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- 2. Athletic directors and coaches shall not by correspondence, distribution of literature or personal interviews of their
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4. Alumnifield secretaries shall be particularly careful to refrain from recruiting athletes.

5. Prospective athletes should not be promised employment in or by the athletic department of a university.

Those rules will stand reading a second time, remembering that they were drawn up and agreed to by the coaches, athletic directors and faculty representatives of the schools that the lows school was kicked out. It is for the strict observance of them that the school has been returned to disconding.

We may have read the Carnegie report inaccurately and we may be musinformed from other sources, but it is our sincere impression that there are very few schools of higher learning in the entire country that could play football at present if these rules were enforced. Coaches must not recruit athletes. Alumni must not recruit athletes. They must, we assume, come of their own free will and the wellow of the section of their was fired and of this patient and the wellow of the section of the section of the service and the section of the service and representatives of the section of the service and representatives of the service come must be none too ardent.

Of course the rules are ridiculous. Not in their conception, perhaps, but in their observance. Every college and university of athletic consequence has athletes recruited for it. They are not openly recruited as athletes, but as studentswith interested alumni and students naturally showing special interest in the man who has made a name for himself as guard or halfback on his high school team.

How can it very well be otherwise? High school students, whether promising material for the football team or not, do not select the college or university they wish to attend entirely on their own judgment. They are influenced by older friends who have gone to the same institution, by students they meet from various schools, by faculty members they have contact with, by parents, etc. Every individual exercizing any influence on these prospective students is recruiting. And many students and alumni and faculty members are therefore guilty most of the time.

The Big Ten rules may be workable, but we have our doubts. They won't work for the Eastern Oregon normal school, nor for the state college at Corvallis nor the university at Eugene. And we rather incline to the opinion that there is no need for them. What the public is interested in, from the standpoint of athletics, is that athletes shall not be hired. that no special monetary consideration shall influence them, and that college athletic activity shall not unduely interfer with the maintenance of a high scholastic standard. If the authorities will accomplish that, the recruiting by alumni and students and friends of an institution will not be a serious

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