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MARTY KRUG SIGNS TO MANAGE OMAHA

Contract is Now Deposited, Safe from Federal Leaguers, in Rourke Safe.

KAFORA DEAL COMPLETED

Pa Rourke has closed negotiations with Marty Krug to manage the Rourkovinians next year. Pa submitted a proposition to Marty to manage the team, but it hung fire for several weeks before the new boss and Rourke could agree upon terms. Now all has been settled and Marty's contract is signed and deposited in the safe out at Rourke park, immune to Federal leaguers and the like.

Krug is the only player signed up by Rourke. Pa sent out contracts to all athletes on his reserve list last week and is now preparing to receive about a dozen howls and kicks because the stipend stipulated for services rendered is not in the neighborhood of the figure received by Walter Johnson, the well known ski jumper. It always happens thusly, but Pa expects it to happen more so this year under the new salary agreement. However Pa worrieth not, for athletes will be plentiful this year and some of those who decorated the scenery at Rourke park last year could well be dispensed with.

Kafora Deal Completed.

While the official papers of notification have not been received, Rourke has completed his deal for Catcher Kafora of the Pittsburgh club. Mr. Kafora is said to be a regular catcher, when it comes to fielding, but a bit weak with the stick. He is said to be as good as Jimmy Archer on the defensive, and only his failure to hit lost him his job with the Pirates. Rourke believes that, as he is a youngster, Krug can make a bitter out of him, and Fred Clarke opines the same thing. Thus, Mr. Kafora should be a welcome addition to our city.

Lincoln Wants in National Amateur Ball Association

Down in Lincoln a few ardent base ball fans are promulgating a scheme to organize an amateur base ball league in that city and affiliate with the National Amateur Base Ball association, a part of which Omaha is a large factor. The success of the Omaha association last year has prompted the Links to regard the matter seriously and an organization is now under way which bids well to perfect a league.

Omaha amateur base ball players and fans regard the entrance of Lincoln with favorable eyes, as Lincoln will be Omaha's close rival in the fall eliminations for the national amateur championship. Last year St. Paul played Omaha and the locals couldn't work themselves up to the desired fever pitch as St. Paul is so far away. But with Lincoln, very close to Omaha, and with everybody knowing at least one person in the other town, rivalry should be intensely keen.

Minneapolis is also planning to enter the national organization. Among cities now in the circuit are Omaha, Cleveland, Chicago, Louisville and St. Paul.

Link-Omaha Basket Ball Game Saturday

Lincoln and Omaha High schools will battle on the basket ball floor at the Young Men's Christian association next Saturday night. The game will be the first big interscholastic combat of the season.

Omaha was defeated by Lincoln at the latter's home a week ago, and Tommy Mills is determined to have revenge. He has been working hard with his squad and has whipped it into shape for a good battle. Lincoln has practically the same team this year that won the state championship last year.

Transfer of Yankee Stock Completed

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—The transfer of the stock of the New York American League Base Ball club to Jacob Ruppert and T. L. Huston was completed here this afternoon. President Ban Johnson stated that the new owners had paid the remainder of the purchase price due Frank Farrell and assumed control of the club. The negotiations extended over a period of almost two months, the first payment of $50,000 having been made several weeks ago.

GRAND ISLAND TEAM LOSES TO ST. PAUL

ST. PAUL, Neb., Jan. 30.—(Special.)—The Grand Island Business college basket ball team lost to the local college, 45 to 9. Nelson led in the scoring for the locals, with twenty-three points to his credit. Lineup:

ST. PAUL.		GRAND ISLAND.
Jacobsen	R.F.	R.F. Clark
Gruber	L.F.	L.F. Snyder
Nelson	C.	C. Beeson
Miller	L.G.	L.G. Ramey
Messbach	R.G.	R.G. Myers

Fields goals. Nelson (7), Gruber (5), Jacobsen (5), Messbach (1), Clark (1). Goals from fouls: (9), Snyder (7). Referee: Jester. Scorer: Zocholl. Timekeeper: Mensor. Time of halves: Twenty minutes.

PREACHERS WILL SEEK TO ENJOIN CINCINNATI GO

CINCINNATI, Jan. 30.—If Governor Frank B. Willis does not issue orders before Monday that will prevent the "Gunboat" Smith-Flynn bout here the Methodist Ministers' association will go into court to ask for an injunction that the bout be prohibited on the ground that public gambling is being indulged in connection with the proposed contest.

This statement was issued by the Ministers' association today.

GLENWOOD BEATS RED OAK IN BASKET BALL

GLENWOOD, Ia., Jan. 30.—(Special.)—Glenwood Company I defeated Company M of Red Oak last evening in the fastest game of basket ball played on Glenwood's floor this season. Score: 51 to 23. Lineup:

CO. M.		CO. I
Chaplin	C.	C. Alley
Hawkins	F.	F. Stacey
Casey	F.	F. Lewis
Ferguson	G.	G. Binion
Foster	G.	G. Macucci

Referee: Griffith.

NEW PHYSICAL DIRECTOR OF THE Y. M. C. A.

W. A. Kearns

WESTERGARD AND HUSSANE TO MIX

Charley Franke Cards Wrestlers for His Krug Theater Night of February Nine.

IS A CHAMPIONSHIP BOUT

The biggest wrestling match of the year has been carded for Omaha. Manager Charles Franke of the Krug theater has scheduled a finish wrestling match between Jess Westergaard and Yousiff Hussane for his show shop Tuesday night, February 9.

The match will be two falls out of three to a finish or no money, declares Franke, who has become somewhat dubious when wrestlers and money become closely associated.

Since Mr. Stanislaw Zbyszko has been made the guest of the German government in one of the kaiser's justly celebrated bastiles, Hussane and Westergaard have been the points of dispute over the championship. Westergaard claims the title of American champion and Hussane says he ought to be champion.

But whatever either may be, all will be settled amiably and peacefully in the mix here next week. Whoever wins can claim the world's championship, and he will have pretty good argument to back it up. Of course Joe Stecher must still be considered, and it would behoove the winner to take the Nebraska boy on.

Westergaard and Hussane are both popular in Omaha, and the fans here have been anxious to see the two in action for some time. Now they will get that chance. Both appeared here this year, and their respective skill always has been a mooted question.

Charley Franke is tickled to death over his coup, as managers and promoters in all the big cities of the country have been trying to card matches between the two leading lights for the last two years, only to fail to arrange satisfactory terms. Finally Franke stepped into the competition and brought the big fray here.

Women Will Stage City Golf Tourney

A woman's city golf tournament will be held in Omaha next summer. The women golfers, under the leadership of Mrs. W. G. Silver, have decided that if the men can hold a city tournament the fair sex has the same privilege.

Last year a woman's golf club was formed and the members played each Friday during the summer. The women who were in that club flanked by those who have been learning the rudiments of the game by playing indoor golf at the Young Women's Christian association, are leading the movement to hold the city tourney. Additional impetus comes from a crowd of women who reside along the Florence boulevard where it is termed the "Prettiest Mile." These women will organize a golf club February 23 and will play at the Miller Park Golf club. They will all enter the city tournament.

Indoor Game Popular.

Indoor golf at the Young Women's Christian association is attracting considerable interest these days. Of course, indoor golf is not a game in the sense of competition, but it is pretty handy in improving strokes. A net is spread around the gymansium and the women knock the ball against the net with the driver, mid-iron, cleek, brassie or whatever club they please. Then along the balcony, which is built around the gymnasium, a carpet has been laid and putting takes place. W. D. Clark, professional at the Field club, is the instructor, and he declares the women are improving rapidly in their form.

Two Games of Basket Ball.

BURWELL, Neb., Jan. 30.—(Special.)—Two basket ball games were played at the Hise hall. The Burwell Crescents played the Elyria town team, the score being Crescents 32, Elyria 17. The Burwell High school played the Rambling Five, winning, 28 to 18.

Pawnee Basket Ball Team Wins.

PAWNEE CITY, Jan. 30.—(Special.)—The local high school basket ball team defeated the Humboldt High school team here Friday night, 41 to 23. In the opening of the first half the visitors by a burst of superior team work, ran away from Pawnee City, but the latter played doggedly and the half closed even. The locals got their team work to going in the early part of the second half and made basket after basket in quick succession. In a good preliminary game, the Pawnee City High school girls' team defeated a team of girls from the Sabetha High school by the score of 16 to 9.

Beatrice Girls Win.

BEATRICE, Neb., Jan. 30.—(Special.)—The Beatrice girls' high school basket ball team won from Geneva girls' five at Geneva Friday evening by the score of 31 to 10. The Beatrice girls showed remarkable skill in shooting baskets. Miss Ruth Davis, physical director of the high school, accompanied the team.

Jack Frost Transferred.

Pitcher Jack Frost, who has been with the Waterbury team of the Eastern association last season, has been transferred to New Orleans of the Southern league.

BREAKERS AHEAD IN WESTERN LOOP

Topeka Bank Forecloses Mortgage on the Topeka Club, Leaving an Open Franchise.

JOPLIN MAY BE THE SUBSTITUTE

Breakers ahead.

There is going to be trouble in the Western league before the season opens and from the glimmering of information now at hand it looks very much like serious trouble, which bids well to cause the magnates many a sleepless night.

The German-American bank of Topeka has foreclosed a mortgage on the Topeka base ball club and as Prexy Tip O'Neill so aptly puts it "the bank probably won't care to enter the base ball business." Thus some disposition must be made of that Topeka franchise. The present owners have had the club on the market since fall and nary a bidder would bite. Nobody cared to take a chance on Kawtown. It is entirely up to the fans of the town if the Kansas capital remains in the Western loop during the 1915 season.

Calls Special Meeting.

President O'Neill has announced that as soon as he has been officially informed of the foreclosure he will call a special meeting to consider the Topeka matter. O'Neill also has asserted that anybody who wishes to keep the Topeka club will have to talk distinctly and clearly, meaning business with money in sight to prove it. Otherwise the franchise will be transferred to some other city.

Two cities, Joplin and Oklahoma City, have petitioned for a Western league franchise and have money with which to back up their desire. Joplin has long wanted to line up with the Western, but has always been considered a bit too small.

Speaking of Joplin and Oklahoma City as prospective Western league cities, W. A. Rourke declared, "Not a chance, at least as far as I'm concerned. They couldn't support the kind of ball we must play in this league." Rourke, however, would give no intimation of what city might take up the franchise, in case Topeka falls down.

If Topeka wants to keep the club, capital must be raised to pay all its debts. Otherwise the Western league magnates will advise a transfer. The Western league situation is so critical, as it is in all leagues, that the magnates cannot afford to take a chance on Topeka making good. They must be sure the franchise will not be a burden on the league, and no matter who gets the franchise, it will be somebody who has money which will talk.

New Major Help to Western.

Speaking of the arrangement to put three major leagues in the field, O'Neill made the statement in Chicago that it would be beneficial to the Western in that it would afford a market for that many more players. But the most significant part of that statement was an intimation O'Neill dropped.

A transfer of some of the American association franchises to larger cities would give the Western a chance to break into new fields. For instance, Milwaukee and St. Paul probably could not support a major league and both cities would make good Western loop towns. Such being the case, Topeka and any other city which might find itself on the wrong side of the financial ledger could be dropped without fuss.

One Point Separates First Three Clubs in Gallery Rifle Shoot

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Only a point separates each of the first three clubs in the competition for the interclub gallery rifle shooting championship of the United States, after the first of the eleven matches. Cleveland leads with 5,948 points out of the possible 6,000; Bridgeport is second with 5,947; Kink's Mills, O., third, with 5,946, and Warren, Pa., fourth, with 5,943. Results of the week's matches:

Class A: Warren, 991 against Dickerson, N. D., 978; Bridgeport, 988, against District of Columbia, 981; Boston, 961, against Adrian, Mich., 947; Cleveland, 994, against Stillwater, Minn., 953; King's Mills, 995, against Birmingham, 975; Bucyrus, 988, against Manchester, N. H., 971.

Class B: kMadison, Wis., 867, against Louisville (Swiss), 929; Hopkins, Minn., 957, against Milwaukee, 947; Youngstown, 974, against Tacoma, 948; Marion, 976, against Watertown, N. Y., 956; St. Louis, 971, against Indianapolis, 940; Bangor, Me., 985, against Des Moines, 968.

Class C: Buffalo, 969, against Albion, Ind., 947; Ogden, 954, against Detroit, 948; Tucson, 947, against Fayette, Ida., 915; New Haven, 968, against Corinna, Me., 928; Watertown, S. D., 966, against Louisville (rifle), 926; Kane, Pa., 959, against Salt Lake City, 964.

Beatrice Outclassed By Bluffs Quintet

Friday night the Council Bluffs High school basket ball team defeated one of the fastest basket ball teams of Nebraska, Beatrice High school, 43 to 16. The first half was intensely interesting and ended, 35 to 7. Hovey was taken out of the game in the second half and Clark took his place. Kyle and Burroughs of Beatrice were taken out and Casford and Maxwell took their places. During the game, Puryear made seven goals, Lowery, six, and Mahoney, four. Lineup:

BLUFFS.		BEATRICE.
Puryear (C.)	C.	C. Lake
Mahoney	L.F.	L.F. Smith
Lowery	R.F.	R.F. Bott
Hovey	L.G.	L.G. Borroughs
Brewick	R.G.	R.G. Kyle

THREE-CUSHION TOURNEY STARTS MONDAY EVENING

A three-cushion carom city billiard tournament will be started Monday evening at the C. C. C. billiard parlors. Six prizes will be awarded. Last year the tournament was a handicap affair and was captured by Edgar Eddy, but this year scoring will be entirely scratch. The following have already entered: Roger S. Gallup, H. D. Gideon, Cecil Vaughn, Charles E. Harlin, Howard Stice, Dr. Gladstone Derby, A. Charleville and G. Edgar Eddy.

NUNAMAKER COMES TO VISIT MARTY M'HALE

Leslie Nunamaker, catcher for the New York Yankees, blew into Omaha from his winter home at Aurora, Neb., to visit with Marty McHale, pitcher on the same team, who is appearing at the Orpheum this week. Nunamaker is enthusiastic over the Yankees' chances next year under the leadership of Bill Donovan and predicts Donovan will prove a winning pilot.

THE KRUG LUXUS BOWLING TEAM—Which goes to the A. B. C. Tournament at Peoria, Ill. Left to right: B. Shaw, F. Thomas, H. Eaton, A. McCoy, A. Wartchow.

STIEHM PLANNING SPRING FOOT BALL

Would Play Bona Fide Game in June as Feature of the Commencement.

CALL FOR PRACTICE TUESDAY

By JAMES E. LAWRENCE.

LINCOLN, Jan. 30.—(Special.)—A foot ball game as a feature of the commencement exercises is the plan which Coach Jumbo Stiehm is working up in connection with the annual spring foot ball practice of the Cornhusker squad. The game, it is planned, will be the crowning event of the spring training, and will feature for the graduation festivities.

Coach Stiehm has already taken the matter up with the chancellor and if Dr. Avery gives his permission, Stiehm will arrange the spring practice so the game can be played.

With the game scheduled for commencement week, it will insure foot ball practice and rigid training rules for prospective foot ball men right up to the close of school. Heretofore there has always been a lull in spring training as soon as the warmer weather sets in and Stiehm believes his plan will eradicate this.

Continue Strict Training.

Another new feature, which Stiehm will urge in the spring training, which will start next week under the direction of Captain Dick Rutherford, is that all members of the squad start strict training during the spring and continue it during the summer. Then when the fall season opens the players will be in condition to take up hard work at once, without waiting the customary length of time to condition themselves. This phase of it is more important than ever, since Nebraska starts the season off next fall with Drake, a conference team, as an opponent, and then follows it up with a second conference team.

Stiehm will issue his call for next Tuesday for initial practice in the gymnasium under the guidance of Captain Rutherford. As soon as the weather moderates and ground conditions permit the practice will be transferred to the athletic field. All eligible foot ball men will be invited to meet at a supper to discuss the spring training plans. A majority of the last year's letter men will take part in the spring training, and a large number of freshmen will be on hand.

All Are Willing.

Those who have already indicated their willingness are Chamberlain, Will and Edward Kosistky, Shaw, Cook, Otopolik, Gardner, Mosher, Haberslaben and Cameron.

Stiehm does not plan to be caught napping on the quarterback situation this time and will work out five men at that position all during the spring foot ball practice. He will try out Johnny Cook, the old Beatrice High school star and a most promising freshman, Caley and Porter of last year's squad, and Dick Westover, who is returning to school. Young Westover played brilliant ball for the freshmen two years ago and looms up as a strong candidate. In addition Stiehm will have Hoadley, a freshman last fall. The quarterback position is to receive particular attention during the spring training.

Apartments, flats, houses and cottages can be rented quickly and cheaply by a Bee "For Rent" ad.

M'COWN DEFIES ELK CITYAN

Omaha Trap Shooter Challenges Chris Christensen for T. L. Coombs Trophy.

WILL HOLD A MATCH SHOOT

Don C. McCown has formally challenged Chris Christensen of Elk City to shoot for the T. L. Coombs challenge trophy which Christensen now holds. He has deposited the $5 required under the terms of challenge and is waiting for Christensen's answer.

When Christensen accepts, as he must do, a special shoot will probably be arranged and all shooters invited to take part. An effort will be made to bring the match shoot here, although Christensen has the privilege of naming the place and time.

The T. L. Coombs trophy was donated by T. L. Coombs in 1906 and was first captured by Slim Severson of Wisner. In an effort to bring the trophy to Omaha five well-known members of the local trap shooting fraternity framed a match between Severson and the five local men. It was thought that one out of the quintet could trim up Mr. Severson. But the local quintet figured wrong, for when all was over Mr. Severson was discovered beating it back to Wisner with the trophy tucked under his arm and $35 put up by the local men.

George Rogers held the trophy for a while, as did Henry McDonald, the latter losing it to Christensen in 1908. Since then it has reposed on Christensen's mantle unmolested by challengers.

Omaha shooters have decided that Christensen should be called upon to defend the trophy if he wishes to keep it any longer, and McCown was the man selected to try to bring it to Omaha.

Jack Fitzgerald Has Shade Over Fighting Parson

Jack Fitzgerald had a shade over Kid Wedge in their ten-round battle before the Armory Athletic club at the Armory last night, but due credit must be accorded Wedge for the game battle he put up.

Fitzgerald from the first to the last gong, managed to just shade his opponent in each department of the game. He was better in the clinches, in the open fighting and in covering up. Wedge went wild one or two times and swung with reckless abandon, but in neither instance did he catch the wily Fitzgerald unawares.

But few stiff punches were registered by either man. Fitzgerald closed Wedge's left eye and landed one or two good pokes on the jaw and two or three stiff ones amidships. Wedge slipped over a few hard rights in the infighting.

The affair was a ten-round, no decision bout, held under the provisos governing such bouts in the proposed law to permit boxing in Nebraska.

In the preliminaries, Young Whittaker and Kid Garrison battled four rounds, Jimmy May and Young Patton four and Frankie White and Young Terry, three.

Craig Wins from Tekamah.

CRAIG, Neb., Jan. 30.—(Special.)—Craig High school basket ball team defeated Tekamah High school basket ball team, 37 to 23. The local team showed its superiority all the way through, the speed and team work offsetting Tekamah's rough tactics. Arlington will be Craig's next opponent.

FED MINOR LEAGUE NOW A CERTAINTY

Eight-Club League in New England Territory Settled, Declares Jim Gilmore.

FINANCES FROM BIG LOOP

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 30.—The Federal base ball league will have a minor league in New England, President James A. Gilmore announced here late today, after a conference with base ball men. The teams of the new league will be eight in number, he said, and will be put into towns where Organized Base Ball is now played. He asserted he had had a dozen inquiries from men with money, regarding the proposed league. Just what towns it will comprise are yet to be determined.

After the meeting reports were current that New Haven, Worcester, Hartford, Springfield, Providence and Manchester, N. H., might be included in the league. This could not be confirmed, however, President Gilmore stating that the circuit would not be definitely made until after March.

Feds Pay Difference.

Each club is to be financed locally, Mr. Gilmore said, and the Federal league is to furnish the players. Between thirty and forty players are now said to be available. Each club is to be furnished with six players, as a nucleus for building up a team. The clubs will pay to the Federal league $200 a month for each player, the parent league paying the difference when the player's salary is in excess of that amount.

Those at the conference were President Gilmore, Robert B. Ward, one of the owners of the Brooklyn Federals; L. W. Park of Providence, R. I.; W. G. McKay of Manchester, N. H.; J. D. Baxter of Springfield, Mass.; E. L. Landgraf of Danbury, Conn., and James E. Canava of New Haven. Another meeting is to be held in March.

Halligan Applies For Job as Husker Foot Ball Mentor

Vic Halligan, captain of the Cornhuskers 1914 foot ball team and an all-western tackle for two years running, has applied for the position of assistant coach at Nebraska for 1915. The application of Halligan has been received with open welcome by the students at Nebraska, who regard Vic as about the neatest piece of foot ball machinery ever turned out of the Lincoln school. While Halligan's petition for the position is regarded favorably, it would be a hardship for Nebraska to lose Hoeffal, who did such splendid work last year. Hoeffel proved to be a wonder at scout detail, bringing back accounts of the prowess of teams to play against Nebraska, and, while Halligan may be as successful, it is known that Hoeffel will do good work. At Nebraska sentiment seems to be that Halligan should supersede Dewey Harmon as coach of the freshman team or fill a new position. Nebraska could well use two assistant coaches in addition to the freshman coach, and it would not be a bad idea for Hoeffel and Halligan both to act next year.

BASE BALL CAMPS OPEN NEXT MONTH

While Magnates Are Working on Court Questions Managers Prepare to Go South.

FEDS STEAL TWO O. B. CAMPS

Although the magnates and moguls may still be hung up in court pleading with his honor to give 'em life and hope, it will only be another four weeks before the managers of the various big league clubs will issue the annual call to assemble and the training camps to begin preparations for the spring grind. The White Sox will have the jump on their fellows, as they make the first getaway for California on February 18, the remainder of the club waiting until about March 1.

Many of the clubs will return to the camps occupied last year while others, running afoul of punk weather last year, will try their luck in new quarters. Federal leaguers jumped to the front and copped off two training camps last year used by Organized Ball teams. The Pittsburgh Federals will go to Augusta, Ga., which was the location of the Brooklyn club last year, and Buffalo will go to Athens, Ga., last year used by Cleveland.

Back to Old Loves.

The Chicago Cubs return to Tampa, the Giants to Marlin Springs, the Pirates to Hot Springs and the Braves to Macon, Ga. All other National league teams have selected new training quarters.

The White Sox will again journey to Paso Robles to practice in the pill box park there, the Tigers return to the old stand, Gulfport, Miss.; the Senators go to Charlottesville, where Griffith found zero weather last year; the Red Sox troop back to Hot Springs and the Athletics go back to Jacksonville, Fla. St. Louis shifts from St. Petersburg, Fla., to Houston, Tex., where the Yanks worked out last year, and the Yanks probably go to Savannah, Ga., although Donovan has not yet decided on that point definitely.

The Baltimore Federals have not decided where they will train as yet, but it will be some place in Georgia, where most of the Federal league teams will play.

Sloufeds to Havana.

The St. Louis Feds make the sea voyage this year, going to Havana, Cuba. Whether Havana will be a good training place is speculative. Fielder Jones declares it will be ideal and Jones is a base ball man who should know. Anyway he will give his men a chance at the seasickness and the yellow fever.

With the exception of the White Sox, none of the teams will play many exhibition games. The Sox always play quite a number on their way east, as it means coin for Comiskey and gets the players acclimated gradually.

Last year several of the teams played a number of exhibition games, leaving the training camps rather early and constantly encountering young blizzards, floods and the like on the route north, so this year the magnates have wisely decided to remain in the balmy southland as long as possible.

Where they will train:

National League.

Chicago, Tampa, Fla.
New York, Marlin Springs, Tex.
St. Louis, San Antonio, Tex.
Brooklyn, Daytona, Fla.
Pittsburgh, Hot Springs, Ark.
Philadelphia, St. Petersburg, Fla.
Boston, Macon, Ga.
Cincinnati, Alexandria, La.

American League.

Chicago, Paso Robles, Cal.
Detroit, Gulfport, Miss.
Washington, Charlottesville, Va.
Cleveland, San Antonio, Tex.
Boston, Hot Springs, Ark.
St. Louis, Houston, Tex.
Philadelphia, Jacksonville, Fla.
New York, Savannah, Ga. Probably.

Federal League.

Pittsburgh, Augusta, Ga.
Indianapolis, Valdosta, Ga.
Chicago, Shreveport, La.
St. Louis, Havana, Cuba.
Brooklyn, Columbia, S. C.
Kansas City, Wichita Falls, Tex.
Buffalo, Athens, Ga.
Baltimore, Georgia.

Iowa Near Top in Third Week's Shoot

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Results of the third week's intercollegiate rifle shooting competition showed that Massachusetts Agricultural college and Michigan Agricultural were evenly matched for the championship. The scores follow: Class A—Massachusetts Agricultural, 971, against Iowa State, 963; West Virginia, 964, against Purdue, 924; Naval Academy, 948, against Norwich, 939; Michigan Agricultural, 971, against Minnesota, 952; California, 938, against Illinois, 935; Cornell, 964, against Washington State, defaulted.

Class B—Pennsylvania, 957, against Worcester Polytechnic, 937; Vermont, 923, against Dartmouth, 902; Princeton, 882, against Wisconsin, 857; Notre Dame, 926, against Oklahoma Agricultural, 943; Maine, 435, against North Georgia Agricultural, 917.

Class C—Mississippi Agricultural, 799, against Rhode Island State, 791; Yale, 889, against Arizona, 871; Michigan, 867 against Washington, 777; Kansas State Agricultural, 880, against Idaho, 736; Nebraska, 946, against Lehigh, defaulted.

Fultz Fears Players Bottled Up in A. A. if Exempted from Draft

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—"I would consider exempting the American association from draft a detriment to the members of the Players' fraternity now in that league, unless the American association would operate as a full major league, with all major rights and paying major league salaries," David Fultz, president of the Base Ball Players' fraternity, said here tonight.

"Should the draft be eliminated from the association and it should continue to operate under its present rating, it would mean a lot of players would be bottled up in that league, with very little chance to advance in their profession.

"Each year eight players are drafted from the American association, but the draft brings up a good many other players. Class AA clubs are continually in fear that they will lose a valuable man in the draft for $2,500, so they sell him before the drafting season."

Bellevue Men Get Sweaters.

Bellevue "B's" were presented to fifteen foot ball men in chapel Friday morning by Prof. Evans, chairman of the athletic board of control. These men played in one-half of the games during the season.

A "For Sale" ad will turn second hand furniture into cash.