Kansas Plays Good Teamwork ---Huskers Lose

INCOLN, Feb. 13. — (Special Telegram.)—Playing the same consistent game that has kept the University of Kansas without a conference defeat in basket ball, the Jayhawkers trampled on the Nebraska quintet Monday night, 36 to 15.

The only time when Captain Warren made a gift shot count and Usher, diminutive Husker forward, slipped a field goal thorugh the net. The Kansans overcame this with a trio of free shots by Ackerman and a field goal. From then until the end of the game the invaders had the Nebraskans trailing.

The five-man defense as executed by the Kansans was well-nigh impregnable.

The Kansans were on the best end of an 18 to 6 register when the half ended. The work of Ackerman from the foul was perfect. He had 10 chances and scored 10 free shots. Usher did the same thing for Nebraska in eight chances.

The summary:

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS.

	B.	F.T.	F.	Pts.
Bowman, f	2	0	0	4
Ackerman, f	2	10	3	14
Wulf, c	3	0	0	6
Black, g	3	0	1	6
Endacott (C.), g	1	0	2	2
Woestemeyer, f	1	0	1	2
McDonald, f	0	0	1	0
Wilkins, c	0	0	1	0
Mosby, g	0	0	0	0
Rupp, g	0	0	0	0
	13	10	9	36

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA.

	B.	F.T.	F.	Pts.
Usher, f	1	8	3	10
Klepser, f	1	0	1	2
Weeren (C.), c	1	1	0	3
Wyant, g	0	0	0	0
Goodson, g and c	0	0	3	0
Cozier, f	0	0	0	0
Russell, c	0	0	1	0
Volz, g	0	0	0	0
Totals	3	9	8	15

Referee: Sweeney, Bethany college, West Virginia.

Hawkeyes Beat Buckeyes.

Columbus, O., Feb. 13.—Iowa defeated Ohio State, 36 to 25, in a western conference basket ball game last night. Iowa showed wonderful form in the last five minutes of play. Forward Blair of Ohio State made three sensational baskets from the center of the floor. Center Burgitt and Guard Funk starred for Iowa. At the end of the first half the score was 16 to 10 in favor of Iowa.

Jones Beats Dugan.

Memphis.—Frankie Jones of San Francisco was given a decision over Frank Dugan of Memphis in an eight-round bout here last night. Both are welterweights.

Scrambled Sports by "Wag"

THE Western league is rapidly becoming a loop entirely dependent upon major league clubs.

When "Mike" Kelley of St. Paul purchased half interest in the Des Moines Boosters away went another independent Western club.

There was a time and it wasn't very far off that the Western league threw out its chest and was proud of its independence, but time has changed things as time will do.

Of the eight clubs in the circuit, only three teams are independent, Oklahoma City, Wichita and Denver. Of the three, the Indians and Witches are owned by individuals. There were times last season when it looked as if major league clubs had an interest in Oklahoma City, Wichita and Denver, but so far as we know these three clubs are, what you might term, independent clubs.

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THE Tulsa Oilers, as everyone knows, is controlled by the St. Louis Browns. When the Western first landed in Tulsa, Jim Crawford, Phil Ball of the Browns and Spencer Abbott owned the franchise. No one held a controlling interest. Then Abbott sold his interest to the Browns and the St. Louis Americans controlled the club.

Whether this lack of independence is going to help the baseball situation in the Western remains to be seen.

Fans remember in 1920 when the Oilers copped the flag. It was the assistance from the Browns that helped the Tulsa club to win the race. However, the following season didn't find the Browns lending much of a hand to the Oilers and as the result Tulsa landed in the cellar of the standings. But in 1922.

Last season the Browns were "Johnny-on-the-spot." Didn't the St. Louis club send Dave Danforth to Tulsa at a critical time in the race? They did. What happened? Nothing much, only Tulsa won the championship. Of course, credit must be given to Pitchers George Boehler and Karl Black, also to Bennett and Lamb, heavy sluggers, but at that, Danforth turned in many a victory for the Oilers.

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ST. JOSEPH has been a farm for the Minneapolis Millers for two years. The Saints haven't copped a championship since the Millers have been farming their players to the Saints and then dragging them back.

Last season St. Joseph was en route to a pennant. The club was hitting like a house afire and received good pitching. What happened? The Minneapolis owner visited St. Joseph one day and when he left the burg Bonowitz and DeFate, two of the best Saint players, were on their way to Minneapolis.

Now St. Paul, via "Mike" Kelley, has found its way into Des Moines. The Boosters received a little support from Cleveland last season, but not enough to amount to anything. Just what will happen to the Boosters now that St. Paul is in a position to lend a helping hand, is not known, but it's pretty certain that Des Moines will have a better ball club this season.

Frank Isbell, owner of the Wichita franchise, has wrecked a team that has put Wichita up in the race since 1918. In 1918 the Witches won the championship. In 1919 the Wichita club landed third, while in 1920, only half a game kept the Witches from winning another championship. In 1921 Isbell won the league race.

The "bald Eagle" has wrecked his mighty team of sluggers. He has started rebuilding his club and the fans of this circuit will watch with interest the Wichita team of 1923.

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SIOUX CITY is the property of the Western league. Last season the Packers received a little assistance from the White Sox. Now that the loop owns Sioux City it will be interesting to learn just what kind of a team the league will turn out. Tom Fairweather, former owner and half-owner of the Des Moines club, has been put in charge of the Packers.

In 1920 when "Pa" Rourke sold the Omaha club to Barney Burch, the ol' town was full of rumors that it was Detroit "greenbacks" that swung the deal. Maybe the Tigers helped and maybe they didn't. Barney says they didn't. That's enuf.

However, last season the Omaha Buffaloes received some assistance from the Tigers, but not enough to amount to anything.

With three clubs in the league claiming to be "simon pure" teams, while the remaining five are known to be sort of farms for major league clubs, and the Western loop opposed to the draft, the fans are unable to determine whether they like this condition existing in the league or not.

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Leonard Wants to Meet Champion Mickey Walker

New York, Feb. 13.—Benny Leonard, lightweight champion, will make another effort to annex the world's welterweight championship this summer, he announced today.

"I am going to challenge Mickey Walker and force him to give me a chance for his title," Leonard said.

French Commission Annuls Suspension

Paris, Feb. 13.—The French boxing federation on the occasion of its twentieth anniversary today decided in favor of amnesty for all recent offenders.

The decision as regards "Battling" Siki annuls his suspension and allows him to apply for a new boxing license, which will be granted, but does not restore him to his championship titles.

Tilden Beats Richards.

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 13.—William T. Tilden, national champion, defeated Vincent Richards of Yonkers in the final singles of the Buffalo tennis and squash club's indoor tennis tournament today. The scores: 6-4, 4-6, 3-6, 6-3 and 6-1.

Former Creighton High Athlete Enters Central

John Porter, former Creighton High school athlete, has entered Central High school this semester and has made his intentions known to finish his schooling at the Purple school. Porter will no doubt be of great value to Central athletics and should be seen in Purple lineups in the near future.

Central Working Hard for Creighton

Coach "Zip" Hill of the Central High school basket ball squad yesterday started preparation for the contest with Creighton High Thursday night by sending his cage candidates through a long workout. The Purple have one of the hardest contests of the season on card when they meet the Blue hoopmen.

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