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BOWLING LEAGUES TO MERGE

Plan of Consolidation is Being Figured Out for Next Year.

OMAHA AND BOOSTER LEAGUES

Handicap System is Used by Both Organizations—Gossip of the Bowlers of All the Clubs of the Leagues.

GAMES SCHEDULED FOR WEEK.

Omaha League.
FRANCISCO ALLEYS.
Tuesday—Wroth's Specials against Storz Triumphs. Jetter Gold Tops against McCord-Brady Advos.
Thursday—Metz Brothers against Hospe Company. J. S. Cross against Robertson's Relos.

Commercial League.
KEYT'S ALLEYS.
Monday—Omaha Bikes against Frank's Colts.
Tuesday—Pete Lochs against A. Frick & Son.
Thursday—St. James against O'Brien's Monte Christos.
Friday — Brodegaard Crowns against Luxus.

Magic City League.
GARLOW ALLEYS, SOUTH OMAHA.
Monday—Hughes Paint Company against Martin's Tigers.
Wednesday—J. S. Watkins & Co. against Omaha Packing Company.
Friday—Culkins' Cubs against Garlow's Colts.

Booster League.
FRANCISCO ALLEYS.
Monday—Rangers against Storz Malts. Omaha Rod and Gun Club against Maccappas.
Friday — Ruffner Tailoring Company against Yousen's Colts. People's Store against Omaha Bedding Company.

Mercantile League.
FRANCISCO ALLEYS.
Monday—A. O. U. W. No. 17 against Metropolitans.
Tuesday—U. S. Cleaning Company against Q. M. D.
Wednesday—Ak-Sar-Bens against Carpenter Paper Company.
Thursday—Equitable Life against Onimods.
Friday—Hartley's Colts against Kamos.

Metropolitan League.
KEYT'S ALLEYS.
Monday—Maney's Sunkist against Beselin's Mixers.
Tuesday—Pat's Comets against Dietz Athletic Club.
Wednesday—Postoffice against Idlewilds.
Thursday—Andy's Colts against Harvey's Colts, Independents against Derby Woolen Mills.

Crescent League.
KEYT'S ALLEYS.
U. S. National Boosters against Pharmacy Juniors, U. S. National Rangers against Pharmacy Seniors, U. S. National Tellers against Creighton Dentals.

Postoffice League.
KEYT'S ALLEYS.
Regular schedule of games.

A great many of the leading bowlers of the Omaha and Boosters leagues of the Francisco alleys are in favor of a consolidation of these two leagues before the start of another season. The handicap system as used in the Omaha league has added more interest to the race than has been apparent since its organization. The Booster league is also using the handicap system, but not until after the bitterest fight in its history and which has naturally weakened the league to a certain extent. However the handicap system will have a good effect in this the same as in any other unevenly matched contest.

It is expected that at least twenty five men teams will be members of the new league, which will be known as the Omaha league and will shoot on alleys 4, 5, 6 and 7 at Francisco's alleys, four teams playing each at the first five nights of the week. The handicap system will be adopted that will be the same as the present system or an entirely new method may be used.

Leagues of a greater size than twenty teams can be found in St. Joseph, Chicago, Des Moines and other western towns and St. Louis has one league composed of Anheuser-Busch employes alone that numbers forty teams.

The City league of Chicago is composed of ten teams that shoot at Fienner's alleys the same night, special prizes being given away at each meet, which makes the competition exceedingly good.

William F. Weber, who is president of the Omaha league, is spoken of as the proper person for the president's chair in the new organization. Weber has made a very good officer and it is doubtful if any other candidate can be found who would be willing to make a race.

Bowling Attendance Big.

While the American Bowling congress goes merrily on at St. Louis with an attendance which breaks all records in past tournaments, other tournaments that will be held in the near future are putting in great work to increase the number of entries at their meets.

The International tournament to be held in St. Paul beginning February 11 and closing the 22, is the largest of any of the northern affairs, and will be held in the new $50,000 West Side club house which has just been completed. All privileges of the club will be extended to all visiting bowlers. Special entertainments have been arranged for visitors.

The Western Bowling congress is the official meet of the Pacific coast bowlers and will be held at Spokane, Wash., beginning March 9th and closes on the 19th. It will be held in the state armory building and will positively be the largest of any previous meets of the far west. A guaranteed cash prize of $1,500 is offered to the high man team. This is $500 more than was ever offered in a five man event in the country.

Records Are Flying.

Two records of the American Bowling congress have already been broken and less than one half the games have been bowled. The Flenner team of Chicago shot a total of 1,040 in a single game during their championship series, beating the record made by the Imperials of New York of 1,039 at the tournament held at Pittsburg in 1909. In the same game, A. Miner rolled 279, beating the mark of 278 made by George Quayley at Detroit last year. The Flenner team leads the five man team so far in the tournament, the individual scores being as follows:

R. Williams	189	230	213	632
A. Miner	279	159	197	635
E. Hemingway	196	168	185	549
E. Guston	222	175	221	618
A. Hall	156	179	164	499
Totals	1,040	901	981	2,924

The Cosmos of Chicago won the championship last year with a total of 2,888, forty-four pins less than the score rolled by the Flenners, still the Lipmans of Chicago shot 2,862 to win in 1909 and the Bonds of Columbus, shot 2,827 in the 1908 tournament. However, it will be very difficult to beat this very good performance, as they are 174 pins ahead of their nearest competitor.

Martin Would Roll Again.

Billy Martin is peeved at the refusal of Myron Stunts to shoot another series of fifty games. Martin thinks he got the worst of it on account of all the games being played on Stunts home alleys and wants another match and roll twenty-five games at Francisco and twenty-five at Keyts.

The Metz Brothers team is also up on ears over a statement issued by one of the local papers in offset that the Pete Lochs gave them a beating in a city championship match two years ago. Captain Huntington wishes to have it understood that the Metz team has never been defeated by any regular team in the city in a special match and is willing to back the statement by rolling a match with any team that will shoot for any amount and any number of games.

Notes for Pill Rollers.

"Fore" Sherwood has a nice total of 614 for some of the porkers to best him out of that weekly prize money.

Fitzgerald can get them on any alley. The load in 678 is just the right thing for any old alley, so Fitz says.

Holly of the Pharmacy Seniors, broke the Cresent league single game record this week with a nice 239 game.

Bill Voss is still able to put them down in the pit. It was about 1886 that Bill was at his best and some bowler at that.

Martin and Balzer are a hard pair to beat in a two-handed match. It's very seldom that they drop below 1,100 in a series.

The Cross teams are still flirting around that 2,900 total. That is what wins the games, if they can only keep it up.

Deising is a particular chap. He wears a glove to bowl, but not because of a bad hand, but he does so hate to scratch the alley.

Toman will not let anyone use his 563. Some Jonah has taken the grip out of it and Stub can't put the zipp on the thing at all.

Joe Lotz, the well-known amateur heaver, is working the kinks out of his arm shooting a few games a week on the basement alleys.

Young Ward is the king-bee of the Cresent leaguers and is some shooter, too, just ask a few of the Metz bowlers it it aint so.

Bowers has hard work putting that curve ball across the plate. He can hit the corners all right, but the best he can get on them is a ball.

Garlow is talking of building some alleys on the second floor of his new addition, as the bowling fever is very apparent in his part of the city.

Dad Huntington and Anderson are the best men in town on picking up bad splits. It's a common thing to see them grab a cross alley spare.

Vultee bought the anchor off the old ship Save-me to help hold the Life team on the top. Looks like he will need it from this time on.

Chapman, the new man with the U. S. Cleaners, looks like a comer and ought to help this lively trio win many a game before the gong rings.

At last Lepinski has given up the dope ball and is back with the old regular pill, and, of course, is again giving the boys a run for their money.

Moreau, Hartley's coming pupil, led the Mercs last week with a nice 632. That young fellow looks good enough for the Metz bunch right now.

Mike Culkins has been shooting some pretty good games of late and is talking of taking Garlow on for a long series. What a match that would be.

Secretary Hammond of the new Packers' league is one of the busiest of the South City bowlers. He is making good both as a secretary and a bowler.

The Advo team hit its stride for two games last week and shot a 1,051 total with a straw man in the lineup just three pins behind the season's record.

Hull has plenty to do when spotting young Grace thirty pins a game. Grace has been bowling all winter without tickling the National but once.

Bill Humbert is developing into one of the finds of the season and is sure to get better as the season gets along. He has a fine delivery and very good control.

The city hall five have accepted the challenge of the Grain exchange bunch of Denman, Sprague, Weeks, Kerr and Conrad and a good match should be the result.

Kile Stockwell shot a dandy 244 last week and it helped considerably in taking the only game away from the Hartley Colts. Kile is one of those dope ball men, too.

The Omaha Bedding Company are creeping up on the Yousem Colts, who looked like a cinch bet for first money in the Boosters, but now it looks like a real battle.

There will be some hot match games between the Cudahy and Armour employes before many weeks have passed. The rivalry at the present time is as sharp as a razor.

Now comes Shanty Falconer with a dope ball injection. Seems funny how Wood Hartley can set these young fellows going dippy on that thing he endeavors to get two hundreds with.

McCormick tries all kinds of curves to get the pins. First it's an out and then an in and an occasional drop, still he don't seem to be able to fool either the pins or the score keeper.

Keep your optic peeled on that Hartley Colt crowd. It behooves our worthy president, Vultee, to grease the track or else send his own. Its 1,600 right along with that bunch of pill rollers.

Jimmy Martin sticks his two bits into the pot just like he was used to winning them occasionally, but that's a mistake. No one ever accused Jim of winning any of them, and chances are he never will.

Bill M. V. Hall, who is hailed as captain of the Garlow Colts, is a likely candidate for first place among the come-backs. Bill used to be the terror of the Missouri Valley alleys back in the early '80s.

The Omaha teams that will contest in the A. B. C. meet will leave Thursday afternoon over the Wabash. They will shoot their five men event Friday night and doubles and singles on Saturday.

Chief Briggs and Paul Chadd have more argumente about their relative merits as bowlers than any two men in town, and can be seen in regular battle every day in the week, with the chief just a few to the good.

The members of the Booster league are getting back into the old way of doing things. Everybody has buried the hatchet and the way they are rooting takes you back to the old days of prosperity and peace.

Postmaster Etter has a very peculiar ball, but one that possesses lots of zipp, which enables him to skin many of the unwary. Rumors are afloat that an intercity match has been proposed between Postmasters Thomas and Etter.

The Omaha bowlers have been up against it as far as taking any of the soft away from the South City shooters, as they are a very tough proposition to beat in their own back yard. Hartley will assert that this statement is positively correct.

Joe Gilham is still chasing that fellow Conroy for high honors in the cellar. Go to it Joe, but go in standing up, don't try to slide, you will bump against the foul line. Gil was high for the weekly prize with a 629 total and a single game of 267.

That man Lyons still continues to be the good old mainstay of the Storz Malts. By the way, have you noticed the decided improvement in Durkee, Drummy, Eastman and Hall. They are coming to the front like real shooters. Look out for that crowd.

The Jetter Gold Tops are still hitting the pace that wins. These South Omaha chaps are piling up some very high scores and going better all the time. Fitzgerald can't understand why they should give anybody a handicap, but then, that's the way they do things in Omaha.

Anderson's three-cornered packing house stockholders are getting better right along. They are having the real fun of all the alley fiends, as there is no time that can beat the learning period. It's when you think that you can really bowl that the game loses its real charm.

The Cellarette banquet is the most talked about thing among these athletes just at the present time. Big Mike has been voted head waiter, Pat Anderhero will be keeper of the ice chest and Johnny Laird will do black-face, accompanied by Ortman, Schoeman, Lemon, Moran, Murphy and Bryan, who are known as the Dockstader quartet.

Bowling in the basement alleys shows improvement over the first part of the season. The Independents shot a 1,098 total which beats the mark of the Beselin's Mixers, which has stood since the first few games of the season. A remarkable thing about this was the fact that each man shot the same total of 552, which certainly is consistant enough.

That fellow Kennedy, the comedian, pulled a number of good ones on Rudiger during the match game last week. Rudiger is inclined to show quite a part of his skull and everytime Kennedy would call the pin boy to "put 'em on the spot" Rudiger would pull his sleeves down a little further on the back of his head, he finally fell and everybody had a good smoke at his expense.

A special tournament in doubles and singles will be shot at the Francisco alleys on Sunday. This will be something new for the Omaha men. A total number of forty-eight two-men teams can be accommodated. Alleys 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9 and 10 will be used in this contest. The entry money is $2 per man and the entry money will be divided into six prizes for each of the events. The first squad will start at 10 o'clock in the morning, the second at 12 o'clock and the last at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The contestants will shoot their doubles and singles at the same time; that is, two men are entered as a team, their individual scores counting in the singles and the team total for the doubles.

One of Omaha's Crack Bowling Teams

Top Row—Cain, Johnson, Maythew, Perkins. Lower Row—Wiley, Cross, Hartley.
CROSS BOWLING TEAM.

Rowing Association Elects New Officers; Regatta on May 22

Cornell, Columbus and Pennsylvania Are Entered in Intercollegiate Contest.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—At the annual meeting of the American Rowing association here today the following were elected officers for the next season: Chairman, Dr. H. S. Vandusen, New York; vice chairman, Dr. Hugh Cabot, Boston; secretary, D. B. Wood, Philadelphia; treasurer, Jesse Williamson, Philadelphia.

The annual regatta will be held this year at Philadelphia on Saturday, May 22, over a course of 1 mile 550 yards. The special inter-club race, for which sixteen crews entered last year, will be open this year, as usual, only to club crews.

It is hoped to have a larger entry than last year.

For the inter-collegiate race, Cornell, Columbia and Pennsylvania have already entered. Harvard and Yale are expected to follow soon, and it is thought that possibly Princeton may send a crew for the first time.

The program will be the same as last year, except that the race for pair oars has been cancelled.

GOPHERS DO UP CORNHUSKERS

Minnesota Basket Ball Five Trims Their Visitors.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 28.—(Special Telegram.)—Minnesota's basket ball team showed conclusively that they could "come back" by defeating the clever five from the University of Nebraska Friday. The final count was: Minnesota, 26; Nebraska, 10. Minnesota went into the game in a badly crippled condition and the absence of Wanless and Captain Rosenwald was noticeable in a lack of team work on the part of the Gopher five. The reserve, Grimes and Frank, worked well, but seemed unable to get onto Dr. Cook's combinations.

The first period ended with the Cornhuskers at the small end of a 16 to 5 count. In this session the work of Frank Lawler was a decided feature. The Gopher forward was in great shape, scoring every point made by his team.

In the final half the Gopher coach made several shifts in his lineup in an effort to pick up the larger score, but the changes did not have the desired result. The Cornhuskers came back stronger than before and held the maroon and gold players to a 9 to 5 score.

The main feature of the Nebraska play was the clever handling of the ball and their intercepting of Gopher passes. This last accomplishment on the part of the Cornhuskers broke up the Minnesota team work before it was fairly started and prevented the Gophers from running up a larger score.

Owen, the diminutive forward from Nebraska, was a big attraction for his team. Although the smallest man on the floor, he showed to advantage in advancing the ball on the dribble and in shooting for goals. The same teams will play Saturday night. The lineup:

MINNESOTA—26.		NEBRASKA—10.
Lawler	R.F.	R.F. Gibson
L. Frank	L.F.	L.F. Owen
Walker	C.	C. Hillner
Grimes	R.G.	R.G. O. Frank
Robbland	L.G.	L.G. Carter

Substitutes—Walker for Frank, Whipperman for Walker, Lyford for Walker, Frank for Grimes, Hutchinson for Owen. Goals from field: Lawler (6), Owen (2), Carter (1) Gibson (1), Walker (1), Whipperman (1.) Goals from free throws: Lawler (2), Walker (2), Gibson (1), Hutchinson (1.) Officials: Deering and Junek.

CHESS TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Defeat of Chajes Ties Him with Marshall for Leadership.

NEWYORK, Jan. 28.—The defeat of Oscar Chajes of Chicago, which brought him down from the leadership to a tie for that place with Frank J. Marshall, the United States champion, was the feature of the sixth round in the National Chessmasters' tournament today. Marshall won from W. C. Morris.

Paul Johner of the Manhattan Chess club caused the first downfall of Chajes, gradually wearing him down to a resignation on the fifteth move.

C. Jaffe won from H. T. Black and Capablanca defeated A. B. Hodges, the Cuban champion thus scoring his second victory.

Faird and Tenenbaumsel, after thirty-six moves, agreed to a draw, while Smith of Brooklyn won from Kreyenberge.

Dyson Defeats Kellar.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—Young Dyson, the Boston bantamweight, defeated Sammy Kellar of England in a fast ten-round bout at the New Polo Athletic club tonight. Kellar's cleverness gave him the lead for three rounds, but Dyson was the stronger and had it all his own way for the rest of the bout.

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EVENTS ON RUNNING TRACKS

Winning Widow Justifies Heavy Backing at Emeryville Races.

STARRY NIGHT WINS THE FIFTH

Event Which Serves as Trial for California Derby Won in Drive from Ayame—Rosevale Takes Sixth.

OAKLAND, Jan. 28.—Winning Widow, the heavily played second choice, led all the way in the Andrew selling stakes at Emeryville today, winning easily from Big Stick and Thistle Bell. The fifth race served as a trial for the California Derby and was won by Starry Night in a drive from Ayame. Summaries:

First race, six furlongs: Father Stafford (8 to 1) won, Eddie Mott (7 to 2) second, Sorrowful (15 to 1) third. Time: 1:17.

Second race, three and one-half furlongs: Cash On Delivery (18 to 5) won, La Cassadora (16 to 5) second, Ymin (7 to 10) third. Time: :42¾.

Third race, six furlongs: Dargin (Fischer, 9 to 2) won, Dutch Rock (Martin, 5 to 1) second, Dacia (Callahan, 5 to 1) third. Time: 1:17.

Emma G., Tony Faust, Woodlander, Pickannny, Dublin Minstrel and Meltondale finished as named.

Fourth race, six and a half furlongs: Andrew selling stakes: Winning Widow (Selden, 3 to 1) won, Big Stick (Gardner, 12 to 1) second, Thistlebelle (Riddle, 15 to 1) third. Time: 1:22⅘.

Raleigh, P. D., Roy Junior, Torbellino, Golden Agnes, Veneta, Strome, Banorella and Daddy Gip finished as named.

Fifth race, one mile: Starry Night (J. McIntyre, 5 to 1) won, Ayame (Selden, 15 to 1) second, Doncaster (Archibald, 13 to 10) third. Time: 1:43.

Pay Streak, Jest, Alarec, Heretic and Dunc Campbell finished as named.

Sixth race, one mile and seventy yards: Rosevale (Martin, 7 to 10) won, Raleigh (J. McIntyre), 5 to 2) second, Massa (Gargan, 60 to 1) third. Time: 1:50⅘.

Star Actor, Fulletta, Mr. Bishop and Ocean View finished as named.

Jacksonville Races.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Jan. 28.—The Nigger, held at 16 to 1 in the betting, won the $2,500 Jacksonville handicap, the feature event at Moncrief today, finishing a length in front of Mary Davis, who beat Rob R., a length.

Aldrian, a formidable derby candidate, showed a fine performance when he picked up 118 pounds and beat a band of good horses of his age at seven furlongs.

Manheimer established a new track record when he ran five and one-half furlongs in 1:06⅘, winning the second race. Summaries:

First race, three furlongs: Mary Lee, (Johnson), 8 to 1, won; Eaton, second; High Brow, third. Time, 0:35⅘.

Second race, five and one-half furlongs: Manheimer, 5 to 1, won; Smoker, second; Marie Hyde, third. Time, 1:09⅘.

Third race, seven furlongs: Aldrian, 13 to 5, won; Dr. Duenner, second; White Wool, third. Time: 1:26⅘.

Fourth race, the Jacksonville handicap, mile and a sixteenth: The Nigger, 10 to 1, won; Mary Davis, second; Rob R., third. Time, 1:45⅘.

Fifth race, six furlongs: Star Blue, 3 to 2, won; Eye White, second; Herpes, third. Time, 1:13.

Sixth race, selling, $400, 4-year-olds and up, mile and a sixteenth: Console III, (Goose), 9 to 5, 1 to 2, out, won; Reybourn, 106, (Byrne), 6 to 1, 2 to 1, 4 to 5, second; Princelike, 103, (McCahey), 13 to 10, 2 to 5, out, third. Time, 1:47⅘.

Merman, Queen Marguerite, Royal Report, also ran.

Card at Tampa.

TAMPA, Fla., Jan. 28.—Disastrous form reversals, were frequent today. The victory of Neoskaleeta over Sam Bernard in the distance race was the feature, the old campaigner being unable to do better than a poor fourth. The defeat of Our Nugget by Von Laer was a blow to the form players. Summaries:

First race, five furlongs: Blair Raggley, 2 to 1, won; Good Acre, second; Masks and Faces, third. Time, 1:05⅘.

Second race, five furlongs: Star Venus, 7 to 10, won; Golden Castle, second; Love Watches, third. Time, 1:03⅘.

Third race, five and a half furlongs: Von Laer, 12 to 1, won; Complete, second; Our Nugget, third. Time, 1:11⅘.

Fourth race, $150, 2-year-olds and up, about three furlongs: Captain Nelson, 113 (Jensen), 7 to 5, 2 to 5, 1 to 5, won; Catherine Crampton, 110 (Murphy), 3½ to 1, 6 to 5, 3 to 5, second; Ezaldine, 107 (Ormsby), 10 to 1, 4 to 1, 2 to 1, third. Time, 0:34⅘.

Sully Burnett, Mother Annie Lorrania, Calethumptan, Battson, Judge Snook, Dr Abington and Dora M. Lutz also ran.

Fifth race, handicap, purse $150, 3-year-olds and up, mile and a sixteenth: Neoskaleeta, 105 (Bergen), 11 to 10, 1 to 2, out, won; Louis Katz, 94 (Wingfield), 2½ to 1, 4 to 5, out, second; Sam Bernard, 117 (Hoffman), 6 to 5, 1 to 2, out, third. Time, 1:54.

Alice also ran.

Sixth race, $150, for 3-year-olds and up, about a mile and three furlongs, selling: Lois Cavanaugh, 106 (McCabe), 2 to 1, 4 to 5, 2 to 5, won; Vanen, 105 (Quinlan), even, 2 to 5, out, second; King of the Mist, 107 (Gerondo), 19 to 1, 4 to 1, 2 to 1, third. Time, 2:23⅘.

Octopus, Beauclere, Sanctim, Cull and Niblick also ran.

Defeat for Walnut Hills.

The Squab team of the Young Men's Christian association defeated the Walnut Hill Star five, 21 to 17, last night in a fast game of basket ball on the Walnut Hill floor. Ellis and Sandberg proved that they were excellent shots at a basket and Willard, the squab guard, did some fine work at his post. Score:

Stars.	Position.	Squabs.
Ellis	R.F.	R.F. Sandberg
Adams	L.F.	L.F. Bauman
Williams	C.	C. Reel
Evans	R.G.	R.G. Willard
Thomas	L.G.	L.G. Partridge

Burns Gets Better of Digger Stanley in Ten-Round Bout

British Bantamweight Champion Inclined to Wrestle—Has Advantage of Height and Reach.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—Frankie Burns of Jersey City outfought and outpointed Digger Stanley, England's bantamweight champion, in a ten-round bout before the National Sporting club of America tonight.

The British champion had the advantage of height and reach and in the clinches used the kidney blow with effect. He was inclined to wrestle, and was eventually worn down by Burns' body blows and infighting.

Burns had the better of the start and began his body blow tactics in the first round, while Stanley swung rather wildly for the head. In the second Stanley sent a left and right to the head and a left to body and had a shade the better of the round.

Burns terrific infighting in the third gave him all the better of the round and Stanley's holding kept the referee busy. The Britisher showed to better advantage in the fourth.

Burns put hard rights to the stomach in the fifth, but Stanley escaped serious damage by clever foot work. He also was fast on his feet in the sixth.

In the seventh Burns forced the fight with blows to the head and body. Stanley tried for the head several times in the eighth but generally missed.

In the ninth Burns left and right to body sent the Digger tottering. He lay over upon Burns, and the referee had to drag him off.

Both entered the ring full of fight for the final round. In the break from clinching, Burns received a blow to the shoulder which sent him to the ropes, but he was soon back with his infighting. They clinched often and there were few blows struck thereafter until the gong rang.

While no decisions are allowed here the popular verdict went to Burns almost unanimously. Both weighed in at 117 pounds.

Sioux City High Five Defeats the Bluffs

Score of Fifty-Four to Twenty-Nine Run Up in Game that Was Full of Interest.

Before a large crowd the Sioux City High school basket ball team defeated the Council Bluffs High school quintet in a fast game, 54 to 29, at the Council Bluffs "Y" gymnasium Friday. The team work of both sides was good. The Sioux City boys outreached and outweighed the Bluffs quintet. The Bluffs boys were a little rough at times, their fouls giving Sioux City an advantage.

Robinson, Hunt, Aldrich and Holmes were the stars of the game. Lineup:

C. H. B. S.		S. C. H. S.
Grason	R.F.	R.F. Aldrich (C)
Robinson (C)	L.F.	L.F. Shull
Hunt	C.	C. Holmes
Ranck	R.G.	R.G. Hutchins
Clark	L.G.	L.G. Osborn

Field goals: Grason (2), Robinson (3), Hunt (4), Aldrich (9), Shull (2), Holmes (8), Hutchins (2.) Free throws: Robinson (11), Aldrich (12.) Referee: Gus Miller of Omaha. Umpire: Davis. Timekeeper: Shultins. Scorer: Gross. Time of halves: 20 minutes.

Before the Council Bluffs-Sioux City game the students of the Council Bluffs High school, playing in good form, defeated the Crescent five of the Walnut Hill Methodist Episcopal church of Omaha in a fast game, 32 to 17. Lineup:

STUDENTS.		CRESCENTS.
Crowl (C)	R.F.	R.F. P. Hosman (C)
Over	L.F.	L.F. P. Hosman
Giles	C.	C. Williams
Leanox	L.G.	L.G. Hudson
Roe	R.G.	R.G. Thomas

Field goals: Crowl (9), Over (1), Giles (3), F. Hosman (1), Williams (1), Hudson (1), P. Hosman (2.) Free throws: Crowl (6), P. Hosman (6). Points awarded: Crescents (1). Referee: Fonda. Umpire: Thomas. Timekeeper: Gagnevin. Scorer: Gross. Time of halves: 15 minutes.

FISH AND GAME REPORTS OUT

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ing traps were confiscated. Total fines imposed amounted to $1,632.60.

About 40,000 pounds of carp, buffalo, gars and hickory shad were taken out of Carter Lake and disposed of as these fish are detrimental to the propagation of other fish.

A declaration is made by the commissioners that justices are too lenient in letting fishers and hunters off without punishment when they have been caught at illegal practices.

Warm Wrestling Match.

MASON CITY, Ia., Jan. 28.—(Special Telegram.)—For two hours Ingersoll of Thornton and Prolm of this city were on the mat last night without either securing a fall. It was a match for $200. It was the best event of its kind ever pulled off in this city.

MUDDLE IN HARNESS DATES

Meeting Called of Stewards of Grand Circuit to Straighten Matters.

EASTERN TRACKS THREATENED

Columbus Refused Dates for Second Meeting and Traditional Lexington Exhibition, Most Important of Year, Lapped.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—There is to be a New York end to the Grand Circuit, even though the Empire track is to be closed to the light harness horse. A special meeting of the stewards of the Grand circuit has been called for January 30, in this city, at which an effort will be made to clear away the muddle in dates created by the organization of the Great Central circuit, which has arranged a circuit that threatens to break down completely the Eastern Grand circuit meetings which, for some reasons, have already had more than an ordinary share of troubles.

The trouble dates from the meeting of the Grand circuit stewards in Buffalo, on January 10, which refused Columbus the dates asked for its second meeting, and arranged a "big line" that lapped the traditional Lexington meeting, the most important of the year and independent of the Grand circuit. The setting back of Columbus wil carry the Grand circuit to September 25-October 7, and for nearly thirty years the Lexington meeting has claimed the first two weeks of October. There was a committee of four appointed—Fred Postal, E. W. Swisher, De Forest Settle and A. J. Welch as associate— to wait upon the Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders' association to urge a rearrangement of dates so as not to interfere with the Columbus meeting and to also invite the Lexington association to join the Grand circuit.

Scouts the Idea.

At the annual meeting in Lexington of the Kentucky Horse Breeders' association the president-elect, Robert C. Stoll, scouted the idea of abandoning the dates held for so many years. He said that no invitation had been received to join the Grand circuit and that Lexington had no idea of doing so. Recently the dates of the Great Central circuit were sent out from Columbus. A comparison of the dates gives the positions of the two leagues in the duel for territory control:

Grand Circuit—Indianapolis, July 10-15; Grand Rapids, July 17-22; Kalamazoo, July 24-29; Detroit (Driving club), July 29-August 5; Cleveland, August 7-12; Buffalo, August 14-19; Goshen, August 21-26; Hartford, August 28-September 11-16; Detroit (state fair), September 18-23; Columbus, September 25-October 7.

Great Central Circuit—To Cleveland, same as above; then Columbus, August 14-26; Joliet, August 28-September 3; Indianapolis, September 18-23; Columbus, September, 25-30; Lexington, October 2-14.

Will Do Something.

The Grand circuit special committee will probably report the results of the overtures to Lexington at the New York meeting of January 30, which is a convenient day for horsemen, as it marks the start of the midwinter horse sale. At all events, something must be done to save the eastern circuit and prevent the best horses remaining west instead of going on to Buffalo. One suggested action is that the stewards of the Grand circuit might amend their rules and declare Columbus an outlaw track and that a horse starting there could not afterward compete on the track of a member in good standing. This would bring squarely to the front the strength of the two factors. It has been held that in the middle west for some seasons that the Grand circuit has a dead end, but that it is a live wire until Buffalo is reached.

Joliet, Indianapolis and Milwaukee have held a grand western circuit meeting for some years on the dates assigned by the Great Central. It is claimed by Grand circuit followers that instead of a regular organization, the latter merely stands for E. W. Swisher and the Columbus Driving association, who acted alone and without authority in announcing the Great Central circuit. This does not ease matters for the east, if the dates fill. Mr. Swisher said on Saturday he had a letter from H. K. Devereaux, president of the Grand circuit stewards, asking the Columbus Driving association to delay announcement of its dates to see if some satisfactory arrangement cannot be made. This latter may indicate a compromise at the New York session of January 30.

Conciliate Breeders.

How far is the Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders' association behind the new plan? The Great Central insures to it the time honored dates, and in some quarters there is an idea the Lexington folk have been engineering a call-down to the Grand circuit stewards. At the Buffalo meeting the stewards voted to admit Memphis to the Grand circuit, and it is expected there will be such races there the week after Lexington. To break the Grand circuit and then resume it, because an independent meeting is in the way, which makes one track more prominent than the combined stewards, is not to the fancy of the latter, say some of the reinsmen. They believe a play has been made by the stewards to induce Lexington to come into the fold.

The most serious part of the complication is the effect, if no change is made, the new circuit will have on the wabbling eastern light harness horse meetings. The applicants for a Grand circuit meeting at Goshen are said to have assured the stewards the present half-mile track would not be used. Instead a full mile track is available on the Harriman estate, and a new concrete grandstand could be ready by August 21 and the track put in fine order. With no opposition to keep away the crackerjack nags, the improved Goshen course should be the scene of most brilliant racing.

AMONG THE LOCAL BOWLERS

Carpenter Paper Company Men Win Three Games from the Kamos.

In the Mercantile league last night the Carpenter Paper company won three from the Kamos. Johnson rolled high total for the Carpenters with 596 and high single of 213. The Kamos rolled out of luck, Ritchie getting high total with 448.

In the Booster league the Rod and Gun club won three from the Rangers. Sutter rolled high for his team with 483 and Johnson for the Rangers with 445.

The Omaha Bedding company won three from the Peoples Store. Changstrom rolled high for his team.

In a special match Alpha camp No. 1 won two out of three from the South Omaha camp, also winning on total pins.

In the first game between Frank's Colts and O'Brien's Monte Christos the Colts won two out of three games. Traynor of the O'Briens drew high single game with 219, while Younger of the Colts had high total of 563.

Pat's Comets took two out of three games from the Idlewilds. Sanish had high game of 202 and 568 total for the Comets. Moberg had high game of 224 and Pohler high total of 537 for the Idlewilds.

Sportsmen's Show at Madison Square

Manufacturers Are Taking an Interest and Will Exhibit Their Goods.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—Plans have been announced for the International Trap Shooting Tournament and Sportsman's show to be held at Madison Square Garden, March 6 to 14.

The exhibition will have a commercial phase, chiefly representing manufacturers of arms and ammunition and paraphernalia of sportsmen and campers, besides transportation lines penetrating America's various hunting grounds. But the rental of spaces to commercial exhibitors will be confined to the western half of the floor of the amphitheater, while the rest of the structure, galleries, concert hall and assembly room will be devoted to a representation of outdoor sports and life in the field and forest. The eastern, or Fourth avenue, half of the Garden will be the field of the trap shooters, while the galleries will be occupied by riflemen at their ranges, and anglers in a fly-casting competition will be placed on the amphitheater floor.

Besides the assembling of the nation's star wing shots, re-enforced by their Canadian brethren, military college and school-boy rifle shooting will be a part of the show. All the competition will be where the vishors can see them. The numerous individual features will include a monograph exhibit representing boys' camps by means of photographs, occupying wall space and hinged frames, in charge of a committee of officers and campers representing the Young Men's Christian association, Young Men's Hebrew association, Boy Scouts, boys' clubs, schools and independent camps. Women will be represented in the show by various features and will participate in the trap shooting.

A bowling tuornament, besides pool and shuffleboard contests, will be held.

TEXAS WOULD HAVE OFFICE OF A. A. U. AT SAN ANTONIO

Distance is Said to Be Too Great from New Orleans, Present Headquarters.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—The Amateur Athletic union has received application for the establishment of a Texas association of the Amateur Athletic union, with headquarters at San Antonio. The matter will be put to a mail vote of the governors. The principal reason for the state of Texas desiring association membership is owing to its great distance from New Orleans, the present headquarters of the southern association and also from New York. They also desire to have their own records and own association championships, so that in a case like that of Gwy Henry, who won the 220-yard Amateur Athletic union championship at New Orleans in October, under association membership, he would have been credited to the Texas association instead of the Southern association. Mr. L. di Benedetto, secretary of the Southern association, favors the recognition of the new association, the Southern association being willing to relinquish the territory for the good of sport. Texas has now no less than eleven Amateur Athletic union clubs, while two years ago there was not one in the state that belonged to the southern association of the Amateur Athletic union.

TENNIS MEN KICK ON NEWPORT

Movement to Take National Tournament Elsewhere on Foot.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—A movement started recently by leading tennis players in New York and vicinity to rob Newport, R. I., of the national lawn tennis tournament came out in the open today in the form of a letter addressed to the United States National Lawn Tennis association.

The letter suggests the German Cricket club at Manheim, near Philadelphia, as a place preferred by New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania players and recites that Newport's drawbacks include inadequate equipment and accommodations and heavy traveling expenses.

It is proposed to bring the matter before the next annual meeting of the national association.

Baldwin Whips Donnelly.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 28.—"Kid" Baldwin of Indianapolis won as he pleased over Stewart Donnelly tonight, flooring his man five times in the third round and three times in the fourth, when the referee stopped the bout. It was virtually a knockout.

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