Husker-Jayhawk Contest to Feature Missouri Valley Conference Cage Race

Kansas Squad in Form Since Loss to Aggies

Victory for Nebraska Will Virtually Cinch Title; Washington Schedules Pair of Games.

THE Kansas basket ball team, unexpectedly shoved into the background two weeks ago by the Kansas Aggies, has been marshaling its forces for a drive to recapture its lost prestige and will swing into action Saturday in one of the most important games of the Missouri valley conference season.

The Jayhawkers will meet Nebraska at Lincoln in a contest which out ranks in importance other valley games of the week. The Huskers, now leading the conference, will be put to the acid test by a Kansas team which all but annihilated the Kansas City Athletic club in a non-conference game last week.

If the Huskers can down Kansas Saturday, their position at the top will probably be secure for the season, but fans who favor Nebraska to win are in the minority.

Washington, joint holder of the lead, plays two games during the week. The Pikers should win from Missouri in their game at St. Louis Tuesday but when Washington goes to Norman Saturday to play Oklahoma the St. Louis team will have a genuine battle on its hands. The Sooners held the Pikers to a scant two-point win on the Washington floor recently.

The Kansas Aggies, another team well up to the front in the race, plays at Grinnell Saturday on the first game of a trip into Iowa.. The Aggies will have no snap. Grinnell has a good team and with the advantage of its home floor should be hard to beat.

Drake and Ames, bitter rivals, will meet at Des Moines Saturday in a game that means much to the two Iowa teams but which means little to the conference in general, since both quintets are trailing.

Washington showed great possibilities last week by walloping Drake, 40 to 8, in the most decisive victory scored in a conference game this season. Drake also lost to the Kansas Aggies and Missouri during the week. Ames threw a scare into Oklahoma by holding the Sooners to a 27-to-24 victory, but failed to maintain the pace and was decisively defeated by Grinnell, 32 to 15.

Cunningham to Be Called in Scandal

New York, Jan. 28.—Assistant District Attorney George Brothers, in charge of the investigation into the Dolan-O'Connell baseball scandal, declared he would request the presence of William Cunningham, Boston outfielder, during the probe of the case, which will be made this week. Brothers made his statement when informed Cunningham had been quoted as saying that Ross Young, one of the players involved in O'Connell's confession, had admitted that he knew of O'Connell's attempt to bribe Heine Sand, but regarded the matter as "kidding."

Close Friend of Young.

Cunningham and Young are said to have been close friends, while the former was a member of the New York Giants several years ago.

"I shall certainly request that Cunningham be called upon to tell anything he may know," Brothers declared. "If what he says is true, he will be a very welcome witness.

Landis Assures Appearance.

"I have been assured by Judge Landis that the men mentioned have agreed to appear before me for questioning," he added. "They will come to New York for a series of conferences at various times this week and although I am unaware of Judge Landis' present whereabouts, I am certain that he will take what steps he thinks necessary to insure Cunningham's presence, provided the latter sticks to his story about Young."

By Universal Service.

San Francisco, Jan. 26.—William Cunningham, Boston Brave outfielder, was rushed to St. Francis hospital tonight suffering from appendicitis. His condition was reported as not being serious, although he may undergo an operation during the night or tomorrow.

"Actiongraph" of World Champion Walker

Above is pictured an "actiongraph" of Ugo Frigerio, Italian, Olympic and European walking champion, made during his first tryout in New York, where he is preparing for a series of walking races throughout the country. The "actiongraph" shows how the great walker starts.

Senate Renews Fight on Stone

Doors Closed for Discussion of Appointment to Supreme Court.

Washington, Jan. 26.—In an effort to avert a public battle over presidential appointments the senate this afternoon returned the nomination of Harlan F. Stone as an associate justice of the supreme court to the judiciary committee for further investigation.

This action was taken in an executive session to avoid a fight on the floor of the senate over charges that Stone is "persecuting" Senator Burton K. Wheeler, democrat, Montana, by attempting to indict him in the District of Columbia while another indictment awaits trial in the Montana federal court.

By International News Service.

Washington, Jan. 26.—The fight against the elevation of Attorney General Harlan F. Stone to the United States supreme court was renewed in the senate today behind closed doors.

The first step today was an announcement by Senator Cummins, republican of Iowa, president pro tem, that he was "in error" Saturday when he ruled Senator Heflin, democrat, Alabama, "out of order" for criticising Stone from the floor of the senate.

Cummins declared that Heflin was "in order' 'and could resume his attack on Stone as a "question of personal privilege" whenever he desired to do so. Heflin said he would speak later.

With a few minor matters disposed of, the senate then went into executive session and the fight on Stone again burst forth from behind locked doors. Senator Walsh, democrat, Montana, who has appeared as counsel for his colleague, Senator Burton K. Wheeler, resumed a denunciation of Stone's activity against Wheeler. He charged the attorney general with "persecuting" his colleague.

Nielsen Grocer Quintet Wins Special Pin Match

The Nielson Grocer bowling team, by a margin of 40 pins defeated a team representing the Dietz-Townsend Motor company in a special match at the Recreation Parlor alleys Sunday. The final count was 2,268 to 2,228.

L. Nebele was the high man for three games with a score of 532. He also toppled 212 pins for the high individual score.

Nielsens.				Dietz-Townsend			
L. Niel'n	96	145	122	Dietz	136	159	170
C. Niel'n	163	124	147	Hansen	148	144	158
J. Lar'n	146	153	131	Vlach	153	171	159
L. Nebe	182	138	212	Allen	162	147	124
Jensen	165	166	178	Gilliam	130	123	147
Totals	752	726	790	Totals	726	744	758

New Wisconsin Athletic Head Departs for Madison

Ann Arbor, Mich., Jan. 25.—George E. Little, newly elected athletic director of the University of Wisconsin, left here tonight for Madison, where he will make a preliminary survey of the athletic conditions of the Badger institution. He expects to remain there several days.

Dundee Returns to United States to Enter Lightweight Tournament

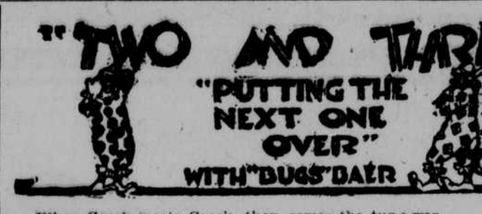
NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—Johnny Dundee, veteran Italian lightweight and former world featherweight champion, came back to the United States to enter the lightweight elimination tournament and not to reclaim the featherweight title, James J. Johnston, Dundee's manager said today.

Fear of provoking the wrath of the state athletic commission prompted Johnston to issue a formal statement today clearly defining Dundee's position.

"Dundee never intended to reclaim the featherweight title which he voluntarily relinquished," Johnston said. "We do intend, however, to ask the state athletic commission to reinstate Dundee as a featherweight if he can show the boxing board that he can make the weight without weakening himself too much. Then Dundee will attempt to win back the title in the ring."

Johnston said he would go before the state athletic commission at its regular meeting tomorrow and seek reinstatement for Dundee as a featherweight and also to make plans for Dundee's entrance into the lightweight elimination tournament.

Members of the commission refused today to comment on the latest turn of affairs. Just what action would be taken against the veteran Italian could not be learned tonight but if the commission adheres to its agreement with the French solons, Dundee will be blacklisted in this state until he fulfills his agreement to meet Fred Bretonnel, French lightweight.



When Greek meets Greek, then comes the tug-o-war.

That was the AA recipe for major sports for many centuries. And many fans bought tickets to see Greek meet Greek.

Now, when Greek meets Greek, they both buy tickets to see Finn meet Finn.

The lad with the kitchen-mop haircut is a Finn. His name is Willie Ritola and he is one of the greatest runners who ever elbowed on the turns.

Like all Finns, this Finn trains on herring. But his herring must be slower than the herring that Nurmi eats. Ritola and Nurmi are deadly enemies and they never speak as Nurmi passes by.

Nurmi has passed by many times. But Ritola swears he will beat Paavo if it hairlips him. He had a big chance in the last Olympics to make good his boast, but didn't have the legs.

They rigged up a special race in Madison Square Garden last week and once again Nurmi measured Ritola for a brown derby. There can be no doubt that Nurmi is the last word in the Finnish dictionary, but Ritola keeps plugging along like a turtle, hoping that history will stutter.

Following the Horses

TIA JUANA.

First race: Three furlongs; 2-year-old maidens; $600:

Anglo Plane	105	Private Seth	105
bSpanish Lady	108	Miss Oakland	109
Jimmy Trinz	108	bGolden Mac	118
Sannatuga	105	Shasta Sol	108
Ray Reese	108	Three Sixty	112
cW's the Time	108	aApresmoi	105
Light Carbine	108	Kaliko	108
cGeorge O'Neill	118	aRus'l Gardner	118

aMcGill entry; bInternational entry; cEastman entry.

Second race: Four-year-olds and up; claiming; $600; 6 furlongs:

xAl	98	Herald	103
Car	108	Marse John	108
xMau. Mulcahy	110	Whipsaw	115
xMarg. Madison	101	xRattan	103
xCandarosa	108	xLamstadt	110
Ruby	113	Mannikin II	111
xRing Leader	103	Ike Harvey	106
xConvent	108	xOlymp'n King	110
Rey Do	103	xGood Times	110

Third race: Six furlongs; 3-year-olds, maidens; $600:

Voorfloor	105	Full Point	109
Jenks	111	Johnnie Aggie	106
Kingman	109	axThe Beadle	114
Special	109	xReckon	111
aCapistrano	114		

aMiramonte entry.

Fourth race: 5½ furlongs; 4-year-olds and up; claiming; $700:

Worthman	108	Krewer	108
Brimstone	111	xBarn Dollar	113
Old Seth	113	Has Up	115

Fifth race: 1 1-16 miles; 3-year-olds and up; claiming; $600:

xDumbfounder	97	xThe Lamb	106
xSway	106	xRomulus	109
xZing	107	Bronston	113
xMartha L.	104	xH. C. Basch	106
xTom Craven	108	Senator Donlan	111
Poor Puss	115	Donatello	111
xInsurance	105	xMorro Castle	116
xCol. Jit	109	Jack Frost	111
Sample	111	xArravan	112

Sixth race: 5½ furlongs; 3-year-olds and up; claiming; $1,000:

Lithuanian	96	xRun Dark	97
xThe Cherokee	103	xCoffield	102
Floating On	102	xKnighthood	104
xBatsman	104	xAmor Patrie	108
xEaster Bells	109	Nayarit	110
Conur DeLion	111	xMoss Fox II	112
xMy Reverie	112	xaDominique	117

Seventh race: Mile and 70 yards; 3-year-olds and up; claiming; purse, $800:

xaSportsman	95	xAltoquiver	95
Fireworth	97	xLittle Clair	99
xFair Rowena	101	xWild Laurel	101
Wrackhorn	108	xKatinka	104
xBosh	104	War Zone	106
Polo Ground	111	Gunsight	111
xBlack Shasta	107		

aMillard entry.

Eighth race: Six furlongs; 3-year-olds and up; claiming; purse, $700:

Poppina	98	York Lassie	101
Boomerang	102	Alamour	104
xLady Rose	104	Marie Maxim	106
xVanderbilt	106	xBrandels	107
xStamp	105	Halaksla	108
Matinee Idol	109	Pennon	111
Nan McKinney	112	xBodyguard	114
xDr. T. S. D'ly	107	xBeth Page	95
xVibrator	108	Grayson	112

Ninth race: Four and one-half furlongs; 3-year-olds and up; claiming; purse, $600:

xLittle Tokalon	95	xQuerulous	101
Mr. Ruby	102	Free Mason	102
Queen Roxie	105	xMiss Nantura	108
Sonny Bunny	107	Miss Caltha	113
Little Bat	105	xVodka	103
xEkoki	108	xThe Nephew	110
Lucky Hayes	110	xBrazos	110
Dec'tion Lass	113	Dell Evans	113
Cornflower	108	xSha Will	103

xApprentice allowance claimed. Cloudy, fast.

FAIR GROUNDS.

First race: $1,000; claiming; 4-year-olds and up; 6 furlongs:

xCalvin	96	Sea Wolf	112
Hysteria	107	Trust Official	108
xMedina	100	Double T.	110
Lucky Strike	110	Melbourne	110
Guanah	112	George Starr	107
Orlova	107	Philline Luze	103
xClever Seth	105	Ma's Atoinette	110
xArchie Alexan'r	98	xOld Top	98
xA'rie Alexan'r	137	xNod Ata	110

Second race: $1,000; 3-year-olds and up; claiming:

xDannell	100	Headline	98
Storm Cloud	93	xWarren Lynch	100
xAnaprisa	100	Georgette	100
Lady Liverpool	106	Boonsville	110
Sun Caris	91	Master Blue	93
Ernest B.	110	Old Timer	110
xOrageuse	86	xBuell's Meteor	86
The Student	105	xMove On Seth	100
Chief Clark	96	Wood'n Queen	90

Third race: $1,000; 3-year-olds; claiming; 6 furlongs:

Dor'y R. Sims	104	xRevolt	98
Try Again	108	xIvory	101
xBilly Wale	100	My Destiny	107
Wu Hu	108	xRomp	109
xLittle Gypsy	102	Eliza Brown	110
Will Wells	115	Seth's Treasure	108
New Hope	106	Aurora	108
xKent'y Rose	95	Battle Man	111
Betty Bacon	100	Asekket	108

Fourth race: $1,200; handicap; 3-year-olds and up; 6 furlongs:

Stirrup Cup	100	The Runt	106
aHonor	113	Elvina	107
aBenedict Vow	96	Centimeter	111
Cyclops	114	Mom's Boy	102

aIdlehour Farm entry.

Fifth race: Purse, $1,000; claiming; 3-year-olds and up; 1 1-16th miles:

xBad Luck	85	xBlue Hill	103
xBear Grass	106	Marsdale	107
xBallot Brush	109		

Sixth race: Purse, $1,000; calming; 4-year-olds and up; 1 1-16th miles:

xStone Age	105	xWapiti	105
Leonetes	110	Fair Orient	110
xThe Fenian	103	xRosa Yeta	100
xPeace Pal	105	xGeorgia May	98
xBoy From Ho'e	108	xSmarty	105
Loveliness	105	xTulalip	103

Seventh race: Purse, $1,000; claiming; 4-year-olds and up; 1 1-16th miles:

Telescope	111	Snow Maiden	103
xQuaver	103	Zanzibar	111
Hushbuck	108	xSix Pence	111
xSmart Guy	108	xUnsaleen	100
xIsaman	103	xTender Seth	108
xProceeds	108	Vulnad	114
St. Martin's	108	xMiracle Man	105

xApprentice allowance claimed. Cloudy; fast.

FAIR GROUNDS.

First race: Six furlongs:

Doctor Glenn (Marinelli)	13-5	even	1-2
Korbly (Montgomery)		2½-1	6-5
Antonia (W. Harvey)		2½-1	

Time: 1:14 2-5. Westwood, Poppye, Fifty-fifty, Harry B., Judge Breuer, Little Alfred and Kirtle also ran.

Second race: Six furlongs:

Leatherwood (Moore)	4-1	2-1	even
Montifringilla (E. Pool)		2½-1	6-5
Huon Pine (Allen)		2½-1	

Time: 1:13 3-5. Dust, Flower, Caligul, Sunny Girl, Gorget, Batter Up, Warning, Phil Meyers and Queer also ran.

Third race: Three-eights mile:

Blabber Mouth (Hurn)	9-5	7-10	1-3
Pan's Star (Butwell)		3-1	8-5
Miss Maggie (Burke)			2-5

Time: :35 4-5. Glib, Dolly Bay, Katherine Dillon, Jessie B., Miss Nan, Guinea Gold, Silene, Hell Cat and Delco Light also ran.

Fourth Race: Mile and a 16th:

Setting Sun (Leyland)	4½-1	even	out
Midwestern (Jones)		1-2	out
Knight's Bridge (Cooper)			out

Fifth race: Mile and a 16th:

Belphrizonia (Marinelli)	11-5	4-5	2-5
President (Fisher)		2-1	even
Pine Ture (W. Harvey)			4-5

Time: 1:47 1-5. Lily M., David Harum, Rama, Rocky Mountain and Llewellyn also ran.

Sixth race: Mile and 70 yards:

The Franciscan (McAuliffe)	13-5	7-5	7-10
Taylor Hay (W. Harvey)	8-5	6-5	
Lucky (L. Lang)		7-5	

Time: 1:45 3-5. Futuro, Stump Jr., Buck Jones, Sweet Lady, Florence W., Alluring, Anniversary and Whirling Dun also ran.

Seventh race: Mile and 70 yards:

Calenbour (L. Lang)	7-2	2-1	even
Chief Tierney (Cooper)	10-1	5-1	
Juno (W. Harvey)			even

Time: 1:46 4-5. Frank Monroe, Dalysia, Eva Sonz, Soviet, Sam Loelilia, Scarlet Bugler and Search Light, III, also ran.

MIAMI.

First race: One-fourth mile:

Princes Umbria (Stutts)	3.10	2.90	2.20
Sweet Inver (J. Callahan)	15.70	5.50	
Kiyi (Parke)		2.60	

Time: :23 2-5. Wormwold, Woolworth, Peter Brush, Lorinda and Grace H. also ran.

Second race: Mile and one-sixteenth:

Hands Up (Mariner)	3.60	2.80	2.40
London Smoke (Noe)		3.20	2.50
May Girl (Dolin)			4.40

Time: 1:53 3-5. Zack Terrell and Black Friday also ran.

Third race: 5½ furlongs:

Mary Johnston (Noe)	8.30	2.40	out
Toppanite (Liebgold)		2.80	out
Firmament (Williams)			out

Time: 1:09 3-5. Channel also ran.

Fourth race: Mile and 70 yards:

Tail Grass (Weiner)	6.00	4.60	3.60
Fun Maker (J. Stevens)		7.60	5.50
Mike Morrissey (Dolin)			3.60

Time: 1:50. Wildlane, Golden Age and Birrichina also ran.

Fifth race: Mile and 16th:

Dr. McMillan (Dolin)	11.80	3.80	2.90
Tulsa (Noe)		3.70	2.60
Nettie May (J. Stevens)			3.20

Time: 1:53 4-5. Fictile, Royaline, Betsy and Manckin also ran.

Sixth race: 6 furlongs:

Who Knows Me (Stevens)	13.80	4.30	3.20
Fighting Cook (Liebgold)		3.20	2.50
Asaph (Noe)			4.00

Time: 1:13 2-5. Master Hand, South Breeze, Buddie Brown and Ducky also ran.

Seventh race: Mile and 1-16th:

Quesada (Noe)	12.80	5.00	2.80
Yoshimi (J. Callahan)		3.40	2.40
Wrangler (Stutts)			2.80

Time: 1:52 1-5. Kellerman, Tingling and Masquerade also ran.

Important Boxing Bouts This Week

Jan. 27. Pancho Villa against Young Sencio, 10 rounds in Manila, P. I.

Jan. 27. Tiger Flowers against Tommy Robson, 10 rounds in Boston.

Jan. 27. Clement Saavedra against Wolf Larson, 10 rounds in Boston.

Jan. 27. Bobby Barrett against Dode Bercot, 10 rounds in Los Angeles.

Jan. 27. Eddie Brady against Romeo Roche, 10 rounds in Holyoke, Mass.

Jan. 30. Bob Roper against Jack Renault, 10 rounds in Omaha.

Jan. 30. Mel Coogan against K. O. Jackel, 10 rounds in Bowling Green, O.

Jan. 30. Bobby Garcia against Chick Ward, 10 rounds in Ft. Monroe, Va.

Jan. 30. Paul Berlenbach against Young Maruilo, 12 rounds in New York.

Jan. 30. Johnny Mendelsohn against Russie Leroy, 10 rounds in Fargo, N. D.

Inquest Into Klan Shooting Set for Today

Hundred Different Versions of Duel Which Ended in Death of Four Men, to Be Sifted.

By JACK CEJNAR.

By International News Service Staff Correspondent.

Herrin, Ill., Jan. 26.—While S. Glenn Young's body lay in state at the First Baptist church today, Coroner George Bell formally opened his inquest into the deaths of the colorful klan leader and of Deputy Sheriff Ora Thomas, Ed Forbes and Omer Warren, slain in the renewal of the Williamson county "war" here Saturday night.

Meantime, the town of Herrin is under rule of the Illinois National guard and people are quietly moving about the city and attending strictly to their own affairs.

A hundred versions of the shooting exist.

Assisted by State's Attorney Arlie Boswell, the coroner's task is to determine how the fatal fight started, who fired the first shot and by whose hands the victims died.

Klansmen charge that Young was killed by Thomas, who shot him from behind. They say that the klan leader fell dying and with his last strength fired the bullet that cut down the deputy sheriff, who was reputed to be the head of the Flaming Circle.

Claim Thomas Trapped.

Anti-klansmen declare that Thomas was trapped in a grill room by Young and his cohorts. They say Young, Forbes and Warren were in the grill room when Thomas walked in alone. Young immediately went for his gun, according to their version, but Thomas beat him on the draw and killed him. Then klansmen on the outside started shooting into the room, according to Thomas' friends, and killed Thomas and two of their own men, Forbes and Warren, as well.

Anti-klansmen today openly charged that coroner's probe was a joke, that every juror was a klansman and that the inquest would result in a klan white-washing.

The real facts will become known when the regular grand jury meets February 4, at Marion, the anti-klan faction said.

Young's funeral has been set for Wednesday morning, and, klansmen say, it will be the grandest ever held in Illinois.

But Herrin—on the surface—is quiet. The residents are always good when the soldiers are in town.

Widows Weep.

Four women, however, widowed by prejudice and hatred, weep despairingly.

The widows are Mrs. S. Glenn Young, Mrs. Ora Thomas, Mrs. Edward Forbes and Mrs. Homer Warren.

At different hours, the widows visited the undertaking rooms. Three of the women stared at their dead with eyes that appeared not to register complete comprehension. The fourth touched with groping fingers the features of the man who had been her husband. She is Mrs. Young. And she is blind.

One of a score of bullets directed at her klansman husband last May by anti-klan gunmen permanently destroyed her vision.

All through Sunday, attired only in negligee, Mrs. Young sat up in her bed in the Young suite at a Herrin hotel staring with unblinking, expressionless eyes.

"I wish I had been with him," she repeated listlessly; "I wish they had killed me, too."

Son Recognizes Body.

Eye-witnesses of the shooting who claimed affiliation with neither side, states the klansmen carried away their dead and left the body of Thomas in the room. The body of Forbes was recognized by his own son. Forbes had fallen near the door inside with his feet on the sill. The boy helped pull the body out of the smoke-filled room.

"Why, that's dad," he exclaimed collapsing.

Thomas was shot squarely between the eyes. He had expected, it was said, that he would be "got" that night. Earlier in the evening, a shot had been fired at him while he stood near the city hall. The bullet narrowly missed City Judge E. N. Bowen.

Thomas took refuge in the city hall and telephoned his wife, according to a man who was in the room with him.

"They took a pot shot at me," he told her. "I think, however, everything has quieted down and there will be no more trouble."

Mrs. Thomas expressed the fear of further trouble and offered to bring him another gun. Thomas, according to klansmen, figured in the shooting of August 30, when seven men were shot and killed at John Smith's garage here.

Saturday night's clash was an aftermath of the August bloodshed, it was said.

Funeral Set for Tuesday.

Thomas' funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon.

The body of Forbes has been taken to Vergeness, Ill., in Jackson county, for burial.

Conservative estimates placed Sunday's visitors here at 30,000. The throngs came from all southern Illinois points by automobile and train.

Thousands passed the casket in which Young's body rested for a final glimpse of his militant figure. Soldiers with fixed bayonets formed the crowds into two lines to pass through the mortuary chapel.

All day Sunday, Herrin presented the appearance of a circus town. Park avenue, the main thoroughfare, was so jammed that it became necessary to place several traffic officers at each intersection. Sidewalks were jammed. Soldiers had a difficult task in keeping everybody on the move.

The general opinion was that there would be more trouble sooner or later. There were predictions of the grand jury probes, indictments, more hatreds leading to more blood.

Creighton Bluejays to Play Two Games This Week; Morningside Comes Here to Play Tonight

Creighton Prep-Tech Game on Former's Court Wednesday Evening Feature High School Contest—South to Play Thomas Jefferson in Bluffs Friday.

GAMES THIS WEEK.

TUESDAY.

Morningside against Creighton at Creighton, 8 p. m.
North against Central at North, 8 p. m.

WEDNESDAY.

Creighton Prep against Tech at Creighton, 3 p. m.

THURSDAY.

Nebraska School for the Deaf against Nebraska City at Nebraska City.

FRIDAY.

South against Thomas Jefferson at Council Bluffs.
Tech against Lincoln at Lincoln.
Arlington against Nebraska School for Deaf at N. S. D.
Abraham Lincoln against Tabor High at Tabor, Ia.

SATURDAY.

Des Moines university against Creighton at Creighton, 8 p. m.
Central against Lincoln at Lincoln.
Nebraska City against South at South.

OMAHA followers of the crack Creighton university basket ball team will have an opportunity to see the Bluejay hoopsters in action twice this week.

Tonight the Birds are scheduled to play Morningside college of Sioux City in a North Central conference game, while Des Moines university furnishes the opposition for Creighton here Saturday.

Creighton defeated Notre Dame in a two-game series last week, and with the exception of Captain Johnny Trautman, the team is in good condition. Trautman was injured Friday night, but is expected to play against the Iowans tomorrow night.

With the Bluejays playing their regular good brand of basket ball they should cop both ends of this week's games. Coach Schabinger has his Blue and White cagers playing in good form.

The Creighton Prep-Tech game at Creighton Wednesday evening is the feature contest among the high school teams. This game should be one worth seeing, as both quintets play good basket ball.

Friday's schedule calls for South and Tech to play out of town. The Packers, still smarting under the defeat handed them by Fremont, plays Thomas Jefferson in Council Bluffs, while Tech is scheduled to meet Lincoln High on the latter's court.

Central High and Lincoln play in Lincoln Saturday night, while Nebraska City High will journey to South Omaha to meet South High.

ACE HUDKINS MAY FIGHT JACK SILVER

San Francisco, Jan. 26.—"Ace" Hudkins, Nebraska boxer, who claims the Pacific coast lightweight championship, arrived here today to discuss terms for a bout early next month here or in Oakland, against Jack Silver of San Francisco.

Mickey Walker Going to Show His Fistic Wares to California

PEDBANK, N. J., Jan. 26.—Mickey Walker, the welterweight champion, is going to leave us flat. Michael is going to leave within a day or two for California, where he will show the fans how a real champion fights. the lads out there have not seen the top-notchers in action for many years. They have witnessed four-round affairs which were lightning acts, but Mickey will show them a lad that can go on his high for a dozen rounds.

His advent will be a big boost for the game, as he always gives the fans a run for their money. His first performance will be with Bert Colima, a strong favorite on the coast.

Walker expects to be absent about two months. He intends to combine pleasure with business, as his charming wife and bouncing baby boy are with him.

Michael McTigue, the light-heavyweight champion, is another lad that is thinking of taking the trip to the salubrious clime. Michael said he would go there and fight for Jack Root at Los Angeles, but Michael makes so many matches and then hurts his hands before the day of carnage that it is hard to bank on him. By remaining on the coast, McTigue does not have to worry over the challenges of Tunney or Gibbons.

Pittsburgh Pucksters Win.

Minneapolis, Jan. 25.—Pittsburgh Yellowjackets defeated Minneapolis here Saturday in a United States Amateur Hockey league contest, 2 to 1.

DAVIDSON SUES WESTERN UNION

J. E. Davidson, general manager of the Nebraska Power company, brought suit against the Western Union Telegraph and Cable company in district court Monday, asking $1,000 damages on the grounds that the telegraph company transmitted incorrectly a message to his broker.

Davidson said he phoned to the telegraph company a message to sell his 1,000 rights in a New Jersey public service corporation for 19¼, but that the message was transmitted so as to ask a sale at 18¼, causing him a loss of $1,000.

KIANGSU TROOPS IN WILD FLIGHT

Shanghai, Jan. 26.—Kiangsu troops are in a wild retreat today following a two-day fight on the outskirts of Wusih. Five trainloads of Kiangsu troops have already arrived at the border settlement.

Chi Hsieh Yuan, formerly military chieftain of the ousted Chilihli party and now the rebel chieftain fighting against the Anju central government, was trapped near Wusih when his soldiers commandeered all available trains and started a wild rush toward Shanghai.

BROTHER OF REBEL CHIEF SURRENDERS

Vera Cruz, Mex., Jan. 26.—Abraham Sanchez, brother of the rebel chieftain Guadalupe Sanchez, has surrendered at Jalapa. He said his brother had left the country but rumors persist that he is hiding in the mountains.

Bellevue Five Plays Tonight

Bellevue Athletic club basket ball team will have a busy week, according to the latest reports. The bellevue boys will play the Omaha Aggies tonight and Friday night will tackle the strong Thorpean quint.

Ill-Shod 'Kidsies' Shiver to School

Warm Shoes Would Be Greatly Appreciated by Poor Youngsters.

Already acknowledged	$2151.71
Ladies Congregational church circle, Hartington, Neb.	5.00
Goldie Weber, Fairbury, Neb.	2.00
Total	$2,158.71

Were you cold this morning? Even in your good, warm shoes?

Do you realize that many little children in this prosperous city are without shoes of any kind? Others run to school as fast as they can because their shoes have practically no soles.

If you can, and if you will help, send your contribution—check or cash—to "Free Shoe fund, care of The Omaha Bee, Omaha, Neb."

In this column it will be acknowledged with heartfelt thanks from the children.

Crack Women Golfers Entered in Tournament

Bellaire Heights, Fla., Jan. 26.—A field of star women golfers teed up here this morning in the annual January tournament.

The entry list includes Mrs. Dorothy Campbell Hurd, national champion; Miss Glenna Collett, fomer national champion and present eastern titleholder; Mrs. C. E. Fox, veteran champion; Mrs. Walter Hagen, Mrs. Alex Smith, Mrs. Carl Anderson, Mrs. G. H. Stetson, Miss Frances Hadfield, Mrs. Sewell Ford, Mrs. G. W. Elkins, Mrs. G. K. Morrow and Mrs. C. B. Hollingsworth.

Twin Boys Killed by Gas While Taking Their Bath

St. Catharines, Ont., Jan. 25.—The 10-year-old twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Everett of Thobold, were asphyxiated by illuminating gas fumes while taking a bath at their home Saturday night, it was reported here today. It is thought the boys turned on the gas heater but forgot to light it.

3 of Quadruplets Die in Order of Birth

By International News Service.

New York, Jan. 26.—Little Edward Kelly, third of the quadruplets born Friday to Mrs. Katherine Kelly of Brooklyn, died today in Jewish hospital, where his sisters, Sarah and Catherine had passed away.

Oddly enough, the babies died in the same order in which they were born. Only Joseph, a lusty-lunged youngster, survives.

The mother was not told of the death of any of the babies.

Nurmi Prepared for Competition in Millrose Meet

Finn's Appearance Against Ray in Three-Quarter Mile Event to Attract Outstanding Interest.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 26. — Unperturbed by the first defeat of his American campaign in a handicap race Saturday, Paavo Nurmi today declared himself fit for the two races in which he will be a central figure tomorrow and Wednesday nights at Madison Square Garden in the 18th annual track and field carnival of the Millrose A. A., the most pretentious indoor meet of the season.

Nurmi will be only one of the unusual galaxy of international stars competing, but his races against Joie Ray at three-quarters of a mile tomorrow night and at a mile and a half Wednesday will attract outstanding interest.

Coming on top of Nurmi's unexpected setback at the hands of his countryman, 35-year-old Gunnar Nilson, who holds the American cross-country championship, the showing of the Phantom Finn this week will hold added interest. There was an impression among some critics after Saturday's meet that Nurmi was becoming stale and lacked the "kick" usual to his finishing sprint, but to offset this view was the fact that Nurmi added two world records to his string and actually 99 yards better than Nilson over the whole route of the race, since the latter, starting with a handicap of 100 yards, was able to break the tape first by only a stride.

Nurmi's race tomorrow will be at the shortest distance at which he has met any opponents here and critics are convinced it will prove his hardest.. Besides Ray, the Finn will have such high class opposition as Jimmy Connolly and Lloyd Hahn, who helped push Paavo to a world record in his first race in this country.

Rivalling Nurmi's rave in general interest will be the American debut of Ugo Frigerio, the Italian holder of the Olympic walking championship, and the comeback of George Goulding, Canadian heel and toe veteran who holds many world records. Frigerio and Goulding will show their prowess in separate handicap events tomorrow night in preparation for a three-cornered international 5,000-meter test Wednesday night in which Willie Plant, American walking ace will be the remaining contender.

3 STORES BURN AT PLATTE CENTER

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee.

Columbus, Neb., Jan. 26.—Three business stores in Platte Center were destroyed by fire at 2:30 this morning. The blaze started in the restaurant. Local firemen were unable to check it under a strong wind from the north. Origin of the fire is unknown.

Missouri Valley Cage Statistics

STANDINGS.

(Including games of Saturday, Jan. 24.)

	G.	W.	L.	Pts.	O.P.	Pct.
Nebraska	3	3	0	88	37	1.000
Washington	2	2	0	72	37	1.000
Kansas	4	3	1	128	90	.750
Kansas Agg.	4	3	1	117	87	.750
Missouri	5	3	2	118	104	.600
Grinnell	4	2	2	101	96	.500
Oklahoma	4