor 4.8  Total teams  Total teams  Management:	s. Lodg. \$3.00 \$8.00 \$8.00 \$8.00 \$4.00 \$4.00 \$4.00 \$4.00 \$4.00 \$4.00 \$4.00 \$4.00	Meals \$24.00 24.00 24.00 20.00 20.00 20.00 16.00 16.00	Total \$41.20 50.00 41.00 32.40 26.60 28.80 27.60 24.80 24.80	Allwd. \$43.20 50.00 43.00 34.40 28.60 30.80 29.60 26.80	S	315.20		
3.	Total teams	ite)	, janito	rs, misc	\$ 23.50 11.00 4.01 13.15 .50 2.90 2.50 18.84 . 21.40	Ψ !	310.20		
	Total managemen	.t				\$	97.80	)	
	Total expenditure					-		- \$	513.00
	мотт	DISTR —D. G. S oruary 29	ICT SE STUBB , March	— VEN INS, Ma	ınager		-		
g.	eason Tickets:		Receipts						
i)	eason Tickets:     8 @ \$1.40 70 @ \$1.00 19 @ 75c				_\$ 11.20 _ 70.00 _ 14.2	0 0 <b>5</b>			
		<b>-</b>				_	95.4		

511 @ 173 @ 10 @	) 25c ) 15c ) 10c	127.75 $25.95$ $1.00$	
	Total single admissionsnament Fees	\$	461.10 16.00
1000	Total receipts		\$ 572.55
1. Offici	Expenditures Fee Exp.	Total	
Fay	Brown50.00	50.00	
Other	als Fee Exp.  Brown \$50.00  Be Halbeling \$50.00  officials 7.00  Total officials 5.00	7.00	107.00
	Total officials	Allwd.	
2. Tean	Total on San San San San San San San San San Sa	\$53.42	
Flash	oner	72.05 53.42	
New	England	41.00	
New	Leipzig 12.42 28.58 41.00	$41.00 \\ 47.21$	
Elgir Leitl	1 24.84 28.58 53.42	53.42	361.52
	Total teams	φ	301.02
3. Man	agement: hies (to L. A. White)	\$ 28.40	
Balls	s (to L. A. White)	25	
Tele	phone and telegrams	2.92 8.65	
Adve	ertising and ticketsridges scorebook, India ink	1.48	
Batt	ery rent, new nets, scotch tape	1.05 5.52	
Plan Tou	rnament committee expenses	10.48	
Ren	Total teams_agement: agement: hies (to L. A. White) s (to L. A. White) s (to L. A. White) s age and express phone and telegrams ertising and tickets ridges, scorebook, India ink ery rent, new nets, scotch tape ks for bleachers rnament committee expenses t of gymnasium		404.00
	Total management	Ψ	104.03
	Total expenditures		\$ 572.55
	DISTRICT EIGHT HETTINGER—JOHN J. ROBERT February 29, March 1, 2,	TS, Manag 1940	er
	Receipts		
Season Adv	Tickets: ltslents	\$ 30.45	
Stu	lents		
	Total season tickets	9	78.45
Single 501	Admissions:	\$171.85	
540	Total season tickets	166.00	
289	Students @ 25c	71.25	
156	Students @ 10c		
Ent	Total single admissionsry fees		\$ 532.70 \$ 18.00
	Total receipts		\$ 629.15
	Expenditures		
1. Off	icials Fee Exp.	Total	
Wr Er	n. Striebel\$25.00 \$12.00 c Eneberg 25.00	25.00	
www.hallesecolit.com	asolation off 8.00	8.00	
Co	ner and scorer 8.00		\$ 78.00
Co Tii	rotar onrelais		
Co Tin	ome Trans Lodg - Meals		
Cor Tir 2. Te Ha	ams Trans. LodgMeals ynes \$7.11 \$22.01 cyrus 6.25 22.01 eder 12.73 22.01		
1. Off Wr Er	Expenditures   Expenditures   Fee   Exp.	\$37.00 25.00 8.00 8.00	<b>\$</b> 78.00

	Scranton     20.72       Bowman     22.01       Marmarth     53.03       Rhame     42.35       Hettinger        Buffalo Springs     25.03	$\begin{array}{c} 22.01 \\ 22.01 \end{array}$	42.73 52.88 75.04 64.36 22.01 47.04			
	Total teams			\$	396.19	
3.	Management: Trophies (to L. A. White) Balls (to L. A. White) Postage and express Committee expenses Hall rent Advertising, tickets, posters,	programs(light and water)	28.40 11.00 1.31 29.31 25.00 33.44 5.00 5.00			
	Total management			\$	154.96	
	Total expenditures		v	_		\$ 629.15
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# DISTRICT NINE NEW SALEM—W. L. JACOBSON, Manager February 29, March 1, 1940

Receipts				
Single Admissions:  383 @ 40c	57.05 28.75 20.60 16.95			
Total single admissionsSix entry fees at \$2.00		\$	$\frac{299.55}{12.00}$	
Total receipts				\$ 311.55
Expenditures   Fee   Exp.	Total \$30.00 25.00 3.50 10.00	\$	68.50	
Z.Teams     Trans. Lodg. Meals       Hazen     \$12.50     \$6.00     \$10.00       Beulah     12.50     6.00     10.00       Glen Ullin     5.00     3.00     5.00       Fort Yates     25.00     6.00     10.00       St. Mary's     8.75     3.00     5.00       New Salem        Total teams	Allwd \$28.50 28.50 13.00 41.00 16.75	•	127.75	
3. Management: Trophies (to L. A. White) Balls (to L. A. White) Postage and express Telephone and telegrams Rent of city auditorium Motion picture booth breakage Loudspeaker rental Advertising and posters Programs and tickets District committee (Carpenter & Nelson) Janitor service	\$ 28.40 11.00 1.00 10.75 15.00 15.00 7.65 4.50 12.00	!		
Total management		\$	115.30	
Total expenditures				\$ 311.55

# DISTRICT TEN DICKINSON—H. J. Wienbergen, Manager February 29, March 1, 2, 1940

February 29, March 1, 2, 1940
Receipts
$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Single Admissions: \$47.00 225 @ 20c
Total single admissions 9.10 Entry fees from H. W. Pearson 50.58 Bal. from dist. com. Dick. Cham. of Com. 50.58
Total receipts \$ 445.16
Expenditures   Total
2. Teams Trans. Lodg. Meals Total Allwd. Abbey
3. Management: Trophies (to L. A. White) \$\ \text{17.00} \\ Balls (to L. A. White) \$\ \text{10.35} \\ Postage, express, advertising, tickets \$\ \text{16.65} \\ \end{align*}
Total management\$ 44.00
Total expenditures\$ 443.18
Report on 10th District Tournament Entry Fees and Committee Expense 9 entry fees received from 9 Class B schools\$ 18.00 (Golva, Beach, Sent. Butte, Belfield, Model Hi, Taylor, Abbey, Hebron, Killdeer)
Expenditures   \$ .40

Expenditures	
January 15, telephone Woodward\$	.40
January 11, 10 postcards	.10
Tanuary 15 8 stamped envelopes @ 4c	.32
January 15, telephone to Taylor	.65
January 16. Envelope and stencil	.19
January 17, check exchange deducted by bank	.60
January 23. Telephone call, Mr. Woodward	.65
January 24. 3 stamped envelopes @ 4c	.12
January 26, Telephone call, Mr. Woodward	.30
January 31, 2 stamped envelopes @ 4c	.08
February 2. Mr. Lovell, committee expense	1.00
February 5, 3 stamped envelopes	.12
February 5, Mr. Pearson and Mr. Lovell trip	2.00
February 6, 8 stamped envelopes @ 4c	.32
February 19, Mr. Pearson, Mr. Lovell, drawings	2.00

Total committee expense \$ 8.90

March 2, 1940 balance to Harry Wienbergen, \$\,\ 9.10 \\
H. W. Pearson, Chairman 10th Dist. Committee

## DISTRICT ELEVEN CAVALIER-O. N. CHRISTOPHERSON, Manager February 28, 29, March 1, 1940

February 28, 29, March 1, 1940	
Receipts	
Season Tickets: \$89.00	
Total season tickets  Total single admissions  Other receipts	\$ 111.50 \$ 480.85 \$ 20.00
Total receipts	\$ 612.35
Expenditures	
1 Officials Fee Exp. Total	
1. Officials Fee Exp. Total Red Moore, ref. \$25.00 \$8.00 \$33.00 Lucian Krause, ref. 25.00 8.00 33.00 Total officials	\$ 66.00
2. Teams Trans. Lodg. Meals Total Allwd. Drayton \$22.80 \$5.00 \$16.91 \$44.71 \$44.71 Pembina 23.00 \$16.00 39.00 39.00 Gilby 24.00 5.50 7.10 36.60 36.60 Crystal 18.00 5.50 20.50 44.00 44.00 Hoople 18.00 5.00 15.80 38.80 38.80 Neche 20.00 7.20 27.20 27.20 Walhalla 26.00 12.00 38.00 38.00 Minto 30.00 16.45 46.45 46.45 St. Thomas 26.00 5.00 14.27 45.27 45.27 Cavalier Total teams Total	
Total teams	
Total managementBalance to L. A. White	\$ 137.32 \$ 49.00
Total expenditures	\$ 612.35
DISTRICT TWELVE LANGDON—I. E. OTTEM, Manager February 29, March 1, 2, 1940 Receipts	*.
Season Tickets:         Total season tickets( includ. reservations)           Single Admissions:         \$ 11.20           Thursday evening         44.31           Friday afternoon         32.16           Saturday evening         29.31           Saturday evening         181.50           Total single admissions         Balance from district committee	0 5 5 0 0
Total receipts	
Expenditures   Total officials   Fee Exp.   Total officials   \$45.00   \$4	

	IN	D. 111G.							
	Teams T Edmore	rans. L	odg.	Meals	Total	Allwd.			
2.	Edmore\$	5.60 \$1	5.00	\$25.00	\$45.60 31.00	\$35.67 24.24			
	Hannah	6.00 10.60 1	5.00	25.00	50.60	39.85			
	Lakota					47.70			
	Michigan	13.00   1	5.00	25.00	53.00	24.20			
	Milton	4.60	5.00 7.50	25.00 17.50	27.80	21.74			
	Nekoma	3.20	7.50	15.00	25.70	20.09			
	Osnabrock	14.20   1	5.00	25.00	54.20	42.40			
	Sarles	8.40 1	5.00	25.00	48.40 21.50	24.63			
	Starkweather	9.00	7.50	25.00	91.00	:	\$	322.83	
	Management: Trophies	116111				* **			
3.	Trophies					\$ 23.50			
	Ball					3.40			
	Postage and expres	rams				8.90			
	Telephone and teles Score cards Printing and adver Towel laundry					2.50			
	Printing and adver	tising				3 65			
	Towel laundry								
	Total manage	ment					\$	65.77	
	Total expendi	tures						\$	478.6
	I Otal Capone								
		DIST	RIC	TTHIE	RTEEN				
	LEE	DS-G.	S. H	(LOVS)	ΓAD, Μα	anager			
	######################################	Fehruar	v 29	, March	1, 2, 19	940			
_	mi -la et ca			eceipts					
Se	ason Tickets: Adults, 54 @ \$1.25 High school, 56 @ Grade, 36 @ 50c—1	24 @	\$1.00			\$ 91.50			
	High school, 56 @	75c—55	@ 6	0c		- 75.00 19.40			
	Grade, 36 @ 50c—1	@ 40c_							
	Total season	tickets_					\$	184.90	
Si	ngle Admissions:								
	36 @ 10c—209 @	35c				-			
	52 @ 15c—221 @	40C				-			
	ngle Admissions: 36 @ 10c—209 @ 52 @ 15c—221 @ 29 @ 20c—427 @ 138 @ 25c—88 @ Total single a	30c				_	ф	450.15	
	Total single a	dmission	S			-	÷	$\frac{453.15}{32.17}$	
	Total single a Other receipts Balance from	(from c	mane	enge rou Hee (en	dry fees	- )	\$	.15	
	Balance from	uist. co	1111111		101, 1000		-		670.
	Total receipt	S						4	0.00
			Exţ	genditur	res Exp.	Total			
1.	Officials		950	1 00	EAD.	\$50.00			
	Hanson Sando Solberg Torson Total officials		50	0.00		50.00			
	Solberg		4	2.50		2.50			
	Torson		2	2.50		⊿.50	\$	105.00	
	Total officials	5							
			Cha	llenge	Moola	A 11 mrd			
2.		Trans.	G	ame	\$30.54	\$48.54	•		
	Minnewaukan	16.20	\$	18.50	30.54	65.24			
	Bottineau	51.00	Ψ.	8.00	30.54	89.54			
	Cando	14.40			30.54	44.94			
	Rolla	36.00		6 40	30.54 20.54	74 94			
	Bishee	19.20		4.80	Meals \$30.54 30.54 30.54 30.54 30.54 30.54	54.54			
	Rugby Minnewaukan Bottineau Cando Rolla St. Johns Bisbee Dunseith Egeland Rock Lake Total teams Management:	4.00			=====				
	Egeland	7.40	(Ex	p. durir	ig Chal.	Round)			
	Rock Lake	8.00					. \$	463.68	
3	Totai teams. . Management:						- Ψ		
,	Trophies (to L. A	. White				\$ 24.80	)		
	Balls (to L. A. V	White)				10.35	)		
	Leiepnone and tel	egrams				19.69	í		
	. Management: Trophies (to L. A Balls (to L. A. V Telephone and tel Advertising and t Single admission	tickets _				1.00	)		

Evelyn Mjogde Exchange Breakage (chai Extra janitor Score books an	alen—Ticket se irs and lumber help id blanks	eller		$6.00 \\ .15 \\ 18.00 \\ 7.00 \\ 1.05$				
Total ma	nagement				\$ 1	01.69		
Total ma	nagement penditures						67	0.37
Report of D	District Commi	ttee Exper	ise 13th E	Basketb	all	Distric	t	
13 entry fees	@ \$2.00	Receipts 		\$ 26.00				
Telephone call Exchange James Gludt Havig	S			.45 6.00 4.00				
Havig				6.00				
Total ex	penditures				\$	25.85		
Balance_						\$		.15
DISTRICT FO	OURTEEN—P RANVILLE—	LAYOFF ( T. S. GRI March 4,	MSRUD,	YDER Manag	<b>V</b> S er	ST. LI	ΞΟ'	s
0, 7		Receipts	3	\$ 35.00				
179 Student 168 Adult ticl	tickets @ 20c kets @ 40c			67.20				
$Total_{-}$				-		103.00		
		Expenditu	res	Motol.				
1. Officials Philip Schiff Gerold Ranu	imficials	\$ 9.00 9.00	Exp.	\$ 9.00 9.00	\$	18.00		
2. Team Ryder St. Leo's	Trans. \$13.00 5.00 eams	Lodg. \$ 2.00	Meals \$ 5.00 3.50	Allwd \$20.00 8.50		00 E0		
Total to 3. Management Trophies (To	eams L. A. White	)		_\$ 17.00	. \$ }	28.50		
Telephone ca Gymnasium E. R. Manni Returned to	L. A. White alls ———————————————————————————————————			5.00 - 5.50 - 17.71	) ) L	=		
Total r	nanagement			-	\$	56.50		
Total e	expenditures				_		\$ :	103.00
Garram Wielrotau	Febru	). B. PRE Jary 29, Ma Receip	STBO, M arch 1, 19 ts	anager 40				
Season Tickets: 39 Adults (64 High sch 25 Grade (6	@ 75c hool @ 50c @ 30c			\$ 29.2 32.0 7.5	5 0 0 -			
Total	season tickets				\$	68.75		

60 @ 10c 11 @ 5c	.55
Total single admissionsReceipts from district playoff game Tournament fees, 13 @ \$2.00	\$ 111.50 \$ 8.81 \$ 26.00
Total receipts	\$ 215.06
Expenditures	
1. Officials: Gerold Ranum, UmpireRueben Miller, Referee	\$ 17.00 18.00
Total officials	
2. Teams Trans. Lodg. Meals Total Makoti \$2.40 \$6.45 \$8.85 Minot Model \$9.60 5.00 14.60 Parshall \$ 2.80 6.45 9.25 Douglas \$ 6.60 \$5.50 16.45 28.55 Berthold \$ 5.00 5.00 16.50 26.50 Ryder \$ 4.20 6.50 16.45 27.15 Total teams \$ 3. Management: Palls (fo L. A. White) \$ 2.40 \$ 2.4	\$ 8.85 14.60 9.25 28.55 26.50 27.15 
3. Management: Balls (to L. A. White) Postage and express Tickets Advertising Free throw award Drayage Perma record sheets Gym rental Incidentals	_ 10.00 _ 4.36
Total management Tournament committee expenses	\$ 39.16 \$ 26.00
Tournament committee expenses  Total expenditures	<del></del>
DISTRICT FOURTEEN—Sub-Di GRANVILLE—T. S. GRIMSRUD February 29, March 1, 19	, Manager
Receipts	
Season Tickets:  45 Grade @30c  72 High school @ 50c  31 Adults @ 75c	13.50 36.00 23.23
Total season tickets	\$ 72.75
Single Admissions:  68 @ 5c	46.25 61.60
Total single admissionsOther receipts from district play-off game	\$ 130.15 e \$ 8.85
Total receipts	\$ 211.78
Expenditures   Fee   Exp.   Philip Schiff   \$15.00   \$5.00   Reuben Hammond   15.00   Bert Freese   1.00   Total officials	Total \$20.00 15.00 1.00 \$ 36.00
2. Teams     Trans.     Lodg.     Meals     Tota       Anamoose     \$12.00     \$5.00     \$9.00     \$26.0       Drake     11.00     2.00     14.50     27.5       St.     15.00     -     15.00     30.0       Towner     10.00     5.00     15.00     30.0	l Allwd. 0 \$26.00 0 27.50 0 30.00

	Velva Granville Total teams_	7.20	 $12.90 \\ 5.00$	$\frac{20.10}{5.00}$	$\frac{20.10}{5.00}$	æ	138.60	
3.	Management:	te)	 	\$	10.35	\$	138.00	
	Postage and expres Telephone and teles 3 rolls of tickets Gymnasium rental	grams	 		$1.2\overline{5}$			
	Free throw award Advertising Drayage (planks)		 		$\frac{7.69}{1.00}$			
	Ticket seller Total manage		 			\$	37.15	
	Total expend						\$	211.75

# DISTRICT FIFTEEN KENMARE—E. C. JOHNSON, Manager February 29, March 1, 2, 1940

Receipts	
Advance sale: \$ 17.50 35 @ 50c	
Total advance sale\$ 378.	80
Thursday morning:       \$ .10         1 @ 10c       1.25         5 @ 25c       2.80         7 @ 40c       2.80         22 @ \$1.50       33.00         42 @ 90c       37.80	0.5
Total Thursday morning \$ 74.	.95
$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	
Total Thursday afternoon\$ 91	.30
Thursday evening: \$36.50 146 @ 25c	
Total Thursday evening \$ 150	.50
Friday afternoon:       \$45.75         183 @ 25c       34.00         68 @ 50c       9.00         12 @ 75c       5.00         4 @ \$1.25       1.50	
Total Friday afternoon \$ 98	5.25
Friday evening: \$121.00	5.00
Saturday morning:  135 @ 25c\$ 33.75  77 @ 50c 38.50	

				2.00			
7 @ 40c				2.80			
Total Saturday	morning				\$	<b>7</b> 5.05	
•							
295 @ 50c				\$147.50 86.10			
Saturday evening: 295 @ 50c 246 @ 35c Afternoon				15.76			
Afternoon					æ	040.90	
Total Saturday					\$ 	249.36	24 200 24
Total receipts -		<del>-</del>	<b></b> -				\$1,290.21
	Exp	enditur	es				
. Officials	F	ee	Exp.	Total			
A. W. Spalsbury	\$65.	.00		65.00			
s. Vonderheide	6	.00		6.00			
Les Wyman	6	.00		6.00			
Rud Anderson	6	.00		6.00			
Leland Vinz	6.	.00		6.00	œ.	154.00	
Officials A. W. Spalsbury S. Vonderheide Les Wyman Nehring Bros Bud Anderson Leland Vinz Total officials					ψ	101.00	
	TT	Lodg.	Meals	Total			
. Teams Carpio	\$16.28		\$11.60	\$27.88			
Carpio Columbus Coteau Ambrose Portal Noonan Powers Lake Glenburn Total	28.52		11.60 11.60	40.12			
Coteau	13.65		$\frac{11.60}{11.60}$	$25.25 \\ 51.50$			
Ambrose	39.90		11.60	35.60			
Portal	31.15		11.60	42.75			
Powers Lake	24.58		$\begin{array}{c} 11.60 \\ 11.60 \\ 12.23 \end{array}$	36.18			
Glenburn	35.00		12.23	47.23	\$	306.51	
Total							
÷	32.40	15.00	36.60	84.00			
Lansioru	20.77	15.00	36.60	72.37			
Stanley	24.58	15.00	36.60	76.18			
Bowbells	12.78	15.00	36.60	64.38			
Crosby	35.52	15.00	36.60 36.60	64.60			
Donnybrook	20.00	15.00	36.60	71.60			
Vanmare	20.00		13.76	13.76	_		
Lansford					\$	534.01	
Elimination games, de Lignite Tolley	eficit:			\$ 6 OO			
Lignite				9.00			
Cotoni				3.50			
Tolley Coteau Ambrose				7.00			
						25.50	
Elimination g Reg. game d	ame, denert- eficit. Kenm	are at	Williston	_ 1	\$	24.50	
3. Management Ticket seller—Earl Ticket takers—Wes Manager—E. C. Jo Janitor—J. J. Run Fire trucks—Hans Workers—Lindber Laurits Jorgensen, Bleacher construc Long distance	Tobneton			\$ 9.00			
Ticket seller—Earl	- Jounston Bland Eland	ers. Ac	kerman_	8.00			
Manager—E. C. Jo	hnson			$_{-}$ 15.00			
Janitor-J. J. Run	dlett			_ 4.00			
Fire trucks—Hans	Rasmussen			_ <b>5.</b> 00	1		
Workers—Lindberg	r, Bass, To	rkeison		5.00	í		
Bleacher construc	tion			30.37	7		
Long distance				$_{-}$ 6.77	7		
Player souvenirs				- 11.0a	)		
Player souvenirs Balls (to L. A. W) Trophies (to L. A. Postage, extension	mite)			28.40	í		
Postage extension	cords, launo	drv		9.41	Ĺ		
Miscellaneous				_ 36.28	3		
Miscellaneous Deficit, tournamen	t committee			_ 25.16	j -		
Total manage	ement			_	\$	245.69	9
Total expend							_ \$1,290.2
Local Sapend							•

A few pertinent facts concerning the tournament:
The 15th district tournament continues to be the biggest district tournament in the state.
Gross receipts of \$1,290.21 exceeded last year's record by \$50.91. This

\$ 66.85

Season Tickets:

was accomplished in spite of a severe snowstorm during the first day of the tournament.

Attendance at final game was 1,225.

The Sportsmanship trophy presented annually by the Irvin Hotel is a distinct contribution to the tournament.

All of the 19 games played during the tournament were broadcast over radio station KLPM of Minot.

162 players from 18 teams participated in the tournament.

#### DISTRICT SIXTEEN

# WILLISTON-J. N. URNESS, Manager

# February 29, March 1, 2, 1940 Receipts

# 901 1168615. \$ 10.50 7 Adult @ \$1.50\_\_\_\_\_\_\$ 10.50 19 Student, @ 75c \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 14.25 Total season tickets\_\_\_\_\_ 24.75Single admissions: #10 # 100 # $579.55 \\ 20.00$ Total receipts\_\_\_\_\_ \$ 624.30 Expenditures Officials: \$ 75.00 Showers and West 1.50 Hilde 3.00 Prior 3.00 Iverson 3.00 Rodewald 6.00 Total officials\_\_\_\_\_ 88.50Meals & Trans. Lodg. \$ 6.00 \$30.00 Total Allwd. Alexander \_\_\_\_\_\$ 6.00 30.00 Wildrose 11.00 Watford City 10.00 McGregor 13.00 40.00 Ray \_\_\_\_\_ 7.00 Alamo \_\_\_\_\_ 8.00 49.00 45.00 55.00 53.00 $\frac{45.00}{45.00}$ 45.00 Total teams \_\_\_\_\_ Management: Management: 28.40 Trophies (to L. A. White) 10.35 Telephone and telegrams 2.10 District Committee:

Total management\_\_\_\_\_

Total expenditures \_\_\_\_\_

Balance to L. A. White\_\_\_\_\_

1.41

\$ 624.30

# Financial Reports Regional Basketball Tournaments

REGION A FARGO, N. D. March 8, 1940

No manager appointed. Julius Elster arranged for officials. The Super-intendents arranged time, place and ticket sellers. Receipts

		Receipt				404.05		
	Total receipts				\$	124.35		
		Expenditu	res					
1.	Officials RognstadHarris	Fee _\$10.00 _ 10.00	Exp. \$13.00					
	Timers Total officials				\$	35.00		
2.	Teams Mayville Chaselton Total teams	Trans. \$29.50 16.60	Meals \$7.50 7.50	Allwd \$37.00 24.00	\$	61.00		
3.	Management: Balls (to L. A. White) Telephone and telegrams			\$ 11.00 12.25				
	Total management Balance to L. A. White				\$	$23.25 \\ 5.00$		
	Total expenditures						\$	124.35
	ENDERLIN, N.	REGION D.—A. P. March 8,	BELEA	L, Mana	ıge	er		
		Receipt						
Siı	ngle admissions: 90 Students @ 20c 130 Adults @ 35c							
	Total single admissions				\$	63.50		
	Total receipts				-		\$	63.50
		Expenditu	ires					
1.	Officials R. McCloud E. L. Cederberg Total officials	Fee \$10.00 5.00	Exp. \$2.00	Total \$12.00 5.00	æ	17.00		
2.	Teams Trans. Sanborn \$5.20 Fessenden 16.00 Total teams	Meals \$3.75 6.25	Total \$8.95 22.25	Allwd \$4.63 11.50				
3.	Management: Balls (to L. A. White) Telephone and telegrams ( Tickets Bills, programs, advertisin Hall Janitor	Wakefield)	100 °	\$ 11.00 9.97 50 6.25 5.00 1.00		16.13		
	Total management				\$	33.72		
	Motel				-		_	CC OF

Total expenditures\_\_\_\_\_

## REGION C BISMARCK, N. D.—H. O. SAXVIK, Manager March 5, 1940

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	Receipts   40.50   25c   \$ 40.50   208   Single admissions @ 35c   72.80	\$	113.30	
	Total receipts			
	Expenditures			
1.	Officials:         \$ 5.00           Duke Hendrickson         5.00           George Brewster         5.00			
	Total officials	\$	10.00	
η <b>2.</b>	Teams         Trans.         Meals         Allwd           Underwood         \$23.20         \$5.00         \$28.20           Linton         26.40         5.00         31.40           Total teams	\$	59.60	
3.	Management:       4.93         Telephone bills, O. C. Meyer       12.95         Ball       8.00         Total management       8.00	\$		
	Total expenditures		\$	95.48
	a success and and to Supposintendent O. C. M.	Tex	ver to be d	ivided

# Balance of \$16.82 forwarded to Superintendent O. C. Meyer to be divided between Districts 5 and 6.

# REGION D HETTINGER, N. D.—JOHN J. ROBERTS, Manager March 8, 1940

Receipts				
Single admissions: \$\frac{180 \@ 25c}{298 \@ 50c} = \frac{149.00}{149.00}				
Total single admissions	\$	194.00	•	101.00
Total receipts			\$	194.00
1. Officials Fee Exp. Total William Striebel 7.50 \$.50 \$8.00 Howard Boyd 7.50 \$.00 10.50 Scorer, timekeeper 3.00 3.00 Total officials	\$	21.50		
Z. Teams     Trans.     Meals     Total     Allwd       Elgin     .\$11.00     \$5.00     \$16.00     \$16.00       Regent     9.60     5.00     14.60     14.60       Marmarth     14.80     5.00     19.80     19.80       Bownan     8.60     5.00     13.60     13.60       Total teams	•	64.00		
3. Management:       \$ 11.00         Balls (to L. A. White)       2.00         Postage and express       2.00         Telephone and telegrams       15         Hall rent       6.76         Advertising       1.62         Decorations       13.44         Expense of tournament committee       13.46         To district seven       31.61         To district eight       31.61	] 3 4 1			
Total management	\$	108.50	! -	
Total management	•		\$	194.00

#### REGION E

# NEW SALEM—W. L. JACOBSON, Manager March 6, 1940

# Receipts

Single admissions:  103 @ 35c	2.80	\$	55.35	\$ 55.35
Expenditures				
1. Officials Fee Exp.	Total \$10.00 20.60	\$	30.60	
	Allwd. \$ 8.47 5.28	\$	13.75	
3. Management: Balls (to L. A. White)	\$11.00	\$	11.00	
Total management		φ	11.00	
Total expenditures				\$ 55.35

# REGION F

# WALHALLA, N. D.—O. E. TILLER, Manager March 8, 1940

#### Receipts

		Receipts			
Sin	gle Admissions:	·	- 00 E0		
	230 @ 35c 197 @ 25c		49.25		
	122 @ 10c		12.20		
	Total single admissions			\$ 131.95	
	Total receipts				\$ 131.95
		Expenditures			
L.	Officials: Norris Sande, referee		12.50		
	Roy Moore, umpire		TO:00		
	Timekeepers and scorers Ticket sellers and takers		6.00		
	Total officials			\$ 32.50	
2.	Team	Total	Allwd	14	
	Crystal	\$28.50	\$28.50 27.50		
	CrystalLangdon Total team	21.30		\$ <b>56.0</b> 0	
3.	Management:				
	Ball (to L. A. White)		10.35 78.		
	Postage Telephone		1.38		
	Gym and lights		5.00		
	Public address system renta Janitor		2.00		
	Posters		7.50		
	Total management To N. D. H. S. L			\$ 32.01	
	TO N. D. H. S. L			\$ 11.44	
	Total expenditures				\$ 131.95

## REGION G WILLOW CITY—J. E. SLATTA, Manager March 8, 1940

Receipts

Receipts	
Single Admissions: 315 @ 40c 202 @ 25c	_\$126.00 50.50
Total single admissions	\$ 176.50
Expenditures	Total
1. Officials \$ 6.00 \$8.00	\$14.00
H. E .Hanson 6.00 8.00	14.00 \$ 28.00
1. Officials Fee Exp.  Dave Williams	φ 26.00
Trong Lodg Meals	Total
2. Teams Pughy\$20.00 \$ 7.50	\$27.50
2. Teams 171318. 15053 Rugby \$20.00 \$7.50 St. Leo's \$7.50 Total teams \$7.50 \$5.00 15.00	57.50 
Total teams	
3. Management:	a 10.05
Balls (to L. A. White)	\$ 10.35
Postage and express	4.79
Postage and express Telephone and telegrams Advertising	10.81 10.00
Rent ord other local officers	5.00
Damages	5.00
Total managementBalance to L. A. White	\$ 17.25
Total expenditures	\$ 176.50
Total organisms	
REGION H	
	NIESS Manager
REGION H WILLISTON, N. D.—SUPT. J. N. UR	NESS, Manager
WILLISTON, N. D.—SUPT. J. N. UR	
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WILLISTON, N. D.—SUPT. J. N. UR  Receipts  Single admissions:  162 Adults @ 40c  75 Students @ 25c	\$ 64.80 18.75
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WILLISTON, N. D.—SUPT. J. N. UR  Receipts  Single admissions:  162 Adults @ 40c 75 Students @ 25c  Total single admissions  Total receipts  Expenditures	\$ 64.80 18.75 \$ 83.55 \$ 83.55
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WILLISTON, N. D.—SUPT. J. N. UR  Receipts  Single admissions:  162 Adults @ 40c 75 Students @ 25c  Total single admissions  Total receipts  Expenditures	\$ 64.80 18.75 \$ 83.55 \$ 83.55
WILLISTON, N. D.—SUPT. J. N. UR  Receipts  Single admissions: 162 Adults @ 40c 75 Students @ 25c  Total single admissions Total receipts  Expenditures  1. Officials Edw. Showers Edw. Showers St.00 A. W. Spalsbury Total officials Total officials	-\$ 64.80 18.75 \$ 83.55 \$ 83.55 Total \$15.00 15.00 \$ 30.00
WILLISTON, N. D.—SUPT. J. N. UR  Receipts  Single admissions: 162 Adults @ 40c 75 Students @ 25c  Total single admissions Total receipts  Expenditures  1. Officials Edw. Showers Edw. Showers St.00 A. W. Spalsbury Total officials Total officials	-\$ 64.80 18.75 \$ 83.55 \$ 83.55 Total \$15.00 15.00 \$ 30.00
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Receipts   Receipts	\$ 64.80 18.75 \$ 83.55 \$ 83.55 Total \$15.00 \$ 30.00 Allwd. \$26.00 \$ 26.00
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### WILLISTON, N. D.—SUPT. J. N. UR    Receipts	-\$ 64.80 -18.75 
Receipts   Receipts	-\$ 64.80 -18.75 

# Financial Report of the Play Off Games West District

	BISMARCK—February 29, March 1, 1 Teams playing: Dickinson, Williston, Bismarck Receipts	940 and	l Mandan
	Feb. 29 549 admissions @ 50c       \$274.         Feb. 29 291 admissions @ 25c       72.         March 1 552 admissions @ 50c       276.         March 1 331 admissions @ 25c       82.         444 Student season tickets @ 50c       222.         Sale of used ball to J. C. Gould       10.	00 75 00	
	Total admissions	\$	938.00
	Total receipts	-	\$ 938.00
	Expenditures		
1.	Officials:       \$ 30.         George Heidt       30.         R. D. McLeod       30.         Expense, R. D. McLeod       8.	00 00 00	
	Total officials	\$	68.00
2.	Teams         Trans.         Lodg.         Meals         Tot           Williston         \$60.00         \$30.00         \$45.00         \$135.           Dickinson         25.00         15.00         30.00         70.00           Mandan	al 00 00 	
3.	Management:       \$50.         Rent Memorial building       10.         Tickets and incidentals       10.         One basketball       12.         Postage and telephone by J. C. Gould       14.	00 05 95 32	
	Total management	8	87.32
	Total expenditures Net profits Balance divided among four participating schools ea Results of games: Mandan 45. Dickinson 20. Bismarck 28. Williston 24. Mandan 31. Williston 25. Bismarck 39. Dickinson 17.	<sup>'</sup>	\$ 360.32 \$ 577.68 receiving \$144.42.

# Financial Report State Basketball Tournament Class A High Schools

N. D. H. S. LEAGUE—WORLD WAR MEMORIAL BUILDING BISMARCK, N. D., MARCH 7, 8, 9, 1940

Receipts	
Season tickets:	
535 reserved @ \$2.50\$1,	337.50
37 reserved @ \$2.25	83.25
10 reserved @ \$1.75	17.50
1106 unreserved at \$1.75 1,	935.50
	201.00
148 unreserved @ \$1.25	185.00
Single reserved:	
211 @ \$1.00	211.00
370 @ \$1.25	462.50
Single admissions:	102.00
Thursday afternoon 92 @ 75c	69.00
Thursday evening 198 @ 75c	148.50

	Friday afternoon 41 @ 50c		er res so	
	Total admissions		\$5,565.50	\$5,565.50
	Total receipts			φυ,υυυ.υυ
1.	Cashier and others 35.00 Duke Hendrickson 7.50 Henry Bridgeford 7.50	Exp. Total 40.10 \$115.10 58.35 133.35 35.00 7.50 7.50 98.45 \$298.45		
2.	Teams         Trans.         Meals \$50.00           Valley City         \$49.50         \$50.00           Devils Lake         80.00         73.50           Grand Forks         105.00         81.00           Wahpeton         93.75         75.00           Fargo         71.35         66.12           Minot         50.00         52.50           Mandan         15.00            Bismarck          398.12           Total         \$464.60         \$398.12	Lodg. Total \$34.50 \$134.00 35.00 188.50 30.00 216.00 30.00 198.75 35.00 172.47 26.25 128.75 15.00 \$190.75 \$1,053.47		
3.	Management Score board cards Lumber bleachers Towel service Postage and stationery Printing and advertising Tickets and passes Express and incidentals Score books Files Expenses manager trip to Minot Total management	\$ 3.00 21.00 6.00 4.50 10.00 7.50 1.00 1.90 8.00		
	Total expenditures			\$1,429.87
	Cash balance			\$4,135.63
	and the Delegan			, =, ,-
D	istribution of Cash Balance: Bismarck Association of Commerc	ce		\$ 850.00
	L. A. White, SecTreas. Board of			\$3,285.63
C		ENT DURING 1926 to 1940 otal Boar	r PASI Ed of Bi	Paid to smarck
19 19 19 19	926 Mandan \$ 3,339.00 \$ 1,9 927 Mandan 3,790.50 1,8 928 Mandan 3,073.25 2,2 929 Mandan 3,050.25 2,2 930 Mandan 2,691.00 2,0	11.58 \$1,4 56.89 1,9 82.87 7 39.37 8	27.42 33.61 90.38 10.88 87.36	

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800.00 850.00 850.00 850.00

\$9,021.21

\$10,294.35

\$ 1,888.48 1,645.35 1,278.20

2,459.11

1,653.40 1,429.87 \$16,278.03

# Financial Report State Basketball Tournament Class B High Schools

MINOT, NORTH DAKOTA MARCH 14, 15, 16, 1940 G. O. MELLEM, MINOT, MANAGER

#### Receipts

Season tickets:	\$2.50	2487 50		
2 Adult inreserved	@ \$2.00	16.00		
377 Student @ \$1.00	@ \$2.00	377.00		
Single reserved:				
199 @ 65c		5129.35		
219 @ 75C		474 00		
Single admissions:		1,1,00		
Thursday afternoon:				
64 @ 40c		\$ 25.61		
32 @ 25c		8.00		
Thursday evening:		194 50		
287 @ 30c		86.10		
Friday afternoon:				
14 @ 40c		5.60		
17 @ 25c		4.25		
Friday evening:		75.60		
158 @ 35c		55.30		
Saturday afternoon:				
54 @ 40c		21.60		
		16.75		
Saturday evening:		122.00		
213 @ 40c		85.20		
Refund-Kenmare, \$1	5.00; Gutvolsee, \$3.00	18.00		
Total receipts				\$2,331.61
1 Officials:	Expenditures			
1. Officials:		\$118.35		
L. S. Herting V. R. Walker		\$118.35 118.35		
L. S. Herting V. R. Walker	and others	118.35 $118.35$ $11.50$		
L. S. Herting V. R. Walker Advance ticket sellers	and others			
L. S. Herting V. R. Walker Advance ticket sellers Total officials_	and others		\$ 248.20	
L. S. Herting V. R. Walker Advance ticket sellers  Total officials 2. Teams:	and others		\$ 248.20	
L. S. Herting V. R. Walker Advance ticket sellers  Total officials 2. Teams: Underwood	and others	 \$ 96.45	\$ 248.20	
L. S. Herting V. R. Walker Advance ticket sellers  Total officials 2. Teams: Underwood Bowman Rugby	and others	\$ 96.45 230.87 99.05	\$ 248.20	·
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L. S. Herting V. R. Walker Advance ticket sellers  Total officials 2. Teams: Underwood Bowman Rugby Kenmare Mayville	and others	\$ 96.45 230.87 99.05 93.05 201.55	\$ 248.20	
L. S. Herting V. R. Walker Advance ticket sellers  Total officials 2. Teams: Underwood Bowman Rugby Kenmare Mayville	and others	\$ 96.45 230.87 99.05 93.05 201.55	\$ 248.20	
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L. S. Herting V. R. Walker Advance ticket sellers  Total officials 2. Teams: Underwood Bowman Rugby Kenmare Mayville Langdon St. Mary's Sanborn  Total teams	and others	\$ 96.45 230.87 99.05 93.05 201.55 178.20 127.50 190.20	,	
L. S. Herting V. R. Walker Advance ticket sellers  Total officials 2. Teams: Underwood Bowman Rugby Kenmare Mayville Langdon St. Mary's Sanborn  Total teams Tickets	and others	\$ 96.45 230.87 99.05 93.05 201.55 178.20 127.50 190.20	,	
L. S. Herting V. R. Walker Advance ticket sellers  Total officials 2. Teams: Underwood Bowman Rugby Kenmare Mayville Langdon St. Mary's Sanborn  Total teams 3. Management: Tickets Advertising Player cards sto	and others	\$ 96.45 230.87 99.05 93.05 201.55 178.20 127.50 190.20 \$ 17.34 37.70	,	
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L. S. Herting V. R. Walker Advance ticket sellers  Total officials 2. Teams: Underwood Bowman Rugby Kenmare Mayville Langdon St. Mary's Sanborn  Total teams 3. Management: Tickets Advertising Player cards, etc. Bleachers on floor Postage, telephone, etc. Score book, shells, et Balls Trophies (H. S. Leage	tc.	\$ 96.45 230.87 99.05 93.05 201.55 178.20 127.50 190.20 \$ 17.34 37.70 14.00 5.50 3.14 1.93 44.06	,	\$1,762.58 \$ 247.02
L. S. Herting V. R. Walker Advance ticket sellers  Total officials 2. Teams: Underwood Bowman Rugby Kenmare Mayville Langdon St. Mary's Sanborn  Total teams 3. Management: Tickets Advertising Player cards, etc. Bleachers on floor Postage, telephone, etc. Score book, shells, et Balls Trophies (H. S. Leage	tc.	\$ 96.45 230.87 99.05 93.05 201.55 178.20 127.50 190.20 \$ 17.34 37.70 14.00 5.50 3.14 1.93 44.06	,	\$1,762.58 \$ 247.02 \$ 75.00
L. S. Herting V. R. Walker Advance ticket sellers  Total officials 2. Teams: Underwood Bowman Rugby Kenmare Mayville Langdon St. Mary's Sanborn  Total teams 3. Management: Tickets Advertising Player cards, etc. Bleachers on floor Postage, telephone, etc. Score book, shells, et Balls Trophies (H. S. Leage	tc.	\$ 96.45 230.87 99.05 93.05 201.55 178.20 127.50 190.20 \$ 17.34 37.70 14.00 5.50 3.14 1.93 44.06	,	\$1,762.58 \$ 247.02 \$ 75.00 \$ 247.01

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# Game Reports District Basketball Tournaments

DISTRICT NO. 1—Lidgerwood, N. D.—February 29, March 1, 1940 Supt. Murdoch, Manager

First Bracket

Havana 35 Casselton 36 Hankinson 38 - Wyndmere 36

Championship

Hankinson 23 Casselton 25

Consolation

Wyndmere 21 Havana 31

All District First Team

Omar Arntzen, Havana; Dick Carley, Casselton; Sam Dering, Hankinson; Wilbur Gullickson, Wyndmere; Harold Jones, Wyndmere; Earl Krause, Hankinson; Robert Kapaun, Casselton; Pat Mongonen, Hankinson; Robert Markey, Casselton; LeRoy Olsgaard, Wyndmere; Arthur Parrow, Havana; Lowell Weber, Havana.

SUB-DISTRICT NO. 1—Wyndmere, N. D.—February 22, 23, 1940 Supt. W. C. Hanson, Manager

First Bracket

Kindred 21 Wyndmere 32 - Sacred Heart 29 Casselton 24

Championship

Wyndmere 32 - Casselton 26

SUB-DISTRICT NO. 1—Lidgerwood, N. D.—February 22, 23, 1940 Supt. E. D. Murdoch, Manager

First Bracket

Fairmount 17 Hankinson 16 - Lidgerwood 13 Havana 36

Championship

Hankinson 36 - Havana 19

Consolation

Fairmount 35 -Lidgerwood 19

DISTRICT TWO

First Bracket

Hope 22 Northwood 22 St. James 25 Finley 26 Larimore 18 Mayville 36

Second Bracket

McVille 24 - Hatton 22 Overtime Hillsboro 25 Finley 17 Portland 27 Aneta 13 Mayville 37 St. James 17

Semi-Finals

McVille 27 Hillsboro 25 Mayville 32 - Portland 30 ov'rtime

Finals

For Third Place

Portland 23 -Hillsboro 19

For First Place

Mayville 36 -McVille 24

Consolation

Northwood 19 Hope 18 Larimore 35 Hatton 26 Aneta 34 Finley 15 St. James -- - Bye

Second Bracket

Larimore 29 -Northwood 25 St. James 25 Aneta 21

Finals for Fifth Place

St. James 27 Larimore 16

All District First Team

Bakke, McVille; Strand, Portland; Elken, Mayville; Johnson, Mc-Ville; Ellefson, Mayville; Sharpe, Portland; Anda, Hillsboro .

All District Second Team

Green, Hatton; Grotte, Northwood; Bakkum, Mayville; Grunseth, Finley; Doran, St. James; Draxton, Larimore; Halvorson, Aneta.

DISTRICT NO. 3—Ellendale, N. D.—February 29, March 1, 2, 1940

First Bracket

Sheldon 26 Sanborn 28 Cogswell 22 LaMoure 20 Ellendale 15 St. John's 16 St. Catherine's 15 - Enderlin 33 Oakes 23 Lisbon 17 Edgeley 26 - College Hi 33 Kulm -Bve Tower City - - - Bye

Second Bracket

Sheldon 19 Cogswell 43 Enderlin 27 - V C College Hi 24 Sanborn 34 - Tower City 25 Edgeley 18 Kulm 30

Third Bracket

Sanborn 35 Enderlin 29 Cogswell 17 Kulm 18

Championship

Sanborn 26 Enderlin 15

Consolation Game for 3rd and 4th place Cogswell 23 Kulm 22

The officials selected 11 outstanding players to constitute the alltournament team. These were as follows:

Ward Knable, Sanborn; Lawrence Wyckoff, Enderlin; Richard Swankle, Edgeley; Vernon Anderson, Enderlin; Dean Rhodes, Sanborn; Charles Trei, Cogswell; Lyle Melicher, Kulm; Dayton Schleny, LaMoure; E. Blacketeer, Oakes; Marvin Schuler, St. Catherine's; Harold Peterson, V. C. Teachers College H. S.

#### Recommendations:

We have too many schools in our district, and too many schools in our tournament. Last year we tried having sub-districts but that didn't help either. Financially it was worse.

Personally I believe it would be fine if the parochial schools of the state could run a tournament of their own. Our tournament would be a nice size without them .

They do not contribute anything to the financial success of the tourney since they have no following to speak of.

E. C. Ingvalson.

#### DISTRICT NO. 4-Fessenden, N. D.-February 28, March 1, 2 E. S. Killie, Manager

#### First Bracket

New Rockford 40 - Sheyenne 10 - Hannaford 25 Harvey 42

#### Second Bracket

Harvey 29 Benson Co. Ag. 40 - Ft. Totten 31 Carrington 51 - Cooperstown 17 Oberon 34 Fessenden 46 - New Rockford 22

#### Third Bracket (Semi-Finals)

Oberon 23 Fessenden 35 Benson Aggies 27 - Carrington 25

#### Consolation

- Carrington 27 Oberon 34

#### Championship

Fessenden 33 - Benson Co. Ag. 32

#### Honorary District Team

Pritchard, Benson Co. Aggies; Adams, Fessenden; G. Robertson, Fort Totten; Cole, New Rockford; Nunn, Oberon; Molinski, Carrington; Moen, Carrington; Larson, Fessenden; A. Pepple, Fessenden; Lolum, Benson Co. Aggies; C. Larson, Benson Co. Aggies.

(Order in which the above names is given signifies nothing. They are not ranked in order of ability ect.)

## DISTRICT NO. 5-MARCH 1, 1940

#### First Bracket

Zeeland 35 Strasburg 25 Steele 28 Wishek 26 Napoleon 30 Ashley 22 Linton 42 Hazelton 21

#### Second Bracket

Strasburg 27 Wishek 34 Hazelton 15 Ashley 32 Zeeland 16 Steele 35 Napoleon 21 Linton 27 Wishek 19 Ashley 43 Zeeland 22 Napoleon 35 Steele 24 Linton 51

#### All District First Team

Hogue, C, Linton; Silbernagel ,F, Napoleon; Wagner, F, Steele; McNutt, G, Napoleon; Vanorny, G, Ashley.

#### All District Second Team

Lacher, C, Linton; Dobler, F, Linton; Weisser, F, Ashley; Mc-Culley, G, Linton; Gimbel, G, Wishek.

Coach Boyland makes the following suggestion: That when it is definitely known at the time of drawing for a tournament that certain teams are outstandingly strong, these teams be placed on the brackets, and other teams be drawn. (Boyland coaches at Ashley.)

#### DISTRICT SIX

#### First Bracket

Washburn 51 Max 30 McClusky 46 - Elbowoods 29 Wilton 45 Garrison 26 Underwood 44 - Turtle Lake 20 Mercer 24 Coleharbor 22 Washburn 33 - McClusky 31

#### Consolation

Elbowoods 27 Max 19 Turtle Lake 27 -Garrison 24 Coleharbor 22 - Elbowoods 45

#### Semi-Finals

Wilton 28 Underwood 30 Washburn 66 -Mercer 23

#### Third Place

Wilton 51 Mercer 11

#### Consolation Championship

Elbowoods 37 - Turtle Lake 27

#### Championship

Washburn 21 - Underwood 30

#### All District First Team

Jack Johnson, Wilton; William Zwaryck, Wilton; Howard Busch, Underwood; Otto Tauer, Underwood; Alvin Rott, McClusky; Kermit Kludt, McClusky; James Wiese, Washburn; Alvin Kech, Washburn.

#### All District Second Team

Raymond Lynch, Turtle Lake; Vilas Just, Mercer; Ernest Wilhinson, Elbowoods; Gilber Bobby, Elbowoods; Horace McFadden, Wilton; Milton Temanson, Underwood; Harold Fischer, Washburn; Edward Hirsch, McClusky.

Would like to see this district enlarged or absorbed by some other district.

#### DISTRICT SEVEN

#### First Bracket

New Leipzig 41 - Flasher 22 Elgin 32 - Carson 19 Regent 39 - Leith 28 New England 35 - Mott 22

#### Semi-Finals

Elgin 23 - New Leipzig 21 Regent 28 - New England 27

#### **Finals**

Regent 34

Elgin 23

#### Consolation

Carson 32 - Flasher 31 Mott 45 - Leith 31

#### Fifth Place

Mott 44 - Carson 26

#### Third Place

New England 31 - New Leipzig 24

#### All-Tournament Honor Team

W. Ackerman, New Leipzig; Iblings, Elgin; Ottmar, Elgin; Oldenburg, New England; Fieckert, Mott; Schatz, New England; De Laney, Regent; Cornell, Regent; Lucksinger, Mott; Baenner, Leith.

#### DISTRICT 8—Hettinger, N. D.—February 29, March 1, 2, 1940 John J. Roberts, Manager

#### First Bracket

Bucyrus 23 - Buffalo Springs 16

#### Second Bracket

Hettinger 40 - Haynes 16 Marmarth 28 - Bucyrus 17

#### Third Bracket (Semi-Finals)

Marmarth 23 - Hettinger 22 Bowman 46 - Scranton 23

#### Championship

Bowman 34 - Marmarth 32

#### Third Place

Scranton 30 - Hettinger 29

#### Consolation

Buffalo Springs 11 - Haynes 22

Bucyrus 36 - Haynes 17 Reeder 25 - Rhame 21

#### Finals

Reeder 42 - Bucyrus 15

The following boys were chosen by the officials as being the most outstanding players in the tournament:

Earl Bingham, James Scott, and Dale Fisher of Bowman; Donald

Hughes and Scott Lamb of Marmarth; Charles Johnson and Kent Ellenbaum of Scranton; Norman Tommerson and Jacob Lee of Hettinger; Leonard Church of Haynes, Sidney Eide of Bucyrus; LeRoy Nichols and Samuel Wyatt of Reeder; Will Freymiller of Buffalo Springs, and Junior Oien of Rhame.

#### DISTRICT NO. 9—New Salem, N. D.—February 29, March 1, 1940 W. L. Jacobson, Manager

#### First Bracket

Beulah 21 - Fort Yates 27 New Salem 22 - Hazen 20 St. Mary's - - - - Bye Glen Ullin - - - Bye

#### Second Bracket (Semi-Finals)

Fort Yates 21 - St. Mary's 33 New Salem 56 - Glen Ullin 20

#### Championship

St. Mary's 34 - New Salem 33

#### Third Place

Fort Yates 68 - Glen Ullin 8

#### Consolation

Beulah 42 - Hazen 20

#### All District First Team

Olson, St. Mary's; Sherwood, Fort Yates; Claymore, Fort Yates; Schwartz, New Salem; Schneider, St. Mary's.

#### All District Second Team

Dilger, Beulah; Weigel, St. Mary's; Holle, New Salem; Fandrick, Hazen; Buscher, Beulah; Gearns, Hazen; Miners, St. Mary's.

#### **Honorable Mention**

Renden, Beulah; Gaebe, New Salem; Euneau, Fort Yates; Henke, New Salem; Garske, St. Mary's.

Suggestion: Do no permit schools from Class A towns to participate in Class B Tournaments.

#### DISTRICT TEN

#### First Bracket

Taylor 33 - Golva 20 Killdeer 41 - Hebron 26
Belfield 32 - Abbey 21 Beach - - - Bye
Sentinel Butte 17 - Model Hi 40

#### Semi-Finals

Taylor 28 - Killdeer 22 Belfield 21 - Beach 34 Beach 31 - Model Hi 40

#### Finals

Taylor 33 - Beach 28

N. D. HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE

#### Third Place

Killdeer 18

Beach 22

#### Consolation

Golva 11

Abbey 71 - Sentinel Butte 13 Hebron 35

Belfield - - -- Bye

#### Semi-Finals

Hebron 29

Abbey 33

#### Finals

Belfield 17

Abbey 29

#### **Outstanding Players**

Matt Anton, Model High; Willis Bice, Killdeer; Arnold Birkmaier, Hebron; Robert Coulter, Belfield; Alvin Gabbert, Model High; Donald Gallagher, Taylor; Rex Gilman, Beach; Manley Grievious, Killdeer; Eugene Haspert, Abbey; Kester Kokkeler, Belfield; Jerome Pflepson, Taylor.

#### DISTRICT ELEVEN-Cavalier, N. D.-February 28, 29, March 1, 1940 O. N. Christopherson, Manager

#### First Bracket

St. Thomas 26

Gilby 21 Minto 17 All other teams bye

Crystal 41

#### Second Bracket

St. Thomas 26

Pembina 32 Neche 20

Hoople 23

Crystal 28 Drayton 16 Cavalier 17

Walhalla 21

#### Third Bracket (Semi-Finals)

St. Thomas 13

- Pembina 25 Crystal 37

Walhalla 24

#### Championship

Crystal 36

Pembina 17

#### Third Place

Walhalla 28 St. Thomas 14 -

#### Consolation

Neche 5 Gilby forfeit to Hoople

Hoople 24

Drayton 14 Cavalier 31 Cavalier 39 Minto 19

#### Finals

Hoople 23

Cavalier 17

#### All District Team

LaRocque, Walhalla; Dalstad, Walhalla; Odegard, Hoople ; Mac-Leod, Crystal; Dewar, Crystal; Walters, Pembina; Gustafson, Pembina; Kaercher, Cavalier; W. Sturlaugson, Cavalier; Saldin, St. Thomas.

DSTRICT NO. 12—Langdon, N. D.—February 29, March 1, 2, 1940 I. E .Ottem, Manager

#### First Bracket

Milton 45

Sarles 11 Edmore 30

Petersburg 25 Michigan 13

Lakota 24

Second Bracket

Nekoma 42 Hannah 12 Starkweather 34 - Petersburg 12

Milton 37 Langdon 47

Osnabrock 34 Edmore 23

Nekoma 23

Third Bracket (Semi-Finals)

Starkweather 22 Milton 20 Langdon 33

#### Championship

Langdon 35 -Starkweather 15

#### Third Place

Nekoma 28

Milton 23

# All District First Team—No positions indicated

Robert Murie, Langdon; LaVern Johnson, Nekoma; Jackson Hoy, Starkweather; Warren Voge, Langdon; John Hartman, Starkweather.

# All District Second Team—No positions indicated

Robert Moore, Langdon; Arnold Borho, Nekoma; Harley Nelson, Osnabrock; Rueben Hellekson, Edmore; Robert Wert, Milton.

# DISTRICT NO. 13—Leeds, N. D.—February 29, March 1, 2, 1940

#### First Bracket

Rolla 40 - Minnewaukan 26 Cando 47 Bisbee 37 Leeds 30 Rugby 72

Bottineau 15 St. John's 18

Second Bracket

Cando 38 Bisbee 23 Rugby 48

Rolla 25

#### Championship

Rugby 30

Cando 15

#### Third Place

Rolla 54

Bisbee 19

#### Consolation

Leeds 37

Bottineau 23 Minnewaukan 45 - St. John's 17

#### **Finals**

Leeds 30

Minnewaukan 24

No district first or second teams were selected but the best ten were picked. They are: Howard McLean, Rugby; Clifton McLean, Rugby; Rohrer, Rugby; Whalen, Cando; Riffe, Cando; Penny, Rolla;

Hannon, Rolla; Bierman, Bisbee; Lund, Leeds; Butterwick, Minnewaukan.

#### Sub-District Fourteen (A)

#### First Bracket

(Upper)

St. Leo's 50 - Anamoose 10

#### Second Bracket

(Lower)

Towner 30 - Granville 29

#### Semi-Finals

(Upper)

St. Leo's 58 - Drake 27

(Lower)

Towner 23 - Velva 21

#### Championship

St. Leo's 44 - Towner 24

#### Consolation

Drake 25 -

Velva 24

#### All Tournament Players

Billings, Drake; King, St. Leo's; Skowronek, Towner; Grossman, Anamoose; Selberg, Velva; Crawford, Granville; Kringen, Drake; Charlebois, St. Leo's; Frank Grim, Towner; Fors, Drake; Thomas, Granville; Mills, Velva; Adkins, St. Leo's.

Outstanding players of the tournament were chosen rather than to discriminate between first and second teams of the sub-district.

#### Sub-District Fourteen (B)—Plaza, N. D.—February 29, March 1, 1940 O. B. Prestbo, Manager

#### First Bracket

Douglas 24 - Model High 23 Ryder 48 - Parshall 22 Berthold - - - - Bye Plaza 36 - Makoti 22

#### Second Bracket (Semi-Finals)

Douglas 28 - Berthold 27 Ryder 40 - Plaza 8

#### Championship

Ryder 37 - Douglas 19

#### Third Place

Plaza 27 - Berthold 26

#### All Tournament Team

Warner, Parshall; Rensch, Makoti; E. Wurtz, Plaza; Edwards, Douglas; Eide, Ryder; Risan, Parshall; Walker, Model High; G. Wurtz, Plaza; Granum, Ryder; Lindstrom, Ryder.

# DISTRICT NO. 15-Kenmare, N. D.-E. C. Johnson, Manager

#### First Bracket

Flaxton 30 Glenburn 27 Donnybrook 36 Crosby 36 - Columbus 15 Ambrose 12 Mohall 34 Powers Lake 27 Stanley 28 Noonan 27 Bowbells 27 Lansford 26 Portal 17 Coteau 9 Kenmare 59 Carpio 17

#### Second Bracket

Crosby 36 - Flaxton 26 Donnybrook 31 - Mohall 25 Bowbells 22

## Third Bracket (Semi-Finals)

Lansford 28 - Crosby 16 Kenmare 25 - Donnybrook 24

#### Championship

Kenmare 28 - Lansford 27

#### Third Place

Crosby 33 - Donnybrook 27

#### Fifth Place

Mohall 22 - Stanley 20

#### Consolation

Stanley 38 - Flaxton 28 Mohall 39 - Bowbells 22

#### All District Team

R. Richardson, Lansford; E. Johnson, Kenmare; R. Robold, Lansford; D. Wood, Donnybrook; Chas. Carbert, Mohall; R. Anderson, Stanley; Harold Smith, Kenmare; C. Kling, Donnybrook; Neland Haavig, Noonan; W. Christiansen, Crosby.

Sportsmanship trophy:—Three-way tie between Lansford, Donny-brook and Crosby for the annual Hotel Irvin Sportsmanship trophy.

# DISTRICT NO. 16—Williston, N. D.—February 29, March 1, 2, 1940 J. N. Urness, Manager

#### Pre-Tournament Games

Tioga 17 - Epping 14 Arnegard 31 - Grenora 29

#### First Bracket

Alexander 35 - Wildrose 22 Watford City 38 - McGregor 21
Alamo 28 - Ray 21 Arnegard 36 - Tioga 17

## Second Bracket (Semi-Finals)

Watford City 28 - Alexander 19 Arnregard 41 - Alamo 20

#### Championship

Watford City 21 - Arnegard 16 Alexander 33 - Alamo 15

#### Consolation

Grenora 26 - Epping 24 Ray 18

Tioga 9

#### Final Game

Ray 15 - Grenora 14

Instead of selecting a first and second team, the ten outstanding players were selected.

John Winden, Alexander, and Carmen Levang, Watford City, Cocaptains; Franklin McCoy, Wildrose; Gerald Nygard, Arnegard; Charles Anderson, Alamo; James Dundas, Watford City; Harry Gouley, McGregor; Selmer Storseth, Grenora; Luther Haugen, Alexander; Donald Shirley, Arnegard.

# Regional Tournament Game Reports

REGION A-Fargo, N. D.

Regional game between districts 1 and 2.

Mayville 30; Casselton 22

REGION B-Enderlin, N. D.

A. P. Beleal, Manager

Championship Game

Sanborn 29; Fessenden 27

For Third Place

Enderlin 45; Maddock 26

We accepted this tournament at the request of District Committeeman Harold Wakefield, after it had been planned for Carrington. We would suggest that the regional tournament site be selected after the district champions had been determined; and that cities reasonably near the contestants be selected.

REGION C-Bismarck, N. D.

H. O. Saxvik, Manager Underwood 35; Linton 20

REGION D—Hettinger, N. D. Championship Game

John J. Roberts, Manager Bowman 32; Regent 27

For Third Place

Marmarth 32; Elgin 31

REGION E-New Salem, N. D.-March 6, 1940

W. L. Jacobson, Manager St. Mary's 55; Taylor 19

REGION F-Walhalla, N. D.

O. E. Teller, Manager

Crystal vs. Langdon—No score given

REGION G-Willow City, N. D.-March 8, 1940

J. E. Slatta, Manager Rugby 36; St. Leo's 25

REGION H-Williston, N. D.

J. N. Urness, Manager

Kenmare (Dist. 15) 39; Watford City (Dist. 16) 23

# Class "A" State Tournament

World War Memorial Building, Bismarck, N. D.

## MARCH 7th, 8th and 9th, 1940

SPONSORED BY NORTH DAKOTA HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE

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#### MEMBERS OF FARGO TEAM

#### Coach—Henry Rice

Cliff Wheeler17	Phil Swanson25
Tom Reed23	Corman Bean24
Dan Polis21	Paul Paulson18
John Adams19	Bob Greenhalgh22
Jerry Mulready26	-

#### MEMBERS OF GRAND FORKS TEAM

#### Coach—Glenn Hubbard

Mack Gillis41	Louis Bogan	47
Doug LaNore44		
Homer Rovelstad49		
Dick Thompson50	John Hanson	43
Tom Amberry48		
Hubert Fischer42		

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Glen Sturdevant	5/	Swenson	_
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Louie Brewster	59	Dorval Schmidt	5
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Paul Valder	28	Clement Riedinger	. 91
John Byerly	20	E. J. Anderson	95
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LaRue Holstein  Roald Nokleberg  Virgil Watson	25	Miles Rubbelke	95
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Virgil Watson	14	Jim Fenlon	
Brad Thoreson	16	Harold Footit	23
Bob Brown	22		26
MEMBERS	OF VA	LLEY CITY TEAM	
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Bob Neil	4	Roger Ludvig	8
Sam Zimmerman	5	Ollie Gray	g
Arlen Lane	e	Francis Potter	10
Bill Ciculell	5	Robert Richards	11
		Arleigh Abrahamson	12
MEMBERS	OF B	ISMARCK TEAM	
Coac	h—L. C	. McMahan	
Roger McKinnon	22	Edgar Rose	17
Sidney McLaughlin	18	Dale Saxvik	91
James Schunk	13	Donald Schultz	19
Robert Lipp	23	Spencer Boise	
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MEMBE	RS OF	— MINOT TEAM	
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Richard Grant \_\_\_\_\_28

Robert Helling \_\_\_\_\_22

Charles Klobes \_\_\_\_\_26

Charles Stenersen \_\_\_\_23

Verne White \_\_\_\_\_24

#### FIRST ALL-STATE TEAM, 1940

Forward-Eugene Eckroth, Mandan Forward—Sidney McLaughlin, Bismarck Center-Jerry Mulready, Fargo Guard-Bob Lipp, Bismarck Guard-Stanley Hoffman, Mandan

#### SECOND ALL-STATE TEAM, 1940

Forward—Louie Brewster, Wahpeton Forward-Roald Nokleberg, Devils Lake Center-Charles Stenersen, Minot Guard-Louis Bogan, Grand Forks Guard-John Byerly, Mandan

## STATE BASKETBALL CHAMPIONS FROM 1914 to 1940

1914	-	-	Fargo	1928	Grand Forks
1915	-	_	Tower City	1929	· - Valley City
1916	-	_	Minot	1930	Bismarck
1917	-	-	Michigan	1931	Fargo
1918	-	-	Valley City	1932	Fargo
1919	-	-	Petersburg	1933	Bismarck
1920	-	-	Valley City	1934	Minot
1921	-	-	Valley City	1935	Grafton
1922	-	_	Fargo	1936	Minot
1923	-	_	Fargo	1937	Minot
1924	_	-	Fargo	1938	Fargo
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#### RECORD OF SCORES—CLASS "A" TOURNAMENT First Bracket

Fargo 44	- G	Frand Forks 39	Valley	City 27	_	Devils Lake 30
Wahpeton 29		Mandan 42	Minot		_	
		Second	Bracket			
Fargo 22	-	Mandan 26	Devils	Lake 26	; .	Bismarck 36
		Champ	ionship			

#### Mandan 30 Bismarck 24

#### Consolation Series Class A

#### First Bracket

Grand Forks 31 -	Wahpeton 29	Minot 30	-	Valley City 27
~	Second	Bracket		

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	Second	Bracket		_
Grand Forks 23 -	Minot 17	Fargo 41	-	Devils Lake 22
	Champion—M			
	Second Place	-Bismarck		
	Third Place-	-Fargo		
	Fourth Place	Devils Lak	e	

# Class "B" State Tournament

## Minot High School Gym

March 14th, 15th, 16th, 1940 Sponsored by North Dakota High School League

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Scorer-Robert Saunders	Grand Forks
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Leland	Vinz, Coach
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Richard Elken	Stener Wenaas 3
Byrus Bakkum 6	Mayo Thoreson4
Lloyd Ellefson10	Ernest Linerud 8
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MEMBERS OF	LANGDON TEAM
Ray A E	lom, Coach
Wallell Voge 7	
Robert Murie	Floyd Crockett9
Robert Moore	Orlin Greene8
Louis Krom	Robert Wells10
Patrick Morrissey5	Ronald Hartman4
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A.	D. MacM	laster, Coach
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C. McLean	13	J. Fleezon2
H. McLean	15	J. Grier14
J. McClintock	21	John McClintock16
M. Rohrer	<b>1</b> 8	
MEMBE	RS OF S	SANBORN TEAM
H	Ierb Peter	rson, Coach
H. Rhodes	2	L. Brandenberg 4
M. Carpenter		Lorne Kee
W. Knable	3	Larry Kee
D. Rhodes	8	L. Boughton1
J. Schrieter	7	-
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•	Clem Kel	ly, Coach
Dutsky Schneider	5	Leo Fortune 4
Robert Garske	6	Leonard Beylund
Leo Zirbes	8	Ray Olson11
John Weigel	3	Dick Kielty 2
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1940 \_\_\_\_Rugby

1936 \_\_\_\_\_Lakota

# RECORD OF SCORES—CLASS "B" TOURNAMENT First Bracket

Mayville 36 - Sanborn 31 Bowman 11 - Underwood 22 St. Mary's 24 - Langdon 27 Kenmare 28 - Rugby 38

Second Bracket

Mayville 27 - Langdon 26 Underwood 26 - Rugby 27 (Overtime)

Championship

Mayville 17 - Rugby 26

Consolation

Langdon 36 - Underwood 43

Consolation Series

First Bracket

Sanborn 30 - St. Mary's 26 Bowman 40 - Kenmare 51

Second Bracket

Sanborn 38 - Kenmare 39

Second Consolation Series

St. Mary's 47 - Bowman 24

Champion—Rugby
Second Place—Mayville
Third Place—Underwood
Fourth Place—Langdon

# State Track and Field Meet

Bismarck, June 1, 1940—W. H. Payne, Manager

Twenty four high schools won honors, varying from a single point to 17 points at the State Track and Field Meet, so keen was the competition. Killdeer with a three man team came within 2 points of tieing Grand Forks, and by the same margin surpassed Bismarck and Mandan that tied for third place. There seems to be almost no correlation between the size of the school and the score of the teams. The significance of this is not in criticism of larger schools, but rather in the fact that small schools with possibly less equipment and less experienced coaches have opportunities for outstanding successes in track and field work, even greater chance than in football or basketball. The high school league is trying each year to give added impetus to track and field events, and there is reason to know that there is an increasing interest in this spring sport.

Presumably the elimination of spring football has made some contribution to track and field interest.

The new discus seems to meet popular approval. The board of control has set 125 feet as the qualifying standard for invitational meets, preliminary to the state meet.

The new 880 relay adds interest to the track events, but there is some little feeling that a medley relay would be better. It has been noted that frequently the personnel of the 440 relay team is the same as that of the 880, and these same boys probably have carried the burden for the short runs in the meet, prior to the relay.

Another suggestion that seems to be gaining some favor, is the elimination of the javelin. Instances are cited of serious accidents; and at the Bismarck meet, a little lad had a very narrow escape.

The results of the state meet are as follows:

#### 100 Yard Dash-Time 10.5 Sec.

E. J. Anderson, Mandan, first; Hamers, Minot, second; Martineson, Bismarck, third; James Hoagland, Bismarck, fourth.

#### 220 Yard Dash-Time 23.8 Sec.

V. People, Fessenden, first; W. Martineson, Bismarck, second; Spillum, Grand Forks, third; James Noonan, Leonard, fourth,

#### 440 Yard Dash-Time 51.6 Sec.

William Krivoboit, Killdeer, first; Henry Balliet, Linton, second; Allan Adams, Fessenden, third; Swanson, Fargo, fourth.

#### Half Mile-Time 2 Min. 6.5 Sec.

Archambault, Ft. Yates, first; Draxton, Larimore, second; Wright, Jamestown, third; Mabin, Minot, fourth,

#### Mile-Time 4 Min. 39.5 Sec.

Elmer Wenko, Killdeer, first; Gail Holmes, Bismarck, second; Hamilton, Lakota, third; Lussenden, Egeland, fourth.

#### 220 Low Hurdles-Time 24 Sec.

Robert Erdahl, Dickinson, first; LaNore, Grand Forks, second; Rolland Benker, Mandan, third; Lane, Hettinger, fourth.

#### 120 High Hurdles-Time 15.9 Sec.

LaNore, Grand Forks, first; Robert Erdahl, Dickinson, second; Jerry Morrow, Fargo, third; Knowlton, Minnewaukan, fourth.

#### Shot Put-Dist. 46 ft. 101/2 in.

Baldwin, Grand Forks, first; Alvin Keck, Washburn, second; Jerry Mulready, Fargo, third; Dick Grant, Minot, fourth.

#### Discus Throw-Dist. 135 ft. 10 in.

Danny Oxley, Cogswell, first; Jerry Mulready, Fargo, second; Cecil Danielson, Tuttle, third; Sidney Hughes, Mandan, fourth.

#### Javelin—Dist. 155 ft. 9½ in.

Manley Grevious, Killdeer, first; Ludwig, Valley City, second; E. J. Anderson, Mandan, third; Wanner, Dickinson, fourth.

#### Broad Jump-Dist. 21 ft. 4 in.

Buster Hogue, Linton, first; E. J. Anderson, Mandan, second; Spillum, Grand Forks, third; Cecil Danielson, Tuttle, fourth.

#### High Jump-Height 5f 71/4 in.

Fandrich, Hazen, first; Buster, Linton, Robert Neil, Valley City, Cecil Danielson, Tuttle, Osborne, Dickinson, tied for second.

#### Pole Vault-Height 11 ft.

Res Gilman, Beach, first; Saxvik, Dale, Bismarck, tied for second; Agnew, Dickinson, third; Tauer, Underwood, fourth.

#### 440 Yard Relay-Time 45.4 Sec.

Bismarck, Martineson, Brandenburg, Gilbert, Hoagland, first; Mandan, second; Minot, third; Grand Forks, fourth.

## 880 Yard Relay-Time 1 Min. 35.3 Sec. (New Record)

Bismarck, Martineson, Brandenburg, Gilbert, Hoagland, first; Grand Forks, second; Dickinson, third; Valley City, fourth.

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	Score by	Team	ıs
1.	Grand Forks—17	13.	Minot5
2.	Killdeer-15	14.	Beach-4
3.	Bismarck—13	15.	Tuttle—3½
4.	Mandan-13	16.	·-
5.	Dickinson— $11\frac{1}{2}$	17.	Larimore-3
6.	$Linton-10\frac{1}{2}$		Jamestown-2
7.	Fargo—8		Lakota—2
8.	Fessenden—7	20.	Egeland—1
9.	Valley City—5½	21.	Hettinger—1
10.	Cogswell—5	22.	Leonard—1
11.	Fort Yates—5	23.	Minnewaukan—1
12.	Hazen—5		Underwood—1.

#### High Individual Point Winner

Anderson, Mandan, first, 10 point; Erdahl, Dickinson, second, 8 points; LaNore, Grand Forks, third, 8 points; Hogue, Linton, fourth, 7½ points.

#### Tennis-Singles

Sirrs, Fargo, first; Haxo, Grand Forks, second.

#### Tennis-Doubles

Murray and Brewster, Wahpeton, first; McClintock and McLain, Rugby, second.

#### Golf-Medalist

Keith Bridston, Grand Forks, first; Don Hanson, Fargo, second. Team

Bridston and Olson, Grand Forks, first; Hanson and Ekern, Fargo, second.

# Tournament History

## Repeaters on All-State Teams Have Been Few

The following pages are "borrowed" directly from the Bismarck Tribune and full credit belongs to that paper for such investigations as may have preceded the gathering of the data. While the statements are not official from the standpoint of being compiled by the high school league officially, unquestionably the facts are accurate, and are hereby presented in the Yearbook with the belief that they represent information that league members will value.

One hundred six North Dakota high school basketball players have been named to first all-state honor teams since this custom was started back in 1917, two years after the first state tournament was held.

In the early years, the all-state clubs were usually picked by the manager of the tournament when they were held at the university or the agricultural college. Later officials and newspapermen collaborated in selecting the outstanding players of the tournaments. In recent years, the officials have named the stars of the champion-ship Cass A tourneys.

Glancing at the records of the first teams only, it is noted that only 12 men have twice been named to the first all-state.

Arthur Busdicker of Valley City was named in '18 and '20. Jimmy Eckel of Valley City was named in '24 and '26; Glen Jarrett of the Forkers in '26 and '27 and Frank Clinton of the Forks in '28 and '29.

Others twice honored were Fritz Tavis of Mandan '20 and 21; Caudie Miller of Fargo '22 and '23; Bobby Rusch of Fargo '23 and '24; Harold Tait of Bismarck '30 and '31; Robert Ingstad of Jamestown '34 and '35; Donn Pepke of Minot '34 and '35; Bud Beall of Bismarck '36 and '37 and Fred Gran of Minot '36 and '37.

Five pairs of brothers have landed all-state laurels. They were Harold and Ed Boe of Grand Forks; Neil and Vivian McKay of Valley City; Roy and Milton King of Donnybrook; Robert and Keith Ingstad of Jamestown and Eugene and Louis Bogan of Grand Forks.

Roy Churchill of Michigan, who made the first all-state back in 1917, has a brother, Jack, who played with Devils Lake last year.

Largely because Fargo has won more championships than any other school, it has had more players named to honor teams. Twenty-five Fargoans have made one or more of the first teams. Second is Grand Forks with 18. Third is Valley City with 16; Bismarck and Minot 10 each; Devils Lake and Wahpeton 7 each; Jamestown 6; Mandan 5; Dickinson, Petersburg, Egeland and Donnybrook 3 each; Michigan and Grafton 2 each and Kenmare 1.

Sixty-eight of these all-staters are known to have gone on to college as follows: North Dakota University 30; North Dakota A. C.

16; Valley City Teachers college 3; Jamestown college 3; Wahpeton School of Science 5; Northwestern university 5; Minnesota university 3; Purdue, Wisconsin, Dartmouth and Duke, one each.

Following are the members of the all-state first teams since 1916:

1917—Roy Churchill, Michigan; Palmer Nelson, Valley City; James Sinclair, Kenmare; Lawrence Stenshoel, Valley City; Joe Lewis, Michigan.

1918—Roy King, Donnybrook; Charles Froats, Grand Forks; John Cook, Valley City; Milton King, Donnybrook; Arthur Busdicker, Valley City.

1919—Hartvig Hildre, Petersburg; Fritz Tavis, Mandan; Buckland, Petersburg; Percy Flem, Petersburg; Robert Palda, Minot.

1920—Fritz Tavis, Mandan; Lawrence Burnett, Fargo; Arthur Busdicker, Valley City; Clayton Berdahl, Fargo; Archie DeLancey, Valley City.

1921—George B. Wertin, Valley City; Ed Kruger, Egeland; Fred Yoder, Grand Forks; Leslie McDonald, Mandan; Harold Boe, Grand Forks.

1922—Dene Rudd, Fargo; Edmund Boe, Grand Forks; Fred Yoder, Grand Forks; Boots Wild, Egeland; Cyril Arnold, Fargo; Claude Miller, Fargo; Putnam of Egeland.

1923—Robert Rusch, Fargo; George Newgard, Mandan; Bowman Donnybrook; Clayton Watkins, Fargo; Claude Miller, Fargo.

1924—Robert Rusch, Fargo; Lloyd Walen, Grand Forks; Waldo Fisher, Fargo; James Eckel, Valley City; Arthur McChesney, Fargo.

1925—Arthur Timboe, Devils Lake; Lawrence Kin, Wahpeton; Eddie Achter, Wahpeton; Bud O'Brien, Devils Lake; Cy Peschel, Wahpeton.

1926—John Haas, Fargo; Glen Jarrett, Grand Forks; Gordon Kabeary, Devils Lake; James O'Connor, Fargo; Austin Smith, Dickinson; James Eckel, Valley City.

1927—Neil McKay, Valley City; Glen Jarrett, Grand Forks; Curtis Schave, Grand Forks; Joe Olson, Fargò; Geyhart Drangstad, Minot; Henry Kyle, Minot; Orville Maule, Dickinson.

1928—Verne DuChene, Grand Forks; Lloyd Gregory, Fargo; Earl Fitzgerald, Grand Forks; Lester Jarvis, Valley City; Frank Clinton, Grand Forks.

1929—Edward Spriggs, Bismarck; William DuVall, Valley City; Vivian McKay, Valley City; Morris Long, Fargo; Frank Clinton, Grand Forks.

1930—Ronald Kvenmoen, Fargo; Harold Taft, Bismarck; Kenneth Mullen, Grand Forks; Bernard Smith, Grand Forks; John O'Hare, Bismarck.

1931—Harold Tait, Bismarck; Lyle Fisher, Fargo; Clifford Ras-

mussen, Fargo; Alvin Dahl, Minot; Gordon Wallace, Devils Lake.

1932—Peterson, Jamestown; Forest Stevens, Devils Lake; Vernon Weaver, Devils Lake; Jack Charbonneau, Fargo; Gordon Aamoth, Fargo.

1933—Robert Finnegan, Bismarck; Marvin Doherty, Fargo; Robert Ingstad, Jamestown; Robert Saunders, Mandan; Eldon Rutten, Devils Lake.

1934—Harold Westby, Jamestown; Elvers Rindy, Grand Forks; Robert Ingstad, Jamestown; Don Pepke, Minot; Charles Nelson, Fargo.

1935-Harvey Rife, Wahpeton; Francis Whalen, Grafton; Paul Johnson, Grafton; Don Pepke, Minot; Robert Wilson, Wahpeton.

1936—James McGuinness, Bismarck; Donald Gibson, Valley City; Fred Gran, Minot; Lewis Beall, Bismarck; Bernard Monness, Minot. 1937-Lewis Beall, Bismarck; Fred Gran, Minot; Lawrence Tanberg, Dickinson; Arnold Alger, Minot; Sigvald Erickson, Valley City. 1938—Lloyd Fercho, Fargo; Arnold Jornson, Fargo; Ordean Olson, Valley City; Eugene Brogan, Grand Forks; Casper Breuer, Wahpeton. 1939-Keith Ingstad, Jamestown; Robert Weise, Jamestown;

Robert Yeasley, Bismarck; Louis Brogan, Grand Forks; Kenneth Butcher, Wahpeton.

1940-Eugene Eckroth, Mandan; Sidney McLaughin, Bismarck; Jerry Mulready, Fargo; Bob Lipp, Bismarck; Stanley Hoffman, Mandan.

# 11 of 38 Schools Have Won Basketball Championships

To settle any arguments that may arise among tournament fans as to who beat who back in naughty-naught, the following record of all games played in the championship brackets of state tourneys is published. Consolation brackets are not included.

Note that the first five meets were four-team events. All the others, except one, have been eight-team tournaments. The 1936 championship struggle was an experimental 12-team tourney.

The championship games are in black-faced type.

#### 1915

Tower City 22, Bismarck 20; Minot 28, Park River 19; Tower City 24, Minot 13.

#### 1916

Valley City 33, Dickinson 19; Minot 34 Michigan 20; Minot 37, Valley City 20.

#### 1917

Michigan 28, Dickinson 16; Valley City 36, Kenmare 21; Michigan 18, Valley City 16.

#### 1918

Valley City 26, Donnybrook 23; Grand Forks 24, Mandan 17; Valley City 42, Grand Forks 11.

Petersburg 31, Minot 21; Mandan 19, Valley City 17; Petersburg 19, Mandan 18.

#### 1920

Valley City 23, Mayville 14; Mandan 18, Kenmare 17; Towner 24, Devils Lake 22; Fargo 32, Ellendale 5; Valley City 16, Mandan 7; Fargo 32, Towner 17: Valley City 18, Fargo 16.

Mandan 27, Hettinger 3; Valley City 30, Egeland 19; Wahpeton 24, Bowbells 21; Grand Forks 30, Minot 16; Valley City 16, Mandan 13; Grand Forks 40, Wahpeton 3; Valley City 20, Grand Forks 15.

#### 1922

Fargo 52, Kenmare 24; Grand Forks 44, Dickinson 13; Valley City 21, Minot 17; Egeland 21, Bismarck 16; Fargo 22, Grand Forks 18; Egeland 20, Valley City 11; Fargo 25, Egeland 10.

#### 1923

Donnybrook 21, Grand Forks 19; Williston 28, Jamestown 19; Mandan 24, Dickinson 17; Fargo 28, Maddock 26; Mandan 20, Donnybrook 17; Fargo 26, Williston 14; Fargo 28, Mandan 16.

Fargo 18, Valley City 10; Mandan 14, Kenmare 7; Devils Lake 23, Berthold 11; Grand Forks 12, Dickinson 11; Fargo 34, Mandan 15; Grand Forks 19, Devils Lake 11; Fargo 14, Grand Forks 11.

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#### 1928

Williston 17, Bowbells 12; Grand Forks 19, Mandan 14; Valley City 21, Hettinger 14; Fargo 32, Rolla 16; Grand Forks 29, Williston 14; Valley City 17, Fargo 15; Grand Forks 29, Valley City 18.

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#### 1930

Bismarck 29, Sherwood 19; Fargo 35, Starkweather 18; Grand Forks 41, Hebron 20; Valley City 24, Minot 20; Bismarck 23, Valley City 22; Grand Forks 37, Fargo 15; Bismarck 27, Grand Forks 21.

#### 1931

Fargo 21, Valley City 13; Devils Lake 35, Bowman 19; Minot 22, Mayville 16; Bismarck 30, Crosby 10; Fargo 18, Devils Lake 13; Bismarck 27, Minot 24; Fargo 19, Bismarck 17.

#### 1932

Jamestown 25, Minot 23; Fargo 53, Reeder 20; Mandan 36, Williston 17; Devils Lake 20, Grafton 12; Fargo 28, Jamestown 26; Devils Lake 36, Mandan 18; Fargo 23, Devils Lake 20.

#### 1933

Grand Forks 16, Minot 14; Mandan 28, Devils Lake 18; Jamestown 22, Fargo 21; Bismarck 34, Enderlin 22; Mandan 22, Grand Forks 20; Bismarck 24, Jamestown 17; Bismarck 17, Mandan 15.

#### 1934

Jamestown 27, Grand Forks 24; Fargo 35, Valley City 16; Minot 22, Bismarck 13; Mandan 23, Devils Lake 21; Jamestown 32, Mandan 27; Minot 17, Fargo 15; Minot 21, Jamestown 19.

#### 1935

Grafton 36, Fargo 27; Mandan 28, Valley City 21; Wahpeton 35, Minot 18; Devils Lake 37, Bismarck 33; Grafton 34, Mandan 24; Wahpeton 40, Devils Lake 21; Grafton 29, Wahpeton 25.

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#### 1937

Valley City 13, Grand Forks 12; Minot 28, Fargo 21; Wahpeton 28, Park River 21; Bismarck 26, Dickinson 12; Minot 23, Valley City 18; Bismarck 28, Wahpeton 18; Minot 22, Bismarck 21.

#### 1938

Fargo 33, Valley City 25; Wahpeton 40, Bismarck 28; Jamestown 29, Grand Forks 28; Devils Lake 25, Hannah 19; Fargo 31, Wahpeton 19; Devils Lake 34, Jamestown 30; Fargo 47, Devils Lake 21.

#### 1939

Jamestown 35, Osnabrock 18; Grand Forks 21, Wahpeton 19; Devils Lake 30, Fargo 21; Bismarck 33, Williston 29; Jamestown 31, Grand Forks 30; Devils Lake 36, Bismarck 32; Jamestown 37, Devils Lake 20.

#### 1940

Fargo 44, Grand Forks 39; Wahpeton 29, Mandan 42; Valley City 27, Devils Lake 30; Minot 36, Bismarck 41; Fargo 22, Mandan 26; Devils Lake 26, Bismarck 36; Mandan 30, Bismarck 24.

#### Only Eleven Win Major Cmampionships

Only 11 North Dakota high schools have won major, official basketball championships since the first sanctioned tournament was held in Grand Forks in 1915. Thirty-eight schools have competed for the title in the '25 tournaments, including 1940.

To Valley City goes the honors of having had the most teams in state championship play. Blue-and-white clad warriors from Barnes county have competed in 20 of the 26 tourneys, and they have won four championships.

Fargo closely presses Valley City in the number of times it has had quintets in the fight for the state title. Central of Fargo has sent teams to 19 meets and has won seven championships, the most any school can claim.

Minot has also garnered four championships in 17 trips to the basketball battlegrounds. Bismarck has won twice in 13 trips; Grand Forks twice in 18 trips; Jamestown one title in eight jaunts; Devils Lake once in 13; Grafton once in three times at the finals; Michigan once in two title quests.

Tower City and Petersburg have managed to make the mecca of all high school basketball players only once, but these two little towns won the championships on their first and only fights for the crown.

Odd, but true, is the fact that Mandan, 16 times in tournaments, never has captured the championship. The Braves got to the finals three times but couldn'tquite make it until 1940.

Dickinson has been in nine tournaments and met the same sad fate as Mandan. The Midgets got to the finals once and came within one point of beating the state's greatest team, the national-finalist Fargo club of 1926.

Eight times Wahpeton's warriors have sought the title. Eight times they have lost, twice in the finals. Kenmare has been in five times and never has reached the finals. Donnybrook went to three tourneys and never saw the title within reach. Egeland twice made the tournaments and once played for the championship but lost.

Altho Fargo failed to land a berth in the first five state tournaments, the Gate City purple has been seen in the last 15 championship dog-fights without a let-up.

Turning to another side of tournament history, Valley City's defeat of Grand Forks in 1918 by a margin of 31 points was the greatest

point-spread in 25 years. Fargo beat Dickinson by one point, 28 to 27 in 1926, and Minot beat Bismarck, 22 to 21, in 1937 in the closest games of record.

Two point margins decided the championships in '17, '20, '21, '33 and '34. Three-point margins were decisive in 24, '29 and '32. A four-point lead won in 1935. Five-point differences told the tale in '21 and '36 and six points in 1930. Close games are the rule and not the exception.

Only twice has any team scored more than 40 points in the titular struggle. Only three times has the champion's final score been in the 30's.

The average score of 25 winners is 25.72 points. The average score of 25 losers has been 16.8 points. The average difference has been 8.92 points.

For the scrapbook-keeping fan here is the complete list of teams that have entered state tournaments and the year they played:

Valley City: 16-17-18-19-20-21-22-24-26-27-28-29-30-31-34-35-36-37-38 and 40 —Twenty tourneys.

Fargo: 20-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-32-33-34-35-36-37-38-39-40 — Nineteen.

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Mandan: 18-19-20-21-23-24-25-26-27-28-32-33-34-35-36-40-Sixteen.

Devils Lake: 20-24-25-26-27-31-32-33-34-35-38-39-40—Thirteen.

Bismarck: 15-22-28-29-30-31-33-34-35-36-37-38-39-40—Thirteen.

Dickinson: 16-17-22-23-24-26-27-36-37—Nine. Wahpeton: 21-25-35-36-37-38-39-40—Eight. Jamestown: 23-25-32-33-34-36-38-39—Eight.

Williston: 23-28-32-36-39—Five. Kenmare: 17-20-22-24-25—Five. Park River: 15-29-36-37—Four.

Grafton: 32-35-36—Three. Hettinger: 21-28-29—Three. Bowbells: 21-27-28—Three. Donnybrook: 18-23-26—Three.

Michigan: 16-17—Twice. Mayville: 20-31—Twice. Egeland: 21-22—Twice. Sherwood: 29-30—Twice.

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