CREIGHTON TO LEAVE ON FIRST TRIP OF SEASON

Blue and Whites to Play Simpson College and Drake University; Good Games Are Promised.

Coach Tommy Mills' squad of Blue and White champions leave Thursday for their first trip of the season, for a contest with Simpson college of Indianola, Ia., Friday evening and Drake university of Des Moines, Ia., Saturday evening.

Drake university was defeated by Creighton once this year and following this they walloped Nebraska university on the Lincoln floor. It is the boast of the Des Moines five that they have a possibility of winning in this return game with Creighton.

"Y" Dormitory Five Leaves League for South Baptists

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS.

Calvary Baptists 23, Pearl Memorials, 17.
First Christians 28, Benson Methodists, 13.
Hanscom Parks won from "Y." Dormitories by default.
Beddeo Challengers 28, Hanscom Parks, 7.

The pace of the Church league basket ball teams proved too swift for the "Y." dormitory men who, after forfeiting their encounter with the Hanscom park quintet at the Y. M. C. A. last night, resigned from the league in favor of the South Side Trinity Baptists, who have made a good record for themselves playing the Church league teams in outside games. The "Y." men had lost all seven of their encounters.

The Calvary Baptist five sprung a surprise by defeating the fast Pearl Memorial crew, 23 to 17.

Lineup and summaries:

CALVARY BAP.	fg.	ft.	p.	PEARLS.	fg.	ft.	p.
Joseph, rf	5	0	10	L. Kon'ky, rf	0	0	0
Greyberg, lf	4	0	8	Parish, lf	5	0	10
Peabody, c	2	0	4	Sall'nd'r, c	2	0	4
Filler, rg	0	0	0	P. Kon'ky, rg	0	1	1
Everson, lg	0	1	1	Barrym'n, lg	1	0	2
Good, rg	0	0	0				
Totals	11	1	23	Totals	8	1	17

Fouls—Calvary Baptists: Joseph (2), Peabody and Everson. Pearls: L. Konecky (2), P. Konecky and Berryman.

BENSON M. E.	fg.	ft.	p.	BLUFF'S CHRSTNS.	fg.	ft.	p.
Calvert, rf	5	0	10	Mellor, rf	2	0	4
Brown, lf	1	0	2	Benz, lf	7	0	14
Babcock, c	0	0	0	Smith, c	4	0	8
Dutcher, rg	0	1	1	Morrison, rg	1	0	2
Hitch, lg	0	0	0	Faubler, lg	0	0	0
Young, lg	0	0	0				
Totals	6	1	13	Totals	14	0	28

Fouls—Benson Methodists: Hitch. First Christians: Mellor (2), Smith and Morrison.

HANSCOM PKS.	fg.	ft.	p.	BEDDEOS.	fg.	ft.	p.
Full'nt'n, rf	1	0	2	Kiepsar, rf	3	0	6
Reel, lf	1	1	3	Anderson, lf	3	0	6
Eldridge, c	1	0	2	Maheney, c	3	0	6
Hammond, rg	0	0	0	Rokupek, rf	1	0	2
Olmscow, lg	0	0	0	Usher, lg	4	0	8
Montague, lg	0	0	0				
Totals	3	1	7	Totals	14	0	28

Officials—Verne Moore, referee; Coach Evans, scorer; N. J. Weston, timekeeper. Time of Halves—15 minutes.

Another Match Added to Wrestling Program Friday

Another match has been added to the all-star program which will be staged by Jack Lewis at the Omaha auditorium Friday night. This match will be between Tom Ray, well known Omaha middleweight, and Barney Miller of the South Side.

Ray and Miller are old rivals. They have wrestled twice before and neither has won a decision. They are determined to settle which is superior once and for all Friday night.

The other two matches Friday night will be between John Pesek and Steve Savage and Ross Dristy and Joe Stangl.

Sandy Griswold, well known Omaha sport writer will referee the Savage-Pesek match. Denny Ryan, newly appointed assistant athletic director of the Omaha Athletic club, will referee the Dirsty-Stangl and Ray-Miller bouts.

Japanese Tennis Players Win Their First Matches

Philadelphia, Feb. 18.—Ichiya Kumagae and H. Kashio, tennis stars from Japan, played for the first time in the Middle States indoor tennis tournament here today, each winning his match. Kumagae defeated Dr. H. W. Hanna of Philadelphia, 6-2, 6-4. Kashio won from Lieut. R. I. Gilbert, U. S. N., 6-0, 6-0. The Japanese players displayed wonderful form.

Vincent Richards, New York, who with William T. Tilden holds the national doubles title, won a second round match of the men's singles by defeating Carl Aisher, a local school boy, 6-4; 6-2.

Great Western Circuit Racing Schedule Adopted

Chicago, Feb. 18.—The Great Western Circuit racing schedule, which will open August 5, was adopted at a meeting here today. The schedule was announced as follows:

La Harpe, Ill., August 5 to 7; Sedalia, Mo., August 11 to 15; Springfield, Ill., August 18 to 22; Des Moines, Ia., August 25 to 29; Hamline, Minn., September 2 to 6; Milwaukee, September 8 to 12.

Caddock on His Way Home; Will Quit Wrestling Game

Camp Dodge, Feb. 18.—Sergt. Earl Caddock, of Anita, Ia., heavyweight wrestling champion, is on his way home from France, according to word received here today from the overseas edition of the Camp Dodger. It was declared Caddock had decided to quit the wrestling game and devote his time to operating a Wyoming ranch.

Chicago City Council Approves Boxing Bill

Chicago, Feb. 18.—The Chicago city council today by a vote of 54 to 2 approved the proposed boxing bill which provides for state and city athletic commissions with powers to regulate ring exhibitions.

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Gamble Tells of Scope of Readjustment Congress

President of Omaha Chamber of Commerce Outlines Purposes and Aims of Session.

Following the addresses of welcome by Mayor Smth for the city of Omaha and Governor McKelvie for the state of Nebraska, John W. Gamble, president of the Omaha Chamber of Commerce, gave a detailed account of the scope, purposes and aims of the Transmississippi Readjustment congress. Mr. Gamble said in part:

"When we behold the terrible loss of so many young lives, when we see so many incarnations of physical and moral vigor, of intellect and of glorious promise, pitilessly cut off in their first flower, we are on the verge of dispair.

"Never before have the energies and aspirations of men been flung recklessly and incessantly into an abyss, whence comes no sound or answer. Never since it came into existence has humanity squandered its treasure, its substance and its prospects so lavishly.

"We have wondered uneasily what the state of the world would be after the great trial and what would be left of it and what would be the future of this stunted race, shorn of the best and noblest part of it.

"We know that if a third or fourth of the fabulous sums expended on extermination and destruction had been devoted to the works of peace, all the iniquities that poison the air we breathe would have been triumphantly redressed and that the social question would have found its definite solution once and for all and in a happiness which now perhaps even our sons and grandsons will not realize.

Two to Three Millions Dead.

"We know that the disappearance of 2,000,000 or 3,000,000 young existences, cut down when they were on the point of bearing fruit, will leave in history a void that will not easily be filled, and as we know that among those dead were mighty intellects, treasurers of genius which will not come back again and which contained inventions and discoveries that will now perhaps be lost to us for centuries.

"Granting all this, it is a good thing to recover our balance and stand upon our feet. Everything is transformed; nothing perishes and that which seems to be hurled into destruction is not destroyed at all. Our moral world is a vast but hermetically sealed sphere, whence naught can issue; whence naught can dissolve in space. All that exists, all that comes into being upon this earth, remains there and bears fruit and the most appalling wastage is but material or spiritual riches flung away for an instant to fall to the ground again in new form.

The Congress.

"To put into practical suggestions the ideas expressed in the foregoing statements, is the work of the Transmississippi Readjustment congress, which it is our pleasure and our honor to entertain at this time.

"The initial work already has been done. At the Atlantic City meeting, held last December, under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, the first step was taken. This was probably the most remarkable meeting that has ever been held in this country and the effects of this meeting are already being felt in all sections of the country. It was evident to all who attended, that while this meeting was the first step, other steps must follow in their logical order.

"The east being essentially manufacturing, the work that was done had to do very largely with this industry. It went no further than this, however, and the expression that came out of this meeting was the expression not only of what would be done in this section, but also was an expression of many other parts of the country as to our course of action with reference to big national problems.

"The slogan, "Food will win the war," has probably been more impressed upon the minds of the American public than any other slogan that has had to do with the war. It is very fitting, therefore, that we discusse the food problems during the readjustment period. The 18 states represented in this congress, are essentially food producing states and it is fortunate indeed that Omaha has the honor of being the means through which this great region finds expression on this all important question.

"The sudden transition from a peaceful nation to a war-like nation has been one of the greatest tests of the strength of our country that the world has ever known. The sudden transition from a nation engaged in the greatest war of all history, to a peaceful nation, presents even more and greater problems than did the former. This being true, the things that we do during the coming three days will have an influence that will be exerted years after those of us who participate have passed from the scene of action.

"With the sudden termination of the war, many uncompleted contracts still exist. Material for the completion of these has been purchased. Production has been sped up to meet these needs and now we must decide, and rightly decide, what is the proper adjustment of these matters from the standpoint of the government, from the standpoint of the owners of the plants and from the standpoint of labor, which made it possible to comply with the demands.

The Wheat Price.

"The farmer, who produced the wheat, who today is producing wheat, responded to the call. How shall the future question of price be determined? Shall we continue to arbitrarily fix prices, or shall we, with the least loss and the least friction, attempt to restore the law of supply and demand? Who has a better right to say more on these matters than the men most vitally affected? I am glad to see they are well represented here and that their counsel in this congress will be most valuable.

"If the law of supply and demand is to be superseded by another plan, how shall the matter be handled, so that men who put their lives, their capital and their credit into the business of taking the farmer's food stuffs and delivering them to the mills and to the factories be treated, for we must remember that in the readjustment, the least disturbances will result if all matters are taken into consideration and a patriotic view of the whole question is considered.

Live Stock Question.

"Directly related to the question of food stuffs is the question of live stock. The price of hogs bears a certain relation to the price of corn. The same is true of the cattle. What is to be the relation between the producer and the manufacturer for the months to come? What better way of answering this question can be found than for the people most vitally interested both from the standpoint of the producer and the manufacturer to get together and discuss the best methods of handling this all important question?

Employment Question.

"I am one who believes that we stand at the threshold of a new era with respect to employer and employe. We are all human beings. The employe of today is the employer of tomorrow. The problems are identical and the reason that there has been a widening gulf between these men has been due very largely to the fact that they have not fully understood each other.

"Already there is a marked disposition to become better acquainted. The business men of the United States are squarely on record on this matter and their attitude was voiced at the Atlantic City meeting by more than one of the foremost employers of labor in the country. This meeting will not have accomplished its purpose unless there shall come from it a better understanding and a better working basis not only for the employe but also for the employer.

Highway Question.

"The war demonstrated very clearly a great weakness. This weakness is our lack of well built and well developed highways. The future prosperity of the farmer, the laboring man, the manufacturer and in fact every one, depends to a large extent upon what we do nationally with our highways during the next few years. A splendid start has been made, but we need more cohesion, a better developed and more fully understood plan of road building and more thorough co-operation on the part of all of our people. In this, as in the foregoing matters, we have an opportunty to contribute very largely to this end.

"One more thing that must not be overlooked. Vast sums of money are needed to properly finance the work of the readjustment period. Our financial institutions must be taken into account. I may say that our financial institutions are ready to assist the people in all legitimate enterprise both old and new.

"There is just one thing that must not be overlooked in this connection. The war is not yet over. By this I mean that until the next Liberty loan has been successfully placed, and our armies safely returned from foreign fields, we cannot consider that the war is really ended.

"Naturally there has been some inflation during the past few years. Not enough, however, to be alarming in any degree. Care must be exercised that credits do not become inflated to the point where legitimate industry might be restricted.

"There is, I regret to say, somewhat of a tendency to feel that the coming victory loan need not necessarily be distributed in the same manner as the last one. This tendency should be discouraged.

"We should all resolve, therefore, that we will assume our just proportion of this, that we will dispose of it quickly and effectively, in order to be free for the great opportunities that are before us and in so doing we will render the greatest possible service to ourselves and to our country."

Prominent Men Arrive for Session of Congress

R. J. Dunham of Chicago has arrived at the Hotel Fontenelle. He is the personal representative of J. Ogden Armour and will convey Mr. Armour's regrets to the congress. Mr. Dunham is enroute to California.

Mayor Ed. P. Smith of Omaha, who headed the delegation to the Nebraska state legislature Monday, reports that the lawmakers will probably adjourn Wednesday night, so that they can attend Thursday morning's session in a body to hear Hon. David F. Hounston, secretary of agriculture. The supreme court and other state officials were invited to attend the congress.

Dr. E. G. Linn of Des Moines is a boyhood chum of Mayor Ed. P. Smith. They were swimming hole chums at Mt. Pleasant, Ia.

J. A. Mandenhall of Kansas City, Kan., was the first outside mayor to register, Governor Shoup of Colorado is due today.

George C. Boardman of San Francisco, official representative of the Associated Chamber of Commerce of the Pacific coast, is on his way to Omaha.

Secretary of Agriculture Houston will arrive in Omaha at 9:40 a. m. Wednesday to attend the Transmississippi Readjustment congress. He will be accoppanied by his stenographer. Mr. Houston will address Thursday morning's general session on "Agricultural Problems in the Great West." He will be met at the station Wednesday by a committee headed by Charles M. Wilhelm.

Wallace M. Short, mayor of Sioux City, is in town for the congress. Others from Sioux City are William Holden, secretary of the Commercial club, and J. B. Haynes, traffic manager, who succeeded C. E. Childe when the latter came to Omaha.

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Miss Louise Heitfeld has resigned her position as secretary to Mrs. Emma B. Manchester, supreme guardian of the Woodmen of the World Circle, to follow executive work in the publicity department of the Sprague Tire and Rubber company, Eighteenth and Nicholas streets. Miss Heitfeld began her duties with the company Monday morning. She is the daughter of Police Captain Heitfeld.

Sweden Refuses to Harbor General Ludendorff Longer

Copenhagen, Feb. 18.—General Ludendorff, the former head of the German military system, who sought asylum in Sweden after the German revolution, will be obliged to leave that country this week, according to a telegram from Malmoe. Sweden is said to have refused General Ludenorff's application for a renewal of his permit to remain in the country. Friday, February 21, is the date set for his departure.

Chinese Consul General Talks on Trade Relations

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 18.—That this is the most propitious time for American manufacturers to cultivate trade relations with countries in the far east, especially China, was pointed out to members of the Advertising club here today, in an address by Dr. Chao Hsin Chu, Chinese consul general at San Francisco, Cal.

Constantine Urges Labor Program; Would Reopen Sherman Law

H. J. Constantine of New York, field secretary of the National Manufacturers' association, urged the manufacturer's group in session at the Fontenelle last night to place before the clearance committee a definite labor program.

"It is one subject at which we shy," he said. "We are timid, we dodge it, yet it is the one subject above all others that is continually in our minds.

A resolution of J. W. Steinhart of Nebraska City recommended a reopening of the Sherman law and a similar state law, with a view to bettering business conditions.

McDonald of Cedar Rapids, Ia., spoke against taking the Sherman laws off the statute books.

Discussion of federal blue sky laws, as proposed by Secretary of the Treasury Glass, led to the adoption of a general resolution urging the nation and state to do their utmost to prevent the public from being duped.

The manufacturers' decided to make no final action on any question until the Wednesday morning meeting.

A resolution to South American trade was read, but held over. It urged the sifting committee to incorporate in the resolutions of the congress, "resolutions urging the president and congress to co-operate with the associations formed to provide water and rail communications with the port of New Orleans, and the formation in the Mississippi valley of a foreign trade bank looking towards foreign trade through this port."

Calls Meeting to Take Up New Bill for Paving

Commissioner Towl has called a meeting for next Saturday evening in the council chamber to consider the merits of the bill he has introduced in the legislature to reverse the procedure in grading and paving streets. The bill gives the council power to initiate such improvements and they can be stopped only by a protest of a majority of abutting property owners.

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Mrs. Ijams at Point of Death; Husband Is Rushing to Bedside

While Mrs. C. B. Ijams is near the point of death as a result of a a bullet wound in the back inflicted during a quarrel Sunday night with Mrs. Van Ausdell, 1039 Park avenue, C. B. Ijams, her husband, former general manager of the Swift and company plant at Wheeling, W. Va., is making a record trip across the country in an effort to see his wife before she dies.

Physicians at the Lord Lister hospital declare she is still in a critical condition. The woman is under the care of a trained nurse. A telegram from Mr Ijams to Mrs. Middaugh, mother of the woman who was shot, stated that the husband would arrive in Omaha at midnight Wednesday. A taxi will be waiting to rush him to the hospital.

Mrs. Van Ausdell, who inflicted the wound because the "other" woman is alleged to have broken up the Van Ausdell home, spent the day in the matron's ward at the city jail reading magazines and conversing with her two daughters.

Big Anti-Bolshevik Army Captures 31,000 Prisoners

Odessa, Feb. 18.—The anti-bolshevik army of General Denikine has reached the Caspian sea, having advanced 350 versts and captured 31,000 prisoners, 95 guns and eight armored trains.

Steamer Narragansett is Refloated Off Isle of Wight

London, Feb. 18.—The American steamer Narragansett, which ran on the submerged rocks off the eastern end of the Isle of Wight on the morning of February 1, has been refloated today.

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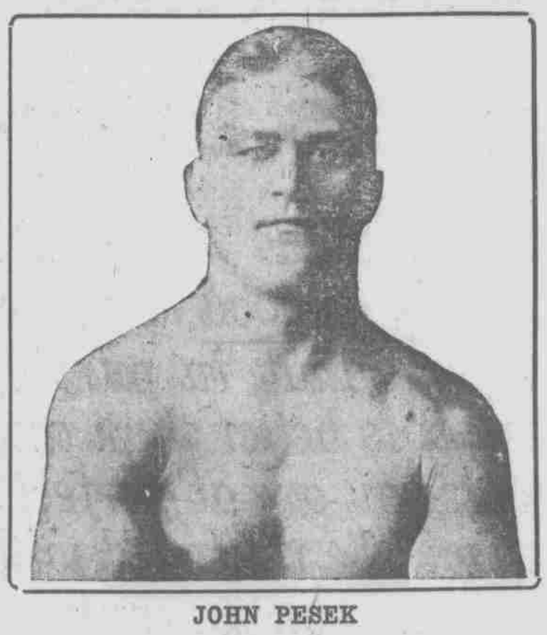

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