

There are other sections in the brochure that are equally as bad as this.

Just before Christmas the faculty representatives revised the rule, permitting the contacting of high school athletes by the athletic representatives, thereby admitting that the weakminded o.k.'d the action of the outlaws in the conference who have indulged in free and unbridled activity.

The coaches going over the country with films of their games to speak to alumni groups, of course, is just for the uplift of the alumni!

When we have a national commissioner the type of Judge Landis in our intercollegiate athletics, then we will have respect for the law. This national commissioner would have commissioners under him in every collegiate district. It would be like the bank examiner having deputy examiners. But the high commissioner would have power. He would not be a "Pollyanna", but would be a realist and would follow much the same procedure as did Judge Landis. The N.C.A.A. has never been much more than a paper organization. It has always lacked power to enforce its edicts. It could have controlled proselyting and professionalism, but the pity of it is, it never measured up to its responsibilities.

And in closing, I want to tell you that the "secondhand reports" were firsthand, and you might be surprised what I have in my files at the present time. But I am not prosecuting the N.C.A.A. or the organized intercollegiate set-ups. That is not and never has been my purpose because our institution is a member of that organization. It is one thing to have facts in your possession, and another thing to have an organization that would prosecute it if it could.

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education,  
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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