



HUSKERS PICKED FOR LEAD

Basket Ball Team Defeats Ames Again by Score of 31 to 12.

REGAINED VALLEY CHAMPIONS

Two More Games with Kansas Coming, Which Will Indicate Whether Another Decisive Contest is Necessary.

AMER. Ia., Feb. 25.—(Special Telegram.)—The Nebraska basketball team made a fine season's record here yesterday afternoon when it defeated the Ames five by a score of 31 to 12.

Both teams started strong and fast. At the end of the first five minutes of play the score stood 4 to 4. The Nebraska team then took the lead and held it the remainder of the game.

At the close of the first half the score stood 16 to 8. At the beginning of the second half the Cornhuskers increased their lead and held the Ames team scoreless for the first ten minutes.

LINCOLN "Y" WRESTLERS WIN BEATRICE TOURNEY

BEATRICE, Neb., Feb. 25.—(Special Telegram.)—In the wrestling tournament between the Lincoln and Beatrice Young Men's Christian association teams here this evening the former won after a hard struggle before a large crowd.

In the heavyweight class, Lens of Beatrice won from Wheeler of Lincoln, securing the first and third falls in fifty-one minutes and twenty seconds and twenty-eight minutes and thirty seconds, respectively.

In the middleweight class, Rutherford of Beatrice won the first fall from Anderson of Lincoln in nine minutes and twenty seconds and the second in forty-two seconds.

DEAF INSTITUTE BASKET BALL FLINGERS WIN GAME

The Deaf Institute basketball flingers trimmed the Supto quintet in a close game at the local "Y" gymnasium last evening. It was up to the last five minutes of play the score stood a tie, 12 to 12, and it was only by dint of some clever basket tossing that the deaf flingers were able to boost the score in their favor.

Marshall, at left forward for the quintet, featured with his overhead passes and made several sensational shots for baskets that brought forth the applause of a small, but enthusiastic gallery.

CANADIANS BEAT SLASHERS WITH HELP OF A HANDICAP

HAN MATHEO, Cal., Feb. 25.—Added by a handful of his goals, the Canadian polo team defeated the San Mateo Slashers today, 9 goals to 8 and won permanent possession of the William H. Crocker cup, this being the final match of the tournament.

Iowa Makes Record Rifle Score of Week

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Princeton and Massachusetts agricultural colleges remain tied for first place with eight victories and no defeats in the Eastern Intercollegiate Rifle Shooting league, while the University of Iowa, with seven matches to its credit and no losses, is at the head of the western league.

The University of Iowa last week made the record score for both leagues with 84.

Western league scores: Iowa defeated Arizona, 84 to 53. Minnesota defeated St. Thomas college, 83 to 81.

Texas-Oklahoma League Organized

DENISON, Tex., Feb. 25.—The Texas-Oklahoma Base Ball league was organized yesterday with six clubs pledged to membership and conditional contracts signed by representatives of two other cities.

It is planned to begin the season April 25 and close it on July 25, although provision is made in the schedule adopted that the season may be extended for six weeks.

The salary limit was fixed at \$500. Wichita Falls, Bonham, Sherman and McKinney, Tex., and Durant and Ardmore, Okla., were formally granted franchises, while Denison and Greenville, Tex., probably will enter the league before the season starts.

United States Sends Davis Cup Challenge

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—The following cable was sent today to Secretary Hicks of the Australian Tennis association at Sydney: "United States challenges Davis cup. 'WRENN, President."

It was voted at the annual meeting of the United States National Lawn Tennis association on February 9 to challenge for the Davis cup in 1921, provided, in the judgment of the executive committee, a team could be mustered to represent this country properly.

HUNDRED GOLFERS COMPETE FOR RUPERT KING TROPHY

PINGHURST, Feb. 25.—In today's rough tournament for prizes presented by Rupert C. King of New Canaan, more than 100 golfers participated. The best card was hit made by E. A. Johnston of Baltimore and F. B. Pettie of Jefferson Highlands, who deducted eleven strokes.

A stroke away at eighty-five, A. A. Stage, the Chicago university coach, and J. E. Kellogg of Atlanta tied with A. C. Bora of Mont Clair and H. C. Chamberlain of Washington. Stage and Kellogg won the play off.

TWO BASKETS IN LAST MINUTE WINS GAME FOR WASHINGTON

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 25.—Two baskets in the last minute of play gave the Washington university basketball five the game played with the Kansas university team here today by a score of 21 to 21.

BROTHER OF TY COBB TO WED YOUNG LINCOLN WOMAN

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 25.—Paul Cobb, right fielder for the Lincoln base ball team, is soon to be married to Miss Beulah F. Powell of Lincoln, according to announcement made this evening by the parents of the young woman. The date is not announced. Paul Cobb is a younger brother of the famous outfielder of the Detroit American league team.

Founders John Sax

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—Jack Fourmire, a recruit leader recruited by the Chicago American league club leader, deserted the club last night between New York and St. Louis, according to reports.

Athletics May Play Series with Giants

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Feb. 25.—It is generally reported here tonight there will be an ante-season series of games between the teams that battled for the world's championship last fall.

It is understood, although neither Mack or Brush would confirm it, that the two managers are to discuss the advisability of games first between the results of the two teams and later between the regulars.

PEDERSEN TO MEET MAHMOUT FOR CHANCE AT FRANK GOTCH

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—Yusuf Mahmout, Bulgarian wrestler, and Jess Pedersen, Danish champion, were matched today to meet in a finish wrestling match here on March 1. Victory for Pedersen assures him a championship match with Frank Gotch, according to the promoters of the contest. Gotch, it is said, has promised to wrestle Pedersen, provided he defeats Mahmout, Gotch's wrestling mate.

Winner Defeats Dana Boys

WINNER, Neb., Feb. 25.—(Special.)—Last evening the Dana college first team of basketball defeated the Winner basketball team in a clean, fast game, 17 to 25.

Key to the Situation—See Advertising.

MANY BASKET BALL ENTRIES

List is Closed and Twenty Teams Have Been Enrolled.

MEET TO BE HELD IN MARCH

While Entry List is Not as Large as Expected, It is Larger Than That of Last Year, When Attention Was Attracted.

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 25.—(Special.)—With the list of entries for the high school basketball tournament among the schools in Nebraska closing Saturday night, twenty high schools had signified their intention of entering.

The tournament will be held in Lincoln March 7, 8 and 9. The entry of twenty teams will bring upwards of 150 athletes to the State university. Arrangements will be practically the same as last season when Beatrice won the state championship. Most of the representatives will be cared for at fraternity houses.

The first preliminaries will be played Thursday afternoon, Friday morning the elimination contests will be continued with games in the afternoon and evening. The semi-finals between the four leaders will be played Saturday night, followed with the final game to determine the state championship.

The list of entries for the meet includes teams from the following schools: Auburn, Norfolk, Chadron, South Omaha, Omaha, Lincoln, York, Beatrice, Geneva, Elgin, University Place, Aurora, Wahoo, Tecumseh, Stanton, Gettysburg, Ord, Schuyler and the School of Agriculture at the state farm.

While the entry list is not as large as

GOTNER BEATS OMAHA UNI

Basket Ball Five from Bethany Takes Game, 32 to 17.

SPEEDY WORK ON LOCAL FLOOR

Omaha First to Score on Field Basket and Keeps Even for Short Time, but is Soon Outdone.

By the score of 32 to 17 the Cotner basketball five beat the University of Omaha last night on the local floor. Though the score was large, the Christians had to fight hard for every point, and in the second half showed no better form than displayed by the Omaha basket tossers.

KEARNEY BASKET BALL TEAMS WIN TWO GAMES

KEARNEY, Neb., Feb. 25.—(Special.)—With a rally at the close of the season not unexpected in local circles the State Normal teams won two of the best played basketball games ever played in Kearney when the boys defeated Grand Island Baptist college last night 9 to 8 and the Normal girls took the girls' game from the Aurora High school girls team 19 to 11.

The Normal boys' team started off with a rush and a whirl of fast playing practically giving the visitors all kinds of pointers in the game in the first half, but this was reversed in the second half, when the visitors came within one point of reaching a score that would have tied the game.

WEST POINT BASKET BALL TEAMS WIN TWO GAMES

WEST POINT, Neb., Feb. 25.—(Special.)—The West Point High school girls defeated the Stanton High school girls 19 to 9 and the West Point boys last night 19 to 18 in two of the fastest and hardest fought games ever played on the home floor. The score, girls' lineup:

STANTON WEST POINT. Burner, L.P., R.F., Kochel, Jackson, Harris, L.G., R.G., Krause, Mathewson, R.G., R.G., Neigh, Evers, C.C., Herman. Field Goals: West Point, 5; Stanton, 4. Referee: Foster.

WEST POINT. WEST POINT. Pearson, R.F., R.F., Thissen, Mauritz, L.P., Krause, Nevel, C.C., Herman, Johnson, L.G., R.G., Johnson. Field Goals: West Point, 6; Liberty, 2. Referee: Marshall. Umpire: Munson.

M'LEAN FIRST IN FINALS OF NATIONAL ICE RACES

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 25.—Robert McLean of Chicago, the international amateur skating champion, won the finals in every event in the National Skating association races here last night.

Wheeler of Montreal finishing second in each race. The time for the races was: Quarter mile, 6:29; three-quarters mile, 2:18; mile and a half, 4:29. These races are the last of the tournaments to be held by the association.

IDA GROVE IS MARRIED

IDA GROVE, Ia., Feb. 25.—(Special.)—Friends in the city received cards from Burlington, Kan., announcing the wedding of Elmer Ward, the former star left Grove athlete, and Miss Jessie Link Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Young. Ward was famous in his high school days here as halfback on the championship football team of the state and also as a sprinter on the intercollegiate championship track team of this place.

Stanton Seconds Win. STANTON, Neb., Feb. 25.—(Special.)—Last night at the Germania hall, the Stanton second high school team defeated the high school team from Plainville by the score of 23 to 18. The feature of the game was the playing of Luck, forward for Stanton, and Baucus, center for Plainville. This is the first exhibition game the second team has ever had. The lineup:

PLAINVIEW. STANTON. Hoaland, R.F., R.F., Lusk, B. Hecht, L.F., L.P., Vasholtz, C. Hoch, L.G., R.G., Tyler, Paulson, C.C., Haer. Referee: Prof. J. H. Welch.

Foot Ball Schedule Given Out

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 25.—Washington university's foot ball schedule was announced tonight as follows: October 5, Schurzville at St. Louis; October 12, Illinois university at Champaign; October 19, Missouri state university at St. Louis; October 26, Rolla School of Mines at St. Louis; November 2, Drake at St. Louis; November 9, Missouri at Columbia; November 23, Arkansas university at St. Louis.

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Louisville Wrestler Throws Daily Twice

PLATTSBORO, Neb., Feb. 25.—(Special.)—Frank Schumader of Louisville and Jack Daily of Council Bluffs, wrestled here last night. Schumader has held the heavy weight championship of Cass county for some months and won the match.

The match was a fast two-round go to a fairly good house, with Farmer Burns as referee. Schumader, with a crotch and leg hold, again brought the Council Bluffs champion to the mat.

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A preliminary match between Joe Spence of Louisville and Jack Tolliver of Omaha resulted in a victory for Spence. It required three rounds to settle this contest as Tolliver did some clever work in the first round and after some hard work succeeded in throwing Spence, but in the next two rounds the Louisville lightweight champion vanquished his opponent from Omaha. Spence tipped the beam at 150, while Tolliver weighed 122.

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