North Platte Snows Lincoln High Under 27 to 6 Score---Wins State Title

Line Attack Of Northerners Features Game

Coach Keith Neville's Gridsters Start With Rush and Pile Up Safe Lead Before Link Count.

North Platte, Neb., Nov. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—Lincoln High school went down to defeat here this afternoon, 27 to 6, in the state championship contest which decided that the 1921 interscholastic honors will remain in the west this year.

North Platte won by outplaying Lincoln during the entire game. Following a scoreless first period, Locke, the star of the local aggregation, broke loose for a series of end runs and sensational forward passing which counted four touchdowns. Lincoln scored in the closing minutes of play when Brown received a forward pass from Krieg and dashed across the goal line for Lincoln's only touchdown. Thomas missed goal. North Platte scored its first touchdown as a result of a drive up the field which ended a 60-yard procession of gains and counted first blood in the bitterly fought struggle.

Locke Scores.

Locke carried the ball across and Shaner kicked goal. The score at the end of the first half was 7 to 0 in favor of North Platte.

Locke scored at the opening of the third quarter when he recled off a 60-yard run for touchdown. Shaner again kicked goal. Before the period was over, Locke had again carried the ball across but this time the North Platte halfback fumbled, Healey, however, recovering the ball.

Shaner missed goal. In the fourth period Bunnell carried the ball across for a touchdown and Shaner kicked goal. Lincoln scored its touchdown in the last two minutes of the final quarter when Brown received a forward pass from Krieg and raced across the North Platte goal.

Captain Thomas of the Lincoln team missed the goal kick and the final count stood 27 to 6, giving the state title to North Platte.

The playing of Locke and Shaner of the North Platte backfield featured. Locke did most of his work around the Lincoln ends, while Shaner squirmed through the line for consistent yardage.

In the line, Overman, Yost and Healey did well. Overman got away with some good parts in the first quarter until Locke took over the kicking work. Yost aided in halting the Lincoln drives through the line.

Thomas and Krieg Star.

Thomas and Krieg were the main ground gainers for Lincoln. The Capital City captain caused the locals considerable worry in the first half, while in the final quarter Krieg was on the throwing end of the forward passes which counted Lincoln's touchdown. In the line, Hutchinson and Harper showed up to good advantage. The Lincoln center proved a hard man to contend with. The Rotary club of North Platte welcomed the Lincoln team at the station last night. The Elks club entertained the boys in the evening and the Kiwanis club were hosts to the Red and Black squad at a breakfast in honor of the visitors this morning.

Tonight the two teams are being entertained at the Keith theater. The Rotarians and Kiwanians attended the game in a body. The crowd which witnessed the game numbered 4,000, and was the largest in the annals of North Platte foot ball, large delegations from neighboring towns journeyed to the Lincoln county seat to witness the contest.

The lineup:

North Platte	Pos.	Lincoln
Shaner	Q.	Lewis
Locke	L.	Krieg
Stroup	F.	Thomas
R. Simon	R.	Brown
Overman	R.	Gardner
Yost	R.	Gilmore
Palmer	R.	Harper
U. Simon	C.	Hutchinson
Wingel	L.	Durham
Bunnell	L.	Drummond
Healey (C)	L.	Morrison

Score by quarters:

North Platte	0	13	7	7	—27
Lincoln	0	0	0	6	—6

Referee, Harold Morgan, Omaha; umpire, Charles B. Moriarity, Omaha; head linesman, Paul Zimmerman, Lexington.

Hartington High Claims State Title

Hartington, Neb., Nov. 24.—(Special.)—Hartington high school cinched its right to claim the high school foot ball championship of Nebraska today by defeating Wayne here, 46 to 7. This is Hartington's 10th victory with no defeats or tie games.

Wayne played a scrappy game but was completely outclassed. Hardington's offense was in good working order as it made 18 first downs to Waynes' .

Armour, Hartington's bid for all-state fullback, played a great game, putting the ball in position for his team-mates to put it over. He made several runs for 20 yards or better. Nedrow and Schaffe each made touchdowns in the first period. Nelson smashed over in the second, Scoville and Steele both scored in the third and repeated the stunt in the fourth.

Wayne's touchdown came as the result of a fumble, Chase picking up the ball and making 20 yards to the line. Hartington gained 477 yards from scrimmage, Wayne, 87.

Alma Closes Season With Clean Slate

Alma, Neb., Nov. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—The undefeated Alma team ended the season today by defeating the fast Oberlin (Kan.) team, 21 to 0. This is the same team that held Cambridge to a tie a few weeks ago. Alma has played nine games this season, with a total of 253 points against its opponents' 26.

Nebraska High School Champs for 1921

Left to right, top row—Winget, Shaner, R. Simon, Stroup, Lock, Dent, Rector. Middle row—Overman, Yost, Palmer, U. Simon, Wilson, Bunnell, Captain Healey. Bottom row—Waits, Macomber, Hubbard, Yearsley, McWilliams, Pittman.

Coach Keith Neville's North Platte High school foot ball team won the championship of Nebraska yesterday on its own gridiron when it defeated the Lincoln eleven in a hard fought game by the score of 27 to 6.

Hearne Captures 250-Mile Race

Drivers Average Between 110 To 112 Miles an Hour on Wet, Slippery Track.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 24.—Eddie Hearne won today's annual 250-mile automobile race on the Beverly Hills speedway, but Tommy Milton, who came in second, took the lead in the race for points toward the national championship. Milton nosed Roscoe Sarles out of the national contest lead when Sarles was forced out of the race at the 180th lap.

Hearne's time was 2 hours 16 minutes 55 seconds. Frank Eliott was third, Jimmy Murphy, fourth; Harry Hartz, fifth, and Eddie Miller, sixth. Four of the 13 drivers were forced out at various stages.

The track was slippery from showers, which fell intermittently in the first hour of the grind, but the racers kept right along at a speed which averaged, so far as the leaders were concerned, from 110 to 112 miles an hour. At one period the management considered calling off the race because of the danger from the wet track. The drivers took the banked turns at a rate that caused gasps among the spectators, but no one was hurt and not a car was damaged.

Immediately after the race announcement was made that another sanctioned meet would be held at Cotati December 11 and that 500 points would be awarded to the winner there, thus holding the award of the seasonal championship prize in abeyance until that time. Today's results gave Milton 1,970 points and the lead and put Sarles in second place, with a total of 1,945 points.

Utah Aggies Win Rocky Mountain Conference Title

Salt Lake City, Nov. 24.—The Utah agricultural college of Logan today won the Rocky mountain conference foot ball title by defeating the University of Utah team here in their annual Thanksgiving day game, the score being 14 to 3.

The visitors clearly outplayed the Crimson. Logan backs made consistent gains through the Utah line. They profited by two Utah's fumbles and turned them into touchdowns. They also succeeded in intercepting Utah's passes frequently, and made big gains as a result. A dropkick by Smith from the 30 yard line gave Utah their score in the final period. Logan scored in the first and third periods.

Washington State Trounces University Eleven, 14 to 0

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 24.—Washington State college defeated University of Washington, 14 to 0 today, the Cougars scoring two touchdowns in the first period. Sax converted in both cases. Only once did Washington threaten the Cougar goal line—at the start of the fourth period, but the W. S. C. line held and the ball went to Washington on downs. The game was played in a driving rain.

Foot-Ball Facts Worth Knowing

By Sol Metzger

Sol Metzger will answer questions that Bee readers will submit to him. They will be answered in this column. Questions should be written on one side of the paper only and should be addressed to Sol Metzger, care the sporting editor The Omaha Bee. They will then be forwarded to him.

Q.—If the ball strikes the goal post after having been fumbled, kicked or passed from behind the goal line, is the ball dead?

A.—It is not. The ball is to be played exactly as though the goal post had not intervened.

Q.—If the ball strikes the goal post after having been kicked or passed from the field of play is the ball dead?

A.—It is dead and a touchback is allowed the defenders of the goal.

Q.—If a forward pass is made from the field of play and the ball just grazes the goal post, is a touchdown allowed if an offensive player, eligible to catch the pass, recovers it in the end zone?

A.—No. It is a touchback as soon as the ball touches the goal post.

Q.—If on the second down with 8 yards to go the attacking team attempts a forward pass and the ball is deflected toward the ground by the defense, is a first down allowed if a player of the team which made the pass catches the ball before it touches the ground and is thrown 2 yards beyond the line of scrimmage?

A.—No. A first down is not allowed. The running down is third down, 8 to go.

Q.—When a defensive player catches a forward pass on his 1-yard line and is then thrown over the goal line to an opponent, what is the decision?

A.—It is a first down on the 1-yard line for the team whose player caught the pass. A safety cannot be scored by a player throwing a runner over the goal line.

Maroons Beat Tarkio College

Omaha University Wins Final Game of Season by 14 To 3 Score.

Tarkio, Mo., Nov. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—Tarkio college lost its first Thanksgiving foot ball game of its athletic career here this afternoon when Coach Ernie Adams' Omaha University Maroons trounced the locals by the score of 14 to 3 in a well-played contest.

The Maroons chalked up their first touchdown in the initial quarter, when Banner plunged through left tackle and raced 20 yards for a tally. Maxwell kicked the goal.

Following the Omahans' touchdown, Dragoo, end for Tarkio, drop-kicked from the 30-yard line for the locals' three tallies.

In the second quarter Quarterback Maxwell skirted the Tarkio left end for 10 yards and the second Omaha touchdown. He kicked his own goal.

Omaha	Position	Tarkio
Konecky	L. E.	Dargoo
Weimner	L. T.	Withrow
Kastman	L. G.	Johnson
Laws	C.	Nichols
Blake	R. G.	Williams (C)
Chinquist	R. T.	Barr
Golding	R. E.	Graise
Maxwell	Q. B.	Latell
Banner (C.)	R. H.	Edwards
Wilmarth	F. B.	Thomas
Ettineil	L. H.	Humm

Substitutions: Dowd for Wemmer, Kastman, Wiskert for Humm.

Summary: Touchdowns, Banner, Maxwell; goals following touchdown, Maxwell (2); drop kicks, Dragoo.

Azevedo Tamed by Lew Tendler in Two Short Rounds

Philadelphia, Nov. 24.—Lew Tendler, Philadelphia lightweight, gave Manuel Azevedo of California such a severe beating today that the Pacific coast boxer was forced to quit in less than a minute after the opening of the second round. Azevdo was outclassed from the start and after Tendler had landed two terrific left hooks to the body and jabs and uppercuts in the second round the Californian asked the referee to stop the bout.

Schaefer's Victories Over Hoppe Stamp Him World's Cue King

Chicago, Nov. 24.—Two victories over Willie Hoppe, for years supreme in the 18.2 balk line billiard world, made Jake Schaefer, jr., the international champion today. Hoppe's first defeat Tuesday night was overwhelming, 400 to 26, and in the second game last night, although Hoppe's average for the six innings was never before equalled in a championship tournament, was 14 points below Schaefer's mark of 83 2-6.

Hoppe, it was announced today, will exercise his right to challenge within 10 days, but under the rules the new champion is not required to risk his title before March 15, 1922.

Cedar Rapids Athlete Places First in Run

Philadelphia, Nov. 24.—Basil Irwin of the Cedar Rapids (Ia.) High school was the first man to finish today in the American Interscholastic cross-country championship race at Fairmount Park. The course was three miles and 100 yards. Irwin won the individual title in 18 minutes and 10 seconds.

Maryland and North Carolina State Play to 6 to 6 Tie

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 24.—The foot ball teams of University of Maryland and North Carolina State battled to a 6 to 6 tie on a muddy field today.

In the second period, Carolina made a touch down by a forward pass from Faucette to Homewood. Maryland tied the score on two drop kicks by Brewer.

Virginia University Loses to North Carolina Eleven

Chapel Hill, N. C., Nov. 24.—The University of North Carolina defeated the University of Virginia in their annual foot ball game today, 7 to 3. Carolina's score came in the second period when Captain Lowe made a 30-yard end run for a touchdown after Virginia had kicked a field goal in the first quarter.

Milwaukee Club Denies Matching Buff and Moore

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 24.—The National Athletic club today denied it had matched Bantamweight Champion Johnny Buff and Pal Moore for a bout here on December 15. The promoters say Buff demands a guarantee which they will not give.

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Ithacans Down Ancient Rivals For First Time in Six Years.

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 24.—Cornell's big red team came out of a six-year slump today and defeated Pennsylvania, 41 to 0. The Ithacans, who had not crossed the Red and Blue goal line since 1915, overwhelmed the Pennsylvania eleven, scoring six touchdowns. Hanson missed one of his five attempts at kicking goals. Only once did the Red and Blue have the ball within Cornell's 30-yard line.

To Eddie Kaw, left halfback on Dobie's unbeaten team, goes the bulk of the glory. Five times he crossed Pennsylvania's goal line, and time and again he made dashing runs through the quaker team.

The heavy rain made the field a marsh. The light Pennsylvania backs were unable to get started, and were frequently thrown for losses.

Beatrice High Trims Wisconsin Champs

Beatrice, Neb., Nov. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—Coach "Bish" Hughes' Beatrice High athletes trimmed the Appleton machine, Wisconsin State champs, before a crowd of 4,000, 42 to 0, at Athletic park here.

"Pid" Purdy, quarter, was the star of the game, his passes to Captain Mathews and Worley, ends, averaged 25 yards. Pete Beckwith, 128-pound half, also played a good game.

Beatrice, with a team averaging at 140 pounds, lost to Lincoln last week in a state title game through a fluke decision, it is said.

War Zone Pays 30 To 1 in Feature Race

New Orleans, Nov. 24. — War Zone at 30 to 1 won the Thanksgiving Day handicap, which was the feature of the opening day of the winter racing season at Jefferson park today. War Zone is owned by A. F. Drayton and was ridden by Jockey Miller.

Allen Wins Baby Marathon Race

Covers Course in 20 Minutes And 2 2-5 Seconds—Medics Capture Honors.

Harriers of the Nebraska Medical college of Omaha won the bulk of the honors in the Y. M. C. A eighth annual cross-country race, Edgar Allen finishing first; George Fisher, second; Teddy Stemmons, third, and Harry Kretzler, winner of last year's race, fifth.

Allen's time for the three and a quarter mile sprint was 20 minutes and 2 2-5 seconds. E. A. Hartman of the University of Nebraska finished fourth and Frank Mann of Council Bluffs, seventh.

J. Morris won the cross-country walk over the same course with a time of 36 minutets and three-fifths seconds.

Gold medals were awarded athletes finishing first and second, silver to those placing third and fourth, and bronze to those qualifying for fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh places.

The Omaha medics, by having the most winners in the hill and dale event, captured a silver trophy.

South High Loses To Grand Island By One Touchdown

Grand Island, Neb., Nov. 24.—(Special.)—With a touchdown on straight foot ball in the fourth period, Grand Island high defeated South Omaha high here today in the hardest fought battle on the gridiron this season by a score of 7 to 0.

The playing of Sink was an outstanding feature, while Black proved himself of all-state calibre. Sullivan and "Brogan" Kelly were also among the stars.

When the final whistle sounded South Omaha had the ball well within Grand Islands 10-yard line.

Marquette Defeats Wabash College, 7-0

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 24.—Marquette university closed its 1921 foot ball season today by defeating Wabash college, 7 to 0. Marquette scored in the third period when Markuress caught a forward pass which bounced from the hands of a Wabash player over the Wabash goal line. The visitors had many chances to score during the first half but the penalties prevented.

West Virginia Meets Defeat on On Grid By 35 to 0 Score

Morgantown, W. Va., Nov. 24.—Washington and Jefferson defeated West Virginia, 13 to 0, in a game played in the rain on a muddy field. It was the first defeat sustained by West Virginia on its home field in five years.

Lone Star Teams Tie

College Station, Tex., Nov. 24.—Texas university and Texas A. and M. played a 0 to 0 tie in their annual Thanksgiving game today.

Panthers and Penn State Tie

Neither Team Able to Score During Game—Colonna Stars for Pitt.

Pittsburgh, Nov. 24.—Penn State's undefeated foot ball team came to the Panther's home town today, and the University of Pittsburgh gridiron warriors held the Nittany Lions to a scoreless tie. The game was played on a field ankle-deep in mud. Pitt outplayed the visitors, registering seven first downs to four for State.

Colonna, Pitt full back, was a consistent gainer, and when he gave way to Hewitt, late in the game, he was given a great ovation.

Pitt started a drive late in the first period, registering a first down on the first play. At the opening of the second, Colonna made two more first downs, but finally Davis was forced to punt. Fumbles were frequent. Pitt added three more first downs in the third quarter, Colonna and Davies running the ball to State's 18-yard line. At this stage Wilson intercepted a forward pass, and the Panther's drive ended.

Wayne Cops State Conference Title By 14 to 0 Victory

Wayne, Neb., Nov. 24.—(Special.)—Wayne won from Grand Island here today in a spectacular game of foot ball, 4 to 0. A. Renneck and F. Peterson starred for Wayne.

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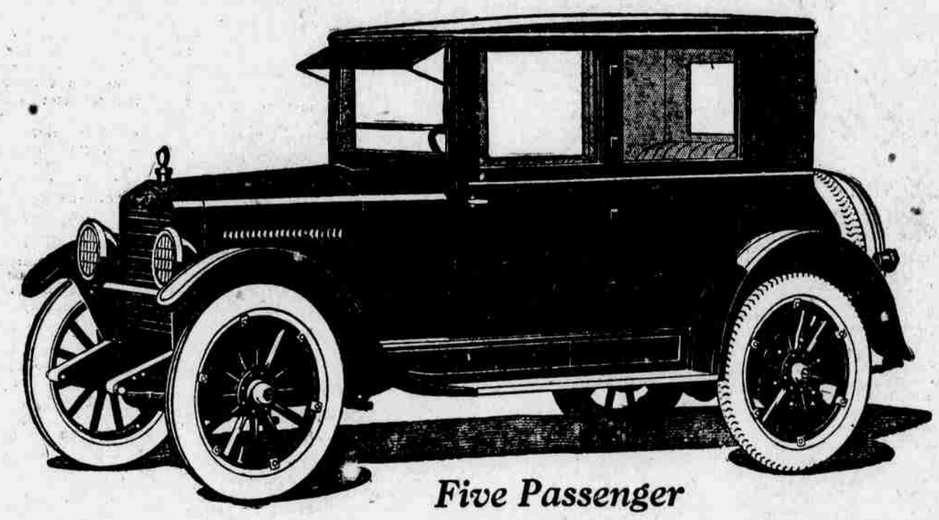

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