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### This Week's Contests.

This Week's Contests. Tuesday Night-Commercial league: Commerce High Reserves against Omaha University Reserves, 7:30 p. m.; Y. M. H. A. against Thorpian Attletic club, 8:10 p. m.; Western Union against Council Bluffs High, 8:50 p. m. Wednesday Night-Greater Omaha league: Bowens against Townsends, 7:30 p. m.; Live Stock Exchange against Com-merce High, 8:15 p. m.; Beddeos against Omaha National Banks, 9 p. m. Thursday Night-Church league: M. E. Woops against Hanscom Parks, 7:30 p. m.; Pearl M. E. against Council Bluffs Chris-tang, 8:10 p. m.; Benson M. E. against Trinty Baptists, 8:50 p. m.; Calvary igainst First M. E. 9:30 p. m.; With the stars target the Commerce Starset the bacon.

With the teams of the Commerial, Greater Omaha and Church basket ball leagues, playing under the jurisdiction of the local Young Men's Christian association, starting on the second round of their playng schedules this week the lovers of the cage game are promised some real treats from now on.

ules in each of the three leagues Neb., and Auburn, Neb. The many hard fought and interesting ers will play University Place. games were witnessed, but the oficials are looking forward for some of the hardest tangles of the 1920 23, but postponed by the Commerce season since the races are close and exciting.

### Clean Sweep

But two teams, the Omaha National Banks of the Greater Omaha league, and the Pearl Memorials of the Church league, were fortunate in coming through the first half of the schedules in their respective leagues with a clean sweep of vic-tories, the Banks winning their four league, and the Pearl Memorials of

on seven. In the Commercial league, three

teams, Y. M. H. A., Omaha University Reserves and Council Bluffs High, as the result of last week's games, finished in a three-corner tie

.800. Plenty of interest is being cen-tered on the Omaha university-lads trimmed the local squad sev-Commerce High Reserve game eral weeks ago by a rather large

Commerce High Reserve game score. Tuesday night in the Commercial league and it is reported that fol-lowers of both quintets will be on lowers of both quintets on to will have a chance for state honors lowers of both quintets on to will have a chance for state honors lowers of both quintets on to will have a chance for state honors lowers of both quintets on to will have a chance for state honors lowers of both quintets on to will have a chance for state honors lowers of both quintets on to will have a chance for state honors lowers of both quintets on to will have a chance for state honors lowers of both quintets on to will have a chance for state honors lowers of both quintets on to will have a chance for state honors lowers of both quintets and the lower did lowers of both quintets on to will have a chance for state honors lowers of both quintets and the lower did lowers of both quintets on to will have a chance for state honors lowers of both quintets and the lower did lowers of both quintets and the lower did lowers of both quintets and the lower did lowers of both quintets will be on the lower did lowers of both quintets and the lower did lo

al bank fray promises to be the feature event of the evening. Many fans are predicting a victory for the Beddeos over the Banks as the Beddeos have been playing some real basket ball all through the season and on the opening of the league came within a few points of defeating the Banks.

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The Townsends are out for reiesen of Christiana has won the venge on the Bowens and Manager world's ice skating championship Carl Lutes of the Gunners is looking from Robert McLean of Chicago. forward for his cracks to bring home The final races were held today and

print.

Mathiesen captured both of them-Church league contests Thursday the 1,500 metres and the 10,000 night also promise to be of vast metres. importance and from present dope the standings will be somewhat up-On Saturday the American took the 5,000 metre event, while Mathie-

### High School Games

Seven basket ball games will be played by the local high schools this week. Six of the contests will be

staged in the city, while the seventh vill be played in Council Bluffs. The High School of Commerce aggregation will mix with the Council Bluffs five and the South Omaha Packers. The Central High school him near the end. five will mix with Lincoln and Council Bluffs High school, while the Creighton High school squad During the first half of the sched- will lock horns with West Point, quarters of a lap. Neb., and Auburn, Neb. The Pack-

The Commerce-Council Bluffs were present tilt, originally booked for January coach because of injuries of two star

players, will be staged tonight ou Council Bluffs Y. M. C. A. floor. The Commerce will not present a formidable team against the Iowans, onds. according to the Commerce captain. world

tories, the Banks winning their four games, while the Church leaguers Friday night the Commerce aggregation will meet the South Oma-ha Packers on the local Y. M. C. A.

floor.

capped, by the air being too light, which interfered with his breathing. Meet Lincoln High. Coach Harold Mulligan's men will for first place with a percentage of mix with the Lincoln High school Early Closing Purses Are Announced for Kalamazoo Kalamazoo, Mich., Feb. 8 .- Eight

World's Ice Skating H, L. M'COY IS Title Is Taken From McLean by Mathiesen LEADER AMONG **OMAHA BOWLERS** Christiana, Feb. 8 .- Oscar Math-

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Walks Off With Top Honors in Nine-Game Event, Playing Third in Singles at St. Paul.

sen defeated him in the 500 metro St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 8.—(Special Telegram.)—Hammond rolled into first place with 622. Scores in doubles: Hallo and Pfeffer, 985; Rauer and Storrs 923. Mid. St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 8 .- (Special The contests were held in cloudy weather but the ice was in good condition. There was enough wind, however, today to prevent new Bauer and Storrs, 923; Mid-daugh and Hammond, 1.032; world's records for the distances. McLean led throughout the 1,500 daugh and Hammond, 1.032; Toman and Yousen, 1.032; Roy Sciple and Tracy, 1.011; Swoboda and Young, 961; Hilsop and Spell-man, 914; Kanka and Kieny, 1.013; Ashton and Kemp, 990; Millson and Wenke, 977; Mauer and Wills, 1.072; Jedlica and McCoy, 1.132; Fitz and Sham 1.067; Namel and metre race, but Mathiesen passed In the 10,000 metre race, McLean got off first and continued leading up to the last two and one-half laps, when he appeared to become ex-hausted. Mathiesen won by three-Fitz and Shaw, 1,067; Novak and Peabody, 932. Singles: Bauer, 408; Storrs, 501; Kieny, 487; Kemp, 558; Herzy, 473; Spellman, 485; Millson, 533; Ashton, 518; Kanka, 520; Wenke, 482; Hammond, 622; You-An enthusiastic crowd including the king and queen and Prince Olav The royal family, with the American minister and his wife, were in

 Sen, 532; Mann, 530; R. Sciple, 500;
Middaugh, 497; Swoboda, 496; Hil-sop, 456; Young, 448; McCoy, 609;
Jedlica, 555; Mauer, 586; Wills, 484; the royal box. In the 1,500 metre event, McLean started out like a whirlwind, making the first 500 metres in 405-10 sec-Fitz, 481; Shaw, 553. Two hundred and thirty This outclassed Mathiesen' record of Saturday, which doubles: F. Pfeffer, C. Nallo, 985; G. Storrs, G. Bauer, 923; singles, was 43 3-10 seconds. But the American apparently overstrained himself in this burst of speed, and Mathie-sen succeeded in passing him and Storrs, 501; G. Bauer, 408. Two men event-255 p. m. shift: F. Middlaugh, 170, 160, 175, L. Hammond, 187, 168, 178, Total, 1.032, G. Toman, 164, 164, 165, M. winning by a fraction of a second. In the last contest of the series the 10,000 metres McLean was badly Yousen, 195, 139, 185. Total, 1,032. beaten. He said that he was handi E. Henka, 163, 126, 170. L. Kieny, 178, 160, 216. Total, 1.013. E. Tracy, 204, 155, 167. R. Sciple, 157.

Total, 1,011. C. Ashton, 139, 159, 161, J. Kemp, 171, 178, delegation here today, walking off 182. Total, 990. F. Millson, 164, with top honors in the nine-game 162, 152. C. Wenke, 180, 139, 190. event, playing third in the singles and with A. Jedlicka rolled into 164. R. Young, 174, 145, 176. Total, 961. A. Hisloh, 137, 174, 108. F. McCoy's average in the nine-game McCoy's average in the nine-game Spellman, 163, 168, 164, Total, 914,

Individual Event.

Individual Event-3:50 p. m. shift: L. Hammond, 233-183-206, total, 622; J. Kent, 224-172-162, total, 558; M. Yousen, 168-217-168, total, 553; C. 157--181-201, total, 539; Toman, Millson, 159-190-184, total, 533; Kanka, 181-183-156, total, 535; Ashton, 189-170-159, total, 518; Sciple, 214-151-135, total, 500; Middaugh, 151-180-166, total, 497; Swoboda, 158-163-175, total, 496; lop, 154-160-142, total, 456; R. Young,

 Iop. 154-160-142, total, 450; K. 1 oung.
143-149-156, total, 448.
Two-Men Event—4:45 p. m. shift:
A. Jedlicka, 175-195-190; H. McCoy.
186-172-214, total, 1,132. E. Maurer,
158-135-217; J. Willig, 169-221-171,
total, 1,072. H. Fregenschuch, 167-197 157. Daytons Bluff alleys were well popu-187-157: S. Shaw, 179-200-177, total,

Steel Strike In U.S. 1,067. Novak, 177-180-141; Peabody, 141-161-132, total, 932. Made Rich Harvest Individual Event, 5:40 P. M. Shift -H. McCoy, Omaha, 200, 213, 196; total, 609. E. Mauer, 157, 232, 197;

586. A Jedlicka, 196, 169, 190; 555. B. Shaw, 173, 190, 190; 553. J. Willis, 201, 146, 137; total, total. tetal. 484. H. Figenschueh, 179, 145, in the recent slump in the output of total. 157; total, 481. Five-Man Event, 7:15 P. M. Shift

-Scott Tents, Omaha: Learn, 164, 146, 194; Martins, 205, 285, 161; Devine, 134, 146, 156; Sciple, 174, 192, 179; Stunz, 73, 159, 224, Totals, 850, 828, 914. Grand total, 2,592.

Karl's Specials, Omaha: Parast 148, 177, 196; Kars 190, 173, 71; Mayer, 69, 161, 209; Karan, 120, 170 181; R. Jarash, 193, 152, 178. Totals, 820, 834, 935. Grand total, 2,589. McCoy Is High Man.

shift

H. L. McCoy of Omaha was the the British Colonies.

bowling champion of the Omaha Freak Pitching Will

Be Legislated Out of Big League Base Ball

event was better than 190 pins per Chicago, Feb. 8 .- At an informal game. His total score for the series meeting of the joint rules committee was 1.712, while that of his nearest the American and National competitor, Ed Danckert of Milwauleagues, it virtually was agreed that kee, was 1,109. But McCoy was by

the spit ball and other freak pitchno means the only Omaha pining deliveries should be legislated buster to worm into the list of honor. out of major league base ball. L. Hammond is occupying the su-Formal action in the matter probpreme pinnacle in the singles with a ably will be taken Monday.

core of 622. Hammond hit the pins President John Heydler of the in great style today, his consistent National league expressed the opin-ion that a year's time should be granted the hurlers before banning rolling being one of the features of the play. McCoy played third in the singles with 609. McCoy and Jed-the spit ball. licka made 1.143 pins for third posi-

Base ball men from all parts of tion in the doubles, but could not the country arrived in Chicago deliver the necessary pins to roll the Sunday. The rules committee of leaders from their perch. The high major league will meet Monday score in this event is 1,161. The and Tuesday, the National and American league will hold formal lated with Omaha persons tonight. the early evening shift being com-posed almost wholly of Omahans. schedule meetings. Wednesday a joint session will be held, at which time it is probable a national comtime it is probable a national com-

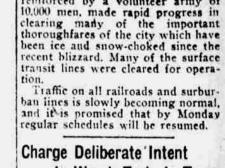
mission head will be selected. The American Association, Three-Eye league and Western league also meet this week.

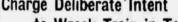


For England's Mills Eating Olives in Memphis Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 8 .- Fatal-London, Feb. 8 .- England gained ities attributed to poisoning due to the eating of preserved ripe olives American steel and tools, according served at a luncheon last Thursday

to Sheffield correspondents. An ex-traordinary rush of foreign orders was diverted from America into the Uzell K. Ivy, who died Saturday. Yorkshire market, consumers indi-Mrs. Ivy, the only one of the lunch eon party now alive, was reported cating a readiness to pay the high-

in a critical condition. est prices for quick delivery. France is taking huge quantities Harness that has been patented to of materials for motor car con-struction. Big contracts for alloy steel, mild steel, files and saws have carry an umbrella over a person's head and leave his hands free embeen entered into with South-America, Italy, Spain, India and to hold the rod up the center of his back.





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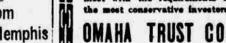
to Wreck Train in Texas Fort Worth, Tex., Feb. 8 .- Deliberate intent to wreck a Texas & Pa-cific passenger train by throwing a switch is charged by Engineer New-ton Smith, whose train was wrecked near Ranger, Tex. One man, J. B. Tyler of Sweetwater, Tex., was killed, and 10 injured. According to Smith's report to of

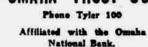
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victory. Commerce High are out as Commerce and Lincoln are no to get revenge over the University doubt the two leading schools for

lads and Coach Drummond's men have been practicing hard for the battle. The Western Union-Coun-M. C. A. the Purple and White cil Bluffs High contest should also prove exciting as the wiremen have strengthened their lineup and are out to get revenge over their oppo-

#### Three Lively Tussles

nents.

The Y. M. H. A. should have an casy time winning over the Thor-pian Athletic club, since the latter five has not won a game thus far. Three lively tussels are on the program in the Greater Omaha league for Wednesday night, al-hough the Beddeo-Omaha Nation-

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# Western Base Ball Loop

weeks ago. Coach James Patton's South Side Coach James Patton's South Side aggregation will play High School of Commerce five Friday and Uni-posed of teams representing Muskoversity Place High school Saturday. gee, Bartlesville, Okmulgee, McAlester, Drumwright and Pawhuska, Okla., Fort Smith, Ark., and Spring-Creighton High school has two hard games on its program this week. Friday night the lads mix with West Point, Neb., and Saturday field, Mo., was organized here. The association will play a 140-game evening will meet Auburn, Neb., on schedule.

## Chicago Skater Wins Western Championship

Geneva Trounces Plattsmouth.

Plattsmouth, Neb., Feb. 8 .- (Spe-

Defeated in Race Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 8 .- William Steinmetz, Chicago, won the western At Christiania skating championship at Washington park, with a total of 90 points. His closest competitors were E. Mc-Gowan, St. Paul, and Roy McWhir-ter, Chicago, who each had a point.

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 cial.)-The Geneva High school McLean's time was 2 minutes 281-5 basket ball team defeated the local aggregation in a game here by a score of 24 to 18. Geneva was beaten Mathiesen also won the 10,000-meter contest in 18 minutes 301-10 by South Omaha in a recent game seconds. McLean's time for this by an 18 to 14 score, and Plattsevent was 19 minutes 2-5 seconds. In the 500-meter race on Satur-South Omaha quintet to the tune of 48 to 11.

RADIATORS repaired. C. Elsasser.2523 of the distance, but Mathesen, with S. 21st St. Tyler 4009. Best work; rea-a powerful spurt, outstripped him near the end. McLean took the lead from the start in the next event at 5,000 meters and kept it to the finish. At the end of Saturday's contests both

McLean and Mathiesen appeared to be tired. Some of the spectators loudly voiced their disappointment over the time made, as conditions for fast racing were most favorable McLean was the winner of the 5,000-meter race, leading almost the

whole distance. His time was 8 minutes 53 7-10 seconds. Mathiesen claimed to be indisposed.

Manager Ben Kubby of the Young Knights of Zion basket ball team announces that he has booked a game with the Lincoln Community Center boys for Wednesday night at the Army and Navy club. The Zionists have not lost a game this

championship. Manager Kubby would like to book games with any basket ball team in the city. Call Douglas 8039.

Racing: Winter meeting of Cubs-Amer-ican Jockey club at Havana. Winter meeting of Business Men's Racing asso-clation at New Orleans. Automobile: Opening of shows at Nash-ville and Salt Lake City. Hase ball: Meeting of Joint rules com-mittee of the major leagues at Chicago. American association schedule meeting at Chicago.

Threago. Infect lengue schedule meeting at Chicago. Curling: Opening of annual bonapiel of Ladies' Curling association at Montreal. Boxing: Benny Leonard against Johnny Dundee, 8 rounds, at Jersey City. Johnny Meckarthy against Fred Murphy, 16 rounds, at San Francisco. Jack Sharkey against Young Dynon, 12 rounds, at New Bedford. Patsey Cline against Louis Bogash, 12 rounds, at Bridgeport, Conn. Joe Lynch against Louisiana. 6 rounds, at Philadel-phia. Johnny Summers against Joe Jack-son. 6 rounds, at Philadelphia. Victor Bitchio against Little Bear, 6 rounds, at Philadelphis

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