Nebraska Turns Down Offer to Play University of Southern California, Dec. 8

Ruling in Valley Against Playing of More Than Eight Games Cause

Coach "Snap-It-Up" Dawson Planning Extensive Training for Husker Gridsters in Spring—Heavy Schedule Means Lots of Practice, Says Football Mentor.

LINCOLN, Feb. 26.—(Special.)—An invitation to come west next December 8 for a football game with University of Southern California was turned down by the faculty athletic committee of the University of Nebraska today. In announcing the rejection of the institution the athletic office issued the following statement:

Head Coach Dawson has received a formal invitation from Mr. E. C. Henderson, football coach and athletic director at the University of Southern California for a game of football December 8, 1923. Mr. Dawson took up the proposition with the faculty committee, but this committee turned it down because of the large amount of time that would have to be taken out of school work for the trip. Another point in connection with the proposed trip was the fact that there is a ruling in the Missouri valley conference against playing more than eight games. And, even if the faculty had countenanced the trip, permission would have had to be obtained from the Missouri valley conference.

Under the conditions it was deemed inadvisable to take it up at all with the Missouri valley conference.

No definite date has been set for the calling of spring football practice. Coach Dawson is planning a much more extensive training for the spring months than has ever been attempted before. With the heavy schedule and loss of so many veterans through graduation and ineligibility, a rigid training period is deemed very necessary towards the construction of a winning team for the fall campaign.

Detroit Elks Win National Pin Tourney

Columbus, O., Feb. 26.—C. F. Smith, Elks No. 1 team of Detroit, won the five-man division championship of the Elks National Bowling association tournament which opened here February 3 and ended today. E. Irish and F. Fox of Indianapolis with a score of 1278 took the two-man division title and E. Lott of South Bend, Ind., won the singles championship with a count of 690. J. Pritchett of Indianapolis won the all-events with a score of 1889.

Gus Becker Leads Field in Trap Shoot

Los Angeles, Feb. 26.—G. L. Becker, Utah, led the field today with a score of 147 for the second block of 150 targets in the Vernon Gun club's third annual midwinter registered trap shooting tournament.

Bob Bungay of Venice, Cal., who made a perfect score of 150 in the first block yesterday, made only 145 "kills" today, but with a total score of 295, leads for the two days.

Eustace Posts Forfeit Money for Mat Champ

Chicago, Feb. 26.—Allen Eustace, Kansas heavyweight, today posted $1,000 with the Midwest A. C. as security for his presence in Chicago to meet Ed (Strangler) Lewis, heavyweight champion, at the Coliseum on March 6. Officials of the club were notified by Billy Sandow, manager of Lewis, that the champion's forfeit is on the way.

Both grapplers will be in Chicago this week to complete training, and as soon as they are on the ground mat fans will have a chance to judge for themselves the relative merits of the champion and challenger.

Brown Vanguard Off.

St. Louis.—Headed by Manager Lee Fohl, coaches, trainers and eight players of the St. Louis Browns left St. Louis for their training quarters at Mobile, Ala.

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HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL

Tourney Scores.

Crete, Neb., Feb. 26.—The basket ball games played in the Saline county tournament here Friday evening resulted as follows: Crete boys 7, Wilbur boys 6; Crete girls 15, Wilber girls 19; Wilber High boys 14, Western school 8; Crete girls 34 Swanton girls 16; Crete boys 6, Swanton boys 18; Wilber girls 23, Friend girls 5; De Witt boys 24, Tobias boys 7; De Witt boys 15, Western boys 2; the De Witt girls' team forfeited to Dorchester girls.

Odell Winner.

Odell, Neb., Feb. 26.—In a basket ball game here Friday evening Odell High won from Hanover (Kan.) High, the score being 30 to 13. Hanover second team won from Odell second, 35 to 9.

Fairfield Loses.

Ong, Neb., Feb. 26.—Ong school basket ball team defeated Fairfield school of Clay Center, 24 to 14.

Filley Victor.

Filley, Neb., Feb. 26.—Filley school won from Hallam school, 28 to 15, in a game of basket ball.

Guide Rock Drops Game.

Blue Hill, Neb., Feb. 26.—In a cage game here, Blue Hill school defeated Guide Rock school by the score of 39 to 9.

Syracuse Wins Again.

Peru, Neb., Feb. 26.—Syracuse and Auburn High school played basket ball here, Syracuse winning, 16 to 10.

Hubbell Teams Take Three.

Hubbell, Neb., Feb. 26.—Hubbell basketeers won all three games played here against the Narka cagers, the scores being: Town teams, 27 to 15; High school, 21 to 16; Grades, 23 to 21.

Edgar Loser.

Edgar, Neb., Feb. 26.—Edgar basket ballers lost here to Belvidere school by the score of 21 to 19.

Tourney Results.

Hanover, Kan., Feb. 26.—The games in the Washington county, Kansas, tournament played here resulted as follows: Greenleaf boys 23, Washington boys 12; Hanover boys 60, Haddam boys 5; Hanover girls 29, Haddam girls 9; Mahaska boys 11; Greenleaf boys 17; Washington girls 22, Mahaska girls 5.

Chester Takes Two.

Chester, Neb., Feb. 26.—Chester High school took both games against Bruning High school here, the scores being for the boys, 34 to 0, and the girls, 31 to 2.

Verdon Beats Shubert.

Verdon, Neb., Feb. 26.—Verdon defeated Shubert here in a basket ball game by a score of 24 to 10.

Nemaha Loses.

Peru, Neb., Feb. 26.—Crab Orchard school defeated Nemaha school here in a game of basket ball by a score of 26 to 13.

Elmwood Swamps Palmyra.

Palmyra, Neb., Feb. 24.—Palmyra basketeers lost to Elmwood in a game of basket ball by the score of 42 to 15.

Hebron Splits Double-header.

Hebron, Neb., Feb. 26.—The Munson Fords of Lincoln won, 25 to 19, from Hebron town team, and Hebron academy won, 15 to 11, from Sterling academy, in two cage games here.

Geneva Wins Close Game.

Geneva, Neb., Feb. 24.—In a hotly-contested basket ball game here Friday evening, Geneva High won from Beatrice High by the score of 18 to 17. Five minutes extra time was necessary to play off the tie standing at the close of the game.

Tourney Results.

Nelson, Neb., Feb. 26.—In the Nuckolls county tournament of basket ball played here the results were as follows: Superior 24, Nuro 6; Hardy 18, Bostwick 7; Ruskin 22, Mont Clare 7; Nelson High 31, Oak 8.

Ohiowa Wins.

Ohiowa, Neb., Feb. 26.— The Ohiowa school basket ball team defeated the Crafton team on the local floor by the score of 15 to 14.

Ansley Trims Broken Bow.

Broken Bow, Neb., Feb. 26.—(Special Telegram.)—Ansley defeated Broken Bow high school cage team here by the score of 12 to 8.

Ogallala Wins Two.

Ogallala, Neb., Feb. 26.—(Special Telegram.)—Ogallala high school basket ball team won two games here against Venango. The local boys won from the Venango boys by the score of 24 to 12, and the girls, 26 to 5. The boys' game was hard fought, but the girls completely outclassed their opponents.

North Platte Smothers Lexington.

North Platte, Neb., Feb. 26.—(Special Telegram.)—North Platte swamped Lexington here in a game of basket ball by the score of 22 to 2. The Lexington boys could collect but one goal during the entire game and that in the first half.

Sutherland Defeated.

Paxton, Neb., Feb. 26.—(Special Telegram.)—Paxton defeated Sutherland here in a close game of basket ball by the score of 19 to 18. This is the first time the Sutherland squad has been defeated in two years. It was the fastest game of basket ball ever witnessed on the local floor.

Farnam Wins From Minden.

Farnam, Neb., Feb. 26.—(Special Telegram.)—Minden high won from Farnam high cage team here in a close game by the score of 19 to 18.

Portis Dynamos Win.

Portis, Kan., Feb. 26.—Special Telegram.)—The Portis Dynamos won from the Bunkerhill here in a cage game by the score of 43 to 28. Corporon and Killinger each scored 7 field goals for the locals. The Olsons of Chanute, play here March 3.

Litchfield Takes Another.

Litchfield, Neb., Feb. 26.—Litchfield High won another game by defeating Loup City, 23 to 20, in a rough game of basket ball. Although the locals were handicapped by the loss of Norling, captain and star, they kept their lead and won. The Litchfield girls won from the Loup City girls by the score of 15 to 18.

St. Edward and Creston Split Two.

St. Edward, Neb., Feb. 26.—St. Edward High and Creston High split a pair of games here, the boys winning from the Creston boys, 25 to 18, and the local girls losing, 17 to 1½. Nelson of St. Edward was high scorer, collecting 7 field goals.

Talmage Defeats by Otoe.

Otoe, Neb., Feb. 26.—Otoe High school defeated Talmage High in a game of basket ball by the score of 11 to 6.

Nelson and Nora Win.

Nelson, Neb., Feb. 26.—Nelson won the class "A" of the basket ball tourney which is being staged here. The class "B" laurels went to Nora. Nelson trimmed Hardy, 25 to 15, and Nora beat Oak, 17 to 12, in the finals.

Won't Attend State Meet.

Bloomfield, Neb., Feb. 26.—Bloomfield High school basket ball team will not attend the state basket ball tourney at Lincoln this year. Work on the track team will be started immediately instead, in preparation for the meet at Wayne which will be held soon.

1922 Buffaloes Who'll Be Back in Harness

Here are the members of last year's Omaha Western club who will report for training at the Buffaloes' spring camp at Corsicana, Tex., March 10. They are: Wilcox, a candidate for second base; Frank O'Krie, southpaw hurler; "Pug" Griffin, outfielder and home run king in 1922, and Catcher Red Wilder, whom Burch purchased early last season. All are expected to again land regular berths.

Kearney Steps Into Second Place

STATE CONFERENCE STANDINGS.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Nebraska Wesleyan	8	0	1000
Peru	7	0	1000
Kearney	6	3	.667
Grand Island	5	3	.625
Doane	5	4	.556
Hastings	4	4	.500
Wayne	4	6	.400
Midland	5	8	.385
Chadron	3	6	.334
Cotner	3	12	.200
York	0	5	.000

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS.

Cotner, 21; Hastings, 19.
Grand Island, 32; Cotner, 36.
Nebraska Wesleyan, 26; Doane, 16.
Kearney, 41; Cotner, 15.
Peru, 32; Midland, 12.
Morningside, 2; Nebraska Wesleyan, 24.
Nebraska Wesleyan, 37; Trinity, 19.

Lincoln, Feb. 26.—(Special Telegram.)—Kearney stepped into second place in the state college state standings last week by walloping Cotner, while Doane, with which the Kearneyites were deadlocked, lost to Nebraska Wesleyan.

Both conference leaders, Nebraska Wesleyan and Peru, won their only conference game during the week.

There will be no post-season game to decide the championship.

Chadron makes its second swing which completes the trip around the circuit this week, opening Thursday at Hastings.

Central Leaves Today for Game

The Central high school basket ball quintet leaves this afternoon for Lincoln where it meets the "Links" in the first of a two-contest cage series tonight. Today's fray is the playoff of the postponed game earlier in the season and the capital city lads will play the Purple five in return Friady at Creighton gymnasium.

Both quintets are considered strong contenders for the state title and the outcome of the series will settle many disputes as to the strength of the two teams. Lincoln and Central are comparative scores of the two crews, however, the Black and Red have tasted defeat several times this season, while the Purple has only been downed by one state quintet.

Coach Hill will leave for the capital city with the following: Captain Reynolds, Marrow, Gerlick, Lawson, Percival, Galloway, Robertson and Manager Ingles.

Bobby Jones Will Not Play on Team

Cambridge, Mass., Feb. 26.—Bobby Jones of Atlanta and Harvard will not be a member of the American golf team which will play in the British amateur championship at Deal and later in defense of the Walker cup at St. Andrews.

Harvard officials decided not to sanction Jones' trip as the date set for the St. Andrews event would prevent him from returning to Cambridge to take his final examinations.

SUZANNE BECOMES BUXOM.

Over in Frawnce they're a bit worried concerning Suzanne Lenglen and her tennis future.

There's the fear that the most brilliant girl net player in European history has skidded from the peak of greatness and that in 1923 she will be "soft pickin's" for her powerful rivals.

Suzanne, after displaying peerless form in midsummer of 1922, seemed suddenly to slip. Her play fell off slightly in later tournaments. Some of the old fire and dash seemed gone. And the downward progress continued through the autumn.

And now, to top it all, Suzanne has grown infinitely heavier. Once lithesome and with tremendous speed, she now has grown almost buxom—and much slower in movement.

And in France they say:

"A tennis player can overcome every handicap—except weight."

Jimmy Wilde Signs to Fight in Gotham

New York, Feb. 26.—Jimmy Wilde of England, recognized in this country as world's flyweight boxing champion, has signed to defend his title in a bout at the Polo grounds June 16, according to an announcement today by Tom O'Rourke, matchmaker for the Republic Athletic club.

Wilde has agreed to fight anyone selected by O'Rourke, the latter said, but he probably will be matched with the winner of the bout next Thursday night at Madison Square Garden between Pancho Villa, American flyweight title holder, and Frankie Genaro of New York, regarded as Villa's most dangerous rival.

23 Guns Out.

Twenty-three nimrods took advantage of an ideal day for trap-shooting Sunday at Ak-Sar-Ben traps. The score follows:

Other scores follow: Randall, 100 out of 125; Dan Gellus, 93 out of 100; L. J. Ruf, 90 out of 100; Dr. Dormody, 85 out of 100; W. B. Riley, 70 out of 75; K. Beegle, 63 out of 75; H. C. Hunter, 60 out of 75; Kennan, 46 out of 50; Ike Noyes, 45 out of 50; Mayhew, 45 out of 50; Bill Stroup, 45 out of 50; Keller, 44 out of 50; L. H. Ruf, 43 out of 50; B. Q. Haines, 43 out of 50; J. R. Johanson, 42 out of 50; F. A. Marshall, 41 out of 50; C. E. Otto, 35 out of 50; Hahn, 35 out of 50; Pete Simpson, 23 out of 25; Swanson, 18 out of 25.

"Rusty" Evans Signs to Fight Bright

"Rusty" Evans, the York (Neb.) featherweight boxer, has been matched to meet "Kid" Bright of Grand Island in the feature bout of a program of fights to be staged at Central City March 1.

Following his fight with Bright, the clever little York feather will meet "Ace" Hudkins of Lincoln at York March 7. The Evans-Hudkins bout will be the main event of a show to be staged by the York legion.

"Happy" Malone, Omaha fighter, is in York training Evans for his fights.

The Turf

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

NEW ORLEANS.

First Race—$700; claiming; 2-year-olds; three and one-half furlongs:
Aunt Jane (Brooks) 5-1 4.5 1-2
A. J. Bujah (Morris) 12-1 5-1
Lee Adrian (Abel) 2-5
Time: :43 1-5. Gold Mark, Lasting Love, Ouida, Bonnie Jack, Homer, Roman Girl, Jim Sanda and Ink also ran.

Second Race—$700; 4-year-olds and up; claiming; five and one-half furlongs:
Golden Flora (Harvey) 6-5 2-5 1-5
Camouflage (Morris) 8-2 4.5
Mavourneen (Doyle) 6-5
Time, 1:09 2-5. Manna, William of Corotoman, Fire Cracker, Zone D'Armee also ran.

Third Race—$700; 2-year-olds; claiming; one mile and 70 yards:
Al Stebler (Marta) .....13-5 even 2-5
Rupee (Murphy) 18-5 6-5
Glabella (Chaimers) 3-5
Time: 1:49 4-5. Minnie B., Nuyaka, Buddugie, Yorick also ran.

Fourth Race—$1,000; 3-year-olds and up; five and one-half furlongs:
My Reverie (Thurber) 8-5 2-5 1-4
Saddle and Boots (McCoy) 30-1 8-1
Barracuda (Romanelli) 8-5
Time: 1:08 2-5. Translate, Blue Nose and Elmer K. also ran.

Fifth Race—$700; claiming; 4-year-olds and up; one and one-sixteenth miles.
Tony Bean (Thomas) 9-2 8-5 6-5
Tom McTaggart (Abel) .....16-5 even
Scourgeman (Mein) .....even
Time: 1:51 2-5. Uncle Velo, Quesada, Tan Son also ran.

Sixth Race—$700; 4-year-olds and up; claiming; one and one-sixteenth miles:
Gendolier (Martz) 8-1 3-1 8-5
Tody (Harvey) 7-1 5-2
Wylie (Thomas) 8-2
Time: 1:51 4-5. Ballot Car, Our Birthday, Cutup, Hello Pardner, Kirklevington and Devonite also ran.

TODAY'S ENTRIES.

TIAJUANA.

First Race—$600; 2-year-olds; half mile (11):
Mabel Rowe ...105 Sandimas 108
Wiki Jack ...108 aStar Go 108
bKsie Bradley 110 aAl Hotfoot ...108
aLester ...108 Seth's Ak-Sar-
bRock Heather..108 Ben 108
cMiss Leggo ...110 Odd Seth 110
aNeal entry. bMarchbank entry. cAllen entry.

Second Race—Five furlongs; claiming; 3-year-olds and up; $500 (14):
Annette's Sister 106 Roscoe Goose ..108
Dode Adams ...111 Jack Pot 111
Carl Roberts ...113 Huzzas 111
Jack Lee .....113 Victory Won ...108
Poker Jane ...111 Bonne Belle ...111
Philip Lugo ...113 L. Gentry ...113
Curlicue .....113 Squirrel Hawks.116

Third Race—$500; maidens; 3-year-olds and up; handicap; five and one-half furlongs; (14):
Dud .....108 Virginius 103
Sky Lark .....108 Plutred 111
Dalton .....115 Park Dale 100
Cedric .....103 Runike 108
Occidenta .....111 Handsome C. ...108
Scraps .....103 Sarah Brown ...105
King of the Knights Tiplar..115
Spa 110

Fourth Race—Claiming; $500; 4-year-olds and up; one mile (7).
Miss Frauland .106 Piutality 108
Belle Flower ...111 Canvas Back ..113
Dove's Roost ...108 Meteor 108
So, Gentleman ..113

Fifth Race—Claiming; $700; 3-year-olds; one and one-eighth miles; (6):
xDissolute ..... 98 xGold Brian ...105
Black Thong ...108 xOrleans Girl ..101
xRoydo .....106 Piedra 111

Sixth Race—Claiming; $1,000; 3-year-olds and up; five and one-half furlongs; (8):
Jack Bauer .... 91 Joelia J. 101
xLucky Button..107 Charmant 110
xMert Bunch ...94 xDuo De Guise.102
Polly Wale ...108 xMotor Cop 116

Seventh Race—Claiming; $600; 3-year-olds; six furlongs; (14):
x. Lit Pointer ..108 Neg 110
Shelbyville ....112 Ollie Wood 115
Yukon .....115 xJack Ledi 110
Seven Seas ....110 Baisy 113
Double Eye ....115 Joe Tag 115
xCol. Matt ....110 xHarry Rudder 110
F. G. Corley ...115 Non Suit 115

Eighth Race—Claiming; $700; 3-year-olds and up; one and one-sixteenth miles; (8):
Blossom House .104 Summer Sigh ..105
Philanderer ....109 Roisterer 110
Black Betty ...105 xKath. Rankin.107
xWar Penny ...112 Frank Fogarty 119
Weather, clear; track, fast.

HAVANA.

First Race—$500; 3-year-olds and up; claiming; five furlongs:
Calmito .....112 Navisco 107
Mugivan .....115 Bridget 107
Little Niece ...110 McMurphy 116
Spiting Chance 115 Parol 106
Jack Healey ...115 Tom Caro 115
Crain Crow ....114 Thy J. Horan..115

Second Race—$500; three-year-olds and up; Claiming; five and one-half furlongs:
Twenty Seven .126 Minnie Mack ...121
Scintillate ....121 Southern 122
Bloomington ...126 W. Whitaker ..120
Juanite III ...126 Sovereign II ..126
Cousin O'Mine .126 Tobin Rose 126
Bob Giles .....126 Lost Fortune ...126
Third Race—$500; 2-year-olds and up; claiming five and one-half furlongs:
Forewarn .....102 Who Can Tell ..107
Pittsburgh .....115 Smile 115
Two Eyes .....110 Humpy 115
Mah .....110 Tom H. 115
Country Girl ...110 Good Enough ...115
Flying Orb ....115 Dinty Moore ...115

Fourth Race—$600; 4-year-olds and up; claiming; six furlongs:
Koran .....98 Port Light 107
Tony Sue .....101 Get 'Em 107
Acosta .....109 Advance 109
Colossus .....101 Far East 109
Titania .....104 Black Top 109
Equator .....114 Darnley 109

Fifth Race—$600; 4-year-olds and up; claiming; one mile and 50 yards:
Quanah .....107 Molly Puff 102
Alameda Girl ..104 Johnny O'Con'l 120
Battle Mount'n 120 Yankee Boy 109

Sixth Race—$600; 4-year-olds and up; claiming; one mile and 50 yards:
Bounce .....106 Lady Rachel ...105
Pretty Baby ...105 Short Change ...110
War Idol ....110½ Miss Dixie 108
Ostello .....104 Mrs. Grundy ...108
Indian Chant ..112 Lt. W. Murray 113
Berretta .....103 Guardsman 117

Seventh Race—$700; 3-year-olds and up; claiming; one mile:
Salvo .....106 Isosceles 102
Col. Chelle ....102 The Roll Call ..102
Cromwell .....111 Herron 111
Wild Cat .....98 Hamam 106
Mollowmot .....108 Winnipeg 92
Valmond 87
Weather clear; track good.

NEW ORLEANS.

First Race—$700, claiming, 2-year-olds and up, maidens, one and one-sixteenth miles:
Reel Foot .....108 Lucidus 108
Royal Crown ...108 aForestiere 108
Bonfire .....108 aReformer 103
Blue Bird .....103 Little Anna 103
aSpectator .....102 aDon't B'th'r Me 98

Second Race—Claiming, $700, 4-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
aArdito .....117 High Value 117
Silence .....117 Emden 117
aMarse Jimmy ..112 Lura 112
Diana .....112 aHerald 112
aAnette Teller..107 Flip 112
aDiocletain ....112 Fusee 105
Also eligible:
Ticklish .....117 aMarimba 105
aJ. Fairman ...100 Flibb'ty Gibbet..117
Gen. Petain ....117 aSandlewood 112

Third Race—$700, allowances, Palace Theater purse, 3-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
Monastery .....109 Be More Caref..107
Wolfe's Cry ....107 Canyon 107
The Franciscan..107 Golden Floss 109
Mavourneen ....104 Billy Bern 97
Ferrotine 92

Fourth Race—$1,000; Baywood's handicap, 3-year-olds, one mile:
All American...109 Shamrock 122
Amole .....94 Vennie 110
Chiva 100
All American and Shamrock, O'Brien entry.

Fifth Race—$700, claiming, 4-year-olds and up, one and one-eighth miles:
H. Kemble .....110 Normal 109
Lampus .....106 aDuke John 104
aNeddam .....104 aVitamin 103
aTulalip 97

Sixth Race—$700, claiming, 4-year-olds, one and one-sixteenth miles:
Scottish Chief..115 Bernont 115
Scintillate ....121 Pirate McGee ...112
Harvest King ..112 aTulsa 110
Lovelisess .....110 aAllero 110
Viva Cuba .....107 aJake Feld 107
aTransient .....107 aFred Kinney ..105
Also eligible:
aAttorney Muir.107 Secretary 112
Moon Winks ....111 aExhorter 107
aBuxom .....103 G. Daugherty...107
aApprentice allowance claimed.
Weather showery, track muddy.

Twenty-Three Teams Entered in Pin Tourney

The entry list in the city bowling tournament, scheduled to close last night, will be held open until Wednesday night, Harry Eidson, secretary of the Omaha Bowling association, announced this morning.

Twenty-three teams have entered the tournament to date and more entries are expected.

Bowlers have been delinquent in sending in their entries for the singles and doubles, but it is estimated that there will be 60 in the doubles and 125 in the singles.

The tournament will open Sunday night at the Omaha alleys. Sunday, Monday and Tuesday nights will be devoted to team matches.

Doubles and singles will be rolled at the Farnam alleys for five days beginning Wednesday.

Five-man and two-man squads will roll at 7 and 9 p. m.

Teams which have entered follow: Alamito Dairy, Armour Ovals, Betsy Ross Salesman, Omaha Steel Works, Lafayette Cafe, Nourse Oils, Dold Fifty-Fifty, Bankers Reserve Life, Harney Auto Repair, Omaha Sporting Goods, Blue Taxi Company, Star Furnace, Omaha Towel Supply, H. F. Cady Lumber Company, Standord Cafe, Foster-Barker Insurance Company, Beddeos, King-Cole Oyster Company, two from the Western Union, two from the Northwestern Bell Telephone league and three from Omaha Athletic club.

Scrambled Sports by Wash

ED J. KONETCHY, new manager of the Omaha Western league club, may be through as a big leaguer, but there's a lot of minor clubs that want "Koney."

Barney Burch, owner of the Buffaloes, has received five letters within the last two weeks from American association owners asking if Konetchy was on the market. These association owners made all sorts of offers. All the way from cash down to five players, pitchers and infielders, and players and money.

All Barney did with the letters was to turn them over to his secretary and instruct said secretary to inform the world that Konetchy belonged to the Omaha club and was not for sale, trade or release.

HOMER SHERIDAN, Jack Sullivan's promising middleweight, may go out on the west coast to try the four-round game.

Sullivan has two fights lined up for his charge, one at Sioux City, February 28, with Jack Menlo, and another, March 2, against Carl Augustine, at St. Paul. Following these bouts, Sullivan expects to take Sheridan out west for a fling at the coast middleweights. Sheridan may appear on the March 16 fight program at the city auditorium.

WHERE boxing flourishes, wrestling does not; when boxing is banned, then in come mat grafters. That's one of the reasons why boxing is a good thing for any community.

Tex Rickard and his Madison Square Garden bouts put the wrestlers out of business in New York.

Since the boxing lid has been clamped on Kansas City, Wichita and St. Joseph, the mat trust has been cleaning up.

Temporary suspension of boxing in St. Louis gave the catch-all-you-can-catchers a recent foothold.

Before the fistic game was legalized in Nebraska, wrestling was healthful. Now the mat game is ill. Why? It's because the boxing game made its debut in Nebraska and still lingers.

Now, with the fistic game manacled in Chicago, the wrestlers are trying to get a foothold there. The proposed Eustace-"Strangler" Lewis match is a forerunner to what may happen.

Forty-five Counties Subscribe for Stadium

Lincoln, Feb. 25.—Forty-five Nebraska counties have pledged 100 per cent for the stadium fund. Three of these, Antelope, Nance and Furnas, were added in January. Ten others, Frontier, Cuming, Knox, Sarpy, Nemaha, Cherry, Buffalo, Jefferson, Fillmore and Rock, added amounts varying from a few dollars to over half a thousand.

In January $3,498.50 was added to the total of pledges by alumni. This makes the amount reported in the state on February 1, $18,559.18, which is within 8.7 per cent of the quota of $54,250. Frontier county jumped from 14th to second place when its chairman sent in pledges amounting to $400. Stapleton county holds first place for the highest percentage of pledges.

Irwin's Abadane Sets Record.

San Diego, Cal., Feb. 26.—Abadane, an imported gelding, 8 years old, who was claimed out of a race by C. B. Irwin, Wyoming horseman, a few weeks ago for $4,000, yesterday won the speed handicap at the Tijuana track, beating some of the best sprinters of the American turf. Abadane, in winning, broke the track record for five and one-half furlongs, making the distance in 1:05, a fifth of a second off the previous mark.

The net value to the owner was $2,875. Abadane has won six straight races for Irwin since he was claimed and has won in sprints and in distances on fast and muddy tracks.

Cards Begin Training.

St. Louis.—The first practice session of the season was on the program for the St. Louis Cardinals today when they reached their spring training camp at Bradentown, Fla. Approximately 40 players arrived.

Glenwood Loses.

Glenwood, Ia., Feb. 26.—Glenwood High had an off night and lost to Shenandoah, 31 to 23.

Short Shots of Sports

Will Jess Accept?

St. Paul.—Billy Miske's manager has offered Jess Willard $10,000 to meet Miske in an exhibition bout Friday night at St. Paul.

$30,000 Race at Tijuana.

The Coffroth $30,000 handicap will be run at Tijuana March 25. This race is the "Kentucky derby" of western racing.

Collegian Nine to Japan.

Seattle, Wash.—The University of Washington baseball team will visit Japan again, its fourth invasion of the orient, in either 1924 or 1925.

To Pilot Barkers.

Bud O'Donnell will pilot the Barker Clothes company nine in a Class C muny league this season. O'Donnell won the Class C championship with the team last year.

Elected Cage Captain.

Stanford University, Cal.—John C. McHose of Ashland, O., forward and star of the Stanford basket ball team this season, has been elected captain of the 1924 Cardinal five.

Football Profitable.

Berkeley, Cal.—Football in 1922 earned more than $150,000 for the University of California student body, representing, financially, the most successful season in the institution's history.

Mrs. Bundy Wins.

Los Angeles, Feb. 26.—Mrs. May Sutton Bundy, formerly world's champion woman tennis player, proved she is still one of the country's leading players here yesterday when she defeated Miss Eleanor Goss of New York in the finals in the woman's singles of the Southern California annual midwinter invitational tournament, 1-6, 6-4, 7-5. Experts said today that Mrs. Bundy played one of the greatest uphill fights of her long career in defeating Miss Goss, who was favored to win because of her recent victory over Miss Helen Wills of Berkeley, Cal.

McLeland Wins Tourney.

Honors in the weekly horseshoe pitching tournament on the indoor courts at Twelfth and Dodge streets yesterday went to Charles McLeland, state champion, who won four games and lost one. He made 141 points. M. Lauritzen was second with 135 points.

St. Louis Favored.

New York.—The first national municipal tennis championship planned this year as an outstanding feature of the United States Lawn Tennis association's program for the development of the game on public courts, probably will be awarded to St. Louis it was disclosed today.

200 Simons in Garden.

New York.—More than 200 amateur boxers and wrestlers from all parts of the country are entered for the national Amateur Athletic union senior wrestling and junior boxing championships, to be held tonight, Tuesday and Wednesday at Madison Square Garden.

30 in Cue Meet.

New York, Feb. 26.—Leading amateur billiard players in the country are entered in the national class A 18.2 balk line championship tournament beginning in Brooklyn today. Thirty games of 300 points each will be played. The tournament will last until March 8.

London to See Greb.

New York.—Harry Greb, who lost the American light-heavyweight championship to Gene Tunny last Friday, announced that he had accepted terms for a bout with Jack Bloomfield, English pugilist, in Albert hall, London, some time in June. Greb said he had been offered $50,000 and 15 per cent of the motion picture rights.

A girls' basket ball championship may be promoted by Ernie Adams, basket ball coach at Omaha university. Sacred Heart's claim to the city title is disputed by several girl teams.

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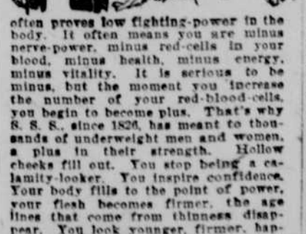

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Valley Teams Enter Stretch of 1923 Race

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Drake	8	5	.616
Washington	7	5	.533
Ames	7	7	.500
Nebraska	4	11	.267
Oklahoma	4	11	.267
Grinnell	3	11	.214
Kansas Aggies	1	11	.033

LINCOLN, Neb. Feb. 26.—(Special.)—With all Valley teams coming into the stretch, Nebraska has but two games remaining on its basket ball schedule, the game here Friday night with Washington University and the game with Creighton at Omaha Saturday night.

An effort was being made to arrange a game with the Omaha Athletic club quintet, but this fell through.

The big game this week and the one which decides the Valley championship will be put on down at Lawrence, Wednesday when the undefeated Jayhawkers play Missouri.

The Kansans won from the Tigers on the latter's home floor early in the season. This is the only stain on the Missouri record.

If Missouri wins it means another divided title unless a post-season series can be arranged. The team records and the 15 high individual scorers of the conference follow:

TEAM RECORDS.

	G	FG	FT	PF	PTS
Missouri	14	226	70	95	522
Kansas	15	195	102	97	492
Drake	13	130	86	112	358
Oklahoma	15	139	73	86	351
Nebraska	15	126	60	116	311
Ames	14	108	92	115	308
Grinnell	14	93	97	117	283
Washington	12	90	84	94	264
Kansas Aggies	12	75	40	83	130

INDIVIDUAL SCORES.

	G	FG	FT	PF	PTS
Browning, Missouri	13	74	60	9	208
Greene, Ames	14	48	86	17	182
Wihelm, Drake	13	38	34	6	160
Minner, Washington	12	42	75	30	159
Ackerman, Kansas	15	43	66	12	152
Wheat, Missouri	14	56	1	17	113
Benz, Grinnell	13	17	77	16	111
Warren, Nebraska	14	23	53	14	99
Bowman, Kansas	15	34	23	21	91
Usher, Nebraska	13	34	22	21	90
Boelter, Drake	13	42	2	14	86
Wulff, Kansas	15	40	0	7	80
Gillmer, Oklahoma	13	20	35	14	75
Dunker, Missouri	14	34	0	4	68
Johnson, Oklahoma	12	31	0	16	62

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