

Wynne Drilling Creighton Hard

Creighton university's representatives of the gridiron yesterday began the final week of preparation for their initial game, which will be played this Saturday at Fremont against Midland college.

Creighton went through a strenuous program, consisting of an hour's scrimmage, loosening up exercises and dummy work. Coach Wynne will probably give the Hilltoppers but one more day of scrimmage before the game.

Some time this week the blue line-men will be introduced to the bucking frame, which is one of the many new things instituted by Wayne this year.

"Red" Fitzgibbon, who is nursing an injured shoulder, appeared in uniform yesterday, although he did not engage in the scrimmage. Johnny Bertoglio, who has been out with a "charley horse" for the past few days, was also seen in uniform again. He spent some time at fullback in scrimmage.

Omaha High Gridsters Rounding Into Shape

With but two weeks left in which to train, coaches of Omaha High schools are working hard to have their teams in shape for their initial games.

Of the four high schools, Central High school at this stage of the training seems to be the strongest bidder for the city title. Coach Schmidt has five of last year's letter men back in the moleskins this season, and a wealth of material from the second string of last year.

Captain Howell, Lawson, Marrow, Thomas and Perival are the vets who are out again this year. Among the most promising candidates for the other six places left open by graduation last spring are Kinsey and Van Buskirk, tackle; Lepicier, guard; Clark and Oliver, centers; Tollander, Peterson and Turner, ends; Muxen, Robertson, Ames, Jeffries, Anderson, Jones and Egan, backs. Most of these were reserves last year.

The Purple squad has been practicing hard for the past week and should be in good shape for the opening game.

12 Letter Men at South High

South High seems to be well up in the running in view of dope strength also. Coach Patton this year has 12 letter men back. Captain Sutton and 11 other numeral men reported for the first practice. The Packers open against Lincoln High at League park on September 28.

DeVry, Graham, Hoffman, McDonald, Kutzman, Reeves, Wedberg, Kallstrom, Merrick, Kadavy and Townsend are the vets of last year's eleven who are out again this year. Olson, a new man, is also conceded a chance on the first string this year, and may play tackle.

The South squad has been going through signal practice passing and punting, and has even done a little scrimmaging already this year. Patton says that he is able to get right down to work with the team because of the abundance of old material.

Contrary to the outlook at Central and South, Tech and Creighton Prep seem to be laboring under a handicap.

Tech Badly Off

Coach Drummond of Tech has but five letter men back, all of these being line men. The task of constructing a good backfield of new men is facing him at the outset of the season. Added to this is the lack of a place to practice and the absence of show-ers in the new building at this time.

The five old men to return are Swanson, Dorn, Pierce, Sharpe and Powell. Among the men upon whom Drummond will place the backfield burden are the following men from last year's second string: Swenson, Seligren, Block and Nichols. None of these men have had much experience in games, but showed up best in the scrimmages of last year.

Tech opens against Clarinda on October 6 at Clarinda.

Hard Task at Creighton

Coach Drennan, new Creighton Prep mentor, is facing a hard task in whipping the Prep gridsters into shape for the hard schedule which they face this season. Captain Monaghan and four letter men are the only vets among the squad which reported for the initial practice last week. Several new men, however, look promising and Coach Drennan is confident that the Hilltoppers will put a strong enough team in the field to dispose of the hard schedule successfully.

Moylan, Porter, Caniglia and McKenna are the other four letter men. Of the most important candidates are: McGuire, Gibson, Hinchey, Dagan, Klein, Barrett, Coffey, O'Leary, Wagner and Delford.

Lowes Course Record

Mrs. Mark Levings and Mrs. Blaine Young went to Sioux City. They not only went, but they showed the Sioux Cityians while there what real golf was, and Mrs. Levings lowered the woman's record for the course, said to be a very difficult one. Her score was 94.

Mrs. Levings made the second nine holes in men's bogey, 44, and won the tournament.

Rock Smith, welterweight who fought in Omaha and Council Bluffs, knocked out Jay Lannahan of New York in the 12th round recently. Lannahan is in a critical condition with a fractured skull. Smith was not arrested.

"With the KNIGHTS of the GLOVES"

Sept. 25—Rock Smith of Boston, who won the referee's decision over Jay Lannahan of Boston here last night, Smith won nine of the 15 rounds. The men boxed at catch weights.

Boston—Panchito Villa, world's featherweight champion, was given the decision over Tony Thomas of New Bedford in a 16-round bout.

Philadelphia—The scheduled eight-round bout between George Chasney of Baltimore and Harry "Kid" Brown of Philadelphia, was stopped in the first round, the referee stopping Brown's claim that he had been fouled.

New York—Mickey Brown of New York won the decision over Phil Bloom, Brooklyn, in 15 rounds.

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EDDIE'S FRIENDS



Backfield Men Scarce at Omaha

'Tis a hard job for a football coach to develop a grid team without first having material with which to work. Such is the case at Omaha university where Ernie Adams holds the position as athletic director.

Adams is drilling his squad of green gridsters hard each afternoon for the Maroon first game of the season, October 5, at Tabor.

Not one letter man returned to the fold this season. Coach Adams expects to have a heavy line, but is unable to tell just what is in store for the backfield. Eighteen men report for practice each afternoon and from this squad the Maroon coach expects to develop a team to play Tabor October 5th.

Predict Good Duck Hunting

Salt Lake City, Utah, Sept. 25.—Utah hunters are preparing for the best duck hunting season for years, according to announcements made by officers of the various gun clubs. Bird surveys made by men who have hunted the bays and marshes of Great Salt Lake and other waters in the state for years show that never in the last twenty years have the ducks been as plentiful as now.

The strange malady, which killed hundreds of thousands of ducks during the last few years, is not noticeable this year, it is said.

Rifle Shoot Nears End

Camp Perry, O., Sept. 25.—The riflemen spent today in their final training for the national rifle team match—the big event of the National Rifle association program—which will be fired Wednesday and Thursday, bringing this year's tournament to an end.

More than seventy teams of ten men each are entered.

The United States Marines won the match the past two years. In 1920 it was won by the United States Infantry.

Jim Bottomly Out of Game

St. Louis, Sept. 25.—Jim Bottomly, first baseman for the St. Louis Nationals, probably will not be able to play again this season on account of being ill with grip, it was announced today.

Dempsey Will Try to Conquer Real Wild Bull

Salt Lake City, Sept. 25.—Jack Dempsey, conqueror of the "Wild Bull of the Pampas," will attempt today to conquer a real wild bull—one of the herd of buffalo on Antelope Island in Great Salt Lake.

Dempsey and a party of friends, including Robert Edgren, sports writer, will spend the greater part of the day on the hunt.

Antelope Island, off the shore from Salt Lake City, is about 15 miles long and about 4 miles wide. It is inhabited by a privately owned herd of buffalo, numbering several hundred. By arrangement with the owners of the herd, hunting is allowed.

Those who have hunted buffalo on the island claim that the sport carries with it all the dangers of the old days and that some of the bulls are as "mean" as any of their plains ancestors.

Horses for the Dempsey party will be furnished from the ranch on the island.

Forest Fires Destroy Game

Sacramento, Cal., Sept. 25.—The numerous forest fires in northern California have destroyed more game than all the hunters since the present open season began is the opinion of George Neale, executive officer of the state fish and game commission. The deer and quail suffer most from forest fires, Neale said.

A large fire on the game refuge in Siskiyou county will mean the destruction of many deer, Neale declared.

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Favorites Win in Pro Tourney

Pelham, N. Y., Sept. 25.—The second day's play in the Professional Golfers' association championship tournament starts today with all the favorites still in the field. None of the head liners had difficulty yesterday in disposing of their opponents.

Gene Sarazen, Brian Cliffe, N. Y., who dropped his open title to Bobby Jones at Inwood, defeated Floyd Cullickson, Columbus, O., 8 up and 7 to go. Jim Barnes, the home professional swamped George Derbach, East Providence, R. I., 12 and 11. Bobby Cruickshank, Westfield, N. J., defeated Willie Leach, Over Brook, Pa., 2 and 1. Walter Hagen, New York, collected a four and three victory from George Griffin, Clearfield, Pa.

Dixie Series Opens Today

Fort Worth, Tex., Sept. 25.—With the gates already being stormed by a thousand pop-eyed fans, some of them having stood in line for the past 36 hours for the privilege of purchasing the precious pastebards, Fort Worth and Texas are all set and rarin' to go after the first game of the Dixie series between Fort Worth, pennant winners in the Texas league, and New Orleans, champions of the Southern association. The series opens in Fort Worth today.

Another Record for Scott

New York, Sept. 25.—Everett Scott, shortstop of the New York Yankees, holds another record today for consecutive games played. Yesterday's was the 1,128th successive game in which Scott has appeared since 1912, this mark breaking the world's mark, established by one Perry Lane. The latter played 1,127 straight games in the Southern league, completing his record in 1902.

Muny Directors to Meet

Directors of the Muny Baseball association will meet in the city hall tonight to make arrangements for receiving the players and fans from St. Louis Saturday. There will be a double-header played at League park, both Saturday and Sunday afternoons. The W. W. W. will meet the St. Louis Freight Accounts again on both days. Two other teams from St. Louis will be here.

Lift Shocker's Suspension

St. Louis, Sept. 25.—Bill Friel, business manager for the St. Louis Americans announced today that Urban Shocker, of the Browns who was suspended recently when he refused to accompany the team east without his wife, was eligible to play now, his suspension having expired. Friel added however, that the pitcher would suffer a fine for each day he absents himself from the team.

WORLD SERIES ON OCTOBER 10

New York, Sept. 25.—The 1923 world's series will open in the Yankee stadium on Wednesday, October 10, and will be decided at a meeting of baseball officials at which Commissioner Landis presided.

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Burgess Bedtime Stories

BY THORNTON W. BURGESS.
Friendship do not are misuse: tis privileges never abate.
—Farmer Brown's Boy.

Brownie Spies Another Band

When Brownie the Thrasher got back home he had a lot to tell Mrs. Brownie. He showed her the little metal band on one leg. She looked at it very suspiciously.

"What is it for?" she demanded.

"I haven't the least idea," replied Brownie.

"Does it hurt?" she asked.

"Not a bit," replied Brownie.

"Why don't you take it off?" inquired Mrs. Brownie.

"I can't," said Brownie. "I've tried, but I can't."

"Well, all I can say is that it is mighty queer," said Mrs. Brownie.

"What will your neighbors think to see you wearing a thing like that?" Brownie began to wonder himself. He felt a little shy about showing himself. No one ever likes to feel queer, and with that little shiny band on his leg Brownie did feel queer. So he kept out of sight as much as possible. Two days later as he was peering out from the bushes along the edge of the Old Orchard he saw Welcome Robin alight in the nearest apple tree. He would have liked to go over for a little gossip with Welcome Robin, but remembering that shiny band on his leg, he remained right where he was.

Welcome Robin flew down on the ground very near the bushes in which Brownie was hiding. Suddenly Brownie gave a little gasp. Yes, he gave a little gasp. He blinked his eyes. He blinked them again, and a third time. On one of Welcome Robin's legs was a little shiny band just like the one on his own leg. Brownie couldn't believe it at first. But as Welcome Robin hopped nearer there was no doubt about it.

Instantly Brownie came out of hid-

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