

Church, Sunday School, Baseball Leagues Adopt Number of New Rules

Changes Made in Governing Laws of Two Circuits

Sunday School Loop Raises Maximum Age Limit to 19 Years—Changes for Better.

By "ROSEY."

THE church and Sunday school baseball leagues at meetings held last week, indicated that the managers of both circuits mean business this season. In the past, both of these leagues have run their leagues in a haphazard way. But if the managers and those connected with them are serious about the church and Sunday schools and the Y. M. C. A. have their way, no doubt they intend to have a different Church and Sunday School league than that which played under the same colors last season.

This season, in order to do away with the technicalities, violations and other disturbances, which hindered the operations of these circuits last season, President Jack Barre, who presided at a joint meeting of these two leagues held some time ago, appointed Roy Hessler chairman, C. O. Keester physical director of the "Y" and A. A. Lewis manager of one of the teams as a rules committee.

This committee was ordered to draw up a new set of rules and report to the individual league meetings of the two circuits. This committee did and the Sunday school leagues accepted the rules with one change. The church loop made two changes.

In the Sunday school league, players will not be allowed to play on Sunday teams (playing in the Amateur Baseball association while the church loop rules will permit their players to perform).

The Sunday School league raised its maximum age limit to 19 years. This alteration eliminates this loop from any competition in the junior city championship series.

The rules as adopted by both leagues are very strict as to attendance, eligibility and supervision. Last season these leagues had no church supervision to speak of. Under new rules a board of control, consisting of an adult member representing each church and Sunday school, will be in direct charge of each loop.

All contracts filed in either loop must bear the O. K. of either the pastor, Sunday school superintendent or a member of the board of control. John Dennison, secretary of the Municipal Baseball association, is in a large measure responsible for the rules adopted by the two leagues.

Dennison in a talk to the Sunday school managers at a meeting last Tuesday instructed the magnates of this league not to forget the idea of the organization of the league. Other parts of Dennison's talk consisted of reminding the Sunday school players that the church and its principles should be upheld at all times on the ball diamonds.

Dennison's talk, which dwelt on the idea of the league as a whole, was well received by the league heads. The church and Sunday school officials of the city are taking an unusual amount of interest in these leagues this season.

Part of this interest is due to the criticism heaped upon the church heads last season when a certain church was disqualified just as it made preparations to enter the finals of the city series.

This team was barred because of the fact that the manager of the club had not limited the roster of his team to members of the church represented. Under the new rules adopted by the leagues the writer can see nothing but success in store for the church leagues this season.

NURMI WILL RACE RITOLA THURSDAY

Buffalo, March 21.—Paavo Nurmi and Willie Ritola, Finnish runners, have been signed to meet here at the One Hundred Sixth armory next Thursday night in a 5,000-meter match race. Capt. W. C. Finkbeiner of the One Hundred Sixth Artillery A. A. announced today.

WESTERN LEAGUE

Wichita may yet assemble a baseball club which will be a winner this season. The announcement has been made by Frank J. Bell, owner of the team. The club headquarters will be in the new stadium on Pacific coast league club. Bell has purchased Chas. Jones, well known in baseball circles and Howard Gregory, manager of Wichita. Bell has also purchased outfielder in the game, and Howard Gregory, second baseman.

Fohl Counts on Newcomers to Put Red Sox in Race



Down the Drives With the Maple Tumblers

GREATER OMAHA LEAGUE.		FARNAM ALLEY LEAGUE.		DANISH LEAGUE.	
Team	Standings	Team	Standings	Team	Standings
Guarantee Fund Life	22-118	Kelly Radio Shop	22-118	Danish Pioneer	45-18
Maxine Waste Pipe Cleaners	18-137	Sanford Cafe	22-118	R. Norgard	45-18
Jadger Bodies	17-148	Coria Cola	22-118	R. Jensen	45-18
Al-Sar-Johnson	17-148	Omaha Athletic Club	22-118	Johnsen & Groves	45-18
Hoffmann-Crosby	17-148	Stephens & Smith	22-118	Johnsen's Bakery	45-18
City Sult Club	17-148	Omaha Towel Supply	22-118	George Christensen	45-18
Omaha Towel Supply	17-148	First Trust Company	22-118	D. B. Hansen	45-18
Masapaca Clear	17-148	Independent	22-118	Frontier Towing	45-18

SWIFT'S ARROW "B" LEAGUE.		ELKS LEAGUE NO. 4.		SOUTH OMAHA MERCHANTS LEAGUE.	
Team	Standings	Team	Standings	Team	Standings
Pride	12-64	Shurtz	22-118	Industrial Electric Works	45-18
Maxine Elliott	11-75	Ham	22-118	Dietz & Townsend	45-18
Quirk Naptha	11-75	Jensen	22-118	Crumm Tire Co.	45-18
Wool	11-75	H. Bloomer	22-118	Rip & Dietz	45-18
W. M. C. Tracks	11-75	W. Adams	22-118	Buck Shoe Store	45-18
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INVESTMENT-LOAN-TRUST LEAGUE.		SOUTH OMAHA BOOSTER LEAGUE.		DANISH LADIES LEAGUE.	
Team	Standings	Team	Standings	Team	Standings
Burns-Brinker	46-1	Triangle Locom Co.	46-1	Chris Hanson's Jeweler	21-798
O. L. & B. Assn. No. 2	45-2	Omaha Cycle Co.	45-2	W. Nielsen	124
W. E. Telephone	45-2	Omaha Cycle Co.	45-2	A. Anderson	122
H. M. C. Tracks	45-2	Omaha Cycle Co.	45-2		

NORTHWESTERN BELL LEAGUE.		THE CUBAN LEAGUE.		ARMOR OVAL LEAGUE.	
Team	Standings	Team	Standings	Team	Standings
Plant Office	41-27	Gibson	46-2	Comper	6-3
W. E. Telephone	41-27	Seadown Grove	46-2	Transposition	4-4
Commercial	41-27	Westminster	46-2	Car Route	4-4

STANDARD OIL LEAGUE.		PAUKERS LEAGUE.		DOLD-QUALITY 50-50 CLUB LEAGUE.	
Team	Standings	Team	Standings	Team	Standings
Diesels	46-2	Morris Supreme	46-2	Berkshire	19-6
Finola	46-2	Gudahya Puritan	46-2	Niagara	12-12

ELKS LEAGUE NO. 2.		KNIGHTS OF COLUMBIAN LEAGUE.		ELKS LEAGUE NO. 5.	
Team	Standings	Team	Standings	Team	Standings
Nelchors	46-2	Moschel	46-2	Kennedy	46-2
Dresel	46-2	Hulkans	46-2	Foran	46-2

ELKS LEAGUE NO. 5.		KNIGHTS OF COLUMBIAN LEAGUE.		ELKS LEAGUE NO. 3.	
Team	Standings	Team	Standings	Team	Standings
Kennedy	46-2	Moschel	46-2	Forbes	46-2
Foran	46-2	Hulkans	46-2	Green	46-2

ELKS LEAGUE NO. 3.		KNIGHTS OF COLUMBIAN LEAGUE.		ELKS LEAGUE NO. 1.	
Team	Standings	Team	Standings	Team	Standings
Forbes	46-2	Moschel	46-2	Forbes	46-2
Green	46-2	Hulkans	46-2	Green	46-2

ELKS LEAGUE NO. 1.		KNIGHTS OF COLUMBIAN LEAGUE.		ELKS LEAGUE NO. 4.	
Team	Standings	Team	Standings	Team	Standings
Forbes	46-2	Moschel	46-2	Forbes	46-2
Green	46-2	Hulkans	46-2	Green	46-2

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Royal Coffman and Mike Dale Ready for Bout

Welterweights Will Meet in Ten-Round Main Event Bout at O. A. C. Monday Night.

MAIN event fight fans are hardly being given time for a good breath before boxing shows these days. Monday night the Omaha Athletic club's 30-round fistic program is scheduled to entertain the populace with Royal Coffman battling Mike Dale of Grand Island in the 10-round main event.

Coffman has trained hard for his Monday bout and will be in good condition. Dale, they say, has been working hard. The bout should be worth seeing.

Jack Higgins, undefeated Omaha lightweight and subliminate of Coffman, will engage one tough Lincoln boy, "Bat" Strayer, in an eight-round main-windup bout.

Whitney Names 12 Steeds for Derby

Louisville, Ky., March 21.—If numbers count for aught, Harry Payne Whitney holds a decided advantage among those bidding for the 1925 Kentucky derby. The 12 thoroughbreds named by the eastern sportsman give him more than a two-to-one margin over his nearest rival, E. R. Bradley, who nominated five from his Idle Hour farm stable. Just how many Mr. Whitney's dozen will survive the strenuous preparation to undergo between now and the running of the \$50,000 race on May 14, it is difficult to surmise, but certain it is that with a full quiver for the campaign he should be among those present on Derby day with his usual entry of two or more starters.

CLIFF DURANT ENTERS BIG RACE

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 21.—Cliff Durant, millionaire racing driver, who sold his \$25,000 racing automobile—the most expensive speedster in the world—for a song last June after an unsuccessful competition in the Indianapolis race and announced his retirement from the speeding sport in which he has been a famous player for many years, is coming back to the track.

CYCLONES STAR IN SWIM MEET

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 20.—Forty survivors out of a starting field of 70, five of them representing Ames, remained in the running for championships at the conclusion of the elimination round in the wrestling tournament which opened the two-day athletic carnival of the western intercollegiate wrestling, gymnastic and fencing association, at the University of Minnesota today.

Genaro Wins Decision.

DETROIT, March 20.—Frankie Genaro, New York flyweight, was too fast for Joe Lucas, Detroit bantamweight in a 10-round bout here tonight and the smaller fighter scored a decisive victory, although both men were on their feet when the bell rang. Genaro weighed 112 and Lucas, 116 pounds.

High School Basketball

Harvard, Neb.—Dwight Tucker, a first year man on the Harvard basketball team, has been elected captain of the 1925 team.

Humboldt, Neb.—The Humboldt girls won the championship of southeastern Nebraska by defeating the Marshall girls, 6 to 1, in one of the hardest fought battles ever played in this part of the state. They were formed with eight teams in each league.

My Hardest Battle

as Told by EARL SANDE (America's Premier Jockey)

TURF followers who flocked to the Saratoga track one August afternoon in 1920 to witness the running of the Merchants and Citizens Handicap will not forget the finish of the event.

It was one of the most exciting on record—so close that no one except the judges could tell the winner. In the seven years that I have been riding I have never taken part in a harder struggle.

There were a half dozen entries for the race, a stake event at a mile and three-sixteenths, but two horses stood out above the rest of the field. One was Commander J. K. L. Ross' great 3-year-old stallion, Sir Barton. The other was Gnome, also a stallion, owned by Rear Admiral Cary Grayson.

Frankie Keogh was up on Gnome while I rode Sir Barton.

There is always lots of interest in the Merchants and Citizens handicap, one of the Saratoga fixtures, and for many years a big feature event. It was heightened in 1920 by the prospect of a stiff battle between Sir Barton and Gnome.

Sir Barton had been in top form, winning several important races consecutively. Gnome hadn't been run so much, this being, if I remember correctly, one of his first big competitions, but he had been showing all signs of speed at Admiral Grayson and a lot of others fully expected him to win.

The weights were very much in Gnome's favor. He carried but 120 pounds. Sir Barton, on the other hand, was given the top weight of 133 pounds.

The race meant a good deal to me. It was my third season of riding and my second with Commander Ross. Already there was some talk of a match race between Sir Barton and the great Man O' War. Naturally, I wanted to be in the saddle if the match were arranged.

At the start, I put Sir Barton at the head of the field, along the rail. Keogh was content to nurse Gnome (two or three lengths behind. We held these relative positions for quite a while, although, as we neared the finish, Gnome edged a little closer, maneuvering into position for the final burst.

Sir Barton stayed in front until we reached the lead of the stretch. Then Keogh suddenly used pressure on his mount and completely closed the gap between us with a fine burst of speed. Nor had he exhausted Gnome's possibilities. A second lap he showed the latter a head in front of Sir Barton.

However, I hadn't taken everything out of Commander Ross' entry either. I let him out a bit more and began riding him all I had.

That is—all except the whip. I laid it on once. I think, just as Gnome started his charge, but thereafter not again.

Beating down the stretch first, Sir Barton would forge ahead and

Creighton Prep Prepares for Big Track Season

Coach Drennan to Make Determined Effort to Land City, State Meet—Plenty of Material.

PREP will make a determined bid for the city and state track honors this season. This is the opinion of Coach Knute Drennan, who has had his flock of Junior Bluejays working out nightly on the gymnasium oval and declares them to be the cream of any ever produced at Prep.

"A dual meet with South High, the Council Bluffs relays, the city meet and the possibility of entering the state meet, has brought the best in the school out for track," Drennan declared.

Drennan has three dash men of more than ordinary ability in Captain Powers, Halpine and Jergen. Powers has been making exceptionally good pre-season time on the indoor track and in the 220 yard dash Halpine and Jergen look good in the 100-yard sprint.

Yeager has been clicking off the 440 in fast time, while Freeman and O'Brien seem to be the class of the milers.

KANSAS RELAYS GIRLS PERFORM IN TANK CONTEST

Lawrence, Kan., March 21.—All universities, colleges, military academies and high schools who sent first place teams to the Kansas relays last year will be back this season to defend their titles at the third annual holding of the Kansas games at Memorial stadium here April 13.

Winners in the university class relays were Nebraska in the half mile, Iowa in the mile, Northwestern in the two-mile, Oregon Aggies in the four-mile and Texas in the mile relay. All will be represented with strong teams in the events won and also in several other relays.

Occidental college of Los Angeles winner of all four college class relays and also of the quarter mile relay in the university class, also will be back this year, although graduation of several stars will probably cut down the number of relays the Occidental men will enter.

Godshall Weds.

Los Angeles, March 21.—Harold Godshall, national junior tennis champion in 1920 and present city champion here, yesterday married Miss Helen Hookway of Pasadena, a graduate of the University of California.

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State Chess Meet Here in April

THE annual Nebraska State Chess tournament will be held at the Omaha Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday and Wednesday, April 7 and 8, it was announced Saturday.

With PUGS

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"Rabbit" Maranville Back in Fold; Has Ankle in Crate

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A famous Doctor Why He Succeeded

From hard work on the farm to the study of medicine in Philadelphia, Pa., and Cincinnati, Ohio where he graduated in 1862, then to a country practice were the stages through which Dr. Ray V. Pierce passed.

It was never idle a moment. In his youth, after a hard day's work it was his delight to tramp and hunt in the woods as well as trap. He was a keen student of Nature, and he knew the roots, herbs and medicinal plants that grew in the woods.

In his younger days he practiced medicine over a large district. It was then the new oil fields near Titusville and Hydretown, Pa. Riding, driving, sometimes all night in the woods, he visited his patients over a large district. Then he determined to put up some of his favorite prescriptions in ready-to-use form in order to reach a larger number of families in the United States.

He thus early moved to Buffalo, N. Y., and established the World's Dispensary where he put up Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, a remedy for blood as well as the Favorite Prescription for women, with druggists all over the United States.