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SPORTS

EAGER IS AFTER

BIG EIGHT GAME

Nebraska Foot Ball Manager Hopes to

## Meetings of National and American Leagues This Week; Omaha Indoor Sports

## BASKET BALL AT HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITY AMONG BASE BALL MEN Stadents Are Now Practicing Hard for Games This Winter.

## Moguls of the Big Leagues Prepare SEVERAL GAMES ARRANGED FOR for a Busy Week in New York City.

ANNUAL POWWOW IS CALLED

Trades and Talks of Trades Are Now on Tap.

Old President of National League in the Running.

HORACE FOGEL HAS A GRIEVANCE last year with the material that he had.

of Called Balls to Three, of In-

erense the Strikes to Fany.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.-(Special Telegram.)-Within twenty-four hours New York will be the scene of base ball activity that is brought about hy the mostings of the National and American leagues, to say pothing of the gathering of the Enstern state league clubs and the pow-wow of the Base

Ball Writers' association of America. Club owners, managers and players will awake from the lethargy that follows the closing of the season and will flock to the city, remainder of the week.

There will be much talk of trades and There will be much talk of trades and offers to swap players, as several of the school Omaha has the choice of two dates, club owners have announced that they are January 25 or March 18. The former will willing to do business. It is likely that there will be many near trades and not first game of the reason. Also two games many real ones. Ex-Pres'dent Danny will be played with Council Bluffs High Shay, manager of the Kanzas City club, gave the reason for this last winter. "They all come here," said Shay, "ready arranged as yet.

to hand you a flock of sparrows for a deing."

Program for the Week. Following is the program for the week,

as mapped out by the presidents of the Lincoln Lincoln has conquered the Omaha various organizations: Monday, December 15-Meeting of the board of directors of the National league; the floor with them this time. All of the annual meeting of the Eastern league at home games will be played on the Young the Hotel Victoria. Tuesday, December 13-Annual meeting of floor.

the National league at the Hotel Broalin. Wednesday, December 14-Annual meeting of the American league at the Hotel brasks high schools will be held March 2,

Hotel Breal's. hase ball year were enlivened by the bitter sweaters will be given to the men who STILL acrap over the sisction of the National played on this year's foot ball team. Hereleacue president. It is possible when the tofore sweaters have been awarded the hearne meets next Tuesday there may be men by the athletic board that they might another hot fight over the presidency, but have something to remember the season's J. Lynch will be elected to succeed himself reas

Post Ball Players Will Not Get Sweaters This Year and Are Wondering Why the Change of Custom.

Every afternoon at the close of school a squad of about fifty boys don their gymnasium suits, hurry up to the two new gymnasiums at the Omaha High school and LYNCH IS AGAIN A CANDIDATE spend the afternoon chasing around a ball, known as a basket ball, trying to learn the game. Many of the boys are new at the gama, but under the able leadership of Couch Carns, they are learning fast. This le Mr. Carns second year at coaching the igh school team, having made a success He has expressed entire entistaction with American Proposes to Reduce Number the way the practice is progressing and has said that the chances for a champion team this year, with the material that has already shown up, are very likely. Several have abown remarkable ability already in the practice and that they will be stars.

These boys are William Eauman, Mark Hughes, Andy Dow, Elbert Wade, Virgil Rector, Raymond Sherry, Denald Howe David Bowman and E. Burkenroade, Captein Carson has shown wonderful improve ment and will be the best

Games Away from Home

The schollule has not been finally arranged, but several dates have been decided upon definitely. These dates are: February They will be on exhibition for the fans the with Lincoin at Lincoin, February 18 with Lincoin at Omain. February 25 with Sloux City at Omaha, and March II with achool and one with South Omaha High school, the dates of which have not been

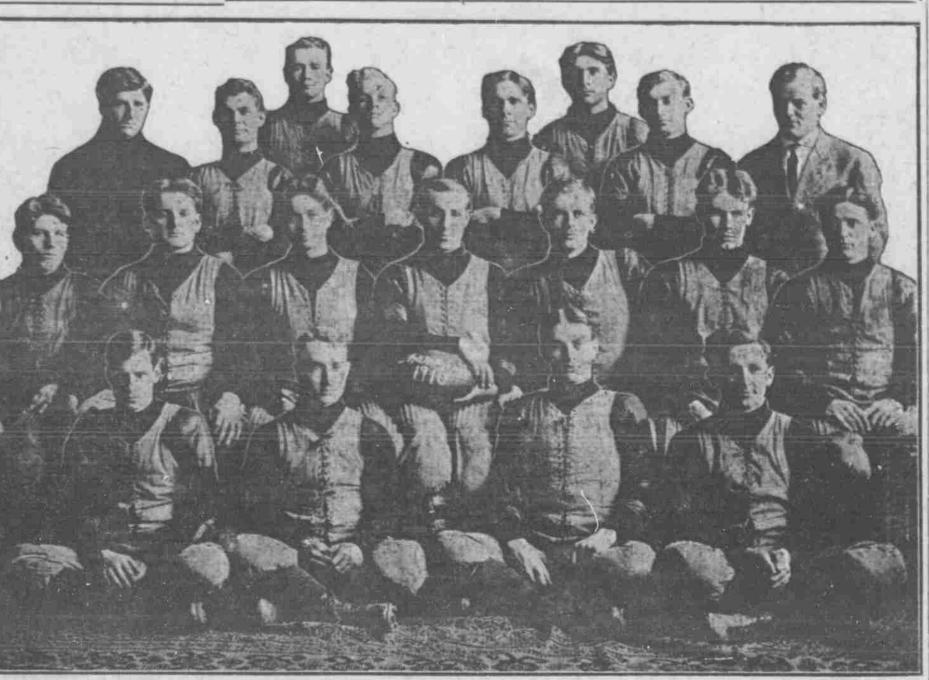
This will make a total of five gan flork of turkeys and there's nothing home and three games away from home. The class team games will be used as preliminary to these big games. The main object of the team this year will be to beat

boys straight for the inst three years an that the local team is planning to wipe Men's Christian association gymnasium

High School Tournament. A basketball 'ournament of all the Ne-

Wolcott: annual meeting of the Base Ball 3 and 4 at the University at Lincoln, In all Writers' association of America at the probability the Omaha High school will enter its team. One year ago the dullest weeks of the For the first time in many years n

the indications are at present that Thomas play. The athletic board has not given any r not awar



Nebraska Intercollegiate Champions of 1910

DOANE COLLEGE FOOT BALL TEAM.

ATHLETICS HAVE SURE HOLD Wolgast Inclines Squash Ball Gets FESTIVE BIRDS GATHERING in Lincoln. to Think Highly of a Good Start at the Also the More Domestic Fowls of Philadelphia Lads Likely to the Moran Bout Omaha Racquet Club Secure in Title. Various Kinds. HAVE SPEED AHEAD BIG SHOW TO OPEN MONDAY Lightweight Champion Looks on Eng. First Round of Class A is Finished and Half of First in lishman as Better Drawing Card Remains for Develop Indications Are for Successful Expo Since Nelson Fight, ment in Championship Organi-Class B. altion from All Points of Viewantion-Lesson in History Brandets is Becoming In-CHICAGO, Dec. 10-Ad Wolgast is talk-Fast and close ing favorably about the proposed Moran- at the Gmaha Raquet club in its handleap terested. Owing to the provision of the Missouri Wolgast bout. He believes that Moran tournament. In the first round of Class On the eve of the opening of the positry NEW YORK, Dec. 38 -A championship valley conference that no Thanksgiving would be a fine drawing card since the A all matches have been played off and base ball team is not built in a day, and the Philadelphia Athletics are apt to hold Englishman defeated Nelson, and Wolgast about one-half the matches in the first show at the Auditorium tomorrow that game shall be played Eager must arrange the title until they reach the very top also says that the international aspect of round of Class B are finished. large building will be no quiet place and for at least two bir outside games to make Sabbatical caim will not prevail there. On the year financially safe for the Corn-The results are as follows: of their perfection, and some younger team the match would help the gate receipts. the eve of the opening comes also an inter- huskers. Without the Thanksgiving day develope strength enough to climb the Apparently the lightweight champion has R. A. Burns beat Capen by default. Moster Colpetter beat Kennedy by desting poultry proposition made by Arthur game a big hale will be left in the exampionship hill and push the White Ele- been doing some thinking on his farm. He D, Brandels, himself, a large axhibitor at chequer. Easer hopes to make this up aants over the ridge. Once a club reaches is quoted with some interesting opinions. W. Yates beat W. Burgess, 15-15, the show, with an extra game with a Big Eight conits highest degree of efficiency all attempts in the first place Wolgast says that he B-15, 15-2. H. Wilking beat E. A. Cudahy, jr., by "If the Board of County Commissioners," ference team. Illinois is regarded as a to remain stationary are vain, and retro- would never meet Moran in England, bemays Mr. Brandels, "will fix up the road likely contestant with the Cornhuskers. Not The Athletics have not even yet reached no use for his style of work. "They are 15-7. aresalon follows. A. Creighton beat L. Brinker, 15-8. leading to my farm. I will lestablish there many years ago the Conrhuskers played <sup>13-7.</sup> John Madden beat W. B. Hughes, 15-11,
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<sup>1-4.</sup> 10<sup>-6</sup>.
<sup>1-4.</sup> 10<sup>-6</sup>. Illinois annually, but after the contract the largest poultry farm in the United their top speed, Cellins, Barry, Oldring, good fellows," says the champion, "but expired it was not renewed. States, which means in the world." Thomas, Lapp, Baker, Strunk and Livingthey have different ideas about the game It goos without saying that Mr. Brandels' The official schedule of the Omaha basket stone may all be expected to play faster over there and my methods would not be offer is made in good faith and if the land lilinois. Kansas and Ames both will ball during the next two years than they liked." county will do this Mr. Brandeis will in-Until then the attention of both the did last season. Bender, Coumbs, Plank and Whaston beat R. Gould, 5-8, 35-12, G. Moorhend beat W. D. Hosford, In speaking of Moran himself Weignst stall more hens and pullets upon his farm ule. players and coaches will be centered on Morgan can be relied upon to decrease the "He is the roughest and toughest 15-11. S. Pollard beat N. Peters, 13-13, 3-2, HAY'RI than even are on the EL600-chicken farm getting into the best possible condition for batting averages of opposing teams. Davis a fast year of the indoor sums. clever fighter I have ever seen. His repuin New Jarsey, which he recently visited. tation as a rough man in the ring is growtation as a rough man in the ring is grow. Ing every day. Moran boxes much like Abe Agtell, starding straight much of the Tentative schedules are already outlined ers in the game, while Lord and Hartse "If the county will do what it ought to," continues Mr. Brandels, "I shall make the If foot ball devotees have their way and whole 200 acres a show place, boulevard all if the ruling of the Missouri valley conthe driveways and roads on the farm and ference abolishing Thanksgiving day games time. As an infighter he is clever, but I Western League May think that I have considerably the best of have careful landscape gardening done all be set aside, it is not improbable that Nehim in that department. His clean job at over it. The number of chickens to be in- brasks will play the Jayhawkers on Turkey taking Nelson under his wing has milde Invade Kansas City stalled will make it interesting in itself day. Missouri does not care to play the Moran popular, and we should draw a any team can be developed sufficiently and with a good road to get there and good annual Kansas and Minsouri game on much better gate than another bout beroads to drive upon inside the farm limits. Thanksgiving day in any other city but Tebeau Would Have His Base Ball the chicken farm surely will be an objec- Kanaas City. The regents of the University tween Nelson and myself." Wolgast has been taking good care of himthe point with many Omahans and will all of Kansas have long been opposed to the Park in Use at All self on his Cadillac farm, spending considvisitors to the city. Times. erable time on horseback and in Training "Thousands go every year to the New quarters. Wolgast is still sursing the arm Jersey chicken farm and it is a great ad-Will the Western league break into Kanwhich he injured in Milwaukee. "In some vertisement for the neighborhood. sas City? This is the question now being respects," says the champion, "the injury "As the road is now between the Bran-Proven by History. discussed over the dircuit at the present did me much good, I have been forced to time. George Tebrau, owner of the Amerdets model farm and Omaha's limits, three and the game, if played at all, must be To prove this, it is only measured to use the other arm almost exclusively in ican association league franchise, is serimiles distant, travel is extremely difficult played in another city. open again the history of the game and training and its histing power has m- ously considering the project, planning to and almost impossible when rain or snow reased immensely."

Add Big Card to the Schedule for Cornhuskers. ATHLETIC FIELD IS A FACTOR Gophers Insist on Playing Only on Sod. MONEY PROBLEM PRESENTED Loss of Thanksgiving Match Raises Financial Question. TO LAND ILLINOIS TRYING Kansas and Ames Both Take Places on Program for Next Season-Missouri Turkey Day Contest nt Issue. LINCOLN, Neb., Dec. 14 - (Special) -With the task of preparing a schedule for the foot hall season of 1911 hefore him, Manager Earl O. Eager of Nebraska H busy. In the last few days Eager has re ceived numerous letters from managers Western conference teams, but Eager apparently dubious of the outlook for two sames with Hig Eight teams and he fuses to give any information as ontents of the letters

While it is regarded only as a remote possibility. Cornhuskers are extremely destroug of seeing Mitnesets come to Lincols next fall. The wishes of the student bod are also shared by the athletic board and the manager of athletics. Eager is corresponding with the Gopher Institution Nebraska has repeatedly petitioned Minseasts to play at Lincoln, but has always et with refusal, mainly because the Corn husker athietic field did not offer a sod field. Minnesota met the Comhusker requests with the statement that as soon as Sebraska could offer a sod field the mangement would agree to a game to be played in Lincoln.

## New Gridiron Sure.

The athletic board now has definite as urance the new gridiron will be sodded next summer. Because of a deficit the work could not be done in 1998, but the sucess of the Cornhushers in 1915 effaced the feficit and the report of Manager Eager will now show that Nebraska is in excellent financial condition. The new sod field will be ready upon the opening of the season next fall and the time is now ripe for Eager to made another stre-upt land a game with the Gophers to be telayed

It is certain that such a game would prove a drawing card and a boost to Cornbusker finances. The outcome of the negotiations with Minnesota will probably be announced within the next few days.

A large number of the Cornhuskers interpreted the ruling of the Big Eight conference at Chicago as prohibiting games with outside institutions. The ruling was aimed solely at Minnesota and may operate as a boost for Nebraska in securing games

### for at least one year.

York club and President Garry Herrmann money in the treasury. of the Cincinnati club are the men who were responsible for the election of President Lourh last year. Both have declared Choosing Players for that Lynch will be re-elected.

Difference of Optulon. President Charley, Ebbetts of Brooklyn and President Hornce Fogel of Philadelphia do not agree with the sentiments of Practice Reaches Point Where Organ-Brush and Herrmann. The Brooklyn president claims that Lynch had no right to time him \$500 last summer for sending Tommy McMillan to Rochester before walvers had been secured on the little shortstop.

Horace Fogel's grievance against Lynch ic based on the alleged unfair treatment of the Philadelphia club by Umpire Elliy Kle

The American league meetings will doubtvote some time to talking over several suggested changes in the playing rules. It Kansas, pitchers by the found strike rule.

Sunday Base Ball

## Wichita Organization Splits Up, Becoming Divided Over Live Topic of the Der.

WICHITA, Kan., Dec. 10.-(Special.)-The hers of this class met last evening for inc headquarters in Kansas (Bry, Mo.

Soon after convening the Sunday base principal topic of conversation in all circles here. The members of the class were so evenly divided in their opinions as to the right and wrong of Sunday base ball playing and the discussion waxed so warm that the moeting was disrupted. Some members of the class declare they will not

attend its meeting hereafter. HOPPE IS READY FOR SUTTON It because the snow is on the ground and

Champion Billiardist Says He Will "Golf pool" is exactly what its name signi-

Defend Title at Any Time. NEW YORK, Dec. 18 -- Willie Hopps is on record today as ready to meet George as the outdoor game, and after attempting Sutton of Chicago at any time for the & few games one soon discovers that the billiard championships Hoppe holds. His more strenuous ezercise has nothing on announcement was drawn forth by a re- the indeor sport for interest or indeed for port that Sutton intended challenging him gold luck. Only one club is used in the for a match.

"I am willing to detend my claim to the substitute for a raddy. championship titles at 18.1 or 18.2 balk line billiards at any time," said Hoppe. Sutton or anyone else can have a game, notice of challenge and posts his money as quired a game or games will be arranged."

Pairmant Bas Basket Ball Team. Wilkins, Fairmont, Neb

the loyal supporters of the team think it is President John T. Brush of the New a little strange, there being plenty of

## the Basket Ball Teams

izations Take Form-Schedules Outlined.

ball teams will be taken up January 1. a fast year of the indoor game.

The American league meetings will doubt-less be as peaceful and harmonious as usual. The magnates will not elect a pres-ident, because Ban Johnson has practically a life job as their executive. They may de-tows, Nebraska, and possibly Missouri and Iowa. Nebraska, and possibly Missouri and is difficult to see how next year, at least,

has been proposed to reduce the number of Al the Omaha Young Men's Christian to stop the machine which Mack has set called balls to three or increase the number association class games are played several in motion. Players outlive their usefulness of strikes to four with a view to counter- times a week and the first of the year in time, and while one weak spot on the acting the advantages conferred upon the the season with the representative team nine may be patched up, soon four or five will open. J. T. Maxwell, physical director, appear. That means going back to the besays he has agreed to play games with ginning and building up a new champion-Ida Grove and Fort Dodge, In., and with ship aggregation.

the Lincoln Young Men's Christian hosociation. Probably a five from the Kansas Disrupts Bible Class Athletic club will play here this season.

bury, omsters. A schedule with a number disruption of the Bible class of the First brasks is being lined up by George Par- Fred Clarke, who is still in command. dival, the manager of the team.

F. E. Pierson, secretary of the Council of Mathewaco, Wiltse, Amen. McGinnity purpose of effecting a branch organization Bluffs' Young Men's Christian association, and Taylor, brought the championship to start in vaudeville again and will stick to the start in vaudeville again and will stick to the blagest and says that a fine team is practicing hard New York in 1904 and 1905. Then Frank that for a couple of months at least. to get into shape.

The Council Bluffs and South Omnha was champion for three straight seasons ball question was brought up, it being the high school teams will be ready to start and held the world's title in 2807 and 1888. Bellevue Wants immediately after the Christmas variation. In the meantime, Jennings had won the

GOLF POOL GAINS IN POPULARITY the world's series from the representative

As Close to Bules of Outdoor Game Conditions Will Permit. Golf pool is now something of a rage team. There was always a weak spot o among men who love golf, who can't play two for his opponents to break through. who are able to push a cue with any skill.

fies golf on a table.

The game is played with the same rules

Each corner is a hazard in golf pool, and

Crmaha club men have played the game organize his team and start again. It is McCoy, who was captain of Drake in '98, for a number of years, but this measur it probable that next season a younger man Euve no indication at the end of the seais really taking hold. Low mores are not will replace Harvy Stainfeldt at third base, son when he left, that he would not realways recorded, but H. C. Shears of the and perhaps Johnny Evers may not be able turn nixt year if wanted. FAIRMONT, Neb. Dec. 28-ESpecial.)-Fairmant has ergennised a city hakket hall team which is desirous of playing any masket hall team is the state. All com-munications should be uddressed to Earl M Withing Fairmant has in a state and the same of 2 far time holes. He asserts that he made 15 one day, but as it was on a small table, he modestly unknown, and Archer will amateur record with a score of m far fine if may be that Shechard will have to be the farmed at the soure that he made is one day. If may be that Shechard will probably be that Shechard will probably be that the soure can not be counted. If may be that Shechard will probably be the chief backstop.

At the University of Omahn a fast squad composed of players of the following seven Graw, Jennings, and Robinson put together men has been lined up: George Parish and the Baltimore machine, which was for four Cunton Halsey, forwards, Norman Dow (c) consecutive years. The next two seasons and John Selby and George Percival. Prank Selve took the title with the Boston guards; Harry Jeroms and Stanton Salts- club. In 1889 Hanion led the Brooklyn team Sunday base ball question has caused the of the smaller colleges in Iown and Ne- Pittsburg triumph under the leadership of

McGraw, with a pitching staff composed a year at least. Chance perfected the Chicago team, which

American league championship twice with his Detroit Tigars, but never could take

of the older league. The reason was that, as while Jennings had built up a blub that

would fight all day, he never had a perfect Chicago's Downfall.

In 1969 the great Chicago machine had begun to be lass efficient and was forced to leave to Pittsburg the defeat of Detroit. which had fluished first in their organization for the third time. This season the porters of the team are far from dissatis-Cabe managed to win their league title fied with results. As for Coach McCoy, it again, but the team which had won the name of "the groutest base ball machine old grade who saw him at work, that the the game ever produced," had gone down loss of the championship in no way repool gama. The waiter makes an excellent hill fast Browp and Overall were no longer terrors to opposing batamen. The miner, each of the upponent's balls an obstacle. Chicago fans, was almost a pathetic figure. who for years had been the idel of the You start and do nine holas or eighteen. His experience and his comming still re-Suiton or anyone else can nave a game, and the man finishing with the least shots mained, but he had lost strength and dent Stookey, in particular, was struck stamins. Chance realizes that he must re-

rent his park at the times when his own has fallen in any quantity."

Wolgast is closing up his business afteam is not batting the ball in it. airs in Cadillac as fast as possible and is placing his farm and sheep ranch in the would lose its ball rights Tebeau was un- farm, all of these being White Leghorns, hands of his parents and other reliable derstood to be ready to take it up, and which he cultivates because they are hardy. persons. By the latter part of December now that Wichits is on the fence, he is small, and so occupy less henhouse space; he desires that everything be closed, as far again on the outlook to snap up a good eat lass and are the most, regular egg as his personal attention is concerned, for proposition for himself. At the same time, jayers,

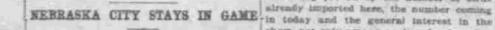
By January 1 he wants to be ready to than pleased at the chance to play in Poultry and Pet Stock association will be-

Effort to Be Made to Induce the B. P. Egan and several others base baal Coach to Come Back to

the College. Foot ball authorities at Bellevue are making determined efforts to secure the services of Bert McCoy, who coached the Purple and Gold this fall, for next season. Although Bellevus did not win the state championship again this year, the Indians left a good record behind them and the supis the opinion of a great majority of the dounds upon him, and that he is to be

highly complimented for his efforts. He impressed all with his qualities of firmness and his gentlemanly reserve. Presiwith the ends accomplished by the coach.

When the outlook promised that Topeka



McCoy to Return subscribers to Base Ball Guarantee show, not only among pooliry fanciers, but the general public it is altogether likely Meet and Elect Three Directors. that the exposition will be a big financial

guarantee for the base, ball ciult, which awards, is nearly 100 and competition will will be placed in the field in this city he keen for these. The association has re-

next season. There was a mass meeting cured the services of judges whose comof the subscribers held at the court house pesency and fairness is beyond all dispute at which B. P. Egan presided and P. H. and the prospect is excellent for success Marnell as secretary. The meeting decided from the prize poultry point of view an to turn the entire management of the wel iss the financial team over to three directors and elected The lovers of the queer bird, the outre E. A. Duff, F. W. Claveland and Al. and infrequently met fowl, will find many have nothing to announce as to future ac-Hughey, wh were empowered to select strange varieties of two-legged feathered their own transurer and secretary. Mr.

Duff was elected as director to the Mink domestic pets on virw is also considerable. league. It is the intention of giving an entertainment by local talent and raise a sufficient amount of money to pay all of the debts of the old association.

## Basket Ball or Shenandosh

SHENANDOAH, Is., Doc. 18 .-- The basket BHENANDOARD, IS., Fifty-first lows Only relatives and im ball team of Company E. Fifty-first lows Only relatives and im witness the ceremony. Young Men's Christian association team

Manager Eager will again endeavor to occupy a place on the Cornhuskers' sched-

## Want Thankagiving Game.

The Jayhawkers come to Lincoln under the agreement entered into two years ago. game at Kansas City and a ruling was passed doing away with the turkey day

battle in that diy after 1910. It was thought that the rule could be set aside, but the Kantas sutborities are firm

Then there is the conference rule daing away with the game, but this must be voted on again and from the stand which Mr. Brandels has now 5,600 birds on his has been taken recently it is doubtful if any of the schools will favor the pulsage of the rule. This condition of affairs leads both Nebraskans and Kansans 10 hope that the two oig rivals of the Missouri valley may again meet in a battle for championship honors on Thanksgiving day, The agreement with Ames calls for a contest to be played at Ames. Denver probably will be accorded a place on the Cornhusker this being proved by the number of birds chedule, although the retirement of Deacon Kohler from the management of already imported here, the number coming affairs may lead to a split in athletic relations. Koshier was an old Nebraska player show, not only among poultry fanciers, but and it was through his remarkable success as a coach that the Cornhuskers finally consented to play Denver., The lighter games of the year are also probably asfans went out this week and raised \$1400 besides regular gweepstakes and other sured with Peru or some other member of the Nebraska association of colleges for the opener and Donne or Bellevue later in

the season The coachehip problem is as far from settlement as it ever was. The foot ball committee and the all-year coach committos of the athletic board have been working in conjunction with the board, but tions.

## Up to the Regents.

insettled, as the management is uncertain of Regenti for an allowance as part of

Frank Gotch to Be Married.

Brandels Breeds Leghorns.

The exposition of the Transmississippi

The number of cupe and special prizes,

and changed.

creatures to wonder at and the number of Until the meeting of the Board of Regents next week the matter will still be HUMBOLDT, Ia., Dec. M.-(Special.)-Frank Gotch, champion wrestler of the world, and Mins Gindys Osstrich of Hum-boldt, daughter of H. F. Osstrich, a capi-ference providing for an all-year coart-also includes the provision that he must also includes the provision that he must be a member of its faculty, hence the board will movie application to the Board withmas the cambined and and a set of the set of humboldt, will be married January II. Only relatives and immediate friends will hoard will movie application to the Board withmas the cambined and and a set of the set of hoard will movie application to the Board humbold.

the salary advanced to the coach,

Fast Flight is Accordance. PARIS Dec. M.-Captain Beilanger of the subation corps toolay flew from Vin-tennes to Mournelon. No miles, in seventy minutes. Ecouse of a high wind he main-tained an average altitude of 4.200 feet.

other Western league owners are more

Isbell should take his Wichita mine to best the association has ever conducted. Kansas City in 1811.