

Central and Creighton Prep Visitors of Last Week Were High Spot on Basket Ball Horizon

Purple and White's Decisive Victory Over Lincoln Quintet Big Upset, While Creighton Prep's Defeat of Omaha Tech Stamps the Young Bluejays as One of Strongest Squads in State.

ENTRAL'S decisive win over Lincoln and Creighton Prep's victory over Omaha Tech were the high spots on the state high school basket ball horizon last week. The Red and Black quit, after winning eight straight, had a disastrous road trip, losing to both Omaha Tech and Central.

Coach Drummond's Tech outfit showed flashes of state championship form in their game with Brown's proteges, but failed to come up to expectations against the young Bluejays and lost a hotly contested scrap, 23 to 20, on the Tech floor Saturday evening.

Authorize Lodge-Firpo Mix By Associated Press. Buenos Aires, Feb. 11.—The municipal boxing commission at its meeting held last night definitely authorized the holding of the fight between Luis Firpo, the Argentine heavyweight, and "Farmer" Lodge next Saturday.

Six Basket Games Here This Week

By "WAG." WITH the arrival in Omaha this morning of the Creighton university basketball team which won and lost in a two-game series against Marquette last week, interest in the court game received a big boost.

Husker Prospects on Cinder Path Appear Bright

Coach Schulte Satisfied With Showing Made by Athletes at Kansas City.

Lincoln, Feb. 11.—Watch Missouri and Kansas in track this season. Likewise it might be well to keep an eye on Nebraska. Coach Henry Schulte sounded these suggestions—or warnings—upon his return from Kansas City and the K. C. A. C. indoor meet there, where he had his first chance to see not only how the Missouri valley stacks up on the cinders this season, but likewise how his Nebraska charges act under fire.

He cited an example which illustrates the situation. The best Ed Weir had been able to do over the 59-yard low hurdles here was 7.1, or a slow seven. He was nosed out in the semi-finals of this event at Kansas City, but he stepped the distance in 6.55 seconds.

Turner and Lyons Show Well. In the high jump, Hobbs Turner and Bill Lyons, the latter a Nebraska freshman, went out at 5 feet 11 inches. Tom Poore was the only cinder, he went 6 feet 1 inch.

Lincoln's Prospective Baseball Manager

Howard J. Wakefield.



Howard J. Wakefield. At the left is the man who will direct the Lincoln Western league baseball club, provided the campaign to raise \$20,000 goes over, and the other man in the picture is well known to Omaha fans. It was the



Barney Burch. Having played with Cleveland and Washington from 1905 to 1907. He was a catcher. The picture was made while the two men were in Lincoln doing what they could to help the committee put over the drive for class A baseball.

NEBRASKA BASKETEERS AGAIN HIT WINNING STRIDE; DEFEAT THREE VALLEY TEAMS IN WEEK

Victory of Cornhuskers Over Grinnell, Missouri and Washington One of Features During Play in Missouri Valley Conference Cage Circles.

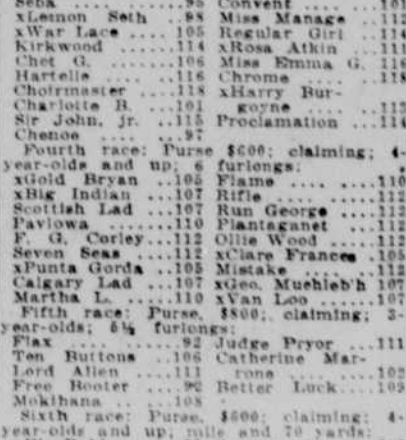
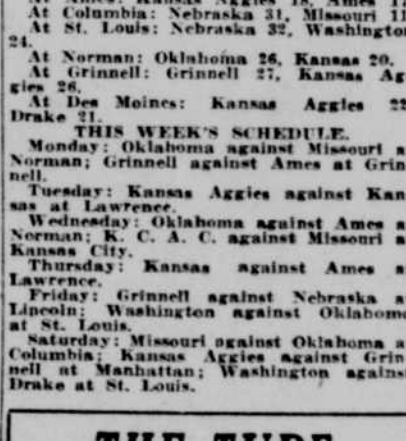
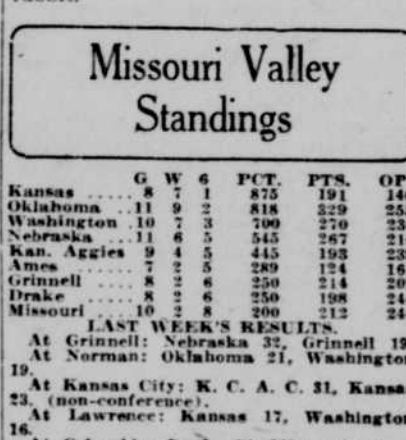
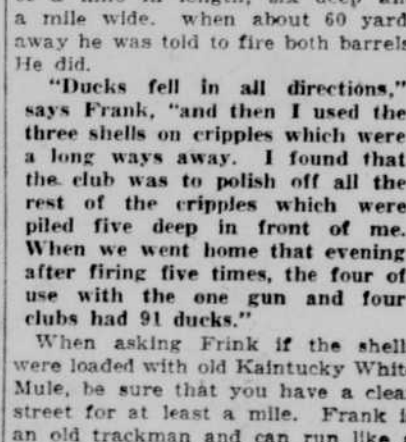
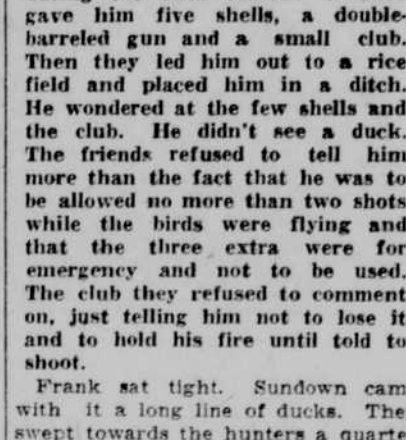
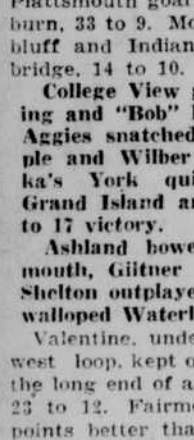
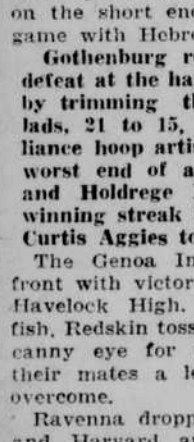
HE defeat of Kansas by Oklahoma after the Jayhawkers had compiled a Missouri Valley record of 24 consecutive conference victories, the flop of the Washington Pikers who have been leading the race, and Oklahoma's continued bid for top honors featured the Missouri Valley basket ball race last week.

Nebraska climbed back above the 500 mark by winning all three starts, beginning with Grinnell and finishing off with Missouri and Washington. The Huskers administered the worst drubbing a Missouri basket ball team has suffered in many years, following this up by defeating Washington on the Pikers' own floor at St. Louis, which is no mean feat.

The Huskers are slated for but one game this week, when they will meet the Sooners at Lincoln Friday night. This will be the first home appearance for Coach Kline's crew in two weeks.

All the prophets who were predicting that no team would go through without a defeat are now shaking hands with themselves. Until last week neither Washington nor Kansas had a blotch on their respective records.

Table with Missouri Valley Standings, columns for Team, W, L, Pct., Pts. Won, Pts. Opp.



Daer's Bug Wash advertisement: "Daer's Bug Wash: Washed Bottles Five Years Ago and Is Now Rich Enough to Empty Them."

Firpo's Hop advertisement: "FIRPO'S HOP TO FORTUNE. Washed Bottles Five Years Ago and Is Now Rich Enough to Empty Them."

Firpo-Lodge Fight Feature advertisement: "Firpo-Lodge Fight Feature of Week's Schedule of Bouts."

Damon Runyon's Column advertisement: "Damon Runyon's Column."

THE TURF advertisement: "THE TURF. TAIAJANA. First race, Maiden, 2-year-old fillies."

With the KNIGHTS of the GLOVES advertisement: "With the KNIGHTS of the GLOVES."

U. S. Hockey Team Wins advertisement: "U. S. Hockey Team Wins. Paris, Feb. 10.—The United States Olympic hockey team defeated a French team in an exhibition match at the Palais des Graces tonight, 7 to 2."

Important Boxing Bouts This Week advertisement: "Important Boxing Bouts This Week."

Injured in Frisco. San Francisco, Feb. 11.—An injury, which may prevent him from competing in the Olympic games this year, was suffered last night by Clarence Pinkston, world's high diving champion.

Milwaukee Man High in Trap Shooting Match. Kansas City, Feb. 11.—C. W. Olney of Milwaukee led the field at the end of the second day of the international trap championship.

Wargo Bowler Leads in I. B. A. Singles Event. St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 11.—In Sabbath bowling in the International Bowling association tournament here, Jack Longway of Fargo shot 660 in the singles for a new high mark.

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Norfolk Basketeers Are Enjoying Big Season. Norfolk, Neb., Feb. 11.—Norfolk high school is in the midst of a successful basketball season.

Philips Wins Chess Tourney. Columbus, Neb., Feb. 10.—Bert Phillips, local banker, is the winner of the annual chess championship.

Wood Lake Wins. Wood Lake, Neb., Feb. 10.—The Wood Lake high school basketball team defeated the Ainsworth high school basketball team.

Three Teams Fighting for Top Honors in State Conference Race. HE fight for top honors in the Nebraska state conference basketball race has practically narrowed down to three teams.

State Chess Tourney Opens. York, Neb., Feb. 11.—The Nebraska State Chess tourney opened here this morning with 40 contestants.

Curling Matches Postponed. Curling contests scheduled for yesterday have been postponed to next Sunday due to inclement weather.

Wayne aggregation has suffered but two reverses during the season and should make the leaders take to keep out in front.

Cotner's crumples ripped through the Grand Island defense for a 28 to 15 victory, but had to be satisfied with a 20 to 10 loss in a battle with Spier's Midlanders, Friday night on the Bethany court.

Hein, Nebraska, won from Layden. Notre Dame's flashy backfield gridiron, in the preliminary heat of the 50-yard dash, Irwin, who later won the event, beat Bloodgood in a great duel.

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