

arrangements have been made for conducting a Round Table Conference at the next Convention jointly with the College Physical Education Society on the topic: What methods can a small college pursue in order to promote confidence and a better understanding among competing institutions in intercollegiate sports?

Mr. Bilheimer also suggested that it might help in securing new members for the N. C. A. A. to prepare a pamphlet setting forth the history, the principles, and the aims of the N. C. A. A., and to issue with it an application blank for membership, calling for various items of information regarding the college applying. The Executive Committee voted to have such a pamphlet and application blank prepared and issued.

The Convention of 1938

Full details of the Annual Convention will be published in a *News Bulletin* early in December. The place is the Hotel Sherman, Chicago, and the dates December 28-30, 1938. At the General Session, open to the public, the speakers will be the presidents of the N. C. A. A. and of the Football Coaches Association, together with a prominent newspaper man, either editor or publisher; the topic: The Relation of Intercollegiate Athletics to the Public. There will also be a Round Table Discussion, as stated above, and the usual business session, restricted to members. The Council will dine together on Wednesday evening, December 28, and devote the evening to discussions; the newly elected Council will meet after the Convention closes.

Payment of Expenses

The Committee voted to limit hereafter the payment of expenses to the several Rules Committees for their annual meetings to railroad fares and standard (lower berth) Pullman charges, and not to include hotel bills and other expenses. All bills must be approved in writing by the committee chairman. Furthermore when a committee has accumulated a fund from profits of earlier meets, as is the case now with Track and Wrestling, the Executive Committee voted that the expenses of the individual members of the committee should be paid out of such fund. The Executive Committee regrets that it cannot pay the expenses of those attending Olympic Association committee meetings.

N. C. A. A. Agreement with Organized Baseball

Professor Badger reported for the committee appointed at the last Convention to confer with the management of professional baseball on the subject of placing undergraduates under contract to play with certain teams after graduation. Professor Badger read a pro-