

Up-to-Date News and Scissors of Interest to Sport Fans

Three Basket Contests on Tap Tonight

Marquette Plays Creighton and South Meets Preppen, While Omaha 'Y' Flips With Iowans.

GAMES TONIGHT.
Marquette at Creighton university.
Western Union at Omaha university.
Central High at Sioux City.
Creighton high against South at South.
Tech High at Lincoln.
Nebraska at Oklahoma university (Norman).

All Omaha basketball teams get into play tonight in scheduled contests. Three games are on the card for local courts, while two quintets meet on out-of-town floors.

The University of Nebraska team will flip the leather against the University of Oklahoma five at Norman tonight in a regular scheduled Missouri Valley game.

The three games on tap for Omaha tonight, the Marquette-Creighton university contest is by far the most important. The Milwaukee five will invade Creighton with a well-seasoned quintet and one that has lost one game out of 11 played to date.

Creighton has played one less game than Marquette. The Blue and White hoopers have engaged in 10 court engagements and have won nine of them by good margins.

Coach Schabinger of Creighton spent the week in teaching and preparing new players. These plays will be used against the Marquette cagers tonight, and if they are worked as well during the contest as they were in practice the spectators will see some pretty nifty basketball.

Schabinger will start Captain Lovely and Truman at forward positions with "Kee" Maloney doing the jumping act. Speicher and Paynter will be the watchmen.

Another important mix down on the schedule for this evening is the South-Creighton high game at South high. While this is a high school game and Creighton, by reason of its recent victory over Tech, is considered a big favorite, the Packers have spent a hard week practicing and are able to provide plenty of competition for the Preppen on the small court.

Tech high invades Lincoln tonight to play a return game with the "Links." The Maroon hoopers are out at reverse. Early in the season the Lincoln high five trimmed the Tech squad of the Creighton floor. This defeat at the hands of the Lincoln team still sticks in the throats of the Tech hoopers and tonight the Hammond charges expect to even up matters with outsiders.

Coach Hill and his squad of Central players will journey to Sioux City this morning where they meet the Sioux City high in a game there tonight.

Sioux City has a pretty strong team this winter and will not doubt give the Purple of Omaha plenty to worry about.

The Omaha University and Western Union play the second and final game of their series at the Pratt street gymnasium tonight.

Hoyt wants to stay with Yanks.

Bill Head Surprises Wiseacres



BILL HEAD, the stout and running son of Doncaster and Saddle King, owner of "Blackie" McCoolie, Omaha sportsman, upset the dope bucket down at the Tijuana track the other day and now "Blackie" is one happy bird.

High Grade of Basket Ball Being Played in Bee League

Benson 27, Bellevue 6, Columbia 13, Park 11, Madison 22, South Lincoln 8, Train 9, Cornelia 8.

Willard to Box Johnson May 12

New York, Feb. 8.—Jess Willard today on the road to a return bout with Jack Dempsey to whom the Kansas lost the world's heavyweight boxing championship in Toledo in July, 1919.

Willard is being permitted to meet Johnson in a 15-round bout at the new Yankee stadium, May 12, because the bulk of the proceeds will go to the milk fund of the mayor's committee of women, for which a charity bout annually is held under the direction of Tex Rickard.

The two boxers will get \$25,000 each, but, outside of the milk fund, they are about the only ones who will profit. And all of their pay—which is the minimum guarantee—will not be net profit as they will have heavy training expenses.

Johnson was to have met Tom Gibbons of St. Paul in Madison Square Garden, March 19, but this bout was called off last night.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 8.—Jess Willard, former heavyweight champion of the world, wants to appear in an exhibition bout at the International Amateur boxing tournament in Public hall here February 9.

A letter received by the promoter of the tournament from Willard's manager said that Willard would appear with a sparring partner for 25 per cent of the gross receipt, together with one-way traveling expenses for himself, manager and two seconds.

Willard offers to come on "one-way" tickets because the party desires to start a western tour here, but the promoter declared today the start would have to be made somewhere else.

Ebbets Will Retire From Baseball
New York, Feb. 8.—Charles H. Ebbets, owner of the Brooklyn National league baseball club, will retire from baseball as soon as he can sell the club, he declared on his arrival from Europe on the Olympic tonight.

Dempsey Plans to Take Father to Rochester, Minn.
Chicago, Feb. 8.—Jack Dempsey, on his arrival here today en route to Salt Lake City, where his 69-year-old father is reported seriously ill, said that if his father's condition permitted moving him, then he would take him to Rochester, Minn., to consult specialists. The elder Dempsey is ill with stomach trouble.

Scrambled Sports

By "Wag"

"KID" SCHLAIFER is going to be one busy bird this month if the plans of his manager, Pat Boyle materialize. Tonight the "Kid" will poke his padded fists in the direction of one Dave Shade.

That was some time ago. Schlaifer has improved a little since then; he handles himself better in the ring; knows a little more about boxing and uses both hands to good advantage.

Shade is one clever wretch. Just what he'll do to the "Kid" is Dunno, but he won't try to knock out Schlaifer. The "Kid's" head is hard. Shade might break his hand and if this should happen he would kill the goose that lays the golden egg, so to speak.

Following the Shade fight, Schlaifer is scheduled to meet Frankie Schoell in an Omaha ring. This bout is another 10-round mix down for February 15.

Schoell is a clever lad, but isn't blessed with the hitting power the "Kid" has. Judging from Schoell's fights in Omaha, he isn't very much of an aggressive fighter. Downey was the aggressor in the Schoell-Downey scrap and Shade was the aggressor in the Shade-Schoell mix.

On Friday, February 23, at Davenport, Ia., Schlaifer is matched with Johnny Karr, Jimmy Dunn's hard-hitting Cleveland welter. This Karr is one tough lulu. He's got a bad disposition while in the ring and has a reputation of being an aggressive welterweight.

This Karr can plunk a padded fist into a man's midsection with the next one and make him wince with pain, say the boys who have seen Karr in action.

KARR recently broke "Wildcat" Nelson of Brooklyn, one of the fiercest tough fellows of the welter ranks in the east. And in view of the fact that this same Nelson won from Mickey Walker, the welter champion, on a foul in the ninth round in New York sometime ago, goes to prove that Nelson is a real battler.

Karr has a good record. He has never been knocked off his feet and has boxed all the good boys in the welter and middleweight ranks, always giving eight or ten pounds out.

Johnny is a member of an American Legion post in Cleveland and during the recent world war served overseas with the 37th Ohio.

KARR was decorated for his bravery in the battle of Chateau Thierry. While a member of the A. E. F. Karr engaged in many of the fights that were staged after the armistice. He boxed on the same card with Bob Martin at Le Mans, France, when the latter won his last heavyweight fight before entering the A. E. F. finals in gay Paris.

Some of Karr's record follows: February 25, won, Johnny Strike, Cleveland, O., 10 rounds.
April 25, won, Johnny Rhea, Cleveland, O., 10 rounds.
May 25, K. O. by George Lewis, Sandusky, O., eight rounds.
April 5, won, Anthony Downey, Columbus, O., 15 rounds.
July 5, won, Anthony Downey, Covington, Ky., 12 rounds.
August 15, draw, Jack Perry, Columbus, O., 15 rounds.
September 15, won, Jack Perry, Canton, O., 12 rounds.
September 25, won, Johnny Tillman, Toledo, O., 12 rounds.

February 20, won, Pat Walsh, Zanesville, 12 rounds.
March 21, won, Phil Bloom, Akron, O., 12 rounds.
May 22, draw, Jack Malone, Columbus, O., 12 rounds.
July 18, won, Jack Malone, Columbus, O., 12 rounds.
August 16, won, Max Naton, Covington, Ky., 12 rounds.
September 16, won, Tilly Kid Mermann, Houston, Tex., 10 rounds.
October 16, won, Tilly Kid Mermann, Boston, Mass., three rounds. No contest—stopped by referee.
October 16, won, "Wildcat" Nelson, Brooklyn, N. Y., eight rounds.

Assumption—105 Blackstone, 107
Wolf Weather, 104 Elmer, 107
Beretta, 107 Far East, 110
Tiger, 107
Six furlongs: 2-year-olds; claiming, \$500.
Miss Maud, 100 Wida, 109
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Fourth Race—Five and a half furlongs: 2-year-olds and up; Swift handicap, \$500.
East View, 107 Edgar Allan Poe, 109
Dr. Henshaw, 109 Belle of Eliza, 122
Fifth Race—One and a half miles and up; claiming, \$500.
Augustine, 109 Valentin D'Or, 105
Our Maid, 106 Chov, 110
Lady Straker, 109 Acosta, 110
Tom Chance, 119 Max Ross, 107
Druspey, 107
Sixth Race—One mile and 70 yards: 2-year-olds and up; claiming, \$500.
Waterloo, 107 Brennan, 102
Miss Maud, 109 Valentin D'Or, 105
Our Maid, 106 Chov, 110
Lady Straker, 109 Acosta, 110
Tom Chance, 119 Max Ross, 107
Druspey, 107
Seventh Race—One mile and 70 yards: 2-year-olds and up; claiming, \$500.
Scourge, 111 King George, 104
Gr. Gaudery, 104 The Archer, 109
Freely Sneez, 104 Carmencia, 108
Bessie, 106 Jacobson, 107
Preston, 105 M. J. Bernadine, 102
Premier, 105 Foresters, 101
Jordan, 105 Maxie Jimmy, 101
Weather clear; track fast.

City Skate Champ to Defend Title



Frank Gallagher, whose specialty is winning skating tournaments, will be out to defend his title of city skate champion when the municipal ice meet is held.

Creighton Captain Expected to Make All-Conference Eleven

Creighton followers are predicting that Jimmy Lovely, captain of this year's cage squad, will be chosen all-conference forward in the North Central conference, of which Creighton is a member.

Lovely has shown unusual ability as a forward in the seven conference games Creighton has competed in. Against Schutte, stellar guard of South Dakota State, who probably will land a position on the mythical outfit, Lovely scored 22 points, and

Tryouts for Blue Track Team

Tryouts for the Creighton relay team that will run against the Haskell Indians at the annual Kansas City Athletic club indoor meet at Kansas City, February 17, were held by Coach Schabinger at the Blue gymnasium this afternoon.

O. A. C. Volley Ball Team Beats Bluffs

The Omaha Athletic club volleyball team beat the Council Bluffs "Y" sextet in a series of games last night at the club "gym." The clubmen took the first two games easily, but dropped the third. This necessitated playing another game, which the O. A. C. won. The scores of the four games were: 15 to 8, 15 to 9, 11 to 15 and 15 to 6.

Paul Murray Preparing to Stage Ring Comeback

Paul Murray is about to stage a comeback, he says. The evening of February 22 he will meet "Dynamite" Jackson of Nashville, Tenn., in a six-comb at Fort Omaha.

End California Tour

Los Angeles, Feb. 8.—Gene Sarazen, national open and professional golf champion, and Jack Hutchinson, British open champion in 1921, were to play their last game in California today before leaving for Arizona.

Beatrice Grid Schedule

Beatrice, Neb., Feb. 8.—Coach "Fish" Hughes has announced the 1923 football schedule for the Beatrice high school team as follows:
October 15—Topeka at Topeka
October 22—Pawnee at Pawnee
October 29—Omaha Central at Omaha
November 5—Beatrice at Beatrice
November 12—Alliance at Alliance
November 19—Hastings at Hastings
November 26—Omaha Tech at Omaha
November 30—Lincoln at Beatrice
November 28—Open date. Probably team from out of state will play here.

McGrath Leads in Chess
Bloomfield, Neb., Feb. 8.—The chess tournament being conducted here by local enthusiasts will close next Tuesday. Ted McGrath is leading with nine victories and one defeat.

Kansas Beats Farmers.
Manhattan, Kan., Feb. 8.—Kansas University defeated the Kansas Aggies in basketball here last night, 44 to 23.

Big Nine Title Clash in Omaha

Omaha will be the scene of the North Central conference championship basketball ball clash when North Dakota university and Creighton play at Creighton gym Monday, February 12.

Neither the Blues nor Flickertails have been defeated in a conference game, so a tight contest should develop, although the Hilltoppers are favored to win.

Creighton should be able to duplicate last week's feat when it trounced the Coyote floormen on their own floor at Brookings in two games. Schabinger will see the scrubs out the Wesleyans, but will keep his "aces" in the hole, ready to flash them in an emergency. He hopes, however, to let the regulars rest through that game.

Wesleyans Beat Union.
Lincoln, Feb. 8.—(Special Telegram.)—Nebraska Wesleyan took the long end of a 35 to 9 score Wednesday night when they clashed on the Methodist floor with the Western Union cagers of LeMars, Ia.

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The Turf

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

HAVANA.
First Race—\$500; 2-year-olds; maidens; six furlongs:
Violet Mearns (Barnes) 6-1 2-2 6-2
Bantam (Stanford) 8-5 2-5 3-3
Cherry (Barnes) 12-1 6-5 4-3
Time: 1:15 4-5. Don Pedro, Pandine, Eugenia Gomez, Nellida, Condundum, Forwood, and others also ran.
Second Race—Claiming; 2-year-olds and up; five and six furlongs:
Far East (Stuts) 8-1 2-1 8-5
Machine Gunner (Barnes) 8-1 2-1
Lola (Stuts) 12-1 6-5 4-3
Time: 1:08 1-5. Whispering, Ruban Rouge, Raina, Whippoorwill, Twenty Seven Wolf, and others also ran.
Third Race—\$500; 4-year-olds and up; one mile:
Miss Hope (Stuts) 7-5 2-5 1-2
Bloomington (Stanford) 19-1 4-1
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Time: 1:43 1-5. Occupation, Lost Port, Dainty Lady, Niece, Brennan, Nonpeter and Berlin also ran.
Fourth Race—\$500; 4-year-olds and up; one mile:
Johnny O'Connell (Stuts) 7-1 2-2 6-2
Lambert (Stuts) 12-1 6-5 4-3
Time: 1:42 2-5. Yankee Boy, Mambo, Polly Herman and Chaucer also ran.
Fifth Race—\$500; 2-year-olds; one mile:
Sea Prince (Gardner) 9-5 2-5 2-2
Frisco (Barnes) 12-1 6-5 4-3
Little Hark Sheep (Callahan) 12-1 6-5 4-3
Time: 1:42 1-5. Mallowmoot and Perhaps also ran.
Sixth Race—\$500; 4-year-olds and up; one mile and 70 yards:
Cardom (Stuts) 16-1 4-1 4-2
Gr. Gaudery (Stuts) 12-1 6-5 4-3
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NEW ORLEANS.
First Race—Claiming; 2-year-olds and up; six furlongs:
Rachel Potter (Mein) 16-5 4-5 2-5
Tommy (Mein) 16-5 4-5 2-5
Nancy McKay (Kelley) 13-3
Time: 1:43 1-5. Ruth A. Fehrk, A. J. Buis, Honnie Jack, Fatsy Howe and Lasting Love also ran.
Second Race—Claiming; 2-year-olds and up; six furlongs:
Joseph Brant (Chalmers) 4-1 2-1 even
Amund (Stuts) 12-1 6-5 4-3
Silver Springs (Thurber) 12-1 6-5 4-3
Time: 1:43 1-5. Quality Grey, Eagle, Mildred, Ruth Starling, Adventure, King George, Brian Cliff, Quality Light, Starling and Pina Morsani also ran.
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Fourth Race—\$1,000; 4-year-olds; one mile and 70 yards:
My Roberta (Harvey) 12-1 6-5 4-3
Slinger (Smallwood) 12-1 6-5 4-3
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Fifth Race—\$1,000; 2-year-olds; one mile and 70 yards:
Scourge (Mein) 18-5 4-5 2-5
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War Prize (Smallwood) 12-1 6-5 4-3
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Sixth Race—One mile and one-eighth: Claiming.
Miracle Man (Abel) 11-5 4-5 4-5
Molly (Mein) 12-1 6-5 4-3
Time: 1:43 1-5. Consolation 1:48
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Seventh Race—Six furlongs; 2-year-olds and up; maidens; claiming, \$1,000.
John Joseph 1:18 Josie M. 1:18
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