

six inches) wouldn't have a chance early in the year if we didn't get this fine conditioning in the All-College.

"My team like most others, is made up of quite a few football men, and this meet is just the thing to get them in the basketball groove, along with regular players.

"Why, it's tailor-made for us. If we weren't in Oklahoma City, practicing and playing hard every

day, my boys would be dismissed for holiday vacations, fatten up, miss training and it would get so we couldn't whip our height in jack-rabbits for the first few months." Seventeen other skippers echo the sentiment.

Watch for West Texas, the All-College champs in New York the end of this month. Those Buffs are going to let Madison Square Garden know the caliber of Oklahoma City's caging classic.

Sixth Annual All-College Tournament Results Oklahoma City, Dec. 26-30, 1941

PRELIMINARY ROUND

Southeastern, Okla., 42, Springfield, Mo., 19
Baylor 64, Colorado State 44

FIRST ROUND

Oklahoma Aggies 32, Texas Christian University 25
Baylor 53, Southeastern, Okla., 38
Texas Tech 42, Washington (St. Louis) 37
Texas University 49, Oklahoma City University 32
Arkansas 44, Warrensburg, Mo., 36
West Texas State 70, East Central, Okla., 37
Southern Methodist U. 47, Colorado Mines 37
Pittsburgh, Kas., 63 New Mexico University 38

SECOND ROUND

Oklahoma Aggies 40, Baylor 29
Texas University 55, Texas Tech 45
West Texas 54, Arkansas 41
Pittsburgh, Kas., 40 Southern Methodist University 37

SEMIFINALS

Oklahoma Aggies 46, Texas University 38
West Texas State 57, Pittsburgh, Kas., 55

FINALS

West Texas State 37, Oklahoma Aggies, 31

EASTERN COACHES ACTIVE Want Rules Makers to Recognize Tutors

THE EASTERN College Basketball Coaches Association, organized formally a little more than a year ago to work with and through the National Association of Basketball Coaches to promote the best interests of the game, met in New York on December 29 and re-elected its first set of administrative officers for another term.

Thus the work of integrating into the national set-up the activities of this large and enthusiastic group based on the Atlantic seaboard states from Virginia to Maine will be continued under the leadership of Valentine (Dutch) Lentz, of West Point, president; Clair F. Bee, of Long Island U., vice president, and Everett B. Morris, secretary.

These officers will be assisted by a board of governors comprising Blair Gullion, of Cornell; Elmer Ripley, of Georgetown, and Ed Crotty, of Providence.

The Eastern Association came into being because a number of coaches on this coast believed that such an organization would serve as a means of obtaining a clearer and more representative picture of the region's stand on problems of competitive and professional interest. It would serve also as a medium for correlating opinion on such matters and transmitting such reactions to the national body, the sponsors felt.

Results indicate that the Eastern group has made considerable progress. It has a membership of more

than 80 college coaches, many of whom were persuaded to join the National Association and take an active interest in its work. It conducted last spring a nation-wide survey of college coaching opinion on the controversial backboard and ball questions and it now has under study by a special committee a plan for obtaining greater consideration for the desires of college coaches in the rules-making body.

This latter subject, of vital importance to the profession, was the principal topic of discussion at the December meeting. The Easterners feel strongly that under the present organizational set-up of the National Basketball Committee, the colleges do not have representation in keeping with their position in the sport. Several speakers pointed out the difference between the functioning of the N.C.A.A. football committee in its relations with the coaches and the attitude which the National Basketball Committee has taken in the last two years toward recommendations submitted by the National Association of Basketball Coaches.

In the spring, before the national convention in New Orleans, the Eastern group will hold another meeting, go thoroughly into all phases of the sport and make such suggestions and recommendations as might fittingly be brought before the national body by members who are able to make the trip.