Omaha All-Stars Play Kansas Cityans for Mid-West Soccer Title Today

Soccer Elevens Represent Cream Of Two States

Missouri Champions Piloted By Famous Player of Scotland—Game Starts at 2:30 This Afternoon.

Kansas City.	Pos.	Omaha.
Jeffries	G	A. Henderson
Reid	R. B.	W. Henderson
Smith	L. B.	Bissett
Elpin	R. H.	Kristoff
Tait (C)	C. H.	Lowden
Isaby	L. H.	Gunn
Semlebe	O. R.	R. Henderson
Shea	I. R.	Sharp
Murray	C. F.	Saunders
Brender	I. L.	Miller
Shelby	O. L.	Dawson

On the battle ground at Fort Omaha this afternoon a conflict will wage between a picked team of the Omaha and District Soccer league and the Caledonian eleven of Kansas City for the soccer championship of the middlwest.

The Scottish pastime, which has found a nook in America's realm of sports, will find two worthy exponents struggling for supremacy in the championship tilt, as the Omaha team represents the cream of the Omaha league and the Caledonians stand out as Kansas City's best.

Undefeated in Three Years.

The exact strength of the Omaha team cannot be accurately gauged, for it has never met an opponent in actual conflict.

The Caledonians of the Missouri city, however, have met and conquered the best in that state and in adjoining states and has not tasted the dregs of defeat in more than three years.

Much credit for the "Show Me" state team's remarkable record goes to Captain Tait, center for the Caledonians.

Captained Scotland Team.

Tait is a player of extraordinary brilliance and in 1905 captained the junior championship team of Scotland, which played England and Ireland in international matches.

The team also boasts several other stars who have played the game in its native country.

All four teams of the Omaha league are represented by players on the all-star aggregation. A. Henderson, W. Henderson and Art Saunders are of the Townsend team; D. Bissett, Lowden, Gunn, R. Henderson, and Millar hail from the Caledonian fold; Kristoff wears the colors of the Bohemians and Sharp and Dawson are star performers for the Union Pacifics.

Invaders on Deck.

Jack Bostock, one of the most capable referees in the middlewest, has been drafted into service to arbitrate the contest.

The Kansas Cityans arrived last night and were met at the depot by the Omaha pipe band. They were paraded about the city in motor cars, headed by the Scottish band. Following the game today, a banquet will be given in the invaders' honor at the Hotel Loyal. Plates may be reserved by outsiders.

Game at 2:30.

The game will start at 2:30 p. m. In addition to the midwest championship being at stake, the Henshaw trophy, a large silver loving cup, donated by the Henshaw hotel, will go to the winner.

Four Cage Tilts In Church Loop

Korff, 16-Year-Old Player on Christian Team, Makes 15 Of Quintet's 26 Points.

Class B teams of the Church Basket Ball league played their inaugural games at the Y. M. C. A. last night.

The Dundee Presbyterians defeated the Walnut Hill team, 20 to 13; the First Christians trounced the Grace Methodists, 26 to 10; the First Reformed quintet humbled Hanscom Park Methodists, 12 to 8, and Wheeler Methodists trimmed Hirst Methodists, 30 to 5.

Thrills galore were provided in the Walnut Hill-Dundee Presbyterian and the First Christians-Grace Methodist clashes. The tilt between the Wheelers and the Hirsts was a colorless affair, the former being too good in all departments of the game for their opponents.

Korff, a 16-year-old player, was the star of the Christians, making 15 of their 26 points.

The Wheelers demonstrated they are of Class A caliber and will be moved up into the Class A division of the Church league. Their passing game was nothing short of remarkable and they were exceptionally fast on the floor.

Wheeler M. E.—30	Pos.	Hirst M. E.—5
Ackerman	R. F.	Rice
J. Graham	L. F.	West
Hill	C.	Mitchell
Nieman	R. G.	Smith
Bernard	L. G.	Boone

Substitutions: Bakke for Graham. Summary: Field goals, Ackerman, 6; J. Graham, 4; Hill, 3; Nieman, 1; Bernard, 1. Free throws, 5 out of 5 times.

Dundee Pres.—20	Pos.	Walnut Hill—13
Robertson	R. F.	Guyer
Church	L. F.	Hoffman
Griffin	C.	Peterson
Thomas	R. G.	Penner
Rensch	L. G.	Bass

Substitutions: Montague for Guyer. Summary: Field goals, Guyer, 1; Hoffman, 2; Peterson, 1; Montague, 2; Robertson, 3; Church, 1; Griffin, 1; Thomas, 1; Rensch, 2. Free throws: Hoffman, 1 out of 1 time; Church, 4 out of 6 times.

Christian—26	Pos.	Grace M. E.—19
Korff	R. F.	McBride
Hirst	L. F.	Poppino
Kronstedt	C.	Nixon
Lambert	R. G.	Bebbington
Force	L. G.	McCarron

Substitutions: Recker for Kronstedt, Waterbolm for Filler, V. Bressman for Bebbington, Kelberg for McBride, Banner for Nixon. Summary: Field goals, Filler, Korff, 6; Kronstedt, 2; Force, 2; McCarron, 1; Poppino, 1; Bebbington, 1; Bressman, 1. Free throws: Korff, 2 out of 6 times; Kronstedt, 1 out of 1 time; Bebbington, 2 out of 4 times.

First Reformed—12	Pos.	Hanscom M. E.—8
Homberg	R. F.	Montague
Wiese	L. F.	Clements
J. Reeves	C.	Condy
Baker	R. G.	Hain
W. Reeves	L. G.	Dolan

Substitutions: Nelson for W. Reeves, Partridge for Hain. Summary: Field goals, Jones, 3; Reeves, 1; Montague, 1; Condy, 2. Free throws, Homberg, 2 out of 3 times; Reeves, 1 out of 3 times; Montague, 2 out of 5 times; Hain, none out of three times.

Medical College Harriers Have Victorious Season

Harriers of the University of Nebraska Medical College of Omaha hung up an enviable record this year. The team won two "Y" meets and two of its men were on the varsity cross-country team which won fourth place in the Missouri Valley meet at Lincoln. The photo above shows the team just after it won its cross-country run at Omaha Thanksgiving day. The harriers are, left to right, Harry Kretzler, George Fisher, Edgar Allen and Teddy Slemmons. Allen finished first in the race.

Fisher, Allen and Slemmons will be eligible for next year's varsity team.

Seven Colleges Are Represented on Mythical All-Missouri Valley Conference Foot Ball Team

By EDWARD W. COCHRANE.

With one or two exceptions the selection of mythical "all" teams in the Missouri Valley, Kansas and Missouri state conferences and the M. I. A. A. has been an easier task this year than usual because of the mere fact that most of the men chosen have been outstanding stars of the teams they represent. Especially is this true in the Valley, where eleven men have played such remarkable foot ball that it was easy to see some time before the close of the season that only serious injuries that would keep them out of part of the games could keep them off of the honor roll.

The places are fairly well distributed. Nebraska, which won three straight games without a defeat and had a remarkable team that went east and beat Pittsburgh university, one of the powerful eastern elevens, gets three. Missouri, second in the championship race because of a defeat at the hands of the Knasas Aggies, lands two places. The Aggies, third—a team that was well-balanced but with few real stars—gets one place. So do Ames, Drake and Oklahoma. Kansas is given two places because of the fact that the two men were stars and would shine on an "all" team if such a team were put into the field.

Blumer Made Captain.

Herbert Blumer of Missouri is placed at right tackle and given the captaincy of the eleven. Blumer has played a remarkable game all year, is a sure tackler, has not given an inch of ground in any game in which I have seen him, has an ideal disposition and is a capable leader. His courtesy to opponents and to officials make him the type of man that foot ball teams need for leaders to uphold the high standard of sportsmanship in the conference. Blumer has played better foot ball at tackle this year than any tackle the Old Gold and Black has had in many years and the Tigers have been noted for strong tackles.

The other tackle is Lyman of Nebraska. His work, together with that of Swanson, has been a feature of the line play of the Cornhuskers. Lyman is a big, powerful man. He has crashed through the line time after time, even against such teams as Notre Dame and Pittsburgh, and thrown the opposition for losses.

Real Stars at Ends.

The end positions go to Swanson of Nebraska and Long of Drake. Ted Long was captain of the Drake team. In the three games I have seen him play he has never allowed a gain around his end. He goes down under punts well, is a splendid receiver of the forward pass, is cool, aggressive and an ideal man for the wing position. He also makes an ideal field leader and the question of captain lay between him and Blumer. Long has a splendid disposition. His work at Drake has been a feature of the team's play for three years. This is his final one. He is a big, rangy fellow with plenty of drive. He has every requirement for a wing man.

Swanson is captain of the Cornhuskers. His work in receiving passes, stopping the opposition in its attempts to skirt his end, his tackling and general play have been the features of the Nebraska success of 1921. There isn't a team in this country that he could not make as a regular at end. Eastern critics have named Swanson as one of the stars of the season and he likely will get recognition on other mythical elevens.

Two Powerful Guards.

Hahn of the Kansas Aggies and Jones of Kansas are placed at the guard positions. Either man is a power on both offense and defense. Each has crashed through opposing lines as though they were seives and neither has been outplayed in games that I have witnessed. The Aggie team did not have a crew of stars, but a well-balanced aggregation and the line play of the eleven was a feature all year. Hahn appeared to be the best of the line at his position. But any one of three men could have been given a place, the other two being Sebring at end and Schmitz at tackle, who are put on the second team. Sebring played a brand of foot ball against Oklahoma that has not been outdone in the valley this season.

Jones is captain of the Jayhawkers. His work, especially in the Missouri game, has earned him the place.

Wallace of Ames is playing his last year and captains the Iowa State eleven. He has been the best center in the Valley since Sprong left Drake. There is no disputing his right to it. The only center he has not outplayed is Bunker of Missouri, who would be given the place in preference to any other center in the Valley, and there was a close contest between them for it. Bunker is a great foot ball player and really deserves a place on the first team. His work has been a feature of the Tigers' attack and defense. He has an ideal disposition and is always fighting his hardest to win. Except for the fact that Hahn and Jones deserve places at guard, Bunker would have been placed at a guard position on the first team because it seems an injustice to keep him off of that eleven.

A Star Backfield.

The backfield chosen will outplay any other backfield that can be selected from the big field of splendid backs in the valley. Lewis of Missouri is placed at quarter. His kicking, his broken field running and his line charging have made him a spectacular star ever since he donned the moleskins to fight for the Old Gold and Black. Opposing teams have been coached to stop Lewis. They have not stopped him. His work all of this season, especially against Oklahoma, Kansas and Ames, was spectacular. He is one of the greatest backfield men the valley has ever seen. He is a splendid passer.

Hartley has no opposition at fullback. The giant Cornhusker hits the line like a bullet. His drive has placed the ball back of the foe's goal line for the Nebraska eleven many times this year. He starred against Notre Dame, Pittsburgh, Kansas, Okahoma and other teams.

Hill is at halfback on the mythical all-valley team for the second year. Oklahoma did not have its usual strong eleven, but Hill's work both on attack and defense did a great deal to beat Kansas and Washington, and to hold other teams to as low figures as were recorded. Hill is a short, stocky back with a lot of speed for a man of his build and plenty of drive. His work is especially good on defense.

Good Man on Second Team.

McAdams of Kansas is a splendid kicker, a good running mate for Hill because of his speed, broken field running and receiving of passes. McAdams is the one bright star on the Jayhawker backfield and could make any team in the valley with ease. His fighting spirit alone makes McAdams a valuable player.

I have already mentioned some of the second team men. Of the others Drake gets three line positions, because the Drake line played stellar foot ball all season. That line was the talk of the valley where Drake played. Marsh of Oklahoma has payed better foot ball at end than his running mate, Haskell, who was all-valley first team man a year ago. Preston of Nebraska can Lewis a close race for the quarterback position on the first team. He is a remarkable quarterback. Lincoln of Missouri is a giant and a power on attack. Matthews of Washington is the best of the Pikeway eleven. Wright of Nebraska cannot be beaten out of a backfield place on the second team.

All-Missouri Valley Eleven

By EDWARD W. COCHRANE.

(Sporting Editor of The Journal, and Foot Ball Referee, Who Has Officiated in Twenty-five Games This Fall.)

FIRST TEAM.	POSITION.	SECOND TEAM.
Swanson, Nebraska	L. E.	Sebring, Kan. Aggies
Lyman, Nebraska	L. T.	Schmitz, Kan. Aggies
Hahn, Kan. Aggies	L. G.	Sarff, Drake
Wallace, Ames	C.	Bunker, Missouri
Jones, Kansas	R. G.	V. Marsh, Drake
Blumer, Mo. (Capt.)	R. T.	Denton, Blake
Long, Drake	R. E.	Marsh, Oklahoma
Lewis, Missouri	Q.	Preston, Nebraska
Hill, Oklahoma	L. H.	Matthes, Washington
McAdams, Kansas	R. H.	Wright, Nebraska
Hartley, Nebraska	F. B.	Lincoln, Missouri

Commercial League Cage Teams Open Season Wednesday

Twenty-eight games are scheduled in the Commercial cage league, which opens its season Wednesday evening. Eight teams are competing in the circuit, which is the premier one of the city.

The schedule for the season follows:

November 30.

7:30 p. m.—DeMolay against B. A. I.
8:05 p. m.—World-Herald against Council Bluffs.
8:40 p. m.—Thorpelans against McKenny Dentists.
9:15 p. m.—Y. M. H. O. against Western Electric.

December 7.

7:30 p. m.—Council Bluffs against DeMolay.
8:05 p. m.—McKenny Dentists against World-Herald.
8:40 p. m.—B. A. I. against Y. M. H. A.
9:15 p. m.—Western Electric against Thorpelans.

December 14.

7:30 p. m.—Thorpelans against World-Herald.
8:05 p. m.—DeMolay against Y. M. H. A.
8:40 p. m.—McKenny Dentists against Council Bluffs.
9:15 p. m.—B. A. I. against Western Electric.

December 21.

7:30 p. m.—Western Electric against McKenny Dentists.
8:05 p. m.—Thorpelans against DeMolay.
8:40 p. m.—Council Bluffs against Y. M. H. A.
9:15 p. m.—World-Herald against B. A. I.

December 28.

7:30 p. m.—Council Bluffs against Western Electric.
8:05 p.m.—McKenny Dentists against Y. M. H. A.
8:40 p. m.—Thorpelans against B. A. I.
9:15 p. m.—World-Herald against DeMolay.

January 4.

7:30 p. m.—Thorpelans against Y. M. H. A.
8:05 p. m.—McKenny Dentists against DeMolay.
8:40 p. m.—World-Herald against Western Electric.
9:15 p. m.—B. A. I. against Council Bluffs.

January 11.

7:30 p. m.—McKenny Dentists against B. A. I.
8:05 p. m.—Thorpelans against Council Bluffs.
8:40 p. m.—DeMolay against Western Electric.
9:15 p. m.—World-Herald against Y. M. H. A.

Bloomfield Cagers Drill For Winter's Campaign

Bloomfield, Neb., Nov. 26.—(Special.)—Basket ball practice has started at the Bloomfield High school. Verdigre was to have played here on Thanksgiving, but the game was canceled. Coach Feelhaver declares that he has some mighty good basket ball material and a good team should result. The schedule, which is a heavy one, will be announced in a few days.

Scrambled Sports

NOW that the 1921 foot ball season is fast passing into history and rumors are floating around about post-season games between far west and eastern teams, why couldn't a little post-season contest between two middle western elevens, namely Iowa and Nebraska, be made to prove a success.

Iowa, champion of the "big 10," is considered the strongest eleven among the "big league" of the middle west, while Coach Fred Dawson's Cornhuskers have been pronounced by many critics of the game as one of the strongest aggregations of pigskin warriors ever developed at the University of Nebraska.

A few years ago both Iowa and Nebraska tangled on the gridiron. A great share of the victories went to Nebraska. The Hawkeyes rambled through the past season without a defeat, while the Cornhuskers won every game with the exception of the Notre Dame struggle, which they lost, 0 to 7.

A post-season game between these two teams would be the biggest drawing card ever staged in this section of the country. Sure thousands of foot ball followers in the middle west would attend such a struggle as would result from a post-season contest beltween the Iowa university and the University of Nebraska.

THE basket ball rules for the 1921-1922 campaign as outlined in the official A. G. Spaulding basket ball guide, which reached Omaha last week, show that the great indoor sport will be played under slightly altered rules this season.

mits a player who receives the ball while standing still to take one step in any direction while in the act of putting the ball in play in any manner. Last season the player was not allowed to take this step if he dribbled, but could take it if he passed or shot for a basket. The change will be a great help to officials, for the interpretation of this dribble rule was the cause of much trouble.

The rules this season regarding the jumpers have been made more strict. Both players are required to place one hand in contact with the middle of the back and keep it there until the ball has been tapped. The referee also is given the power to keep other players far enough away from the jumpers to prevent interference with them in anyway.

"Time out" may be called for only by the captain of the team in possession of the ball, unless a player plainly is injured. In past years in close games when the time was about up and the team that was behind had the ball taking it toward its own goal, the captain of the team in the lead frequently called time to break up the play. However, officials regarded this time out as unsportsmanlike and have paid no heed to the demand for time out until the team with the low score lost possession of the ball.

THE Oklahoma City club of the Western league will have a new manager when the 1922 season starts.

John Holland, president of the Indians, expects to give the Oklahoma City fans a manager with a major league tag to him. He opened negotiations with Marty Krug, former Omaha player, but didn5t get very far. Krug, now in the Pacific coast league, is one of the two being considered for the management of the Portland club.

According to reports from Oklahoma City, Holland has the names of two major league players on his list and will negotiate with their owners at the Buffalo meeting.

WHEN the Kansas City soccer champions clash with the All-Star team of Omaha at Fort Omaha this afternoon in an intercity game it will mark the close of a successful soccer season in this city.

Never before in the history of the ol' Scotch game has soccer played such an important part in Omaha athletics as this year. The sport has grown within the last two years until now it has found a place in the grade schools of the city, and it will not be long until colleges and universities in this section of the country will be organizing soccer teams.

The Omaha and District Soccer league deserves a world of credit for making the game what it is today in Omaha.

THE X-ray of the New York state athletic commission just now are directed toward Jack Curely and his associates. The effort is being made to discover just how deeply Curley might have been involved in the efforts of John Pesek to kill off wrestling under the promotion of Tex Rickard in Madison Square Garden.

It seems that Rickard, who promoted the Pesek-Plestina match two weeks ago, had planned to stage a series of contests this winter in an effort to bring Zbyszko, Plestina and several of the other grapplers together on the mat.

Curley, who has held sway over wrestling in New York, and ruled several of the big wrestlers, saw that he was sliding and gradually would be pushed out of the limelight by Rickard.

Reports from Gotham inform us that the trust, which undoubtedly framed the Pesek-Plestina match to kill off wrestling and Rickard, is trembling now. It fears that the commission will not stop at its probing until it has discovered the men behind the trust.

Meanwhile, Pesek is resting at his home in Ravenna, Neb. The Nebraskan declares that Plestina refused to wrestle him. Furthermore, Pesek declares that he can throw Plestina any time he wants to, providing the "trust buster" is willing to wrestle.

Bayard Wins.

Bayard, Neb., Nov. 26.—(Special.)—Bayard defeated Bridgeport at Bridgeport in the final game of the season, 75 to 6.

Will Play Against Kansas City Team

Art Saunders, member of the Caledonian soccer team of the Omaha District league, is one of the Caledonians who has been selected to play against the Kansas City championship aggregation this afternoon at Fort Omaha.

The game will be played at Fort Omaha and is scheduled to start at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Iowans On Echie's All-Star Elevens

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Princeton and Wisconsin struggles should earn him an all-American berth. In these struggles he not only smashed the interference, but repeatedly tackled the man with the ball.

He has few equals as a receiver of passes. Against Ohio State and Wisconsin, he pulled down what seemed impossible chances. There is no better end in the section at boxing a tackle or covering points. It was mainly his work which kept Captain Keck of Princeton out of all Chicago plays.

Cyril Myers, captain of Ohio State, is awarded the other flank. The Buckeye leader was good last season, but his general play this autumn has been a marked improvement. He was a tower of offensive strength in the Chicago game, as well as in all Ohio's contests, and his ability to size up a situation quickly enabled his team to defeat the Maroons. Myers started a forward pass play close to the Maroon goal, but saw an opening in the middle of the Chicago line and dashed through it for the only score of the game. He makes a valuable running mate to Crisler.

Locke a Successor to Bezdek.

Belding of Iowa is another great end who is nearly the equal of Crisler and Myers. Gould of Wisconsin is an ideal wing player, although he has been used as an offensive halfback most of the year and end on defense. Tebell of Wisconsin and Goebel of Michigan are among the other strong flank players of the year.

Gordon Locke of Iowa, the hardest-hitting fullback seen in the conference since the days of Hugo Bezdek at Chicago and Frank Longman of Michigan, is given the fullback position without hesitation. It is seldom that defeated players have praise for a member of a victorious team, but from what Notre Dame and Illinois warriors told of Locke's plunging ability the Hawkeye should bear all-American consideration.

Locke is the type of player who can unfailingly make a yard when needed for first down. He drives hard and low, recovers quickly, and gathers speed just as fast. When opposition is met he digs his toes into the ground and generally roots himself free of tacklers. He starts so fast and gathers momentum so speedily that he makes ground when opposition is met. He is a strong man in the interference and an ideal player to back up a line or play one corner of a box defense.

Thomas of Chicago was a great offensive fullback, who hit the line with nearly as much drive as Locke. Captain Sundt of Wisconsin was another good fullback and reliable punter. Captain Kyle of Indiana and Petterson of Northwestern were the other good fullbacks in the conference.

Don Peden of Illinois is placed at left halfback. Although injured in early games, Peden gamely stayed in the competition and was the most consistent ground gainer of the year for the Zuppke eleven. He is fast and clever, a sure handler of the ball, and an accurate passer. It was his toss to Walquist which resulted in the touchdown against Ohio State.

Peden could be used to skirt the ends or dash off tackles on come back or cut in play. He gets under way quickly, picks holes in faultless fashion, and is reliable in the interference. On the defense he is just as valuable because of his ability to size up plays and move to the point of attack for the desired results.

Elliott of Wisconsin is given the other halfback position because of his value to the Badger eleven this season. Elliott is one of the off-tackle driving type and runs with power. He played excellent foot ball all season and was on the passing He is a deadly tackler and good interferer.

Cappon of Michigan is another great halfback, and there is little to choose between him and the men selected for the first eleven. This player was a tower of offensive strength in the Illinois and Wisconsin games, and performed as well as any Michigan man in the Minnesota struggle.

Captain Walquist of Illinois is another valuable back. He was played at quarterback most of the season, but was out of position. Cole of Chicago, Martineau of Minnesota, Stuart of Ohio State, and Williams of Wisconsin were other outstanding halfbacks.

Vick Gets Center Position.

Ernie Vick of Michigan is placed at center. The Wolverine has been one of the most valuable men to his team all season. He seldom gets hurt, and knows a lot of foot ball. He is an accurate passer, one of the first requirements in a pivot player, while his aggressive play on defense had a lot to do with Michigan's victory over Illinois and its tie game with Wisconsin. Although Yost played Vick at tackle on defense, he would be an ideal player to have at one corner of a box defense. His general knowledge of foot ball makes him the logical choice for the position.

Bunge of Wisconsin is nearly the equal of the Wolverine. The Badger has played aggressive foot ball all season and is one of the best players on the Cardinal eleven. Heldt of Iowa, King of Chicago and Hathaway of Northwestern were the other leading centers.

Charles McGuire, captain of the Chicago eleven, is placed at right tackle. The big Maroon leader has given comparatively no ground all season, while he aided considerably in making the fullbacks' gains possible by opening up holes. He is a fighter of the first water who failed to weaken when he faced the redoubtable Stanton Keck of Princeton.

"Duke" Slater, giant negro of the Iowa eleven, is given the other tackle position. Slater should be a candidate for All-American honors. There is little about line play that he does not know, and it was mainly through his efforts that Locke gained so much ground against Notre Dame and Illinois. He weighs 207 pounds and is over six feet tall. He is fairly fast and shifty and is seldom kept out of plays.

Brader of Wisconsin was another great tackle. Huffman and Spiers of Ohio were a fine pair of men for the positions, while Carman of Purdue could make a tackle position on any team in the country, and be rated a star.

Dunne and Trott, Guards.

"Duke" Dunne, captain of Michigan, is awarded the left guard position. Dunne has been of great service to his alma mater. He started out as an end, and has played practically every position in the line. He played himself out in the Ohio State game, but was in every play while he lasted. He performed well against Illinois, and put up a stellar game against Wisconsin. In the Badger struggle he blocked forward passes and spoiled plays before they were formed. A shoulder injury compelled him to leave the battle at the endof the first half.

Trott of Ohio State, a great forward, is given the other guard position. The Buckeye was a reliable performer last season, but showed to even better advantage this year. He has permitted few gains through his position, and broke up many formations used by opponents. He has been down under punts and has done some tackling on the wings.

Redmon a Strong Guard.

Redmon of Chicago, Mohr of Illinois, Minick of Iowa, McCaw of Indiana, and G. Penfield of Northwestern were other strong guards.

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Exterminator's Record One for Turf to Admire

Has Brightest Career of Geldings in America—Biggest Money-Winning Gelding in World.

Thoroughbreds come and go like Tennyson's brook, but Exterminator, the wonderful gelding by McGee, out of Fair Empress, by Jim Gore, goes on his winning way season after season, displaying those splendid qualities which command the admiration of lovers of the thoroughbred the world over.

WILLIS S. KILMER.

The fact that he is the biggest money-winning gelding in the world, with $171,381 to his credit as the result of five years of strenuous campaigning, and that most of his victories have been gained over long distances, with big weights up, makes his performances all the more remarkable in these days with their tendencies to sprint racing. From the time that he passed into the posession of W. S. Kilmer, Exterminator has traveled this country and Canada, engaging all comers over every kind of a track. On some of his forays Exterminator has been beaten, but his dauntless spirit has never been dismayed.

No Effects of Campaigning.

Most horses that have taken part in a campaign much less strenuous show the scars of racing. Not so the gallant chestnut warrior from Binghampton. His legs are as the days he was foaled, and nobody ever saw him make a lame step. He is of the rough and ready type exemplified by such horses as Monitor, Parole, Barnum, Raceland, Banquet, and Roamer, all of which were unsexed and the pride of turfdom in the last generation.

While he would not be classified as a handsome horse, Exterminator has distinctive qualifications, apparent to all who know the fine points of a thoroughbred. His neck is long and symmetrical, and his fine head, with its great breadth between the eyes, is beautifully modeled. His shoulders are sloping and powerful, with the withers running well into the back.

His hips are a trifle rough, giving him a somewhat angular appearance, which is accentuated by his height of leg. He toes out with one foot a trifle, but in action is the poetry of motion. He is long strided, and as a mud runner has few if any equals. His courage is matchless.

First Sold for $1,200.

Exterminator was bred by F. B. Knight in Kentucky, and was sold at the Saratoga yearling sales in 1916 to J. C. Milam for $1,200. That clever horseman who trained Miss Joy and other good ones the past season, won two races out of four starts with him as a 2-year-old, and gave him a preparation for the Kentucky derby and his other engagements as a 3-year-old.

The gelding was at Louisville when Sun Briar of the Kilmer stable came to Churchill Downs for the big race, and when the Frenchbred colt went lame a few days before the race, Kilmer, in looking around for something to bear his colors in the contest, had his attention called to Exterminator. He wanted something that would be able to work with Sun Briar, so acquired Exterminator for $10,000.

Derby Victory Historic.

How Exterminator won the derby and beat Escoba, War Cloud and others in the mud is history, and how he has gone on winning ever since is known at every crossroads. He ran 15 times as a 3-year-old and won seven races; took part in 21 races in 1919 as a 4-year-old, and won nine; started 17 times as a 5-year-old, and won 10; while to date this season he has taken part in 16 races, of which he has won eight. His total number of races during his career is 73, of which he has won 36 for a value of $171,381.

Exterminator's nearest rival among the geldings is Banquet, which won 62 races out of 166 starts for a total of $118,535. Banquet was a marvelous campaigner, and was by imported Rayon D'Or, whose blood is found by Exterminator through his maternal ancestress, Raybell, which was by that horse.

Beemer Cagers Score Double Victory Over Pilger High

Beemer, Neb., Nov. 26.—Beemer High school boys' and girls' basket ball quintets trounced Pilger High teams in a double-header last week. The boys' victory was by a score of 31 to 7, and the girls' by a score of 21 to 5.

Beemer boys' team humbled Scribner here November 18 in the opening game for both quintets. They were well matched, but Scribner lacked team work.

Beemer's stars were Scheibe, left forward, and Hahl, left guard.

Omaha Whist Club Holds Regular Weekly Meeting

The usual Friday night meeting of the Omaha Whist club was played at the Fonteneile hotel.

On the first Friday in December there will be an open play, to be followed by a three-session contest under the Howell system.

The scores follow:

North and South.

Dreyfoos and Martin	244
Barker and Masteson	234
Bretherton and Davis	233
Abbott and Cook	232
Barton and Stebbins	230

East and West.

Cotter and Dox	242 7-8
Austin and Sweet	240 3-8
Ellis and Kilgore	235 3-4
Bruce and Yearbeer	230 3-8
Dehne and Dunham	226 3-8
Nelson and Ross	221 3-4