

# Art Rasmussen, Solon Pitcher, Blanks Buffaloes in Opening Game of Series

### Veteran Hurler Turns Back Herd With Six Singles

### Bailey Also Hurls Good Ball, Allowing Seven Bingles, Striking Out Eight.

INCOLN, May 20.—Art Rasmussen had a little bit the better of the pitching argument with Solon pitcher Bailey. Omaha's ace and manager Wakefield's Solon tribe romped away with the long end of a 2 to 0 score in the opener with Art Grigg's Omaha Buffaloes Tuesday afternoon. Six scattered hits was all the Lincoln hurler allowed the Omaha tribe and few of the visitors' blows were scratches. Rasmussen was in trouble twice, once in the first when Wilcox singled and Robinson walked after one was gone and again in the ninth when Wilder walked and Bailey got a fluke hit.

The home crew started the fireworks in the third when after two were gone, Billie Hamilton singled sharply to left, stole second and yomped home on Fred Conkley's drive to left-center.

Moore fled out to start the fourth but Gunther pooled one through second and fourth is second hit on the afternoon. Caffey duplicated Gunther's feat but Grover hit to Wilcox who tagged out Gunther. The Omaha third sacker threw wild to first in an attempt to double "Bugs" and Caffey trotted across the pan. That ended the scoring for the Solons and every body.

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The Solons had a fine chance to score in the second frame. Grover attacked one of Bailey's offerings to the right field fence and the Lincoln pitcher-first sacker pulled up at second. Purcell whiffed, but McDonald and Hamilton both drew free transportation. Bailey settled down, fanning Conkley and Rasmussen in order.

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## Hits and Misses by the Buffaloes

OMAHA		LINCOLN	
AB.H.O.A.E.	AB.H.O.A.E.	AB.H.O.A.E.	AB.H.O.A.E.
Thompson, 2b	4	1	0
Wilson, 2b	3	1	0
Robinson, cf	2	1	0
Bonowitz, cf	2	1	0
Cullip, lf	2	1	0
Grigg, 1b	2	1	0
Hale, c	2	1	0
Hamilton, as	2	1	0
Conkley, c	2	1	0
Wilder, p	2	1	0
Totals	25	0	6

## Bears Defeat Boosters, 5 to 0

Denver, Colo., May 20.—Voorhies allowed but five scattered hits and Denver today took the first game of the series here with Des Moines, by a score of 5 to 0. Score:

DES MOINES		DENVER	
AB.H.O.A.E.	AB.H.O.A.E.	AB.H.O.A.E.	AB.H.O.A.E.
Knaupp, 2b	4	1	0
Eng, 1b	3	1	0
Holtz, 2b	2	1	0
Burke, cf	2	1	0
McDonald, 3b	2	1	0
Wheat, lf	2	1	0
Grover, cf	2	1	0
Chaves, 2b	2	1	0
Brown, p	2	1	0
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**Witches Win Loose Game.**  
Oklahoma City, May 20.—Two bases on balls, two errors and three solid wallows gave Wichita six runs in the opening game of the Oklahoma City series here as it was able to get into the running, the latter part of the game.

## EDDIE'S FRIENDS



## Witches winning the first game of the series.

WICHITA		OKLAHOMA CITY	
AB.H.O.A.E.	AB.H.O.A.E.	AB.H.O.A.E.	AB.H.O.A.E.
Smith, 2b	4	1	0
Buller, 2b	3	1	0
Drum, cf	2	1	0
Beck, 1b	2	1	0
Waley, lf	2	1	0
Chrysler, cf	2	1	0
Waltz, 2b	2	1	0
McLain, lf	2	1	0
Grady, p	2	1	0
Totals	20	0	5

## Weather Hinders Fighters' Training

Michigan City, Ind., May 19.—Cold weather slowed up work at the training camps of Georges Carpentier and Tommy Gibbons today. Carpentier boxed only two rounds this afternoon with Paul Fritch, lightweight. Then he went inside, punched the bag, skipped the rope and pounded the sandbag. This morning he did some roadwork. Two heavyweights arrived in camp tonight and will start workouts with the Frenchman tomorrow.

## Arkansas Polo Team in East.

New York, May 20.—The University of Arkansas polo team, the western champions, is in town for the purpose of meeting Princeton for the championship. The issues will be decided in a series of matches next week.

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## RIDING TALENT AT COMING AK RACE MEETING WILL BE ABOVE STANDARD OF PREVIOUS MEETS

George Abel and Mike Frey, Two Outstanding Jockeys at Tanoran Track, Will Come to Omaha.

HE doubts that has been going the rounds as to whether the riding fraternity at the forthcoming Ak-Sar-Ben meeting would be up to the standard set at rest yesterday by the arrival of George W. Schilling, compiler of form charts, who come from California. While in San Francisco Schilling spent much time attending the Tanoran races in the interests of the local sport. While at Tanoran he secured the promises of many good jockeys to show their skill at the Ak-Sar-Ben oval.

## Fremont Gun High in Shoot

Columbus, Neb., May 20.—Oscar Hansen, Fremont, was high gun in the second of the series of registered shoots being held this season under auspices of the Columbus Gun club. Hansen pulverized 147 of his 150 targets, losing only three of the day's program. Joe Nelson of Boelus was second, with 145, and Joe Gutzmer, Columbus, and Will Lumburg, Boelus, tied for third with 143.

## IOWA PREP STAR TO NATIONAL MEET

Cedar Rapids, Ia., May 19.—Frank "Bub" Cuhel, captain of the Cedar Rapids High school track team, regarded as Iowa's leading prep track star, and who established new national records in the high and low hurdles at the Iowa interscholastic meet last Saturday, will participate in the national interscholastic meet at Chicago, May 21. He will be one of the heavyweights of the Michigan meet next Saturday.

## GOLF PLAYERS STAGE TRYOUTS

Chicago, May 19.—A goodly number of the 166 golfers who have entered for the western qualifying round of the national open tournament today tried out the Oak Park Country Club links despite a cold rain that threatened to bring snow. Owing to the heavy turf and the wind, few of the players were able to get under 80 on the 6,439-yard course, the par of which is 71.

## Schneiders Seek Game for Decoration Day

The Schneider Electric are looking for a game with some out of town team for Decoration day. The Electric had a game scheduled with Plattsmouth, Neb., for that date but the authorities of the out-state town refuse to allow a game to be played on the holiday. For games with the Schneiders, writes Manager Emil Schneider at the Schneider Electrical Works, 1108 Farnam street.

## Kuck to Meet Raish.

Lincoln, May 20.—John Kuck, Wilcox, Kansas, school boy, is scheduled to meet Clarence Raish of Grand Island in an exhibition shot put feature in the Missouri Valley track and field meet to be held here Friday and Saturday.

## Lavan to Reside in New York.

St. Louis, Mo., May 19.—Johnny Lavan, infielder, recently given his unconditional release by the St. Louis Nationals, said today he plans to make his residence in New York in the near future, where he will practice medicine. He added, that he did not know whether he would retire from baseball permanently.

## FISTIC FANS TIRE OF SEEING HIGH-PRICED SHOWS UNLESS THE ATTRACTION WORTHY OF DOLLARS

Early Talk of Pancho-Genaro, Leonard-Walker and Firpo-Willis Battles Dies Out When Fighters Make Demand for Purse That Sounds Like Germany's War Debt; Tex Rickard Turns Deaf Ear to Humble Plea of Poor Boxer and His Manager.

NEW YORK, May 20.—It has become more and more evident during recent weeks that the flood tide of boxing in New York has passed its peak and is ebbing toward indifferent shows and comparative small purses has set in.

At this time last year, Willard, Firpo and Johnson had appeared in the Milk Fund show; Eugene Criqui and Jimmy Wilde were coming here to engage in international championship bouts, Firpo the Furious was being built up toward the great Dempsey enterprise and Leonard and Tendler were making ready to engage in their second bout for the lightweight title.

Contrast that period of vast activity with the supine present, represented by the following fact, to wit: There isn't a fight of even ordinary moment on the fire with the exception of the proposed Dempsey-Willis affair and not a few authorities sincerely believe that this bout will never see the light of day.

## Kimport Expects to Cop Mile Run

Manhattan, Kan., May 20.—R. E. Kimport, Ak-Sar-Ben middle distance runner, is expected to be one of the first runners to finish in the mile run at the Missouri Valley meet at Lincoln, Neb., May 24.

## Win Preliminary Olympic Tryouts

Pasadena, Cal., May 20.—Twelve southern California aquatic athletes have won the first lap of a journey to the Olympic games at Paris as the result of their initial victory in the Olympic tryouts for southern California held here. Their next competitive test will come at New York on June 7 and 8.

## Stone, Loughran Fight Draw

Philadelphia, May 19.—A draw—that's what Referee Joe Griffith ruled the 10-round exchange of punches between Tommy Loughran and Ad Stone, Philadelphia's contenders for the lightweight crown tonight at the National league ball park.

## GREATHOUSE WINS AMATEUR TITLE

Boston, May 20.—Defeating two opponents in four rounds, E. G. Greathouse of Washington, D. C., today held the heavyweight championship in the first title to be awarded in the national amateur boxing championship, the final tryout for the Olympic team.

## SHADE FIGHTS LATZO DRAW

Wilkesbarre, Pa., May 19.—Dave Shade of California and Pete Latzo of Taylor, Pa., fought 10 rounds to a draw here tonight. In the semi-final Nat Pincus of New York won the decision over Eddie Covington, negro, of Philadelphia.

## PADDOCK TO RUN IN OLYMPIC TRYOUT

Los Angeles, May 19.—Charles Paddock, "world's fastest human," will spring in the southern California, Arizona and New Mexico Olympic tryouts here next Saturday. It was announced tonight by Dean Cromwell, director of athletics at the University of Southern California.

## Wilsie Joins Bridgeport.

Bridgeport, Conn., May 19.—Pitcher Wilsie, sent to the Portland club of the Pacific coast league this spring by the Philadelphia Athletics, joined the Bridgeport baseball club today. Wilsie comes here under orders from Connie Mack of the Athletics.

## Schaeffer Defeats O'Dowd.

Columbus, O., May 19.—Herbie Schaeffer of Chicago won the Judge's decision over Phil O'Dowd, Columbus, in a 12-round bout here tonight. They are bantamweights.

## Tennis, Track, Golf to Hold Forth at Lincoln

Record Number of Entries for Missouri Valley Cinder Event—Trial Heats Saturday A. M.

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. INCOLN, May 20.—All preliminary heats in the track events and qualifying trials in the field events will be out of the way by Saturday afternoon, when the crowds gather in earnest for the Missouri Valley track and field meet. The spectators will be looking then upon finals only.

There will be a record-breaking entry list, as indicated by the blanks on file at the athletic office now. There are 264 names on this list, and H. D. Gish, one of the meet managers, estimated that there will be at least 225 of these athletes competing.

Trials heats in the 160, 220, 440, 880 and high and low hurdles will be run off Friday afternoon, under the present plan. Field events will also be brought down to the best five men in each event.

Entries are also in for the tennis and golf tournaments, which will be held simultaneous with the track meet. The golf entries: Cash, Edward English, Forrest L. Fowler, J. W. Henderson, O. T. Maxwell, James L. Norberg, Edward L. Royer.

## Madden, Wills May Fight May 26

New York, May 19.—Considerable mystery surrounds the status of the proposed Wills-Madden fight which was scheduled for the Queensboro stadium here last Monday night and which was postponed "because of rain." A new date was set for Friday of last week.

## NET STARS PLAY FIRST SEMI-FINALS

In the first semi-final in the University of Omaha tennis tournament, which was played off Monday afternoon at the Kountze park courts, Prof. Louis McKibben defeated Robert Rasgorshok in straight sets, 6-2, 6-3. The faculty shark was in good form, his placements nearly always landing near the back line, and his last-rod skimming the net beautifully.

## REINFORCEMENT GLANDS TO KEEP YOUNG SAYS SCIENTIST

D. R. ARNOLD LORAND of Australia says in his book, "Old Age Deferred," in speaking of the glands: "We must insist upon the reinforcement of their functions if changed by age or disease by means of extracts obtained from the similar organs of healthy young animals."

## TEX RICKARD INDICTED.

Newark, N. Y., May 20.—The federal grand jury which has been investigating transportation of the Dempsey-Carpentier fight films today returned indictments against Tex Rickard and six other men.

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