

OCCIDENTAL-U.S.C.

FIELD DAY POSTPONED.

Managers Buell of Occidental and Scott of U.S.C. decided to postpone the Occidental-U.S.C. field day from tomorrow, the time previously fixed upon, to next Saturday, in order that Fiesta Park, the desired meeting place, may be obtained for the trial.

For a number of years Washington's birthday has been the date of the Pomona-U.S.C. field day, but because of the dispute in the early part of the football season over the eligibility of E. Caley, which has not yet been settled, there will probably be no field sports between the two colleges this season.

The dispute between U.S.C. and Pomona, while it has dealt Southern California intercollegiate sports a hard blow, is considered to have resulted in raising the standard of athletics to a higher plane.

Some of the best men on the U.S.C.-Occidental track teams have failed to meet the requirements in regard to scholarship, and will be dropped from the teams in consequence. U.S.C. will suffer in the mile run, the hammer throw, and the high jump, and Occidental will be weakened in the 440-yards dash and the relay race.

An important agreement arrived at is that no third place point shall be granted. First place in each event will count five points, second place three, and the relay race five points.

The mile relay race has become a feature of the greatest interest in an intercollegiate field day. Four men from each college team run the distance, in laps of 440 yards. The U.S.C. team will consist of Townsend, Bovard, Hamilton and Parsons. As a preliminary of the Occidental-U.S.C. field day sports Trainers Cutter of U.S.C. and Wadsley of Occidental will run an exhibition 50-yards dash. Wadsley has a number of English records to his credit and Cutter is well supplied with Yankee medals.

The date of the Pomona-Occidental track meet is fixed for March 12. Pomona's dates will be open from then until about April 9, when she expects to meet Stanford University. In the event of U.S.C. being successful in the Occidental-U.S.C. meet, local track enthusiasts will endeavor to bring about a settlement between the two rival colleges in the hope that Cutter's bunch of well-trained men may have a chance to meet the stalwarts from Claremont. This would give the Congregationalists an extra chance to train for their meet with the Northern University.

The sentiment among the student bodies of the two colleges is reported favorable toward an early settlement of the dispute, and it seems only to remain for the faculties of the Methodist and Congregational schools to formulate a definite plan.