

SPORTING NEWS



Alliance Wins Out With Majority of 89 Points in an Entirely One Sided Game with Crawford

ALLIANCE 96; CRAWFORD 7

By J. CARL THOMAS

Before the basket ball game between the Alliance and the Crawford boys last Saturday night, Alliance enthusiasts expected to see the local team win, but were greatly surprised when the Alliance boys piled up a score of 96 points, which was the highest score ever made on the High School floor. Every game that has been played between Alliance and Crawford has resulted in Alliance winning victories with about ten points to their credit to every single point made by their opponents. Crawford was reported as having a stronger team than usual this year, but if such was the case, failed to exhibit that said strength. Although a one-sided game, it was interesting and exciting from start to finish.

The A. H. S. boys started the game in their usual fast style, sweeping the Crawford quintet off their feet, and scored eighteen points before their opponents had once dropped the ball through the basket. At this time one of the Crawford guards managed to come in contact with the ball and threw the first goal for the visitors.

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within ten seconds three baskets were scored. After about ten minutes had elapsed in this half two of the Alliance substitutes were given places, Young taking Beach's place, and Davenport taking the place of Graham. Crawford also changed two men in their lineup at this time. For a time there was a slack in the basket shooting of the local team. But the score continued to increase until 96 points were credited to Alliance. Remington, one of the men substituted, scored Crawford's only basket in this half, making a total of 7 points for the Crawford boys. The Alliance team made great efforts to push the score above the 100 mark, but the intense excitement caused wild shots for the basket and the score remained unchanged.

A small group of sympathetic Alliance girls attempted to encourage the players from Crawford by cheering for them.

Following is the summary of the game:

Baskets: Darnell, 8; Graham, 3; Spacht, 16; Beach, 12; Keegan, 4; Young, 3; Davenport, 1; Gammon, 1; Remington, 1. Fouls: Darnell, 2; Balengee, 3. Awarded point, Alliance 1. Referee: 1st half Hays, 2nd half Nolan.

Lineup

ALLIANCE	CRAWFORD
Beach	Johnson
Young	left forward
Spacht	Balengee
Darnell	center
Keegan	Gammon
Graham	Diehl
Davenport	Macomber

MARTIN FOUND GUILTY

Ton failed to get his eye on the basket. After Alliance had piled up several more points Darnell obtained a chance to shoot a free goal but missed. Immediately after this a double foul was called, which was missed by the Crawford man, but was made by Darnell. Alliance was also awarded a point when this foul was thrown, and the score at this point of the game stood 28 to 2.

After five additional baskets made by Alliance another foul was called on Keegan, and was this time made by Balengee. There were several exciting plays made during the game. The ball thrown from the field by Darnell at one time in the first half of the game perched itself upon the rim of the basket as if deliberating upon which team to favor finally rolled over the outer edge. Late in the first half two fouls were called on Keegan in quick succession, both of which were thrown by the Crawford man. Although not necessarily rough, Keegan has a way all his own of making players scatter like pins in a bowling alley. He was the only offender on the Alliance team in making fouls, but bravely took his medicine when Referee Hays called a foul on him, and in one instance was standing at the Crawford goal

The jury in the case of Milo Martin on trial at Gering for assault on the person of Edna Kilgore brought in a verdict of guilty after hearing a mass of testimony somewhat conflicting. Attorney Mitchell of Alliance, who defended Martin, was able to make a fierce and rather plausible defense but was not able to break all the links in the chain of evidence forged by the prosecution, and after being out nearly all of Wednesday night the jury reported a verdict of guilty. Sentence was deferred. —Minatare Free Press.

GETTING OUT NEW DIRECTORY

The job printing department of The Herald plant spent a good portion of this week getting out the new telephone directories. Because of the many changes in this new directory, caused by the installation of the new exchange, it was necessary to entirely re-set all the names and other matter used therein. The job was put through on record time. The Nebraska Telephone Company is placing a new directory with every phone in order to avoid confusion when the change to the new system is made.

NOTICE TO ALL USERS OF CITY ELECTRIC LIGHTS

On and after this date, all electric light and power bills will be payable at the office of the City Light and Water Department at the City Hall, Alliance, Nebraska, and there will be no more collections either at business houses or residences. Statements will continue to be delivered or mailed to users of electric lights about the middle of each month, as at present. Discounts will be allowed on month's bills if paid on or before the twenty-second of the month.

Alliance, Nebr., February 7, 1913.

W. O. BARNES, Mayor.

I. O. O. F. ENCAMPMENT CONTEST

The members of the I. O. O. F. Encampment are divided into two teams for a contest for new members. The contest started last Friday evening and will last for sixty days. At the end of that time the losing side will give a banquet for

Keegan sketched on his way to Alliance territory with the ball

waiting for a foul to be called even before the whistle was blown. And if an opposing player would linger in his path and the next moment find himself sprawling on the floor. Keegan was ever willing to stop and smile and express his sympathy for that player.

"Bud" Darnell played a star game and easily out-jumped his opponent in the center position. Beach and Spacht, who held down the forward positions, gave an exhibition of team work that would make some of the former A. H. S. stars sit up.

Graham, guard, is credited with two baskets in the first half. Kee-

gan, guard, 1; Darnell, 3; Spacht, 8; and Beach 9. The score at the end of this half was 54 to 5.

During the ten minute intermission between the halves the spectators witnessed a game by the two children of E. G. Laing, who will be on some future team of the High school and help Alliance to hold her claim to the championship of this end of the state.

The second half began with remarkably fast playing. Darnell scoring immediately after the whistle of Referee Nolan. This speedy work of the Alliance boys continued and



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REPORTS OF CITY OFFICERS

Report of police magistrate for January, 1913:

Fines	\$50.00
Marshal fees	21.00
Total	71.00
Report of city treasurer for January, 1913:	

Receipts

Balance Jan. 3, 1913	417.12
Miscellaneous	40.95
Marshal fees	60.90
Interest	4.27
Water	978.01
Lights	5509.39
Total	7010.64

Disbursements

Water	978.01
Lighting	5509.39
Balance Febr. 4th	523.24
Total	7010.64

Registered warrants not paid for lack of funds

7768.72

Receipts from city scales for January

7.95

Surety bonds of William C. Mounts and L. E. Pilkington, treasurer and secretary of Fire Department, for \$500.00 each, were approved and filed for record.

The following claims were received and ordered paid:

W. O. Barnes, salary mayor	16.67
J. D. Emerick, salary clerk	25.00
Percy Cogswell, sal. treasurer	25.00
J. H. Carlson, salary street commissioner	75.00
C. A. Laing, salary day marshal	125.00
E. M. Nussbaum, salary street sprinker	95.00
Gregory Zurn, salary janitor	25.00
C. W. Jeffers, salary night marshal	80.00
C. W. Jeffers, scavenger work	7.25
Alliance Semi-Weekly Times, publishing and printing	10.10
E. S. Owens, stove for pest house	2.50
J. R. Snyder, hauling hose carts	4.00
J. B. Denton, dishes for pest house	2.65
City Light Dept., street lamps	14.59
Stephen Jackson, killing and burying dogs	10.00
City Light Dept., street and City Hall lighting	287.88
Gray & Guthrie, bond premiums	7.00
Geo. G. Gadshay, supplies for pest house	40.35
M. S. Hargraves, fee bill	13.50
A. Renwold, repairs fire whistle	5.50
R. E. Knight, staking grades	14.80
E. H. Boyd, salary city attorney	20.83
Geo. Popp, labor	2.25
R. H. Hohenfeld, labor	1.00
C. S. Owens, hauling hose carts	1.00
John Wallace, do	2.00
Henry Hilzer, do	1.00
Dye & Owen, drayage	1.00
N. T. Shawver, reeling fire hose	1.00
August Hornburg, do	1.00
H. P. Large, do	1.00
O. A. Granum, labor	4.50
H. P. Large, reeling fire hose	1.00
Alward & Threlkeld, disinfecting	13.00
Water Department, month ending Jan. 15, 1913:	

Summary of Cash Book DR.

Overdrawn 1-15-13	\$1301.13
Water	213.73
Merchandise	35.60
	\$1550.36

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Overdrawn 12-15-12	\$1047.51
Mat. and sup.	1.20
Cost of pumping	250.00
Maint. of pump equip.	74.90
Maint. of distribution	.75
Pump equipment	90.00
Salaries	80.00
Office sup. and exp.	6.00
	\$1550.36

Income Account

Total operating revenues	249.23
Total operating expense	412.85

163.62

Equipment

99.00

Overdrawn

253.62

Overdrawn 12-15-12

1047.51

Overdrawn Jan. 15, 1913

1391.13

Light Department, month ending Jan. 15, 1913:

Summary of Cash Book DR.

Cash on hand Dec. 15-12

\$2517.75

Light

2009.23

Power

122.34

Service deposits

75.00

Lamps

221.03

Merchandise

534.63

Lighting streets

212.81

Pumping

250.00