

February 21, 1938.

Mr. E. T. Grover,
Director of Basketball,
Ohio University,
Athens, Ohio.

Dear Butch:

Answering your inquiry of the 16th instant regarding the fee for basketball officials in our Big Six conference, we pay \$20.00 and expenses for each official. The double referee system is followed, but the official named first is the superior officer of the game. Of course that means if any question arises where one individual should definitely make a decision it would be the officer first named of the pair who would be the referee in fact.

Our secretary of the Big Six figures the expense allowance, and then notifies the officials of the expense allowance for each game. The official may either accept or reject.

I would be very happy to have you inform me what fee you have been paying for the Buckeye Conference, and also what system of officiating you use. I shall also appreciate some information on the results you obtain from this investigation of the different conferences.

I will be happy to see you in Chicago on April 3.

With every good wish, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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