

# Days of SPORT

## Many Good Games Sunday in the County League

The attendance at the county league baseball games has been gradually increasing, and a great deal of interest is being shown in the race. Berea has a good lead for first place, but evidently a real battle will be staged for second, as four teams are now tied for this place. Berea, the leader, will battle the Red Sox on the Red Sox diamond. The Red Sox have been playing good ball, but are not very high in the standing. A win Sunday would give them a substantial boost, while Marple will also put up a real battle to stay in first place. Snake Creek will play Pleasant Hill. Snake Creek is one of the teams in the second place, while Pleasant Hill, although playing good ball seems to be unable to climb in the race. Lawn will play at Ash Grove. Both of these teams are tied for second, and the winner will maintain that place while the loser will take a decided set-back. This should be one of the best games on the list. The games will help greatly to break the standing ties, and the teams will be more easily doped. This Sunday presents a list of games unequalled by any so far. Any of the four should be a great contest.

## Tendler Will Fight Leonard July 20, at Jersey City Arena

Lew Tendler, the port-side lightweight will soon have a crack at Benny Leonard's lightweight title if plans now made should go through, as Tex Rickard has matched these two for July 20 at Jersey City. The match has been made a no-decision affair, the title being in no danger unless Tendler should connect with a hay-maker and put Benny down for the count, which from past performances on the part of Benny, seems unlikely. Leonard has another match lined up in which he has everything to gain and nothing to lose, for he may soon

fight Jack Britton for the welter-weight title. The venerable Britton may prove easy for a hard-hitting and youthful fighter like Benny, while because of the weight conditions Leonard's title is in no danger at all.

Should Benny win he would hold two titles at the same time, but he would probably soon vacate the lightweight title, for it is reported that he will have the greatest difficulty to make the weight. He may try to pass on his present belt to his brother should he acquire another, although Tendler is the logical candidate. Any such attempt, unless Joey Leonard should greatly distinguish himself would be greeted about as joyfully as France greeted the German invasion. At that Joey is reported to be able to hold his own with the best of them.

## Mrs. Mallory Loses in English Match to Mrs. Beamish

Mrs. Mollo Bjurstedt Mallory, the American tennis star, lost to Mrs. Beamish, England's pride, in the third round of the Middlesex championship. The sets were 6-0, 1-6, 6-4, which seems to show a strange reversal of form with both players, each winning a set with great ease. This apparently makes Mrs. Mallory's chances to defeat Suzanne Lenglen much slimmer, for the French marvel has won easily from all of the European players. Mrs. Mallory was regarded as the only possible woman player with a chance to beat Mlle Lenglen. Each of these two has a victory over the other, the latter going to Mrs. Mallory after a rather unsatisfactory match. Mlle Lenglen allowing her temperament to overcome her when it seemed certain that she would lose, and professing illness which prevented her from finishing the match. The other match, which was won by the French star was finished, Mrs. Mallory's supporters claiming that she was far off her game from constant play, and unable to make a "root" showing. Should Mrs. Mallory be in good form when she meets Suzanne, the match will decide a long-standing question.

## American Legion Notes

"FACTS—NOT OPINIONS"

The American Legion auxiliary, Nebraska department, through the aid of the unit historians, is compiling a history of the world war, to be filed in connection with the history prepared by the legion, soon to be published. Mrs. Kate S. Bryant of Hartington, state historian, already has completed a history of the state organization, which will fill a large volume with souvenirs and clippings.

"A bulletin has been mailed to all unit historians giving suggestions and instructions as to the writing of the unit histories," says a statement from auxiliary headquarters. "It is the purpose of the auxiliary to compile an authentic history of the world war, similar to that prepared by the legion, and will consist of a volume from each individual unit and also a general history for each state.

"The records of the unit historian will give a complete statement of every legionnaire's participation in the war, and also include copies of letters, extracts from dairies written while in service, copies of orders and citations, and like information.

"It is our intention to co-operate with local historical societies and libraries in every way, in order to make the history as complete and authentic as possible. The unit historian will make three copies of all records, one for each national headquarters, the state historical society and for the unit history."

The committee appointed several months ago to compile a history of the world war has virtually completed its labors and the volume soon will be ready for distribution, according to Frank B. O'Connell, state adjutant, who originated the plans for the history. This history will not only contain a complete review of the legion's activities in the state and war, but the activities of all relief and welfare organizations, patriotic societies, local boards, army and navy troops, movements, personnel and similar data.

## BLACKROOT

Miss Fairy Murray closed a very successful school year in district 31, May 26. The children were glad that the school was out but they hated to see their teacher leave.

Mrs. Joe Romer motored to Alliance Friday to get her daughter, Mabel, who was attending school there.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Farrell motored to Harrison one day last week.

Mrs. George Flaherty was an Alliance visitor Friday and Saturday.

The little daughter of Al McCarty is very sick at this writing.

Ella Lance has been working at the L. L. Dyer place for the past week. Edmund Flaherty returned home from Vermillion, Kas., last Saturday. He has been attending school at that place.

The ball game between Lawn and Pleasant Hill last Sunday was won by Lawn although it was a very close game for a while.

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## HEMINGFORD

The funeral of Donald and Virgil Rager, two brothers, the sons of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Rager, was held at the Methodist church in Hemingford on Saturday, May 27, at 2 o'clock. Rev. A. J. May, the pastor, conducted the service. The songs used were "Rock of Ages," "I Shall Know Him," and "Asleep in Jesus." Mesdames Paul Armstrong and Alex Muirhead and Messrs. Michaels and Reeves sang and Mrs. G. M. Jenkins at the piano. There was an unusually large attendance which indicated that the bereaved family had the sympathy of the entire community. The boys, ten and twelve years old respectively and were chums together always playing and working together and were laid to rest in the same grave.

The Memorial day exercises were well attended on Tuesday and the weather was not so bad as usual. The opera house was crowded to the limit at 10:30 and the exercises were in charge of H. D. Wells, commander of the American Legion post. Special music, readings and the obituary of Archie Nichols was rendered and then Mr. Griswold of Gordon gave a very remarkable address. It was not long but to the point in every word. The graves were decorated at the cemetery in the afternoon and appropriate exercises held for the dead in other places.

Word from Mrs. A. J. May and daughter who is visiting in Illinois comes that she is having a splendid

time with her people and that she is feeling better but about ready to come home. She says there is no place like home. She will probably be home within two or three weeks.

Rev. A. J. May preached the Memorial sermon at the Methodist church last Sunday morning. It was a union service and Rev. Mr. Cox assisted in the service. Adrian Clark and Kenneth Pruden rendered a very fine saxophone selection. The G. A. R. members the Legion members and the members of the auxiliary attended in a body.

Rev. W. H. Cox went to Hyannis and delivered the Memorial address at that place on Memorial day.

Dr. and Mrs. O. S. Baker returned Tuesday night from the west.

Amos Halle has rented a part of the W. D. Johnson farm and is planting it to potatoes.

Rev. A. J. May went to Hyannis on Tuesday of last week and delivered the county eighth grade graduation address. He reported a splendid and appreciative audience, to enjoy the entire program.

Mrs. Fauntine Black who has been teaching at Lusk, Wyo., for the past school term is home for a few days' vacation. Mr. Black was not able to come at present on account of business but intends to drive down from Chadron for Mrs. Black.

Fay Clark had the misfortune to break a bone in his wrist while practicing vaulting. He is getting along well but the doctor says he will not be able to use it for a month or more. Alison Johnson, who has been teach-

ing in the schools at Hyannis this year, came home on Saturday of last week and will be at home for the week, when he will go to Chadron to attend the state normal this summer.

Another good rain fell in the Hemingford community Thursday of this week, and the farmers are detained for a day or so in planting.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Potmesil and Mrs. C. F. Wahl were Alliance visitors Wednesday of this week.

Mrs. Ross Eneyart and Mrs. A. S. Eneyart were in Alliance Wednesday. Miss Murie Pollard who is employed in the Lockwood store left for a visit to her home in Theford on Thursday of this week. She expects to be away for about three weeks when she will return to Hemingford and resume her duties at the store.

Mr. Moses, who lives in the eastern part of the state but owns land here, was in town the first of the week looking after business and left for Wyoming on Thursday. He expects to return in a week or so.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark and son, Adrian, and Rev. A. J. May drove to Alliance in the former's car on Wednesday.

The ladies of the Methodist church served a chicken dinner at the church on Memorial day and the receipts were something over \$100 and everybody had all they wanted to eat.

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## THE SKEPTIC.

(Life.)

The skeptic turned over a new leaf. He gave some flowers to a peddling woman. Her eyes filled as she whispered, "God bless you."

He wandered into the art gallery. Before the great masterpiece sat an artist, drooping head in hands. Quietly he spoke:

"He had dark hours, too, the great master."

The bowed head lifted. "Friend," the artist said, "you urge me on anew. God bless you."

He walked out beyond the city streets. Under the blazing sun an Italian laborer sang as he swung his pick.

"Bravo! Bravo," applauded the skeptic.

"Ah, signor. God bless you," said the Italian.

He wandered on to open fields, green meadows and tricking streams. He breathed it in ecstatically. After all, perhaps the world was good.

A little white ball came rolling over the hill. It glinted in the sun as it lay idle at his feet. Straggling into view came a group of men and small boys. Obviously it was their ball. The skeptic picked it up and ran gayly towards them.

"Blast you!" shouted the advance guard of the approaching army. "Put that ball back where you found it and get the h— off this golf course!"

The skeptic moved on silently. He was still a skeptic.

# Public Sale

As I am leaving this climate on account of my health, I will sell at public auction, on the Rochford ranch, 6 miles south of Ellsworth, and 9 miles southeast of Lakeside, on

## Wednesday, June 7

Commencing After Free Lunch at Noon

THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PROPERTY, TO-WIT:

## 75--HEAD OF CATTLE--75

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- 25 cows and calves
- 18 milch cows
- 3 dry cows
- 5 cows, fresh soon

Balance are yearling steers, yearling heifers, and two-year-old steers and two-year-old heifers.



## 25--Head of Horses--25

These are mixed horses, work and saddle, from geldings up to eight-year-olds. Some are broke and some not.

## FARM MACHINERY

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| 2 McCormick mowers | 1 16-inch breaker                   | 2 saddles                   |
| 1 McCormick rake   | 1 14-inch John Deere Stir-ring plow | 1 hay rake and wagon        |
| 1 Dain hay stacker | 1 separator                         | 1 fanning mill              |
| 2 sweeps           | 5 sets of harness                   | 1 1/2 h. p. Dempster engine |
| 1 14-inch breaker  |                                     |                             |

## Household Goods and Miscellaneous

A quantity of household goods too numerous to mention. 20 bushels of sweet Clover seed. Six dozen chickens. Three hen turkeys.

TERMS—All sums under \$50.00 cash; over that amount a credit of 6 months' time will be given on good security bearing 10 per cent interest. Parties desiring credit will arrange for same before sale. No property to be removed until settled for.

## MARTIN ROCHFORD, Owner

Col. Harry Coursey, Auctioneer, Alliance

C. M. Barnaby, Lakeside State Bank, Clerk.



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