PAST WEEK WITH BOWLERS

Clarkson, with a Score of 298, is the Star of the Period.

BARTSCH HIGH AVERAGE IN THE LEAGUE

Clarksons and Waverleys Tied for First Place in the Omaha Bowling League Contest, with Omahas in Third Place.

The past week has witnessed the rolling of some big scores, Clarkson, with 19., getting the nearest to the perfect mark. Of the league bowlers Bartsch leads with an average of 199, with H. D. Reed a close second.

Standing of Omaha Bowling league week ending March 5:

Clubs.	Played.	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Clarksons	57	33	24	.579
Waverleys	57	33	24	.579
Omahas	57	31	26	.544
Armours	54	28	26	.519
Kruk Parks	57	27	30	.474
St. Charles	54	24	30	.444
Nationals	57	25	32	.439
Colts	57	24	33	.421

Following is the average of the bowlers for the week:

	Games.	Pins.	Average.
Bartsch	12	2,395	199
H. D. Reed	63	19,426	196
Sprague	27	5,213	193
Fritscher	54	10,371	192
Cochran	9	1,727	192
Welty	57	10,879	191
Emery	57	10,827	190
Brunke	54	10,211	189
Francisco	54	10,202	189
Hodges	57	10,724	188
Chandler	57	10,696	187
Mockett	33	6,169	187
Marble	57	10,690	186
Encell	33	6,119	185
Potter	51	9,451	185
Huntington	54	9,998	185
Zarp	57	10,543	185
Conrad	39	7,198	185
Denman	54	9,951	184
Zimmerman	57	10,394	182
Baldwin	18	3,274	182
Norton	45	8,208	182
Wigman	51	9,256	181
Hunter	30	5,444	181
F. W. Schneider	39	7,065	181
Neale	54	9,742	180
Gjerde	51	9,129	179
Hughes	67	10,131	176
Bengele	36	6,421	178
Fowler	28	4,958	177
Tracy	48	8,441	176
Clarkson	45	7,875	175
Banks	51	8,889	174
Jones	39	6,797	174
Griffiths	45	7,796	173
French	36	6,223	173
Beselin	45	7,707	173
Friedhoff	48	8,306	173
Bonnell	24	4,163	173
Lehman	36	6,210	172
Greenleaf	33	5,637	171
Weber	36	6,124	170
L. J. Schneider	54	9,226	170
Reynolds	42	7,167	170
Christie	12	2,048	170
Clay	48	8,128	169
Carter	15	2,526	168
Norene	27	4,521	167
Gilchrest	51	8,536	167
Smead	18	2,994	166
Selleck	18	2,960	164
Ahmanson	45	7,340	163
Sheldon	18	2,808	156
A. C. Reed	21	3,256	155
Murphy	6	903	150

High scores for the week at Selleck's bowling alleys:

	No. 200.	High.
Francisco	20	245
Zimmerman	18	242
Huntington	14	236
Baldwin	15	276
Norton	16	255
Chandler	14	248
H. D. Reed	12	266
Fritscher	12	290
Potter	12	247
Hodges	14	269
Sheldon	15	232
Tonneman	12	266
Marble	12	244
Encell	14	270
Sprague	11	233
Bartsch	13	239
L. J. Schneider	10	247
Friedhoff	10	222
Clarkson	9	298
Tracy	9	278
French	9	233
Mockett	9	271
Greenleaf	8	232
Gideon	8	227
Cochran	7	239
Zarp	7	236
Denman	7	246
Welty	7	226
Brunke	6	213
Ohnering	6	278
Ahmanson	6	234
Bank	6	213
Griffith	6	234
Bengele	6	244
Christie	6	222
Neale	6	232
Beselin	6	254
Hunter	6	230
Hughes	4	220
Pickering	4	221
Clay	4	228
W. F. Schneider	3	211
Patrick	2	224
Conrad	2	225
Gjerde	2	235

High scores on the Gate City alleys: Drahos, 214, 233, 210; Hjorth, 201, 210; Beselin, 200, 209; Bomire, 200, 207; C. H. Bridenbecker, 219, 215, 207, 202, 209, 207, 243, 235; Schmela, 204; Hatch, 209; J. R. McCleary, 200; N. Nelson, 208, 202, 201, 214, 235, 246; Johnson, 231; Lucas, 219, 205, 202; McKelvy, 221; Yates, 204; Grubb, 200; Greenleaf, 202; Welty, 203, 204, 200; W. W. Windham, 221, 217, 211, 206; Jones, 202; George Mehan, 214, 220; Weymuller, 219, 227; C. S. Seaman, 202, 209, 220, 222, 205, 204; P. Neilson, 240, 223; Sciple, 221; H. H. Purse, 202. Heath won a prize at tenpins with 246 and N. Nelson with 246 and 242.

OMAHA DEFEATS BELLEVUE

Local Y. M. C. A. Takes Second Game of Basket Ball from the Collegians.

The Omaha Young Men's Christian association athletes repeated their success of two weeks ago when they defeated Bellevue college at Bellevue by scoring 45 points to Bellevue's 24, by again defeating them by a score of 42 to 22. The contest was played at the Young Men's Christian association building last night and brought forth a large crowd, in which Bellevue was represented by a host of students who filled the building with their uproarious applause.

Although all of the events were exciting, the feature of the evening was an exhibition of handstanding and bar work done by the well known Tinney brothers, Andrew, Anderson, Lorenzen, Betlach and Ninkey. The various events resulted as follows:

Twenty-yard Dash—Benson of Bellevue first, Cornwell of Omaha second.

Shot Put—Moore of Bellevue first, Cornwell of Omaha second.

Pole Vault—Wallace and Cornwell of Omaha both first.

Hitch Kick—Peterson of Omaha first, Moore of Bellevue second.

High Jump—Wallace of Omaha first, Moore of Bellevue second.

Broad Jump—Cornwell and Peterson of Omaha first and second.

Half-mile Run—Wilson of Omaha first, Cooper of Bellevue second.

Mile Run—Parker of Omaha first, Nickoll of Bellevue second.

Judges—Rice, Pipal, Hill and Pentland.

IOWA COLLEGE BASE BALL GAMES.

Schedule Prepared for Series of Intercollegiate Meetings This Spring.

AMES, Ia., March 5.—(Special.)—Manager C. W. Wilson of the base ball team of the Iowa State college announced today the schedule of games for the coming season. Negotiations have been progressing for several months and the dates have all been ratified by the athletic boards of the institutions and all contracts have been signed.

From present indications the Ames ball team will figure prominently in college base ball in Iowa this season. Last year the team tied with Grinnell for the state championship with one scheduled game not played. This was the game with Grinnell that was to be played at Ames. Grinnell failed to show up and refused to meet the Ames team in games on the Ames offer of any date selected by Grinnell. Ames tried to play the game last fall but Grinnell refused. Arrangements have been made to settle the question in a game in Ames this spring. This game will be played May 3 and to the winner will go the silver bat and the title of champion of the state for the year of 1903.

The wearers of the cardinal and gold have at this date bright prospects to win the postponed game with Grinnell and to take the bat into camp for the coming season as well, in spite of the claim of the State university that Iowa will win the championship hands down. The locals will have to be shown to the finish of the last game.

Of last year's team only two men are not back. Whistler at third base and left-fielder Carrier. Tener, who played on the varsity as a substitute last year and at short after Parsons was injured, will try for the place made vacant by the graduation of Whistler. Pitts, a substitute last year, is the most likely candidate for the vacant place in the outfield.

"Yank" Brown is back in his old place in the box and will captain the team. Reese will pitch, thus affording Ames two pitchers as good as the best that Iowa colleges afford. Cotton will be back behind the bat. Evans will hold down the initial bag, and Deshler, last year's star second baseman, will be at his old position. Parsons at short and Smith and Paine in the outfield will be out for their old places. In addition there will be a choice lot of new men and last year's second team men out trying for places. Among these some of the best are Liefers, Sticken and Shreve, all candidates for first, Mitts and Woodman for second, Cutler and Brintnall for third, and Brunnler, a substitute pitcher last year and who will be a candidate for the box position or an infield job. Pitts, Liefers and Teller are all likely candidates for the vacant place in the leftfield.

The hearts of both rooters and base ball men were made glad by the announcement this week that "Dad" Green of Rock Rapids has been retained to coach the base ball squad again this year. The contract has been signed with Green and he will begin his work the latter part of March. With practically the same men that made up last year's team and with the same coach, who knows the men as well as they know each other's peculiarities, prospects are good for a team that will stand well in any company they meet this year.

The schedule as officially adopted is by far the best that has been arranged for the Ames team for several years. It includes two games with each of the other three members of the State college league—Grinnell, Cornell and Iowa—one game with each at Ames and one abroad, besides the early game with Grinnell to settle last year's championship.

There is a week's schedule of practice games with the Cedar Rapids team of the Three-I league, from the 18th to the 25th of April, followed by a game with Simpson on the 26th. The schedule includes fifteen college games. Drake, Coe, Simpson and the State Normal being included, in addition to the league college games. Following is the schedule:

April 16—Marshalltown High school at Ames.
April 18-25—Cedar Rapids league at Ames.
April 26—Simpson at Ames.
April 30—State Normal at Ames.
May 3—Grinnell at Ames.
May 7—State university at Ames.
May 10—Coe at Ames.
May 13—Grinnell at Grinnell.
May 14—Simpson at Indianola.
May 17—Drake at Ames.
May 21—Cornell at Ames.
May 26—State Normal at Cedar Falls.
May 27—Drake at Des Moines.
May 30—State university at Iowa City.
May 31—Cornell at Mount Vernon.
June 3—Grinnell at Ames.

EVENTS ON THE RUNNING TRACKS.

Ostrich, a New Colt on New Orleans Track, Surprises Turf Following.

NEW ORLEANS, March 5.—Ostrich's performance in the Oakwood handicap today, when he ran second to Tribes Hill, the favorite, and forced the favorite out to the last ounce, gave the talent a line of the colt's chances in the Crescent City derby. It was a race from beginning to end and the mile and a quarter was covered in 2:06¾, within one-fifth of a second of track record time. Results:

First race, seven furlongs: John Doyle won, Yellowhammer second, Scotch Thistle third. Time: 1:29.

Second race, mile and one-sixteenth: Macbeth won, Mauser second, Lee King third. Time: 1:48.

Third race, five and one-half furlongs: Claremont won, Malster second, Palmist third. Time: 1:07.

Fourth race, mile and one-fourth, Oakland handicap: Tribes Hill won, Ostrich second, Alfred F. Deweym third. Time: 2:06¾.

Fifth race, six furlongs, selling: Athlana won, Sid Silver second, Banana Cream third. Time: 1:13¾.

Sixth race, one mile: Past won, McWilliams second, Miss West third. Time, 1:42.

HOT SPRINGS, March 5.—Results:

First race, six furlongs: Mike Strauss won, Dusky Secret second, Miss Guido third. Time: 1:15.

Second race, four and one-half furlongs: Never Fret won, Jim A. Long second, Duellist third. Time: :54.

Third race, mile and one-fourth: Theory won, Accolade second, Don Ami third. Time: 2:19.

Fourth race, mile and one-sixteenth, Arlington hotel purse: Honolulu won, Paul Whaley second, Ralph Young third. Time: 1:46¼.

Fifth race, one mile: Palm Reader won, Cohasset second, Aurora J. third. Time: 1:41¾.

Sixth race, mile and one-sixteenth: Flora Bright won, Bugle Horn second, Welcome Light third. Time: 1:48¼.

LOS ANGELES, March 5.—Ascot results:

First race, six furlongs, selling: Fatherjoe Ennis won, Skirmish second, Andrattus third. Time: 1:15.

Second race, five and one-half furlongs: Golden Mineral won, Pat Pulger second, Foncasta third. Time: 1:07¼.

Third race, mile and one-eighth, hurdle handicap: Heir Apparent won, Sir Hugh second, Double O. third. Time: 2:01.

Fourth race, one mile, selling: Warte Nicht won, Stuyve second, Rag Tag third. Time: 1:48¾.

Fifth race, one mile, selling: Iras won, Ulronda second, Platonius third. Time: 1:39¼.

Sixth race, Slauson course, selling: Jane Holly won, Jim Hale second, Eugenia B. third. Time: 1:11.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 5.—Oakland results:

First race, Futurity course, selling: Sylvia Mc won, Argot second, Dora I. third. Time: 1:12.

Second race, one-half mile, purse: George P. McNear won, The Miss second, Edgecliffe third. Time: :49.

Third race, Futurity course, selling: Titus won, Our Pride second, Foxy Grandpa third. Time: 1:12¾.

Fourth race, two miles and one-fourth, Waterhouse Cup, handicap: Grafter won, Vererano second, Horatius third. Time: 2:58.

Fifth race, six furlongs, selling: Hainault won, Mystic Pride second, Mimo third. Time: 1:15.

Sixth race, mile and fifty yards, selling: Keynote won, Bronendale second, Frank Woods third. Time: 1:46.

SIEVERSON STILL HAS CUP

Wins Coombs Trophy Again, Missing Only Three Times Out of Fifty.

A match pigeon shoot for the Coombs trophy cup, won at the Interstate shoot of the Omaha Gun club last month by R. S. Sieverson, was shot at the Douglas park grounds yesterday afternoon. Sieverson again proved the better man over a field of eight competitors, killing 47 out of a possible 50 birds, and, therefore, still retains the trophy. It appears from the conditions which originally accompanied it that he is subject to the challenge of any man in the state at any time within a year from the time he won the cup, but if he still retains it at the end of the year it is his for all time. It is worth $50. Following is a summary of the scores made yesterday:

	First Round.	Second Round.	Total.
Sieverson	23	24	47
Leonard	20	22	42
Townsend	20	17	37
McDonald	23	17	40
Rogers	22	24	46
Loomis	21	23	44
Thorpe	14	20	34
Diefenderfer	20	21	41

TALK OF FLOTO FOR PRESIDENT.

Tebeau Expected to Control Meeting and Will Name His Candidate.

DENVER, March 5.—(Special Telegram.)—The hardest-fought conflict known to Western league history will be inaugurated at the coming meeting of the schedule committee in Des Moines on March 10, at which gathering it is expected the resignation of President Sexton will be read and accepted by the magnates. According to well laid plans of George Tebeau Otto Floto will be elevated to the pedestal relinquished by Sexton. This move will be strenuously opposed by Percy Chamberlain of St. Joseph and Pa Rourke of Omaha. The former has advocated the candidacy of Doc Shively of the Missouri Valley league, while the Omaha magnate will do all in his power to have "Sandy" Griswold elected to the position.

Reliable information here is to the effect that Tebeau will control the meeting and install his candidate, who is at present sporting editor of the Denver Post and a figurehead in the Floto dog and pony show.

NOTICE OF CONTRACTS IS ISSUED.

National League Has Already Signed a Large List of Players.

NEW YORK, March 5.—President Harry C. Pulliam of the National league has issued notice of contracts and releases of players as follows:

Contracts—With Boston, D. C. Cooley, James C. Delehanty, F. C. Raymer, H. J. Carney, Irving K. Wilhelm and J. B. Stanley. With Chicago, John J. O'Neil and Mordecai Brown. With St. Louis, Peter Dowling. With Pittsburg, Fred W. Nell, Fred Carisch and Otto A. Krueger. With Philadelphia, Harry S. Wolverton, Frank C. Roth, William R. Marshall, T. F. Sparks, Roy A. Thomas, Thomas A. Barry, Thomas Fleming, John McPherson, R. E. Hulswitt, William B. Douglas, John C. Barry, R. P. Hall, John C. Lush, John C. Brackenridge, Charles S. Doolin and Hugh Duffy.

Contract Assigned—By Cincinnati to St. Louis, Jacob P. Beckley.

Release—By Pittsburg to Columbus American association, A. C. Weaver.

OAK AND DERBY QUALIFICATIONS.

Twenty-Five of the Best Colts in the West Booked for Events.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 5.—Final qualifications for the Kentucky Derby and the Kentucky Oaks, to be run at Churchill Downs next May, have been announced by Secretary Price. For the Derby twenty-five of the best 3-year-olds in the west have qualified and fifteen for the Oaks. The list is as follows:

Kentucky Derby—English Lad, Proceeds, Centure, Lordale, Paris, Dell Leath, Frank Carr, King Croker, Ed Tierney, Marquis de Carabos, Brancas, Council, Prince Silverwings, Monastic, Jason, Arabia, Japan, Commodore, Salivata, Batts, Saul, Triumvir, Rough and Tumble, Riley, Sardonyx, Colt, Elwood.

Kentucky Oaks—Audience, Memories, Outcome, Determination, Vestina Belle, Folles Bergeres, Blue Pennant, Good Cheer, Miss Melton, Variora, Sjambok, White Plume, Taplola, Lyrist, Portrait.

NEBRASKA DEFEATS THE BADGERS.

Hotly Contested Game of Basket Ball at Varsity.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, March 5.—(Special Telegram.)—In a hotly contested game of basket ball here tonight the University of Nebraska defeated Wisconsin university by a score of 26 to 22. The lineup:

Nebraska.	Positions.	Wisconsin.
Hagenick	Left Forward	Steimetz
Elliott	Right Forward	McConochie
Benedict	Left Guard	Severin
Hoar	Right Guard	McLoes

Officials, Anderson and Kinsey; time of halves, twenty minutes.

A dance and banquet at the Lindell hotel followed the game.

Schaefer Goes to Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, March 5.—Hermann Schaeffer, shortstop of the champion St. Paul team last year, will wear a Milwaukee uniform next year. This deal was consummated after a hot four-cornered fight, in which Minneapolis, Indianapolis, Seattle and Milwaukee were concerned.

FIRE RECORD.

Onawa Feed Store.

ONAWA, March 5.—(Special.)—An alarm of fire was turned in at 5 yesterday morning, when the feed store of M. S. Pemberof was discovered to be on fire. The fire department soon had the fire under control. The building is owned by A. W. Mann and the loss is fully covered by insurance. The stock was removed without much damage.

Soldier Is Unconscious.

Jacob Gushwo, a discharged soldier from Fort Crook, was taken from the Union station to Clarkson hospital in an unconscious condition. The doctors attending the man are unable to say yet from what the unconsciousness is due and are waiting for developments. Gushwo left the fort yesterday and was asleep on the train at Gibson where he was awakened. At the Omaha station he rested himself on the seat and upon arising fell to the floor.