



# Omaha Bee Sports



## TECH MAY PROVE STUMBLING BLOCK TO LINCOLN HOOPSTERS AND CREIGHTON PREPSTERS

### Coach Drummond's Basketeers to Play Links on Own Floor Friday and Young Bluejays Following Night—Central and Coach Brown's Red and Black Cagers to Battle Saturday at Tech Gymnasium.

WO Omaha fives, Tech and Central, may prove a stumbling block in the path of Lincoln High's undefeated basketball quintet which will invade this city for a pair of games Friday and Saturday of this week.

Coach Brown's athletes trimmed Central, 30 to 19, in a hard-fought battle two weeks ago on the Whittier floor. Marrow, Purple and White forward was the whole for the Omaha quintet, caging 10 of the losers' total markers.

The Tech game scheduled for last Friday night was called off after 18 minutes of play when the lights blinked out. The Drummond outfit held a 2-point margin, 10 to 8, when time was called.

Omaha Central and Tech will also exchange greetings in the feature battle of the season for Omaha cage fans. The Purple and White aggregation sent Sioux City High's good sharks down for the count Saturday night, taking the long end of an 18 to 17 score.

Beatrice High's basket tossers will hit the road, colliding with Hebron, Geneva and Hastings on successive evenings. The Gage county quintet took a brace last week and trimmed Wilber and the University Aggies by decisive scores.

Albion high, conquerors of Havelock's speedy hoop artists, will tackle Central City and Fullerton. The York good shooters, tutored by Ernie Hubka, meet Grand Island on the latter's floor. The Genoa Indian outfit, a head-line attraction in past state tournaments, will be seen in action on the Havelock court Friday night. The Redskins gave the Shoptown five a 29-to-26 trouncing on the Genoa receding last week.

Joe Folsom's Nebraska City tossers, who hopped to the front by giving Patton's South Omaha quintet a 25-to-11 beating, will angle with Falls City High's team. Fremont will meet Norfolk, and Milford will be entertained by Coach Hare's University Place quintet, which threw a score into the Lincoln High camp Saturday night.

Alliance and Bayard will argue on the Bayard floor, and later in the week Coach Prince's outfit is scheduled to play Sidney, another representative western team.

Marquette's basket ball team, which has been setting a fast pace in high school cage circles, will grapple with Folk High's tossers, and Ravenna will meet Harvard in the other important contests on the week's program.

## OFFICIAL AMERICAN LEAGUE SCHEDULE, 1924

The	At Chicago	At St. Louis	At Detroit	At Cleveland	At Washington	At Philadelphia	At New York	At Boston	Abroad	
Chicago.....	<b>Omaha</b>	Apr. 23, 24, 25 May (30), (30), 31 June 1 June 19, 20, 21, 22	Apr. 26, 27, 28, 29 May 27, 28, 29 June 1, 2, 3 Sept. 9, 10, 11	May 1, 2, 3, 4 May 27, 28, 29 Aug. 28, 29, 30, 31	May 23, 24, 25, 26 July 17, 18, 19, 20 Aug. 21, 22, 24	May 19, 20, 21, 22 July 16, 17, 18, 19 Aug. 25, 26, 27	May 16, 11, 12, 13 July 8, 9, 10, 11 Aug. 16, 17, 18	May 14, 15, 16, 17 July 12, 13, 14, 15 Aug. 15, 16, 17, 18	Decorations Day at St. Louis	
St. Louis.....	<b>Bee</b>	Apr. 19, 20, 21, 22 May 27, 28, 29 Sept. 4, 5, 6, 7	Apr. 19, 20, 21, 22 July 4, (4), (4), 5, 6	May 5, 6, 7, 8 June 30- July 1, 2, 3 Sept. 27, 28	May 18, 20, 21, 22 July 17, 18, 19, 20 Aug. 25, 26, 27	May 23, 24, 26 July 21, 22, 23, 24 Aug. 20, 21, 22, 23	May 14, 15, 16, 17 July 12, 13, 14, 15 Aug. 12, 13, 14	May 9, 10, 12, 13 July 8, 9, 10, 11 Aug. 16, 18, 19	July 4th at Detroit	
Detroit.....	<b>Prints</b>	May 5, 6, 7, 8 Sept. 26, 27, 28	May 1, 2, 3, 4 May 29, 30, 31, 26 Aug. 29, 30, 31	Apr. 25, 24, 25 June 1 June 27, 28, 29 July 7	May 16, 11, 12, 13 May 30, 30, 31, 18 Aug. 16, 17, 18	May 14, 15, 16, 17 July 13, 14, 15 Aug. 21, 22, 24	May 23, 24, 26 July 21, 22, 23, 24 Aug. 21, 23, 24	May 19, 20, 21, 22 Aug. 25, 26, 27	Decorations Day at Cleveland Labor Day at Chicago	
Cleveland.....	<b>Results</b>	Apr. 19, 20, 21, 22 June 23, 24, 25 July (4), (4), 5, 6	Apr. 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 Sept. (1), (1), 2, 3 Sept. 11, 12	Apr. 15, 16, 17, 18 June 19, 20, 21, 22 Sept. 5, 6, 7	June 7, 8, 9, 10 July 26, 27, 28, 29 Sept. 16, 17, 18	May 9, 10, 12, 13 July 8, 9, 10, 11 Aug. 16, 18, 19	May 18, 20, 21, 22 July 17, 18, 19, 20 Aug. 25, 26, 27	May 23, 24, 26 July 21, 22, 23, 24 Aug. 25, 26, 27	July 4th at Chicago Labor Day at St. Louis	
Washington.....	<b>of All</b>	June 15, 16, 17, 18 July 7, 8, 9, 10 Sept. 22, 23, 24	June 11, 12, 13, 14 Aug. 4, 5, 6 Sept. 19, 20, 21	June 7, 8, 9, 10 July 30, 31- Aug. 1, 2 Sept. 13, 14, 15	June 7, 8, 9, 10 July 26, 27, 28, 29 Sept. 16, 17, 18	May 11 June 3, 4, 5, 6 July 1, 2 Aug. 1, 2 Sept. 13, 14	Apr. 23, 24, 25, 26 June 2 June 20, 21 Aug. 8, 9, 10, 11	May 1, 2, 3 May 9 May 23, 24, 25 Sept. 26, 27, 29, 30	May 5, 6, 7, 8 May (30), (30), 21 May 26, 27, 29, 30	Decorations Day at Boston Labor Day at Washington
Philadelphia.....	<b>Major</b>	June 11, 12, 13, 14 Aug. 3, 4, 5, 6 Sept. 19, 20, 21	June 7, 8, 9, 10 July 30, 31- Aug. 1, 2 Sept. 13, 14, 15	June 7, 8, 9, 10 July 26, 27, 28, 29 Sept. 16, 17, 18	May 11 June 3, 4, 5, 6 July 1, 2 Aug. 1, 2 Sept. 13, 14	Apr. 15, 16, 17, 18 June 1 June 22 June 26, 28 Sept. (1), (1)	Apr. 23, 24, 25, 26 June 2 June 20, 21 Aug. 8, 9, 10, 11	Apr. 27 May 5, 6, 7, 8 May (30), (30), 21 May 26, 27, 29, 30	Apr. (19), (19), 21 May 23, 24, 25, 26 Aug. 25, 26, 29, 30	April 19th at Boston Decorations Day at New York Labor Day at Washington
New York.....	<b>and</b>	June 7, 8, 9, 10 July 30, 31- Aug. 1, 2 Sept. 13, 14, 15	June 7, 8, 9, 10 July 26, 27, 28, 29 Sept. 16, 17, 18	May 18 June 15, 16, 17 July 26, 27, 28, 29 Aug. 7, 8, 9, 10 Sept. 22, 23	May 11 June 3, 4, 5, 6 July 1, 2 Aug. 1, 2 Sept. 13, 14	Apr. 19, 20, 21, 22 June 30- July 4, (4), (4), 5, 6	Apr. 23, 24, 25, 26 June 2 June 20, 21 Aug. 8, 9, 10, 11	May 1, 2, 3 May 9 May 23, 24, 25 Sept. 26, 27, 29, 30	Apr. (19), (19), 21 May 23, 24, 25, 26 Aug. 25, 26, 29, 30	Apr. 19th at Philadelphia Labor Day at New York
Boston.....	<b>Minor</b>	June 7, 8, 9, 10 July 30, 31- Aug. 1, 2 Sept. 13, 14, 15	June 7, 8, 9, 10 July 26, 27, 28, 29 Sept. 16, 17, 18	May 18 June 15, 16, 17 July 26, 27, 28, 29 Aug. 7, 8, 9, 10 Sept. 22, 23	May 11 June 3, 4, 5, 6 July 1, 2 Aug. 1, 2 Sept. 13, 14	Apr. 23, 24, 25, 26 June 2 June 20, 21 Aug. 8, 9, 10, 11	Apr. 27 May 5, 6, 7, 8 May (30), (30), 21 May 26, 27, 29, 30	Apr. (19), (19), 21 May 23, 24, 25, 26 Aug. 25, 26, 29, 30	Apr. 19th at Philadelphia Labor Day at New York	
At Home.....	<b>Games</b>	12 Saturdays 12 Sundays July 4th Labor Day Conflict: Sept. 25	12 Saturdays 12 Sundays Decorations Day Labor Day	12 Saturdays 12 Sundays July 4	12 Saturdays 12 Sundays Decorations Day Labor Day	11 Saturdays 15 Sundays July 4 Labor Day	12 Saturdays 13 Sundays July 4	13 Saturdays 13 Sundays April 19 Decorations Day	July 4th at Washington July 4th at Philadelphia Labor Day at New York	

## WORLD CHAMPION'S INFIELDER WILL NOT LEAVE FOLD, SAYS BUSINESS MANAGER OF YANKS

### Star Second Baseman of Miller Huggins' Team Will Not Be Traded Under Any Circumstances—Willing to Swap Pitchers With Chicago Americans, But as Far as Ruth, Ward, Dugan and Jones Are Concerned They Will Remain in Gotham.

By DAVIS J. WALSH.  
OSTON, MASS., Feb. 5.—Any premature idea the Yankees and Stanley Harris of the Senators are demurred in any transactions that might include Collins. Eddie was more valuable ball player than either, reckoned on last season's records, but the inevitable end of the tether is dead ahead and Ward and Harris are comparative youths. Therefore, no deal.

Something may come of the alleged attempt of the Detroit Tigers to wear one James Dykes, infielder, from the benign influence of Connie Mack. The Tigers, with Dykes at second base, will be a pennant contender of the first water. Without Dykes they are what might be termed a most doubtful risk. It was predicted therefore, that a studied attempt would be made this meeting to do business with Mack although it was stated today that Ty Cobb would turn up missing.

The meeting itself is just a bro-mide, adoption of a schedule being a formality. However, it will be garnished with considerable conversation on ways and means to have the amusement tax read out of minor baseball. It is understood that an appeal will be presented to official, identity not disclosed, in Washington.

Griffith also got himself more or less exercised over the possibility of a deal with the Cleveland Indians last night, but all to no purpose. E. S. Barnard, the Cleveland emissary, merely gazed into Mr. Griffith's eye and went elsewhere, leaving the news scavengers to speculate as to what the proposition, if any, happened to be.

However, Griffith has other fish to fry, so to speak. He faces the necessity of taking unto himself a manager for the season of 1924, a mere trifle that has escaped Mr. Griffith's attention to date. He admitted today that he has been negotiating with Jack Barry, who shortstopped with considerable eclat for Connie Mack in the old days and later managed the Boston Red Sox into second place. Jack was not in a receptive mood, but Mr. Griffith hopes to secure him.

The Collins matter might be resuscitated at today's meeting if the Chicago White Sox will consent to detail some one to look after their interests here, something they had neglected to do up until this morning. Harry Grayner, secretary of the club, is understood to be en route, but unofficially, he can do nothing without Conny's instruc-

## Babe Ruth Shakes Dice to Decide If He Would Get \$10,000 for Signing Five-Year Contract

EW YORK, Feb. 5.—Babe Ruth's contract with the New York Yankees has three years more to run at the annual figure of \$52,000. This it was today, in the result of the club's decision to exercise the two-year option it received when the home run king signed a three-year agreement in 1922. It now figures the Babe's salary will be a quarter of a million for the five-year period, but from a variety of sources, including barnstorming, his earnings may double that amount.

An interesting story is told of the conference between Ruth and Col. T. L. Houston, former part owner of the Yankees, at which the contract was signed. After agreeing on \$50,000 as his yearly salary, Babe said: "Now I ought to have \$10,000 for signing."

Colonel Houston demurred at first, but finally suggested that they "shake for it." They rolled out a pair of dice and Ruth won, but it was then agreed that the \$10,000 be distributed

## Iowa Cagers Make Poor Showing

### Hawkeyes Fail to Hit Strike That Brought Them Honors Last Season.

Iowa City, Ia., Feb. 5.—Defeated in three of four parts in the western conference basket ball race this season, and holding eighth place in the conference standings, the University of Iowa basket ball team will meet the Ohio State five at Iowa City next Saturday. The Buckeyes hold a 45 to 23 decision over Coach Sam Barry's men, made in the game at Columbus fortnight ago, but they are rated as an "in and out" team, having won two and lost three games this season.

Coach Barry's newest team—the third he has constructed since the season opened—lost to Chicago on Tuesday last Saturday night by a 31 to 13 score, but only after a furious fight. This combination, with Janse and Laude at forwards, Jensen at center, and Captain Hicks and Duhm at the guards, had been playing together only five days, but for the first half of the Maroon contest it held the visitors baffled and outplayed. Accurate shooting by Hector Janse, and flashes of good team play piled up a 15 to 6 lead for the Hawkeyes in the first period, but the Chicago team brought the score down to 15 to 12 at the half. In the second period the Iowans slackened while the Maroons, gathering power and making their long shots count, ran the count up to 27 to 15.

The Hawkeyes never pulled together again, although they did all they could against the impregnable defense of the Chicago team, which now looms as a serious contender for the conference title.

It was the first basket ball defeat for Iowa on the new armory floor since 1922.

Coach J. M. Barry will keep the same lineup, it is believed, for the Ohio State game. Duhm at guard and Jensen at center played all the basket ball they knew against Chicago, and with another week of practice with Janse, Laude and Hicks, the only remaining veterans, should be able to develop.

Although Iowa now confronts the likelihood of finishing the season well down the list in the standings, the team's followers believe that the present combination will show well against any team in the conference when it has worked together another week or so. Starting out with bright prospects for an unclouded Big Ten title, to supplant the championship which they won jointly last season from the Wisconsin five, Iowa faded from the head of the column early in the season with the loss of Captain Burgitt, Funk and then Shick, all regulars and the first two members of last year's quintet.

## Norway's Athletes Easy Winners of the Olympic Winter Sports

By Associated Press.  
CHAMONIX, France, Feb. 5.—Norway's athletes amassed 134 1/2 points out of the total of 391 in winning the Olympic winter sports which closed here yesterday. Finland was second with 76 1/2, the two northern countries thus taking more than half of the points allotted.

Great Britain placed third with 39 points just missing out the United States with 29. The other scoring nations in the order of their finish were: Sweden 26; Austria 25; Switzerland 24; France 19 1/2; Canada 11; Czechoslovakia 8 1/2; Belgium 6 and Italy 1. The English came in ahead of the

Americans by virtue of their success at curling, in which competition only three nations were entered, the United States not being among them.

One cause of disappointment to the Americans was the ruling of the jury in the ski jumping contest, placing Anders Haugen of Minneapolis fourth, although his jump of 56 meters was the longest of any. The judges, however, said style and action were to be taken into consideration, in addition to the distance covered in the leaps. Thams, Bonna and Haug, all of Norway, were placed ahead of Haugen, further swelling their nation's point total.

## French Believe Grange in Line for Cue Title

Paris, Feb. 5.—Felix Grange, the French youth who has just won the 182 bulk line billiard championship of France, with a grand average of 25.72 for the five games of the tournament, is said by Louis Cure, the veteran French player, to be the finest draw shot player in the world.

In the final game against Edmond Derbier, the 1923 champion, Grange scored a high run of 248, clicking off the 500 points in seven innings. Thirty-nine of the points scored during the run were draw shots, some of which were extremely difficult and might have been played around the table, but Grange was willing to run the risk in order to keep the balls together.

There are many who predict young Grange's victory over Roger Conti, and the subsequent honor for the newcomer of representing France at the world's championship contest in the United States next year.

## Haitian Athletes Enter Olympiad

Port-Au-Prince, Haiti, Feb. 5.—For the first time in her history Haiti will be represented in the Olympic games. A rifle team of five principles and two alternates, selected from the best shots of the native gunneries, will compete in the 400, 500 and 800 meter rifle match, the sum of \$10,000 to finance the trip having been raised by private subscription. In addition subscriptions for the same amount are being raised to send two fencers and a small squad of track and field athletes to the Paris games.

This decision on the part of Haiti is the logical outcome of the remarkable growth among the Haitians this year in soccer, tennis, rifle shooting and bicycling. Haitians of the aristocracy as well as the peasants have had their banner year in athletics. Soccer has ousted cockfighting as the favorite pastime.

Tennis is a close second to soccer, with tennis courts being laid out in all parts of the island.

## Yank Athletes to Run in England

London, Feb. 5.—Ten events, six of them relays, have been suggested by the championship committee of the British Amateur Athletic association for the proposed Anglo-American match to be held Saturday, July 19, 1924, in London, after the athletes of the two countries have completed their sports at the Olympic games near Paris.

The suggested events are:

- 400-yard relay for teams of four, each runner running 100 yards.
- One mile relay for teams of four, each runner covering a quarter mile.
- Two-mile relay for teams of four, each runner going half a mile.
- Four-mile relay for teams of four, each runner covering a mile.
- 800 yards relay hurdles, for teams of four, each man jumping a fourth of the hurdles.
- Steeplechase for teams of four.
- One-mile medley race—440 yards, 220 yards, 220 yards and 440 yards.
- Three-mile team race, six to run, four to count, or four to run, three to count.
- High jump, aggregate total of a team of four.
- Long jump, aggregate total of a team of four.

## Want National Ski Meet.

Canton, S. D., Feb. 5.—An invitation to hold the national ski tournament here in 1925 will be sent by the officials of the Sioux Valley Ski club to the national tournament being staged in Brattleboro, Vermont, the coming week, it was advised.

## Alio Wins European Title.

Barcelona, Feb. 5.—Ricardo Alio, the Spanish fighter, today won the European welterweight title by beating Piet Hobin, of Belgium. Alio was declared the winner on points at the end of two rounds.

Detroit—Jack Renault knocked out "Digger" Brown, second round, Johnny Mellow, Detroit, outpointed Lee Giunchi, featherweight champion of Italy.

## Albion Cagers Defeat Havelock Quintet.

Albion, Neb., Feb. 5.—The fast Havelock basket ball team went down to defeat at the hands of the Albion High quintet Saturday evening on the local floor. Coach Tyler, formerly of Albion, has been gathering in many victories with his Havelock team, and came to Albion with much confidence.

He graciously claimed no abili, and admitted the superiority of his former Albion warriors. The score was 23 to 16. As a preliminary the Albion girls defeated the Schuyler girls by a score of 25 to 13.

## Lewis to Wrestle Gardini.

St. Louis, Feb. 5.—Ed "Strangler" Lewis, heavyweight wrestling champion, defends his title here tonight in a finish match with Renato Gardini, Italian champion. Josef Gurkewicz will clash with William Beth, and John Nykolins with Tommy Cannon, in preliminary bouts.

## Odell Cagers Win.

Odell, Neb., Feb. 5.—Odell defeated Barneston in a double header basket ball game here, the first team winning 24 to 0, and the seconds winning 24 to 0.

## The Greatest Boxing Match of the Year!

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Of Youngstown, O.  
Twice Conqueror of Dave Shade

VS

# MORRIE SCHLAIFER

Omaha's Fighting Fool "Going Like a House Afire"  
10 Rounds

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8:30 P. M.

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Semi-Windup

# Carl AUGUSTINE vs Chuck LAMBERT

Conqueror of Battling Munroe The Minneapolis Slugger  
10 Rounds

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6 Rounds

Harvey PERKINS vs Joe STANGL  
Of Casper, Wyo. "Cave Man"  
6 Rounds

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## With the KNIGHTS of the GLOVES

Beaver Falls, Pa.—Al Corbett, Cleveland, outpointed K. O. Michaels of Jamestown, N. Y., 10 rounds. Johnny Moore, Youngstown, O., outpointed Patsy Flannigan, Niles, O.; K. O. Mitchell, East Liverpool, outpointed "Young" Siki of Beaver Falls. Toledo—Jack Malone, St. Paul, won decision over "Young" Fisher, Syracuse, 12 rounds. Mickey Dugan, Cleveland, and "Chick" Alman, Toledo, eight rounds draw. Phil Kpith, Cincinnati, knocked out Adam Keats, Toledo, third round.