

AMATEUR STARS ENTER IN STATE WRESTLING MEET

Monte Munn of University of Nebraska Team Entered—Many Towns Throughout State Represented.

Amateur wrestlers from all parts of the state will take part in the annual state wrestling tournament at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium tonight, starting promptly at 7:30 o'clock.

The majority of the contestants are champions of the institution or towns they represent.

Fifty-two mat men have entered the tournament. Physical Director N. J. Weston of the Y. M. C. A. announced that he expects some to sign up today.

In order to pull off all of the matches tonight, said Weston, "we will have to use two mats on account of the large entry. This will be the greatest state tournament in the history and judging from the interest a large crowd is expected."

The officials are Walter Barnum and J. J. Isaacson, referees; Floyd Longnecker and W. Mickle, timekeepers, and Shaw and Verne Moore, scorers.

Following is a complete list of the contestants who have entered:

- 134 Pounds—Irvin Weber, Norfolk; Pete Graham, Norfolk; Jesse H. George, Omaha; Fred Dashiell, Lincoln.
- 145 Pounds—Charles De Lay, Norfolk; Dan Moran, 2, Sibley; Howard Robinson, Omaha.
- 160 Pounds—Earl Albert, Council Bluffs; Martin Davoport, Norfolk; Robert Johnson, Columbus; Alvin Robinson, Lincoln; W. W. Carl, Sibley; Carl Brant, Sibley; W. J. Smith, Kearney; Norman Arthur, Lincoln; Roy Walker, Omaha; Carl Smith, Lincoln; Everett Isaacson, Norfolk.
- 175 Pounds—Gordon Hartman, Norfolk; Jim Knox, Norfolk; Walter Richards, Norfolk; Fred Fisher, Norfolk; Alvin Robinson, Lincoln; W. W. Carl, Sibley; Dan Moran, 2, Sibley; Howard Robinson, Omaha.
- 190 Pounds—Lloyd Curtis, Stanton; H. W. North, Norfolk; Alvin Robinson, Lincoln; Earl Albert, Council Bluffs; Martin Davoport, Norfolk; W. J. Smith, Kearney; Norman Arthur, Lincoln; Roy Walker, Omaha; Carl Smith, Lincoln; Everett Isaacson, Norfolk; Dan Moran, 2, Sibley; Howard Robinson, Omaha.
- 220 Pounds—Tom Thomas, Norfolk; Lincoln; W. W. Carl, Sibley; Dan Moran, 2, Sibley; Howard Robinson, Omaha; Earl Albert, Council Bluffs; Martin Davoport, Norfolk; W. J. Smith, Kearney; Norman Arthur, Lincoln; Roy Walker, Omaha; Carl Smith, Lincoln; Everett Isaacson, Norfolk; Dan Moran, 2, Sibley; Howard Robinson, Omaha.

Stewards of Nebraska Speed Circuit Adopt Schedule for Season

Stewards of the Nebraska Speed Circuit held their annual meeting and banquet at the Paxton hotel last night and mapped out the program for the coming season.

The added money plan was adopted after a hot discussion, and it was decided to make all purses \$250 added. The lineup this year will start at Alliance, June 23 to 25, and continue at Mitchell, June 30 to July 2; Kearney, July 3 to 7; Aurora, July 13 to 15; Jewett, July 20 to 22; Beatrice, July 27 to 29; Beatrice, August 3 to 5, and Malvern, Ia., August 10 to 12.

Classes were named as follows: 2:25, 2:21, 2:17, 2:13 and 3-year-old and under, trot for colts eligible to the 2:20 class, and 2:20, 2:15, 2:12, 2:00 and 3-year-old and under pace, the latter also for colts eligible to the 2:20 class.

Gould and Wear Win.

Philadelphia, March 26.—Jay Gould, the open champion, paired with Joseph W. Wear, representing the Racquet club, defeated D. L. Hutchinson and S. L. Andrews, also of the Racquet club, in the first semi-final match of the national tennis championship here Friday, 6-2, 6-1 and 6-3. Joshua Crane and C. T. Russell of Boston won the other semi-final match from E. Cutting and S. Cutting, 6-3, 5-6 and 6-3. The final will be played Saturday.

Thorpe Knocks Out Nelson.

Kansas City, Mo., March 26.—Harvey Thorpe of Kansas City knocked out Freddie Nelson of St. Louis in the third round of a 10-round bout here Friday night. The men are lightweight.

Western Union Game.

Western Union Plant base ball team will play Western Union Commercial at Miller park Sunday afternoon.

ROURKES MEET FIRST DEFEAT SCORE, 14 TO 2

Donica Gets Four Clean Hits And Makes Sensational Catch — Minneapolis Comes Next.

Oklmulgee, Okl., March 26.—(Special Telegram.)—Playing on a soggy field full of mudholes and with a Class A pitcher working against them, the Omaha team met its first defeat Friday to St. Louis Americans by a score of 14 to 2.

Donica was the star performer of the game, getting four clean hits out of four times up and making a sensational catch in the field. Kopp, Lingie, B. Lee and W. Weidell got the only other hits that the Omaha crowd was able to garner off of Burwell's delivery. The three errors made by the Rourke's game at critical times contributed to the high score. Kopp showed up fine in the box for three innings, but then weakened. Minneapolis, Jack Lelievre's former outfit, comes tomorrow for two games with the Rourke's.

ST. LOUIS		OMAHA	
AB	R	AB	R
Donica	4	Donica	4
Robinson	3	Robinson	3
Strong	1	Strong	1
Collins	0	Collins	0
Burwell	0	Burwell	0
Totals	45 14 19	Totals	14 2 19

By James Crusberrry. Macon, Ga., March 26.—(Special.)—Several American league managers expressed a suspicion this spring that the Detroit Tigers may be their toughest foe during the pennant race. After spending a day in the camp of those Tigers one knows the rival managers have good cause to be suspicious. Hughie Jennings seems to have the best baseball outfit he has had in ten years.

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Sudenberg and George Lamson To Fight Here

Kid Graves' Indian Heavyweight and Local Scrapper To Meet at Fort Omaha April 12.

George Lamson, Kid Graves' Indian heavyweight, and Johnny Sudenberg, local fighter, are scheduled to meet at Fort Omaha April 12 in a 10-round boxing bout, according to the announcement of Graves yesterday.

Athletic Sheepskins Given Boys of South High at Big Rally

Athletic certificates were given boys of the basket ball and foot ball teams of the South Side High school at a mass meeting Tuesday. The following received certificates for foot ball: Harold Ackerman, Ralph Bernard, Melvin Bakke, Fay Card, Charles Uvick, Dan Caldwell, Leo Fried, Thomas Ferris, John Graham, Lyle Hodgen, Joe Louis Shainholtz, Eugene Sullivan, Joe Swearingen.

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Ping Bodie Gets Tinware; Miller Huggins Peeved

Can Is Hung on Famous Outfielder When His "Personal Affairs Become More Important Than Business"—Ping Is on His Way to Gotham.

Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Limited Wire. Jacksonville, Fla., March 26.—Ping Bodie, hard hitting picturesque outfielder, has appeared for the last time in a Yankee uniform. Miller Huggins, manager of the club, announced Thursday night that he is through with Bodie and that the Californian will never play again on the New York club.

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CARPENTIER IN AN EXHIBITION MAKES FRIENDS

Display of Cleverness and Speed In Bout With Drexel Biddle Astounds Midwest Party Guests.

New York, March 26.—Georges Carpentier, champion European heavyweight boxer, gained a host of American admirers here early today by his display of speed and cleverness in an informal shirt sleeve sparring exhibition with Major Anthony J. Drexel Biddle of Philadelphia, before 1,000 guests at a dinner of the International Sporting club. It was the French boxer's first exhibition in this country.

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