

Western League Magnates Adopt 168-Game Chart

Season Will Open on April 13 And Close on September 27 -Rourke Elected Honorary.

Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 14.—(Special Telegram.)—Western league club owners in session here today at their annual schedule meeting, adopted a schedule of 168 games, the season opening on April 13 and closing on September 27.

The playing chart adopted was one arranged and submitted by John Holland, president of the Oklahoma City club, who with Frank Isbell of Wichita, constituted the schedule committee. A few changes in dates were made by the magnates, however, before the schedule was adopted.

Each club will make four trips around the circuit, playing a three-game series every stop. The club owners also decided that they were opposed to the draft. President A. R. Tearney succeeded in convincing those who favored the draft that they were wrong.

W. A. Rourke, E. J. Hanlon, who recently sold the Omaha and St. Joseph franchises, respectively, were elected honorary members of the league.

James Crawford, president of the Tulsa club, stated that he was not yet ready to name a playing manager or to succeed Spencer A. Abbott, who recently signed with Memphis in the Southern Association. He stated, however, that he had about decided to name Jimmy Burke, an outfielder with the Oilers the last two seasons. He said Burke's choice would be a popular one with his fans and that he had faith in Burke's ability to make good.

It was reported that Jimmy Austin of the St. Louis Browns and Mueller of Des Moines were being considered for the position.

Ted Neale Lands in 8th Place at I. B. A.

Omaha Bowler Amog Leaders In Singles With Score Of 647.

St. Paul, Feb. 14.—(Special Telegram.)—Omaha bowlers rolling in Sunday's events in the I. B. A. tournament collected some neat pin totals, but with a wholesale slaughter of the maples being carried on by other invading cracks, the Nebraska placed but one plan among the leaders. T. Neale landed in the singles, by totalling 647 in the 10:45 a. m. shift, but was pushed down to eighth place when C. Kadd of Toledo hit 832 in the next event. Neale had game scores of 247, 204 and 196 in making his aggregate.

G. Toman and Olson of Omaha went over the 600 mark in the singles with 616 and 611 respectively, but 600 scores meant little in the present tournament.

D. Devito and F. Luby went into first place in the doubles with 1,303, the former shooting 700. W. Heerman also of the windy city went into the lead in the singles with 675.

Charles Ashby of Sioux City, Ia., making 653, rolled into sixth place in the singles in today's play of the international bowling association's tournament.

The Valdona Drug company of Chicago went into fourth place in the five men on the last shift tonight 2,873. A. H. Arnold & Brothers, Chicago, were fifth, with 2,864.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Score. Includes T. Neale, G. Toman, Olson, etc.

Jackson May Have to Pay Income Tax on His "Gift" From Gamblers

Greenville, S. C., Feb. 14.—Joe Jackson, former Chicago White Sox outfielder, may have to pay upwards of \$1,200 income tax and penalty on the \$5,000 he is said to have received during the world series of 1919, according to a statement today by Attorney James H. Price, who has been retained as counsel by Jackson. Efforts were started by Treasury department officials to collect income tax on the \$5,000 shortly after Jackson's confession, Mr. Price said. Jackson claims the money was received as a gift. It is expected a decision will be given soon by treasury officials.

Important Boxing Bouts This Week

Tuesday, Billy De Fox against Sammy Sieger (16), at New York. Wednesday, Fred Fulton against Bob Gardner (10), at New York. Thursday, Jimmy Solly against Al Norton (12), at New York. Friday, Bill Brennan against Bob Martin (15), at New York. Saturday, Happy Smith against Sammy Berne (12), at New York. Frankie Jerome against Dave Astley (12), at Freeport.

Stella, Neb., Feb. 14.—(Special.)—The Stella town basketball team lost to the Humboldt town quintet here by the score of 24 to 48. The game was one of the hardest-fought contests that has been played here thus far this season.

Champions of Basket Ball World



The Original Celtics of New York claim the basket ball championship of the United States by reason of their record for the past two seasons. In that time they won 85 games, and lost only four. The Celtics are the highest paid aggregation of stars in the game. Front row, left to right: Furey, Reich, Beckman, T. Furey, manager. Back row, left to right: Whitty, Dehnert, Couland, Trippe, Barry and Smolick.

Boxing may be legalized in Nebraska before many months roll around. The sport is legalized in Wisconsin, New York, Minnesota and other states.

The person and persons who are against the Legion boxing bill are against it because of the foregoing paragraphs and not because the measure will ruin the boxing and wrestling game in Nebraska. Boxing is a clean sport and can be kept that way in this state if the Legion bill becomes a law, but not if the several promoters are allowed to have a hand in the operation of the sport in Nebraska.

HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL

Geneva, Neb., Feb. 14.—(Special.)—In a hard-fought basketball game played here the local high school quintet defeated the Creste team by the score of 23 to 17. Captain Buehner of the winners was the star of the game, scored for Creste played well.

Newman Grove, Neb., Feb. 14.—(Special.)—The local high school basketball team easily defeated the Schuyler team here by the score of 22 to 18. Babcock was the main point collector for Schuyler, while three scoring for the locals was evenly distributed.

Bloomfield, Neb., Feb. 14.—(Special.)—The Bloomfield high school basketball quintet defeated the Creste team here by the score of 22 to 18. The game was close and interesting throughout. Anderson made six field goals and two free throws. Bickmore and Johnson starred for the winners. The teamwork of the visitors was good throughout the game.

Pierce, Neb., Feb. 14.—(Special.)—The local high school basketball team easily defeated the Creighton (Neb.) high school quintet here by the score of 34 to 12.

Ravenna, Neb., Feb. 14.—(Special.)—The Ravenna high school basketball team defeated the local squad here by the score of 24 to 18. During the game Stevenson, forward on the Aurora quintet, was crowded against a wall by an opposing player, receiving a broken arm.

Bancroft Girls, 34; Brownell Hall Girls, 18. Bancroft, Neb., Feb. 14.—(Special.)—The local high school girls' team of basketball here by the score of 24 to 18 in a hard-fought and fast contest.

Ainsworth, Neb., Feb. 14.—(Special.)—Ainsworth high school basketball team defeated Gordon High here by the score of 20 to 18. At the end of the first half Gordon led by the score of 9 to 2, but Ainsworth staged a comeback during the final minutes of the contest and won the game.

Stella High Breaks Even. Stella, Neb., Feb. 14.—(Special.)—The local high school basketball team broke even in a series of four games, by winning from the Otis and Johnson high school quintets and by losing to the Humboldt and Talmage squads.

Freemont, Neb., Feb. 14.—(Special.)—Freemont high school basketball team met and defeated the McCook quintet here by the score of 42 to 14.

Tilden, Neb., Feb. 14.—(Special.)—Tilden high school basketball team defeated the McCook quintet here by the score of 42 to 14.

Indicted Sox Petition State For Particulars

Attorney for Four Indicted Chicago Players Anxious to Know What Illinois Has Against Players.

Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Leased Wire. Chicago, Feb. 14.—The first move in the defense of the White Sox players indicted for alleged conspiracy in the world's series against the Reds in 1919, was made Sunday. Thomas D. Nash, attorney for four of the indicted diamond stars, served notice on State's Attorney Crowe that he (Nash) would appear before Judge William Dever Monday or Tuesday, and petition the state to furnish the defense a bill of particulars.

Another indication of defense planned for the players came in the form of affidavits by Joe Jackson and Claude Williams, two of the three players alleged to have confessed before the grand jury. These affidavits accompanied the notice of petition by Attorney Nash, and were taken to mean that the two players will repudiate their previous testimony. It is said that Cicotte will appear in a similar manner.

Attorney Benedict Short, who has been retained to defend Williams and Jackson, said that his position in the case would depend entirely upon the bill of particulars furnished by the state. Short admitted there was a possibility of his clients not taking the witness stand.

Lewis Nelson Elected President of Central Whist Association

Lewis Nelson of Omaha was elected president of the Central Whist association at the final meeting of the organization's conference held late Saturday night at the Fontaine hotel. Dr. Paul H. Ellis, also of this city, was vice president. Senator Thomas J. Lyssaght of St. Joseph, Mo., was chosen secretary-treasurer.

The next annual meeting of the Whistlers will be held at St. Joseph. The 27th annual tournament of the association, which closed early Sunday morning, was the most successful tournament the organization has ever staged, according to President Ellis.

Minneapolis won first place in the team play for the Richards trophy, with Omaha a close second and St. Joseph and Sioux City tied for third place.

Tommy Murphy Will Be Back in Sulky

Cleveland, O., Feb. 12.—Tommy Murphy, the Poughkeepsie reinsman, who has had the leading money and race winning stable of the Grand circuit 10 of the past 11 years, will be back next summer with another star stable, despite several accidents and an attack of appendicitis which handicapped him in 1920.

Murphy has eight trotters and eight pacers with race records, not including 2-year-olds, 3-year-olds and "green" horses. Peter Manning (202 1-2) champion trotter of 1920, is the star of the stable. He is considered by many critics to be a two-minute trotter whenever Murphy deems fit to set him after the mark.

Says "BUGS" Baer

ONE feature of Gink Fowler's career was that he was always thinking. He was always busy digging mental tunnels like a mole. Often he would take off 10 seconds during a tough scuffle and spend the time on the Persian rug figuring ways and means. It was during the fight with the man with the poisoned gloves that Gink set the world's record for using the old thought vat.

Old Poison was donating Gink a fat thumping. The air was full of twin fives. Gink left the ring during the fifth and sixth rounds, borrowed a nickel and gave Poison an awful bawling out over the telephone.

He got back in time to start the sixth and Poison took up the thread of the Queensbury narrative at the point where he had been interrupted by the phone call. But the audience could see that there was something on Poison's mind besides larceny. He was worried. Gink fought his usual modest fight, keeping his face glidden as much in a background of liveness as possible.

18 Straight Rights. Gink was unusually shy and retiring. Whenever he had a championship fight on he would seek to prevent publicity by riding up to the arena on a camel. He trained in out-of-the-way places like Fifth avenue at high noon. And he always wore a red and green sweater so that he would blend with the scenery.

In the eighteenth round Poison slapped Gink with eighteen straight rights. It was one punch for each round like candles on a birthday cake. Gink figured that there would be a spell of unsettled weather for him about the seventy-seventh round and took ten seconds off without pay to think it over. He never wasted his time on the canvas and instructed his seconds to always have the floor lined with good books.

His favorite books were "Alice in Wonderland," "Who's Who?" and "Swat's Swat." But this time he had the book entitled, "What to Do Until the Doctor Arrives." He found that his opponent has his gloves poisoned with alcohol. During each round, Poison would dip his gauntlets into a bucket and then proceed to set up the drinks for Gink.

On the eleventh page of his new book, Gink discovered the antidote for alcohol poisoning. After that swat on the nose, Gink would stop the fight and page a bromo seltzer. Poison then switched his methods and installed a malaria germ in each glove. Gink got the chills and fever in the fortieth round, looked into the book, and called for quinine.

Battle of Wits. Poison then started using salt water on his mittens and had Gink seasick in the fiftieth. Gink cured this malady in the usual way and came back stronger than the landlord's second demand for the rent. As an extra inducement Poison dipped his hands in vanilla extract, not knowing that Gink's favorite soft drink was glucose. It was a battle of wits.

In the ninety-eighth round the Man with the Poisoned gloves defeated himself. He dipped one glove in morphine and the other in a pot of black coffee. He didn't know that these were counter-irritants. The morphine would stop Gink to sleep, but the black coffee would wake him up. That decided the battle. They slugged away for three hundred rounds until the Man with the Poisoned Gloves dropped from exhaustion.

That battle will clutter down in history so long as there is a poet left to sing the Saga of the Mighty and an audience left in Mattawan to listen.

Norman Ross Splashes To Another Victory

Detroit, Feb. 14.—Norman Ross, Illinois Athletic club, Chicago, easily won the 440-yard free style swim for men in the Central A. A. U. championship here Sunday. His time was 5:20 3-5. Ross holds the title in the event with a mark of 5:05.

Dodgers to Start Spring Training Early in March

New York, Feb. 14.—The Brooklyn National league champions will assemble at New Orleans, March 7 for their spring training with a squad of 31 players, it was announced today.

Estimated Wichita Citizen Says He Can Walk Three Or Four Miles Without Tiring Since He Took Tanlac

"I am now 77 years of age, and couldn't walk a block without giving out, but this Tanlac has fixed me up in such fine shape I can walk three and four miles without tiring," was the remarkable statement made recently by R. M. Pierce, a retired farmer living at 1112 West First St., Wichita, Kan.

"I wasn't able to hit a lick of work," he said, "and it looked like I never would be any account any more. The flu is what knocked me out and I didn't think I could ever get over the effects of it. I couldn't half sleep and many a time stayed awake till 2 and 3 o'clock in the morning. My appetite was mighty near gone and nothing I ate tasted right. I ached all over sometimes and was so weak it was all I could do to drag around."

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