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# University of Nebraska Cagers Upset Dope Bucket When They Defeat Creighton

## HUSKERS HAND BLUEJAYS FIRST TRIMMING OF SEASON WHEN THEY WIN BY SCORE OF 25 TO 21

Coach Schabinger Will Give Blue and White Hoopsters Rest Today, But Will Resume Training Monday Afternoon for Two-Game Series With Marquette at Milwaukee Friday and Saturday-Team to Leave Omaha Wednesday Evening.

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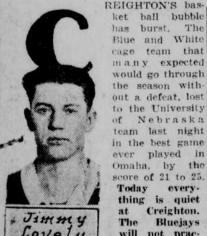
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Creighton.

Bluejays



will not practice until Monday afternoon when they will reume preparations for the two-game series against Marquette university at Milwaukee next Friday and Saturday. The team leaves Omaha Wednesday night for Chicago and then to Milwaukee.

Coach Schabinger of Creighton has He is satisfied that his men played the best they could. Nebraska played different against the Bluejays than it did against the Kansas university at Lincoln last Saturday when it

'A crowd estimated at 5,000, pushed, shoved and otherwise managed to get into the gymnasium to get a glimpse of the two crack basket ball teams of this state in action.

Creighton entered the game the big favorite and followers of the Bluejays had a reason to put the team on top. Creighton has won eight straight games, defeating Iowa and Indiana in its march to an untarnished record for the season, while Nebraska won three games in a row and then lost four consecutive battles.

Nebraska didn't outplay Creighton the Huskers. It was one of those basketball games where the breaks Drake university tonight. of the contest play an important role, first for one team and then the other. It was the good passing of the Huskshots count that spelled defeat for

the Bluelays. Creighton piled up 3 points before the Huskers counted in the first half. out when the Nebraska hoopsters started they soon forged to the front never to be tied or behind in scoring. The score at the end of the first half Haley, ig. was 15 to 11 in favor of the Scarlet

Play was faster in the second period and the defense and offense

### Sport Sparks

OW is the time when college athletes will migrate from gymnasium and exercise brain mus cles in annual seance with profes-Coming examinations will show how fast they can read off

Gridiron heroes who formerly snubbed greasy grinds will now cuddle up to them like long-lost brothers. Just now every athlete wants to be cross-eyed and park next to walking encyclopedias dur-

A little knowledge is a dangerous thing. Especially when you've got to pass a stiff exam to be eligible for

If college pitchers could pass exlike they pass batters they would be awarded all-wool sheep-

And if rah-rah shortstops could handle French verbs like they scoop up grounders they could continue enny ante sessions instead of wastng valuable time studying.

One quarterback never missed a signal in a football game, but when it came to chemistry he couldn't remember one formula out of the whole book.

He could hit any lines except th ones in a German translation

When exams come college crew men who can easily pull eight-foot oars will be unable to push fountain pen for more than two consecutive minutes. They have strong backs but weak minds.

And sluggers who hit baseball curves out of the lot will take three swings at curves in geometry prob- pulled up his anchor and drove that next time,

### in the final half and their short passing sandwiched in with long shots worked the ball down the floor many times. Creighton changed its short passing game to long shooting and twice sunk the leather through the irons from long range.

of both teams was better. The

Huskers were faster on their feet

Thirty-five seconds still Nebraska held a 23 to 21 lead. Urged on by the thousantle of Creighpassed, but to no advantage. Once, in the dying minutes of the contest, Creighton get the ball down close to ts goal, but again when Mahoney oasket. It was Creighton's last chance is Nebraska got the ball and quick as flash charged down the floor, the peedy little Cozier keeping to the The ball was passed from ne Husker to another until it got n Cozier's hands. He dribbled in his usual way down the floor and when within a few feet of his basket shot the final field goal of the game. It vas as pretty a shot as ever witnessed

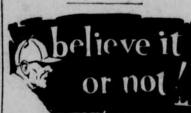
Just before the game ended, Creighton tried from long range, but the ball rimmed the basket. It wouldn't go through the net and the Bluejays, considered one of the best teams in this section of the coutnry, bowed their heads in defeat before a team from the University of

executed.

To Cozier and Usher, Nebraska forwards, belongs a world of praise. They played their parts well, but not any better than did Lovely and Trautman of Creighton, although Cozier was the leading scorer of the evening, langing up six field baskets. Mahoney was the leading point getter for the Bluejays, scoring three

field goals. Haley, the Creighton guard, caged two field goals and played the game of his career, while Tipton was any more than Creighton outplayed equally as good on guarding as Haley. Nebraska left last night for Des Moines where the Huskers play

The lineup: Sher rf (C.)..... loodson c....... lipton, rf..... 1 4 6 Totals..... 9 3 6 3



it was a cold drive, Sam was that Gibbons and Dempsey would rather anxious that they make good meet, but then Texas hasn't every ime. The road map showed that the thing to say in the premises. Demprip was about 150 miles but it is sey has not signed to meet Gibbons eally only about 120 miles. Slogging and may not do so. long the roads Sam kept on remarkng that McCaffrey had an anchor out or that the car couldn't make didn't exactly please Mack so he answered a question as to how far they were from Laurel with the remark sign, "Welcome to Laurel." He



east all other signs showing word Laurel. Then he pulled up at a filling station.

Sam stepped out and asked the gas man how far it was to Laurel. tion attendant, "This is Lauxel. Sam is of the opinion that Mack

### Gibbons has a contract offering him Stanley Davies Turns in Good Stribling to Meet Score at San Antonio Golf Course

Omaha Field club, who is at San open starts. antonio, Tex., preparing for the an-The newspaper article regarding nual Texas open which opens in that Stan and his 70 follows: city February 14 and continues until February 15, recently shot the Breckenridge park municipal course there in 70, considered quite a feat principal to an article which appeared in a San Antonio newspaper, Davies scored a 39 going out and a 31 coming home. This wee bit of golf on the part of the Omaha Field club "pro" has stamped him as one who

## Will Meet Morrie Schlaifer in Ten-Round Bout Thursday at Auditorium

OLKS, here's Jimmie Jones of Youngstown, O., who will meet Schlaifer at the Auditorium Thursday night in the main event of a show being promoted under the auspices of the Omaha Athletic club. Jones is scheduled to arrive in Omaha sometime today. He will start training tomorrow afternoon. Reports from Youngstown say he has fully recovered from his bout with Wells.



## Talk of Dempsey-Gibbons Return Match Appears Somewhat Premature

York. Dempsey would rather fight British Golfers Gibbons because they are better drawing cards with the public.

Talk of a Dempsey-Gibbons fight pass. It is true that Tom Gibbons is signed up to a contract by Tex drove to Laurel last fall and as bons it was with the idea in mind

Jack Kearns, who steered the than a year. Dempsey craft from obscurity to the championship, has some idea of what more than 19 miles an hour. This Dempsey should get out of his next financial gains in it for the chamwon't enthuse from the money point championship match is played.

> The fact that Tom went 15 rounds percentage of the fight followers be lieve that Jack let Gibbons stay on that occasion. There is no real rea son for thinking that he did; but it's hard to prove that he didn't. The "go" was probably on the level and Gibbons managed to last because of his boxing ability, which is extraordinary as fighters go nowadays, Dempsey simply couldn't catch him In another fight Jack might get him quick as a flash. Anyhow, that bout was good enough for Shelby but Kearns will need a lot of con vincing that New York and the rest of the country are going to empty their pockets into any promoter's box office to see what may happen next time if there ever is going to be any

At this stage of the controversy

# Burke February 18

Stanley Davies, professional at the will bear watching when the Texas of the First Regiment Armory of Newark, N. J., are unable to get the

ainty of another fight between Jack June, but if Dempsey can't see Gib- day night. bons the offer amounts to nothing. have drawn down a greater part of Bige of Omaha and Jack O'Toole of

# Fail to Hit Stride

New York, Feb. 2.-Evidently those foreign stars, Arthur Havers and James Ockenden, British and French the country. Jones is at present conopen champions, respectively, have not "struck their stride" as yet in Rickard. It is also true that at the this country. In the recent California open state championship at the Los Angeles Country club the visitors tory of Macdonald Smith was a popu lar one, as this former metropolitar open champion has staged a remarkable "comeback" in a little more

The greens on this side are faster fight and he frankly states that an the speedy turf. Unless the British Schlaifer's 1923 whiriwind campaign. opponent like Gibbons isn't a big champion gets on his game in a short enough attraction. He won't draw time his chances for victory against they had another 30 miles to go. A the crowds through the turnstiles Sarazen in California are none too short way more and he spotted a and Kearns can't see any great bright. The uncertainty of his putt- of victories for the past year. ing game is only temporary and he pionship combination in training for should be able to get back at top anybody over whom the fight fans form before the unofficial world's

In the British open last June Macdonald Smith finished in third place. with Dempsey in Shelby means noth. Rumor has it that "Mac" may be ing to Kearns. True or not, a great found in this district ere another sea-Island is trying to sign him up.

# INTERNATIONAL CHAMP IN SHOW Johnny Tillman, Soldier Bartifield.

Los Angeles, Feb. 2 .- Dolf, international champion and grand champion of America for 1923, owned by P. A. B. Widener of Elkins, Pa., is one of the entrants in the third anhere today with 214 canine bluebloods Dundee Halts on exhibition.



antamweight and "Dandy Di f Fort Worth fought a draw. Phoenix, Ariz.—Billy Hunfield, Los nts, Ga., claimant to the negro middle-eight championship of the United ates, won over Son Goodrich, San An-nio negro in 12 rounds.

New Orleans—Basil Gallano, New Orleans lightweight, won a 15-round decion over Charlie Pitt of Australia. Waterloo, Ia.—Earl Blue, Minneapolis middleweight, knocked out Jack Schafer of Omaha in the second round of a scheduled 10-round bout, Opening Preliminary—Joe Stanglagainst Harvey Perkins, six Second Preliminary-Sailor Lis-

ton against Al Van Ryan, six

Matchmaker Denny Ryan today an-

Jimmy Jones, who is to meet Morrie Change in Golf Sioux City. Schlaifer in the main event, is probably the inst obstacle in the way of the Omaha welter's demands for a match with Champion Mickey Walk-

Schlaifer, in the past eight months,

Billy Wells, Paul Doyle, Cowboy Probably no other welterweight. in the country, with the exception of

Jones, by virtue of his decision victories over Dave Shade and Eddie Shevlin, is generally considered the cading challenger for Walker's title. In addition to the Shade and 1923 shows knockout victories over making courses look ridiculous is Shevlin victories, Jones' record for Cowboy Padgett, Billy Wells, Tillie son passes, as a new club on Long Kid Herman, Johnny Ward and Wally Hinckle, and newspaper decisions ever Pete Latzo, Frankie Schoell.

Barney Adair and others. Jones is scheduled to arrive Omaha this afternoon, and will work out Monday at the Business Men's

New York, Feb. 2.-Besides holding he featherweight and junior lightweight titles, Johnny Dundee, veteran of more than 300 ring battles, still re tains recognition as the leading blaser of fistic championship hopes. The scalp of Pal Moran, New Or-

Madison Square Garden, where Johnny won the judge's decision in a 15whose sensational knockout victories over Charley White and Johnny Shugrue recently had pointed him to wards a title match with Benny Leon-

able, has spoiled the aspirations of nore than one title contender in the ast decade or more and Moran, despite expectations, proved no excep-

To Moran's credit it should be said he was not badly beaten.

# MORE THAN 100 ATHLETES OUT FOR PLACES ON HUSKER TEAM

Coach Schulte After Fourth Straight Missouri Valley Track Championship---Fourteen Letter Men Are Working for Places on This Season's Team-"Red" Layton Lone Veteran in Quarter-Mile Division.



100 athletes is daily hitting the train- good. Memorial stadium and when spring ley weather permits, outdoor workouts.

Schulte expects to have 500 men in event The veteran track mentor has brought three Missouri valley championships to Nebraska Uni-

### Osborne Expected to Win Decatholon

early in the campaign of preparation for the Paris Olympic games it is plainly evident that Uncle Sam's veteran high hurdler. New men show hopes for a place in the Decatholog championship will rest on the surg- clud Ed Weir, former high school ing shoulders of Hal Osborne, the re- pentathlon champion and university markable all-around athlete of the football captain-elect; Rhodes, var-

also one of the most proficient all- who will be a member of the squad round performers in the world. He as soon as he finishes his work on is the only man in the United States the basket ball squad, and Reese. who appears to have a chance of keeping step with Charley Hoff, Norway's super-vaulter, jumper and run-ner in the Olympic all-around classic.

## McGraw to Take Seven Pitching Recruits South for Spring Training

New York, Feb. 2.-In his de here from the Southern association. McGraw now has seven minor National league champions permaleague prospects to be put on the nently. Malone and Bradshaw, obgrill at Sarasota, Fla. He got the tained from Toledo, are merely ex- Gleason and Brown are the veteran moted 120 important glove fights nounced the program of bouts, four midget southpaw, Gearin, from Mil- periments of unknown quality. and it is as which have netted \$9,550,556 in gross in all, and stated he might add an ad- waukee last summer, but the latter's Maun, who made an excellent show-

New York, Jan. 26.—It is generally uers. slugger succeeds in defeating the limitation and the national body will a

One prominent golfer gave it as his formances. opinion that, whatever is decided upon Padgett, Panama Joe Gans, Tillie Kid by the United States Golf association, the prediction of the Giants' agents. Herman. Dago Joe Gans, Patsy should be after long and careful de-Rocco, Jimmy Clabby, Harry Sim-liberation; that the officials should mons, Charlie Long. Rocky Smith and be careful not to make any mistake. than in England and it takes time mons, Charlie Long, Rocky Sinta at the victims of This individual goes on to say that Tigers, said the other day that if Two ruling bodies-the United States Golf ruling bodies—the United States Golf association and St. Andrews—should would flutter at Navin field instead try to curtail the pleasure of long of the Yankee stadium. It has leaked Jones, can sport formidable a record

"Half the fun of the game consists in the tee shot; it gives a mental satball, why should they be debarred from it? All this talk about players erratic in his conduct, it is thought not borne out by the facts. At Troon least June, in the long driving cham, services. last June, in the long driving championship, the longest effort did not reach 300 yards. I venture to assert that 95 per cent of players rarely account women as well. Because Hagen, Hutchison, Sarazen, Barnes. Ray, Mitchell, Duncan, Havers and a prominent amateurs drive Yankees. enormous distances, are the vast majority of players-the duffers-to be debarred from the greatest pleasure in the game? The importance of the Pal Moran's Rise the approaching and putting that counts. What does it avail a player o drive 250 yards, fluff his mashie

### approach and take three putts? MITCHELL TO FIGHT TENDLER

Milwaukee, Feb. 2.-Pinkie Mitchell, junior welterweight's champion, will sign to box Lew Tendler of Philadelleans lightweight, was added to the phia, Pa., here February 11, according bounding Italian's belt last night at to announcement made last night. Mitchell and Tendler will headline round match and abruptly checked gether Joe Tiplitz, stablemate of six-round bout at the Auditorium he upward climb of the southerner. Tendler, and Johnny Mendelsohn of Thursday night. Milwaukee. Both bouts are for 10 rounds, no-decision.

New York, Feb. 2.-Mrs. Harion Zinderstein Jessup of Wilmington, Del., and Miss Lillian Scharman of New York meet today in the final match of the annual indoor tennis

staff of the Giants, Manager John manager and may remain with the

receipts. The boxers and Uncle Sam ditional six-round bout between Orwin skill is doubtful. Webb, who comes ing in the Western league, set the favorably. Giants back about \$15,000, and is thought to be a "find." But in Dean of Louisville and Baldwin of Newark whose releases cost nearly \$60,000. McGraw feels sure that he has picked Ball to Be Made McGraw feels sure that he has picked up winners. Both Dean and Baldwin seem to possess the quality and class which make successful major leag-

> has disposed of every opponent set believed by golfers that there will be Dean is said to be a temperamenta before him, and has waded through no change made in the ball until late youth, inclined to take himself a bit some of the best welterweights in in 1925 or early in 1926. This con- too seriously, but when he gets under clusion is based on the fact that the McGraw's wing he may have to sidered the outstanding contender for United States Golf association is still change his mind. Baldwin is a right-hander. With Newark in Rapids and right-hander 29 complete games olds and up Walker's title, and if the Omaha making experiments along lines of typical "iron man." Like Dean he is Ohioan, there is no other outstand- surely give the manufacturers at least 1923, he pitched 29 complete games ing challenger to dispute Morrie's a year to get rid of the stock legisof which 21 were victories, more than
> right to another bout with the cham-

> > If Dean and Baldwin come up to McGraw's box department will be materially improved.

Harry Heilman, of the Cobb landed a certain star to play out that the "certain star" is "Rab bit" Maranville, veteran shortstop, on have asked for waivers. As Maranville is a high salaried player, also that few if any of the National

If Maranville, therefore, is waived out of the Heydler circuit, Cobb will engage him: With the Rabbit coverpass the 200-yard mark, taking into ing second base for the Tigers, a posttion that will be easy for him, Cobb figures that his team at least can keep step with the world champion



National leaguer and now manager of Oklahoma City, testified yesterday in Joe Jackson's suit for back salary against the White Sox that the play ing of Jackson was good in the 1919 world series.

a card which will also bring to Sailor Liston of Council Bluffs in a

Roger P. Bresnahan of Toledo has disposed of his holdings in the Toledo lub of the American association to oseph D. O'Brien of New York.

Sammy Mandell, through his manager, Eddie Kane, has challenged Johnny Dundee for the junior light

weight championship.

versity, achieving the trio of triumphs in succession, thereby gaining for Nebraska permanent possession of a Missouri valley cup. year are Captain Gardner, Layton, Higgins, Lukens, Weir, Slemmons, Cohen, Crites, Hartmen, Parks, Meyers, Hatch, Turner, Gleason and Brown. Coach Schulte is shy veterans in

Athletic club in the sprints this season, a part of the his season. A squad of more than promising are Hein, Loke and Blood ing grind on the indoor track at the 220-yard events in the Missouri valfreshman telegraphic meet last year, while Kein was second in each

Layton is the lone veteran in the quarter mile. Other promising 440yard men include Whipperman, Bloodgood, Scherick, Crites and Fairchild.

Captain Gardner and Higgins are the veteran half-milers. In the distance events the letter men are Cohen, Slemmons and Bob Weir. New men showing promise in this branch are Zimmerman, captainelect of the cross-country team; Haskel, Schultz, Dickson, Hyde and Wright.

"Wing" Lear, Omaha medic, is the sity football end and holder of high Osborne, a great high jumper, is school records in the jumps; Beerkle Crites, who holds the varsity record

will lead the low hurdlers. Hartman and Parks, letter men, look like the best of the group in the shot put, while Myers, veteran, will lead the discus event with Pospisil and Ogden showing

Howard Turner, who holds the varsity for the high jump with 6 feet 1 and 38 inches, is the letter man back in the high jump. Rhodes and Drishaus also look good.

veteran in . suit. Weir, Rhodes and Bloodgood, new timber, have been pole vaulters, with Davis, Rhodes. Wirsig, Popelar and H. Gish showing

Friday's Results.

TIAJUANA.

First race: Purse, \$600; 2-year-olds; 3 115 (Malben) ... 16.80 2.20 5.60 . 118 (Cantrell) ... 5.80 4.80 day, 114 (O'Donnell) ... 2.50 36 4. Herdsman, Sequan, Shasta and Clarabel, also ran, race: Mile and 70 yards; 4-year-up: Second race: Mile and 70 yards: 4-year-ds and up: dishin, 112 (Barnes) ... 27.40 7.00 4.20 unger, 108 4.7 Smith) ... 3.20 2.40 unger, 108 4.7 Smith Tennille. George useress, 103 (Berrity)

Time 1:47. Sample Tennille. George userlebach. Tennilress, Wissinder, Berce E., Jean Corey, Every Woman and the Sailor also ran.

Third race Purss \$100: 3-year-olds and ... 5 furlough. ... 50 2.20 and ... 5 furlough. ... 50 2.20 and ... 5 furlough. ... 50 2.20 and Tiptee 112 (Wood) ... 2.20 2.20 and Tiptee 112 (Wood) ... 2.20 2.20 and winfrey. Thrills, Miss Dunbar and un George also ran.

Fourth race: Mile and 70 yards. 3-year-ds and up, purss \$500: ar Penny, 108 (O'Donnell).420 2.40 2.20 irian Kent, 100 (Gerrity) ... 27.20 14.40 iriss Claire. 107 (Mathen).

Time: 1:45 3-5. Van Loo, Mayor House, and Mac, Calgary Lad and The Wag also and Fifth race: 6 furlough. 5-year-olds and fifth race: 6 furlongs, 6-year-olds and purse \$300: ayort regular Girl. Sear in Little tope, also ran.
Sixth race: \$100, 3-year-olds and up:
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dittle Chief. 118 (P. Hurn) ... out out
aylor Maid, 101 (Wood) ... out
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Seventh race: 70 yards, 4-year-olds and

. 1600:
. 108 (O'Donnell) ... 6.00 4.20 2.20
raps. 111 Ridmour ... 21.00 10.00
norinite. 108 (J. Smith) ... 2.30
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codie Montgomery. Sophie Gelman and
rirress also ran.
Eighth race: Mile and a furiong. 4ar-olds and up. \$600:
der Pierson. 39 (Wood) ... 1.50 2.20
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Time: 1.55 3-5. Sportsman, Louis. The
it and Pedra also ran.

NEW ORLEANS.

Dreamer, 102 (McCoy) 4-5 1-4 out
Time 1-4; 2-5 Lester Doctor, Wong
lok, Norseland and Barrister also ran,
Fifth race: Purse, \$1,000; 3-year-olds;