

PREP TRACK TOURNEY STARTS TODAY



STATE TRACK MEET STARTS TODAY

Prep track stars will hold forth in the stadium today and tomorrow as the annual high school track and field championships get under way. As this is written cool cloudy weather prevails, but the weather man has promised warm and sunny conditions for today. One of the largest fields in the history of the meet has entered with nearly 150 schools bringing athletes.

The University of Oklahoma uses a mild form of rushing to acquaint high school students with the school. This is done by inviting approximately 30 of the outstanding high school senior athletes of the Sooner state. These men are entertained at the "O" club banquet. This is the first time that such a banquet has been staged and Tom Stidham, head football coach and principal speaker, explained that "the banquet was not held to 'high pressure'... athletes." Next year the dinner will be staged on the last night of the thirty-fifth annual Oklahoma interscholastic meet. This is not high pressure salesmanship but it is effective. It would be interesting to see how many of the 30 athletes will attach their names to the roll books next semester.

Attention Byron Ampsacher of Little Byron's Scorebook fame. Track Coach Schulte's first name (Continued on Page 4.)

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180 SCHOOLS ENTER MEET; LATE FILINGS SET ENTRY RECORD

Preliminary Heats Begin at 2 Today, Finals at 1 Tomorrow.

By Emory Burnett.
Last minute filings for this year's high school track and field meet, which will be held today and tomorrow in Memorial stadium, swelled the list of entries to 180, setting a new all time record. This eclipsed the high of 169 schools competing in the meet last year.

The latest entries to be received include: Class A: Havelock, Omaha Tech, Omaha North, Omaha Central and Omaha Benson; class B: Wakefield, Geneva, Imperial and Ponca; class C: Hardy, and class D: Arnelma, DuBois, Naponee, Orfano, Westerville and St. Ursula of York.

The preliminaries in this meet will begin this afternoon at 2. The finals in a few of the class C and D events will be run off at 1 p. m. tomorrow, with finals in the other events starting at 2.

Records in Danger.
The defending champions are: Class A, Omaha Tech; class B, Mitchell; class C, Wilsonville, and class D, Goehner. Second in class A last year was Lincoln high, 9 points behind Tech.

Only four of the existing 14 records appear to be safe from the assaults of the high school stars. The standards in the 100 and 220 yard dashes, the high hurdles, the 440, the half mile, the mile run, the broad jump, the javelin, the shot put and the pole vault are all shaky, and the 220 yard dash, the quarter mile, high hurdles and broad jumps have been bettered in spring competition.

The assault on the dash records will be made by Jack Bengier of Callaway, Charley Cetak of Ord,

Bob Ludwick of Lincoln, Warren Schroeder of Fairbury and Gayle Merry of Bayard. Merry has been timed under the existing mark of :21.8 already this year, and the other men have all been close to the records for the century and the furlong. Bayard's Bill Conner clipped two-tenths of a second from the present standard of :51.4 for the 440 a short time ago and Sam Neeley of Scottbluff equaled the record the same day. At least a dozen other men have been under 53 seconds for the quarter mile this year.

Mile Star Ineligible.
With Carl Saltzgruber of South Sioux City ruled ineligible because of his age, Gothenburg's Harold Brooks is the only distinct threat to the half mile and mile marks, both of which he has run in near record time this spring.

The high hurdle mark of 15.5, set by Herman Taylor of Kearney, has been lowered by one-tenth second this year, and by Taylor's young brother, who runs for Lexington, Herb Grote, Omaha Benson star, is the only man likely to break his javelin record of 191 feet 2 1/4 inches.

In a numeral meet held early this spring, Vic Brewer of Walkhill leaped 23 feet to better the broad jump standard of 22 feet 10 1/2 inches, established by Jim Mather of Arapahoe in 1936. A teammate of Brewer, Bengier, and Dane Nannen of College View have just missed 22 feet in recent meets.

Hot Shot Contest.
A close battle for shot put honors will be staged between Vic Schleich of Lincoln high and Henry Rohm of Fremont. Rohm has thrown the 12 pound pill for 51 feet, while Schleich's best effort to date was good for only 50 feet 6 inches, but in their only meeting this year, Schleich came out on top. Given a warm day, one of these two men may lower Bill Pfeiff's record for this event.

The pole vault mark of 12 feet 6 1/2 inches may be raised by Don Walker, of Stella. Walker's best in competition this year has been 11 feet 10 inches, but H. E. Malchow, his coach, claims that he has bettered 12 feet in practice, and it is just possible that he will set up a new mark.

COLLEGE GRID PUZZLE FACES SUPREME COURT

Georgia Case Tests Validity Of Federal Athletic Contests Tax.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The nation's highest tribunal, the U. S. supreme court, will soon tell the nation whether or not football is an educational activity that comes under the heading of an essential governmental function. The state of Georgia and its two state institutions, the University of Georgia and Georgia School of Technology, together with 14 other state universities, are asking the court to rule against the federal admissions tax for athletic contests sponsored by state institutions.

NEBRASKA MINOR MEN MEET JAYS IN RETURN MEETS

Golfers, Tennis Play K. U. Tomorrow After Previous Losses at Lawrence.

The Husker golf and tennis teams will both meet the University of Kansas teams in return matches held at Lawrence last weekend, both teams fell, the linksmen by a 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 margin and the netaters by a count of 5 to 1.

Nebraska's only victory in the golf matches was scored by Mowbray, who downed Watson 2-1 in a singles match. Rundle accounted for the sole Husker win in the net meet, plastering a 6-1, 6-1 defeat on Hovestock.

The golf team will probably be made up of McIntire, Big Six singles champion, Mowbray, Anderson and Schwartzkopf. On the tennis team will be Rundle, Dietrich, Kuklin and Epperson. The golf matches will be held at the Country club and the tennis matches on the Husker varsity courts.

PHOG ALLEN DRILLS KANSAS MAPLEMEN

Jayhawk Basketball Stars Turn Out for Spring Practices.

LAWRENCE, Kas. May 11.—Spring basketball practice is under way at the University of Kansas. Dr. F. C. Allen, Jayhawk coach, intends to hold practice for two weeks.

From 25 to 30 men are out each practice session. Fourteen varsity lettermen and 17 freshman numeral winners will be available next season.

Other sports will prevent some of the men from taking part in spring practice, but most of the players are out and eager for action. Three varsity lettermen will miss practice, Fen Durand and Wayne Nees because of track and Lester Kappelman on account of baseball.

BURKE, LUCKEY OK SITE FOR NEW AG LAB STRUCTURES

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The desirability of such a favorable location. The Board of Regents are desirous of co-operating with the federal government in the attempt to provide new uses and markets and disposition of surpluses of farm crops and have offered a site for a regional research laboratory at the College of Agriculture. Copies of the resolution of the Board of Regents were also forwarded to Henry Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture, and to Governor Cochran and the United Senators and Congressmen.

As I See It
BY JUNE BIERBOWER.

Once again the state high track meet has rolled around, and with it the dreams of how good Nebraska's track team will be when, or to be correct, would be if, all the track stars would come to Nebraska.

For Pa Schulte's 1938 track team has exactly four boys who were state champions in high school, and one of them was forced to share honors with four other boys. Bob Mills won the shot put in 1934, and Bill Pfeiff won the next two years. Jack Dodd took the gold medal in the 1934 broad jump, and shared honors in the pole vault with another man, while Bob Neuman was one of five lads who cleared 11 feet 5 inches in the pole vault for the highest mark of 1932's meet.

Though a number of other state champions have envied here, but never competed for the Huskers because of scholastic difficulties, the main factor in the dearth of state winners here, is enrollment elsewhere, despite the state university's fine work in creating track interest thru home course relays and the pentathlon.

Freshmen who were Nebraska state champions are two: Bus Knight, javelin winner in 1935, and Ed Wibbels, who won the discus in 1936 and 1937, and the javelin in 1936, altho Vike Francis, Colorado shot put champion last spring, would have been Nebraska winner had he remained in the state. Of other state champions in school at this time tho: Ervin Retzlaff, sprinter from Pierce, who was state champion four years ago, is at Wayne with Russ Bradford of Mitchell who enrolled here, but didn't seem to like the atmosphere; Louie DePoyster, a former discus champion, and also a great football prospect, stayed at home and went to Doane; Jerry Green, Fullerton, and Frank Bollard, last year's broad jump champion, are at Midland; Ron Lewis, who tied with Dodd in the 1934 pole vault is at Kearney with Don Shue, double hurdle winner from Minden three years ago; Hermie Taylor of Kearney is at Southern Cal., altho he enrolled there when his parents moved to Los Angeles; Gene Littler is at Compton Junior College in California, altho his parents are still Nebraskans; Dick Beal, Omaha Tech's low hurdle winner of last year (and a fine sprinter) trekked off to Marquette. Gilbert Dewis is attending a small college in preparation for the ministry, so the reason for his absence from Husker track is quite logical, but in most of the other cases Nebraska should have drawn the boys, who are wasting their talents at some backwoods school, or who have passed up Nebraska for an out of state college.

All of which shows two things: First, Nebraska isn't getting the track material it deserves. Of course, Asher, Cardwell, Trumble, Lambertus, Morris, et al., have come here, but more and more of

KNIGHTMEN CLASH WITH CALIFORNIA IN LAST CONTEST

Huskers Meet Journeying Golden Bears on Local Diamond Tuesday.

Nebraska's baseball team entertains California university's barn storming Golden Bears here Tuesday in the last Husker game of the season. Sixteen players are making the most extensive baseball tour ever taken by any school, since final exams end tomorrow at the Berkeley institution, where classes start and end nearly a

month before those in most colleges. The Huskers are the only Big Six school to entertain California, who will play 21 games against 19 midwestern and eastern universities, among which are Notre Dame, Northwestern, Harvard, Yale and Princeton. Six regulars, one semi-regular and two pitchers are batting over 300 for the Bears who set out on their trip Saturday night. Coach Clint Evans and Student Manager Tom Hogan complete the California group.

to the three best men in all the events.

The meet, in which all men except members of the varsity gymnastic squad were eligible to compete, went smoothly and provided many thrills for the spectators. In the optional performance, Don Seidel furnished an exciting moment when he made a backswing off the horizontal bars, and again when he perfected a back hand spring in the tumbling event. Coach Ed Reynolds seemed well pleased with the efforts of his squad. Judges were Ed Bignell, former gymnastic star and Charlie Miller, former gymnastic coach. Announcer was Walter Luther.

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Jacob Geier Cops Second, Gene Beck Third Spot in Tumbling Show.

By Robert Howard.
Stan Southwick was awarded a gold medal for all-around champion in the fifth annual all-school gymnastic tournament, held on the coliseum stage last night. Southwick collected 231.5 points. Jacob Geier annexed second place with 224. tallies, while Gene Beck took the third spot with 221.5 markers. Main events included work on the parallel and horizontal bars, side horse, rings, tumbling and Indian clubs. Medals which were given gold, silver and bronze were given

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