

# Technical High Basket Shooters Defeat Central High Quintet by 19 to 15 Score

## Purple Cagers Outplayed by Maroon Tossers

Bookkeeper Forwards Display Classy Work in Goal Registering—Drummondites Take Early Lead.

TECHNICAL High cagers, playing the brand of basketball which boosted them to the State championship last year, defeated the crack Central High five, 19 to 15, at the Technical gym yesterday afternoon.

The Maroon victory was an impressive one. Central was clearly outplayed, and, although the staunch heart of Captain Lawson turned back many a Maroon assault, poor support kept him from stemming the tide of Technical goals.

The Techsters were in rare form yesterday. They played stellar ball in every department of the game. The Maroon jerseyed forwards raced down the sides to sink pot shots from the corners. They squirmed and twisted away from the Purple barricaders to toss under basket goals.

Tech Forwards Show Class. While the Technical forwards were exhibiting classy work in goal registering, the Technical guards were smothering the Central forwards.

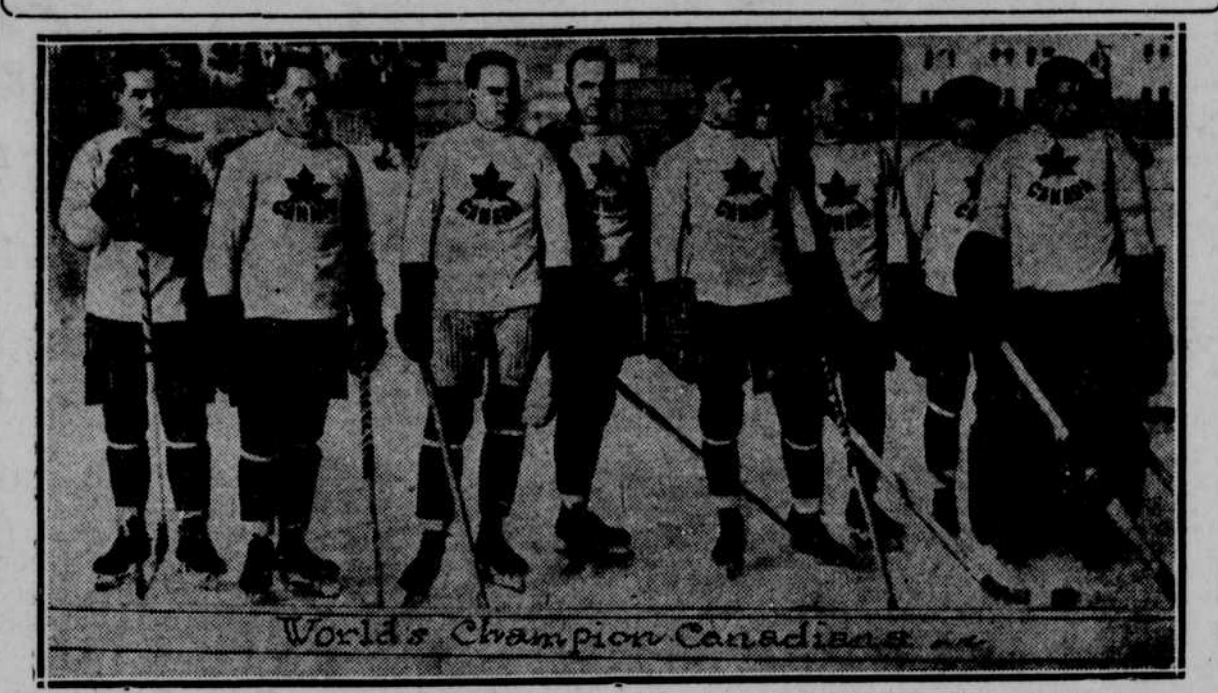
Following Crabb's opener, Charnquist scurried down the court to count from beneath the hoop. Gerelick counted first for the Purple with a neat side shot. The quarter ended with Technical to the front of a 4 to 2 count.

Swanson opened the scoring in the second quarter on a follow-up shot registered after he had missed a long one. Gerelick again put Central within striking distance with a perfect toss from the side, but Holm sent the Maroons ahead with an under-goal marker.

The half ended with Technical lead, 8 to 4. Tech Stages Passing Attack. The Drummondites lashed out at a passing attack in the early minutes of the final stanza which netted them a sextet of markers.

In the final 30 seconds of play, Central launched a belated rally which netted it a pair of goals and brought the Purple score within five points of the Maroon.

## Winners of Olympic Hockey Championship



Above are pictured the members of the Olympic hockey team from Canada, who won the world's hockey championship by defeating the United States team in the finals of the winter games at Chamonix, in the French Alps.

## Firpo Willing to Meet Fred Fulton

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 21.—The American managers of Luis Firpo, Bill McCarney and Hugh Gartland, today informed Jack Reddy, manager for Fred Fulton, local heavyweight, that Firpo is willing to meet the challenger in Newark, N. J., or the Twin Cities, some time in May in Firpo's 1924 appearance in this country.

## Mail Contracts to Link Players

INCOLN, NEB., Feb. 21.—Eleven contracts were today mailed to players of the Norfolk State league who are being recruited by the Lincoln club in the Nebraska State base ball league.

According to reports here, C. J. Hulac, president of the Norfolk State league, has announced he will oppose valuing territorial rights to Lincoln unless a \$2,500 payment shall be paid for division among State league teams. If other members follow his lead and directors of the Western decline to make the payment, it is believed that arrangements will be made to keep the Norfolk State league in its present status in the Western and the schedule of that league will be framed accordingly.

## Horses Race Against Time

Goshen, N. Y., Feb. 21.—E. Roland Harriman, president of the Orange County Driving Park association, announced today that arrangements had been completed to have Peter Manning, 1:56 3/4 champion trotter, and Sanardo, 1:59 1/4 pacer, race against the world's record over a half mile track at a meet here August 5, 6 and 7.

## York Not to Compete in Volley Ball Tournament

York, Neb., Feb. 21.—Owing to the elimination of York from the M. F. Jones, on grounds of professionalism, York Y. M. C. A. volleyball team will not compete in the tournament to be held today at Lincoln. Hillner is employed as an officer in the local "Y," while Jones has received compensation for refereeing games.

## Lacy After Omaha Amateurs

Jack Lacy, Omaha boy, who will manage Marshalltown, Ia., in the Mississippi Valley league, left Omaha yesterday on a business trip after signing four Omaha amateurs for his club.

## Siki Lands at Havana

Havana, Feb. 21.—Batting Siki, French Senegalese boxer, arrived here today for a series of exhibition bouts. He came over from Key West where he had missed a boat after getting in jail on charges of creating a disturbance.

## Court Rules in Favor of Hoppe Against His Wife

New York, Feb. 21.—Supreme Court Justice Eljuz yesterday denied a motion of Mrs. William F. Hoppe, wife of the billiard champion, to have her husband precluded from offering evidence on the trial of his divorce suit in support of charges of misconduct which he made against her.

## Reynolds Defends Title

Columbus, O., Feb. 20.—Jack Reynolds, of Indianapolis, world's welterweight wrestling champion, successfully defended his title against Ray Carpenter of Lancaster, O., here last night when the challenger was disqualified for slugging. Each had scored a fall.

## Conflict Over Selection of U. S. Tennis Ball for Olympic Games

PARIS, Feb. 21.—A serious conflict over the choice of the tennis ball to be used in the competitions of the Olympic games has resulted in the resignation of Alan H. Muhr as secretary of the French Tennis federation and may cause France to go unrepresented in this branch of the Olympic competitions.

## Omaha University Loses to Chadron Eagles by 17 to 8 Score

THE Chadron Eagles upset a bit of state conference dope when they defeated the Omaha University Maroons in a hard-fought game played on the Omaha court Wednesday.

The first period was featured by fast, snappy play and by the utter inability of the Omahans to hit the hoop. Both teams were playing a close guarding game, although Omaha got a big majority of shots, due to clever passing and both made free substitutions.

## Lloyd Hahn Wins Number of Trophies

Falls City, Neb., Feb. 21.—Lloyd Hahn's latest addition of trophies, consisting of seven gold medals, bronze medals and a member of a winning relay team and a gold watch, representing his last month's labor on the indoor track, has been received by his father, Dr. H. T. Hahn.

## Norfolk Legion to Stage Boxing Show in March

Norfolk, Neb., Feb. 21.—The Norfolk post of the American Legion has announced a fight card for here on March 2. Eddie Morris of Sioux City, Ia., and Sid Socklyn of Lincoln, Neb., will be the headliners in a 10 round bout.

## Glenwood Defeats Tabor

Glenwood, Ia., Feb. 21.—Glenwood high school cagers defeated Tabor 16 to 11, in a game filled with thrills here last night. Glenwood has gone through the season thus far undefeated.

## Illness Forces "Kid" Gleason to Quit Baseball

Manager of White Sox Ill Most of Last Summer—Expects to Get Back Some Day.

LEVELAND, O., Feb. 21.—Illness forced "Kid" Gleason to resign as manager of the Chicago White Sox and has driven him from baseball, temporarily at least, it was reported by a special dispatch to the Cleveland Plain Dealer, from its staff correspondent at Hot Springs, Ark.

The dispatch quotes "Red" Faber, veteran White Sox pitcher, and probably explains why many offers made to Gleason at the winter baseball meeting in Chicago were not accepted.

Faber branded as untrue stories that Gleason and President Comiskey of the Sox had had a disagreement, saying that Comiskey refused at first to accept Gleason's resignation.

## Fifty-Three Teams in Meet

LINCOLN, Feb. 20.—Fifty-three teams have already signed up for the 14th annual Nebraska High school basketball ball tourney to be staged in Lincoln on March 6, 7 and 8. Saturday is the last day for sending in the entries.

## Omaha Defeats Moseman in Horseshoe Finals

Lake Worth, Fla., Feb. 21.—Invincible flinging by C. C. Davis of Cleveland, O., buried "Putt" Moseman, 17-year-old Eldora (Ia.) youngster, in the rain of horseshoes Wednesday when the two undefeated contestants threw their match game in the day's play of the 1924 midwinter tourney of the National Horseshoe association.

## Norfolk Club Owners Want Part of Lincoln Purchase

Word was received here Wednesday night from Norfolk, home of the Norfolk State league club, that the owners of the Elkhorn club are in favor of voting Lincoln out of the State circuit into the Western, providing Norfolk gets its one-sixth of \$2,500, which it considers the State league territory at Lincoln is worth.

## Funeral Services for Boeckel

Los Angeles, Feb. 21.—Funeral services were held here for Norman (Tony) Boeckel, third baseman for the Boston Braves, who died in San Diego Saturday, as a result of injuries received in an automobile accident near La Jolla.

## RACE RESULTS Yesterday's Results.

Table with columns for race names (TIJUANA, FALLS CITY, HUMBOLDT, etc.) and results (winners, times, etc.).

## CLAIM WORLD'S GREAT FIGHT 'PROMOTER IS ENTIRELY TOO SMART TO BE CAUGHT IN TRAP'

Rickard, in Answer to Charges, Says He Intended to Sell the Tickets in Question at a Loss; Promoter Ordered by Commission to Break Up Ticket Speculating Around Madison Square Garden.

By DAVIS J. WALSH. NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Faced with the unpleasant probability of a grand jury investigation of his handling of the Dempsey-Firpo fight tickets as an outcome of Tom O'Rourke's charges, Tex Rickard exhibited supreme composure today as he discussed the matter in detail.

The O'Rourke charges, aired before the New York assembly at Albany, were to the effect that Rickard had some \$135,000 worth of tickets turned back to him by a local ticket agency after the fight.

Boxing men laugh at the innuendo and point to the fact that if Rickard wanted to speculate he would do so with one or several of the ticket booths in the streets and not with a licensed agency, where everything is above board.

"They were a block of the \$15 and \$20 tickets, which were not selling," he said. "I sent them to the agency to be sold the day of the fight at reduced prices. The tickets were sold, but the pastebards were disposed of. Naturally, the rest of them were turned back to me."

## Hawkeye Mat Men to Meet Huskers Tonight

Iowa City, Ia., Feb. 21.—Coach Mike Howard has made several shifts in his lineup this week in his efforts to get as strong a team as possible to meet the Cornhusker grapplers at Lincoln Friday night.

## Joe Kirkwood Leads Golfers

Corpus Christi, Tex., Feb. 21.—Joe Kirkwood, Rockwood Hall, N. Y., got away to a flying start toward duplicating his victory in the Texas open at San Antonio last week when he led the field in the second annual Corpus Christi open tournament with a score of 141 at the end of the first day's play of 36 holes.

## WHAT'S YOUR HURRY?

NATIONAL LEAGUE will award \$1,000 to most valuable player in 1924 season.

## Basketball Results

Alma, Neb.—Alma high school basketball team broke even in a double-header Saturday night.

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## Packers Prepare for Contest With Creighton Prep

Winner of Game Will Lay Claim to City Championship—Young Bluejays Have Good Record.

A stiff scrimmage every evening against Coach Lowry's fighting second team has put Coach Patton's first South High Packers in tip-top shape for their tussle this afternoon with the strong Creighton Prep team.

## Boxing Contests Feature Church Meeting at Denver

Denver, Colo., Feb. 21.—Seven boxing contests formed the feature of a combination smoker-prayer meeting at the Merritt Memorial Methodist church here last night.

## Millers Buy Tulsa Player

Minneapolis, Feb. 21.—Jimmy Mitchell, shortstop, formerly with Vernon, Pacific Coast league, and the New York Yankees, was purchased today by the Minneapolis club of the American association from Tulsa of the Western league.

## Creighton Preps Lose to Bluffs

THE Abraham Lincoln High school team of Council Bluffs Wednesday defeated the Creighton Prep basket ball five on the Bluffs floor by the score of 16 to 11.

## Council Bluffs

Table with columns for player names and statistics (R, F, T, P, etc.).

## Shepard Tossed a Free Throw for the Bluffs

Shepard, working at top speed, counted twice from the free zone, and the half ended with Schneider's snappy dribble for a basket and his free throw.

## Throughout the half Lincoln's stiff defense held Prep at a safe distance and forced them to the long shot game, while Lincoln's offense, working at top speed, sent them through for easy chances that they promptly blew.

## Creighton led at the half, 5 to 4. Summary:

Table with columns for player names and statistics (R, F, T, P, etc.).

## Sutton Defeats Geneva

Sutton, Neb.—Sutton outlasted Geneva in a basket ball game played here Wednesday night.

## Stockville Cagers Win

Stockville, Neb.—Stockville high school basketballers defeated Bartley, 22 to 6, in a fast-paced game here Wednesday night.

## Baltimore—Mickey Panner of Philadelphia defeated Ted Marchant of England in a hard-fought 11-round bout.

## Kimball, 11; Sidney, 8.

## When the winner tried to see if the automobile could cut corners as fast as he could cut bases another month's salary went to pay fines for speeding.

## One automobile concern awarded a "collapsible" touring car to any player who knocked a fly ball against their sign on the bleachers. At least they were truthful about it—the bus generally collapsed after the first 100 miles.

## Another valuable player was Laque, of the Reds. He swamped wallpops with Casey Stengel. And the next day 40,000 fans jammed the park in hopes of seeing another scrap.

## Heilmann Signs Contract.

Detroit, Feb. 21.—Just nine minutes were required for Harry Heilmann, 1923 champion batter of the American league, to come to terms with the management of the Detroit Tigers, it was announced today.