Taking a Chance Sometimes Leads on to Fortune--Good or Bad

CHIEF DUNN STOPS BIG WRESTLING GO

Declares He Heard Match Scheduled Between Stecher and Westergaard Not on the Square.

MANAGERS PROTEST THE ACTION

Chief of Police H. W. Dunn has issued orders prohibiting the wrestling man advertised between Jess Westergaard and Joe Stecher at the Auditorium next Tuesday evening. The chief said he heard that this match was not on the square.

The sale of tickets has been stopped and arrangements are being made to hold the match at South Omaha or Lincoln.

Superintendent of Police A. C. Kugel made this statement:

"During the last week I have received various complaints from men who declared that wrestling matches held here recently were fakes, and asking me why I stood for such affairs. I told the chief to stop fake matches or exhibitions of any character. As to this particular match, I have no information. I would not bu able to distinguish a fake match if I

said: "Ten days ago I was given to understand that there would be no objections to this match. Westergaard and Stecher are both on the square, and I would not allow a fake match in the Auditorium. Superintendent Kugel, when SOME PRIZES ARE FIGURED ON I saw him today on this matter, referred to his efforts to clean up the town."

Managers Are Wrathy. son, managers of Stecher and Wester-

and Joe would have been absolutely on be smashed before play ends. the square.

never before been accused of faking. It of landing high.

Omaha Crowd Lost Coin. Stecher was winner of a match at Fremont last winter and at that time several Omahans were reported to have lost something like \$2,000 betting on the other man. The other man was Adolph Ernst Omaha crowd under the cognomen of Otto Carpenter, it was thought the This commencing Knox. Stecher bunch would be caught unawared but Stecher proved too fast for Ernst.

This season's annual event, which is It is the four-mile university race, how-but Stecher proved too fast for Ernst. ily upon their return to Omaha, and

Over a year ago Yousiff Hussans was

Big Average of Horses at Detroit

DETROIT, Mich., March 27 .- An average of nearly twenty-four horses to the race, the largest the Detroit Driving club has ever had, features the list of entries to the classics in the Blue Ribbon racing meeting here July 25 to 21.

Despite the fact that the Merchants' and Manufacturers' \$10,000 stake has been lowered to 2:00 class, there are already twenty-eight horses entered in the event. The Chamber of Commerce \$5,000 stake has been reduced from the 2:13 to the 2:07 class and twenty-six horses are en-

Tennis Team Formed and Looks for a Mix

The Crescent Tennis team, composed of four of Omaha's youthful tennis cracks, | money is looking for trouble. Clayton Nichols, manager of the team, challenges any team in Omaha for a series of matches. Nichols has Russell Larmon, William Adams, Ralph Powell and Cleary Hannighan on his team and, while the four lads only average about 19 years in age, they are willing to take on anybody. Nichols says Jackson's home run over centerfield fence ing been his business during a greater the field is open. He can be found at with one man on base, broke a seventh- portion of his life.

Carter Lake Club Tennis Fans Meet

That the season of 1915 would find the Carter Lake club tennis courts the scene of considerable activity was the unammous opinion of the crowd of tennis enthusiasts meeting last Friday night Several tournaments and inter-club matches

will be held during the smamer. new looking for some 600 or 700 yards of ern association here today. Score; good yellow clay for that purpose. Some new courts will also be put in.

Cardinals Trim the Browns at Home

ST. LOUIS, March 27.-Dick Niehaus kept the Americans' hits well scattered in all but one inning, while his teammates hit hard and timely, the Nationals winning the first game of the annual preseason series by 13 to 2. The teams fielding was ragged. Score: R.H.E. Nationals 504202000-1312 4 Americans 606800200-27 4 Batteries: Niehaus and Snyder; Wielman, James, Hoch. Loudermilk, Loverenz and Zevereid.

Giants Beat Dallas By Eleven to Two

DALLAS, Tex., March E.-The New York Nationals defeated the Dalias (Tex.) league team here today. Score: R.H.E.

BASKET BALL HURT. LINING UP FOR THE



CARL BEAL

PRAISE PEORIA TOURNEY

Manager J. M. Gillan of the Auditorium Local Bowlers Who Are Back from Meet Are Loud in Praise of the

Treatment Received.

The American Bowling congress tour-Joseph F. Hetmanek and Oscar Thor- topic around the local headquarters. Goelitz and Tapping will support the Omaha bowlers who have taken part in gaard, respectively, are surprised and it. the event say the alleys are in the best kiss and Osborne, the latter a runner. dignant over what they believe is an un- of condition. They are loud in their who has broken many of the records warranted action on the part of the po- praise of the treatment accorded them beld by Ira Davenport, will make a part lice officials. They are unable to under- by Peoria bowlers and claim that this stand how the chief of police can pre- season's entertainment surpasses that of judge a match, and they further contend previous tournaments. Scores are high, that their men are absolutery clean wres- one record already being broken by Pierce of Pueblo, who rolled 711 in the "It is the first time Stecher's integnity singles, pins over the total rolled ever has been questioned," said Het- by Tom Haley of Detroit in 1909. Some manek. "Joe never has faked a match in of the best teams in the country are still his life, and the go between Westergaard to roll and more records are liable to

Omaha men are bowling today and if Westergaard has wrestled in over 500 their work here and in other tournaments matches," declared Thorson, "and has can be taken as a criterion, they are sure

is an outrage the match Tuesday should ter's Old Age and the Storz are rolling in the doubles and singles today, and to- lows meet last year; while the Univernight the Omaha Jetter's Old Age squad will roll in the five-men event, finishing of beating the best distance runners their doubles and singles Monday.

After their return from Peorla the local bowlers will wind-up the season by Curry of Morningside and the stars of and he was taken to Fremont by the rolling in the state tournament, which South Dakota State college, Yankton and

The sports who had been trimmed by expected. About twenty teams were ex- of running notables. Campbell and Stout, the men they tried to trim squealed lustready passed this number and the tour- Harvey and Hedges of Wisconsin, mem-Ernst was ordered to leave town by the forty.

Omaha will have an entry of sixteen sane also was taken to a trimming by der, one each. Columbus, Schuyler and that event last fall will repres Fremont have not entered any teams yet, 7 sota. but are good for one each before the entries close April 1.

Strikes and Spares. Only a few lengues are still rolling and they only have two weeks to go.

The Booster and Commercial league races are furnishing a little excitement.

The Stors team has two men on the hospital list, Cocaran and "Ken" Sciple being sick.

being sick.

James A. Glimore, the poorest bowler in the Standard Oil tournament, won it with a 50 total.

The Standard Oil bowlers have organized a base ball team and are on the market for Saturday games.

The Krugs Luxus bowlers report a fine time and fine alleys at Peoria, but haven't much to say about their scores.

Only 711 to beat in the singles at Peoria. Ben Hull will have about twenty teams in the Metropolitan tournament. Twelve have already entered. Entries close on April 1.

have already entered. Entries close on April I.

One by one the leagues are completing their schedules. The big Omaha league finished last week with the Storz carrying off high honors, closely followed by the Burgess-Nash. K. Schie leads the individuals, with Neale a good second. Kafora, Reurke's new catcher, and also one of Chicago's best bowlers, has been aprearing on local runways lately and rolling good scores. He has just come from Peeria, where he hung up some high scores, which will win him some prize money.

Joe Jackson's Home

BEAUMONT. Tex., March 27 .- Joe inning tie game between the Cleveland Americans and the Beaumont Texas league team here today and won the game for Cleveland. Score: R.H.E.

Boston Braves, Take Game from Atlantas

ATLANTA, Ga., March 27.-The Bos-The club will fix up the courts and are ton Nationals defeated the Atlanta South- upon prices that will be slightly lower Seven innings, darkness.)

Seven innings, darkness.)

Batteries: Atlanta, Heilt, Pearson and
Rumles, Cocretam, Luqueand and Tra-

WASHINGTON AMERICANS DEFEAT THE RICHMONDS

RICHMOND, Va., March 27.-The Washington Americans defeated the Richmond Internationals today. Score:

BURRELL HAS THE OLD BUG.

baseman, has the managerial bee in his league," said be. "I am optimistic about midst of the flock of tenpins at the ability may be cut off a major payroll. the New York league in view.

Virginia, 7; Amberst, 1; Navy. 8; Pennsylanvia, 0 eGorgetown, 9; Georgia Technical, 2.

DRAKE RELAY MEET

Champs and Near Champs from the Western States Are Going to Get Into Game in April.

BIG AFTERNOON CARD OUT

DES MOINES, Ia., March 27 .- (Special.) -Practically every champion or near champion in the running game in the west will be at the mark in some one of the events of the Drake relay, to be contested at the stadlum, April 17. In every event of the university, class men of national reputations will be competing in one or two of the competitions. There will be many entrants. The half-mile university track will

have as the center of interest, Barancik and Knight of Chicago, winners of places in the dashes in the Big Nine meet last year, and Hammitt and Hohman of Illinois, now with the Illinois team in its trip to the coast; Dickinson and Collins of Ames, Zumwinkle of Ne-, braska and Shearer of Drake, the latter being the only sprinter to win two places in the lowa state meet of a year ago. He also won a place in the Big Nine meet in Chicago.

In the college event, Balley of Coe, winner of the 100-yard dash at the Iowa conference and the lowa meets a year ago will have to divide the honors with Hoyt of Grinnell, the spectacular high school sprinter, now a student at the Grinnell institution.

New Star on Mile Track. The mile university team will see a new star in the person of Dismond, a colored sprinter of the University of Chicago. He will be ably supported from nament in Peorla is the much discussed Chicago with Corawall and Breathed. honors of Illinois in this event. Hotchof the running for Northwestern,

lows will have Parsons and Sohraeder: Missouri will have a new star in Niedorp, Ames, a new team in Millor and Evans. of high school fame, with Pearson and possibly Collins; while Nebraska will bring the most famous man to this contest in the person of the mighty Chamberiain, the star half of the Cornhusker foot ball team last fall.

The two-mile event will have its galaxy of half-mile stars in Stout and Stegeman of Chicago, Osborne, Northwestern; Tapping, Illinois, one of the men who helped tie the world's record a year ago; Parsons. Iowa, winner of the half in the sity of Michigan has three men capable Notre Dame can produce. The half-mile college runners comprise

In the Four-Mile Event. It is the four-mile university race, howyear ago, are second

Illinois has its star, Mason, and a new Over a year ago Yousiff Hussane was matched by the Omaha crowd with Stecher under the name of Hassan. Hussane also was taken to a trimming by

> Harriott, Edwards, Poos and Grady, all winners in sensational time in the distance events of the Kansas-Missouri indoor meet, will represent Kansas. Chapman will be a Missouri runner if the Show Me runners decide to go in this event. Drake will have Watson, Thomas and Feike, all winners in the distance runs in the 1914 Iowa state meet, and may have the services of Reid, a former member of the Chicago cross-country team and for the last two years a student of Drake.

> Michigan has some good mile men and if the Welverines select the four-milers and lengthen out one or two of their half-milers to milers the four-mile event will be the sternest battle ever fought betweer relay teams in the west, with the best half dozen teams ever gathered in the west in the competition.

Start on the Schedule. The schedule shows that the first event (Continued on Page Two, Column One.)

Baker to Manage Field Club Affairs

George F. Baker, new manager of the Run Turns the Tide | Field club, has arrived and is in harness, getting everything ready for the summer season at the club. Mr. Baker is a prac tical hotel and club house man, this hav-

At Youngstown, O., Mr. Baker was associated with his father in one of the leading hotels of the city. Later he went to Portland, Ore., where he was 8 18 1 most successful in the club of that most successful in the conduct of the Batteries: Cleveland, Jones and O'Nelli; city. Subsequently, owing to the illness seaumont, Brandt, Taft and O'Donnell. of his father, he returned to Youngstown, and from there came to this city. Upon his selection the vote of the Omaha Field club was unanimous.

It is the intention of Mr. Baker to maintain the high standard of Field club meals and try to make them a little better than in the past. He has decided than last year, and one feature will be R.H.E. the table d'hote dinners Wednesdays and Saturdays. These meals will be served at \$1 each, as against \$1.25, heretofore. Field club members are looking forward to a most successful season. The membership shows scarcely any change from last year, and there are a large number of applications to be acted upon. The grounds are being put in the best possible condition and improvements are constantly being made. Even this early a number of important golf events are being planned for the links and everything is looking prosperous,

Batteries: Washington, Boebling, Ayres and Henry, Alnsmith: Richmond, Jarman, Empling and Hasson. RED SOX DEPENDENT ON GREGG AND WOOD TO S **GREGG AND WOOD TO SHOW**

Launin freely admits at Hot Springs WANTS TO BE A MANAGER Joe Wood and Gregg. "If Joe and Gregg come through I shall be satisfied that He is said to have a borth in Wood. Joe runs around and acts and other end of the alley. pegs as if his arm is right. Gregg, too. looks and acts 'good,' but I fear to hope lighted."

SPORTS SECTION of THE OMAHA SUNDAY BEE

OMAHA, SUNDAY MORNING, MARCH 28, 1915.



One Day at Request of President Menocal of Cuba.

OBJECTS TO BATTLE ON EASTER

HAVANA, March 27 .- The fight between Jack Johnson and Jess Willard, which has been scheduled to take place here April 4 for the heavyweight championship of the world,

April 5. The postponement was due to a request made by President Menocal of Cuba. In a letter to the fight promoters he said that great objection had arisen in Cuba and the United States to the fight taking place Easter Sunday, a holy date, and he requested that the event be postponed until the day following. A meeting of the principals and promoters was at once held and the request of President Menocal

was acceded to. Surprise at Cuban Opposition. Americans here have been surprised at the opposition in Cuba to holding the fight on Easter Sunday. The promoters were assured that at least 5,000 more people would attend any day other than Easter. The date originally was set for Saturday, April 3, but it was changed to Sunday at the request of several Havana associations.

Both pugilists say the change will not upset their training, as they have had a full week's notice. Light road work was the only feature for the forenoon at the two camps. It is probable that Monday, April 1 will be made as unofficial holiday.

MISS SUNDER GETS FINGER IN WAY OF BOWLING BALL

Miss Maud Sunder, stepographer in the office of Postmaster Wharton, is nursing his only concern for the club relates to a bruised finger. Miss Sunder is a bowler. While enjoying this pastime she was in the act of picking up one of the wooden Lem Burrell, the Des Moines third we'll have the best club in the American spheres intending to launch it into the their squads, some youth of sensational

At this very instant a ball, returning down the runway from the front and

Initial Conflict of Year with Favorable Weather.

BREEN AND NOYES STILL OUT

Providing the sun blinks over the horizon today Pa Rourke's cluster noble athletes will engage in a short pastime with the Storz lads at Rourke park this post meridan. This conflict was scheduled by Messrs. Rourke and has been postponed until Monday, Bradford some weeks ago when it was thought the weather man would be kindly. Since that time Messrs. Rourke and Bradford learned to their sorry that EVENT DELAYED OVER A WEEK Missouri Valley schools will send teams he is not that kind of a guy, matter-the game will be played if pos-

> Despite the Arctic breezes yesterday around. Nobody has cut loose yet and line on the budding talent which may be and Canada. laying latent in some of the youngsters. lans this year. The infield with Schlieb- have held their events, but Omaha was looks mighty good and the outfield almost ago Friday at the Auditorium. March 2 as classy with Thomason, Payne, Huels- was set as the last day and every "Y" in

and Krueger, men of known ability. Should Go Good.

this season. Advance dope on Noyes and plans for the competition consumated. Johnson indicate that they will be fast probably will stick. If Blodgett and races, high jump, broad jump, pole vault Turner, Pierce Division, Omaha & lesman and Everdon show as hoped the and twelve-pound shotput. hurling staff will be alright, but if they ion't Krug will get another heaver,

While not on the lookout for more talent, Rourke will pick up anything promlaing which may happen to be offered. Within the next thirty days, when the major leagues will be compelled to trim Rourke would not be adverse to accept-

strongly for a good year for Yean. But flushed with the proud consciousness that the Union association, reported Saturswoop, viciously bit the fair digit and (Continued on Page Two, Column Two.) umph for the Feds, says Hy.

FRANKLIN JOHNSON

HEXTHALON AT Y WEDNESDAY

Omaha Athletes to Compete in Biggest Athletic Tournament Ever Held in Country.

Some thirty athletes of Omaha will compete Wednesday evening at the Young Men's Christian association for places in Marty Krug had his lads out running what will be the biggest athletic tournament ever held in the United States and Marty really doesn't quite know where Canada. The occasion is the bexthaion he stands. He hopes that the game to- promoted by all of the Young Men's cornered intercollegiate Pacific coast day can be played so that he can get a Christian associations in the United States Towing championships between California.

The international athletic committee of From all indications the pitching staff the association is managing the big event. was definitely decided to stage the annual alone will tell the tale of the Rourkovin- All of the associations in the country ner, Breen, Whalen and Krug with a granted special permission to delay here possible chance Thomas may come back, because of the indoor meet held a week man, Conley and Aiten to pick from. The the land had completed its competition catching department is fixed with Kafora by that time. Omaha was unable to do so, with the result a special arrangement was made in its case.

The events will be run off Wednesday Willis and Crabb should go good in night and the results telegraphed to the ager Turner say. Doyle, Baughman, the Western this year. Their records international committee. A meeting was Mathus, Kistenmacher and Laptin, the were passable in 1914 and should be better, held at the "Y" Friday night and the vets, are in good condition, and Presi-The hexthalon includes several events, enough for class A company while Styles such as sixty-yard and 29-yard potato

FEDS SLIP ONE OVER ON **HUGHIE JENNNIGS' TIGERS**

Hy Brewer was delighted the other day when he received word that at last an which had charge of the recent "Creigh-American league club had given way be- ton night" at the Boyd theater, held for fore a Federal league club. The Detroit the purpose of raising money to start a toam had a date with the Gulfport, Miss., fund for the Creighton symnasium, has oub, but when Hughey Jennings heard deposited \$63 in a local bank as the first Huelsman, the slugging outfleider from that the Tip Tops were also scheduled to real cash available for the proposed meet the Cotton States leaguers Ee-Yah structure. The money is the amount reif he comes through for us I shall be de- it had knocked down ten pins at one day and will appear today if the game is immediately cancelled. Another big tri- maining after the expenses of the play

STATE TOURNAMENT NETS OVER \$1,200

Stiehm Calls Spring Foot Ball Practice and Thirty Athletes Join in the Workouts.

WEATHER DELAYS TRACK WORK

By JAMES E. LAWRENCE. LINCOLN, March 27.—(Special.)—The high school basket ball tournament nettad \$1,250, according to a report of Manager Guy E. Reed of the University of Nebranks, who is in charge of the big meet, and the money has been turned over to the competing high school teams.

The receipts, after expenses of the tournament were paid, just about covered the railroad fare of the teams which competed. Reed was able to allow each team 9 cents per mile. The receipts were over \$100 more than a year ago. Reed believes the recent tournsment moved along more smoothly than any previous one and thinks the classification of toams aided a great deal in eliminating bard feeling over the result.

Spring Foot Ball Practice. "Jumbo" Stiehm got his foot ball squad down to the first actual spring practice this week, with two out-door workouts. The squad is practicing Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday afternoons under the direction of Coach Stiehm and Captain Rutherford. Those who are taking the spring practice include C. Brown, A. R. Brian, J. L. Caley, H. K. Campbell, H. H. Corey, Johnny Cook, W. K. Crawford, L. R. Doyle, D. Dale, C. B. Dempster, B. Foster, W. K. Fowler, J. Gardiner, L. C. Hartman, C. W. Heser, B. F. Hurles, S. A. Hadley, G. M. Porter, E. P. Kosttsky, E. Moser, W. Minnick, P. Optemstein, H. Otopoviik, H. S. Reese, D. B. Rutherford, E. W. Shaw. Phil Sheldon, N. Z. Selzer, Paul Shields. O. Towne, J. E. "anmeter and H. F. White. Shields, Selzia, Rutherford, Por-ter, Caley, Doyle and Corey are the veterans of the squad, while all the others are new members and will try out fer the varsity next fall. Stiehm is bound to have a wealth of material next fall and quite a number of the men give ex-

ceptional promise. The work in the spring practice so far has been limited to falling on the ball, starting from line and backfield positions, open field running, passing and experimental formations. Later on Stiehm will enlarge this to include all of the fundamentals, with scrimmage, and as a new feature of the commencement exercises will stage a foot ball game between teams chosen from the squad.

Call Base Ball Men. Stiehm also plans on getting his inter-department base ball league started right after the spring vacation and will call a meeting then of the base ball men. The departments will be changed somewhat from last season. Five teams will be entered, including one from the law department, one from the engineering colege, one from the agricultural college and two from the arts and sciences. The arts and sciences department will be split into two divisions, with the freshmen forming one team and the upper classmen another. Each team will meet all others twice during the season and the one having the highest percentage will get either a aliver loving cup or a pennant. Stiehm intends to furnish all of

the equipment for the league. Track work under the direction of ach Guy Reed has been delayed weather conditions and doors will not start until after the spring vacation. Reed has lost several valuable men by graduation and others leaving school, so that his track squad is much weakened.

Enter Big Relay Meet. The Huskers will send relay teams for the quarter and half mile events at the Drake relay meet April 18. The other track dates which Reed has arranged are: April 24—Practice meet with Wesleyan at University Place.

May 1—Dual meet with Ames at Lincoln. May &-Dual meet with Kansas at Lin-

May 15-Dual meet with Minnesota at The Huskers will also be represented in the Missouri Valley Conference neet and the Western Intercollegiate meet late in

May and the first of June. Fraternity athletics are looming up right now and arousing a great deal of interest among the student body. The basket ball championship has been narrowed down to the Phi Kappa Pst and Alpha Theta Chi fraternities, the deciding game being scheduled for the week fol lowing spring vacation. Alpha Theta Chi eliminate all of the fraternity teams in the first division and Phi Pel in the second. The inter-fraternity meet comes shortly after the spring vacation with the base ball championship to be decided after that and the windup in the

bowling tournament. The Missouri Valley tennis tournament is to be held in Lincoln either May 15 or 16 or 21 and 22, according to word which Read has received. Most of the

PACIFIC COAST ROWING TITLE WILL BE SETTLED

SAN FRANCISCO, March 37 .- April 10 has been chosen as the date for the three-Washington and Stanford. Tidal conditions will be suitable on this date, and it rowing classic in the morning. The Oakland estuary has been selected as the course over which the eights will con

STREET CAR COMPANY TEAM READY FOR GAMES

The Street Railway team looks good dent Garman of the club also is pleased. The players practice every day at Riverview park. For games address 8. W. Council Bluffs Street Railway Company

CREIGHTON NIGHT NETS TIDY SUM FOR GYMNASIUM

The committee of Creighton students