ROURKE ERRORS HAND COMBAT TO LINKS ON PLATE

Brottem and Yardley Conspire to Slip Game to Opposition and Conspiracy Is a Huge Success.

Omaha and Lincoln play a double-header this afternoon, starting at 2:15 o'clock. Otto Merz and Marty O'Toole will hurl for Omaha, while Gregory and Halla probably will pitch for

Pa's Pets deliberately handed yesterday's game to the lowly Links. The Links were reluctant to accept it, but they were finally forced to do so, 3 to 2.

For five innings Jim Park and Dutch Meyers staged a pretty hurling duel and Omaha had a one-run advantage.
All was well until the sixth, when
Toy Brottem and Fin Yardley conspired to slip the game to the Links. Their conspiracy was a huge success, although Yardley had to put on the finishing touches again in the eighth

single. Lober flew out to Miller, Berghammer singled through second and Bayless took second. Eiffert forced Berghammer at second, but Bayless took third on the out. Eiffert started a steal of second. Brottem made a false motion to throw to second and Bayless darted for home. Tony turned around and had Bayless caught flat-footed. But instead of throwing to third, Tony let the pill slip from his fingers and it rolled ten feet away while Bayless started home again and more are expected to complete their

Two Errors By Yardley.

Selk then hit a grounder to Yardley. This should have ended it, but Yardley bobbled the grounder and and kept coming home. Yardley field it into the dirt at Brottem's feet with the result that Eiffert scored.

In the eighth, Bayless walked and

on Eiffert's hit. Omaha scored one in the first in-ning on a walk to Cooney, Williams' sacrifice and Miller's double. Miller's bank and Herzberg Toggery.

is a great show. He calls the athless "Mister," religiously announces secretary and J. L. Coulton, treaseach one as he comes to the plate urer.

Lincoln for two today. Omaha Gas Bike Riders to Stage

A 100-mile gas bike race will be

purse of \$200 has been hung up for ize shortly and parnam and select first prize. The fastest riders in Ne- are due to elect officers and select Dame.

November 10, Micronigan Aggies at Noure first prize. The fastest riders in Ne- are due to elect officers and select Dame.

November 17, Morningside at Sioux South Dakota are expected to take

speedway, which is now being repaired. The surface of the wooden oval was damaged considerably by the automobile races July 4, but all of the breaks will have been repaired in time for the pop-pop program. Twin-cyclinder machines will be

used and several special speed creations are being tuned up by local stars who hope to keep the championship in Omaha. It is believed the race will be the fastest ever run in this part of the country.

In addition to the championship, three events for single-cylinder machines will be held on the dirt track inside the big speedway. These will be a five-mile sidecare race and ten and fifteen-mile solo évents.

Junior Tennis Tourney

The annual junior city tennis tournament starts on the courts of the Omaha Field club tomorrow. The proceeds will be given the Omaha chapter of the Red Cross.

The junior tournament is open to any boy in the city 18 years old or under. Howard Green ranks as the favorite to capture the junior title although Will Melson is expected to give young Green a stiff contest for

will be staged. This is open to boys 15 years old or under. Stuart Summers and Dick Wagner are favorites in this division.

Coast League is Anxious

To Take Over Seattle Club The Pacific Coast league can invade Seattle, Wash., without infringing on the rights of the Northwestern league, according to a statement made by Manager McCredie of the Port-ind club. "The explosion of the North-Manager McCredie of the Portwestern league has left Seattle open to the Coast league," said McCredie. "It would be a splendid idea to see a Coast league team there, as it would cut down the railroad expenses of teams visiting Portland."

Yankees Still Willing to

ster. The deal meant the closing of lieve Plestina will give him. an option on Lamar for \$5,000, so But the Omaha fans giggle audibly that Thormahlen and Fewster bring when they hear the rumors. For upon \$20,000 out of the trio is correct.

OMAHA.

Cooney, 2b. 3 1 0 1 4
Williams, rf. 2 0 0 0 0
Miller, M. 4 1 3 2 0
Shaw, 1b. 4 0 1 12 0
Yardley, ss. 3 0 0 5 4
Brottem, c. 3 0 0 2 5
Thompson, cf. 3 0 1 2 0
Nye, 3b. 3 0 0 3 2
Park, p. 3 0 0 0 2
*Krug 1 0 0 0 0
Totals 29 2 5 27 17

Hits 21 0 0 1 2 1 1 0—8

Three-base hit: Miller, Two-base hit:
Miller, Sacrifice hits: Williams, Eiffert,
Meyers, Lober. Stolen bases: Eiffert (2).
Double plays: Meyers to Berghammer to
Eiffert; Eiffert, unassisted. Struck out: By
Park, 1. Bases on balls: Off Park, 2; off
Meyers, 2. Passed ball: Brottem, Left on
bases: Omaha, 3; Lincoln, 7. Time: 1:45.
Umpire: Daly.

Bayless opened the sixth with a Woman's, Union Pacific and generally. Huntington Leagues Already Organized; Loch Leagues Form Today.

> Omaha pin tumblers are beginning to prepare for the opening of the dle when fall rolled around. 1917-18 season.

organization this week. A dozen tonsils and bad teeth had polluted his leagues are expected to be rolling entire system. regularly by September 20.

The Woman's Bowling league will open the season September 19. J. J. Selk was safe. Eiffert rounded third Isaacson, recreation director for the city, was elected president of the the ball too long and then hurled league; Dad Huntington, vice presitary-treasurer.

The woman's league will bowl on was sacrificed to second. Yardley's error sent him to third and he scored prise the loop. The six teams hold-

Huntington was elected president of this league and J. McQuade, secre-tary-treasurer. Swifts, Overlands, Neilsons, Ostronics, Opticians, Ernie 100-Mile Event Holmes, Eagles, Stylters, Union Outfitting company and Loose-Wiles teams have applied for franchises in

the league. A bowlers' meeting will be held tostaged at the East Omaha speedway day at the new Loch alleys, 1416 Har-September 9 by the Omaha Motor- ney street, where at least two leagues and possibly three or four will make The century race will be for the their headquarters this year. The championship of Nebraska and a Omaha league is expected to organpurse of \$200 has been hung up for ize shortly and Farnam alley leagues

This event will be held on the board Honolulu to Stage Great

marathon run in which the partici- year's squad has been taken into the a third of the games Shaw has. pants will carry a message from army, many having won commissions Marty O'Toole is hitting 307 and Father Neptune, god of the sea, to at training camps.

Marty O'Toole is hitting 307 and Ward Miller 306, while Nye's mark is at the rim of the active volcano Kil- Fort Sheridan, Ill., is being consid- 244. Phil Cooney's record is .241, auea, thirty miles distant, where one | ered. of Hawaii's fair daughters, assuming the role of Pele, will take Neptune's Castoff Red Sox Hurler message from the first man of the last

relay to reach her. The runners will pass through sugar and pincapple plantations, forests of ferns and palms, they will run past fissures from which steam jets a height of 4,400 feet above the sea various islands are expected to com-

Leon Cadore Passes Army Exam With Flying Colors

Pitcher Lean Cadore of the Brooklyn Dodgers passed the examination for the army with a high percentage, In conjunction with the junior claimed no exemption and said he is event, the annual "kid" tournament anxious to fight. President Ebbets

How Could You, Fin? | CADDOCK GOES TO WYOMING TO REGAIN HEALTH

Wrestling Champion Reported to Be Sick as Result of Infections from Bad Tonsils and Teeth.

Ealr Caddock, world's champion wrestler, is headed for Thermopolis Springs, Wyo., for his health.

Caddock is reported to be a sick man. His system has become infect-physical welfare is felt in the Cad-

dock camp. Caddock conducted an exceedingly busy wrestling campaign last winter. He wrestled in all between October 15 and March 15 probably a score of matches. He followed this with a stiff three weeks of strenuous training preparatory to his match with Stecher April 9.

Then, following his victory over Stecher, the champion found himself in such demand that he wrestled a TO GET UNDER WAY match every ten days or two weeks until the hot weather of June arrivmatch every ten days or two weeks ed, when it was noticed that he had begun to lose weight and run down

Ordered to Rest. This caused a furor in the Caddock camp and the champin was immediately ordered to take a vacatin while his managers called off all his matches. It was believed the summer rest was all that he needed and that he would again be fit as a fid-

But contrary to expectations, Caddock failed to gain any weight during his rest and when he was examined at Atlantic, Ia., for the draft he more are expected to complete their was refused because poison from his

This gave the Caddock camp more worry and Earl was immediately packed off for Omaha for a diagnosis. He was given a three-day examination by Dr. A. Sacks, who is said to have found his condition so alarming that he recommended Caddock consult Dr. Murphy, the famous Chicago specialist and then go to Thermopolis Springs for treatment there.

Entire System Tainted. Caddock's system has become so tainted by the poinson from his tonsils and teeth that he finds it impossible sacrifice and Miller's double. Miller's triple and a fielder's choice scored the other Rourke tally in the seventh.

The real feature of the game, however, was the umping of a gent named Daly, new to these parts. Daly is a great show. He calls the ather than the finds it impossible to gain a pound, but on the other hand quite rapidly loses weight. Which he cannot regain. It is said the hear to gain a pound, but on the other hand quite rapidly loses weight, which he cannot regain. It is said the hear to gain a pound, but on the other hand quite rapidly loses weight, which he cannot regain. It is said the hear to gain a pound, but on the other hand quite rapidly loses weight, which he cannot regain. It is said the hear to gain a pound, but on the other hand quite rapidly loses weight, which he cannot regain. It is said the hear to gain a pound, but on the other hand quite rapidly loses weight. Union Pacific base ball league, was elected to the same office in the bowl-with a formidable opponent.

It is hoped, however in the Caddock camp that the baths and treatment at Thermopolis will bring about and his voice is a gem. It is a stentorian bellow with a \$7 echo attached.

Mr. Daly also has a cute way of swinging his right when calling a strike. Daly alone is worth the price of admission.

urer.

Teams holding franchises in the Union Pacific league are Car Records, Passenger Accounts, Omaha Shops, Division Engineers, Nebraska Division and Engineers.

Division and Engineers. The Huntington league will start haps well into the winter before Earl the season's play September 17. Dad will dare attempt a championship match.

Notre Dame Announces

Coming Foot Ball Schedule Notre Dame, Ind., Aug. 25.—The Notre Dame foot ball schedule was announced today as follows: September 29, Ripon cellege at Notre

October 6, Kalamazoo college at Notre October 13, Wisconsin at Madison. October 29, Nebraska at Lincoln. October 27, South Dakota at Notre Dame. November 2, Army at Wast Point (can-

November 10, Michigan Aggles at Notre Ward Miller and Otto Nyc.

November 24, Washington and Jefferson at Washington, Pa. Marathon Relay Contest

A practically new foot ball maclosest rival, is only hitting 311.

Dale of Denver is batting 360, but

Pele, the goddess of volcanoes. The racers will make the start from the bay of Hilo where the first relay of runners wil each be handed a message by Neptune. The finish will be Lakes naval training station or from below the .250 mark. He is hitting

Red Sox asked for a drill master, the level. Runners from all parts of the man who had failed to make good as four. a pitcher with that team was detailed by the War department to instruct the club in military tactics.

McGraw Changes Holke's

John McGraw has had Walter Holke change his batting style. The Giants' first baseman chokes his bat

Matty Draws \$12,000 to

Manage the Cincy anxious to fight. President Ebbets instead of swinging. He's hitting probably will declare a holiday in his honor. hit .340 and better last fall.

Omaha Mat Fans Snicker Out Loud As Bear Stories Come from Dodge

county, the home of Joe Stecher, are his training than he ever did in his giving Omaha mat fans something to life before. Even his training before snicker at.

information that Joe Stecher is treat- to the work-he is doing in preparation ing his forthcoming match with Marin for his go with Plestina. Plestina, Omaha's heavyweight champion, at the Auditorium Labor day night, lightly and is not losing any he ever was in his life. Stecher sleep or exerting himself in his train- learned his lesson last April when he

Pay Big Coin for Stars no perceptible effort to train, but is That the New York American content with a little exercise now and He knows that Plestina is one of the league club is still willing to pay the then. Unless Stecher puts on a sud- toughest men he ever tackled and that big money for players is shown by den burst of steam soon and gets he must be in the best of shape if he purchase from Baltimore of Pitch- down to business, the reports say, hopes to win. And he hopes to win, er Herb Thormahlen, Outfielder Bill Joe will be in poor shape for a gruel-Lamar and Second Baseman Bill Few- ling contest such as Omaha fans be-

\$7,500 each, taking it for granted that hearing the first of these crepe-hang-Jack Dunn's statement that he got ing yarns, Omaha fans investigated and they found Stecher was working to be fooled by them.

Bear stories, which have begun to his head off up at Dodge and that apthe Cutler and Lewis matches was of The said bear stories contain the the bush league variety as compared

The real truth is that Joe Stecher will be in the most perfect condition These yarns say Stecher is making with Caddock and succumbed to a lacfailed to train diligently for his bout so he is working tooth and toenail to be in the proverbial pink.

Thus do the bear stories floating in from Dodge make amusement in ask exemption. Henry passed the Omaha. The local fans have a sus-physical test with high rank, but asked picion the bear stories are circulated to be let go on the ground that he has for a purpose and they don't intend, wife, father and mother dependent

FAMOUS NEBRASKA WRESTLER-Who makes first real attempt to come back and regain lost laurels at Omaha Auditorium Labor day night in finish match with Marin Plestina



Joe Stecher

Summary of Saturday's Great Western Circuit Races.

FOUR ROURKES HIT PILL AT .300 CLIP

Ben Shaw, Marty O'Toole, Ward Miller and Otto Nye All Batting in Charmed

Pa Rourke's Pets boast four .300 hitters, according to the Wetsern league averages released yesterday. They are Ben Shaw, Marty O'Toole,

Shaw is still the leading slugger of the league. Ben is slapping the pill at a .324 clip, while Tex Jones, Shaw's Honolulu is arranging plans for a Coach Harper. The majority of last Dale is a hurler and has played in but

while Tony Brottem has slipped to

Wichita is leading the league in team batting with a record of .257, but Now Army Drill Master the Rourkes are right behind with .255. Omaha is fourth in team fielding

Park Leads Hurlers, Jim Park has the best pitching rec-Tennis Tourney

At Field Club Tomorrow

| past fissures from which steam jets issue, and holes spouting geysers. Incidentally, in order to reach their left big league ability he joined Uncle has allowed an average of 2.14 runs

destination, they will be climbing to Sam's army. This summer when the per game in the eight games he has hurled. He has won four and lost Otto Merz has allowed 2.55 earned runs per game. His record is twentytwo victories and ten defeats. In vic-

tories won, Merz is leading the league, Marty O'Toole has won eighteen and lost twelve and allowed 2.74 Style and Holke Slips earned runs per game.

Manage the Cincy Reds

Some data on players' salaries was brought out in the testimony of August Herrmann, as chairman of the national commission, in the suit of Vincent Campbell to collect salary City and Wichita played twenty-two innfrom the backers of the former New- ings four years ago, ark Federal league club. Herrmann testified, when asked about salaries of players and managers, that Mathewson draws \$12,000 as manager of the teen-inning game also will get into the record. Reds and that Herzog drew \$10,000 trickle into Omaha from Dodge parently he is putting more effort into and that the salary of Hal Chase is

Chicago Sandlot Player

have beeen cheering him on in the series between Cubs and Pirates. The least, youngster got his start with a Knights a ball player, judged by his work with

Three Washington Stars Ask Exemption from Army

John Henry, Joe Judge and Eddie Foster, caught in the first draft, all physical test with high rank, but asked

Standing of Teams

	WEST, LEAGUE,	NAT. LEAGUE.
	W.L.Pet.	
		New York 74 40 .549
		Phila64 48 .571
	Omaha 18 15 :545	St. Louis 02 57 .521
٠.		Cincinnati 63 61 .508
П		Chicago 61 59 .608
Ш		
Н		Brooklya56 59 .487
П	Denver 13 20 394	Boston 49 61 445
Н	Des Moines 13 21 .382	Pfttsburgh 37 79 .319
m		AMER. ASSN.
н		
91		W.I. Pet.
94	Chicago 76 46 .623	indianapolts 77 49 .611
)	Boston72 46 .610	Louisville74 54 .578
4		St. Paul 70 53 .569
		Columbus 66 57 .637
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Z	New York, 56 60 .483	Kansas City . 55 64 . 467
ŏ	Washington 54 63.462	Minneapolts 56 72,417
Л	St. Louis 46 75 380	Milwaukee 53 67 .442
		Toledo44 89 .255
31	THE COLUMN TWO IS NOT THE OWNER.	TOMOGO

Yesterday's Results. WESTERN LEAGUE.

Omaha, 2; Lincoln, 3, Denver, 2; Hutchinson, 4. Wichita, 4; Joplin, 6. Des Moines, 2; St. Joseph, 6. NATIONAL LEAGUE. Boston, 2; Pittsburgh, 0, St. Louis, 6-6; Brooklyn, 12-4. Chicago, 1-1; New York, 6-2. AMERICAN LEAGUE. Washington, 1; Chicago, 4.

Boston, 2; St. Louis, 2.; Philadelphia, 2; Detroit, 4, New York, 3; Cleveland, 0. Cincianati, 3-1; Philadelphia, 4-5. AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Toledo, 8-1; Minneapolis, 7-2, St. Paul, 1; Columbus, 0. Indianapolis, 6; Milwaukee, 1, Louisville, 6; Kansas City, 3, Games Today.

Western League-Lincoln at Omaha, Dener at Hutchinson, Wichlta at Joplin, Des Joines at St. Joseph. National League—Open date. American League—New York at Chicago, Philadelphia at St. Louis, Boston at Detroit, Washington at Cleveland.

Notes of Interest to Western League Fans

Morrie Schick, sent back to the Chicago Cubs by Qmaha, has been shipped to Rich-mond, Ind., in the Central league. Stuffy Stewart quit the Denver team to report to a detachment of the roulds Na-tional Guard. Stuffy is a sergean...

Dickerson, it is said, is looking with onging eyes to the Tri-cities of Davenport, ock Island and Moline as a likely spot for Western league franchise next year.

Makes Good With Pirates
Chicago admirers of Adam Debus
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Some improvement over Sloux City, at

Rumors persist that the American assoof Columbus team in Chicago and has a large circle of admirers in that order. Incidentally he looks every inch cities for the new loop.

> Ray Miller, first sacker for the Rourkes last year, is in the big show again. Ray is playing for the Pirates. Milier made a jump from Oakland to the copper country, then recented and asked reinstatement. Oak land refused to have him, however, but "litsburgh, in sore need for a first baseroan, took him.

Willie Lee Crosby, former Rourke, who is now eatching for St. Joseph, has not missed starting a game all season. He finished all but two. He was once chased by an ump and another time forced to retire on account of a slight injury. Willie Loe has been called for the draft.

BEST RACING OF MEETING MARKS GETAWAY PROGRAM ON GREAT WESTERN CARD

Electric Togo and Grey Hal, Omaha Horses, Beat Out Zealous Lee, Favorite, in 2:16 Pace; Columbia Fire Steps in Fine Form and Humbles Helen Chimes.

LINDLEY MURRAY

Former Californian's Power Proves Too Much for N. W. Niles of Boston in National Tennis Finals.

Forest Hills, N. Y., Aug. 25.-R. Lindfey Murray of Niagara Falls, N. Y., formerly of California, defeated Nathaniel W. Niles of Boston, in the final round of the National Patriotic singles lawn tennis touranment here today, in a four-set match, by scores of 5-7, 8-6, 6-3, 6-3. Murray's smashing and driving tactics, combined with his endurance and court generalship, proved too much for the well balanced but not particularly aggressive play

of Niles. Niles made his best showing in the first two sets, the first of which he won after deuce had been called and the second which he lost, after even longer and more gruelling struggle. Fromthat point on Murray began to force ahead and scored game after game in rapid fire order. In many respects Niles showed a more finieshed example of tennis play and stroking, but he never rose to the height of power or the degree of endurance shown by his conqueror.

Niles won the opening set at 7-5 although he had considerable trouble in handling Murray's slashing service.

Murray won the second set at 8-6, after a great exhibition of service and smashing in the final game, when the score stood 40-15 in Niles' favor. Point

score, second set:
Murray .4 4 4 2 3 5 3 2 1 4 1 4 6 6-48-8
Niles ... 1 0 1 4 5 3 5 4 4 2 4 0 4 4-41-6 Niles Tires.

Murray won the third set at 6-3.

Niles appeared to tire under the fast pace necessary to keep up with Mur-ray's persistent rushing factics and returns. The former Californian refused

Murray won the fourth set and match at 6-3. Niles reoponed his at-tack on Murray's backband with but which brought Murray close to the net, where Niles slipped passing shots through his defense until the score stood two games all. Murray then worked a change of pace, which threw his opponent off his footing and the Rostonian began to net and out while Murray ran the score up to five games

Niles Hits Net. Niles, in his endeavor to pass Murray, either at or on his way to the net, drew his strokes so fine that he repeatedly netted the hall. He took the eighth game after deuce had been

called, however, with an exhibition of perfect placement shots which were absolutely unreturnable. It was his last effort, however, for, with Murray serving, Niles appeared to lose control of his strokes again, and, making four errors, lost the game, set and

Totals....25 147 7 49 41 33 Niles—
First ... 7 39 1 11
Second* ... 6 41 0 18
Third ... 2 29 0 9
Fourth ... 3 18 0 7 Totals....19 127 1 45 39 48

Huge Boxing Carnival for Red Cross at San Francisco

Twenty thousand dollars is the mark .et for attainment in the great amateur boxing carnival, which is being planned to take place next September in San Francisco in aid of the Red Cross of America. San Francisco's gre.. Exposition Auditorium has been selected as the only building capable of holding the crowds which are expected to lend their aid in the cause and which, incidentally, will see the very best amateur boxers of the Pacific coast in action. The Olympic club has taken charge of the arrangements, and men and women, socially well known, are lending their aid. Boxes will be auctioned at fancy prices and one of the greatest crowds that ever saw a ring event in the coast city is expected to be on hand. Phil M. Wand, the former referee, Gus Williams. Omaha boy playing with Louisville in the American association, is pounding the cover off the bail. In a recent double-header Gus made seven hits in eight trips to the plate. He is lead-off man on the Louisville team.

The formula M. Wand, the former referee, and well known sportsman, is at the head of affairs. There will be three days of boxing, the last date being reserved for the final matches in each class.

Wallace Joins Clan of Eulogizers of Hornsby

Bobby Wallace, who has seen them all come and go, has taken a great fancy to Rogers Hornsby since joining the St. Louis Cardinals, Wallace is credited as saying that Hornsby is one of the best natural hitters he ever saw, barring none in his twenty years' of knowing them.

Detroit Rookie Hailed As Demon With Willow

Flagstead, the outfielder-catcher picked up by a Detroit scout at Spokane, is said to be a slugger extraordinary. The Tigers were well supplied with such artists long before Flagstead was heard of.

By RUSSELL PHELPS. Omaha's five days of Great Western circuit harness meeting came to WINS NET TITLE an end yesterday afternoon with a program jammed full of the best real horse racing of the week, Getaway

day was marked by several surprises,

in which Omaha steppers were on

the surprising end. Four star pacers eligible to the 2:16 class started in what proved to be the most hotly contested race of the Omaha Driving club's entire fall card of metropolitan harness events. Zealous Lee, a Missouri mare by Massawa, ranked as favorite before the race, but as the field scored for the word, it was a safe bet Electric Togo, a Togo offspring, would clean

the boards. Wins in Driving Finish.

This racing bay horse in the Hildreth stables of Omaha showed remarkable speed and form and won the first heat in a driving finish, Grey Hal, a gelding owned by Edward Peterson and piloted by Marvin Childs, beating out the favorite for second position. Garrity, another Hildreth-owned horse, Benefield handling the ribbons, finished fourth.

The finish of the second heat was the best of the week, the four steppers pacing four abreast and neck to neck. Mr. Hildreth urged a wonder-ful burst of speed out of Electric Togo and the tidy bay horse copped first. Grey Hal, beaten by Zealous Lee in the 2:25 class in Thursday's racing, got revenge yesterday, nos-ing out the animal from the "show me" state at the wire. Garrity had to be content with a fourth again.

Favorite Gets Third. Electric Togo repeated and out paced the field for honors in the third and deciding heat, but Grey Hal was beaten by both Garrity and Zealous
Lee. Garrity's second in the last
heat, gave him third money in the
race, Electric Togo getting first
money, Grey Hal, third and Zealous
Lee fourth, though the favorite
finished third in all three heats.

Time for all three heats was 2:151/4. excellent, considering the condition of the track, which was fast, but hardened as a result of four days' racing.

It remained for a couple of Neto let any shot go by without trying braska stars to fight it out in the for a return, with the result that he 2:04 pace, the other two entries havforced rallies into long-drawn-out vol-leying duels. Point score, third set: Tip Top and Dude Highwood, the scratched horses, would have been beaten anyhow, for Columbia Fire, the old veteran fire eater, now owned by Earl Beezley, and Helen Chimes. ind fferent success. He did better with his short fore-court returns, which brought Murray close to the foresaw a race for blood, for Beezley and Owens are old rivals as drivers and their steppers have thrilled many

a crowd.

Is In Fine Form. For once in his erratic career the fiery son of Pactolus was "in the He took the lead in the first heat and kept it, surprising everyone

by not blowing up.
The second heat looked like Helen Chimes' until the finish, but she "died" at the wire and Beezley, driving a pretty heat, spurted the old campaigner under the wire a winner. The time of the second heat was 2:061/4mighty fast. Columbia Fire stepped

the last half-mile in 1:021/4. The old Fire horse annexed the next heat in the same steady way, outpacing Helen Chimes at every stage of the twice-around. Beezley's animal went the last heat in 2:071/2 and seemed to have lots of speed

Dexter Sym Surprises.

Another favorite tasted defeat in the 2:17 trot. Every starter was an outsider and only one of them hailed from Nebraska. Habara, sired by George Muscovite, looked like the goods before the battle. She is a Missouri mare owned by a Sedalia horseman. She was odds-on favorite.

The first heat proved a tilt between Dexter Sym, a son of Symboleer, an Ohio horse; Habara and Fred R., a Nebraska gelding sired by Mytolus. Habara had a shade the lead up till the wire on the last lap, when she broke, letting Dexter Sym by a winner. Fred R. was third.

Habara started out to win in the second heat and would have were it not for a blowup on the home stretch. She ran under the wire and the judges placed her fourth in the heat. Dexter Sym was placed first and Lila Lac, an Iowa mare by Garnet Lac, second. Fred R. got third in the shuffle.

Final Heat Easy.

The final heat was a comparatively easy one for Dexter Sym, who had Lac finished second in the windup heat and Habara third. First money in the race went to Dexter Sym, second to Lila Lac, third to Habara and fourth to Fred R Symboleer's son stepped the first and third heats in 2:111/4 and the second in 2:121/4.

A dandy race day marked the windup of the Omaha Driving club's Great Western circuit meeting. The weather could have been a little warmer and the crowd a little larger, but, taken all in all, it was a getaway afternoon ending in the proverbial "blaze of

Ends Successful Meet.

"A fine meeting and excellent support by the public," was the unani-mous expression of Otis M. Smith, superintendent of speed, secretary and one of the directors of the driving club; Edward Peterson, president, and the rest of the officials.

At the close of the afternoon's sport the judges announced that, while they were convinced Bobola and Wagner were not driven to win in Thursday's 2:27 trot, they would not im-pose any penalties. The matter was dismissed. Bobola and Wagner were starters in the race, which took seven heats to decide a winner and in which three drivers were unscated and rebuked by the judges.