

Up-to-Date News and Gossip of Interest to Sport Fans

Trim Kearney Normal Quintet By 28-14 Score

Short Passing Game of Omaha University Basketeers Spells Defeat for Out-State Five.

Playing a good short passing game and combining this with close guarding, Omaha university's basket ball quintet Monday added another victory to its list when it defeated the Kearney Normal in a hard-fought game by the score of 28 to 14.

With the exception of a few minutes during the early part of the second half, the Maroons outplayed the visitors in guarding and passing. The speed of Coach Adams' players and their ability to hit the rings spelled defeat for Kearney.

The losers tried hard from start to finish to forge ahead of their lanky opponents, but their passing was not the kind that wins games on the Omaha university court. Kearney displayed good teamwork by streaks during the initial period, which ended, 16 to 5.

Kearney Scores Goals.
At the start of the second half the visitors attempted to stage a comeback but were traveling at a fast clip when the Maroons uncocked a clever bit of teamwork and forged ahead by a good margin.

Omaha

Player	Pts.	Reb.	St.
M. Pressly, lf.	12	1	1
Davis, rf.	10	1	1
Reeves, c.	4	1	1
Stromburg, lg.	2	1	1
Banner, lb.	1	1	1
Thompson, fg.	1	1	1
P. Pressly, rf.	1	1	1
Gilfray, lb.	1	1	1
Total	28	8	8

Kearney

Player	Pts.	Reb.	St.
Clinte, rf.	4	1	1
Goran, lf. (6)	10	1	1
Ross, c.	8	1	1
Namper, fg.	1	1	1
Calhoun, lg.	1	1	1
Total	25	5	5

Grand Island Bowlers Defeat Lincoln Team

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Player	Pts.	Reb.	St.
Pepper	172	167	290
Rosen	174	175	122
Fillmore	207	178	151
Page	191	197	182
Nielsen	174	24	218
Total	818	597	963

Lincoln

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Player	Pts.	Reb.	St.
Castfield	196	167	154
Wood	192	159	171
McCay	159	168	131
Talagan	199	182	261
Burkard	199	182	261
Total	844	844	817

Blattsmouth, 35; Geneva, 18

The Blattsmouth High school basketball team defeated the Geneva High school team by the score of 35 to 18.

Bloomfield, 14; Creighton High, 12

The Bloomfield High school basketball team defeated the Creighton High school team by the score of 14 to 12.

Benny Kauff Must Face Judge Before Starting Practice

New York, Feb. 22.—Benny Kauff, New York National League outfielder, indicted a year ago in connection with the theft of an automobile, will be unable to accompany the other Giants departing Thursday for their southern training camp as it was ruled today that he must stand trial late this month or early in March.

Bookkeepers Win City Cage Title

Commerce High Defeats Central in Annual Game by Score of 31 to 13.

Commerce High won the city basket ball championship yesterday at the City Auditorium when it defeated the Central High school quintet in a fast game by the score of 31 to 13. The score at the end of the first half was 19 to 4.

Commerce—31

Player	Pts.	Reb.	St.
Camero	10	1	1
Krebs, rf.	10	1	1
Mahoney	5	1	1
Shane	5	1	1
Rohlfing	1	1	1
Killie	1	1	1
Shoemaker	1	1	1
Krause, rf.	1	1	1
Total	31	8	8

Central—13

Player	Pts.	Reb.	St.
Clements, rf.	1	1	1
Kerr	1	1	1
Beekle	1	1	1
Good	1	1	1
Coroman	1	1	1
Bunnell	1	1	1
Total	13	5	5

Tilden Returns Home From Davis Cup Play

Philadelphia, Feb. 22.—W. T. Tilden, world's champion tennis player, returned home Monday from his victorious trip as a member of the American Davis cup team to Australia.

Base Ball Chatter

Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Leased Wire. Chicago, Ill., Feb. 22.—Jake Daubert, the Reds' first baseman, has a chance to become a manager. The Minersville (Pa.) club wants Jake to act as pilot this coming season, but it is hardly likely the major league star will even consider the offer.

Adam Krieger Beats Kallio in Straight Falls

Lincoln, Feb. 22.—Adam Krieger of Lincoln defeated Gus Kallio of Norfolk, Neb., in their wrestling match here Monday night, winning in straight falls, the first in an hour and 28 minutes, the second in 31 minutes.

Burman to Meet Moore

Toledo, O., Feb. 22.—Joe Burman and Roy Moore of Chicago, bantamweights, will box 12 rounds, no decision, here the night of March 1, it was announced today.

THOUGHT CYCLONE WAS TO COOL THE SOUP.

Out in that suburb of culture and fine arts, they thought that a cyclone was used only for cooling off hot soup. When a bride got married they would give her a police whistle for a wedding present. The mayor was defeated for a second term because he got a broken nose in the next town and the board of trade impeached him on the charge of vio-

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Riley Wins First Match in Cue Meet

Omahan Defeats Cedar Rapids Billiard Player in Inter-State Tourney.

In the first block of the Inter-State Pocket Billiard tournament being played between Nebraska and Iowa green cloth marksmen, Frank Riley of Omaha defeated Horshel Beach of Cedar Rapids, by the score of 125 to 33. The match was played Monday afternoon at the De Luxe billiard parlors.

During the evening's match, Walter Wilson of Des Moines won over Harry Shepard, 125 to 75, in an interesting game.

Coach Yost Suggests New Rule Regarding Fumble in Grid Game

New York, Feb. 22.—Fielding Yost, University of Michigan's veteran coach, in a letter to Michigan alumni, made public here Monday, suggests a change in foot ball rule whereby a fumbled ball becomes dead where it is recovered.

Two More Fighters Join Kearns' Stable

Portland, Ore., Feb. 22.—Valley Trambitas, whose fighting name is Jimmy Darcy, and his brother, Alex Trambitas, boxers known in many Pacific coast towns, will leave here today for New York to go under the management of Jack Kearns, they announced today.

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THEY GOT TIME OFF FOR GOOD BEHAVIOR.

It was in the refining atmosphere that Gink got the foundation for his future chivalry and gallantry. It was this gentle education that laid the foundation for Gink's future success and enabled him to win that terrific battle with the Man With the Poisoned Gloves. Gink's ancestors were gentlemen and always got time off for good behavior. It was this Viking strain that enabled Gink to beat McGurk and his cowardly mass punch. McGurk spent many years finding out Gink's weak spot and the mass punch was the answer. It was a blow delivered on the top of the skull and usually knocked the victim for a three-cushion carom.

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First Contingent Of St. Louis Cards Arrives for Training

Orange, Tex., Feb. 22.—The first contingent of the St. Louis Cardinal base ball club, comprising eight players, was greeted by the warmest of weather on the first day of spring training here.

"Bunny" Holland to Manage Gun Team

"Bunny" Guy Holland, well-known in local amateur base ball circles, yesterday consented to manage the Townsend Gun company base ball team in the City, Class A league this season, according to H. H. McDuff, president of the gun company.

Postpone Automobile Races at Los Angeles

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 22.—Rain here Monday caused a postponement until next Sunday, February 27, of the national championship races, scheduled for the Los Angeles speedway today.

Hawkeyes Beat Indians

Iowa City, Ia., Feb. 22.—Iowa university pushed Indiana out of a tie with Illinois for first place honors here Monday night when the Hawkeye basket ball five defeated the latter, 22 to 15.

Basket Ball Star Of Nebraska Uni, Operation Victim

Lincoln, Feb. 22.—Amil Dobesh of Ansley, Neb., Cornhusker basket ball star who was stricken with appendicitis a week ago, died at 11:30 today. Dobesh underwent an operation a week ago and was apparently improving rapidly, when complications set in last Saturday.

Charles Hanson in Win Over Cutler

Sioux Falls, S. D., Feb. 21.—Charles Hanson, Omaha wrestler and a pupil of Farmer Burns, won from Charles Cutler, former heavyweight champion of the world, here tonight. Hanson won the first fall in 48 minutes with a double wrist-lock and the last in 16 minutes with a head lock. Cutler obtained his fall in 30 seconds with a flying mare.

Michigan Grid Team Not to Play California in 1921

Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 22.—Definite announcement that there would be no foot ball game this year between California and Michigan came today, along with completion of the Michigan schedule.

St. Joseph Base Ball Club Gets 3 From Minneapolis

Minneapolis, Feb. 22.—Ed Hovlik and Charles Humphreys, pitchers, and Charles Jackson, outfielder, have been released by the Minneapolis American association base ball club to St. Joseph of the Western league.

Omaha "Y" Will Not Enter Valley Meet

N. J. Weston, physical director of the Y. M. C. A., announced last night that the "Y" will not be represented at the Missouri Valley indoor track meet and athletic meet to be held at Kansas City Friday and Saturday night. The local men are not in shape for the meet, although they have been in training for several weeks.

Richard Angling for Bout Between Benny And Rocky Kansas

Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Leased Wire. New York, Feb. 22.—Tex Rickard announced Monday that he was trying to arrange a match between Benny Leonard, the lightweight champion, and Rocky Kansas, for March 17, at Madison Square Garden. This was the date originally set for the proposed Dempsey-Willard bout. Kansas gave the promoters a genuine surprise in Buffalo the other night by knocking out Ritchie Mitchell in the first round with a well directed slam on the chin, which probably drove Mitchell out of a chance for some fat purses.

Penny Wrestler Found to Have Splintered Vertebrae

Philadelphia, Feb. 22.—F. C. Strife, who wrestles in the University of Pennsylvania 175-pound class, has a splintered vertebrae and will be lost to the team for the remainder of the season. He received the injury in a meet with the Navy.

Kenel Club Members

Members of the Omaha Kennel club can obtain their membership cards by sending a check for \$3 to Secretary W. H. Harrison at 560 Saunders-Kennedy building.

Winconsin, 42; Ohio, 25

Columbus, O., Feb. 22.—Wisconsin defeated Ohio State in a Western conference basket ball game here Monday night, 42 to 23.

Chess Champ Wins Over Twenty Boys

Howard Ohman, 21, Nebraska and Iowa chess champion, defeated 20 Central High school youths in a simultaneous chess game in three hours yesterday in the auditorium of the Y. M. C. A.

Introduce Boxing Bill In Arkansas Senate

Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 22.—A bill to legalize boxing, sparing and wrestling matches in Arkansas was introduced in the senate Monday.

Knights Win Game

The Ak-Sar-Ben Knights defeated the Miller Athletic club second team basket ball, 13-4 on the Miller Park floor last night. Baldwin Anderson starting for the losers and Monahan and Morre for the winners.

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