

Jeff Has a Peculiar Sense of Humor

Drawn for The Bee by "Bud" Fisher



GOLD TOPS' SCORE IS 2,693

South Omaha Team Second in Early Squad of Five-Men Event.

CHIEF BRIGGS CHEERS THEM ON

Here of Fight with Convicts Declines to Roll with Mates in Order Not to Stir Up Any Hard Feelings.

CHICAGO, March 20.—(Special Telegram.)—Jeff's Gold Tops, cheered on by John E. Briggs, the South Omaha chief of police, whose sensational exploits in the murder of the officials of the Lincoln penitentiary, rolled the second highest score of the early shift of five-men teams, which rolled in the American Bowling congress tournament here tonight, the team marking up 2,693 a mark good enough to figure away in the prize money at the finish.

The series was featured by the sensational work of L. G. Gilbreath, who opened with six strikes, which terminated in an error. He spared twelve and struck out. Briggs declined to roll with the team in order not to "stir up any hard feelings," according to the way he put it.

Thrills were lacking in the minor events of the American Bowling congress tournament today. A long cannoning of the pins left the leaders in the singles, doubles and all events unchanged.

Booster, N. T., and Louisville still hold the premier positions. George Warnon and Charles Meisner of Dayton, O., headed the performers in the doubles with 1,100. Their chance of landing a 1,200 score was ruined in the first game, in which Warnon had three errors and a split, while his partner also had three errors. E. W. Frazer and E. W. Stephens of Wheeling, W. Va., were second high of the day with 1,100. Herman Collins and L. Seibach, the Columbus veterans, who won the championship in 1910, were off form and stopped at 1,000.

Eddie Mayor of Indianapolis led in the singles with a score of 221, getting only one error. Henry Edwards of Buffalo, by finishing with four strikes, was able to score 215 for the second high total of the day. Four other players registered double scores:

Table with 2 columns: Player Name and Score. Includes J. C. Kianek (145), J. J. Pitpatrick (141), L. G. Gilbreath (139), Ben Hill (135), C. M. Zapp (132).

Grand total: 2,693

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Table with 2 columns: Player Name and Score. Includes C. Wagner (130), H. Frazer (127), W. Stevenson (126), J. Garadi (125), W. King (124), H. Grotenrath (123), J. Hoffmeister (122), J. Herman (121), W. Dunkin (120), J. Ray (119), R. Walker (118), A. Simms (117), E. Herman (116), H. Lusch (115), C. Wood, Jr. (114), H. Mills (113), A. Maxwell (112), J. Sutherland (111), J. Finney (110), M. McGrath (109), H. Edwards (108), M. Wegener (107), M. Lockyer (106), D. McCarthy (105), P. Thill (104), F. Frohman (103), E. Sutherland (102), W. Garrys (101), H. Hager (100), C. Schneider, Jr. (99), E. Dewey (98), J. Frankenberg (97), W. Ya. (96), W. Carroll (95), J. Frankenberg (94), H. Gills (93), A. Hartman (92), C. Ludwig (91), F. Hueske (90).

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RAIN STOPS FUN AT JOPLIN

Scheduled Five-Minute Practice Game Fails to Materialize.

EXPECT TO WIN TODAY IN ROMP

Ryan Probably Will Be Selected to Pitch Opening Innings Against Trolley Dodgers Bunch—All to Get Chance.

JOPLIN, Mo., March 20.—(Special Telegram.)—Rain today prevented the Rangers from indulging in an impromptu five-minute battle as had been scheduled and the day's work was restricted principally to batting and fielding practice.

The Hourie squad expects to romp away from the Joplin Trolley league when they tangle tomorrow afternoon in the season's first contest. Manager Arbo-gast said tonight that the entire crew will likely be given a chance to work during the game.

In all probability, Jack Ryan will be selected to open hostilities for the Omaha club. Ryan is in great shape, better, in fact, than any of the other hurlers and for this reason he doubtless will be placed to pitch the first three or four innings.

ELGIN TROPHY RACE WILL BE FEATURE OF NATIONAL MEET

ELGIN, Ill., March 20.—That the Elgin National trophy race would be the feature of the Elgin National Automobile races next August, was decided at the annual meeting of the Elgin Road Race association held here today.

The substitution of a free-for-all race for the trophy event, was sustained, it was said, by officers of the association.

The entire slate of 1911 directors was re-elected. They are: H. D. Hennings, Philip Friele, F. W. Jencks, T. J. Schmitt, G. O. Heywood, M. S. Aldridge, G. W. Gloss, W. C. Willson and W. E. Healy.

HARRY BUCKLES MAKES NO SHOWING AGAINST DANIELS

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 20.—(Special Telegram.)—Harry Buckles, the Omaha lightweight pugilist, lasted only three rounds tonight with Freddie Daniels, the local boxer, and their scheduled fifteen round bout was awarded to the latter after half a minute's fighting in the third round.

Buckles showed clearly in the first round that he was not in condition for the match, as Daniels played with him, although he did no work, at the end of the round he was tired and weak.

Boobs Don't Know Nothin' By Tad

Advertisement for 'Daffydils' featuring a cartoon illustration of a man and a woman. The text includes: 'THE BOSS IS OUT AND THE OTHER BOOBS DON'T KNOW NOTHIN'', 'I'LL SAVE HER, I'LL SAVE HER. IT WAS ED BAKER THE JERK LION OF ATLANTIC CITY SPEAKING HE SPOTTED WHAT APPEARED TO BE A WOMAN WAY OUT IN THE BRINY DEEP CARELESSLY DIPPING HIS JERK-SKIN BENNY OUR HERO JUMPED INTO THE OCEAN AND SWAM TOWARDS THE PAIR ONE HE ASKED AT HIS DESTINATION. HORRORS IT WAS A DUMMY. A SIGN ON HER BACK SAID. IF A POOR CHINK EATS RATS DOES A MANCHU RICE? BOOM! BOOM!! ITS THE BATTLESHIP OREGON BOYS WE ARE SAVED', 'ON YOUR MARK- R-E-A-D-Y.', 'HA HA HA WORKING FOR A CUT PRICE GROCER IN NEW ORLEANS NOW, I GET UP AT 5:30 FEED 6 HEADS OF HORSES OPEN THE STORE AT 6:30 SET THE ORDERS OUT.', 'GO BACK, CURRY AND HARNES UP THE HORSES DRIVE EACH WAGON TO THE STABLES TO GET THE ORDERS, GO OUT AND SOLICIT ORDERS, GO BACK AND PUT THEM UP, GO TO BANK, COLLECT RENTS FOR THE BOSS, RUSH AROUND TO HIS OFFICE 5:30 PM AND FEEL IN - GET A FEW MORE ORDERS THEN FIX THE TURNABLE IN HIS APARTMENT HOUSE AT 11 PM DONE', 'GEE YOU'RE A HAPPY GUY', 'YET NOTHIN' TO DO TILL TOMORROW'.

Noted Mascot of the Iowa Foot Ball Team Condemned to Die

IOWA CITY, Ia., March 20.—(Special Telegram.)—When Iowa City police authorities today notified his owner that Bumski, the noted, not to say notorious, Dane bulldog of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity house must be killed, they rang the deathknell to the life of the most famous canine student circles of Iowa have ever known.

The ukase comes as the result of repeated fights Bumski has entered into with other more peaceable members of Iowa City's dog population.

Bumski's name is familiar to more than 6,000 alumni of the state university of Iowa scattered throughout the United States and he has been given the honor of being the second oldest inhabitant of the state university's campus, the first honor being accorded to veteran Jimmy Barry, guardian of Iowa Field.

Bumski is 14 years old. Two years after his eyes opened to the green grass of the university campus he came into the possession of Nyle Jones, famous foot ball captain of the Iowa eleven of 1904.

He fought the battles of a champion until there wasn't a cur within a radius of five miles of the university that dared contest his rights. The dog has been on foot ball fields from Marshall Field in Chicago to the Nebraska gridiron at Lincoln.

As death approaches him Bumski boasts of no less than fourteen scars on his body, a broken foot, one blind eye and a lost ear. Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity men will read of Bumski's trouble with sorrow. Active members of the chapter say he is to be put to death in the most humane way possible and if it wasn't for the Iowa City police, declares he never would come to such a sad end.

KILBANE OFFERED \$50,000 FOR TWO YEARS' CONTRACT

LOS ANGELES, March 20.—Manager Tom McCarey of the Vernon Athletic club telegraphed today to Jimmy Dunn, manager of Johnny Kilbane, the featherweight champion, a cash offer of \$50,000 for the exclusive service of Kilbane and himself for a period of two years "to date from the moment you sign the contract."

If you have anything to exchange, advertise it in The Bee Want Ad columns.

Dr. Roller Fails to Make Good on Match With Oscar Wasem

Dr. R. F. Roller failed to make good on the balance of the wager of \$50 to be posted with The Bee by Tuesday for his wrestling match with Oscar Wasem, and thereby forfeited the \$100 which had been posted by him for the match by F. A. Lyons of Aurora.

Pete Loch deposited \$50 for Wasem, but the amount was not covered by Roller or his backers. Roller delegated full authority to Jack Curley, who was in Omaha as manager of Jack Flynn, to complete arrangements for the match.

Curley did not put up the rest of the money or sign any agreement, simply getting into an argument with Loch over who might be selected as referee.

Helped Beat the Yankees

Holden Throws Vinx. NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., March 20.—(Special Telegram.)—A large crowd was present at Eagle hall last evening to witness the wrestling match between John Holden of Omaha and Roy Terry of this city.

Holden won both bouts in short time. He was too heavy for Terry, who is a clever lightweight wrestler. Holden will go to Talmage next Monday to wrestle with Viox, the heavyweight wrestler, who a short time since broke the ankle of Lemmy Cope of this city in a match.

Presidents of Big Eight Universities Meet at Chicago

CHICAGO, March 20.—Presidents of universities composing the "Big Eight" conference were scheduled to meet here today to deliberate on the differences which have arisen among the various institutions regarding athletics, particularly summer base ball.

Whether the conference is to stand, be recognized or dissolved was the important question to be considered. The meeting was at the invitation of President Harris of Northwestern university. All presidents were expected to be present or represented by proxy with the exception of President George E. Vincent of Minnesota who attended the banquet of the presidents last night, but was obliged to return home before today's scheduled meeting.

It was said the faculty representatives would hold no meeting today. Prof. H. W. Johnston, chairman of the conference committee of athletics having held that the meeting, according to rules, could not go on before one week from today.

It was decided at the meeting of January 27, that an amendment proposed at that time could not be adopted or rejected before the expiration of sixty days.

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Little Man with Big Bat



Birdie Cree, smallest member of the New York Yankee squad, who uses larger bats than anyone else in the bunch. The secret of two big bats in the Yankee camp at Atlanta, Ga., was unveiled until Cree made his belated arrival the other day and claimed them as his own. With the formidable clubs, Cree batted .36 last year.

Charley Hemphill, former member of the New York Yankees outfield and now Manager of the Atlanta Southern league team, whose nine walloped the Yankee

PIRATES CLOSE IN THE LEAD

Win Undisputed Title to First Place in Tri-City League.

CREIGHTON MAY TIE FOR SECOND

Should Local High School Five Beat South Omaha Second Time, Warm Fight for Second Would Result.

League Standing table with columns: Team, P., W., L., Pct. Includes Pirates (11-11-3-75%), Creighton (11-11-3-75%), Omaha High school (12-10-3-78%), S. O. H. S. (12-9-4-75%), Bellevue (14-2-3-82%), University of Omaha (13-4-3-77%), Trans (14-2-3-82%), Council Bluffs (13-11-2-57%).

Creighton 2; Council Bluffs "1", 6; (forfeited). Pirates, 2; University of Omaha, 7. By negotiating wins in last night's games the fast Pirate quintet and the Creighton college basketball team clinched first and second places in the contest for the cup in the Tri-City Basketball league.

The Pirates gained the undisputed title to first place, while Creighton will be tied for second-honors if the local high school can administer a second defeat to the South Omaha tossers when the two meet for the last time Saturday night.

Council Bluffs, lost by default, failing to appear and so Referee Kiewitt awarded the game to the collegians by the score of 2 to 0. The Creighton players were disappointed as the latter men were all resplendent in their new sweaters and seemed anxious to show them to the crowd.

The Pirates, as was expected, had little trouble in vanquishing the varsity quintet. They ran up a big score in the first half and secured a safe lead. The university players showed "eye" some fighting spirit, but during the first half were unable to get into the game at all.

In the second half their play was even better than the league leaders and they succeeded in making more scores than their opponents.

The game was marred by several accidents. Neal Parsons, guard on the Omaha team, received a bad cut over the left eye in the first half, but finished the game. George Parish, the other guard, on the university squad, received a sprained ankle.

The lineup: UNI OF OMAHA: Barronman, R.F., R.F.; Whitcomb, Graham, L.F., L.F.; Strehlow, Shields, C.G.; Jerome, Weigel, L.G., L.G.; Parish, Robinson, L.G., L.G.; Parsons. Substitutions: University of Omaha, Salisbury for Whitcomb; Dow for Jerome; Field goals: Graham, 3; Shields, Barronman, 2; Dow, 1. Free throws: Graham, 1; Whitcomb, 4; Parish, 1. Referee: Kiewitt. Timekeeper: Trucha. Score: Walker.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ATHLETICS

Omaha Boys to Hold Numerous Contests During the Summer. BASE BALL LEAGUE IS PLANNED

First Competitive Contest of Year Will Take Place Thursday Evening in Swimming Pool at the "Y."

The Omaha Sunday School Athletic league was organized in the conference rooms of the local "Y" association last evening when representatives from several of the church athletic clubs of the city discussed plans for the year along the lines of swimming, base ball and track events.

Most of the athletic contests under the auspices of the league will be held at the "Y" gymnasium, and when the ball season opens the lads will use the association diamond at the "Y" summer park in East Omaha. Aquatics at Carter Lake will also be taken up if enough interest is aroused in the sport.

The first competitive contest of the year will be held in the "Y" swimming pool Thursday evening, 23rd St., when teams of four boys each from all Sunday schools in this city wishing to be represented will match their prowess in a list of water events that will furnish a good drawing card. All lads entered in these events will be divided into two classes, the first group containing all lads 15 years of age or under, and the second division those over 15 years.

Base Ball League. It is also planned by the promoters of the league to organize a base ball league for the coming season to include eight teams and perhaps more. A series of games will be scheduled and it is expected that the diamond game will prove a popular diversion for the members of the league during the summer months.

Many local ministers have entered into the idea of such an organization with their hearty approval and have assured Director Maxwell of their support. Following is the committee which will draw up plans for the year with the assistance of Physical Director Maxwell of the local association: Homer Paxton of Walnut Hill Methodist; O. E. Schellberg of Kountze Memorial; Alfred Rittenhouse of First Methodist; R. G. Warren of St. Stephen's Episcopal, and F. P. Jordan of Hanson Park Methodist.

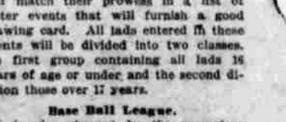
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