

# CAHN NOSES OUT 50 TO 49 VICTORY OVER DR. SUMNEY

Loser Scores Run of Seven, Record for Tournament, at Opening Of Contest.

Albert Cahn, after holding the short end of the score throughout the entire game, crept up from behind and nosed out a victory over Dr. H. C. Sumney last night in the semifinals of the Omaha Athletic club's three-cushion handicap billiard tournament. The final score was 50 to 49.

Sumney took the lead in the first inning by running seven. It was the high run for the whole tournament. After that he played Cahn closely, giving his opponent "hard leaves" consistently.

In the 10th inning Sumney led, 9 to 7. From then on Sumney steadily increased his lead until in the 86th inning he was leading, 41 to 30.

In the 104th inning Cahn caught Sumney at the 45-point mark and in the next frame passed him for the first time during contest.

They tied again in the 109th inning, 48 to 48. Sumney made one and Cahn tied the count again, 49 to 49, but tied Sumney in a difficult position. Sumney missed but Cahn came through with the winning tally.

More than 70 club members and guests witnessed the game. Tonight Sumney and Fred Pierce will play and on Monday night Pierce and Cahn will meet in the final game of the tournament.

The winner of the meet will receive the H. O. Friedrichs trophy. A sectional, initial cue will be given to the player who ranks second and another to the one who ranks third.

Cahn was formerly Nebraska's 182 ballline champion.

## South and Bluffs Clash.

South Omaha High school basketball squad will mix with Council Bluffs cagers tonight at the Packers' gymnasium. The Iowans defeated the Packers earlier in the season by a large score. The South Side followers who saw the Packers in action last week against Commerce High are predicting an easy victory for them.

Columbia, Mo., Feb. 19.—Missouri university won its fourteenth straight victory Thursday night by again defeating Kansas university in a Missouri Valley conference basketball game. The score was 31 to 12.

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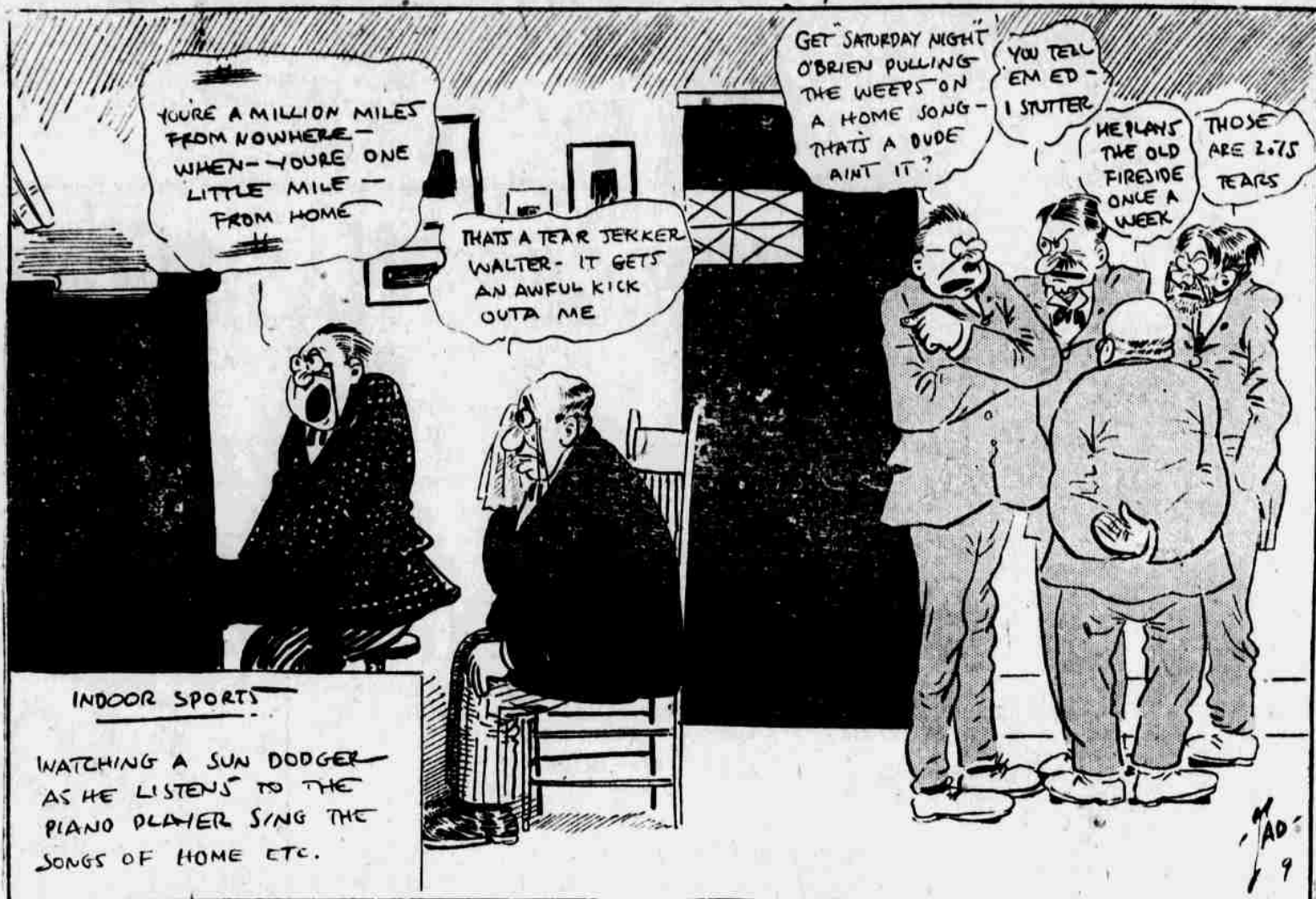
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## WESTERN LEAGUE OPENS APRIL 20; OMAHA AT TULSA

Rourke's Play St. Joe Here  
Decoration Day and  
Joplin Team Here  
On Labor Day.

Kansas City, Feb. 19.—The Western league 1920 season will open April 20 and close September 19, it was declared at a meeting of the club members here Thursday.

No decision was made as to the selection of a manager for the St. Joseph club to succeed Cozy Dolan, who recently signed with the Chicago Nationals. The name of Clarence Royland, former manager of the Chicago White Sox, was being mentioned in connection with the place.

The opening games will be as follows: St. Joseph at Oklahoma City, Omaha at Tulsa, Sioux City at Joplin and Des Moines at Wichita. The following holiday games also were announced: Decoration day, Oklahoma City at Tulsa, Wichita at Joplin, St. Joseph at Omaha and Sioux City at Des Moines. July 4, Tulsa at Oklahoma City, Joplin at Wichita, Omaha at St. Joseph and Des Moines at Sioux City. Labor day, Joplin at Omaha, Wichita at Tulsa, Sioux City at Oklahoma City and Des Moines at St. Joseph.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 19.—A 154-game schedule for the 1920 season in the Western league was definitely adopted at a meeting of the club members Thursday. It was announced by A. R. Tearney, president.

## Bowens Win.

Bowen Furniture company basketball team defeated Missouri Valley last night 43 to 20 at Missouri Valley.

## Big ATHLETIC PROGRAM

At FORT OMAHA,  
February 23d

Thirty-four rounds of fighting.  
John Sutterberg of Omaha vs.  
Jimmie Delaney of Chicago.  
Four 6-round bouts and one battle royal.

## "TWO AND THREE" "PUTTING THE NEXT ONE OVER" WITH "BUGS" DAIR

THE CABINET GLEE CLUB

Will Now Sing:

Oh, a quiet little spot,  
In a quiet little cot,  
On a quiet building lot  
On Mount Vesuvius.

Bill Bryan is dumb on the Lansing subject. Bill is dumb on any subject.

In chirping on the cabinet situation, Senator Adenoids said: "America is a democracy. A man should be able to sleep with his shoes on." The senator was elected to congress on the crest of the prohibition wave, which dried up America last summer.

The senator used to guzzle some himself, but America was dry for him when whisky jumped to 15 cents a snifter. He never drank anything he couldn't afford. But he drank many a drink the other guy couldn't afford. Most of the senator's relatives were killed in the 18th amendment, and his own case is a remarkable example of suspended animation.

Senator Adenoids continued: "The senate is with Mr. Lansing to a man. We'll see him through this or drag him down to our own level."

"The senate has had no rest since the armistice. For Gawackus's sake, bring back the war and let us have peace."

"Each day, Woody sends the peace treaty over to the senate and each day we clip some of its tail off. There is no chance of a democratic president next year. I would describe this year as the best administration that the republicans ever had. That's a fine cabinet pudding that Woodrow has cooked up. If it wasn't for the reading of the peace treaty each day, I would never grab any sleep. The treaty might be described as the senatorial lullaby."

"They say that the world is safe for democracy, but I notice that every hotel I stop at always has chains on its combs and brushes. Some hotels even chain up the soap. They never chain up the hotel rates. They run wild."

The senator was the gent who discovered that a United States senator didn't have to pay fare on the railroads. He took advantage of the laundry franking privilege by wearing his laundry on all trips and franking himself all over the world.

In spite of the senator's sarcasm, the United States is still a democracy. Every American boy has a chance of firing a cabinet some day.

In the old days of beer checks, a cabinet position was considered a fairly permanent job. Four years was a long time, especially in a town like Washington, where even the sparrows can't fly fast enough to build a nest in a century plant. Now, the cabinet guys get fired so often that they are always one jump ahead of their last mailing address. The guy who starts a cigar as secretary of the interior, generally finishes the smoke as secretary of the treasury. The secretary of agriculture is harvested long before the other crops. Whoever is nominated secretary of state doesn't bother about taking his hat off when he takes the job. It's lost motion. Bryan had that job once and brought his dinner pail along. He admits this was his only political mistake. It's only a breakfast job.

The cabinet is just like one big family. Always fighting. A new job has just been created in Woody's cabinet. It's the secretary of the gate with the oiled hinges. Whenever another secretary shows symptoms of developing a personal pronoun, the secretary of the gate returns Woody's wink and another good man crashes the exit.

A cabinet job is healthy. It keeps you in the open air. In spite of the fire commissioner's warning, many a cabinet member has beaten his neighbor to the street.

The cabinet meetings are very formal. All the secretaries are stove-leaguering it around a big table, thinking of Woody and trying to keep warm. That's a tough job when you're thinking of the boss. But—as soon as Woody steps into the room the cabinet breaks out into a rash of formality.

When Woodrow waltzes into the room all the secretaries jump to their feet.

Some of them even start walking.

## Wrestling and Other Sports on Program of Legion's Big Carnival

The American Legion's athletic carnival at the Auditorium tonight will be one of the best shows of its kind ever staged in Omaha, if Jake Isaacson, director of public recreation, who is helping promote the show, can be believed.

Tom Ray, Omaha wrestler, is booked to meet Earl Caddock, but that isn't the feature event of the evening. Isaacson says there are three surprises on tap for the legionaries who attend tonight's show. Members of the American Legion will be admitted for 25 cents. Other patrons will be charged \$1. The proceeds are to go to the American Legion treasury.

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Probst ..... 548 B. Zender ..... 391  
Citrail ..... 448 Borghoff ..... 409  
Cole ..... 478 Gibbs ..... 511  
Zimmerman ..... 491 Rosey ..... 571  
Kerr ..... 507 L. Zender ..... 438  
Handicap ..... 195  
Total ..... 2608 Total ..... 2561

M. C. Peters Mill Co. Uptake Grain Co.  
C. Peters ..... 526 Hallock ..... 501  
Barlow ..... 419 Campbell ..... 498  
Hoffer ..... 802 Archibald ..... 388  
Dearth ..... 513 Straw ..... 490  
D. Peters ..... 461 Howard ..... 581  
Handicap ..... 15  
Total ..... 2440 Total ..... 2370

## Commerce to Meet Bluffs.

Saturday night at the local Y. M. C. A. court the Council Bluffs basketball quintet will lock horns with the High School of Commerce aggregation. The business lads expect to have an easy time with the Iowans, as they trounced them last week by a large score on their own floor.

## Clearing House Secures Tryout For Army Pitcher

Amateur Twirler Lists Name in Bee's Base Ball Directory and as a Result Is Given Chance With Ernie Holmes' Club.

Otto B. Johnson, 4617 Farnam street, has been given an opportunity to show his pitching ability on the Ernie Holmes amateur base ball club this season through the efforts of The Bee's Clearing House for Base Ball Players.

Johnson listed his name in the Clearing House Tuesday afternoon. Here is the information he filed:

Omaha, Feb. 19.—Bee Base Ball Clearing House, Gentlemen: I want to connect with some good ball club this season. I was with an army team part of last year and the rest of the season I spent with Flat River, Mo., team. I am a right-handed pitcher. Last year I won 14 out of 18 games for Flat River.

I was with Barney Peltz, former Brown twirler. I haven't been here long and don't know any of these club managers. I will thank you if you can help me connect with some good club for this season. Yours,

OTTO B. JOHNSON,

4617 Farnam Street, Walnut 5561.  
Thursday afternoon Leslie Pickett, manager of the Ernie Holmes

team in the Greater Omaha league, sent the following offer to The Bee Clearing House for Johnson:

Bee Base Ball Clearing House, Gentlemen: Please have the pitcher who won 14 out of 18 games last year telephone me Thursday night at Webster 3941. We need a right-hander, and I'll be glad to oblige him. Yours,

LESLIE PICKETT.

Manager Ernie Holmes B. B. C.

The Clearing House has dozens of promising players in its files. Any manager in need of a player in any position would do well to select one from the Clearing House. After a tryout the selection may prove just what he wants.

Out-of-town managers have a good opportunity to line up good material before the men are all "sorted" and the best ones taken. No charge for Clearing House service.

Players not yet connected with teams for the coming season may list their names in the Clearing House free of charge.

Throughout the entire contest both teams fought desperately. At times it was a rough and tumble affair. During the first extra five-minute period neither team was able to make a point, both sides guarding closely. However, after a few seconds of play in the second extra five-minute period, the Baracas took the lead, when F. Garey and A. Garey each shot a field goal and the former also shot a foul goal.

The Hanscom Park Methodists defeated the Calvary Baptists, 22 to 12, in a hard fought game, featured by sensational shooting of Barney Nordstrom. By the score of 16 to 6, the M. E. Wops broke the tie for the cellar position by defeating their opponents—the Council Bluffs First Christians.

By winning from the Trinity Baptists by a score of 21 to 11 the Pearl Memorials continued to hold first place in the league with a clean sweep of victories.

Team standings:

Church League.

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pearl M. E.	9	1	.909
First M. E.	6	2	.750
Denson M. E.	4	2	.666
Hanscom Park M. E.	4	2	.666
Calvary Baptists	4	2	.666
Trinity Baptists	4	2	.666
M. E. Wops	6	6	.500
C. B. Christians	2	2	.500

Bee Want Ads Produce Results.

## Plattsmouth High to Meet Deaf Institute Quintet Here Today

Plattsmouth High school basketball five will meet the Deaf institute quintet on the institute floor at 3 this afternoon.

The deaf mutes trounced Iowa School for the Deaf Wednesday night, 33 to 15.

Every man on the deaf quintet is a 1919 letter man and as a result the 1920 aggregation is one of the best turned out at the institute in years.

Cox, center; Koitsch and Peterson, forwards; and Kröhn and Kahniess, guards, will probably start the game against Plattsmouth this afternoon. Scheneman and Falk will be used as relief men.

## Wilde Scores Knockout.

Jersey City, Feb. 19.—Jimmy Wilde of England, British flyweight boxing champion, scored a knockout over Mickey Russell, local bantam weight, when the latter's manager acknowledged his fighter's defeat by throwing the towel into the ring in the seventh round. The match was for eight rounds.

## Omaha Uni Quintet Beats Team of Ex- University Stars

Kearney, Neb., Feb. 19.—(Special Telegram.)—University of Omaha defeated Kearney Athletic club here Thursday night 29 to 14 in the first game of their invasion into western Nebraska. The Kearney team, composed of former university stars, lost their first game of the season. The game was fast and snappy. Beacom, with 11 points, was star, while Adams and Phelps both played good ball. Omaha plays Minden Normal Friday.

## Wants Net Games in West.

San Francisco, Feb. 19.—A request that the annual East against West tennis matches be played in San Francisco at the time of the democratic national convention this year has been sent the United States Lawn Tennis association. Dr. Sumner Hardy of San Francisco, president of the California Lawn Tennis association, announced Thursday.

## Golf Bugs Out.

Ed Murphy, athletic club pro, Stanley Davies, field club pro, and Dr. H. L. Arnold played a dozen holes on the temporary green at the Field club Wednesday afternoon. Jim Trimble and Murphy stepped out yesterday to smash the pill around for a while. The course was little affected by the rain and snow that fell Wednesday night.

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