Two Cage Games Scheduled for Valley Tonight

Kansas Plays Tigers, Washington Clashes With Cyclones Other Teams Idle This

Week.

Games This Week.

Kansas against Missouri at Columbia.

Friday and Saturday. Washington against
Iowa State at St. Louis, Friday and Saturday.

All eyes this week will be focused on Columbia, Mo., where the undefeated teams of the Kansas Jayhawkers and the Missouri Tigers

will battle, in what promises to be the most crucial game of the Valley season. Missouri won from the Oklahoma Sooners by comfortable margins in two games last week, while the Kansas Jayhawkers continued their winning streak by detinued their winning streak by de-feating the Grinnell Pioneers in two games, 35 to 20 and 31 to 17. Missouri has the edge in the contest. The Kansas team is inexpe-

rienced and according to informa-tion from Dr. F. C. Allen's camp, his men are not in the best of condition for the Missouri series. The histories of both teams show that on the one hand Missouri has had little trouble in defeating its ophad a battle in every game. Misable to amass two weeks ago. Whether the Kansas team will crack when they hit the great defensive team of the Tigers or whether the splendid guard work of the Kansas five will be kept up under the bar-rage of the Missouri forwards is the question that is baffling the followers of the court game.

The Washington Pikeway team will meet the Ames Aggies in a two-

game series today and tomorrow for the only other Valley games of the week. If the work of "Pinkey' Greene, sensational forward of the Ames team, continues, the series may prove disastrous to the Washington team. The Pikers defeated the Drake Bulldogs decisively in two split a series with the Kansas Aggies.
The teams, sport followers believe, will be fairly evenly matched when they meet this week.

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Oklahoma will take on Creighton university of Omaha tomorrow night and the Kansas Aggies have a twogame series scheduled with Phillips
university of Enid, Okl. Grinnell
will play Coe college at Cedar
Rapids tonight, and Cornell college
at Mount Vernon, Saturday. Nebraska and Drake will remain idle.

New York Basket **Five After Games**

Nationals Willing to Meet Nebraska Teams If Schedule Can Be Arranged.

The New York Nationals, one of

Jake Isaacson, member of the Douglas county post of the American Legion athletic committee, yesterday received word from the man-ager of the New York team asking for games in this state.

Louisville, Ky., where he was re-garded as the champion of high school pitchers. Last year he labored

New York Nationals in Omaha, In order to bring the Gotham basket- Des Moines Tigers eers to Nebraska it will be neces-sary to arrange a schedule of con-tests throughout the state for the easterners. Any team in the state wanting games with the Nationals manager of the New York Nationals basket ball team, New York National basket ball team, New York City, or to Jake Isaacson, Star Shoe Co., Omaha, Neb. The latter will forward the schedule to the Gotham manager when completed.

The New York Nationals played

Brandeis team and easily defeated the locals. The eastern five is ranked among the strongest teams in the country and recently lost to the Celtics, United States champi-The Nationals have won 15 out of 17 games played thus far this season. At the present time they are touring Ohio.

7,000 Attend Tendler and

tle last night between Lew Tendler and Willie Jackson, in which the former was given the newspaper deci"Battling

The gate receipts were \$30,123, it was announced. Of this amount Jackson received \$10,000, while Tendler's share was slightly more. Numerous vacant seats around the

Hornsby Signs Contract To Play With Cards Again

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 27.—Roger Hornsby, infielder and champion batsman of the National league, today signed a contract to play with the local National league club the coming season. Hornsby, whose batting average last year was .370, was the first Cardinal player to sign up for 1921. The New York Na-tionals recently offered \$200,000 and four players for Hornsby, but the offer was turned down.

"Yip" Owens Made Manager Of St. Joseph Base Ball Club

St. Joseph, Mo., Jan. 27.—Announcement is made by George K. Belden, president of the Minneapolis American association club and St. Joseph Western league base ball clubs, that Frank ("Yip")

Owens, veteran catcher of the Millers, has been appointed manager of the St. Joseph club.

of losing it at any stage of the game.

Bloomfield, 21; Wausa, 11.

Bloomfield, Neb. Jan. 27.—(Special.)—
The Bloomfield High school basket ball team won its fourth straight victory of the season when it met the Wausa High team at that place and took the long end of a 21 to 11 count. Wausa made but one field goal, getting nine points on free throws. Bloomfield tried out a new system of play, which accounts in a measure for the low score it rolled up. The team has not lost a game this season. The boys will play the Hartington team at that place tonight

Tallest Basket Ball Player in the Game



"Big Al" Clayton, the giant topoff man of the Buckeye Five. Ohio's champion basket ball aggregation. The Buckeye team went down to defeat in its attempt to wrest the championship from the Original Celtics, New York's great five. Clayponents while the Jayhawkers have ton, who stands six feet seven inches in his stocking feet, is, without a souri defeated Ames by a much doubt, the tallest basket ball player larger score than the Kansans were in the game when he electrified the New York fans by his brilliant playing against the Celtics.

Montreal Seeks Carpentier Bout

Dominion Promoters Confer With Rickard on . Location.

New York, Jan. 27.—The propos-al to hold the Dempsey-Carpentier world's heavyweight champion bout games last week, and the Cyclones in Montreal was discussed here todominion syndicate. Rickard said he had been request-

ed by the Canadians to consider their mission confidential and had not decided whether he would divulge he developments of the conference. William A. Brady, who with Charles B. Cochran, recently withdrew from the bout, said today he was prepared, whenever requested, to assign his interest and that of Cochran, to Rickard.

Monahan and King Sign Up With Sox For Another Season

nounced today that the signed contract of Peter Monahan, of Cincinthe strongest professional basket ball nati had been received. Monohan is teams in the country, will tour Ne-braska providing they can secure handed, and received his schooling in independent clubs of Cincinnati.

The signed contract of Stanley (Bud) King, a right-handed pitcher, was also received. King lives in for games in this state.

The local Legion quintet, Bowen Furniture and possibly the Omaha Athletic club squads will meet the with a semi-pro outfit and mowed

To Play Creighton

resterday afternoon by the athletic officials at Creighton university for a two-game series of basket ball con-tests between the Des Moines college Tigers and the Creighton quin-tet, for this city on Friday and Saturday nights, February 4 and 5. Coach Harry Bell's Des Moines Omaha five years ago against the college hoopsters recently defeated the Kansas Aggies when they staged a comeback in the second half,

End Schedule Meeting San Frandisco, Cal., Jan. 27,-The annual schedule meeting of the directors of the Pacific Coast Base Ball action being taken on the application of Tacoma business and other Willie Jackson Battle interests for a franchise in that city. Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 27.—A crowd The meeting began yesterday, at estimated at 7.000 witnessed the bat- which time Tacoma's petition was

"Battling" Levinsky in

Paris to Consult Specialist London, Jan. 27.—Battling Levin-sky, American pugilist, who recently injured his right arm while training for a bout with Bombardier arena nullified estimates that the Wells, has gone to Paris to consult a specialist.

HIGH SCHOL BASKETBALL

Central City, 9: Grand Island, 8.
Central City, Neb., Jan. 27.—(Special.)
—Central City High school basket ball
team defeated the Grand Island High
school squad in a hard-fought game here
by the score of 9 to 8.

Kimball, 64; North Platte, 17.

Kimball, Neb., Jan. 27.—(Special)—
The local high school basket ball team easily defeated the North Platte quintel here by the score of 54 to 17. The count at the end of the first half was 32 to 8 in favor of the locals. Kimball obtained an early lead and was never in danger of losing it at any stage of the game.

Three Contests Will Be Played Here Tonight

Commerce to Play South High -Benson Meets Plattsmouth And Auburn Mixes With Creighton High.

ch. Juburn High against Creighton High at Creighton. Central High against St. Joseph at St. oseph, Wayne Normal against Donne at Crete, Nebraska Wesleyan against Hastings at instings.

Kansus against Missouri at Columbia.

Benson High against Plattsmouth at
maha University.

Iowa State against Washington at St.

uls. Indiana against Purdue at Lafayette, All eyes tonight and Saturday will be focused on Columbia, Mo. where the undefeated teams of the Kansas Jayhawkers and the Tigers clash on the latter's floor and Creighton High meets Auburn at the Creighton gymnasium, while the Benson High tossers and Platts-mouth mix at the University of Omaha "gym."

The game between Commercial High and the Packers will be the tween the four high schools to de-Coach Drummond's squad is a big

favorite and with three of the star players on Coach Patton's South High team on the sidelines, the Bookkeepers shold easily win the Auburn and Creighton High will

play at Creighton gymnasium in a game which the locals should win without much trouble. Benson High and Plattsmouth are

cheduled for the University of Omaha gymnasium in what is expected to be a hard-fought affair. The two teams played several weeks

The two teams played several weeks ago, but the game was stopped after the first half because of poor light. The score at the half way mark was 7 to 5 in favor of Benson.

Plattsmouth defeated South High last Saturday night at Plattsmouth by the score of 30 to 29.

Central High and St. Joseph Central meet at St. Joseph tonight. The Missourians have a fairly strong team this season and it would not be surprising if they trounced the locals.

Dempsey Will Defend Title at Portland, Ore.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 27.-Frank E. who can be obtained as an opponent belonged to Jackson by far marby the boxing commission which is arranging the match. Jack Kearns confirmed the announcement.

There was not a round in which the boys did not stand toe to toe and the boys did not stand toe to toe and the boys did not stand toe to toe and the boys did not stand toe to toe and the boys did not stand toe to toe and the war and proceeded against Germany advised.

Chicago, Jan. 27.—Secretary Har-ry Grabiner of the White Sox, an-Must Be Developed to Beat Strangler Lewis

Chicago, Jan. 26.—Wrestlers, especially those contemplating a match with the heavyweight champion, "Strangler" Lewis, must develop a defense for the champion's who figured prominently in staging in the legislature. clamped on by the champion, and that the hold is no more dangerous in Walnut, Ia.

Eddie Mulligan Sold To Chicago White Sox

Salt Lake City, Jan. 27.—Infielder Eddie Mulligan of the Salt
Lake City club of the Pacific Coast
league has been sold to the City.

Grand Rapids, Ian 27. W. tors of the Pacific Coast Base Ball of the Salt Lake City club, who quickly came back and won his league ended yesterday without any made the announcement yesterday at match here last night from former San Francisco.

> With Mulligan in the Jineup the Chicago infield will be made up this year of three former Salt Lake City players—Sheely at first, Johnson at shortstop and Mulligan at third base.

Raw Sugar Quoted Today

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CONTESTANT'S NAME._____

Creighton Five Former Home Run King Plans Comeback



After all, J. Franklin Baker, home run king of the American league unil he was dethroned by Babe Ruth, playing third base for the New York Yankees. Baker's return to the game cide the city basket ball champion-ship. In the first contest Central defeated South High. will depend much upon the recovery of his 10-year-old daughter, who is suffering from a double attack of pneumonia. When interviewed by Yankee coaches recently Baker expressed his willingness to get into harness again. However, he said all would depend on the rocevery of his sick youngster.

Wins Decision Over Jackson

Philadelphia Southpaw Has Better of Lightweight Argument at Milwaukee Show.

Milwaukee, Jan. 27.—For 10 full rounds Wednesday Lew Tendler, the Philadelphia southpaw and Willie Jackson battled almost toe to toe in the Milwaukee auditorium and at the finish Tendler had the better of the argument. It was a real fight from the opening to the closing gong. Tendler showed the stamina and

smart thinking that has brought him to the front in rapid strides. He outfigured and outsped Jackson in at least seven of the 10 rounds and in Watkins, chairman of the Portland boxing commission, announced that an agreement had been reached whereby Jack Dempsey will defend his title here next April in a tenround decision against the best man happened to be the first and second,

resentatives of the boxing commis- solid left from a Tendler fist connected with Jackson's jaw and many a hard shot from Jackson found Tendler's chin.

Miss Morgan Trying To Stage Ring Show Similar to Last One

famous head lock, said Earl Cad- the "society prize fight" in New famous head lock, said Earl Caddock, who was defeated by Lewis in a match in New York last Monday night for the title, chiefly by application of the headlock. Caddock plication of the headlock. Caddock and saw Benny Leonard knock out said he felt none the worse for the punishment he received in his encounter with Lewis in the head locks she is also making efforts to stage a shall be recruited to attend she is also making efforts to stage a shall be permitted to attend, "society" prize fight in Boston. The profits of course, after the batthat the field is no hold wristlock.
than the toe or double wristlock.
He was on his way back to his farm to the relief of devastated France. the pet project of Miss Morgan. If Chicago is cold to the proposition, it may be staged across the Wisconsin, Indiana, or Michigan line where the laws are not so strict.

Title Against Mallas cludes three players from the Chicago club to be selected by the Salt
Lake City club prior to March 5,
according to H. W. Lane, president
of the Salt Lake City club, who
made the announcement yesterday at
San Francisco.

Tor the welterweight championship
of the world and after having his
shoulders pinned to to the mat with
a body scissors and chin hold in 47
minutes, Welterweight Champion
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mat Mulligan came to Salt Lake City Canton, O., by scoring two falls in 1919 from the Kansas City club. quick succession with reinforced too holds, the first in 16 minutes and the second in four minutes.

Over New York Boxer Kalamazoo, Mich., Jan. 27.-Cap. Bob Roper of Chicago won th newspaper decision over Bartley New York, Jan. 27.—Raw sugar Madden of New York in ten rounds was quoted at 4 cents a pound in the market here today, the lowest price Roper was the aggressor in the ecorded in more than two years, early rounds and gained one ad-This figure, including cost and freight, was due to renewed pres-well toward the end of the fight.

Takes Lead in Second Period Coyotes and Local Team Play Hard Game-Kearney, Lovely and Berry Stars of

Contest.

Coach Eddie Mulholland's Creigh ton university basket shooters raised hop Wednesday night with Coach J. W. Stewart's University of South Dakota indoor machine, threw theoretical monkey wrenches into the rogs and trimmed the Red and White athletes by the slore of 25 to 19, in one of the hardest fought games played at the local's gymnasium thus far this season.

At the end of the first half the score was, 12 to 11, and some 1,000 fans yelled themselves hoarse when Kearney made good a free throw on Goff's foul soon after the second

period rolled into play and tied th The University of South Dakota played a fast game during the initial half, but in the last half the speed of the local lads was marked. This coupled with some good passing and points garnered from under of the contest. However, the basket shooting of Kearney, Berry and Lovely cropped out as the features at this stage of the game.

Welch, Goff, Harlow and Rey-The floorwork of the former and the basket shooting of Harturing for the losers. Kearney, Lovely, Wise and Berry were the stars for the winners. Both teams play again tonight. The lineup: CREIGHTON.

Welch Stars for Visitors.

SOUTH DAKOTA.

White Sox Played to \$580,000 Crowd in Chicago Last Season

Grabiner, secretary of the White Sox, today told a council committee in private enemy property at the beginning of the war, but that England's ordinance which would tax receipts at professional base ball games 5

\$1,000,000.

Chicago, Jan. 27.—Anne Morgan, Chicago, Jan. 27.—Anne Morgan, are provided for in a bill introduced

A fine of \$1,000 for violation of

Airplane Race Will Be Held on Coast on Feb. 22

Los Angeles, Jan. 27.—An airplane race from Los Angeles to Sacramento, Cal., open to army, navy and civilian flyers, will be held February 22 under the auspices of the Aero club of southern California, it was announced today by George Harri-

Games During Training Trip New York, Jan. 27.—The spring raining schedule of the New York American league team, made public today, includes 30 exhibition games, 16 of which will be played with the Brooklyn Nationals.

Base Ball Chatter

Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Leased Wire, Chicago, Jan. 26.—Cy Perkins, Connie Mack's brilliant young catcher, is slated for outlaw base ball in 1921, according for outlow base ball in 1981, according to whisperings from Franklin, Pa. Promoters of the independent circuit claim Ferkins has already signed a contract. Four other major league stars are on the list.

Hugh Duffy is a pretty busy man. The ted Sox leader, who always has been a syorite with Hub fans, is getting dozens letters from nepiring youngsters who it a thorough tryest when the weather

to offer Walke Pipp and J. F. Baker for the services of Joe Griffith, however, says he won't c the offer although many of the Griffith, however, says he won't consider the offer although many of the experts are inclined to disagree with his judg-

Tris Speaker is reported to be after Fiscill, who played third base for the Tigors last year. Detroit sent him to Onkland and Speaker wants Pincil turned over in completion of the Louis Guisto Only 10 pitchers will be taken to Tampa, Fia., by Manager McBride of the Sen-ators this spring. They are Johnson, Shaw, Courtenay, Schacht, Erickson, Accesta, Zachary, Mogridge, Conway and

Contracts will be sent to all Brooklyn National league players before Pebruary I. except Infleiders James Caten and Charles Ward, the club management announces. Caten and Ward asked to be placed on the "volunteer retired list." by cause of illness. They will report for duty when physically fit.

He Likes This New "Photographic Buzz"

"I like the buzz of the Busy Bee. That's buzzing now photographically."

A. S. Workman of Glenwood, Ia., thus expresses in rhyme his appreciation of The Bee's contest for amateur photographers.

"Keep on buzzing," he urges.

"Will sure send some prints for your contest." The writer is hopeful the con-

test will result in agitation for a Camera club for Omaha and Inquiries indicate some of the

amateurs are doubtful regarding the number of pictures they may enter in the contest. There is no limit on the number.

Germans Release Property of U.S. **Taken During War**

Final Settlement in Owners. However, Impossible Due to Failure of America to Ratify Peace Pact.

Berlin, Jan. 27 .- American properthe basket, was largely responsible ty in Germany which was taken un-for the one-sided score in the final der control by the German custodian of enemy property after the United States entered the war, has been unconditionally released, said Dr. Haniel von Haimhausen, undersecretary Welch, Goff, Harlow and Reynolds played a good game for the visitors. The floorwork of the forhowever, has been impossible owing low from the free throw line fea-treaty, which stipulated that such settlements should be made through an international clearing house,

> carried out until the United States ratifies the treaty or a new pact i negotiated. In cases where American factories were placed under German control, the undersecretary said, their staffs 10 were permitted to remain. Out of 186 of such factories and corpora tions taken over by the custodian Germany received only 26,000,000 marks out of their administration.

added, and this operation cannot be

To Advance Funds. The German custodian of Amer ican funds has been instructed to provide Americans with whose interest he was entrusted with funds for their maintenance, pending ulti-

pany, the vice president of which, he said, had recently thanked the German foreign office personally for the "efficient and generous manner in which the custodian had protected Chicago, Jan. 27.—Paid admission the 77 games played at home by the Chicago American league care with which American property the company's German interests durcare with which American property base ball club last year totaled be- was safely guarded. Dr. Haniel von tween \$480,000 and \$580,000, Harry Haimhausen said the British government was opposed to the seizure of

The announcement followed a sock with all the force they could conference between Kearns and rep-put behind their punches. Many a received no returns or dividends on received no returns or dividends no received their investment of approximately measures to the same degree adopted by United States officials. The 12-Year-Old Bandit Who Has Club representatives said that the undersecretary declared he had sucproposed tax would result in an in-crease in the price of tickets. cessfully opposed demands from the German military command that German military command that 15-Round Bouts Planned was given that of other belligerents, bandit, who has successfully held up ditions, little interruption from In Pennsylvania Law neither sold nor transferred, he said, and there was no forced liquidations of American holdings. Where there night and snatched her purse, She duced purchases due to mild weathcurred only with a view to protect-ing American holdings, which can be transferred back to American control Bank Robber Suspects Are at any time, he said. He added that there were only a few instances of such temporary transfers. No stocks nor bonds were put up for forced sales, but were merely listed for the purpose of control and were permited to remain in German banks.

J. Milder Critically Ill J. Milder, 2860 Capitol avenue, is critically ill at his home.

Pastor Who Married Dupont, Divorced Man, Violated Church Law

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 27.—It was decided last night that Rev. Baker P. Lee, former rector of Christs church, will be placed on trial before Better Tone to General Situa-12 of his people in the Episcopal church, charged with the violation of an ecclesiastical canon in performing a marriage ceremony for Alfred I. Dupont, multi-millionaire powder magnate and a divorced man, and Miss Jessie D. Ball in

this city last Saturday. The maximum penalty in the case if he is found guilty is deposition from the Episcopal ministry. The trial, if held, will be the first of its kind in the history of the church in

At the afternoon session of the 26th annual convention of the diocese of Los Angeles a resolution was adopted assuring Bishop Johnson the support of that body if he should see fit to call Rev. Mr. Lee to ac-count for the violation of church

U. S. Mint Contractor to

Philadelphia, Jan. 27.—Construc-tion of China's first national mint will begin at Shanghai soon under the direction of Chifford Hewett of this city, a mint expert, it was anounced here today.

His services were loaned to Chin by the United States. The product currency to replace the present cir culation medium which varies with the locality. The mint will be finished in two years at a cost of about \$2,000,000. Its capacity will be 500,-000 silver dollars a day. Hewett has been in the service of the gov-ernment for 25 years and built the mints in Denver and Philadelphia.

Japanese Opposition Against Disarmament

Tokio, Jan. 27.—A majority of the members of the opposition party are opposed to a proposal of Y Ozaki, a member, that a measure be introduced in the Diet calling upon Japan to approach other world powers relative to restriction of armaments, said the conservative organ, Jiji Shimpo, because they regard it as idealistic and impracticable.

The existing international situa-The undersecretary cited the case tion, in the opinion of this news-of the International Harvester comnent peace difficult, it being pointed out that America's refusal to join the league of nations makes this fact quite evident.

Arizona Mining Man Dies When Automobile Turns Over

San Bernardino, Cal., Jan. 27 .-Bert Lunceford, a mining man well known in Arizona, was instantly Used U. S. Methods.

When the United States entered

and another passenger were uninjured. Lunceford was formerly mill sulted in a material decrease in production in Kansas and Oklahoma, the report save. The decrease in production in Kansas and Oklahoma, the report save. mine at Oatman and a large owner

Terrorized Chicago, Caught Chicago, Jan. 27.-With the cap-American property in Germany be ture of Roy Fitzhenry, 12, police be-subjected to the same treatment as lieve today the activities of a child American patents and licenses were several women within the past few strikes and better transportation fawere temporary transfers they oc- caught the boy and turned him over

Taken When Auto Turns Over Texarkana, Ark., Jan. 27.-Henry Alverd and Henry Pruitt are in jail here, charged with robbery of the Exchange bank at Nash, five miles This was the largest month's failfrom here. The men were captured within an hour of the robbery when ported. a stolen automobile in which they were attempting their escape turned over near town.

Reserve Bank's Monthly Report **Shows Optimism**

tion Appears, Although Conditions Are Still Stagnant.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 27.-An-though improvement in financial, industrial and commercial conditions in he tenth federal reserve district with the coming of the new year has not been as great as desired, there appears to be a better tone to the general situation, according to the monthly review of the Kansas City federal reserve bank.

Evidences of a trend toward speedier and more satisfactory liquidation of bank loans brought slight relaxation in the financial strain, the re view said. December statements from 83 member banks of the district showed smaller loans than for any month of 1920. Clearing house reports from seven principal cities in the district indicate an increase in Build One at Shanghai the district indicate an increase in the volume of business week by week since Christmas.

Weather Aids Farmers.

The winter thus far is reported a generally favorable to outdoor farm work and in some sections spring plowing is progressing. Moisture was reported insufficient in many sections, particularly on the western great plains and in some Rocky mountain sections grain was reported ed suffering. Wheat is reported as having a fine green color and in excellent condition.

A better demand for wheat and more liberal shipments were the out-standing features of the opening standing features of the opening week of the new year at the grain centers, the report says. Receipts of wheat for the first 15 days of January were reported 20 per cent larger than for the same period last year. Corn receipts were reported about 30 per cent larger, while receipts of oats fell off about 20 per cent

Live stock conditions throughout the district are generally good, the report says, due to the mild winter and an abundance of feed.

Some Hog Cholera, There is little disease reported with the exception of a few cases of hog cholera in spots. Movement of live stock to the principal markets of the district continues light, as to cattle and calves, the report says, although there is a fairly good supply of hogs. Receipts of cattle for December were reported 49.3 per

cent less than in November and 49 per cent less than in December 1919. There was an nicrease of 3 per cent in hog receipts in December, as compared with November, but a falling off of 35.4 per cent from December, 1919, was re-ported. Sheep receipts for December were reported 45 per cent under those of the corresponding month

the previous year.
Reductions of 30 to 50 per cent in purchases of crude oil by refiners within the past 30 days, together the report says. The decrease in production, it continues, indicates the output of wells in Kansas and Oklahoma will fall below 11,000,000 barrels for the first time in more

than a year.

86 Failures Reported, Production of soft coal in the district was reported fairly active because of improved operating con-

Building activities are better than anticipated, in view of the slump which started last mid-summer and continued through the year, accord-

ing to the review.

A total of 86 business failures were reported during December in the Tenth Federal Reserve district with total liabilities of \$4,748,558. ures during the year, the bank re-

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