

in the nature of post-season games, such as the "Bowl" games are because the football organization is not operating under the national sanction the same as the basketball play-offs. If the National Collegiate decided to have a national football championship under their auspices, then those games would not be considered post-season, but a part of the National Collegiate participation the same as the National Collegiate track meet which takes place in June this year at the University of Minnesota.

It so happened that there was a three-way tie in the Big Six this year, and as a part of the N.C.A.A. play-off the triple tie was played off at Wichita. Then, by the same token of authority given by the N.C.A.A., the Big Six Conference voted, as did the Missouri Valley Conference, to play a game to determine the district winner. In many collegiate districts there are not two conferences like the Missouri Valley and the Big Six, so play-offs were not necessary. But the Eastern play-off which was held at Indianapolis this year, and the Western play-off in Kansas City, were a part of the scheme, and of course the Finals came later.

I thought perhaps you might want to have this information, as few people outside of the officers of the organization know the set-up.

With all good wishes, I am

Very sincerely yours,

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