

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE ATHLETIC BOARD HELD AT THE FACULTY CLUB ON THURSDAY, APRIL 12, 1934, AT 12.30 P.M.

PRESENT

There were present Professor J.C.Simpson in the Chair, Dr. A.S.Lamb, Dr. F.J.Poes, Mr. P.P.Hutchison, Mr. G.H.Glaesco, Dr. H.B.Bell, Mr. G.W.Malpenny, Mr. J.F.Porteous and Major D.S. Forbes.

MINUTES

The minutes of the meetings of January 18th and March 14th were read and approved.

COACHES

The committee on selection of coaches recommended that Mr. Frank Shaughnessy be appointed rugby coach for the season 1934, and that he should announce it as his final year for coaching. It was suggested that he should attend a coaching school during the summer, and that immediate steps be taken to procure a coach for 1935.

It was also recommended that a well organized pre-season training school be provided, the first squad being supplied with board and lodging. The Athletic Board approved this recommendation.

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MEETING

Professor Simpson is an ex-officio member of the Board of Governors of the C.I.A.U. Mr. Lamb and Mr. Malpenny were appointed the additional representatives to the April meeting of the C.I.A.U. Board of Governors.

The following points in the Agenda of the C.I.A.U. were discussed:

1. Admission

The admission of other colleges to Senior Track, Swimming, and Boxing, Wrestling and Fencing.

The Athletic Board took the view that McGill would be agreeable to their admission, provided that this admission was based on the principle of qualification, and that this rule should apply to the other two sports, and not to Track alone.

2. Rugby Rules Commission

Opinions have been expressed that the Rules Commission should be reduced to four members, one from each college, and that the chairman of this Rules Commission should be a member of the C.R.U. Rules Commission, and that the Inter-collegiate Union should use standard Canadian rules, with certain specific exceptions.

The Athletic Board was of an open mind, except that they felt that the Commission should be reduced to four members.

3. Schedules

It was felt that the regulations covering schedules should be adhered to in the case of Hockey, and that the B.W.&V. Meet should be held on the third Saturday in February, in order to have no conflict with Basketball in Kingston.