

RESOLUTIONS OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF CENTRE COLLEGE, Feb. 13, 1924

Be It Resolved:

1. It is preferable, other things being equal, that the head coach of Centre College should be a former student of the institution, and that he should be a resident, all-year man.

It is the judgment of the Board that Mr. A. N. McMillin, who fulfills these conditions, is the most desirable man for the position, and it is gratifying that in this judgement, the Board has the support of the student body and of a number of the Alumni. Inasmuch, however, as it now appears that Mr. McMillin is under contract with the Centenary College until December 1st 1924, the Board does not think it proper for any negotiations to be instituted at this time with Mr. McMillin.

2. The attention of the Board has been called by the President of the College to the relations of the College with the Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools in the Southern States and has been informed that the Association has appointed a Committee to visit this institution, and to make inquiry especially into the conduct of the Athletic Department. Charges ~~have~~ been made which in the opinion of this Board are without foundation, ~~The~~ The Board feels that it has a right to ask for a full and speedy investigation, and it respectfully, but earnestly requests the Committee of the Association to visit the College at the earliest moment possible, not later than April first, 1924.

Centre College is one of the oldest and most distinguished of Southern Colleges, was founded and has been chiefly maintained by a religious body of high repute, was among the first to adopt the present high College standards, and has stood for honest academic work and for clean athletics and it is not fair and just that the college should suffer any longer under these unwarranted imputations.

3. The Board takes this occasion to express its high appreciation of Dr. Montgomery and his administration of the college and assures him of the confidence and loyal support of the Board of Trustees.