

It is thinkable that this association of conferences ~~and colleges~~
in this commissioner plan, would be a voluntary organization. *Only member*
schools would be permitted to schedule member
naturally be directed and encouraged by the college presidents because they
schools in athletic contests. The sheep from the goats
idea.
~~would, of course, underwrite it.~~ The deputy commissioners would not
necessarily be excessively high-priced men, because the organizing, motivating
and enforcement would be under the supreme command of the High Commissioner.
His edicts and laws would be final. The college presidents would delegate
that power to him ~~for them~~. And by this act the college presidents would
be relieved of the burden and the stigma which overhangs our present - day
varsity competition.

Football is a gigantic business and its *smaller* ~~tiny~~ brother, basketball, is
edging its face into the picture. Where there is so much involved, financially,
men and organizations will take short cuts unless there is rigid supervision
with teeth in its laws.

The old so-called amateur law is outmoded. Scholarships have long
been given to outstanding college athletes. Some conferences pay their men
a monthly stipend *with* ~~and some conferences approve that plan.~~ *approval.* The commissioner
would set up a conference agreement for scholarships and so forth, with the
understanding that no additional outside funds would be forthcoming to the