

Annual Central and Tech Basketball Game on Tap for Omaha Bowlers Thursday

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Games This Week

IN OMAHA. Thursday. Central against Tech at Creighton (afternoon). Creighton at Marquette (Milwaukee). Friday. Creighton at Marquette (Milwaukee). Omaha University Fabrics against Benson at Creighton High (Omaha). Saturday. Central against Tech at Omaha. MISSOURI VALLEY. Monday. Missouri against K. C. A. C. at Kansas City. Tuesday. Kansas against Kansas Aggies at Manhattan. Thursday. Grinnell against Kansas Aggies at Manhattan. Friday. Drake against Missouri at Columbia. Grinnell against Kansas at Lawrence. Nebraska against Washington at St. Louis. Saturday. Nebraska against Missouri at Columbia. Grinnell against Oklahoma at Norman. STATE CONFERENCE. Monday. Nebraska Wesleyan against Morning-side at Sioux City. Tuesday. Nebraska Wesleyan against Trinity at Sioux City. Wednesday. Cotner against Hastings at Hastings. Thursday. Nebraska Wesleyan against Deane at Midland against York at Fremont. Wayne against Western Union at Wayne. Grand Island against Cotner at Grand Island. Midland against Peru at Peru. Friday. Nebraska Wesleyan against Lutheran Academy at University. Cotner against Kearney at Kearney. Saturday. Midland against Peru at Peru.

By RALPH WAGNER.

AY by day in every way the 1923 basketball season is growing nearer and nearer to the finish line. This week finds only four games scheduled for Omaha courts. All of these contests are high school affairs, both Creighton and Omaha university teams playing out-of-town games.

Have Been Defeated.

Both Tech and the Purple have met defeat this season. Creighton has taken both teams down the line in the way of defeats, but regardless of this, fans should witness one of the hardest fought basketball games of the high school season when these two schools clash.

Creighton at Marquette.

Coach Art Schabinger's Creighton university cagers will take the road again this afternoon to start preparing for the two games with Marquette Friday evening.

Plays Nebraska Here.

Following the Marquette contest, Creighton will return to Omaha and spend the following week in preparation for the contest at Creighton gymnasium March 3 with the University of Nebraska.

Gopher Tracksters Win

Chicago, Feb. 18.—The University of Michigan track team defeated the University of Chicago team in a dual meet last night, 65 to 59.

Noted Sport Scribe Will Write for The Omaha Bee



GRANTLAND RICE

GRANTLAND RICE scarcely needs an introduction to those who live in the world of sports. His newspaper and magazine articles have been read widely in every part of the country.

Rice is soon to become a regular contributor to the sport pages of The Omaha Bee. Beginning March 15 his "Sportlight" and "Tales of a Wayside Inn" are to be printed regularly by this newspaper.

One World's Record Smashed and Three Equaled at Meet

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 18.—One world's record was broken, three world's records equaled and two senior championship records were bettered here Saturday in the National senior indoor championship meet of the Amateur Athletic Union, which was won by the Illinois A. C.

Sixty Amateur Boxers in Meet

Sixty amateur boxers will compete in the closed boxing tournament to be held at the Omaha Athletic club Monday and Tuesday, February 27 and 28.

Hebrew Fighter Adopts 'Henry Ford' as Ring Name

BOSTON, Feb. 18.—Henry Ford, the automobile maker, in view of his clashes with the Hebrews, may be interested to learn that "Henry Ford," the young boxing sensation, is a Jew by the name of Holly Abrams.

Mrs. Mallory May Not Play Suzanne Lenglen

Paris, Feb. 18.—The husband of Molla Bjurstedt Mallory caused a sensation tonight by announcing that Molla probably would not play in the Riviera tennis matches with Mme. Suzanne Lenglen.

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Kearney Teachers Beat Hastings College Five

Kearney, Neb., Feb. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—The Kearney State Teachers college basketball five outplayed the Hastings college quintet here last night, winning by the score of 25 to 13.

St. Joseph High Winner

Shenandoah, Ia.—Central High of St. Joseph, Mo., invaded Shenandoah Saturday night and defeated the local high school basket by the score of 35 to 12.

Stanton High Wins

Stanton, Neb.—Stanton high quintet defeated the Albion team here Friday by the score of 45 to 7. Stanton won by the score of 45 to 7.

Gothenberg Easy Winner

Gothenberg, Neb.—Gothenberg easily defeated the Lexington high quintet here Friday by the score of 25 to 10. The first half ended 25 to 10.

Litchfield Wins

Litchfield, Neb.—Litchfield quintet easily defeated the Cairo boys' team here by the score of 40 to 2. The Litchfield boys defeated the Cairo boys by the score of 40 to 2.

Waco Defeats McCool

Waco, Neb.—The Waco high school basketball squad defeated the McCool quintet here by the score of 25 to 10. The Waco team defeated the McCool team by the score of 25 to 10.

Scottsbluff Defeats Scottsbluff

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Lincoln Trims Geneva

Geneva, Neb.—In a fast game of basketball played here Saturday night the Lincoln high school quintet won over the Geneva team by the score of 45 to 25. The score at the end of the first half was 25 to 7 in favor of the visitors.

Forced to Cancel Games

Randolph, Neb.—The Randolph All-Star team defeated the Winner town team here, 25 to 10. The game was called off at the end of the first half because of the illness of the local players.

Sutherland Teams Win

Sutherland, Neb.—Sutherland defeated Haxton here, 25 to 22. It was the hardest game of the season. Two extra points were scored by Sutherland in the overtime of the game. Woods was the star of the local boys' basketball team.

Pottawatomie Wins

Pottawatomie, Neb.—The Pottawatomie high school basketball team beat the Sidney High team here by the score of 25 to 10. The Pottawatomie team defeated the Sidney team by the score of 25 to 10.

Fremont High Loses

Fremont, Neb.—Fremont defeated High school here by the score of 25 to 22. High school led through the game but was unable to hold the lead in the final minutes.

Only Six Members of Last Year's Omaha Bowler Club Will Return to the Fold Next Month When Training Grind Opens

Manager Ed Konetchy will start ironing wrinkles out of hurlers' arms March 10 at Corsicana, Tex.—Prospects bright for strong team this season.—Burch after second baseman to take "Whitey" Gislason's place.

UFFALOES, the kind that wear uniforms of the Omaha Western league baseball club, will start checking in at one of the Corsicana (Tex.) hotels early next month, preparatory to start the spring training grind.

Like all ball clubs, the hurling staff, which numbers 10 chuckers, have been instructed by Manager Ed Konetchy to report early in March. Once upon the training grounds, the hurlers will start ironing the kinks out of their "soup bones" by playing the ball for a merry old clip last season.

Twenty-Two Sign Contracts.

Twenty-two baseball players will try for berths on the team. Of this number 10 are down on the club roster as pitchers, while four are catchers. Only six members of last year's team, Frank Okrie, pitcher; Fred Wilder, catcher; "Pug" Griffin and "Jack Rabbit" Apperson, outfielders, and Jimmy Wilcox, infielder, will return to the fold.

Heine Manush, outfielder who hit the ball for a merry old clip last season, will try out for second base, made vacant when "Whitey" Gislason was released. Burch is angling for another second sacker and expects to complete the deal this week.

At shortstop we have the funny "Tony" Defate. "Tony" is well known to Western league fans. He played with St. Joseph for quite a spell. During the latter part of last season he was taken out of the Western league and placed in the association with Minneapolis.

McDonald at Third.

"Tex" McDonald, who played third for Wichita Falls last season and who hit over the .500 mark, will cavort around the "hot corner" for the Buffaloes. "Tex" is considered equal to Grantham in fielding and hitting.

For fielders, Konetchy has Joe Bonowitz, "Lefty" Griffin, Ray O'Conner and "Jack Rabbit" Apperson. Of the four, Bonowitz and Griffin are assured of a job. Bonowitz hit over .300 in 159 innings last season and "house afire." Apperson and Griffin were with the Buffaloes for a short time, but was unable to get into condition, being on the sick list.

Griffin will be back in right field and Bonowitz in center, while Apperson and O'Conner will battle for the left field position.

Killefer and Nine Cubs Leave for South

Chicago, Feb. 18.—Nine members of the Chicago National league baseball club, piloted by Manager "Bill" Killefer, left Saturday for California Island, California, where the spring training process will be staged. The "club" will reach Los Angeles Tuesday morning.

Robins League Gardiner.

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