

Football Coaches Talk Shop In Annual Conference At New York Today

IOWA COLLEGE TEAMS ENJOYED SUCCESSFUL SEASONS IN 1924

State Football Elevens Participated In Ambitious Schedules; Olympic Tryouts Was The Height Of Track Program.

DES MOINES, Dec. 29.—(By Associated Press)—Marked by a fortunate interest in football Iowa sports in 1924 had new levels of interest and brought greater percentage of participation than has ever been known in this state before.

QUAKERS SHIVER IN PRACTICE AT OMAHA

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 29.—(By The Associated Press)—Bundled in sweaters but not disheartened by the cold weather of the present winter season thirty football players of the University of Iowa gathered in a gymnasium at Omaha for a practice session. The players were accompanied by Coach Young and other members of the coaching staff. The practice was held in the morning and the players were seen to be in good spirits despite the weather.

World's Oldest Volume

The oldest volume known to exist is the Egyptian papyrus known as Papyrus Perse.

Champions In Various Sports For Year About To Fade Out

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—(By Associated Press)—The list of 1924 champions in leading fields of competition follows:

Automobile Racing.
500 mile international sweepstakes—L. J. Corum-Joe Boyer.
National speed championship—Jimmy Murphy, 1,555 miles, killed in accident Sept. 15, at Syracuse, N. Y.

Baseball.
World's—Washington Senators.
American league—Washington Senators.
National league—New York Giants.
Leading batsman (American)—Babe Ruth, New York Yankees.
Leading batsman (National)—Rogers Hornsby, St. Louis Cardinals.
Leading pitcher (American)—Walter Johnson, Washington.
Leading pitcher (National)—Arthur "Dizzy" Vance, Brooklyn.

Basketball.
National A. A. U.—Butler College (Ind.).
Eastern Intercollegiate—Cornell.
Western Conference—Wisconsin.
Chicago and Illinois.

Billiards—Professional.
World's—Billie Pinkie.
Wiltie Hopper, New York.
Three-cushion—Robert Campbell, New York.
Pocket billiards—Raup, Grand of New York.
Lumber—Billie Pinkie, David M. Anderson, Chicago.

Boxing—Professional.
World's—J. J. Corbett, Jack Dempsey.
World's light weight—Mike McTigue, New York.
World's middle weight—Mike McTigue, New York.
World's welter weight—Harry Gold, Pittsburgh.
World's welter weight—Max Baer, New York.
World's light heavyweight—Leonard, New York.
World's super heavyweight—Steve Kid Sullivan, Brooklyn.
World's champion—Floyd Mayweather Jr., Philadelphia.
World's champion—Frank Moran, New York.

Court Tennis.
National—Billie Pinkie.
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Track and Field (National Champions).
A. A. U. team—Harvard A. C.
100 meter dash—Harold Gribble, Harvard.
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M. V. Chieftains Drawing Up Schedule

TEAMS WILL PLAY 126 OR 140 GAMES

Willford, Cook And Garrett On Committee; Draft Will Be Accepted At Meeting To Be Held Jan. 20th.

WATERLOO, Dec. 29.—Requests of clubs in the Mississippi Valley baseball league that they be favored with home games for special occasions during 1925 will be granted so far as possible. A. Willford president of the Waterloo club stated that the Waterloo club will accept the offer if the committee will accept the offer. The committee will meet on January 20th to accept or reject the offer.

ROCKNE GLOOMY AND WILL BE SATISFIED WITH 3-POINT WIN

Horsemen And Mates Grow Softer With Each Day; Irish Mentor Fears Climate.

TUCSON, Ariz., Dec. 29.—Coach Knute Rockne of the undefeated Notre Dame team will be satisfied with a 3 to 0 victory over Stanford university on New Year's day, he declared after watching his team go through light practice on the University of Arizona football field here.

The Notre Dame mentor stopping here with his squad for a four day period of work before continuing on to Pasadena to meet the Pacific coast team fully eluded gloom as he discussed the team's chances against the westerners.

"Our men are soft he declared, and growing softer with every day of the trip. We have been unable to hold a scrimmage since four days before leaving South Bend and there is not a man who is in condition to go into a hard game. We expect to win but Stanford is as good as reported and we will be satisfied to win a score of 3 to 0."

Worries Over Climate.

The effect of the change in climate on his men is also worrying Rockne considerably. Before leaving for the Pacific coast he conferred with other coaches who had made the trip, and each warned him that his men would play out before the end of the first half. In making his trip in gradual stages Rockne had hoped to acclimate his men by degrees but believes after watching the team work out here that the change will still be too great.

He lays the defeat of Missouri by Southern California to the effect of the climate on the eastern players.

The Notre Dame team arrived here on Saturday night, Dec. 27, and had lunch the next morning at the local chamber of commerce and in the afternoon held a two hour workout at the local field. Yesterday they had another workout in the morning and a sight seeing trip in the afternoon. Two workouts are scheduled for Monday and another for Tuesday morning.

LOCAL PLAYERS RATE HIGH IN IOWA NET RANKING

- MEN'S SINGLES.
- Paul Bennett, Des Moines.
 - Joe Amick, Des Moines.
 - William White, Sioux City.
 - E. O. Kramer, Des Moines.
 - Harry Coggeshall, Des Moines.
 - Neil Swenson, Cedar Rapids.
 - W. W. Baker, Fort Dodge.
 - R. J. Curney, Grinnell.
 - H. A. Weller, Des Moines.
 - T. H. Bailey, Des Moines.
 - Ray Simmons, Des Moines.
 - J. S. Crigger, Des Moines.
 - H. E. Fottle, Des Moines.
 - P. E. Somers, Grinnell.
 - Ben Hadley, Des Moines.
 - Al Nicolet, Des Moines.
 - Hector Jans, La Crosse.
 - E. C. Bureau, Ellsworth.
 - H. L. Meyer, Grinnell.
 - Ralph Brody, Des Moines.
- MEN'S DOUBLES.
- Bennett and Swenson.
 - Coggeshall and Somers.
 - Sweet and Kramer.
 - Winkel and Simmons.
 - Jans and Baker.
 - Lutz and Curney.
 - Crigger and Evans.
 - Garlick and Meyer.
 - Harley and Davidson.
 - Nicolet and Fottle.
- WOMEN'S SINGLES.
- Laura Fry, Cedar Rapids.
 - Mrs. Floyd Ebers, Des Moines.
 - Helen Ford, Fort Dodge.
 - Allice Ford, Fort Dodge.
 - Virginia Hevel, Fort Dodge.
 - Harriet Lee, Grinnell.
 - Mrs. Albert Robertson, Des Moines.
 - Lucille Andrews, Des Moines.
 - Mrs. John Coates, Des Moines.
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 - Ralph Brody, Des Moines.
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 - Ray Simmons, Des Moines.
 - Neil Swenson, Cedar Rapids.
 - W. W. Baker, Fort Dodge.
 - Casey, Sioux City.

Hornsby Official Bating King For 5th Straight Year

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—(By International News)—For the fifth consecutive year Roger Hornsby of the St. Louis Cardinals, leads the batters of the National baseball league with an average of 423 for 143 games, the highest percentage reached by a player since 1897 when Wee Willie Keeler hit 432.

The previous record for consecutive batting laurels in the National league was held by Hans Wagner of the Pittsburgh Pirates, who led the circuit four times in succession. Hornsby led Zack Wheat, of Brooklyn second highest man in the batting averages, by almost fifty points.

Ames Upsets Drake

Drake made a courageous fight for the championship of the Missouri Valley conference but her hopes were upset in the colorful battle at Ames when Iowa State college, before a homecoming crowd, took her down to defeat. Up to that time Drake had a clean slate but when Missouri defeated Kansas "Thanksgiving day" it gave Missouri a place for her second place in the western conference. Her team lost but one game that an overwhelming defeat at the hands of the defeated Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan and played a 0 to 0 tie with Ohio State. In addition Iowa defeated Southeastern Teachers college of Oklahoma, Butler college and Lawrence college.

Shipped In Basketball

Iowa State played bravely through a season but the football team's best disappointing defeat coming at the hands of Cornell also a Missouri Valley conference team, when the victory was delayed in favor of the agricultural institution.

Along with the football season came a successful basketball season. The team played in several games and won several. The team's success was due to the efforts of the players and the coaching staff.

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STANFORD ELEVEN ON BATTLE GROUND

PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 29.—(By Associated Press)—The Cardinal football team of Stanford university, charged with the task of upholding western football honor, in an intercollegiate contest with Notre Dame university here, New Year's day, will today hold a two-hour workout at the local field.

The team, accompanied by Coach Glenn Warner, arrived here yesterday, but inasmuch as some dozen Stanford men's homes are located in or about Los Angeles, they were given a day of rest to visit their respective families.

Notre Dame players are expected to arrive Wednesday and will get their second day's workout on the local field today.

10,000 meter dash—Dan Klimes, Stanford.
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