THE OMAHA BEE: THURSDAY, MARCH 6, 1924.

Fourteenth Annual Nebraska State High School Cage Tournament Starts Today

Largest Entry List Ready to **Open Tourney**

Thirty-Two Teams Fighting for Honors in 16 Classes Will End Meet

Saturday.

Lincoln, March 5.- The 14th annual Nebraska State High School Basket Ball tournament-the red letter classic of prep school basket ball in Huskerland-will make its 1924 bow before more than 250 players and thousands of fans on nine cage courts here at 1 this afternoon.

An entry list of 250 teams, the largest ever in the history of the tournament, has brought the 1924 tournament up to where it is the largest in the world.

Members of the University of Nebraska "N" club will act as assistants to the university in handling the tourney. Exper referees have been selected to "work" the contests.

Lincoln is all "het" up over the cage meet. Hotels are crowded and all conversation hinges on the coming games. According to H. D. Gish, manager

of the tournament, fewer protests over pairing and classifications have ap peared this year than last. Omaha Tech, champions for the last

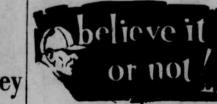
two seasons, will open the class A group against Grand Island. The Bookkeepers have not made a very impressive record this year, but are York looks the best on paper, but nobody has yet picked a winner by

comparative scores. Plattsmouth, a class B team in the 1923 fete, was advanced to the more select group this season and will tackle "Dick" Newman's Hastings quint in the first round. If Krecji, star Plattsmouth center, is in suit, Coach Rothart's pupils should have the best of the argument. Creighton Prep, picked by the dope-

sters as favorites to cop this year's meet, are slated to exchange greetings with Valentine High, northwest champions and winners of the class C division in 1923.

The young Bluejays have an impressive record, having defeated Lin-coln, Plattsmouth, Omaha Central, Tech and South. The Drennan five olds the Omaha city championship and, with Coffey and Moylan running through true to form, should make the westerners step to win.

Norfolk should put Coach Hare's University Place tossers out in the opening round, but what a team ould do has no effect on the score sheet. The Norfolk cagers trounced the suburbanites, 13 to 7, early in February and also have wins over Fremont, Columbus and Albion. The



L FELT, JR., just appointed one of the deputy game wardens of the state, declares that some of his hunting friends have the longest memories to be found in, all the world and that he has found there is one thing it never pays to do while on a hunting trip.

That is: NEVER GO TO SLEEP IN THE BLIND.

Al was in a blind on the Platte river and it being a fairly warm day and he a bit tired, proceeded to drowse off and dream of thousands of ducks. Friends noticed about seven flocks

swing over Al, circle and then go They wondered why Al wasn't away. shooting, so two of them investigated. They found Al curled up in the bottom of the blind snoring to beat the

cars "We could hear him snoring when we were 40 yards from the when we were 40 yards from the blind," report the hunters, "and just as we got to the tow-head, a flock of teal swung over. Al snored, The teal circled. Al snored again. The teal dipped, flared and were away. Then we woke up Al. For over two hours he had been snoring and calling in ducks, only to have them flare away when they got

over the decoys which were laying on their sides in the water." Al is now known among his pals as the only hunter in Nebraska who can snore in the same key as the call of favored to win over the Islanders. Ernie Hubka's York tossers will a hen mallard. Ask him to do it for have a battle on their hands if the you some time. He's very obliging Geneva crew displays the stuff it did and in nine cases out of 10 will pay against Lincoln High last month. no more attention to it than a nervous buil would to a red flag.

> Genoa High against Fairmont, 8:20 m. Clarks against Elwood, 9:20 a. m. Spencer against Stella, 9:40 a. m. Swanton against Brainard, 10:40 a. y. Beaver Crossing against Waverly, m.

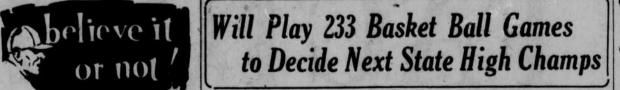
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CLASS L.

CLASS L. Whittler Girls' Gym. Howells against Cortland, 4 p. m. Chambers against Douglas, 4:20 p. m. Emerson against Chester, 5:30 p. m. Mullen against Bancroft, 5:40 p. m. Greenwood against Ogalalla, 6:40 p. m. Stromsburg against Hyannis, 7 p. m. Waterloo against Firin, 8 p. m. Waterloo against Firth, 8 p. m. Crofton against Bluehill, 8:30 p. m. CLASS J.

CLASS J. Chapel. Piymouth drew by: Alexander nazinst Cedar Rapids, S.e. m. Davenport azainst Danneborg, S:20 a. m. Carroll against Russin, 9:20 a. m. Trenton against Ohiowa, 9:40 a. m. Thedford against Weston, 10:40 a. m. Palmyra against Belvidere, 11 a. m. Western against Dodge, 1 p. m. CLASS K. Chapel.

Chapel. Stuart against Cools, 1:20 o'clock. Overton against Duncan, 2:20. Springview against Lewiston, 2:40. Madrid against Odell, 3:40. Eigin against Odell, 3:40. Elgin against Verdon, 4. Diller against Otoe, 5. Polk against Venango, 5:20 CLASS L.



meet.

centers tomorrow, nine floors will be in use. There will be 233 basket

ball games before the champions

in the 16 classes are discovered.

Each of the class contains 16 quin-

tets, placed in their respective di-visions by a committee that looks

Race

Today's Entries.

HAVANA.

INCOLN, March 5. | into the teams' playing ability, pre vious tournament experience and -The Nebraska state basket ball the size of the high school from ournament, which the team comes.

this Seventy-five referees and an army which will get unpro ball, that is, he doesn't like to der way at 8 of scorers, timers and other officials play with local teams that journey o'clock tomorrow have now been chosen to hold the out into the sticks on Sundays to morning, is said benches at the sides of the playing play the home guards. to be the largest courts.

Twenty-one hundred athletes, rep basket ball tourthe resenting high schools from every nament in world by those in section of Nebraska, are enrolled in of the the 1924 classic. This is an increase charge

tale that Frank relates substantiof 100 over last year's enrollment. ates his argument. Not many years The tourney was started in 1911 The entry list ago he journeyed by auto to a small for the 1924 cage when 21 cage teams gathered for the town about 70 miles on the other side of the big Muddy. After a classic shows a competition. Growth since that year trip, which was delayed by many total of 259 teams has been steady, except during the o get off at a flying start tomorwar period, when the list showed no minor accidents, he arrived at his

When the first shrill whistle Record of teams competing by sounds as the sphere goes up be-tween two Nebraska high school years follows:

Coach Schulte

had won 14 straight games and they Nineteen eleven, 21 teams; 1912, had guaranteed Frank's team \$75 26 teams; 1913, 44 teams; 1914, 64 with the privilege of 60 and 40 per teams; 1915, 70 teams; 1916, 89 cent of the gate receipts. The hour teams; 1917, 120 teams; 1918, 118 of the game found several thousand teams; 1919, 120 teams; 1920, 173 people at the game, half of the crowd teams; 1921, 202 teams; 1922, 226 teams; 1923, 237 teams; 1924, 249

being in the grandstand, for which they were charged 'an extra admission fee. After a nine-inning session in the hot sun Mirasky's team came out on the long end of a 12 to 6 score. When checking up time came the manager of the home team gave us \$75, says Frank, which they had Has Large Field

destination.

us s.o., says Frank, which they have guaranteed. The visiting manager let out an awful holler upon re-ceiving this and questioned the leader of the home team as to why the had not received the 60 per cent to Select From

the Knights of Columbus team

season, doesn't like to play semi-

Frank's big reason is that the

small towns dou't give the city fel-

low a square deal and this little

The town where he was to play

Layton, in Trial, Equals Neend of the gate receipts. The home boys then explained that braska Record in Quarterthe grandstand belonged to the bush ers won the second match, after los-Mile Run-Captain Gardness men and they had not paid for its construction, and until it was paid for they could not allow anyone to share in the money derived therefrom. Final tryouts for the University of "That's just one of the many things that city teams run up against," says Frank. "We learned later that this

> town had been using that same 'stall' for five years previous.

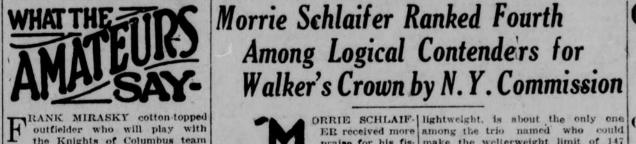


Gardner's teammate, fin-ond, while Johnson came in Dernier Sou (Chiviatta), 189 2 70 5 40

HAVANA.

Fifth race: Mile and 50 yards: sorge Kuffan.

Chemiserie, also ran. Three-fourths mile: 5 19-1 6-5 5-8-5 4-



Omaha Quintets **Ready for Big** State Tourney,

A at Lincoln.

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class A basket

ball squads leave

for Lincoln this

morning to com-

pete in the world's

largest cage

tourney being

staged at the

state capital

day and Satur

All Omaha

squads are in

good shape for

the big meet, and

coaches report no

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ORRIE SCHLAIF- lightweight, is about the only one Creighton Prep, Tech, South ER received more among the trio named who could Omaha and Central Reprepraise for his fis- make the welterweight limit of 147 tic ability this pounds. Leonard has said that he in sent This City in Class

Champion Walker, when he was reinstated by the New York commission, agreed to select an opponent for a titular bout from the logical contenders named by the commission.

were rated by the three judges ap-

 How:

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higher than the Omaha welterweight. Of the three rated higher than Schlaifer, Champion Benny Leonard Sailor Friedman

Columbus Bowlers Hawkeyes Still Smash Records **After Director**

Harlan O. "Pat" Page, athletic di-Columbus, Neb., March 6 .- Following the pace set by Fred Speck, who gave the prettiest individual exhibi-ind., and former assistant to Alonzo Stagg in all branches of sport at tion of pin smashing seen on the lothe University of Chicago, is considcal alleys this season, Columbus bowlering an offer to succeed Howard lones at Iowa, according to a report

ng the first, and took the honors in received in Omaha by Iowa alumni. doubles in a series of games with a The Omaha alumni also have re five-man team' from Grand Island. ceived word that Knute Rockne Notre Dame athletic director, is be ing discussed as a man to fill Jones shoes.

Ames Baseball Candidates Out Ames, Ia., March 5 .- Twenty men

have responded to the call of Assistant Baseball Coach R. A. Moyer for match, the local alley sharks came candidates for the hurling and catch. and White suits when the Packers ack in the second with 2,955, the big. ing positions on the Iowa State base-Moyer, who is an instructor in

third game of this match they the civil engineering department, is reached the exceptional figure of a former Lafayette university star, clash with Chappell. With the re-1,106-the highest single game score and will develop battery candidates made here in recent years. Every until Coach W. S. Chandler finishes "Zip" Hill will be able to send in his one of the five men scattered more the basket ball season. 'Two veteran, pitchers will be avail-

able this year. They are "Slim" Clauen and Smith. Ashby looks like the best catcher dents are pinning their hopes for a

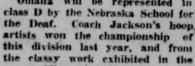
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orking out just now. Other members of last year's squad have been working out daily also.

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BASKE

Large Entry List in Meet.



the Deaf tournament in which the

Nebraska five placed second, they

The following men will make the

rip: Captain Neujahr, Zabel, Revers,

Bilger, Riecker, Rowlininsky and

have a chance to repeat.

morning when an tends to make a bid for the Walker announcement crown this summer. There is con came out of New siderable doubt whether Shade or York that he was Malone can train down. Shade has alamong the first ready fought as a middleweight. four scrappers of the country considered as logical contenders for the championship title now hanging from The 17 boxers and the way they the brow of Mickey Walker. Wilbur Wood, one of the leading fight critics of the country, sub-

proached follow: Boxer.



Creighton Prep, city champs, will be represented by the entire squad of junior Bluejay hoopsters. Brennan will take Captain Coffey Moylan, Diesing, O'Brien, Dugan Monaghan, O'Leary, and Gould. This will give the Blue and Whiters extra

men for every position. Coach Jim Drummond's Techsters

1523 state champs, are in fine condition, and barring the weak ankle of "Swede" Charnquist, all-state forward, the Maroon quintet will be able to present a strong lineup against

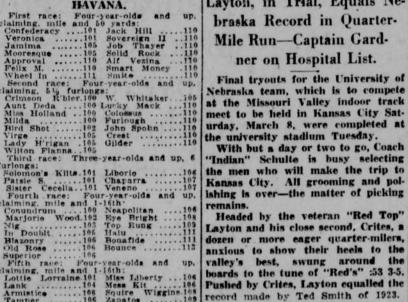
Grand Island. Captain Zust, Charnquist, Crabb Boder, Swartz, Kaspar, Swanson and Holm are the Techmen who will make the trip.

Coach Patton's South High cagers, crippled by graduation, make the journey to the capital city with a green but fighting squad Graham and Katzman, a pair of scrappy cagers, were lost through graduation and Patton had to reorganize his squad.

Captain Wedberg, Clark. Reeves, Smith, Bernard, and Wakefield are scheduled to appear in Red. oppose the Fremont quint in the opening argument.

Central High's Purple basketeers are on their toes for the opening turn of Robertson to the fold, Coach strongest team in the opening fracas. Marrow, Robertson, Horacek, Lawson, and Gerelick are the Purple men on whom the Capital avenue stu-

state title. Omaha will be represented in the Deaf. Coach Jackson's hoop, the classy work exhibited in the recent Missouri Valley School for



ner on Hospital List.

 Old Rose
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 Fifth race:
 Four-year-olds and

 claiming, mile and 1-16th:
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 Zapatos

 Fannie Nail
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 Tomshoi

 Sixth race:
 Four-year-olds and

 claiming, mile and 1-16th:
 Flying Prince.

 Flying Prince.
 35

 North Wales
 Lucy Kate.

 Lucy Kate.
 109

 Seventh race:
 Three-year-olds, cling.

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 Castilla

 Kerry Girl
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 Samper
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 Gold Leaf

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 Wiggins In the half-mile run, Nebraska will be seriously handicapped by the loss of Captain "Mud" Gardner, whose

name appears among those on the hospital list. Whipperman, at present stands high man in the \$80-yard run, heving been caught in 2:08 4-10. 102 Higgins, Gardner's teammate, fin-



Coach Ernie Adams' University of

TIAJUANA. First race: Three and one-half fur

Maroons Defeat

Grand Island

than 200 pins, Charley Bean leading

In doing so they smashed several local alley records. In two threegame matches and one three-game series of doubles Speck rolled 611, 617 and 649-the first time this year that any player has topped 600 in three After losing the first five-man team

KID SCHLAIPER

cordingly.

mitted a list of 17 contenders to

the New York commission, asking

them to rate the men, making the

welterweight they regarded as the

most formidable the "100 per cent man" and scaling the others ac-

Schlaifer was rated fourth, Leon-

ard, Shade and Malone being ranked

consecutive matches. It made his average 209 for the nine games.

gest three-game total chalked up in ball nine. match games here this year. In the

Madison county lads trimmed Scribner, 30 to 18, for the championship of northeast Nebraska at Wayne two weeks ago.

Chappell, Chadron tourney winners, and Coach Hill's Omaha Central five should provide plenty of entertainment for high school cage fans. Central has had a fair season, defeating Lincoln. Fremont and Nebraska City, but will run into a husky bunch in the tourney opener.

Fremont, with wins over Creighton Prep and Central, looks good to win over South Omaha. The Packer team was wrecked after the first school semester, but recovered and gave Tech the short end of the count last week. Coach Browne's Lincoln High toss

ers were an early season sensation until they hit the trail to the metropolis, when both Tech and Central walked off the Tech gym with wins. idney lost to Chappell, 8 to 7, for the Chadron championship last month. Lincoln should win. All the class A quints are in tiptop shape for the meet, according to reports coming from out in the state. Most of the schools rounded out their schedules last week and are rarin' to go.

Today's Tourney Games at Lincoln

CLASS A.

Omaha Tech against Grand Island, 3 m. Geneva against York, 2:40 p. m. Hastings against Plattsmouth, 3:40 p. m. Creighton Preps against Valentine, 4 University Place against Norfolk, "6 Fremont against South Omaha, \$:40 Lincoln against Sidney, 9 p. m.

CLASS B. Collecum Dest Point against Beatrice, \$:20 s.m. Nebraska City against Heidrege, \$:40 Arlington against Gothenburg, 10:40

at m. Central City against McCook, 11 a. m. Kearney against Clay Center, 1 p. m Havelock against Ravenna, 1:20 p. m Genoa Indians against Atkinson, 7:2

p. m. Columbus against Sutton, 7:40 p. m. CLASS C.

CLASS C. Armory. Valpariso against Superior, 5 p. m. Crete against Aggie hmigh, 5:20 p. m. Dunbar against DeWitt, 7:20 p. m. Ainamith against Sutherland, 7:40 p. m. Collseum. Wahoo against Hobron, 8 a. m. Wahoo against Homboldt, 8:20 a. m. Armory. Soribner against Harvard, 8:40 p. m. Soward against Aurora, 9 p. m. CLASS D. Armory.

Armory. Chadron sgainst David City, 10:45 a. m. Broken Bow agginst Farnam, 11 a. m. Cathedral high against Nebraska Deaf.

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Bioomington against Guide Rock, 1:20 m. Ashinnd against Oshkosh, 2:20 p. m. Osceola against Wance, 2:10 p. m. Indianola against Wunnehago, 3:40 p. m. Albion against Auburn, 4 p. m. CLASS E. Y. M. C. A. Ansley against Fierce, 7:20 p. m. Tutan against Mead, 7:40 p. m. Fawnee City against Orkell, 8:40 p. m. Storling against Friend, 9 p. m. Armory. Kenesaw against Schuyler, 3 s. m. Neison against Newman Grove, 8:20

m. Peru Prep against Minden, 9:20 a. m. Syracuse against Wilber, 9:40 a. m. (LASH F Y. M. C. A. Clarkson against Cambridge. 1 p. m. Dresher against Bethany, 1:20 p. m. Hampton against Walka, 2:20 p. m. Elm Creek against Curtis Aggles, 2:40

m. Creek against Winner, 3:40 p. m. Craig against Winner, 3:40 p. m. Winner sgainst Engle 4 p. m. Sianton against Milford, 5 p. m. Hartington against Milford, 5 p. m. Hartington against Milford, 5 p. m. CLASS G. Boys' Gym. McChtleid against Edgar, 4 p. m. St. Faul against Edmwood, 4:20 p. m. Y. M. C. A. Scotle against Talmage, 4 a. m.

CLASS L. Chapel. Holmerville drew bye. Burnwell against Henderson, 7:20, St. Edward against Gresham, 7:40. Comstock against Stockfield, 9. Sjringfield against Stockfield, 9. Lincoln Boys' Gym. Rertrand against Papilion, 4. Filley against Endicott, 5:20. CLASS M. Lincoln Boys' Gem

Lincoln Boys' Gym. Johnson drew bye. Carleton against Arnold, 5:40 p. m. Juanita against Murdock, 6:40 p. m. Goehner against Grant, 7 p. m. Elvo against Grant, 7 p. m. Elvon against Meadow Grove, 5:20

Eikhorn against Meadow Grove, \$:20 . m. Marouette against Bochus, 9:20 p. m. ...Imeoin Girls' Gym. Burchard against Virginia, 8:20 p. m. CLASS N. ... Cowles, against Lynch, 4 p. m. Mascot against Taylor, 4:20 p. m. Utica against Taylor, 4:20 p. m. Sprace against Theyer, 5:20 p. m. Sprace against Herman, 5:40 p. m. North Loup against Denton, 6:40 p. m. Rokely against Stamford, 8 p. m. Reynolds drew bye.

Witches Sign Coast Semi-Pros

San Francisco, March 5 .--- With the departure from here March 14 of Howard Gregory, manager of the Wichita team of the Western league, the local semi-pro and sand lot diamonds will be denuded of five promising players he is taking back for a

tryout with the Witches. Among the aspiring youngsters are McNamara, pitcher, who is credited largely with the victory of the Oakland Knights of Columbus team in

the state championship series; Eddie Chappell against Omaha Central, 5:20 Kelly, who has been hurling for the Mare Island marines; Jack Fenton, first sacker of semi-pro fame; Frank Garcia, a teammate of McNamara's and rated a leading local semi-pro second baseman, and Kelly Wales,

shortstop. Howell Denver Captain.

Denver, Colo., March 5. - Pete Howell of Denver today was elected captain of the 1925 basket ball team of the University of Denver. He is



New York.-Benny Valgar, New York, won decision over Bud Christiano, Buf-faio, 19 rounds; Itabe Herman, California, won decision over Tommy Noble, England, 10 rounds.

Salt - Lake City .- Ira Dern, Salt Lake wrestler, defeated Mike Yokel, Wyoming, when the latter was unable to continue after the second fall.

Fort Morgan, Colo,-Teddy Gartin, maka welterweight, knocked out Pat Taherty of Sterling, Colo., in the ninth ound of a scheduled le.round bout. oin, Braddyville and Yorktown will compete for gold, silver and bronze nedals for the individual winners,

ups for the school taking the most San Antonio.--Kid Pancho, San Antonio, and "Newsboy" Brown, Omaha, fiy-weights, fought a 12-round draw. points and individual point winner,

Tulsa, Okl.-Stanislaus Zbyszko, former heavyweight champion wrestler, and Joe Mondt of Colorado each scored one fall and decision was withheid.

NEW ORLEANS.

 fourth.

 Lewis holds the henors in the mile

 run, completing the distance in 4:40.

 Weir stands second and Cohen, third.

 In the 50-yard dash, three men,

 Locke, Hein and Hatch stand out as

 leaders.
 Locke's time for the dash

 was :05 7-10.

 Ed Weir led over the high hurdles,

 with Beerkle and Reose close behind.

 Weir turned in the time of :06 2-5 in

 Weir the 50-yard low hurdles, with Lukens

 the 50-yard low hurdles, with Lukens (Neb. Medic) finishing a close second. the 50-yard low hurdles, with Lukens (Neb. Medic) finishing a close second. Slemmon's (Neb. Medic) time of 10:17 2-10 was the best turned in for the two-mile run. In the field events "Hob" Turner correlled in the high jump having to

In the held events frind the first function of the first function zunas, Gr also ran. xField.

Those entered in the Missouri valley meet Saturday and from whom Coach Schulte must pick his representative squad that will leave Lin-

sentative squad that will leave Lin-coln early Thursday are as follows: 50-yard dash: Hein, Locke, Hatch, Bloodcood. 440-yard run: Layton, Crites, Blood-good, Hatch, Sherrick, Trezier, Whipper-man, Bailah, McAllister, Locke, Hein, 880-yard run: Whipperman, Higgins, Kewis, McAllister, Dickson, Cohen, Wa Stemmons, Schultz, Lewis, Dickson, Cohen, Wa Stemmons, Schultz, Lewis, Dickson, Cohen, Wa son, Schultz, Lewis, Dickson, Cohen, Wa Stemmons, Schultz, Lewis, Dickson, Cohen, Wissig, Wirsig, Bestick, Weir, Lukens, Crites, Wirsig, Bestick, Weir, Beerkie, Reess, Wirsig, Rhodes, Pole vault: Rhodes, Davis, Wirsig, Gleason, High jump: Turner, Drishause, Parks, Mile relay: Layton, Crites, Trezier, Mile relay: Layton, Crites, Theole, Layton, Mile relay: Layton, Crites, Theole, Jack

Telay: Layton, Crites, Trezler, Whipperman, McAllister, Blood-

Athletic Entertainment and Dance for Winside Church League Leaders Win.

Winside, Neb., March 5 .- The Reed First M. E. Baracas and First Reost of the American Legion of thi formed cagers, league leaders in the city will give an athletic entertainclass A church basket ball league, ment and dance Thursday night at maintained their winning pace last night, the Baracas defeating the Wops the Jewel theater. Glen Wade, champion wrestler of Wayne county will 20 to 11 and the Reformed quintet

winning from Benson five, 28 to 3. participate. E. B. Katz will wrestle The Baracas-Wops game was feat-Ted James and Louie Ehlers and Al ured by the work of Wellor and Snygg Koplin will meet on the padded surof the Baracas team. Swenson was the leading scorer for the Reformed face. Glen Wade, champion wrestler of Wayne county will participate. E. the leading scorer for the Reformed basketeers, getting six field goals. Our Saviour Lutheran defeated the First Christion quintet, 18 to 9. Ul-viden scored six points for the Lu-kirk Lady also ran. B. Katz will wrestle Ted James and Louie Ehlers and Al / Koplin will meet on the padded surface. Glen Wade will wrestle Frank Gray, while therans. There were no outstanding players on the First Christian team. Mike Jensen and Ivor James will

appear in a match as will Hubert Fleer and Vance Dewey. Kid Wade **Postpone Olympic Benefit** has been matched with Dave Thomas.

Boxing at New York City

New York, March 5.-Postpone-ment of the professional boxing show Track Meet at Clarinda. Clarinda, Ia., March 5 .- The high arranged for March 19 at Madison hools of Page county will partich; Square garden for the benefit of the pate in a track meet at Clarinda, American Olympic fund was an iate set for May 11. The Clarinda nounced today after a conference of High school is sponsoring this officials with Promoter Tex Rickevent. Athletes from Shenandoah, ard. Because the original date con-College Springs, Blanchard, Essex, flicted with boxing cards previously e arranged, for March 20 and 21, at the Sa

Garden it was agreed to hold the L benefit performance either on April 29, at Madison , Square Garden, or a and plaques for teams in the relays. drome, up town air arena, week later at the New York Velo-

Griffith to Talk at Ames. Renault After Firpo Match.

Ames, Ia., March 5.-John L. New York, March 5.—Harry Pellack, who an snared the affairs of Freddie with when he was lightweight cham-pion of the world and Miss Greta Rog-arg of Lexingtion, Ky, were married at Gristin, commissioner of athletics in the western conference will speak before the student body of Iowa State college next Monday at a cere-third marriage. The bride recently won a Uiah beauty competition. Manes, Ia., March 5.—John L. Gristin, commissioner of athletics in the western conference will speak State college next Monday at a cere-third marriage. The bride recently won a Uiah beauty competition. Manes, Ia., March 5.—John L. Gristin, commissioner of athletics in the western conference will speak State college next Monday at a cere-third marriage. Letters will be awarded in to arrange a match with Luis Angel Firpo.

Omaha cagers wrote finis to their 1924 basket ball schedule last night by defeating the Grand Island college team, 1 2to 8.

> The Marcons allowed only two field goals to slip through their guard, while Grand Island held the Omahans to four.

> > The half ended with the Maroon olding a 7 to 4 advantage. Omaha's victory put the Marcons up three notches in the state confer-

ence standing, tieing them with York for seventh place.

Will Hold Open Cage Meet. According to N. J. Weston, physial director of the Omaha Y. M. C. A.

bat director of the Omana Y. M. C. A., the annual state open basket ball tournament will be held here March 14 and 15.
An entry list of about 20 teams is expected. Fremont, Columbus, Grand, Island, Lincoln and Central City are among the out-state teams expected to enter. All the teams of Omaha have been invited.
St. Petersburg, Fla., March 5.—Infielders and outfielders, who comprise the res of the Phillies staff, began arriving here today to join the battery men in spring practice.
batter director of the Omana Y. M. C. A., the open state of the state of the phillies staff, began arriving and easily won the first half. A belated spurt Farnam was recognized as champion of the south and west central part of the state.
batter and outfielders, who comprise the set the battery men in the tast of the phillies staff, began arriving here today to join the battery men in spring practice.

Clarinda, Ia., March & --Ristsee high schools will meet in baskt ball at the Villisca tournament, March , and , Clarinda, Atlanaic, Arispe, Corning, Grant, Gravity, Mastings, Henderson, Lenox, Mt. Ayr, New Market, Nodaway, Stanton, Stennett, Weles and Villisca have ntered the tourney. Some 500 Omaha rooters plan to ccompany the squads to Lincoln, and if an Omaha team is listed in the finals this number should be inreased.

the tourney. Award Tournament Trophy. Aima, Neb., March 8.—The trophy cup won at the Harlan county basket ball fournament held Friday and Saturday here was presented Tuesday morning to the boys' team of the local high school by a committee of the Commitcial club. The Aima team was entered in the state tourney at Lincoln.

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