

New York State Athletic Commission Hands Dunfee Indefinite Suspension

Action Taken at Request of French Body

Decision Completes Ban on Former Featherweight Titleholder for Failure to Meet Brettonel.

By Associated Press.
New York, Feb. 6.—Johnny Dunfee, former world's featherweight champion, today was indefinitely suspended by the New York state athletic commission for failing to go through with a contract to box Fred Brettonel in Paris last month.

South High Five Slow in Practice

Judging from the results of a practice basketball game featuring the South and Tech, on the latter floor, the fight and dash that laid Thomas Jefferson and Nebraska City last week before a furious Tacker charge has evaporated. Patton's crew seems to be taking the coming tilt with Central as serious as a horse takes a comfortable saddle. They work out with about as much pep as a pugilist deep in the arms of sleep.

TIPLITZ 'RUNS OUT' ON BOUW WITH ZIVIC

Boston, Mass., Feb. 6.—Joe Tiplitz, Philadelphia lightweight, left the hall tonight before his scheduled 10-round bout with Jack Zivic of Pittsburgh. State Boxing Commissioner Eugene Buckley said afterward that Tiplitz's officials who overtook Tiplitz at the south station were informed by the boxer that the house was too small to make the bout profitable on the arranged percentage.

32 ROBINS TO GO TO FLORIDA

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Thirty-two players, including 16 pitchers, will be taken to Clearwater, Fla., by the Brooklyn National league club, February 23. Only five outfielders are named in the roster just issued, and the list includes J. R. Cox, from Santa Monica, Cal., who will try for the veteran Tommy Coffey's place in right field position. Eddie Brown will go to center and Zack Wheat will be in left as usual, and care for the team's interests until Manager Wilbur Robins is fully recovered from his illness.

UNIVERSITY BOXER KILLED IN BOUT

Syracuse, Feb. 5.—Stanton R. Stever of Waterloo, N. Y., a sophomore at Syracuse university, died tonight from a fracture of the skull sustained in a practice boxing bout this afternoon at the university gymnasium.

GONZAGA AFTER LIEB FOR COACH

Spokane, Wash., Feb. 6.—Members of the Gonzaga university athletic board seeking a football coach to succeed Charles Dorais, who resigned this week to accept an offer to coach the University of Detroit eleven, are in communication with Tom Lieb, assistant coach at Notre Dame, member of the board announced today.

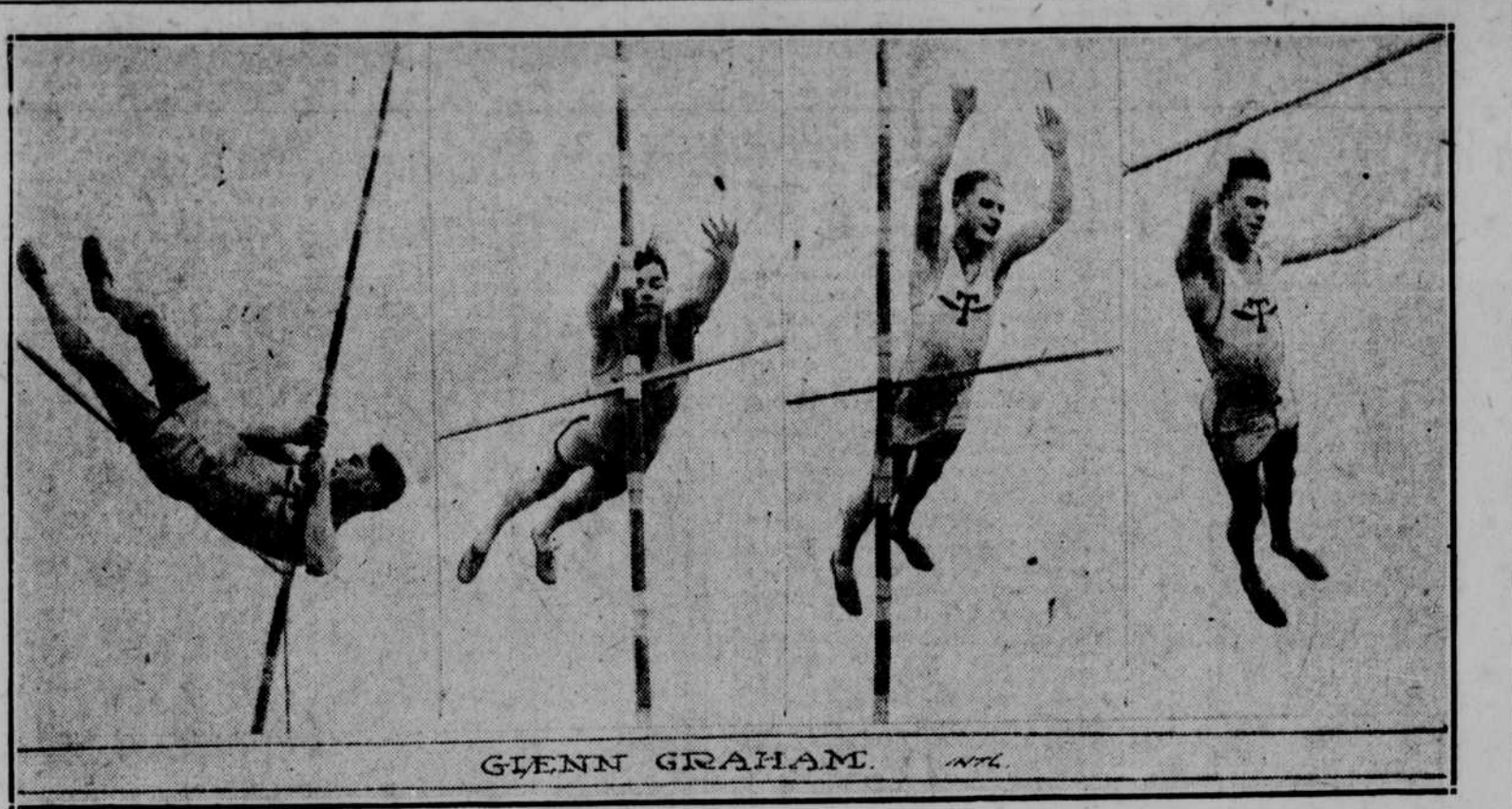
ANNUAL PREP TRACK MEET IN MAY

Omaha high school coaches, at a meeting held Tuesday at the city hall, decided to hold the annual city track meet May 22 at Technical High field. Central High won the title in 1924.

World Champ Cagers at Last Drop Game

Tackensack, N. J., Feb. 6.—The world's record winning streak of the Passaic high school basketball team, extending over a period of six seasons, was shattered today by the Hackensack high school five, which defeated the "wonder team," 39 to 35. Passaic had 100 straight games until today.

Eastern Coaches Declare His Technique Almost Faultless



Glenn Graham of Los Angeles, whose feats with the vaulting pole were the talk of the last Paris Olympiad, is shown in this International Action-Graph doing one of his marvelous jumps. Eastern coaches who have seen him in action declare his technique is almost faultless.

High School Track Athletes to Have Chance to Win Medals Under New Plan

OMAHA High school coaches have devised a plan whereby every track enthusiast enrolled at an Omaha prep school will be afforded an opportunity to win either a gold, silver, or bronze medal.

Central and Creighton Preps May Not Meet on Grid in 1925

OACH KNUTE DRENNAN has lined up a stiff schedule for his 1925 Creighton prep football team. Technical, South and North High are placed on the city schedule, but Drennan and Schmidt of Central have failed to agree on a date for a Creighton-Central game.

CROWE CHOSEN NOTRE DAME PILOT

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Feb. 6.—Clem Crowe of Lafayette, Ind., junior in the college of agriculture at the University of Notre Dame, was elected captain of the 1925 football squad at a banquet of the monogram men last night.

KANSAS CLIMBING TO TOP IN VALLEY

Kansas City, Feb. 6.—Kansas, in climbing back into the first place in the Missouri Valley conference basketball race, has displaced Washington university as the leader in offensive power in the conference.

HAWKEYE CLUB TO STAGE SHOW

The Hawkeye Athletic club, newly organized Council Bluffs sporting club, will hold its second smoker of the season February 29 in a hall to be selected later.

TECH SECONDS WIN CAGE GAME, 11 TO 6

Technical high seconds copped an 11 to 6 basket ball game from the Creighton prep seconds in a preliminary game to the Creighton-Des Moines game Friday night.

Allen Wins Ice Skate Title.

Sarnia Lake, N. Y., Feb. 6.—Frank Allen of Chicago today won the international speed skating title through virtue of his point standing in the three day meet here, closing with the five-mile event in which he placed second.

William Tilden to Proclaim His Retirement From Game Tomorrow

By DAVIS J. WALSH.
NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Within the next 24 hours William T. Tilden, rated the greatest lawn tennis player that ever served an ace, will decide whether the season of 1925 will see him continue as a competitor or proceed with the writing of masterpieces on and about the sport in question.

Says Jack Dempsey Needs Ready Cash; That's Why He Wants Fight

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Jack Dempsey feels the need of ready cash. That is the reason he is going to fight again. The latest information from Los Angeles, and from a reliable source, is that the world's heavyweight champion, is down to \$10,000 in cash, has been secretly wed to Estelle Taylor, and with a wife and his own family to support he must fight or be property poor, as was "Battling" Nelson for many years.

CATHOLIC GIRLS TRIM MUTE FIVE

Catholic Daughters of America capers journeyed to Council Bluffs Thursday night where they administered a 14 to 11 trimming to the Iowa School for the Deaf quintet.

ISSUE CALL FOR IOWA GOLF TEAM

Iowa City, Ia., Feb. 6.—Coach Ken net today issued first call for candidates for the University of Iowa golf team. One of the hardest schedules ever tackled faces the team this year.

MONDT WINS GO

Monte, heavyweight grappler of Greeley, was the victor two straight falls over Goho Gohar, British West Indian, here last night. The first fall went to the local man after 20 minutes of wrestling, while it took 17 minutes to conquer the Britisher for the second fall.

Larry Broomfield Will Play in Texas Open

San Antonio, Tex., Feb. 6.—Fred J. Bonfile, owner of the Denver Post, has announced he is coming here with 12 amateur golfers, including Larry Broomfield, seven times winner of the Colorado state championship, to compete in the Texas open which will begin next week.

How To Play Basketball

By Ed. Mather
University of Michigan
Basketball Coach

TYPES OF PASSES.

THE ability to use any one of a number of passes with ease and dexterity is an important phase of basketball. Let us consider very briefly the various kinds of passes and their uses.

First we have the underhand pass. These may be executed with either one or two hands. As a general rule, the underhand pass is more useful with a team of small players than with taller ones.

The one-hand underhand pass is short and swift. It is made from the height of the middle of the thigh, with elbow bent slightly. Wrist snap is used. A tall man has difficulty in receiving an underhand pass because when in motion his knee may hit the ball and cause a fumble.

The two-hand underhand pass is used in the short pass style of play. It is slower than the one-hand pass but more accurate. The ball is brought close to the body, thigh high and released in a sweeping movement, one step usually being taken in executing it.

The two-hand underhand pass is used:

- 1.—After a pivot to pass to a teammate trailing the play.
- 2.—In the short-pass game when a criss-cross style of play is used.
- 3.—As an easy way of passing the ball quickly after getting a fumble or a bounce pass.

The overhand pass can also be executed with one or two hands, being released from a height between waist and shoulder. In the underhand pass the arms and fingers are turned down, and in the overhand pass they are turned up.

The one-hand overhand pass can be made either short or long. The short pass is made with considerable snap and with a long sweeping motion of the arm. The trajectory of the ball being on a flat downward line. The palm of the hand is in the direction of the throw. Fingers pointed up and spread.

The two-hand overhand pass is usually a short pass. The ball is held on its side, palm facing in, fingers upward and thumbs toward the body. There is quick snap of the wrist and the ball is usually brought close to the body and released as the arms are straightened. This is a good pass for general use and gives excellent control of the ball. It is likewise very easy to teach.

Mermaid Stars in Other Sports



MISS MARIE WAGNER

Miss Marie Wagner, Chicago's prize mermaid, who has won many medals for swimming and diving, is an expert golfer, tennis player and basketball player. The Women's Illinois Athletic club, one of the most exclusive in the middle west, has just named her chief of the swimming committee.

New York State Bars Fred Fulton

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Fred Fulton, Rochester (Mich.) heavyweight, his manager, Jack Reddy, and Fred Winsor, manager of Tony Fuente, Mexican heavyweight, today were barred for all time from connection with the ring game in this state by the New York state athletic commission for their part in the "famed" Fulton-Fuente bout in California early this winter.

MANUFACTURERS' DINNER POPULAR

Three hundred and fifty reservations have been received by William A. Ellis, assistant commissioner of the Chamber of Commerce, for the annual frolic and dinner of the Omaha Manufacturers' association at the Chamber February 11.

MOTORIST RAMS TWO PARKED CARS

A heavy touring car driven by an unidentified motorist crashed into the machine of Dr. M. S. Dunhee, 307 Grace street, as it was parked in front of his home Thursday night. The car rebounded and struck the machine of W. V. Mayne, parked in front of Mr. Mayne's home at 312 Grace street. The motorist drove away before witnesses could stop him.

Milk License Under Fire.

Health Commissioner A. S. Pinto stated that he will recommend to city council that the milk license of Robert Peterson, proprietor of Model Dairy, Eighty-fifth and Dodge streets, and costs Friday morning in central police court by Judge R. W. Patrick when arraigned on charge of selling milk which tested below legal standard in butter fat. Peterson was fined \$25 and costs on January 24, and a similar fine was imposed on June 21, 1924.

Hawkeye Wrestlers Leave for Tourney

Iowa City, Ia., Feb. 6.—The University of Iowa wrestling and gymnasium teams left last night for Minneapolis where Saturday they will engage the University of Minnesota teams in the respective sports.

Ceresco Farmer Dies.

Edward Haas, 56, farmer at Ceresco, Neb., died Friday morning at a local hospital. He is survived by his widow and four children. The body will be taken to Ithaca, Neb., for burial.

Young Bluejays Trim Des Moines Quintet, 40 to 25

A FLACK of junior Bluejays Thursday night swooped down upon the Des Moines Catholic college prep five at Creighton gym, and when the feathers had settled at the final whistle, held a 40 to 25 victory in their talons.

The Drennan-coached five, showing a remarkable improvement over the form shown against North High in its last try, completely outplayed the invaders in every department of the game.

The Creighton aggregation traveled down the floor lines after time by way the short passing route, and once near the hoop, the Hilltop scorers rarely missed.

The lineup:

CREIGHTON	PG	FT	Pts.
Halpin, J.	1-2	0-0	2
Walsh, J.	4-4	1-1	12
Paul, J.	3-2	0-0	6
McCarthy, J.	1-0	0-0	2
Covey, J.	0-0	0-0	0
Quinn, J.	0-0	0-0	0
Wise, J.	0-0	0-0	0
Dempsey, J.	0-0	0-0	0
Totals	10	8-10	10

DES MOINES	PG	FT	Pts.
Schultz, J.	1-1	0-0	2
Sharp, J.	0-4	1-1	0
Shullman, J.	1-1	1-1	4
Haining, J.	0-1	2-2	0
Quinn, J.	0-0	0-0	0
Walsh, J.	0-0	0-0	0
Totals	3	7-13	6

Nurmi Ready to Meet Ray

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Paavo Nurmi of Finland, Olympic middle distance champion, informed track officials that he is willing to meet Jole Ray of Chicago or any one else who would dispute his supremacy, at the mile or any other distance, but that he is unable to change his plans for his attempt to break four world's records in a two-mile race at the Wilco A. A. meet tomorrow night.

After the Wilco meet the Finn will be ready to meet Ray, Hugo Quist, who is acting as Nurmi's American manager, told officials of the contest. The Chicagoan's challenge was contained in a letter to Hugh Hirschon, chairman of the Wilco games committee in which Ray withdrew from the race in which Nurmi was entered.

BANCROFT, YATES WIN CAGE GAMES

Thursday's results:
Bancroft, 13; Vinton, 10.
Yates, 23; Wilcox III, 3.

Today's games:
Field against Vinton at Christ Child Center at 4 p. m.

Bancroft and Yates won victories in Friday's play in the Omaha Bee's annual grade school basket ball tournament.

Bancroft defeated Vinton, 13 to 10, in a hot contest. Murphy and Knoch played stellar ball for the winners, while Hupp scored all 10 points.

Yates had an easy time winning from Walnut Hill, Mann and Morton, Yates forwards, were the stars.

Finnish Athlete's Success Largely Due to Exercise

Helsingfors, Finland, Feb. 6.—The recent exploits of Paavo Nurmi in the United States and the remarkable success of the Finnish athletes at the Olympic games in Paris have led sportsmen of many countries to seek the secret of the Finlander's prowess.

According to government health authorities, it lies largely in the healthy, spartan diet of the people and the essential virility of the race to whom hard bodily exercise is as much of a necessity as food and sleep.

DROPS DEAD AT WRESTLING MATCH

St. Louis, Feb. 6.—While thousands around him watched a wrestling match in which Joe Stecher, Omaha, Neb., was proclaimed winner over Dick Daviscourt, Wichita, Kan., Otto J. Pfeffer, 45, president of the St. Louis Jewelry, Clock and Silverware company, was found dead in a box seat at the Coliseum here last night. Heart failure was believed to be the cause of death.

NORTHWESTERN TEAM EASY WINNER

Salt Lake City, Feb. 6.—Winning all seven events, Northwestern University easily defeated University of Utah in an intercollegiate intercollegiate swimming meet here last night.

In winning the 40-yard free style, Ralph Breyer of Northwestern equalled the intercollegiate world's record of 18.45 seconds. Three intercollegiate records were broken.

Extra! Extra! Grange Has the Mumps

RICHMOND, Mich., Feb. 6.—Harold "Red" Grange has the mumps. The great Illinois football star succumbed to the childhood ailment here Thursday when he was to have been the speaker at a high school football banquet, and under orders of a physician he went to bed. He was allowed to appear at the banquet just long enough to say "Hello" and "Goodby."

Home runs at Philadelphia

Home runs at the Philadelphia National park, probably will not be common this season, for the only field will be in the seven feet and the left field will be feet higher than the home plate. A new standard is to be laid out for the new stadium and the state moved back near the grandstands.