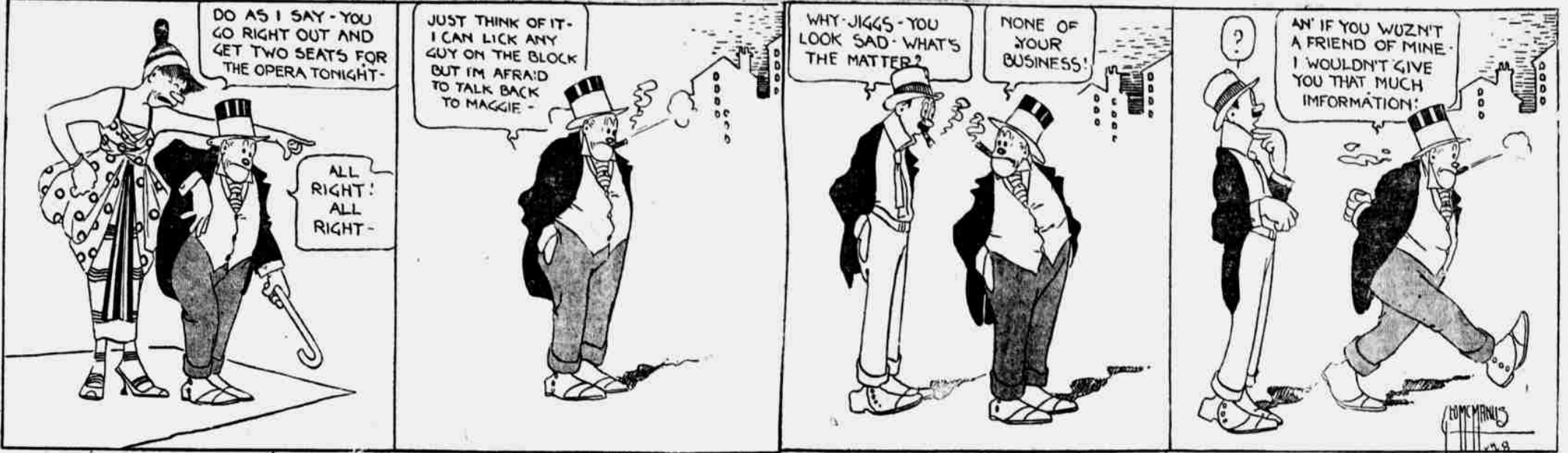


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CENTRAL REVEALS CLASS AT OUTSET

Mulligan's Five of Omaha Defeats Nebraska City Twenty-One to Nothing.

BEATRICE IS OUT OF IT

Lincoln, Neb., March 7.—(Special Telegram.)—Coach Mulligan's Omaha Central High school five showed its class in the opening round of the Nebraska state high school basketball tournament here this evening by shutting out the strong Nebraska City five, 21 to 0.

The Omaha quintet showed the most finished basket ball seen on the floor during the opening round. The Nebraska City lads found all their attempts to work the ball down the field baffled.

Mulligan used his first team in the initial round, but with the game safely tucked under his belt he sent in his second string men.

Maxwell was the Omaha star, with five pretty field goals. Omaha's next game is with Stanton on Thursday. The lineup:

OMAHA (21). NEBRASKA CITY (0) C. Smith, L.F., L.P., Anderson, Hoberg, Patty, R.F., R.P., Peterson, Olin, G. Smith, L.G., L.O., Stoll, Logan, L.G., L.O., Stoll, Logan, Konecky, R.G., R.O., Nelson

Substitutes: Paynter for Maxwell, Kieper for Patty, Olin for C. Smith, Giffey for Konecky, A. Smith for Logan, Field for Maxwell (3), Patty (2), C. Smith, Paynter, Free throws: Patty, C. Smith, Logan, Referee: Rutherford.

Fremont Defeats Holdrege.

One of the big upsets came when Fremont defeated Holdrege, 13 to 11, after a hard-fought game. Holdrege started with a rush and piled up a score of 8 to 2 in the first half. Then Fremont came back and evened up the count, finally pulling ahead.

Beatrice, winner of the tournament last year, fell before the Geneva five by a score of 20 to 8. The Beatrice five was hopelessly outclassed. Geneva showed its class by whipping Hebron, 18 to 7. Les Frumdel, the Crete star, had a good day with five field goals. Following are the summaries:

GENEVA (20). BEATRICE (8). Martin, L.F., L.P., Kyle, Peterson, R.F., R.P., Sherwood, Koshier, C.C., Bodwell, Olin, L.G., L.O., Stoll, Stoll, Schneider, L.G., L.O., Murray

Field goals: Martin, 4; Peterson, 4; Kyle, 1; Bodwell, 1. Free throws: Martin, 2. Referee: Campbell.

STREET (18). HEBRON (7). Frumdel, L.F., L.P., Cruse, Johnson, R.F., R.P., Gray, Johnson, C.C., Shearer, Toland, R.G., R.O., Shearer, Stiles, L.G., L.O., Herd, Herd

Field goals: Frumdel, 5; Herd, 2; Johnson, 2; Cruse, 1; Gray, 1. Free throws: Gray, 2. Referee: Rutherford.

Modified Examinations For Postmasters

Washington, March 7.—A modified civil service for first, second and third class postmasters is planned by President Wilson and Postmaster General Burleson. Under an executive order expected soon the three classes of postmasters will be required to pass examinations so the president may be assisted in making nominations.

Whether the examinations will be conducted by the civil service commission is understood not to have been determined. Regardless of the change, postoffice officials said today, nominations will be made by the president and confirmed by the senate as in the past, in accordance with the postal laws.

Central High Takes Twelve Men to the Tournament

Omaha Central High took a squad of eleven men to the state tournament Wednesday morning. The entire second team was taken as a reward for their loyalty in staying during the entire season. More than seven men are accorded after the first round on account of the close competition. The team is staying at the Lincoln hotel.

The men who went to Lincoln, besides Coach Mulligan, were: Student Manager Charles Moreary, Jesse Patty, Clyde Smith, Floyd Paynter, Eugene Maxwell, Thurston Logan, Paul Konecky, Merritt Klepper, Willard Usher, Art Logan, Floyd Gilroy and Austin Smith.

Dartmouth Alumni Want Hawley for "Grid" Coach

St. Paul, March 6.—Jesse Hawley, former foot ball coach at Iowa State university, has been recommended for the position of gridiron coach at Dartmouth, his alma mater, by the Middle West Dartmouth Alumni association, it was learned here today. Hawley was a star in the game in which Dartmouth defeated Yale in 1908. He resigned at Iowa last year to devote his time to his Chicago bank interests. The place at Dartmouth is vacant through the resignation of Frank Kavanaugh.

McLoughlin and Davis Defeat Eastern Players

Los Angeles, Cal., March 7.—Maurice E. McLoughlin and Willis E. Davis, for the west, defeated Theodore Roosevelt Pell and Bernon S. Prentice, representing the east in straight sets in the doubles match opening the east-west tennis tournament here today.

SOUTH HIGH OUT IN FIRST BATTLE

University Place Disposes of Contenders for Basketball Honors.

ONE POINT DIFFERENCE

Lincoln, March 7.—(Special.)—Omaha South High was forced out in the first round of the Nebraska State basketball tournament, in which 120 Nebraska high schools are competing, which opened here this afternoon, but not until the Packingtown lads had made a valiant fight.

The South High five lost to University Place, 12 to 11, in a game replete with thrills and which was anybody's battle up until the final whistle. South Side jumped out into the lead in the first period, 7 to 6, but the University Place quintet came back strong in the second half and finally nosed out ahead by the narrow margin of one point. Graham was the particular star of the South Side lads, getting three pretty goals from field.

The biggest crowd which ever inaugurated a tournament saw the seventh annual contest open. The high school rooters from Lincoln and University Place packed the university gymnasium to the guards.

Lincoln Wins Easily.

Lincoln High school had a comparatively easy romp with Wilber in the first round and gave the impression that the Red and Black would be serious contenders. Wilber, usually a strong team, could not make a goal from field and scored all of its five points on free throws. Coach Reese filled his lineup with substitutes in the second half or he could have piled up a much larger score.

Kearney and Wahoo staged a bitter fight, which Kearney finally took, 8 to 7, thereby upsetting the dopesters. Humboldt also furnished a surprise by putting Sutton out, 16 to 10. Sutton had made a splendid season's record and had expected to give trouble for the leaders.

The Class A summaries are: University Place Against South Side, UNI PLACE (12). SOUTH SIDE (11). Harrell, R.F., R.P., Graham, Cummings, L.F., L.P., Wilson, Givens, C.C., Corb, Boney, R.G., R.O., Emich, Trembla, L.G., L.O., Etter

Field goals: Harrell (2), Cummings, Givens, Graham (2), Wilson, Foul goals: Boney (2), Corb (2). Referee: Anderson.

Lincoln Against Wilber.

LINCOLN (21). WILBER (5). Albrecht, R.F., R.P., Storikan, Cyprianen, L.G., L.P., Jacobson, Hamren, R.G., R.O., Warata, South, L.G., L.O., Tachowsky, Hamren, L.G., L.O., C. Jacobson

Substitutes: Jungmeyer for Brian, Somerton for Cyprianen, Collier for Albrecht, Field goals: Cyprianen (5), Albrecht, Smith (2), Jungmeyer, Sommers (2), Collier, Foul goals: Brian, Warata (2), L. Jacobson (2). Referee: Rutherford.

Humboldt Against Sutton.

HUMBOLDT (16). SUTTON (10). Sapp, R.F., R.P., Schlieger, Mathias, L.G., L.O., Deering, Scott, C.C., Warren, Dornier, L.G., L.O., Chambers, Bobl, L.G., L.O., Muss

Field goals: Sapp, Mathias (2), Scott (2), Dornier (2), Deering (2), Warren, Foul goals: Scott (2), Warren, Ness (2). Referee: Hugg.

Kearney Against Wahoo.

KEARNEY (8). WAHOO (7). Hall, R.F., R.P., Gibbs, Kumpston, L.G., L.P., Magnuson, Etichson, C.C., Mongel, Panek, R.G., R.O., Hancock, Conrad, L.G., L.O., Hamilton

Substitutes: Prasad for Conrad, Field goals: Ball, Conrad (2), Panek, Gibbs (2), Mongel, Foul goals: Gibbs, Referee: Campbell.

Class B and C Competition.

Class B and C competition was late in starting, but three hard-fought games were rolled off in short order.

In Class B, Central City, expected to make a strong bid for honors, fell before the superior playing of Coldwater, 10 to 8. The Central City lads could not locate the baskets, although they had plenty of opportunity.

Cedar Rapids forfeited to Falls City in Class B.

In Class C, Holbrook, nosed out the Edgar five by a margin of one point, 11 to 10. Cine made six of the Edgar team's ten points, while Luckey starred for Holbrook.

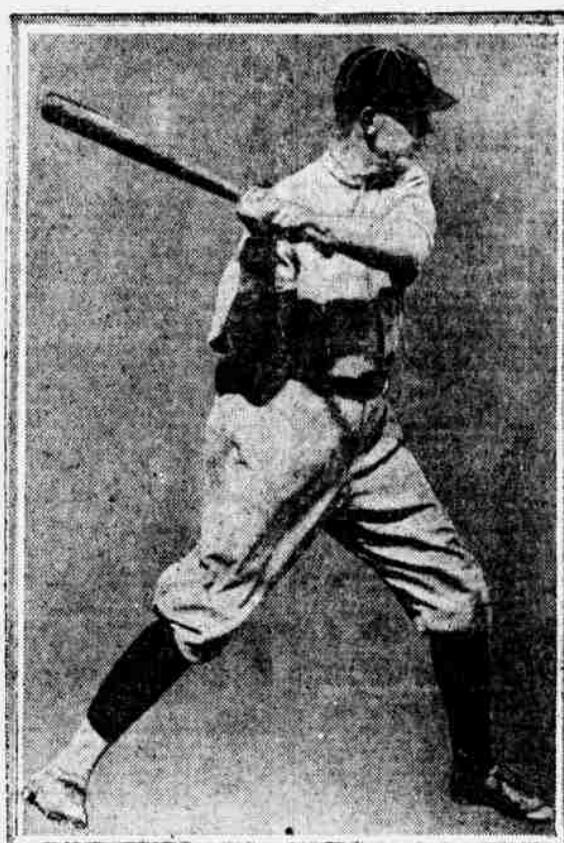
Other Class C results were: Fairmont, 11; Ansley, 9. Minors, 14; Alma, 6.

Two additional games were played in the Class B division, with these results: West Point, 12; Shelton, 8. Auburn, 11; Minnatare, 9.

Class C Results.

Culbertson, 29; Colorado, 5. Fairbury, 16; Arnold, 9. Hancock, 4; Haigler, 4. Fairbault, 11; Morse, 6. Jewett, 13; Brady, 6. O'Neill defeated Scribner by default. Nelson, 15; Wessing a Wter, 8. Chester, 15; Pierce, 2. Kossow, 19; Giltner, 2. Alexandria, 21; Battle Creek, 14. Fairbault, 11; Morse, 6. Bertrand, 4; Cedar Bluffs, 2. Humphrey, 15; Carroll, 2.

Whitted Holding Out, as Usual



"GEORGE WHITTED"

Ever since Pat Moran secured George Whitted, his crack outfielder, from the Boston Braves two years ago, the latter has kicked over the salary question. Whitted now refuses to accept an offer of \$4,000 for the coming season and says he will not play unless he receives \$5,000. When Whitted signed with the Phillies in 1915 he made the club guarantee about \$3,000 in addition to his salary. He argued that if he had not been taken away from the Braves he would have received a slice of another world's series. But the Phillies, instead of the Braves, won the National league pennant that year and Whitted picked up another fat bankroll. Whitted, in the opinion of many experts, including Iron Man Coombs, is the best all-around player in his league.

OLIN TO WRESTLE FREBERG TONIGHT

Self-Styled Conqueror of Joe Stecher to Exhibit His Prowess at Bluffs.

READY TO MEET PLESTINA

Tonight is the night Mr. John Olin, self-styled conqueror of Joe Stecher, will exhibit his wares for the benefit of Omaha wrestling fans. For tonight Olin wrestles John Freberg at the Council Bluffs Auditorium.

The huge Finn failed to arrive yesterday, as expected, but delayed his journey a day. He left Chicago last night and will be on the job this morning. Freberg also gets in today. Olin has three matches ahead of him today, tomorrow and Saturday. After wrestling Freberg tonight, Olin goes to Sioux City to grapple a favorite up there. Saturday night he tangles with Paul Martinson at Fremont.

That Olin has a supreme confidence in his ability is testified by the fact that he is going to wrestle three men in three days. He evidently is confident that he will win all three matches. From Fremont Olin jumps and Chicago and after a rest of one day tackles Zbyszko the younger.

Word comes from Chicago that Olin will today make arrangements to meet Marin Plestina in Omaha. Olin's managers say the Finn is ready to tackle Plestina because he is out to prove that he is really the master of Joe Stecher and about the best way he can demonstrate to Nebraska fans that he is the goods is to defeat Plestina. Whether Olin and his managers really are sincere in this or whether they are merely bluffing cannot be told until tonight, as Plestina will be on hand at the ringside in Council Bluffs to challenge the Finn, and he will also have a certified check for \$1,000 which will be offered Olin as a guarantee.

Moves on Villistas.

Juarez, Mexico, March 7.—General Jose Carlos Murguia and General Pablo Gonzales left here late today for the San Martin ranch, fifty miles southeast of Juarez, with a column of de facto cavalry and with machine guns mounted in automobile. A battle with Villa forces known to be in the vicinity of the San Martin ranch is expected today or tomorrow.

SEA FOODS

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Metal Plant Burns.

Silver City, N. M., March 6.—Fire of unknown origin today destroyed the mill and power plant of the Hanover Bismuth Iron and Copper company, near here. The loss was \$100,000.

TEN OMAHA FIRMS SUE CITY HEADS

They Would Kill Wheel Tax Ordinance—Temporary Restraining Order Granted.

BIG BUSINESS HINDRANCE

Following a suit filed in district court by ten Omaha corporations against the city, Mayor Dahlgren, City Attorney Rine, City Prosecutor McGuire and Commissioner Parks, asking that they be enjoined from enforcing the wheel tax ordinance, which should have gone into effect Wednesday, Judge Leslie issued a temporary order restraining them from taking any steps to enforce any provision of it.

The hearing was set for March 14, at which time attorneys for the city and the corporations will fight it out as to whether the injunction is to be made permanent. Judge Leslie ordered that pending the hearing for a permanent injunction the city of Omaha, its agents, officers, attorneys, employes and representatives of every kind be temporarily restrained from attempting to enforce the ordinance.

Plaintiffs Prominent.

The plaintiffs in the action are the Omaha Ice and Cold Storage company, the C. W. Hull company, Sunderland Bros., Uptdike Lumber and Coal company, J. T. Stewart Motor company, Omaha Van and Storage company, Lee Huff, Gordon Fireproof Warehouse and Van company, McShane Motor company, L. V. Nicholas Oil company and the Omaha Merchants Express and Transfer company.

It is alleged in the corporations' petition that the wheel tax ordinance, which provides that each person, firm or corporation owning or operating any vehicle upon the streets of the city, annually register the same, a penalty being provided for its violation, is null and void and was attempted to be passed without authority of law.

That the city will attempt to justify the passage of the wheel tax ordinance under an alleged act of the legislature passed to have been passed by the body and approved by the governor on April 16, 1915, and published in the session laws of 1915, chapter 75, known as House Roll No. 137, is asserted. The plaintiffs further allege that much of this legislative act is wholly null and void and is contrary to section 11, article 111, of the state constitution, which provides that "no bill shall contain more than one subject, and the same shall be clearly expressed in its title."

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mass and damage them in their respective businesses, the corporation set forth, adding that it would cause a practical suspension of activities. They also allege that the penalties accruing under the provisions of the ordinance will aggregate several hundred thousand dollars a year.

Wife of Ned Sawyer is Given Divorce Decree

Chicago, March 7.—Mrs. Helen Sawyer, wife of Ned Sawyer, former western amateur golf champion, has been granted a divorce, it was learned today. The divorce was granted by Wheaton last Saturday on statutory grounds.



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