

# National Groups to Meet Here

## • Coaches, Officials And Rules Board To Hold Sessions

Kansas City will truly be the capital of the basketball world this week with conventions of the national bodies governing the cage sport preceding the National Collegiate Athletic Association championship game between Kansas and Indiana Saturday at the Municipal Auditorium.

The National Association of Basketball Coaches open the important week with their session at the Hotel Continental Thursday. They convene for three days to discuss their problems and make their recommendations for rules changes. At their annual banquet, H. Roe Bartle, national Boy Scout executive, will be the principal speaker.

On Friday the National Collegiate Basketball Officials group will start a 2-day session here, with the Midwest Intercollegiate officials Association acting as host. The whistle-toters also will discuss proposed rules changes, and the recommendations of the coaches and officials will be presented to the national basketball rules committee of the United States and Canada at its meeting Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

B. T. Grover, of Ohio University, president of the coaches' group, and E. C. Quigley, of the officials, will present the rules recommendations for their respective groups.

All colleges and universities in the United States, the National Federation of High Schools, the Y.M.C.A. and Canadian colleges and universities are represented in the groups meeting here.

The climax, of course, is the championship game Saturday night, between Kansas, Western Division champion, and Indiana, victor in the Eastern Regional, for the N.C.A.A. championship.