



Sports Arena

By
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PREP WEEKEND

Today marks the start of the great weekend for high school winter sport stars. The Nebraska state prep basketball tournament starts at 12:30 this noon in the coliseum.

And continuing on in the big activity house will be the high school cagers for the remainder of the week. Friday and Saturday will mark the preliminaries and finals of the state wrestling, swimming, and gymnastic meets.

Yes, 'tis truly a great week for state high school winter sport enthusiasts.

THE WINNER?

Right now the talk of the Class A prep champion centers around Jackson of Lincoln, Omaha Central and even more about Omaha South and Scottsbluff.

An old Lincoln high alum—beware—keep your eyes on the Red and Black quintet. For "tournament teams" year in and year out, the Links are very hard to beat.

Here's hoping it won't act as a jinx, but look for Lincoln high to be roaming the coliseum floor Saturday night in the finals of Class A. Hiya, Fitz, T. Thompson, Wolf, et al.

CRACK SHOT.

You riflemen know how hard it is to shoot accurately at a standing position. Here's a story about a frosh in school who fired a score of 48 out of 50 Monday afternoon.

Moved down to the fourth yearling team because of an absence last weekend, Bob Gillis of Omaha toed the mark on the firing range Monday and shot his 48-50 score.

Gillis is now elevated back to the first frosh squad. The yearling riflemen are competing in a national firing competition against college units all over the country. If other Husker frosh fire like Gillis

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State tourney pairings

Class A.	
Omaha South	vs. Norfolk
North Platte	vs. Falls City
Fremont	vs. York
Sidney	vs. Jackson (Lincoln)
Scottsbluff	vs. Albion
Fairbury	vs. Lincoln
McCook	vs. Wahoo
Grand Island	vs. Omaha Central
Class B.	
Elkhorn	vs. Sutherland
Ansley	vs. St. Francis (Humpry)
Mullen	vs. Henderson
Meadow Grove	vs. Wayne Prep
Winnebago	vs. Overton
St. Mary's (O'Neill)	vs. B. Cron
Humboldt	vs. Culbertson
Wilcox	vs. Harvard
Class C.	
Thayer	vs. Loomis
Brady	vs. Hildreth
Hampton	vs. Wood Lake
Duncan	vs. Brat Union (Humb'l')
Burchard	vs. Ohiowa
Weston	vs. Comstock
Red Willow (McCook)	vs. Potter
Malcolm	vs. Sac. Heart (Norfolk)

did, a big cup may soon be planted in the Husker trophy cases.

BASEBALL COASH.

John McDermott, three-year letterman baseball player, has been added to the coaching staff of the varsity ball nine. McDermott will assist Coach Wilbur Knight. Paul Amen will be busy with teaching the Husker football ends, while A. J. Lewandowski will handle the state high school basketball program and spring cage practice.

Last on this spring, Amen and Lewandowski will probably move over to the Husker diamond to lend assistance to McDermott and Coach Knight.

Government.

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Nebraska as a territory and continuing up to the present day. The compilation of governor's messages, up to now scattered and disintegrating, will fill four volumes of 600 pages each. It is ready now for publication but awaits funds for printing and binding.

All of the volumes may be printed in better form later, as economic conditions improve in the state. When that is done, Nebraskans will have in permanent form for the first time detailed records of the development and present status of their state government.

State prep fives begin finals today

Omaha Central, Jackson of Lincoln, Scottsbluff and Omaha South are the top seeded teams in Class A of the state basketball tournament which starts Wednesday noon at 12:30 in the coliseum.

The big show of prep cage life has a list of 16 teams in the top class that are so even in caliber that it would take a fine-toothed comb to separate the differences.

South opens the slate against Norfolk at 12:30 and Central will close the first round play at 9:30 tonight. The Omaha opponent is Grand Island.

Jackson vs. Sidney.

Jackson meets Sidney, while Scottsbluff faces Albion. The Bluffs are the possessors of the only undefeated Class A record. Because of this showing, the Bluffs are slated by many to be the 1941 champion.

Creighton Prep, the 1940 title holder, failed to survive the Omaha regional, so a new king is due to be crowned.

The drawing was conducted by Sec. O. L. Webb of the NHSAA and Supt J. R. Bitner of Fullerton, control board member.

Winnebago seeded.

Class B seeded teams are Winnebago, defending champion, Elkhorn, Wayne Prep and Harvard.

Class C seeded teams are Thayer, defending champ, Burchard, Brat Union (Humboldt), and Sacred Heart (Norfolk).

Of the 48 teams here this year, 22 were in the state tournament last year. Hastings, a perennial Class A representative, lost out in its regional competition.

Theta Xi's win IM class B basketball honors

Theta Xi is the new fraternity intramural class B basketball champion. The winning fraternity defeated Phi Gamma Delta in the finals on Monday evening by a 43 to 20 count.

Starting early in the game, the winners began a scoring barrage that did not cool off until the game and congratulations were over. They did not hit full stride until the last half when Leo Fisher and Glen Schluckbier and Jack Schulz poured thru the majority of 22 points.

The Phi Gams were not to be denied during a portion of the second half when they began hitting consistently to come within 7 points of the leaders.

The Wesleyan and Nebraska phys ed departments are having a play day at Grant Memorial this Saturday—a sort of field day for the majors, we hear.

The WAA Lounge will smell one of these days—of fresh paint! As one moron said to the other, quote, "It will smell of nice pale green and cream." (Forgive me.)

Grounds and equipment worth more than \$500,000 have been acquired in the last year by Washington and Jefferson college.

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An eye on Girls Sports

By Jeannette Mickey

Long time—no column, so let's see if we can get up to date again. Basketball tonight brings up Howard Hall, once winner, and the Tri Deltas for the first game of the second round. Up to Monday the winners were Whitney over the Thetas, Raymond Hall over Alpha Xi Delta, Alpha Chi over Towne Club and Howard over the Delta Gams. Monday night's game was a thriller with the Pi Phis leading until the last few minutes of play only to lose by a 23-21 score. Georgia Swallow was high scorer while Virginia Lewis led the pace for Bouton Hall. Bouton's team work was especially noticeable.

The two sophomores are drilling as fullback and left tackle respectively on the first Yale team after tossing the shot in indoor track. "Big Boy" Blue took the indoor shot put championship at the Big Six meet in Kansas City last week. Later in the week Jones hopes to get the squad out on the turf. Tuesday assignments:

Harvard.

Left end—Prenton, Nyden, Stockwell, Glasser.
Left tackle—McNutt, Yakal, Curtis, C. Moore.
Left guard—Von Goetz, Shubert, Bottorff, Wentz.
Center—Kelly, Bachman, Harris.
Right guard—Abel, Wilkins, Kent, Deviney.
Right tackle—Leik, Byler, Lincoln, Tichy.
Right end—Ludwick, D. Jackson, Berg, Peters.
Quarterback—M. Thompson, Stranathan, Mackey, M. Grubaugh.
Left half—Sindt, Hansen, Fisher, R. Salisbury.
Right half—Bradley, Long, Weeks, W. Jackson.
Fullback—Francis, Wright, A. Grubaugh.

Yale.

Left end—Bunker, Waddick, Anderson, Prochaska.
Left tackle—Schleich, Martig, Cleaver, Hooper.
Left guard—Myers, Nelson, Buckley, K. Moore.
Center—Meier, R. Lingenfelter, Hughes.
Right guard—Bryant, Irick, Hyde, Selzer.
Right tackle—Herndon, Bordy, Hennings.
Right end—Kathol, Hazen, Domier.
Bowers.
Quarterback—Athey, Metheny, Preuss, Uhlrich.
Left half—Cooper, R. Salisbury, Reichel, Irwin.
Right half—Simmons, Vincent, Debus, McVay.
Fullback—Blue, Lewis, Rounds.

Ping Pong pieces: Results for this week in round 2 singles shows Miriam Mann, Barb, over Jean MacAllister, AXID 2, in a game yesterday. In round 3 singles Elaine Linscott, Independent, over June Ackerman, SDT 2, and Harriett Black, Towne club, over B. J. Bylesby, Theta 1. In doubles the DG 1 team, Wykoff-Gimple, won over Millar-Hanson, Chi O 1, while Hazen-Sorensen, DDD 1, eliminated Krebs-Brown, AXID 1. The Hazen-Sorensen duo went on yesterday to the League 2 finals by winning over Gimple-Wykoff, DG 1. Also last night Swallow-Ide, Pi Phi 1, defeated McNeil-Eckblad, Howard 1, in three close games.

A good plan... pause and turn to Refreshment

Theta Xi's win IM class B basketball honors

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