

BRINGING UP FATHER

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OMAHA MEETS LINCOLN IN FINALS OF BIG CAGE TOURNEY AT LINCOLN

Mulligan's Quintet Romps Through Semi-Finals, Giving Fremont Five Decisive Defeat; South High Scores in This Round; High School Lads Roused to High Fever of Excitement.

Lincoln, March 8.—(Special Telegram.)—Omaha Central high and Lincoln, old time rivals in the annual Nebraska High School Basketball tournament, will fight it out Saturday night for supremacy in Class A. Mulligan's five disposed of the ambitions of the Fremont high, loped by many to win the tournament, here this evening in a low scored game. The first half ended 6 to 1 for Omaha and in the second half the Purple and White increased its lead. The guarding of the Logan brothers was so effective Fremont did not get field goal, its only two points being scored on free throws. Maxwell led in the scoring with four field goals.

Tourney Scores

Table with 2 columns: Team and Score. Includes results for Semi-Finals (Omaha Central vs Fremont, Lincoln vs South Side) and Finals (Omaha Central vs Lincoln).

SOUTH OUT OF IT. Lincoln high made it an easy victory against South Omaha. The Red and Black had the packing house lads whipped, 10 to 1, at the end of the first half and merely toyed in the second half. The Lincoln guards also kept South Omaha from scoring a field goal.

The semi-finals in the remaining three divisions were also played this evening. Omaha Commercial high lost to Exeter. There were no games to-night, the high school lads being entertained at the Commercial club, where "movies" of the Nebraska football game were shown and the Husker wrestling squad staged an exhibition.

Shelton and Oakdale fought their way into the finals in Class B of the Nebraska state basketball tournament here this morning. Oakdale defeated Schuyler in a tight battle, 12 to 9, while Shelton had an easy time with Nebraska City, 18 to 5. The Shelton lads are doped to grab the banner in this division.

In Class D, Seward and Ravenna survived for the finals. Seward beat Bethany in a low scoring game, but Ravenna simply overwhelmed the Greham five, 43 to 17. Baird and Gretna go into the finals in Class F, while Culbertson and Osmond will fight it out for championship honors in Class H.

Following are the summaries of the semi-finals played this morning: SEMI-FINALS, CLASS A. Fremont, 1; Omaha Central, 15. OMAHA CENTRAL. Maxwell, 10; Peterson, 10; Smith, 10; Christianson, 10; Payne, 10. FREDRICKSON. Logan, 10; Anderson, 10; Peterson, 10; Smith, 10; Payne, 10.

SEMI-FINALS, CLASS B. Oakdale, 12; Schuyler, 9. SCHUYLER. Ostradovsky, 10; Peterson, 10; Smith, 10; Christianson, 10; Payne, 10.

HUSKERS TRIM PROUD JAYHAWKS IN ROYAL BATTLE

Nebraska University Trounces Ancient Enemies From Kansas Thirty-One to Twenty-Three, Before High School Boys.

Lincoln, Neb., March 8.—(Special Telegram.)—Before 1,000 high school lads gathered here for the state basketball tournament, the Huskers this afternoon trimmed the crack Kansas Aggies five, 31 to 23 in a fast game. The Huskers jumped out in the lead and were never headed, the first half ending, 15 to 13. Shallenberg and Jackson increased the Husker lead in the second half. For the Aggies, Yantine and Clark played best. Following is the summary:

Table with 2 columns: Team and Score. Includes results for Nebraska vs Kansas (31-23) and individual player statistics.

The Kansas Aggies freshmen defeated the Husker first-year men in a curtain raiser, 17 to 20, principally through the brilliant work of Young Meyer, who tossed 11 foul balls and scored six points more on field goals, making a total of 17 of the Aggie's points. Following is the summary:

NEWSBOY ROLLER SKATER TO RACE RIVALS IN RELAY. Sam Drollick, newsboy roller skating champion at Omaha, undertakes a big task next Tuesday night, when he will race two competitors in a four-mile dash. Bob Hamilton and Art Muir will compete against Drollick. Hamilton and Muir will each skate two miles, while Drollick paces the entire distance of four miles.

Former Hawkeye Star Coach at School of Mines. Denver, Colo., March 8.—Irving J. Barron, former University of Iowa star, has been selected head coach of the Mines at Golden. It was announced today that Barron will not come to Golden until next fall. He is at the University of Iowa.

"Paddy" Driscoll, Foot Ball Star, in Navy as Officer. Great Lakes, Ill., March 8.—"Paddy" Driscoll, all western halfback for two seasons at Northwestern university and infelder with the Chicago Cubs last year, was enlisted today as a petty officer at the Great Lakes naval training station. He will report immediately.

Fremont at State Tourney. Fremont, Neb., March 8.—(Special Telegram.)—Fremont will be represented by five teams at the annual state bowling tournament at Omaha March 16 to 24. The Candy Kitchen, State Champions Sons and the Hein Clothing Company teams have entered. Everett Hammond, singles champion, is in training at Camp Joseph E. Johnson, near Jacksonoville. Fremont will invite the bowlers to come back here again next year.

Today's Sport Calendar

Baseball—First section of Boston Red Sox leaves for training camp at Hot Springs. First section of New York Giants leaves for training camp at Martin, Tex. Swimming—Allegheny Mountain Amateur Athletic union championships at Columbus, O. Tennis—First indoor tournament of Chicago Tennis association.

NEW HAVEN BOWLERS FEATURE A. B. C. MEET

Mort Lindsay Rolls Sensationally and Establishes Himself in Good Place in Three Events. Cincinnati, O., March 8.—Expert bowling was shown in today's doubles and singles in the American bowling congress tournament, when Mort Lindsay and J. Porto of New Haven, Conn., by rolling 1,282, went into third place in the doubles and an hour later, Lindsay bowled himself into tenth place in the singles, with 661.

Shortly after these two games had finished G. Stewart and C. Moses of Toledo made a total of 1,267 in the doubles and went into fourth place. Lindsay's bowling was sensational and he succeeded in establishing himself in second place in the all-events, with 1,921. The standing of the five leaders follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Lists individual and two-men team scores for bowling.

English Woman Wins Title At Skating Over Boston Girl. New York, March 8.—After deliberating for more than one hour, the judges awarded the international figure skating championship to the Hon. Mrs. Seton R. Beresford, of London, England, by a narrow margin over the only other woman competitor, Miss Theresa Weld, of Boston. It was said that Mrs. Beresford had won on her school, but was clearly outpointed by the young Boston woman at the free style.

Jack Taylor Says Pesek Is Trying to Avoid Match. Kearney, Neb., March 8.—(Special.)—Jack Taylor is anxious to get at John Pesek of Shelton in a finish wrestling match. Jack declares he posted \$250 for a go with the Shelton man and that the latter's manager also posted that sum, but that he finds it impossible to arrange the date. Since Pesek is now in such fine shape, having thrown Ecklund Monday night in a similar manner, Taylor is itching for the go, desiring to take the Sheltonite when he is at his best. The only proviso for an early match made by him is that it take place in Kearney, Lincoln, Omaha or Hastings.

Heddon and Huston to Clash For National Billiard Title. Detroit, March 8.—Charles Heddon of Dowagiac, Mich., and Corwin Huston of Detroit, will play for the Class A national amateur billiard championship here tonight as the result of Heddon's victory tonight over Charles White of Brooklyn. The score tonight was 300 to 190. Heddon and Huston have each won four games and lost one.

Connie Mack Says Burns' Draft Number "Well Back". Philadelphia, March 8.—George Burns, who comes to the Philadelphia Athletics in exchange for "Ping" Bodie, is subject to the national army draft, Connie Mack of the Athletics tonight said he did not know whether Burns had been placed in Class I under the new classification, but he did know that his draft number was "well back."

ST. LOUIS BROWNS LOOK DANGEROUS, SAYS FULLERTON

May Be Toughest Aggregation in Loop for Boston, Chicago and New York; Strong Lineup on Paper. By HUGH S. FULLERTON. St. Louis Browns (please don't laugh) this year threaten to be one of the toughest propositions in the league—a team that is able to come strong, upset the calculations of Boston, Chicago and New York and mess up the whole league standing.

Just how strong this team will "dope" when we get to actual figures is a problem, but, if it looks as strong then as it does now, we are going to have a big X to figure in the algebra of the American league. First, the Browns last season were a much stronger team than they proved to be on the ball field. Second, the Browns are stronger in the vital departments now than they were a year ago.

Third, the big problem of the team (internal dissension) seems solved. When one figures the Browns, it is necessary to know conditions. Last spring the team, formed half and half of American league and Federal league stars, looked strong. Jones is undoubtedly the best manager of his kind in the world, the most scientific run getter and one of the great field generals. But Jones failed because he could not weld the two elements into one team. From the start American league players refused to associate with each other. Often they refused to room together, even to ride in the same sleeping cars. Jealousies and ill feeling resulted. Many of the high-class fellows became disgusted. The owner got mad and said things that made players sore; they sued him and general trouble resulted. On top of this, the pitching staff, the weakest department on the team, was shot all to pieces. Earl Hamilton, who was a star, exploded and went to the minors. Carl Weiland, one of the best pitchers in the league, became ill, was operated on and a kidney was removed, ruining him as a pitcher and ending his base ball career. Eddie Plank, the veteran, racked his body so badly in a 14-inning game against Washington that he could not pitch again last season, if he ever can. Pratt and Lavan, having sued Owner Ball, practically were out of it, and Jacobson and Sloan enlisted.

The team, which figured to be well up in the race, had a hard time keeping out of the last position. During this winter the team has been rebuilt, the factional trouble appears to have been eliminated, and it looks like a great and a coming ball club. Severoid, Nunamaker and Hale—a corking trio of catchers—make that department strong. The infield probably will be Sleser, Geddon, or Johns, Gerber and Maisel, with Austin, Magee and Ernie Johnson in the reserves. Johns may be disposed of before this is printed, as Salt Lake wants him and the team owns Salt Lake players. The outfield does not look as strong as it ought to be for a team with pennant aspirations and first division hopes. John Tobin comes back from Salt Lake; Demmett, who has been in and out; Earl Smith, who was bought from Omaha, and Kenneth Williams, purchased from Portland, will fill in the jobs. There is a lot of punch in that

NAKENS HUMBLE TOWNSENDS 27-24 IN SNAPPY GAME

Klepser's Ducks Are Caught in Midair by Clothing Men; Proceeds Go to Red Cross. LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS. Nakens, 27; Townsends, 24. Grace Methodists, 11; Wheeler Memorials, 18. Murphy-Did-Its, 18; Hummels, 10.

Nosing out their opponents by a three-point margin, the Nakens again defeated the Townsends Thursday night at the Young Men's Christian association in a close game staged for the benefit of the Red Cross. The game was decided by Nordstrum's three field goals, which came in rapid succession near the end of the contest. Neither team allowed its opponent any great margin during the first half, which ended 12 to 12. With only seven more minutes to play the teams were still tied, 20 to 20. Then the Nakens began scoring their winning tallies.

Hansen Is Star. Bromley, Naken star, retired to the side lines with four personal fouls during the first period. Hansen was the chief point maker for the victors, and Klepser for the vanquished. The main game was preceded by a contest between the Wheeler Memorials and the Grace Methodists to determine the championship of the South Side Community Center league. Wheeler Memorials were the victors. The second preliminary was between the Murphy-Did-Its and the Hummels, in which the former carried off the honors.

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WHEELER MEMORIALS. HENARD. 10 0 0 0 2. KOBENSKY. 1 0 0 0 2. RASMUSSEN. 2 3 2 0 7. NEMEN. 1 0 2 0 2. ANDERSON. 0 1 0 0 0. Totals. 5 3 2 0 15. MURPHY DID ITS. KENESEY. 1 1 2 0 3. DUTTON. 1 1 0 0 2. FAIVERT. 1 1 1 0 2. SOLIG. 2 0 0 0 4. NELSON. 1 0 0 0 0. Totals. 5 3 2 0 15.

Former Western Leaguers Return From California. Wichita, Kan., March 8.—Frank Isbell, manager of the local Western league base ball team, announced today that he had signed Pitcher Howlik and Shortstop Galloway of the Vernon, Cal., club, and both ex-Western leaguers.

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