First Indoor Greater Omaha Track Meet Won by the Y. M. C. A. Track Athletes

KNOCKS AMERICAN SWIMMERS

Australian Says Strokes Used Here Are Inefficient.

HIS AUTHORITY IS QUESTIONED

Much Discussion of "Crawls" and "Kicks" Leaves Athletes of Same Opinion Still—Experience of Visitor Slight.

NEW YORK, March 5.—The wholesale criticism of American swimming strokes and methods by Richard Cavill, former champion of Australia and now instructor at the Illinois Athletic club of Chicago, has aroused coaches throughout the country and brought to light some interesting facts concerning the development of the crawl since its introduction here seven years ago. And discussion on the relative merits of the Australian and American varieties of this stroke must of course prove an idle one, both because there is no definite type in either country, and because widely differing conditions make impossible a fair comparison. And it may be added that Cavill cannot be counted a competent judge of the question owing to his having studied American methods only in the middle west. Considering that New York holds the championships at all distances in straight swimming, his views are not at all conclusive.

After reading some of the replies to the Australian's comments, one is apt to wonder what constitutes the true American crawl. There appear to be conflicting opinions on the subject, and certainly the descriptions given by Sullivan, Meffert, Mackenzie, Kistler, Wahle, Cady and some other of our leading authorities differ greatly.

How Does He Know?

One thing stands irrefutably, however, Cavill bases his criticism on our supposed use of a straight arm stroke, and yet every one of the coaches above mentioned teaches his pupils to catch with elbow raised, which makes a straight arm drive impossible. If some insist on the arms being brought down at right angles to the body, it is because they know that this is the best way to prevent the beginner from getting an exaggerated inward hook that minimizes the effectiveness of the drive.

It is made evident by the published arguments that in the last few years students of swimming have given particular attention to the obtaining of a set of movements that would insure the propelling forward of the body from start to finish of the arm drive. In the old style stroke, when the hand was carried in to the chest and then out, there was considerable loss of power, and later when the trudgeon came into existence and a straight arm was preached, both the early part and the finish of the stroke were useless, because the pressure was applied downward at first and upward at last. To obviate this, the raised elbow catch was introduced, and it gave immediate results, because it enabled the swimmer to begin to draw his body forward the minute the hand dug into the still unsatisfactory, though, and it is only quite recently that coaches seem to have hit on the way to draw benefit from it. In fact, few seem to know of the discovery even now.

Hold Elbows High.

In the new method the hands plunge into the water with force on either side of the head and above it. The elbows are held high and the wrists bent slightly downward. As the arm sweeps down in this position the shoulder is made to do most of the work until the hand reaches the height of the chest, when the upper arms slacken speed (the elbow is still high) and the forearm comes strongly into play, pressing backward hard until it reaches the thigh, when it is lifted out of the water and carried forward for another stroke. As can be seen, this action entails no loss of power or cessation of forward propulsion at any part of the drive.

Curiously Cavill makes no mention of this stroke. He claims that the arm should be carried down along the center of the body and close to it, but any one with even slight knowledge of applied mechanics will understand why such a method is inferior to the other, as the leverage is at no time as good.

Of the leg drive very little was said in the recent controversy, but Coach Richards of Yale expressed the opinion that an improvement in the present thrash was being tried out at New Haven and another step forward was anticipated through it. He has been studying the "swordfish kick" of Instructor Sundstrom of the New York Athletic club, and he believes that it has wonderful speed in it. This kick greatly resembles the crawl thrash, but instead of the legs moving simply up and down they perform a rotary motion very like the action of a bicyclist in pedaling fast. Great difficulty has been experienced in teaching these complicated inovements and results have not proved very satisfactory, but there is no doubt that Sundstrom can by the aid of his kick only go almost as fast as the average swimmer can using arms and legs, so Richards' contention is not unwarranted.

BIG LOCAL SHOOT HELD TUESDAY FOR FRED STONE

Actor One of Crack Shots in Country and Many Are Planning to Attend.

One of the biggest of the local shoots for the present year will be the one given by the Omaha Gun club Tuesday, in honor of Fred A. Stone, the noted actor appearing in "Old Town" this week in Omaha. Each year the club gives a shoot in honor of Fred Stone, who is one of the crack shots of the United States.

Nearly seventy-five of the shooters of Omaha and visiting sports-men will gather at the grounds across the river Tuesday. The day's shoot will be 100 targets, and the prize money will be divided in the jack rabbit system. Herr Lovering, who is managing the shoot, promises a couple of novel innovations for the occasion.

The Omaha Gun club is slowly, but steadily adding improvements to its grounds, and when the spring really opens here the park will be closed for a time, while it is completely gone over and set in shape for the Western handicap to be held in August.

Inquiries from various parts of the west are already coming to the club secretary asking about the shoot and the indications are that it will be the biggest affair ever held in Omaha.

Giants Lose to Dallas.

DALLAS, Tex., March 5.—With Manager McGraw absent in Waco, a team composed of regulars and semi-regulars and cadets of the New York Nationals was defeated by the Dallas Texas league team this afternoon 3 to 1. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Dallas	2	6	3
New York	1	6	2

Batteries: Dallas, McAdams and Robertson; New York, Rustenhaven, Tesreau and Hartley.

Crete High Leads.

FAIRMONT, Neb., March 5.—(Special.)—The Fairmont High school basket ball team was defeated last night by Crete High school, 27 to 25. Superintendent Morton of Fairmont was referee.

Rules for Olympic Games Will Allow Protest to Jury

Overruling of Decisions by Judges in Behalf of Defeated Contestants is Possible.

NEW YORK, March 5.—The official program for the Olympic games at Sweden next spring has been issued and along with the last of events it contains the rules and regulations of competitions. One of the most striking of the new regulations, and there are several, is the one which governs protests. At London in 1908 the rule was to make a protest through the committee of honor to the officials controlling the event, and they disposed of it as they thought best. With the Swedes it will be different, as the following rule will show:

Protest with regard to a competition should be made through the competitor's representative on the jury, at the latest half an hour after the announcement of the decision of the judges in the question to which the protest refers, to the president of the jury, who hands over the protest, together with detailed report, for decision to that same jury.

By this it can be seen that the international jury can after protest open the decision of the judges of competition and reverse it if a vote in the majority so declares. For instance, if a man wins an event and there is a protest by another competitor over his style or some other method, even if the judge declares that he won in a perfectly fair manner, the jury can award the prize to the second man, or to the third for that matter. Taken at its best the rule is the height of foolishness and bound to create a lot of trouble if not some bad blood at Stockholm. Then again, how easy it will be to sway this jury, especially against an English speaking contestant, who will be in the minority.

Quite a lot of additions have been made to the list which originally appeared some time ago. There will be Graeco-Roman wrestling instead of catch-as-catch-can and the cycling events will be confined to a road race. Soccer foot ball has been included and there will be rowing on the Henley regatta plan, but there will be a race for inriggers for the Swedes themselves.

In fencing there is to be a foil competition, and this is interesting to Americans, as the Amateur Fencers' league intends to send a team. At London three years ago there was only an exhibition. Lawn tennis is on the list, but it does not say whether it will be on grass or clay courts. In the gymnastic team competition there will be two styles so as to give other nationalities a chance. One style will be on the Swedish system of scoring and the other in any system but the Swedish.

TEARNEY WILL APPEAL CASE

President of Three-I League Dissatisfied with Adverse Decision.

WATERLOO SAFE FOR THE SEASON

Judge Gridley Rules Action of Four Clubs at Meeting in Chicago One Month Ago is Illegal.

CHICAGO, March 5.—President Al Tearney of the Three-I Base Ball league, which lost its case in the fight to oust the Waterloo club from the organization, issued a statement last night declaring he would carry the case to a higher court. Proceedings in the demand for an appeal will be started early next week, according to the league executive.

"We are not satisfied with Judge Gridley's decision," said President Tearney, "and we shall carry the case to the supreme court if necessary to beat it. As quickly as we can file an appeal, I shall issue a call for a special meeting to adopt for the season with Quincy as a member a schedule and we will arrange the games of the circuit. The schedule will be arranged and adopted within a fortnight.

"There is some talk of a compromise in the nature of organizing the league and making it a ten-club organization, but I shall not agree to such a plan. It has been suggested that both Waterloo and Quincy be admitted with the addition of another city in case Waterloo won its case. The league will remain an eight-club organization no matter how the legal tangle ends."

Action of Clubs Illegal.

In deciding the case today Judge Gridley ruled that the meeting held in Chicago a month ago in which the four other clubs of the league voted to expel Waterloo and give its franchise to Quincy was illegal under the constitution of the league. He held that five clubs are necessary to form a quorum, whereas four clubs, with President Tearney casting the deciding vote, voted to force Waterloo from the league.

Attorneys for the Waterloo club declare the team is certain of its berth in the league for the coming season at least.

"If a final decree has been entered," said A. C. Noble, who with Quin O'Brien is representing Waterloo, "no action on an appeal can be expected for a year or more. It usually requires two years to reverse a case such as this one. But, appeal or no appeal, Waterloo will play in the Three-I league this season unless the league goes out of business."

NEW SUITS FOR ROURKES HAVE NEW NECK FIXING

Pa Has Sample on Exhibition and Fans Travel to Smokehouse to Look.

Pa Rourke has placed one of the new suits to be worn by the Rourkes the coming season in a window of the smoke house, and any old time of the day the fans may be detected by the manner in which they stand and admire the clothes. One thing which draws comment is the new "Dutch" collar used; that is, no collar at all, just cut away square at the neck. The suits are white, set off with blue and white stockings.

Sox Defeat Fort Worth.

FORT WORTH, Tex., March 5.—The first team of the Chicago Americans today defeated the Fort Worth Texas league team, 5 to 1 in the first professional game of the season here. Chicago had no trouble hitting the local slabman. Olmstead pitched the first four innings and was followed by Scott. Fort Worth's lone run was made on Olmstead's bad throw to first after Thompson had singled. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	5	10	1
Fort Worth	1	4	2

Batteries: Chicago, Olmstead, Scott, Sullivan and McGraw; Fort Worth, Hiatt, Appleton and Franks.

Zbyszko Throws Schmidt.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 4.—Zbyszko, the Pole, defeated Paul Schmidt, champion of Germany, in straight falls here tonight. The first was gained in 35:36 and the second in 12:4.

AMONG THE LOCAL BOWLERS

Standings of Players in City Leagues of Omaha.

TRIUMPHS AHEA DOF THE METZ

Bicycle Indians Lead Pete Lochs—Equitable on Top in the Mercantile League—Jetters in South Omaha.

Following are the standings of bowlers in the leagues of Omaha last week:

Mercantile League.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.	Pins.
Equitable Life	66	51	15	.772	34,023
Hartley's Colts	63	47	16	.746	31,971
Carpenters	66	41	25	.621	33,118
Onimods	60	34	26	.566	29,292
Ak-Sar-Bens	66	35	31	.530	31,644
U. S. Cleaning	66	29	37	.439	30,550
A. O. U. W. No. 17	66	27	39	.409	30,834
Kamos	66	25	41	.378	31,176
Quartermasters	63	20	43	.317	27,797
Metropolitans	66	17	49	.256	28,402

Individual averages:

Names.	Av.	Names.	Av.
Wartchaw	188	Bowers	161
Jones	181	Simpson	160
Bengston	180	Hasker	160
G. Johnson	178	Schindler	160
Pickard	175	Finly	160
Mareau	170	Rutherford	160
McCarthy	173	Green	158
Bland	173	Van Dahl	156
Ralston	173	Mersen	155
Yultee	171	Lundstrom	155
Lamb	168	Martin	154
Amluxen	167	Ketcher	153
Griffin	166	Gaunt	150
J. C. Stockwell	166	R. Zechmeister	150
L. Smith	166	Melcher	149
Chapman	166	H. Johnson	147
R. Smith	164	K. Stockwell	146
Ritchie	163	Rowland	145
Neely	163	Housman	144
Hamill	161	B. Zechmeister	144
Dean	161	Estess	134

Boosters' League.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.	Pins.
Omaha Bedding	60	43	17	.716	48,692
Yousen's Colts	57	26	20	.631	46,120
Ruffner Tailors	57	34	23	.596	47,543
Mazeppas	60	30	30	.500	48,960
Rangers	60	30	30	.500	48,786
Peoples Store	60	28	32	.466	47,137
Storz Malts	66	27	39	.409	51,374
Rod and Gun Club	63	24	39	.381	46,691

Individual averages:

Names.	Av.	Names.	Av.
Yousen	187	Moore	160
O. Johnson	184	Slaughter	160
Stunz	177	Ratekin	159
Lyons	176	Willey	159
Christensen	175	Powell	159
Perkins	174	Matthes	159
Rice	174	Falconer	159
Howell	173	Weeks	159
Toman	170	Sutter	158
Bengele	169	Bando	157
Schmidt	169	Howard	156
Bruggeman	168	McLean	156
Melum	168	Drummy	153
Changstrom	166	Hatch	151
Eidson	165	C. E. Hall	150
Pickett	165	Eastman	150
Roesalg	164	Abbott	150
Rose	164	F. Hall	145
Aldrich	163	Whittemore	145
Durkee	162	E. Bierman	142
Arnstein	162	G. Bierman	137
Howley	161	Stors	136
E. Johnson	161		

Omaha League.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.	Pins.
Storz Triumphs	51	31	20	.606	46,844
Metz Bros.	57	33	24	.579	49,979
J. S. Cross	63	36	27	.571	51,010
Relos	60	31	29	.517	51,9[illegible]1
Advos	63	30	33	.476	54,734
Hospe Co.	54	23	31	.426	44,287
Jetter's Gold Tops	57	25	32	.439	49,008
Wroth's Specials	51	19	32	.373	43,686

Individual averages:

Names.	Av.	Names.	Av.
Hammond	189	Fitzgerald	174
Neale	184	McCague	174
Anderson	183	Grotte	173
Conrad	183	Chadd	173
Fritscher	183	Indoe	173
Middbugh	181	Weber	172
Blakeney	180	Toman	172
Gjerde	180	Cais	171
Stunz	180	McKelvy	171
Zimmerman	179	Mann	169
Yousen	178	Bengele	168
Sprague	178	Yelicka	168
Francisco	178	Reynolds	167
Goff	178	Wiley	167
Hell	178	Geddes	166
Perkins	178	Chandler	166
Mayham	178	Wentworth	166
Johnson	178	Norgard	165
Denman	178	Bushnell	165
Huntington	178	W. Zitsman	165
Hartley	178	Sutter	165
Scott	176	West	160
Hunt	176	Shaw	160
Rishel	176	Drummy	159
Landgreen	176	Sperl	159
Briggs	176	Carr	159
K. Zitzman	174	F. Bliss	159
Tracy	174		

High single game, L. R. Hammond, 267.
High three games, Ed Neale, 634.
High single game (team), Metz Bros., 1,071.
High three games (team), Storz Triumphs, 2,977.

Packers' League.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Cudahys	24	18	6	.750
Omahas	24	12	12	.500
Swifts	24	9	15	.375
Armours	24	9	15	.375

Individual averages:

Names.	Av.	Names.	Av.
Koch	181	Miller	145
Tomberink	173	Rehn	144
Thomas	169	Humpert	144
Sherwood	166	Campbell	144
McCord	163	Marietta	143
Stein	162	Manning	141
Kohansky	162	Laird	139
Powell	162	Bonnell	138
Wells	162	Heffner	137
Hammond	157	Tanner	136
Detbrener	154	Parker	134
Burgess	151	Driscoll	131
Root	151	Laughlin	127
Beyers	151	Tex	125
Shepard	150	Lang	111
Horn	149		

Commercial League.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Omaha Bicycles	66	51	15	.775
Pete Lochs	63	44	19	.698
Luxus	69	43	26	.622
Monte Christos	72	39	33	.541
Brodegaard Crowns	66	31	35	.470
Frank's Colts	72	32	40	.444
A. Frick & Son	72	22	50	.306
Schroeder's St. James	66	12	54	.182

Individual averages:

Names.	Games.	Av.	Names.	Games.	Av.
Gilhams	9	197	Solomon	39	171
Pryn	15	196	Traynor	60	170
Drinkwater	33	190	Sutton	45	170
Gilbreath	69	190	Fagerberg	48	170
Ohnesorg	69	188	Moran	57	170
Angelsberg	24	186	Beselin	63	170
Martin	63	185	Younger	39	169
Zarp	66	183	Kerr	63	168
Berger	65	181	Keyt	21	168
Weekes	72	181	Leyendecker	39	167
MacMartin	57	180	Weymuller	45	164
Latey	69	179	Scannell	63	163
Balzer	57	179	Schneider	66	163
Klauck	60	178	Ocander	15	162
Godenschwager	30	178	Hansen	81	162
Nelson	43	178	Mitchell	36	162
Cochran	57	177	Schulz	30	160
Bowers	57	175	Spetman	36	159
Thomas	39	175	Taft	33	157
Primeau	47	175	Dunbar	54	156
Baehr	57	174	J. Moyna	39	155
Jensen	30	172	E. Morna	42	155
Hinrichs	45	172	Wilson	60	154
Voss	66	171	Gottheimer	30	153
Walenz	15	171	Ross	15	150

Metropolitan League.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Independents	63	50	13	.793
Beselin's Mixers	61	40	21	.656
Maney's Sunkists	61	26	30	.541
Harvey's Colts	66	36	30	.545
Postoffice	66	33	33	.500
Derby Woolens	66	33	33	.500
Andy's Colts	69	28	41	.406
Pat's Comets	69	26	43	.377
Dicts	57	21	36	.368
Idiewilds	60	21	39	.350

Individual averages:

Names.	Av.	Names.	Av.
Gilham	177	Nelson	158
Holly	173	Laird	157
B. Schneider	172	White	156
Sarnish	168	Griffith	155
Schoeman	168	Harrier	153
Fehler	165	Lemon	153
Beuslan	166	Petrson	152
Morsh	165	Gwynne	152
Dunlar	165	Barryn	150
Sessman	164	Peltzmayer	149
McCormick	164	Sogard	149
Grimah	161	Jackson	148
B. Schneider	161	Linton	148
Swanson	161	Rupe	144
Morton	157	Moberg	145
Hasler	160	Irwin	144
Silk	160	Lehlstom	142
Ward	160	Tompkins	140
Moyna	159	Andy	137
Higgins	159	Schroder	131
Amelen	159	Jeahert	122

Magic City League.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Jetter's Gold Top	42	28	14	.666
Garlow's Colts	51	28	18	.617
Martin's Tigers	45	23	21	.555
J. B. Watkins	42	21	19	.548
Green's Pirates	43	21	27	.438
Culkins' Cubs	42	15	24	.429

Individual averages:

Name.	Av.	Name.	Av.
Anderson	189	Neale	172
Fritcher	183	Winter	171
Denman	180	Sprague	171
Briggs	181	Baker	171
Dudley	181	Tracy	171
Hell	180	Nelen	171
Hartley	179	Clark	170
Frye	177	Gustavson	170
Chadd	176	Lepinski	169
Cain	176	Kiter	167
Stunz	175	Sherwood	167
Kennedy	175	Thomas	167
Huntington	175	Hornlebin	166
Blakeney	175	Roth	160
Mann	174	Merritts	157
Francisco	174	Claybourn	156
Conrad	174	Green	155
Fitzgerald	174	Beal	154
Hull	173	Kells	150
Hunt	172	Kruse	147

STEINFELDT ON THIRD BAG

Chicago Cubs' Veteran Tells How to Play It.

DEMANDS SPEED AND BRAWN

Position Calls for Versatility Man Because of Freaks of Busy Batsmen—Must Watch the Signals.

One of the oldest and most experienced third baseman in the major league is Steinfeldt of the Chicago Cubs. Although he may not be a regular after this year, for the reason that he seemed to be losing his grip last fall in the world's series Steinfeldt knows how to explain the intricacies of play at his corner of the diamond, and when asked recently to give his views he said:

"The first thing a third baseman must have to be successful is a good pair of hands. By this I mean hands that can stop heavy line drives and hot ground balls. The drives on the ground from the batsmen down the third base line between the fielder and the bag are the most difficult ones to handle, while the liners always have an outward curve and lots of momentum because the hitters usually meet a curved ball before the break or slam a slow one.

"The third baseman must have nerve as well as powerful hands, together with a strong throwing arm. If his hands are soft some of these solid smashes may go through and injure him. He must be heavy enough and have sufficient stamina to get in the way of such drives and must be sufficiently steady on his pins to prevent base runners rounding the bag from knocking him off his balance.

"If he doesn't possess a powerful throwing arm he will not remain a regular for any great length of time, for the reason that he must knock down hot drives and get them over to first ahead of fast base runners. You can't expect a third baseman to pick up cleanly as many drives as a second baseman, for he hasn't the same amount of time to get set and is in a far different position. He is much nearer the home plate and is directly in the range of cannon shots that are pulled around toward him by the batsmen's swing.

"It is out of the question to fall back behind the base line unless a third baseman knows the hitter isn't going to bunt, something that cannot be anticipated in a modern ball game. It is necessary to watch the batsman, base runners and coaches very closely to get onto a signal before the ball leaves the pitcher's hand. He must also keep an eye on his own battery to know what kind of a ball is to be served to the batsman. The moment he sees a bunted ball rolling in his direction he must come in at top speed and field it to first base as quickly as possible. In many instances he must make a hasty throw and trust to luck.

"The ability of batsmen to either bunt or poke a ball toward left field has increased the difficulties of third base play. It is seldom that a third baseman can stand back as far as ninety-six feet from the home plate and in a majority of plays he must take a position at least eighty feet from the hitter, where he is always taking desperate chances. This makes it hard for him to cover any great amount of ground, as he has little or no time to move in either direction when hard hit balls come his way.

"For this reason the study of batsmen becomes an important factor and all third basemen to be successful should watch the hitters and signals closely. My advice is to try to discover what kind of a ball the pitcher intends to deliver. Always keep an eye on the catcher when runners are on second or third, because a steal may draw a throw at any moment, and a third baseman who misses a thrown ball generally lets in a run. Never fail to cover the base when a runner slides into it and, if possible, keep the runner wide as he rounds the base. Sometimes a slight bump by the baseman will make a runner go out of his path and thereby lose enough ground to be caught at the plate when he tries to score from second on a safe hit.

"I am not an advocate of foul tactics or rough ball, but I think it is legal to hold as much territory as the rules permit and to prevent a base runner from cutting across inside of the bag."

Annual Indoor Meet of Georgetown Uni Draws Big Crowd

Yale Wins Two-Mile Relay Race from Princeton—Initial Test for Half-Milers.

WASHINGTON, March 5.—With entrants from Cornell, Princeton, Yale and several other eastern and southern colleges, the thirteenth annual indoor meet under the auspices of the Georgetown University Athletic association drew a large attendance here Saturday.

The principal event was the two-mile relay race between Yale and Princeton, marking the initial test of the season for the half-milers of both institutions. Summaries:

50-yard open handicap: Won by W. Carrigan, Georgetown; second, Thornhill, University of Virginia; third, A. King, Washington Grove Athletic association. Time, 5⅝ seconds.

880-yard open handicap: Won by M. Cooke, Virginia; second, W. Rambaugh, Virginia; third, R. M. Dodson, Johns Hopkins. Time, 2 minutes 5 seconds.

Running high jump: Won by M. Low, Washington Grove Athletic association; second, Warren Fielding, New York Athletic club; third, C. O. Walcott, Yale. Height, 5 feet 9¼ inches.

50-yard invitation hurdles: Won by M. Dwight, Princeton; second, P. Piatt, Yale; third, McDonagh, Baltimore C. C. Time, 6 seconds.

16-pound shot put: Won by J. R. Kilpatrick, Yale; second, A. Bissell, Princeton; third, E. Cooke, Virginia. Distance, 43 feet ½ inch.

440-yard open handicap: Won by Muninkhuisen, Maryland Agricultural college; second, G. Ross, Georgetown; third, J. Mathison, Georgetown. Time, 58 seconds.

50-yard open hurdles, handicap: Won by M. Dwight, Princeton; second, G. Thornhill, Virginia; third, R. Gooch, Jefferson school, Baltimore. Time, 6 seconds.

One-mile open handicap: Won by H. Brigham, Virginia; second, F. Lee, Johns Hopkins; third, W. Rambaugh, Virginia. Time, 4 minutes 28 seconds.

Two-mile dual collegiate relay: Won by Yale (May, Pilson, Seymour and Rudi); second, Princeton (Sawyer, McKinney, Wallace and Curtin). Time, 8 minutes 43¼ seconds.

One-mile dual collegiate relay: Won by Cornell; second, Wesleyan. Time, 3 minutes 44 seconds.

PRINCETON BUSY ON TRACK

Twenty-Three Men Eligible for Year's Team.

STRONGEST ON THE DASHES

Several Good Runners for the "Hundred" and "Two-Twenty"—Good Prospects for Material Among Freshmen.

PRINCETON, N. J., March 5.—Under the watchful eye of Keene Fitzpatrick, the Princeton track team expects to be a contending factor in eastern intercollegiate athletics during the coming season. The prospects are unusually encouraging, for with but five men lost by graduation from a team which secured fourth place in last year's intercollegiate meet, the prospects for a successful track season are brighter this spring than they have been for many years. In addition to the men who remain from last season's team there is a great amount of new material available from the freshman team, which secured the Princeton-Harvard-Yale freshman championship of 1910.

Twenty-three men are eligible for this year's team, who held a position on the team of the 1910 season, among whom are most of the strongest men who represented Princeton last year. Captain M. Dwight won first place in both the 120 and 220-yard hurdles in the navy dual meet and the Cornell dual meet, and in addition to winning first place in the 120-yard hurdles against Yale, he secured second place in the same event and third place in the 220-yard hurdles at the annual intercollegiate meeting in Philadelphia. R. R. Rumstead, 1911, who ran second in the 120-yard hurdles at the Caledonian games last spring, will also be eligible this year.

In the dashes the university team will be strongly represented. In the 100 and 220-yard sprints R. Cooke is probably the most consistently strong runner in the university. He won both these events in the Caledonian games and the Yale dual meet, secured first in the 100-yard dash in the navy meet and ran fourth in the intercollegiates. E. C. Jessup is another strong man in the sprints, who, with R. R. Thomas and J. P. Harland should develop into point winners.

H. M. Sawyer, who won the quarter mile event against Yale and ran third in the intercollegiates should prove a valuable man again this season, while J. R. McKinney, jr., 1912; F. D. Close, 1913, and F. C. Hall, 1913, the latter two being consistent point winners on last year's freshman team, will complete the list of men who should prove most valuable in the middle-distance events.

Two prominent members of the freshman team, M. Chaplin and T. M. Stickney, together with S. M. Don, are the most likely candidates for the half mile, while in the mile and two-mile are R. Koehler, who won the later event against both the navy and Yale; W. G. Melick, R. H. Valentine, and, from last year's freshman team, T. D. Howell, R. C. Wallace and A. P. Curtis.

In the field events, Bament, Dell and Simons are all good high jumpers, while the best men in the pole vault are Bennett and Bryan. Both these men have done 11 feet 6 inches, and will undoubtedly improve on their work of last year. In the broad jump Benton and Brown, who won the broad jump in the Caledonian games last spring, will be available again this year. The weights will be taken care of by E. J. Hart, E. Ellsworth, jr.; D. M. Simons and T. G. Speers, in addition to whom may be added some of the members of the foot ball team.

Osmond Wins by One.

OSMOND, Neb., March 5.—(Special.)—The Osmond High school basket ball team defeated the Plainview Hihg school team here last night by a score of 14 to 13. Features of the game were the basket throwing of Folkers and the guarding of Sazama of Osmond. Lineup:

OSMOND.		PLAINVIEW.
Fleknes	F.	Lenig
Wimberly	F.	Miller
Neal	C.	Clow
Petersen	G.	Hoagland
Sazama	G.	Scott

Referee: Bohanan. Umpire: Coons.

Chicago Beats Wisconsin.

CHICAGO, March 4.—The University of Chicago basket ball team defeated the University of Wisconsin here today, 24 to 22.

ON THE BASKET BALL FLOORS

Pirates Run Away with the Game Played with the Iowas—Other Events.

The Pirates defeated the Iowas in the last game of the Saturday Night basket ball league, 16 to 11 Saturday, at the Council Bluffs gymnasium. Both teams played a fast game, but the Pirates won out through fast team work in the second half of the game. The game was played under protest. Olson, at guard, was the star of the game. The Pirates took the lead in the first half and in a few minutes of playing when Pheney threw the first field goal. Bussing for the Iowas tied the score, the half was nip and tuck and ended in a tie, 7 to 7.

In the second half the Pirates took the lead by good work by F. Deffenbaugh and was never in danger for the Iowas were too winded; they were outclassed in this half, the Pirates winning out. The lineup:

PIRATES.		IOWAS.
Pheney	R.F.	Bussing
F. Defenbaugh (C)	L.F.	Cole (C)
Aten	C.	Phillips
C. Deffenbaugh	R.G.	Borwick
Olsen	L.G.	Wheeler

Field goals: Pheney, 3; Aten, 3; F. Deffenbaugh, 3; Cy Deffenbaugh, 4; Phillips, 4; Bussing, 4. Free throws: Pheney, Cy Deffenbaugh and Bussing. Referee: Thomas. Umpire: Smith. Timekeeper: Milotz. Scorer: Gross. Time of halves: 15 minutes.

The students of the Council Bluffs Young Men's Christian association defeated the Star five of Omaha in a one-sided game last night, 43 to 4. The Star five were outclassed, and did not get a point in the first half. The sophomore quintet team work was too good. Crowl threw seven field goals.

Lennox, Crowl and Baker starred at basket shooting and Roe as guard did good work. Lennox' basket shooting in the first five minutes of playing put the students in the lead. In the first half the Crescent five were not in it as the sophomore's team work was too much for them and they won out. Star five was goose egged in this half, which ended 15 to 0, in favor of the sophomores.

In the second half the sophomores had a walkaway though the Star five strengthened their team when Ellis went in for Evans, but it was of no avail as the sophomore team won out easily, as all the players got baskets in quick succession, for the Star five saw they were outclassed. The lineup:

C. B. Y. M. C. A.		STAR FIVE, Omaha.
Crowl (C)	L.F.	Adams
Baker	R.F.	Gagenin
Giles	C.	Williams (C)
Roe	L.G.	Thomas
Lennox	R.G.	Evans

Field goals: Crowl, 7; Baker, 1; Giles, 3; Lennox, 5; Williams, 1. Free throws: Baker, 2; Lennox, 2; Ellis, 2. Substitute: Ellis for Evans. Referee: Hudson of Omaha. Umpire: Fonda. Timekeeper: Thomas. Scorer: Gross. Time of halves: 15 and 20 minutes.

Basket Bal at Albion.

ALBION, Neb., March 5.—(Special.)—The finals to decide the basket ball high school championship between Newman Grove, Elgin and Albion were played here last night with the following results: Girls' teams: Newman Grove, 11; Elgin, 9. Boys' teams: Albion, 18; Elgin, 14.

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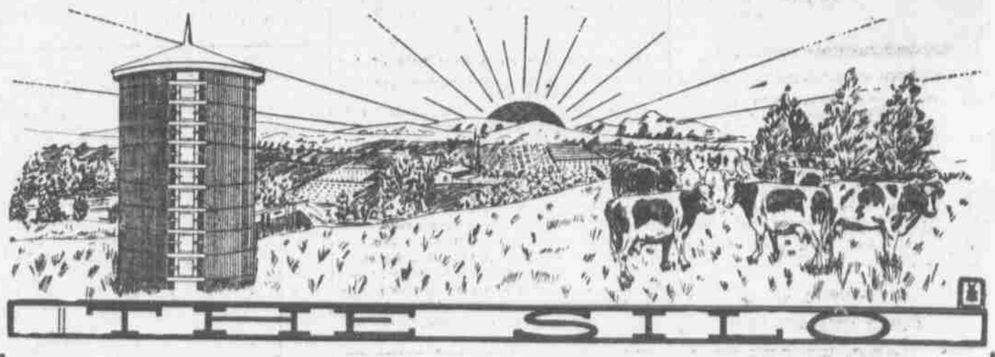

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