University of Nebraska Track Athletes at Practice for Early Spring Meet

AMONG THE LOCAL BOWLERS

Standings of Teams After Games of Last Week.

BIKE INDIANS LEAD COMMERCIAL

Pete Lochs Are Second on List—Triumphs Still Ahead of Metz Brothers in the Omaha League.

Following are the standings of bowling teams of Omaha after the games of last week:

Metropolitan League.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Independents	72	57	15	.792
Beselin's M'xers	69	41	28	.594
Maney's Sunk'st	72	41	31	.569
Harcey's Colts	69	38	31	.551
Postoffice	69	34	35	.507
Derby Woolens	69	34	35	.493
Dietz	66	30	36	.455
Andy's Colts	81	34	47	.420
Pat's Comets	72	28	44	
Idlewilds	66	23	43	.348

Individual standing:

Names.	Av.	Names.	Av.
Gillham	178	Higgins	153
Holly	175	Amsden	175
R. Schneider	171	Nelson	158
Dasinais	168	Laird	157
Schoenman	165	Wilson	167
Potter	166	Griffith	156
Sarpish	165	Lemon	152
Dunbar	165	Harrier	152
Morton	161	Barton	152
Seaman	164	Pearson	152
Grimph	163	Gwynne	152
McCormick	163	Jackson	149
White	162	Fritchnaver	149
D. Schneider	161	Tompkins	149
Hunter	161	Linton	148
Sitz	162	Moberg	147
Sogaard	162	Rupe	146
Lundstrom	161	Irwin	146
Ward	160	Andy	145
Swanson	160	Schneider	134
Morgs	159	Bernhart	132

Packers' League.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Cudahy's	70	21	9	.700
Omahas	30	15	15	.500
Swifts	30	13	17	.433
Armours	30	11	19	.365

Individual standing:

Names.	Av.	Names.	Av.
Koch	175	Campbell	148
Tomsenk	172	Weimer	147
Sherwood	166	Hehn	146
McCord	165	Miller	144
Thomas	165	Humbert	143
Lyons	164	Marietta	142
Kohansky	162	Haster	142
Stern	162	Heffner	141
Hammond	160	Bonnell	140
Powell	160	Tanner	140
Deubrener	158	Manning	140
Beyers	154	Laird	140
Root	152	Parker	139
Burgess	151	Driscoll	131
Horn	149	Laughlin	137
Shepard	148	Tex	125

Postoffice League.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Superbas	42	29	13	.676
Hawks	39	25	14	.641
Fast' Mails	36	21	15	.583
Moles	42	16	26	.381
Bronchos	27	10	17	.370
Cascarets	30	7	23	.233

Individual standing:

Names.	Av.	Names.	Av.
Conroy	178	Matsen	149
Gallup	162	Christensen	148
Brown	161	Lyons	144
Hurley	159	O'Conner	142
Harrier	157	Dybrberg	142
Morton	157	Wright	140
Nelson	155	Moir	139
Chadwell	155	Winther	139
Bowman	153	Ruppert	139
Crosier	153	Reed	135
Glass	150	Harvey	130
Kay	149		

Crescent League.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Pharmacy Seniors	30	18	12	.600
Boosters	33	19	14	.576
Cellers	30	17	13	.567
Creighton Dentals	30	11	16	.467
Rangers	24	10	14	.417
Pharmacy Juniors	27	7	20	.259

Individual standing:

Names.	Av.	Names.	Av.
Fisher	168	Cutler	153
Ward	164	Manning	152
Murphy	161	Jeffery	151
Nelson	160	Irvin	151
Lundstrom	158	Sogaard	150
Kahnke	158	Jackson	148
Lints	156	O'Neil	144
Williams	156	R. Swanson	141
Sholeen	154	Meaney	134
Parker	153	Modden	126

Commercial League.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Bicycle Indians	69	33	16	.568
Pete Lochs	66	45	21	.682
Luxus	72	45	27	.625
Monte Christos	75	42	33	.560
Brodegaard's Crowns	69	31	38	.449
Frank's Colts	75	32	43	.427
A. Frick & Son	75	25	50	.333
St. James	69	13	56	.191

Individual standing:

Names.	Games.	Av.	Names.	Games.	Av.
Prusn	16	196	Voss	63	171
Drinkwater	38	186	Sutton	48	171
Gillham	12	180	Moran	60	171
Gilbreath	57	180	Traynor	61	170
Ohnsorg	72	182	Solomon	42	170
Angelberg	27	186	Fagerberg	48	170
Martin	63	185	Beselin	66	169
Karp	69	182	Kerr	72	168
Berger	63	182	Leyendecker	39	167
Weebes	75	181	Noah	7	164
Mac Martin	60	178	Weymuller	45	164
Nelson	46	178	Scannell	63	162
Lacey	72	178	Schneider	66	162
Balmer	60	178	Hansen	34	161
Klauck	60	178	Mitchell	58	162
Cochran	57	177	Schulz	30	162
Godenschwager	33	177	Spetman	36	158
Bowers	60	177	Taft	36	158
Primeau	50	176	Dunker	57	157
Thomas	39	175	E. Moyna	66	155
Bachr	70	174	Wilson	63	153
Jensen	33	173	J. Moyna	42	155
Hurlohn	48	172	Gotthelmer	33	155
Walens	18	172	Rose	18	150
Kerr	54	172			

Boosters' League.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Omaha Bedding Co.	63	45	18	.714
Yousen's Colts	60	37	23	.616
Ruffner's Tailors	57	34	23	.596
Rangers	63	32	31	.507
Mazeppas	61	22	39	.360
Peoples Stores	66	30	36	.454
Storz Malts	69	29	40	.420
Rod and Gun Club	66	25	41	.378

Individual standing:

Names.	Av.	Names.	Av.
Yousen	195	Howley	181
O. Johnson	184	Moore	169
Huntington	173	Falconer	169
Stunz	171	Powell	160
Lyons	170	Slaughter	160
Christensen	170	Weekes	160
Perkins	170	Willey	158
Rice	170	Ratekin	159
Howell	170	Matthes	158
Bengale	170	Sutter	158
Tomsen	170	Bando	157
Bruggeman	170	McLean	156
Melum	168	Howard	156
Schmidt	168	Drummy	157
Eidson	167	C. E. Hall	155
Champatron	166	Hatch	155
Pickett	166	Abbott	150
Roesig	165	Eastman	149
Rose	164	F. Hall	147
Ahlrich	163	Whittemore	146
Arnstein	163	E. Bierman	144
Burke	163	G. Bierman	147
E. Johnson	161	Storz	157

South Omaha League.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Jetter Gold Tops	42	28	14	.666
Garlow's Colts	51	33	18	.647
Martin's Tigers	54	32	22	.593
Watkins & Co.	46	26	19	.577
Culkins' Cubs	48	20	28	.416
Greene's Pirates	51	21	30	.412

Individual averages:

Names.	Av.	Names.	Av.
Anderson	189	Hunt	173
Fritscher	180	Neale	172
Denman	180	Winter	171
Briggs	181	Baker	171
Dudley	181	Nolan	171
Stunz	181	Clark	170
Hall	180	Gustavson	170
Mathes	180	Harley	169
Kennedy	178	Hamlebun	168
Fyre	177	Lesinski	167
Cain	176	Eitel	167
Sprague	176	Sherwood	167
Huntington	175	Roth	165
Blakener	175	Thomas	165
Chadd	174	Clybourn	163
Francisco	174	Marietta	162
Conrad	174	Green	162
Fitzgerald	173	Beale	159
Hull	173	Kruse	158
Tracy	173		

Mercantile League.

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.	Pins.
Equitable Lifes	72	37	15	.791	37,300
B. B. B.	72	47	25	.653	37,151
Carpenter Paper Co.	68	43	26	.626	34,737
Ak-Sar-Bens	66	37	32	.534	33,346
Omnods	72	34	38	.472	34,317
A. O. U. W. No. 17	72	33	39	.458	32,932
U. S. Cleaning Co.	72	31	40	.444	32,510
Kamos	69	25	44	.362	31,463
Storz Juniors	72	24	48	.333	32,250
Metropolitans	72	20	52	.277	31,383

Individual averages:

Names.	Av.	Names.	Av.
Wartschow	186	Finley	181
Swanson	186	Dean	181
Bengston	182	Simpson	180
G. Johnson	175	Hooker	179
Jones	176	Knauss	177
Halston	174	Van Dahl	174
Bland	172	Mervis	175
Vollee	171	Lundstrom	175
J. C. Stockwell	168	Martin	174
L. Smith	168	H. Zechmeister	173
H. Smith	168	Storz	173
Anthony	168	H. Johnson	170
Griffin	168	M. Rosenblum	169
Chapman	165	Melcher	169
Pitchie	162	R. Zechmeister	169
Nagel	161	Rowland	168
Hanull	161	Houseman	168
Bowers	161	Estes	168
Schindler	161		

Omaha League.

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.	Pins.
Storz Triumphs	54	33	21	.611	55,644
Metz Bros.	60	39	26	.567	59,635
J. S. Cross	66	36	30	.545	57,476
Helms	65	32	33	.508	56,591
Adams	66	33	33	.500	57,466
Jetter Gold Tops	60	27	33	.450	56,720
Avoth's Specials	57	24	33	.421	59,116
Hoppe Co.	60	21	39	.350	59,124

Individual averages:

Names.	Av.	Names.	Av.
Hammond	191	Weber	174
Evans	190	Troy	174
Anderson	189	Fitzgerald	174
Conrad	187	Grotte	173
McGough	185	Hume	173
Pillscher	183	McGuire	172
Binkholz	182	Bengeve	172
Zimmerman	182	E. Schmah	172
Yousen	182	Chadd	172
Glende	181	Tuman	172
Hull	181	Cain	171
Stunz	181	McKelvy	171
Sprague	181	Mann	169
Francisco	181	Gandler	169
Goff	181	Geddes	168
Johnson	180	Westworth	168
Mayham	179	Wiley	168
Brennan	179	Norgard	167
Perkins	179	W. Zittman	167
Huntington	178	Sutter	167
Landgren	178	Reynolds	167
Hartley	178	Bushnell	167
Wunderlich	177	Shaw	167
Scott	177	E. Drummy	166
Briggs	176	F. Bills	164
Rishel	175	Carr	163

High single game, L. H. Hammond 237
High three games, Edward Neale 634
High singe game (team), Metz Bros. 1,071
High three games, Storz Triumphs 2,977

Merry-Go-Round.

At Francisco's alleys in the merry-go-round just finished for the two weeks ending Friday night some very good scores were rolled. They are as follows:

Landgren	650
Conrad	702—1,352
Landgren	624
Anderson	727—1,351
Conrad	618
Neale	652—1,270
Stunz	586
Wartschow	674—1,260

A match game will be rolled between Metz Bros. and Fremont at the Francisco alleys this afternoon.

Blooded Hounds Are Entered for Dog Show

Famous Trailers Used in Pursuit of Criminals Will Be Exhibited Here.

William Colfax, land agent of Bassett, Neb., has made arrangements with the management of the dog show to bring to Omaha the thirty large wolf hounds which were used recently in the wolf hunt at Bassett when nine wolves were captured. Arrangements have been made for an express car to bring down the dogs. As Saturday is the last day of the show, these dogs will be used in the wolf hunt at Florence next Sunday. Among these dogs is Colfax's fine dog, Lady, which swept the boards at the Omaha show last year.

Dr. Fulton, Beatrice, will exhibit two Cuban and two English bloodhounds. These are the noted dogs the state has used on several occasions to try to run down criminals. Lowrey's English bloodhounds from Fremont will also be here.

Five dogs which are real champions are already entered at the show and some of the classes are just as well filled as at the recent big Chicago show, especially the Boston terrier classes.

Dixon Shoots High Score at Club Match

Close Race Between Winner and Secretary Lovering for Honors of Day.

Bert Dixon bore away the honors of the Omaha Gun club shoot Sunday, with 118 targets out of a possible 125. F. T. Lovering was a close second.

The scores.

	Broke.	Shot at.
Bert Dixon	118	125
F. T. Lovering	117	125
A. H. Frye	108	125
A. H. Chamber	108	125
Jess Aylesworth	100	125
Frank Williams	77	100
W. Keating	73	100
W. Parker	73	100
George King	56	100
C. I. Sturgeon	38	50
J. Davis	37	50
H. Brown	35	50
E. H. Morrison	35	50
George Gray	32	50

BELLEVUE BASE BALL MEN ARE ALREADY AT PRACTICE

Work on the New Diamond is Complete and Players Are Active.

Bellevue college base ball is organized and under way, work on the new diamond near Mission street having been completed. Much new material is showing up in good form and with several veterans of last year's team as a nucleus a winning team is expected of the new material. Curtis and Altschuler, backstops; Halderman and Quackenbush, pitchers and Stepp and Masten, infielders, are very promising and will more than fill the places vacated by last year's graduates. Captain Fowler, who in his two years at Bellevue, has earned the reputation of being among the first college first basemen in the state and who played through the 1910 season without a strikeout against him, will be at his old position, and if he holds to his old pace will pull the team out of many a tight place by his heavy hitting. There is sharp competition for the other positions and not even the old men are sure of their jobs.

NO GAMBLING ON BASE BALL

Western Commission Company Decides Not to Put its Plans in Operation.

CINCINNATI, March 19.—(Special Telegram.)—That they have decided not to put into operation the methods they advanced several weeks ago and there will be no gambling on base ball games this summer was the announcement made today by certain members of the Western Commission company. It is said that these men have never received any money to gamble on any base ball games. Soon after they sent out their circular several weeks ago the national commission said they would not tolerate any gambling on base ball games and they took the matter by a circuitous route to the ears of President Taft. The result has been that the Department of Justice has issued a notice that this company is defunct.

The members of the company today stated that they had "decided not to place their plans in operation, inasmuch as there seemed to be antagonism against their plans by the national commission, the express companies and the federal government."

TRACK SQUAD KEEPS BUSY

Hard Work Ahead to Get in Form for Spring Meets.

MANY MEN TO CHOOSE FROM

Art May, New Man, is Making Record by His Work in Dashes—Christmas Shows Considerable Speed.

LINCOLN, March 19.—(Special.)—Hard work awaits the Cornhusker track squad during the next two weeks. The Cornhuskers are late in getting started this spring but Coach Field has outlined a course of training which should bring the team rapidly in shape for the early meets.

The first calls issued by the coach resulted in one of the largest squads in years reporting Saturday. There is an abundance of material for every event with the exception of the high jump and here, as before, the Cornhuskers are weak. The dashes should find Nebraska stronger than in past seasons, with May, Powers, Reed and four or five lesser lights competing for the places. Art May is the new man on the squad who is creating quite a sensation. May broke the university record in the twenty-five yard dash at the annual inter-fraternity indoor meet, lowering the record to 3 seconds. He is a well built man and has the endurance required in the longer sprints. Christmas has also shown considerable speed in the dashes and may be trained as a running mate for May.

May Use Christmas.

If Christmas can show sufficient speed to justify his place in the century dash, then Reed can be saved for the 220 and 440-yard dashes. The Nebraska captain is better in these two events than on the 100, but heretofore his chances have been cut down by being forced into the 100-yard dash.

Powers can also devote all of his time to the hurdles, in which he has shown considerable ability. The Cornhuskers have suffered a severe blow in the possible elimination of McGowan for the half-mile run. McGowan went to Des Moines last spring with only three days' training and lowered the Missouri valley conference record by several seconds. This season it was expected he would do some wonderful work, but McGowan has been sick all winter and may not be able to enter at all.

The doctors have advised him to stay out of track work altogether.

The possible retirement of McGowan means that Field will have to develop another half-miler. Amberson is still eligible, but must have a running mate, and the material from the freshmen class last year is not promising. Bates, the cross-country man, will be strong in the mile and two-mile events, but apparently has not sufficient speed for the half-mile run. A sickness last summer made his running uncertain, he being forced to drop out of the race at Wisconsin.

Melick and Anderson are still eligible for the mile and two-mile events, although Clark, the crack miler, is not in school this year.

A Few Veterans.

The weights, pole vault and broad jump have veterans. Harmon in the weights, Russell in the pole vault and Munson in the jump should be better than ever. Lindstrum in the pole vault is the best vaulter in the school and will be eligible for the team.

The preliminaries to pick the team to represent Nebraska in the annual tournament with Iowa have been held. Elliott, the big foot ball man, will enter the heavyweight class. Elliott won the heavyweight championship at Chicago last spring. Miller, the champion light heavyweight at Iowa last year, who was largely instrumental in bringing about the tournament, will represent the Cornhuskers in this event. Both Elliott and Miller are experienced wrestlers and should do excellent work.

The lightweight class is not picked. Both Ruby and Munson are good wrestlers and very evenly matched. They agreed to flip to decide who should represent the university in the lightweight class. Munson held George Glon of Aurora, the state champion, for twenty minutes in a bout a year ago, while Ruby has won all of his matches this winter.

The wrestlers will hold a tournament in Lincoln to raise funds to send the team to Iowa City.

HUGH DUFFY IS STRONG FOR WESTERN LEAGUE PLAYERS

Many Old Favorites Will Be Seen in Omaha When White Sox Come.

When that big White Sox organization comes to Omaha April 1 to play the Rourkes there will very likely be a goodly number of former Western leaguers among the Chicago players. Hugh Duffy seems to be strong for Western league lads and is backed up strongly in this by President Comiskey, hence there are a number of men who have played often in Omaha who are on the White Sox list. The second squad will come to Omaha.

Jimmie Scott, pitcher, was once one of the Wichita twirlers; W. R. Jones played with Lincoln; G. V. Farthing, the southpaw who is doing such good work in Texas right now, is a Western leaguer from Lincoln; R. Corhan came from Pueblo when that town was in the Western, and the two pitchers, Lange and Olmstead, were once passing the curves on this circuit. Altogether, it will be pretty hard pickings if some of the favorites do not play here.

CLAPP RULES OUT SPRINTERS

Cornhusker Athletic Director Refuses to Let Them Compete.

LINCOLN, Neb., March 19.—(Special Telegram.)—Because it might be construed as a violation of the Missouri Valley conference ruling, Prof. R. G. Clapp, secretary of the athletic board of the University of Nebraska, has made a rule prohibiting Cornhusker freshmen from participating in the big indoor meet to be held in Omaha April 1.

Nebraska is hard hit by the ruling of the secretary made public Saturday and a storm of protest has been made, but to no avail. Dr. Clapp is obdurate in his stand on the matter and is supported by the faculty members of the athletic board. George Racely, a fast sprinter, and Brannon, another sprinter, are eliminated from the meet. Racely has a splendid record in the hundred-yard dash, while Brannon broke the university record in the twenty-five yard dash at three seconds.

The Missouri Valley conference rulings prohibit the playing of freshmen in all lines of sports and Dr. Clapp holds that Nebraska should observe this ruling in all meets in which the Cornhuskers participate. It was rumored that Brannon and Raceley would enter under Y. M. C. A. colors, but both men said Saturday night that they had no intention of doing this.

The Key to the Situation—Bee Want Ads.

Youth Travels in Better Time Than Car for Six Miles

Ralph Jones Runs Ninety-Two Blocks in Less Than Forty Minutes.

On a wager that he could not beat the car schedule time from the car barn at Twenty-fourth and Ames to Twenty-ninth and Dupont streets, Ralph Jones, a youth of 19, sprinted along the tracks of the Hanscom Park line for a distance of ninety-two blocks in 39 minutes and forty seconds, winning the race by a margin of 20 seconds. Jones, who is an employe of the company, left the barn at 8:10 Sunday morning, accompanied by a companion on a motorcycle. The young man at the end of the run showed no sign of strain or fatigue, though his appearance would not indicate the constitution of an athlete. He resides at 2912 North Twenty-third street. Jones expects to enter in some of the races at the indoor meet.

Checker Champion Loses Out in Game

One Match of Twenty-Six Played Goes to Roberts of Council Bluffs.

Alfred Jordan of London, champion checker player of England, gave his exhibition at the Young Men's Christian association last evening, playing ten games simultaneously and taking part in twenty-six games. He won eleven and drew thirteen and lost one. The honor of winning the only game lost by Jordan goes to F. G. Roberts of Council Bluffs.

Those who cotested with Mr. Jordan were W. W. Carmichael, F. A. Shoemaker, F. W. Mosher, S. Simonson, J. W. Robbins, W. C. Sundblad, J. L. Wills and G. Williams of Omaha, and F. G. Roberts of Council Bluffs, S. W. Carter of Council Bluffs, S. A. Wessman of Tekamah and J. W. Henderson of Grand Junction, Ia.

Another match is arranged for Monday evening at 7 o'clock at the Young Men's Christian association. The large crowd present cheered Mr. Roberts for winning the game from the champion. The offer is still open of a Young Men's Christian association membership to any one in Omaha who will win a game from Jordan. Omaha has the honor of being the third city in the United States to win a game.

The public is invited to watch the exhibition Monday evening as it is said to be a rare treat to checker players to see Mr. Jordan play.

BELLEVUE TRAINS FOR MEET

Track Men Are Preparing for the Big Event at Omaha April 1.

Bellevue's track team, under the leadership of Captain Primrose, is training as hard as the weather permits and expects to win points in the big Omaha indoor meet April 1. Bellevue won the state track meet last year by a good margin, and with the exception of Sinsel, the fast hurdler and sprinter, who won all his events at the state meet, the team is practically intact. New men are showing up well, especially in the jumps and hurdles. Primrose, who for the last two years has won the highest number of individual points in the state meet, is in splendid condition and will break the state record in the quarter-mile and 220-yard if he is pushed.

THREE-I FUSS MAY BE ENDED

Members of National Commission Start to Unwind Tangle.

CHICAGO, March 19.—Members of the National Base Ball commission started to unwind the tangle in the Three-I league Base Ball league today and promised to have the situation clear within a week.

Representatives of the southern clubs, President Boyle of Danville, President Kinsella of Springfield, President Dorhan of Peoria and Secretary Pierson of Bloomington, appealed to President Johnson of the American league and Garry Herrmann, two members of the national commission, for the right to form a separate organization. The southern clubs plan to admit Decatur and Quincy, Ill., and launch a six-day league to play "exhibition games" until the fight with the northern clubs is settled.

In response to the demand the national commission instructed the southern club owners to file an appeal with the National Association of Minor Leagues and in case the minor league court ignored the plea, the commission would act immediately. It developed that the southern clubs already had appealed to the national association to intervene, following Judge Gridley's ruling in favor of Waterloo, but no action was taken, according to the southern club owners, because of President Sexton's opposition to any plans fostered by President Kinsella of the Springfield club.

LINCOLN WRESTLING PRELIM

Ruby and Munson Win Their Bouts in Tournament.

LINCOLN, March 19.—(Special Telegram.)—The preliminaries in the wrestling tournament were held Saturday night. Ruby defeated Pfrummer in the lightweight class, winning two straight falls in eight minutes and four seconds and six minutes and thirty-six seconds. Munson defeated Votava in straight falls, eight minutes and twenty seconds for the first fall and forty-five seconds for the second.

The heavyweight match between Elliott and Stelk was postponed. The other two matches were sprinted. Miller won from Nisely after the latter had taken the first fall in four minutes. The next two went to Miller in nine minutes and thirty-five seconds and eight minutes and thirty-three seconds.

ST. LOUIS INDOOR MEET RESULTS

Central Y. M. C. A. and Kansas University Tie for First.

ST. LOUIS, March 19.—Central Young Men's Christian association and Kansas university tied for first in the Missouri Athletic club's annual indoor meet tonight with a total of eleven point each. The Missouri Athletic club was second with ten points and Kansas City Athletic club was fourth with six points.

Lee Talbot, the former Cornell university and Irish-American Athletic club athlete, now with Kansas City, won the shotput, 45 feet 8 inches, breaking the western record.

Giants Lose to Galveston.

GALVESTON, Tex., March 19.—Galveston defeated the New York Nationals' second team today by a score of 5 to 4. Jenkins of New York was driven from the box in the fifth. Murray parked the ball with the bases full in the sixth.

ENTRIES FROM THE COLLEGES

Smaller Institutions Will Have Some Speedy Men to Compete.

T. H. BLAND AS HANDICAPPER

Expert of the American Amateur Athletic Union is to Pass on the Qualifications of Various Contestants.

Smaller colleges entered in the big indoor meet at the Auditorium April 1 will have a merry race for the honors, and there will be seen some speedy athletes among the athletic associations entered, the Y. M. C. A.'s and the high schools. Theodore H. Bland, the expert handicapper of the American Amateur Athletic union will do the work of the handicapping for the Omaha meet.

Tarkio college and Tabor will run a relay race, as will also the different smaller colleges in Nebraska. Nebraska Wesleyan, Cotner and Bellvue are reported to each have strong relay teams in training. The Tarkio athletes coming are Harry Thompson, James Sloss, Ned Rankin, Lee Magill, Archie Montgomery and Elbert Eller.

Two interscholastic relay races will make up a part of the program of the meet. One will be the big tri-city relay between Omaha, Sioux City and York High schools and the other will be a relay run between South Omaha and Council Bluffs High schools. This is the same program that was run in the interscholastic division last year, except that Lincoln has entered in place of Sioux City and Des Moines in place of York. Lincoln and Des Moines High schools both had hard luck with their indoor track teams this season and will not enter full teams in the meet, if they enter at all.

Tabor High school will enter as one of its men Le Roy K. Straw, rumored to be the best man at 440 yards in Iowa, and Tabor expects to take the first honors in this.

The arrangements for the big meet will be almost identically the same as those of last year. One notable exception will be the contour of the track. It will be 130 yards around as formerly and 16 feet wide, but the ends at the curves will be raised to a height of 2 feet 9 inches instead of 1 foot 6 inches used last season.

The field space inside of the track will be 40 feet wide and 50 yards long. In here the field events of the meet will be held while the races are being run.

Attell to Meet Coulon.

NEW ORLEANS, March 19.—Announcement was made tonight that Abe Attell, featherweight champion pugilist, and Johnny Coulin, holder of the bantamweight title, would meet here on April 9 in a twenty-five round bout. The conditions call for 116 pounds ringside.

Nicola Morra Under Cross-Examination

One of Men Charged with Actual Murder of Cuoccolo is on Stand in Camorra Trial.

VITERBO, Italy, March 18.—The whole of today's session of the trial of the Camorristas was occupied with the cross-examination of Nicola Morra, at the conclusion of which an adjournment was taken until Tuesday.

Morra is one of the six of the thirty-six prisoners who are charged with the actual murder of Gennaro Cuoccolo and his wife. He was a frequenter of the Cuoccolo house, to which he gained ready entrance after the husband had been killed in a suburb of Naples.

It is asserted that Morra and Corrado Sortino left their companions after the first murder and between them accomplished the death of the woman. Later they joined the other assassins at the home of Maria Stendardo, subsequently reporting the success of their mission to Enrico Alfano, the real head of the Camorra, who was dining at Mimi-a-Mare. According to the prosecution Morra and Sortino beat Cuoccolo with sticks, while the others stabbed him to death.

Today the vile record of Morra, including his participation in murders, was laid bare, the crown prosecutor introducing much evidence during the questioning. Morra denied all the accusations made against him and roundly abused Gennaro Abbatemagio, the informer. The latter maintained a derisive attitude as he heard the denunciation by his former partner in infamy.

Chasing a Mouse, the Cat Digs Out Money

Roll that Granny Karg Hid is Found, but Not Until After Her Death.

FORT PLAIN, N. Y., March 19.—(Special Telegram.)—A cat today chased a mouse under a footstool in the home of Henry Karg. The cat squeezed part way under the stool, then thrust its paw up into a hole in the bottom of the stool. Presently down came the paw without the mouse, but with a $50 bill sticking to one of the claws. The members of the Karg family at once suspended housekeeping to explore the hole in the footstool. In all $875 was found stowed away in the stool, which had been knocked around the house ever since the death of Granny Karg on February 25 last.

PHILADELPHIA, March 19.—Workmen making alterations in the subtreasury here today found beneath the flooring $1,400 that had been lost for three years. The money was in $100 bills, mildewed and covered with dust.

CINCINNATI GRAND JURY LOOKING INTO PAVING DEALS

Subpoenas Are Issued for Contractors and Dealers from Several Ohio Cities.

CINCINNATI, O., March 19.—Indications that the grand jury is to renew its searchings into the method of granting and carrying out paving contracts in this city were given today when a long list of subpoenas was issued for contractors both in Cincinnati and in other Ohio cities. Most of the summons require attendance Monday.

Papers were sent to the sheriff of Muskingum county to be served on O. M. Townsend, head of a brick and contracting company of Zanesville, requiring him to bring all correspondence with certain Cincinnati firms regarding paving projects.

Foley's Kidney Pills

Neutralize and remove the poisons that cause backache, rheumatism, nervousness and all kidney and bladder irregularities. They build up and restore the natural action of these vital organs. For sale by all druggists.

Champion Gotch Has Easy Time Throwing Demetral, the Greek

Announcement is Made Gotch Will Meet Anyone Within the Next Six Months.

Frank Gotch appeared in Omaha Saturday night in twenty-five minutes of very pretty wrestling, throwing William Demetral, the Greek, in thirteen minutes and twelve minutes, two falls. The champion was welcomed by a huge crowd, the Krug theater being filled to the roof with Omaha wrestling fans.

Gotch was far too big for Demetral and it was merely skill and immense strength in an exhibition, throwing a clever wrestler. Demetral stuck to his task well and some good wrestling was seen.

Announcement was made at the ring side of the recent contract made by the champion to meet any man in the world inside of six months and Gotch states that he will meet anybody. Thus the Empire club of Chicago, with its $20,000 contract, may see the Gotch-Hackenschmidt match.

In a fast preliminary bout between two Omaha men, Jack Meyers bested Walter Thompson in ten minutes for the first bout and eleven minutes for the second. Meyers was a little too big for Thompson, although the latter showed every bit as much skill.

Bud Soloman threw Fred Minden in two straight falls in the other preliminary, the first taking six minutes and the second in ten minutes.

Farmer Burns made a short talk on the art of wrestling.

Program in Orange Ink Causes Printer Trouble

Narrowly Escapes Being Mobbed After Having Played a St. Patrick Day Joke.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., March 19.—(Special Telegram.)—Because he printed the program for "Shaun Aroon" here in orange ink, a printer in the employ of a local job printing firm narrowly escaped serious injury by a mob of Irishmen yesterday. His protestations of thoughtlessness were finally accepted, however, by the mob and he reprinted the programs of the Irish drama.

IOWA FARMER MAY DIE OF HURTS IN COLLISION

Buggy Run Down by Rock Island Freight and Grant Winslow May Die.

NEOLA, Ia., March 19.—(Special Telegram.)—Collision on a grade crossing between a buggy and a Rock Island train resulted in possible fatal injury to Grant Winslow, a live stock breeder and slighter hurts to his two sons.

Mr. Winslow was on his way to lodge at Neola when his vehicle was struck by westbound freight No. 87, under charge of Conductor Lykke. Winslow was thrown out together with his sons, Wayne, 17 years old, and Preston, 12 years old. The injured were taken to the home of A. B. Carver in Neola, where they were treated by Dr. J. H. Lowry.

HEART DISEASE TAKES MAN

Young Business Man of Manilla, Ia., Drops Dead After Several Weeks' Illness.

SHENANDOAH, Ia., March 19.—(Special Telegram.)—Jess B. Sutton of Manilla, Ia., dropped dead this afternoon of heart disease. Mr. Sutton was the son of Dr. R. H. Sutton of this city and had been in failing health for some months. Mr. Sutton was a member of the Blue lodge and Chapter of Shenandoah and Des Moines consistory No. 2, A. A. S. R. He was also a graduate of the Shenandoah High school and Tabor college and prominent in Shenandoah commercial circles. Mr. Sutton was 32 years of age.

OMAHA HIGH FIVE VICTORIOUS

Close Successful Season by Winning from Council Bluffs.

JUNIORS ARE CLASS CHAMPS

Win the Title by Beating the Seniors More Than Two to One—Virgil Rector is the Star of the Evening.

One of the most successful basket ball seasons of the Omaha High school terminated Saturday night at the local Young Men's Christian association gymnasium when the Omaha five defeated the Council Bluffs High team by the overwhelming score of 46 to 18. This was the second time this season that the Bluffs team has met with defeat at the hands of the local players. In the preliminary game the Juniors won from the Seniors by the score of 24 to 11, thus securing the class championship of the school.

Council Bluffs began the game by scoring two points within a few minutes of play. This score, however, seemed about the only one the Bluffs lads were able to make for quite awhile, for the Omaha boys soon ran the score up until at the end of the first half it stood 22 to 7. Virgil Rector, who played center, was easily the star of this half, and in fact of the entire game, making five field goals in the first half.

Burkenroad also played a stellar game