Barney Burch Decides to Manage 1924 Omaha Western League Ball Club

BUFFALOES WILL TRAIN AT SHREVEPORT --- SIGN PITCHER AND OUTFIELDER

Ed Konetchy, Manager of Team Last Season, Plans to Organize League "Somewhere" in Wisconsin-Nick Cullop to Play First Base for Herd, Unless Burch Signs New Initial-Sacker-Deal's Pending.



ARNEY BURCH® Omaha Buffaloes next spring. The Long School owner of Herd said himself this morning upon he attended the

or circuits. plans to organize a league "some-

Burch's decision to manage the manager for what he wanted to pay for such a ball player. Barney also announced that the Buffaloes would do their spring training down in Shreveport, La. The ironing-out process of soupbones and the like will start early

in March. The owner of the Herd has several deals for players on the fire, but refuses to give out any information regarding said deals until they are either completed or aban-

"Baseball players, the kind I want, are scarce," said Barney. "The big leagues and the big minor loop club owners with the fat pocket books grabbed everything in sight and some Pitcher Praul and an outfielder by

the name of Peterson of the Dakota league were signed by Burch and will tryout with the Herd. With Burch managing the team, Nick Cullop, utility player last sea-son, will be placed on first, unless

a new player is signed. Don Brown, O'Connor and Bono-witz, outfielders; Thompson, Kerr and Wilcox, infielders; Hale, Wilder and Simers, catchers, and Speece, Bailey, Lee, Mathews, Darrow, Okrie, Koupal, Praul, Miller and Gernandt, pitchers, make up the roster of the 1924 Omaha Buffalo team to

Husker Football

Lincoln, Dec. 15 .- The annual Cornhusker banquet, a dinner complimentary to the University of Nebraska football squad was held last night at the Scottish Rite Temple, with a large attendance. It served as a ratification of a victorious close of the football season following a disappointing opening, with congratulations to the players, coaches and the university athletic deaprtment. Addresses were made by Chancellor Avery and other members of the faculty, together with words of appreciation by some of the

Sacramento, Dec. 15.—The Sacramento club of the Pacific Coast Baseball league has purchased Arthur Tracy compose the committee of the Smith, outfielder, from the Rochester Clan Gordon association. lub of the International league, acording to a telegram received here from Lewis Moreing, one of the owners of the club, who has been attending the baseball meetings in Chicago. No details of the purchase were given

Shreveport, La., Dec. 14.—"Bo" with Nebraska colleges.
McMillan's Centenary football eleven The schedule follows: McMillan's Centenary football eleven and the University of Colorado may neet here in the annual Thanksgiving day classic in 1824, according to Centenary athletic authorities. Colorado has the Thanksgiving date open, it was said, and Centenary is hopeful that negotiations now in progress will result in bringing the western eleven here.

The schedule follows:

October 4—Creighton at Omaha.

October 18—South Dakota at Vermillion.

October 18—Sou

Conference of Boys Tonight. All Boys wishing to play in the Boys' Municipal Football conference, are urged to attend the first meeting

championship of The Omaha Bee Grade School Soccer league, Long annual meeting school defeated Comenius, 1 to 0, in of the Western a hard fought contest at Thirty-second and Dewey avenue yesterday the annual con- afternoon. It was the fourth time fabs of the mathe two teams had played for the jor and big min- title, two games resulting in a tie Ed Konetchy, pilot of the Buffa-by Long, was thrown out owing to a complaint filed by Comenius. and the third game, although won

Beats Comenius

The game, yesterday, was played where" in Wisconsin. At the present in a windstorm which made the dihe is peddling insurance in St. Louis. recting of the ball very difficult. Long won the toss and chose to slub came when he discovered that defend the south goal, having the he was unable to sign a playing wind in its favor. The only score of the game was made five minutes after play started.

Comenius, receiving the ball on a penalty in the last half, failed to score by having a kick go wild. John W. Muir, donator of the trophy to the winning team, umpired the game.

Curling Season Opens Sunday

The 1923-24 curling season in Omaha will open tomorrow when four teams, members of the Clan Gordon Athletic association, get into action for the first time this winter. The association is made up of six teams. Bobby Burns, Balmorals, Thistle, Miller Park, Aisle Craig, and Omaha

Drawings for Sunday are Bobby Burns against Miller Park, and Bal-

orals against Thistle.

in a point contest will be played for December 23. The John L. Kennedy trophy will be awarded to the winning team in the New Year's con-Team Banqueted tests. The preliminary games for this cup will be played the Sunday preceding New Year's day. The Malcolm cup will be awarded

for the best individual play and will be contested for January 6. January 13 the Bonispiel will be held at pete for the Llon cup.

the Sundays games are scheduled, the contests will lap over to the follow-

Scots, W. W. P. Horne; Balmorals, E. Tracy; Thistle, Frank McCarthy; Bobby Burns, R. Watson; Miller Sacramento Club Buys Smith. Park, A. Featherstone, and Aisle Craig, R. Galt. John W. Muir, R. Watson, and E.

Preston Announces Schedule.

Coach Glen Preston of Nebraska Wesleyan has arranged a hard football schedule for his 1924 eleven. The ball schedule for his revenue will play at 1924 Wesleyan eleven will play at football players next Thursday night, least five North Intercollegiate at which time a captain for the 1924 Centenar yMay Play Colorado conference games and three contests eleven wil be elected.

Approves Swimming Team. swimmers and water polo players will at the University club, Thursday everepresent the Olympic club of San ning at 6:30 o'clock. of the conference which will be held Francisco in the National Amateur

tonight in the basement of the St. Athletic union championships at Chi-cipal speaker. Talks will be given Barnabas church, Fortieth and Dav- cago next April as a result of the by Captain Lewellen and Captainonport streets. The age limit of the conference is yesterday of the athletic committee's recommendations for an appropriation of stunts for the eventual recommendations for an appropriation of stunts for the eventual recommendations.

Believe It Or Not OMEONE must do some spring shooting on the Missouri river. A hunter fielder to Muskogee, Okl., and Paul

tells of driving out near the waterworks early in the year and seeing a Castner, pitcher, to Shreveport, La. gang of fellows on the river bank jabbing at things in small cakes of ice Castner was a former star fullback which floated past. Each man had a long pole with a spike or hook on the at Notre Dame university. The play-



Hoosiers Who Meet Creighton Basketball Team Friday

NDIANA university's basket ball team, coached by Leslie Mann, former Lincoln boy and lately of the St. Louis Cardinals, will invade Omaha Friday of this week to help usher in the 1923-24 basket ball sea-



Shugrue Checks Rise of Chilean

New York, Dec. 15 .- South America's latest pugilistic threat was checked, but not eliminated last night al pogo race at the Garden. The teams will compete for five when Luis Vicentini, Chilean light-cups during the course of the season, weight, met defeat at the hands of the season. cups during the course of the season.

The Engel cup will be awarded for rink contests and will be the first cup the teams compete for. Contests for the Engel trophy will be played Sunday, December 16. The first game sunday sunday, December 16. The first game sunday sund The Falconer cup, to be awarded has been inactive for most of the past

Vicentini's defeat was laid by experts chiefly to over-anxiety to maintain his knuockout record and insufficient skill with which to follow up many of his advantages. Shugrue's The clever defensive work, his aggressive finals will be played the following ness from start to finish and ability

also figured in giving him victory. unusual fighting promise. He is well in front of his eyes, equipped both defensively and offenwhich time the contestants will com-Matches have been drawn for the demonstrated that he is a powerful of experience. The South American season. Should there be no ice on hitter, shifty and able to stand up under punishment

The skips on the teams are Omaha Award Letters to Blue Men

The Creighton athletic board, at a meeting last night, decided to award 17 Creighton "C's" to members of last season's football team. The athletic board also placed its stamp of approval on the idea of

having uniformed girl ushers at all the basket ball games.

Those who were awarded mono

Omaha alumni of the University of Nebraska will banquet 39 football players of the 1923 Cornhusker team

Warren Howard will be the prin-

Farm Ex-Western Leaguer. Chicago, Dec. 15.-The Chicago

White Sox today released John Clancy, first baseman, and John Portaggo, iners were sent out under option. Roy Graham, a catcher, was also sent to Shreveport by the White Sox in payment for John F. Burns, a catcher. Graham came to the White

Sox from Sloux City, Ia

Stanford to Enter Polo Team. Palo Alto, Cal., Dec. 15 .- Stanford

R Says "Bugs" THE GLUTT IS aer: CAUGHT NAPPING

His Lunch Wagon Throws a Wheel and Glutt-Bozo Are Only a Thousand Skids in the Lead.

nation The Glutt and Bozo are representing in the internation

OMEBODY wanted to know what

were arrested for fighting in a dance

The revolving score at the end of the 30th hour was 56,000 miles for the Rufftown team. The Glutt has ridden in a circle so much that he has to have his meals served in a revolving door.

to counter most of Vicentini's attacks theory, which claims that if a man they were ushers at a picnic. Iso figured in giving him victory.

Critics agreed that Vicentini shows for three years he will get zebra spots Glutt. Bezo Gruttender for three years he will get zebra spots Glutt. Bezo Bigg. De Reater Brosco Skipstop

The race was glimmering along Madden Werri-Dizzi quietly when a plunging miser from Rufftown offered a red apple to the miles, made by the Giutt-Boso in 1842. winner of the net sprint.

Royce velocipede and tore around the lumber corral like a tortured

He was breaking split seconds into smaller chunks when Tex-Rickard hopped on his motorcycle and asked a policeman to stop the

The Glutt was arrested for reckless checker playing. After this there will be a traffic cop stationed at each corner of the wooden soup kettle to stop carefless kiddle kar chauffeurs from endangering the lives of the contestants.

This race proves the Einstein shoulder that the other riders thought on the grid field.

It will be seen by the neat sta-The Glutt trundled out his Rolls- tistics that they are way behind the record, but that is because The Glutt is telling the driver of his coverd lunch wagon to take it easy

Will Swap Punches Tomorrow Night

ORRIE SHLAIFER, Omaha welterweight, and Panama Joe Gans. considered the colored welterweight champ of the world, will swap punches in the main event of a boxing program which will be held in the Auditorium tomerrow night. The Schlaifer-Gans bout



Creighton After Nine Games for Grid Card

Blue Has Eight Straight Contests on 1924 Schedule and Willing to Arrange Game for Oct. 4th.

CREIGHTON SCHEDULE. October 13—At Des Moines university.
October 18—Morningside at Sloux City.
October 25—Haskell Indians here.
November 1—Marqueite at Milwaukee.
November 8—North Dakota university ere. November \$2—Grinnell college here. November 27—South Dakota State here. *Homecoming game.

> games are wanted for the 1924 grid schedule of the Creighton university. To date Athletic Director

Schabinger of Creighton has arranged a card of eight games for next season's eleven, but to willing range a contest for October 4. the official oper 24 season. The schedule as arranged by Direc

or Schabinger includes eight straight cames without an open date and in ludes such teams as Des Moines uni ersity, Haskell Indians and Mar juette. Only one Missouri Valle onference school, Grinnell, appears on the Blue and White program.

Four North Intercollegiate conference teams, Des Moines,fi Morningside, North Dakota university and South Dakota State college, will meet the Creighton eleven in football battles next season. Four games with conference teams must be played by each member of the circle in order to claim the championship.

Creighton's prospects for a strong football team in 1924 appear bright and no one seems to know this any better than Missouri Valley teams, especiall ythe two Kansas schools, Director Schabinger tried his darndest to arrange grid contests with both Kansas university and Kansas State college for next season, but without any success. Both schools seem to be content with the victory each gained over the 1923 Creighton eleven.

his best to arrange a contest with one or two Big Ten teams, but here ton's team of 1923, while not the gained as a result of the games with The Glutt ate six meals on his wheel yesterday. He has a waiter, cook and dishwasher follow him on sctooters. He threw so many fishbones and prune seeds over his shoulder that the other riders than the grant field on the grant field field.

Strongest ever developed at the institution, seemed to gain a reputation throughout this section of the country that stamped the university as shoulder that the other riders than the grant field.

K. C. A. C. as Missouri meets the Blue Diamonds at Kansas City Saturday night. Coach Bond brings his try that stamped the university as shoulder that the other riders than the grant field.

South Dakota university athletic authorities made no bones about Panama Joe Gans Creighton's athletic strength when they came right out in the open and informed Director Schabinger that the Blue teams are too strong for them. Drake university of Des Moines

and Creighton almost had contracts signed for a game here October 18. Someone put the buzz in Coach Solemn's ear and that ended things. Drake and rCeighton will not meet on the football field next season. Texas A, and M, nearly came carding a football game with

Creighton. Here again, the scheduling of these two schools failed to materialize. Director Schabinger and Coach Chet Wynne are in favor of playing nine games next fall, providing.

a suitable opponent can be signed for the opening game October 4. The University of Nebraska has an open date Thanksgiving day. Creighon has scheduled South Dakota State for the Omaha gridiron, but the State Easterners to Play Colorado. ton. eleven is willing to withdraw from the Creighton schedule if Schabinger can arrange a game with Nebraska

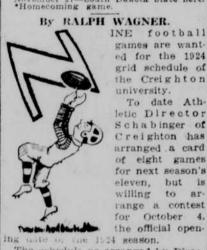
Football fans of Omaha and Lin oln favor a game between Creighton and the Huskers. Such a contest would be a fitting climax to the football season in this state. Whether the game would be held in Omaha or iLncoln, Nebraska would benefit financially, although Schabinger would not igree to play the Huskers unless it was on a 50-50 basis Followers of Creighton believe

they could sell more than 5,000 tickets to a Nebraska-Creighton game next fall. Three or four Creighton alumni we have talked to on the proposed contest seem willing to guarantee the sale of 5,000 tickets to such a game. What better offer could anyone make Nebraska for a game that would not take the Huskers out of

Burch Returns to Omaha. Barney Burch, owner of the Omaha

their own backyard?

Says He's Comer HENRY SAND, the Philly inflelder, whom Fletcher names as a comer for 1924, in spite of many shortcomings in 1923. This boy, earnest and eager



and overstrung and overambitious, made more errors than any two infielders the first part of last season, but after a few weeks on the bench found himself and began to show some class and a lot of promise. The averages make him look awful, but Art Fletcher's word makes him look fine.



Huskers to Play K. C. A. C. Cagers

Lincoln, Dec. 14.-Nebraska univerclub's basket ball team at Kansas City City are former university athletes turf never had appealed. and last year they won from both ers, at basket ball.

freshmen this afternoon in the first 4 year-olds next season. If the scrimmage of the year and showed race should take place in France it plenty of fire, holding the yearlings will probably be at Longchamps in scoreless while the varsity rung bas- April. kets from all angles.

The Nebraska team to start had While at the Western conference meeting in Chicago, Schabinger tried his best to arrange a contest with Some idea of how Missouri and Nehe again was unsuccessful. Creigh. braska stack up in basket ball can be

Arrives in City

the colored welterweight champion of and quarterbacks, fullbacks and the world, who has been signed to guards follow, each providing three fight Morrie Schlaifer in a 10-round captains for next year. Several colbout at the Auditorium Monday leges, including Harvard, have yet to night, arrived in Omaha this morn name their 1924 field generals. ing from his home in New York City. Gans will work out at the Business Men's gymnasium this afternoon and pears to be in good physical condition and during the course of his New Year's day gridiron clash with conversation remarked that he would the United States Naval academy put the blinkers on Mr. Schlaifer team they expect to take with them a Monday evening and then hurry right real husky, or Eskimo sledge dog back to Mrs. Gans in New York as their mascot, a counter-attraction

Colorado Springs, Colo., Dec. 15 .in spite of their 2,197-mile journey. in June.

Epinard May Run at Belmont Park Early in Summer

FIVE CENTS

Event Would Be for Rich Purse With Three or Four of America's Best Horses Entered.

New York, Dec. 15 .- Epinard, champion 3-year-old of France and perhaps the best colt of his age in Europe, may participate in one or more international race at Belmont Park next spring. Pierre Wertheimer, owner of Epinard, has just arrived here, presumably to size up the prospects for a rich turf event in which his horse will meet the Rancocas Stables' Zev and other prominent American thoroughbreds, 4 years old or over.

M. Wertheimer, before he began his voyage across the Atlantic, issued a sweeping challenge in behalf of Epinard to meet the leading American and British 4-year-old on one of the French courses next May. It is assumed that he still prefers to pit his colt against all comers somewhere in France. M. Wertheimer expects shortly to have a chat with State Racing Commissioner Sinclair, proprietor of the Rancocas Stable, who firmly believes that Zev can beat any thoroughbred of his age in the world. If Epinard's owner can be persuad ed to bring his colt to this country to participate in a race with Zev, In Memoriam. My Own and one or two other good American horses, perhaps August Belmont and his fellow members of the Westchester Racing association will be glad to hang up another purse of \$100,000 for such a ontest at Belmont Park in June.

The American turf has received great benefits from the \$100,000 interational Derby in which Zev outran Papyrus at Belmont Park last September. It was Mr. Belmont's energy liberality and sportsmanship that sity will play the Kansas City Athletic made the \$100,000 race possible. As a result of Zev's memorable triumph, December 29. Final arrangements for racing here has won the moral supthe game were completed this after- port of the general public including noon. The Blue Diamonds of Kansas many influential citizens to whom the

It is hoped, therefore, that induce-Kansas and Missouri, the Valley lead ments will be offered to M. Wertheim-The Huskers were sent against the in competition with the best American would probably compete.

for Pilot Jobs

New York, Dec. 15 .- Football line headlines during the gridiron season. are gathering rewards in the form of football captaincies, a list of eastern college leaders elected for 1924 re-

In 38 eastern colleges football elections, 25 linemen have been chosen and back-field men in but 13. Tackles furnish 10 of the captains and lead all other positions. Ends and halfbacks, tie for second with seven cap-Panama Joe Gans, recognized as tains each. Centers are next with five

Will Have Dog as Mascot. Seattle Wash Dec. 15 .- When the comorrow. The colored scrapper ap University of Washington Huskies journey to Pasadena, Cal., for their for the traditional navy goat. Three huskies have been offered football officials of the University of Washing

Football teams of St. James High Signs to Play With Giants. school of Haverhill, Mass., and Colorado Springs High school meet here halfback and captain of the 1923 foot this afternoon in an intersectional ball team of Georgetown university. game. The St. James eleven cham- and a baseball star, has signed a conpions of New England, arrived here tract to play on the diamond for the yesterday and went through a light New York Giants, Secretary Tierney workout. Coach J. Edward Carroll announced. He said Florence will resaid his men were in good condition port at the end of the collegiate year,



Burtaloes, members of the Western league, together with Secretary Hans Reis, returned to Omaha this morning from Chicago, where they attended the annual meeting of major and minor leagues.

Burch had little to say regarding the signing of new players.

To Meet All Checker Players

Kruter, Cock of The Rocat, Harry D. also ran. Second race. 6 furiongs. No Wonder 112 (Legrer) 25.20 5.80 5.00 El Robie. 109 (Maiben)

Billy Ghson. 1)4 (Cantrill) ... 5.60 4.00 Billy Ghson. 1)4 (Cantrill) ... 5.80 4.00 Billy Ghson. 1)4 (Cantrill) ... 5.80 1.00 Interest 114 1-5. Beclaszle, Certain Point, Romulus, Sea Way, Rusticator, Mrs. Pat. Senator Donian also ran. Third race 5 furiongs:
Litt, 104 (Walls) ... 6.80 2.80 2.80 Belle of Ebtown, 107 (Horn) ... 6.80 4.00 Time: 1:00 2:5. Judge Pryor, Motor Cop, Lucky Hugh, Diamond Dick, also ran. To Meet All Checker Players

A. H. Burke, crack checker player of St. Louis, will meet all comers in simultaneous play at the Omaha Chess club headquarters, room 14, Patter-club headquarters, room 14, Patter-club headquarters, and block, Monday evening at \$ 120.

Friday's Results

TIAJUANA.

Pirst race, 54 furlongs Lady Leband, 116 (Maibon) 10.00 8.00 2.20 Woodle Montgomery, 111 (O'Donnell) 11.00 8.00 2.20 XField entry Mac and Mic also ran, XField entry Series (Corp. 11.00 8.00 XField entry Series (Corp. 12.00 XFIEld e

NEW ORLEANS.