California University Challenges Nebraska Cornhuskers to Dual Track Meet

Rickard Buys Option on Jack for Six Days

New York, Jan. 25.—Jack Kearns, manager of Jack Dempsey, today signed an option with Tex Rickard under the terms of which Kearns agreed not to enter into any contracts involving the heavyweight champion for a period of six days ending February 1.

The agreement, which bars Kearns from accepting, but not from receiving further fight offers for the stipulated period, was signed in the presence of newspaper men late this afternoon after a four-hour conference between the promoter and the titleholder's manager. The latter received $1,000 to sign the option.

Rickard said he would suggest terms for probably two fights during the summer, Dempsey's opponents to be selected by him from the four men he considered to be the leading challengers. These four, he said, were Harry Wills, Jess Willard, Louis Firpo and Tom Gibbons.

Kearns reiterated his insistence that Wills be included as one of the champion's opponents under any contract he signed, but Rickard, while declining to commit himself definitely, indicated he favored Willard as Dempsey's first opponent, and either Gibbons or Firpo as the second, providing the champion again conquered the giant Kansan.

The promoter declared he would prefer to stage the first contest June 30 and the second probably on Labor day.

Tearney Arranges to Land Pueblo

Chicago, Jan. 24.—Al R. Tearney, president of the Western league, returned yesterday from his jaunt to Pueblo, Colo., where he arranged the ground plans for the taking over of the Sioux City franchise. After dickering for several days with the interested parties Tearney was informed that more than half of a guarantee pot had been suscribed by business folks. No trouble is anticipated in gathering in the balance.

Tearney intends to call a meeting of the league for next Monday or Tuesday at Kansas City, Mo., and the Pueblo backers expect to be there with their pot of gold. If they fail to produce at that time, it may be necessary to look around for a new spot to plant the homeless franchise.

Amateur Champion of Omaha Will Be Picked in Fights

Who is the 118-pound amateur boxing champion of Omaha?

Here's a chance for him to win a medal and a trip to St. Louis with all expenses paid.

Jake Isaacson, director of athletics for the American Legion, today received a message from the Municipal Athletic association of St. Louis seeking to arrange a match between the 118-pound amateur champ of Omaha with St. Louis' champion in the same class, the bout to be held in St. Louis.

So Isaacson has decided to uncover the identity of the Omaha champion by a series of elimination contests which will be held at the Business Men's gymnasium Saturday and Monday.

Entries should be sent to Isaacson at the American Legion office in the court house. Any amateur who can weigh in at 118 or less is eligible to take part in the eliminations. The winner will be sent to St. Louis.

Minor Star a Holdout.

President Miles of the Nebraska State league will ask for a larger salary for league umpires when state league moguls meet at Lincoln next month.

The chief executive hopes that by paying a better wage the league can secure arbiters who will stick. The league finished the season of 1922 with an entirely new corps of umpires. Second-rate umpires and the continuous changing caused a great deal of trouble that it is hoped will be eliminated.

Kearney to Stage Tourney

Kearney, Neb., Jan. 25.—The Kearney Teachers' college, supported by the Chamber of Commerce and other civic organizations, is interested in the promotion of a huge basket ball tournament to be held in this city on March 1, 2 and 3. High schools of central and western Nebraska will be asked to participate. Last year a district tournament was held and brought out 18 schools.

WITH THE PUGS

Joe Burman, one of Chicago's leading contenders for the bantamweight title, and Patsy Flannigan of St. Louis are hard at work for their 10-round clash to be staged by the Blackhawk Post before a west side suburban club on Monday night. The post will also present two new faces in Billy Stearns of Minneapolis and Joie Dalley of Erie, Pa.

Sammy Mandell, Rockford 124 pounder, who will meet Stewart McLean at Minneapolis on February 1, resumed training at the Arcade. Mandell had the cast removed from his injured right thumb and believes it will be well enough to use by February 1. He will not do any boxing until the first of the week.

Sailor Freedman is training industriously at the Arcade for his 10-round bout with Joe Jawson of Milwaukee at East Chicago on February 5. Manager Dick Curley is receiving plenty of offers from the east for Freedman but will not close with any until after the Jawson affair.

Johnny Meyers, middleweight wrestling champion and his manager Larney Lichtenstein leave for the coast next week. Meyers is slated to engage in eight shows along the Pacific coast saboard. His first match will be with young Sandow in Los Angeles on February 6. Manager Litchenstein is planning a busy summer campaign and already has tentative engagements in a number of the larger cities in the middlewest.

Entries Close for City Pin Meet Feb. 25

The annual city bowling tournament to be held in Omaha, March 4 to 9, inclusive, will be divided into two classes, A and B.

Bowlers with an average of 170 or more must compete in class A, and under 169 in class B. This is applicable to the singles.

In the doubles, if the total of the two men's highest average totals 340 or more, they will be put in the A class and all those of 339 or less in the B class.

In the team events, the total average of five men equalling 850 assigns them to A class and averages under 850 puts them in the lower division.

Entry fees in each division will be used as prize money. In addition to cash prizes, medals will be awarded the winners of the team, doubles, singles and all events championships by Armour & Co. and Paxton-Gallagher company.

The five-man team events will be rolled at the Omaha Alleys and the doubles and singles on the Farnam pathway. All matches will be staged at night.

An entry fee of $15 will be charged for the five-men teams if a member of the association, and $17 for non-members; $6 for a set of doubles and $3 for singles.

Entries close at midnight February 25.

Western Moguls Meet Monday

Transfer of the franchise from Sioux City to Pueblo, thus rounding out an eight-club circuit for the coming season, will be made next Monday when the Western league magnates meet at Kansas City, President Al Tearney announced yesterday on his return to Chicago from Pueblo.

Tearney reports that more than half the sum sought by the Pueblo business men to buy and operate the club has been raised and he anticipates that the remaining amount will be obtained before Monday's meeting.

The Pueblo club will be operated by a syndicate of business men on the same plan on which the Joplin club manipulated when it was a member of the Tearney loop.

With the eighth club obtained, the magnates will draft the schedule for the coming season.

Barney Burch, Omaha magnate, will attend.

Joie Ray Will Quit Cinder Path

Chicago, Jan. 25.—Joie Ray of the Illinois Athletic club, record holder in the mile-run, announced tonight that he will retire from track competition at the end of the present indoor season. He will devote his time to business, he said.

Ray plans to leave Monday for the east to participate in meets at Newark, New York and Boston, Charles A. Dean, chairman of the Athletic committee of the Illinois Athletic club, declared today in announcing that Ray had been reinstated to good standing in the Central A. A. U.

South to Leave Today on Trip

Coach James Patton's South High school cagers will leave this morning for Geneva, where the Packers play the Geneva High in the evening. Saturday, South meets Sutton on the latter's court.

Russell Graham, South's captain who has been out of the lineup for several days because of an injured knee, is expected to get into the harness this week.

Clark, Wedberg, Reeves, DeVry, Katzman, Bevington, Sutton and Graham will accompany Coach Patton on the two-day trip.

Leaguers Sail for U. S.

Honolulu, Jan. 25.—The baseball team composed of major league players, which has been touring the far east and which has just concluded a series of games here, sailed today for San Francisco.

Omaha Golf "Shark" Plays Chick Evans on Indoor Course

SAM REYNOLDS doesn't care much for golf when the grass isn't green. But the Omaha cracK couldn't resist an invitation to shoot a round of indoor golf with the famous Chick Evans and Bob McDonald the other day when he was in Chicago on a business trip.

Sam Reynolds.

The indoor course is an 18-hole affair built by McDonald and it is really an interesting indoor course, according to Reynolds. McDonald has ingeniously constructed bunkers, sand traps and water hazards to distinguish it from the ordinary indoor course. A niblick is used to on a successful pitch over the bunkers, the ball pitch dropping into soft carpeting.

"Evans just happened to drop in that day to look over the course, and so did I," said Reynolds. "McDonald won. He built the course."

The Come Back-Ache Ward - - By Ed Hughes

JESS WILLARD, a 265-pound gentleman on the threshold of middle age, is with us priming himself for a fistic "comeback." This "comeback" caper of fighting men long past their prime almost unfailingly culminates with a violent attack of "comebackache." The "comebackache" is a malignant malady long associated with the ring. Like most of our worldly ills, it could easily be avoided with a little precaution. But somehow or other the tin earsmiths, whose pugilistic systems, along with their prestige, have become run down, persist in courting the ache.

They mean to come back, but usually get only as far as the back. They are reposing on that member when the crowd is putting on its coats and looking "for the exit nearest you." The comeback and the "comebackache" are as close to each other as one minute to the next one. Yes, closer.

The recipe for avoiding the "comebackache" is a simple and highly effective one—keep out of "comeback" draughts, and avoid the muddy street crossing to the Queensberry corner. Old Doc Time has handed the prescription to the best of them for rundown punching systems. Very few ever had it filled, though.

Take a stroll through the "comebackache" ward of the Leather Pushers' hospital.

In the wheelchairs, from left to right: Jim Corbett, who tried to "comeback" against Jeffries; Bob Fitzsimmons, who tried it against the same chap; Jim Jeffris, who contracted his "comebackache" at Reno against Jack Johnson; Tommy Burns, who got his against Joe Beckett.

There are a bunch of others with distorted faces and second-hand backs, too. Charlie Weinert, who met Gene Tunney only a short time ago, is on hand. So is Jimmy Britt, who tried to "comeback" after being lightweight champion and permitted Johnny Summers, the Englishman, to knock him out. Young Corbett is a chronic "comebackache."

Jack Dillon, once of the hale and hearty, is in the cricky picture. So is Willie Ritchie, Johnny Coulon, Sam Langford and Eddie McGoorty. But no more. This was supposed to be a stroll, not a census.

Jess Willard is reported healthy, though fat. Why inherit a "comebackache" and a wheelchair, Jess?

You'll be a heavy charge on the State (some State). It may be worth it to you, but not to us—either at $50 or $15 a seat.

Bemis Leads in Iowa Pin Meet

Des Moines, Jan. 25.—J. E. Bemis of Des Moines shot into the lead in the singles event of the state bowling tournament here last night with a score of 615. Two other local bowlers also went ahead of J. Sweeney of Sioux City, who had been leading since the tournament started.

The shooting of "Bill' Coffin and Irvin Eberhart in the doubles last night also was of a sensational nature, the two going into second place with a score of 1,224, just 4 points behind Thiesen and Johnson of Mason City.

Ed Wagle of Des Moines now is second in the singles with 609, and G. Dorman, also of Des Moines, is third, with 605.

Haufman and Bartos of Des Moines are tied with Vosneck and Nigg of Cedar Rapids, for fourth place in the doubles, with 1,175. Paulson and Aberhoeft of Davenport retain third place in the doubles, with 1,211.

The Utica clothiers of Des Moines retain first place in the five-man event.

Omaha Bowlers Enter Tourney

Eight teams of Omaha bowlers are entered in the International Bowling congress, which will be held in St. Paul beginning February 8.

The Omaha pin tumblers will roll on February 17 and 18, the last two days of the tournament.

These eight teams will take the trip:

Omaha Alleys, Nourse Oils, Blue Taxis, Murphy-Did-Its, Pete Lochs, H. F. Cady Lumbers and two Union Pacific teams.

The Omaha party will occupy two special Pullmans, leaving here at 9:15 on February 16 over the Northwestern.

Only two Omaha teams have entered to date in the American Bowling congress, the annual pin classic. These teams are the Omaha Alleys and the Nourse Oils. It is expected two more local quintets will enter before the lists are closed.

Geneva High Elects Track Team Pilot

Geneva, Neb., Jan. 25.—At a recent meeting of the track letter men, Walter Neil was elected captain of the 1923 squad. Neil is an expert in hurling, discus throwing, high jumping and putting the shot.

Letter men back are Sole, Warner, Schmidt, Picard, Uldrich, Stewart and Manning.

Other men who were out last year and will probably be on this season's team are Yates, Brown, Goold, Davis, Fisher, Isley and Propst. Walton and Martin are two valuable men in the weights and will try out.

Geneva High school will enter the Numeral Honor track events sent out by the state university under direction of Coach Schulte. Every contestant is given an opportunity to win a numeral.

Cousins Mat Foes at Lincoln Meet

Cousin will oppose cousin on the mat next Saturday night, when Captain Troutman of the Nebraska wrestling team wrestles Smith of Ames at a dual meet between the two schools. Both are in the 175-pound class.

The Husker and Cyclone matmen boast victories over Northwestern. Nebraska defeated the Purple wrestlers, 19 to 6, and Ames won, 30 to 19.

The Turf

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

HAVANA.

First Race—Five and one-half furlongs; 3-year-olds and up.
Carrure (McDermott) 6-1 5-2 6-5
Gowithim (Stutts) 4-1 2-1
Top Rung (Lilly) 6-5
Time: 1:08. Mrs. Grundy, Two Eyes, Josephine K., Dicknell, Clark M., Flying Orb, John Spohn and Doctor D. also ran.

Second Race—Five and one-half furlongs; for 3-year-olds and up:
Elmont (G. Williams) 7-2 6-5 3-5
Mary Mallon (W. Taylor) 5-2 6-5
Mambi (Hunt) 1-3
Time: 1:07 2-5. Adventuress, Hemlock, Good Enough, Humpy and Old Pop also ran.

Third Race—Three-quarters mile; 3-year-olds and up:
Last Chance II (Glick) 10-1 4-1 8-5
Runnan (Stutts) 6-5 3-5
Ras (Stutts) 2-5
Time: 1:13 2-5. Rockabye, Piegan, Chow and McLane also ran.

Fourth Race—One mile; 4-year-olds and up:
Short Change (Bell) .....5-1 5-2 even
Harold K. (Gross) 4-5 2-5
Medusa (Kirk) ..... even
Time: 1:37. Little Niece, Landslide, Burley, Bloomington, Marshall, Tilghman, Canso and Suez also ran.

Fifth Race—One mile:
Pretty Baby (Glick) 4-1 8-5 4-5
Bierman (Stutts) 5-2 6-5
Ferrum (Woodstock) 2-5
Time 1:41. Shingle Shack, Miss Dixie, Who Can Tell, Thos. F. McMahon and J. Alfred Clark also ran.

Sixth Race—One mile and 50 yards.
Prospector (Flick) ..... 3-1 even 1-2
Dainty Lady (W. Taylor) 8-5 3-5
King R. (Barnes) 3-1
Time: 1:45. Swift Cricket, Walter Turnbaugh, Mary Erb, Shortstop and Battle Mountain also ran.

NEW ORLEANS.

First Race—One mile and 70 yards; 3-year-olds and up:
Nuyaka (Corcoran) 18-5 3-5 7-10
Rupee (E. Pool) 4-5 2-5
June (Babin) 2-1
Time :1:47 1-5. Henry Dattner, Maggie Murphy, Recoup, Hermoelen, Walespa, Kitty Carpenter, Eulalia, Bonfire, Old Blue and Forestiere also ran.

Second Race—Three-quarters of a mile; 3-year-olds and up:
Hillsdale (Shillick) 13-5 6-5 3-5
Hegira (Corcoran) 3-1 8-5
Stamp (McDermott) 4-1
Time: 1:14 2-5. Mahony, William of Corotman, Brown Bill, Royal Dick, Delhi Maid, Moon Winks, Zoona and Trooper also ran.

Third Race—Purse, $1,000; for 3-year-olds and up; six furlongs:
Kirklevington (McDermott) ..4-1 8-5 4-5
Mountain Rose II (Schwartz) 8-1 4-1
War Pennant (Butwell) 2-1
Time: 1:14 3-5. You Need, Betty J., Ukase, Grayson, Springvale, Stock Pin and Radiant Rose also ran.

Fourth Race—Handicap; purse, $1,000; 4-year-olds and up; six furlongs.
Marvin May (Pool) .....11-10 1-3 out
Barracuda (Marinelli) .....9-2 even
My Reverie (McDermott) .....out
Time: 1:13 1-5. Wolfe's Cry and Boy from Home also ran.

Fifth Race—One mile:
Olynthus (Metimee) 7-5 1-2 1-5
Plucky (Chalmers) 3-1 7-5
Colando (Lang) 1-2
Time: 1:40 3-5. Last Effort, The Franciscan, Cap Rock, Tula-Lip and Hermis also ran.

Sixth Race—One mile and 70 yards:
Superbum (Mein) 13-10 2-5 1-5
Beach Beauty (Abel) 4-5 2-5
Al. Stebler (Smallwood) 4-5
Time: 1:41 3-5. Slanderer, Minnie B., Irish Pat, Rose Garden and Manicure Maid also ran.

Seventh Race—One and one-eighth miles:
Ettahe (Pool) 9-2 8-5 4-5
Jack Fairman (Frank) 15-1 6-1
Gen. Cadorna (Lang) 1-2
Time: 1:55 3-5. Cantilever, Phelan, Lord Herbert, The Wit, Nem McKinney, King Trojan and Tulsa also ran.

TODAY'S ENTRIES

First Race—Nursery purse, $1,000; 2-year-olds; three furlongs:
Will Land ..118 Gladys V. 103
Aunt Jane .....107 Edna V. 115
Easter Bonnet .103 Mike Morrissey.106
Vulareo .....106 Bamra 102
Black Gold ....118 Belle Isle 103
Worthmore ....106 Blotter 114
Jim Sanda ....106 Milton 106
Will Land and Worthmore—Worthington entry. Aunt Jane and Mike Morrissey—Daniel entry.

Second Race—Purse, $1,000; claiming; 3-year-olds; six furlongs:
Rork .....118 Alluring 110
Evelyn Sawyer .107 Child's Play 110
Hillshouse .....107 Poor Sport 110
Royal Crown ....107 Admirer 112
Reformer .....107 Punta Gorda ..109
Dearie .....107 Flying Boat ...109
Bigger Still ...109 C. A. Reinhardt..107

Third Race—Purse, $1,000; claiming; 4-year-olds and up; six furlongs:
Firecracker ....117 A. Alexander ..109
Alex H. .....106 May Bodine ...103
Orlova .....108 Canyon 114
Erskine Dale ..108 Sewell Combs ..113
Rekab .....108 Paul Micou 116
Belgian Queen .108 Co'edie D'Amour 98
Ablaze .....112 Tingling 105

Fourth Race—Purse, $1,200; Palace Theater; claiming; handicap; 3-year-olds and up; one and one-sixteenth miles.
Crack O'Dawn .115 Fannie Bean ..106
Wynnewood ....112 American Boy .114
Pastoral Swain .112 Copper Demon .114
Episode .....105 Louis A. 107

Fifth Race—Purse, $1,000; allowances; Sunny South; 3-year-olds; one mile:
All American ..102 Golden Crest .. 99
Bess L. .....94 Leslie 101
Major Carrell .. 99 Briand 99
Slanderer ..... 99 Majority 101
Edward Gray .. 99 Contour 107
Stump Jr. ..... 99 Brundel 101
Chiva 99
Sixth Race—Purse, $1,000; claiming; 4-year-olds and up; one mile and a sixteenth:
Ramkin .....113 Simplicity 95
Blue Brush ....100 Doughnut 99
Consort .....100 Tody 102
one D'Armee ..102
Seventh Race—Purse, $1,000; claiming; 4-year-olds and up; one mile and one-eighth:
War Victor ....110 Mormon Elder .107
Buxom .....100 Handfull 108
Radical .....101 Eternity 108
Bolster .....103 Solid Rock 108
Allero .....103 Little Ed 108
Moody .....103 Bally Bell 98
Exhorter .....107 Carmencita 100
Weather clear; track slow.

TIAJUANA.

First Race—$500; 4-year-olds and up: claiming; six furlongs:
xOnwa .....102 Fizer 106
xChoir Master..107 Lone Pirate 107
Haudie Wilson 110 Hanover's Topaz.112
xLena's Boy ...102 xPink Penney...105
Clearfield .....107 Kahanamie 107
Double Eye ....112 Cannon Ball 116
Second Race—$500; claiming; 3-year-olds and up; six furlongs:
xWild Brier ...100 xVelled Colleen 100
Clear Lake ....105 Gold Flush 107
Capsa Back ....107 My Laddie 112
xMarion Fluke 100 xYorksh'e Maid 100
Harrigan Maid 105 Old McKenna ..107
Emma Weller ..110 Joe Campbell ..112
Third Race—$500; claiming; 3-year-olds and up; six furlongs:
xMiss Cantata 100 xDalwood 102
xDora .....105 American Maid 105
Hop Over .....107 W. G. Dooley ..112
xHigh Olympus 102 xFickle Fancy 105
Ermitana .....105 xView 107
Bonzante .....107 Jazz 112
Fourth Race—$500; claiming; 3-year-olds; one mile:
Piquannaa .....107 Silver Maid 95
Sarah Cochran.. 97 Jolly Sailor 102
Poor Puss .....105 Jane A. 97
Red Planet 99
Fifth Race—$800; 3-year-olds; six furlongs:
Tule ..... 92 Cedric 100
Reap .....103 Paisley 118
Carlos Enrique . 99 Virginus 102
Jack Bauer....105
Sixth Race—$1,000; claiming; 3-year-olds and up; one mile:
Bowsprit ..... 90 xDorius 102
Cath. Marrone 107 Hyanpom 107
xRoisterer ..... 93 xDuc De Morney.102
xCrystal Ford ..107 Seraphim 114
Seventh Race—$600; claiming; 3-year-olds and up; 5½ furlongs:
xLobella .....108 xCorn Cutter ...110
North Shore ....113 Redman 115
Midian .....118 xPhilanderer ...110
xQuincy Ward..110 Little Point 113
Dr. Stevenson...115 xPoacher 110
Eye Bright ....112 Cancion 113
Nebraska Lad...110
Eighth Race—$600; claiming; 3-year-olds and up; 5½ furlongs:
xE. Williams...105 xAmackassin 110
Orleans Girl ...113 Bulfour 116
Count Boris ...115 xFond Hope 108
xLariat .....110 Duc De Guise...115
Rafferty .....116 xNeg 110
xKimono .....110 F. G. Corley 115
Rail Bird 115
Clear; muddy.

HAVANA.

First Race—3-year-olds, purse, $500, foaled in Cuba, 5½ furlongs:
Anna Novia .... 97 Vueltabajo 100
Virulilla .....106 Frank S. 118
Relox .....101 Veno 105
Havana Elec. 110
Frank S. and Havana Electric — Steinhart entry.

Second Race—4-year-olds, claiming, purse, $500, 6 furlongs:
Ostelle ..... 93 Miss Hope 96
Bridgette .....101 Valentine D'Or 107
Canny Lady . .108 Bobbed Hair ...110
Miss Merle ..... 96 Whispering 100
Mad Nell .....105 Nig 108
Blazing Fire ...110 Acosta 113

Third Race—3-year-olds and up, claiming, purse, $600, 5½ furlongs:
Miss Calthia ...102 Scurry 105
Different Eyes .107 Rass 110
San Diego .....110 Redmon 105
Puff Ball .....106 Carrie Moore ...106
Approval ....110 Apple Jack II 110

Fourth Race—3-year-olds and up, purse, $800; Blue Jacket's handicap; 5½ furlongs:
The Boy ..... 98 bethtown 120
Dr. Hickman ...104 Poe 113
Chief Sponsor . 109 Edgar Allen
Belle of Eliza-

Fifth Race—4-year-olds and up, claiming, purse, $500, 1 mile.
India ..... 95 man 110
Tom Norris ....105 Berretta 100
McLane .....110 Mary Erb 107
Hazel W. .....107 Hemlock 110
Bob Giles .....105 Fly Cast 100
Top Rung ....110 Our Maid 105
Marshal Tilgh- Parol 110

Sixth Race—4-year-olds and up, claiming, purse, $500, 1½ miles:
Ferrum .....109 Thos. F. McMahon 109
Johnny O'Connell .....109 Lebluet 104
Miss Rankin ...104 Ollie Palmer 109
Canso 114
Weather clear; track good.

Tillman Beats Nikols.

Johnny Tillman won the newspaper decision over Jimmy Nikols in a 10-round bout at Milwaukee last night.

Eile to Arrive in Omaha Today

Jack Eile, the Chicago featherweight, who will swap punches with Frankie Garcia of Memphis, Tenn., in the semi-windup of the Spanish War Veterans' boxing show at the Auditorium next Friday, was slated to arrive from the windy city this morning.

Eile will work out at the Business Men's gymnasium at 2:30 o'clock each afternoon until the day of the bout.

Morrie Schlaifer, who meets Billy Wells, English champion, in the main event, is training at the same gymnasium, but works at 2 o'clock each afternoon.

Wells, in the opinion of many boxing critics, is a second Mike Gibbons, because of his shiftiness and judgment of distance. Occording to those who have seen the Englishman in action, he weaves in and out and ducks punches by the narrowest of margins, confusing his opponents with his dazzling speed and boxing skill.

"Turk" Logan, the Creighton star athlete, may be Erwin Bige's opponent in the six-round bout on Friday's program, according to the promoters. Logan has decided to resume his professional boxing, which caused his suspension from amateur athletics at the university.

Eddie Loos Wins Southern Golf Title

Los Angeles, Jan. 25.—Eddie Loos Chicago and Los Angeles professional, won the open golf championship of Southern California today at Flintridge Country club, turning in a card of 291 for the 72 holes. Jock Hutchison, former British open champion, took second with a score of 282, and MacDonald Smith, former metropolitan open champion, was third with 295.

Abe Espinosa, Oakland, Cal., professional, was tied with Loos at the 63d hole and a large gallery followed the two players during the final play. Espinosa's chance to win the medal went aglimmering, however, when he missed several putts, boosting his total to 296.

Other low scores included John Black, Oakland, runner up in the last national open championship, 298; Tom Stevens, Minneapolis, 304; Chick Frasier, St. Paul, 306; W. Robinson, Philadelphia, 311; Maurice E. McLaughlin, Los Angeles, former world's tennis champion, 316; Arnold Statz, Chicago National league baseball player, 318.

Coast League After Becker, Western Ump

JOE BECKER of Joplin, Mo., who has worked the indicator in the Western league for the last two seasons, has been tendered a contract to umpire in the Pacific coast league by President William H. McCarthy. He will accept the job, it is understood.

James Ward, umpire in the Central league last season, has signed a coast contract and probably will be Becker's bracemate.

The two umps will replace Umpires Ted McGrew and Mal Eason, resigned.

Becker used to call balls and strikes in the American league.

Navy Champ Crowned.

Los Angeles—William J. Vincent of the U. S. S. Arizona, won the welterweight boxing championship of the navy when he defeated Emmet MacGowan of the U. S. S. Melville, in one of the bouts aboard the U. S. S. California.

Tillman Beats Nikols.

Milwaukee, Jan. 25.—Johnny Tillman, Minneapolis, won the newspaper decision here tonight in 10 rounds over Jimmy Nikols, Chicago.

Ruth Says He's in Fine Shape

New York, Jan. 25.—Babe Ruth, home run artist of the New York Americans, was back in New York today for further treatment of the finger on his left hand that was operated on last week for an infection. The great baseball slugger said he would remain here at least until Saturday.

Since retiring to the simpler life the bambino has disposed of 20 pounds and will be back in the best condition in which he ever has reported for a season's work when he joins the Yankee pitchers in the hot baths at Hot Springs next month, he said.

Babe believed that his winter in the country would completely heal the injuries to his left wrist and right knee, which he first sustained two years ago and which have troubled him since. The wrist was injured in breaking a fall in sliding and the knee was wrenched when he pivoted his great bulk in taking one of his stupendous swings at a pitched ball.

His wrist, Ruth said, does more in sending the ball a long distance than any other part of him.

Bellevue "Vets" Beat Fremont

Fremont, Neb., Jan. 25. — (Special Telegram.) — Bellevue Vocational school's undefeated cage quintet tacked another victory to its standard Wednesday by defeating the Fremont American Legion five by a score of 30 to 19. This is the fifteenth straight victory for the disabled vets.

The end of the first half found the Fremonters swamped by the score of 20 to 6, but in the last half the Bellevue squad was thoroughly outplayed when the Fremonters gathered 13 points to 10 for the visitors. The game was hard fought and brought out considerable roughness. Collins, Bellevue, and Eideam, Fremont, were put off the court for unnecessary roughness by Coach "Bob" Sisty, Columbus.

Shephard Wins in Cue Tourney

Harry Shephard won a hard-fought game from A. McNeill in the state cue tournament at the Holmes Recreation parlor last night. The final score of the game was Shephard 125 to McNeill 95. The contest was very close until the final two innings when Shephard emerged in the lead. Both players made some spectacular shots and played good pocket billiards. The high run in the game was 17 made by Shephard.

Tonight Ralph Stephen and Maurice Hines play. Stephen is the present state champion and Hines is leading the tourney with two games won and no losses.

Floyd Johnson to Meet Jim Tracy

New York, Jan. 25.—Floyd Johnson, Iowa heavyweight boxer, who aspires to a title match with Champion Jack Dempsey, was matched tonight to meet Jim Tracy of Australia in an eight-round bout in Philadelphia, February 12.

Star Strengthens Team

South High will be considerably strengthened for its two games this week by the presence of Russell Graham, star basket flipper and captain, in the lineup.

South will play Geneva High at Geneva Friday and Sutton Saturday.

In its last contest with Tech last Friday night, the Packers were minus the diminutive star, who was on the crippled list nursing an injured knee.

Eile a Punisher

"Not a terrific puncher, but oh, what a punisher."

That's what they say about Jack Eile, Memphis bantam, who will meet Frank Garcia of Chicago, in the semi-windup of the Spanish War Veterans' fight card Friday, February 2.

Eile is a junior featherweight and has fought such boys as Joe Burman, Johnny Buff, Sammy Mandell, Abe Attell Freedman, Abe Goldstein and Eddie Anderson

Husker Track Team Prepares for Conquests

Lincoln, Jan. 25.—California university has challanged the University of Nebraska to a dual track meet on the coast during the spring holiday vacation.

Coach "Indian" Schulte announces that the defy may be accepted if another meet can be arranged. This distance is too great and the expenses too high to justify the team making a trip to the coast for just one competion, he says.

The preliminary tryouts for a team to compete in the Kansas City Athletic club's indoor meet February 17, will be held Saturady afternoon. Coach Schulte wants 500 men on the criders from which to pick another Missouri Valley championship team. There are 15 letter-men around which to fashion the 1923 squad.

In the dashes, Dave Noble, Lukens, Layton and Ted Smith are available. Lukens also hurdles.

Maurice Gardner probably will handle the mid-distance events, while Coats will step the mile. Both these men were onthis season's cross-country team.

Wenke and Weller, both football men, will throw the discus and javelin, while Ced Hartman is ready to put the shot an dtake a turn with the discus.

Hob Turner will be maong the high jumpers, while Hatch wil again try for the board jump berth.

Four of the best letter-men are attending the Medical college at Omaha. Fischer and Slemmons, distance men; E. V. Allen, Miler and "King" Lear, hurdlers, comrpise this list. Familiar faces which will be missed from this year's squad are Ed Smith, captain of last years' team, and cracker of valley dash records; Beckord, Davidson, Deering, Herb Gish, Moulton and Andy Schoeppel.

Kennth Hawkins,, captain-elect, has not yet returned to school.

Cyclones Track Men Attend Illinois Meet

Ames, Ia., Jan. 25.—Seven Iowa State college runners left here this afternoon for Chicago, where they will compete in the Illinois Athletic club games tomorrow.

Brown will run in the high and low hurdles, Rathbun in the 600-yard race, Rathbun, Miller, McIntyre, Hammerly and Wolters in the two-mile feature relay against Notre Dame, and Beakley, who will act as a pacemaker for Wolters in the 600-yard race.

Wolters and Rathbun will compete in the Melrose games in New York next Monday.

In trials this week, Wolters broke the school record for the half mile by running it in 2:03 4-10.

Cotner and Wesleyans Play Home Games

Lincoln, Jan. 25.—Cotner and Nebraska Wesleyan basket ball teams are both playing home games this week. The Methodists kept their conference record unsoiled by winning over the Cotner Bulldogs Wednesday night, 35 to 13. The Peru Normal champions take on Cotner Friday night at Bethany, while University Place and Doane, both undefeated teams, are playing at University Place. Saturday night Chet Wynne's Midland basketeers play the Methodists at University Place.

Creighton Tracksters Begin Training Today

Aspirants for Creighton's track team will turn out this afternoon for the first practice session of the season.

Among the candidates who are expected to furnish the bulg of competition for the team are Mahoney, Paynter, Spittler, Gruenther, Nolan and "Diz" Brennan.

Coach Schabinger will have chargo of the squad.

Meets with "Big Nine" conference schools will be arranged.

Tunney Joins Gibson Stable of Knuckle Whirlers

New York, Jan. 25.—Billy Gibson, manager of Benny Leonard, world's lightweight boxing champion and other boxers, has added Gene Tunney, former American light heavyweight champion to his stable. Tunney broke off relations this week with Frank Bagley, his former manager, because he had not obtained a match with Floyd Johnson, heavyweight aspirant.

Jack Taylor Matched With St. Paul Heavy Wrestler

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 25.—Arrangements were completed today for a match between Jack Taylor, Canadian heavyweight wrestling champion, and Jack Freberg of St. Paul, to be held here February 2. Taylor defeated Freberg in their previous meeting.

Wesleyans Win.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 25.—Nebraska Wesleyan defeated Cotner college on the Bethany floor last night, the Methodists scoring 35 to Cotner's 13. Wesleyan took the lead from the start and held it until the end of the game, scoring nine field goals and seven free throws.

Irwin's Harry D Wins 11 Races in 15 Starts

Harry D, 9-year-old gelding, the son of Barsdale and Turnaway, has established a record which racing officials say is unique in American turf annals. Harry D Wednesday ran his 15th race at Tijuana this season and scored his 11th victory. He has run second twice and has been outside the money twice. The horse is owned by C. B. Irwin, Wyoming horseman.