

# Iowa Defeats Minnesota In Opening Game Of Big Ten Season, 27 To 19

## LAUDE'S SHOOTING AND TIGHT HAWK DEFENSE STOPS GOPHERS

### Former Captain Accounts For Fourteen Of Team's Points; Victors Show Superiority After Being Held Even In First Half.

IOWA CITY, Jan. 6.—The University of Iowa basketball team got off to a good start in the Big Ten race last night when Minnesota was defeated, 27 to 19, in the first game of the Western conference. The big armory was packed to witness the opening fray.

Because of the respective records of the two teams in pre-season games, Minnesota was a favorite to win from the Hawkeyes but after a nip and tuck battle throughout the first half the Iowans forced steadily ahead in the last period and displayed superiority during the closing minutes of play.

Laude's shooting and tight Hawk defense stops Gophers. Minnesota hopped off to a 3 to 0 lead at the start on Rasey's field basket and a free throw. The Hawks quickly rallied and soon were in the lead, but the Gophers always were within striking distance and at the halfway mark Iowa was leading by only a single point, the score being 11 to 10.

Minnesota was on the heels of Coach Barry's men in the early minutes of the second half, but two ring-liners toward the baskets while Van Dusen let his end of the floor open enough to cage three ringers and a free throw for seven points.

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Iowa Defense Tight. The defensive playing of Iowa's guards, McConnell and Van Duseen also was high grade. McConnell frequently broke up Gopher marches toward the baskets while Van Duseen let his end of the floor open enough to cage three ringers and a free throw for seven points.

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The line up and summary

Iowa	FT	PP	PF
Janse, Jr.	1	0	0
Laude, Jr.	1	0	0
McConnell, Jr.	1	0	0
Van Duseen, Jr.	3	1	0
McConnell, Jr.	1	2	0
Totals	6	0	0
Minnesota	FT	PP	PF
Rasey, Jr.	1	0	0
Gillen, Jr.	1	0	0
Wolden, Jr.	3	3	3
Cox, Jr.	0	1	0
Wolden, Jr.	0	0	0
Lauber, Jr.	0	0	0
Dunder, Jr.	1	1	2
Totals	7	5	8

Summary: Free throws, missed; Laude 2, McConnell 1, Van Duseen, Wolden 2, Dunder, 1. Referee, Schommer, Chicago; Umpire, Matney.

## PIONEER B. B. LEAGUE

The St. Paul's Tigers experienced no difficulty beating the United Brethren Tigers in a Pioneer cage game played on Buchanan floor last night. The Tigers could not make a single point, the St. Paul's team winning 24 to 0.

The lineup:  
St. Paul's (24) C. B. Tigers (0)  
Colar, L.P. LF Lodge  
Miglar, R.P. RF Clarke  
Meyer, C. C. CF  
Kendall, L.O. LO Stee  
Hosenberger, H.G. RG Smith  
Substitutes, St. Paul's, Reuben

## GRANT HIGH PLAYS SPRINGVILLE QUINT

### Meet On Roosevelt Floor Tonight At 8 O'clock; Grant Has Improved.

Having made steady improvement since their defeat at Dyrast before the holidays, Grant high basketballers are on edge for their game with Springville high tonight. The game will be played in the Roosevelt gymnasium, starting at eight o'clock.

Although the Grant squad is composed of inexperienced boys, Coach Monilaw has drilled them long and hard, and in practice the last few days the regular five has been showing much better form than was exhibited earlier in the season.

The lineup most frequently used of late, and the one expected to open against Springville finds Douglas and Pollock at the forwards, Nemecek jumping center and Malecek and McBride manning the guards.

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# National League Investigates Geo. Kelly

## EDDIE'S FRIENDS A Wet Finish



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# NURMI MEETS FAST FIELDS IN FIRST U. S. RACES TONIGHT

## Joie Ray Confident Of Trimming Finnish Star in One-mile; Takes Part in Two Races.

DUBUQUE Ia., Jan. 6.—(By Associated Press.)—Paavo Nurmi, greatest of the world's runners at 1,500, 3,000 and 5,000 meters on cinder tracks, a reputation established at the Olympic games in Paris last summer, awaits the crack of the pistol in his first indoor event at Madison Square Garden tonight in the Finnish-American Athletic club meeting.

Joie Ray of Chicago and Jimmy Connolly will be among his opponents in the mile event early in the evening, and Willie Ritola, a countryman, will be in the 5,000 meter field at 11 o'clock. Never did a runner face a greater test than this—two races in one night on an indoor track, to which he is unaccustomed, against superb athletes.

# JOHNSON FAILS TO LAND IN OAKLAND

## Still Trying To Purchase A Western Club; Considers Washington Offer.

OAKLAND, N. J., Jan. 6.—(By International News.)—Walter Johnson, famous American league pitcher was back at his home here today following his brief trip to California where he tried unsuccessfully to purchase the Oakland club of the Pacific coast league. He declared that he would keep on trying to buy a western club.

"I realize that my playing days are about at the end of the string," Johnson said, and when I leave the Washington club I want to stay out here in the west.

The great player added that for the present his plans were indefinite. It is understood however, that Johnson is still thinking over a reported offer made him by the Washington Senators, which he characterized into last week as "too good to be turned down with full consideration."

Some time ago Clark Griffith, president of the Senators, said he would not stand in Johnson's way if the great pitcher could better himself, but at the same time he declared he was anxious to have Walter back with the world champions this year.

# PENN ALUMNI WILL MEET TEAM IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—(By Associated Press.)—Chicago alumni of the University of Pennsylvania planned to greet the University football team on its arrival today from its Pacific coast post-season game.

Lacking In Praise. Mrs. Forsides was engaging a new cook. She was particular about the servant she took into her home and, in spite of the shortage, she always insisted on highly satisfactory references.

"Have you any references?" she inquired of one applicant who seemed more or less suitable.

"Yes, ma'am," answered the applicant brightly, "a lot of 'em with you?"

"Then why didn't you bring them with you?" asked the prospective mistress.

"They're just like my photo graphs, ma'am, none of 'em do me justice."—Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph.

NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL. State of Iowa, Linn County, ss. In the District Court. To all whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given that on the 31st day of January, A. D. 1925, at 9 o'clock a. m. an instrument purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Elizabeth F. Morey late of said county, deceased, will come on for hearing before the District Court for the proof and admission of same to probate. Dated Marlon Iowa January 5th 1925. HARRY S. JOHNSON, Clerk of District Court. S. M. Hall, attorney.

# FANS TO DEMAND TESTIMONY IN O'CONNELL SCANDAL CASE

## New York Publication Seeks Petition With 100,000 Names Requesting That Landis Make Public The Inside Workings.

BY DAVIS J. WALSH, International News Service Staff Editor.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—The O'Connell-Dolan skeleton in baseball's closet was playing castenets with its knee-caps today as a result of the action of George Kelly and Sammy Bohne, of the Giants, and Reds, respectively, in attempting to team up with the discredited Jimmy O'Connell on a Pacific coast basketball team.

The action indicated that all is not well in Denmark and crystallized sentiment is in favor of Judge Landis making public the complete testimony in baseball's latest scandal, something he has declined to do to date.

Several minor leaguers were involved in the venture but that is of slight consequence. Neither is the fact that an attempt was made to evade the issue by having Kelly and O'Connell play alternate games nor that O'Connell was subsequently let out by the coast management in order to save Kelly further embarrassment.

Both Were Involved. The thing that has smote the public right between the eye brows is that Kelly was one of three players involved in the O'Connell-Dolan scandal and that some fifteen months ago Bohne was called on the carpet to explain a story that appeared in a Chicago paper, charging his weight with acting as a justice at the behest of gamblers.

Pat Duncan also was involved in the charges. He has been wanted out of the major leagues in the last month or so, for reasons not altogether clear.

These are the men who planned to identify themselves with John A. Heydler, terms a self-confessed fakir, who was not construed by O'Connell. Whether he actually associated with the banished player, he was merely a technicality.

Bohne Impoached. President Heydler's attitude toward Kelly also applied to Sammy Bohne, Cincinnati infielder, also a member of the basketball team. In Bohne's case, it was recalled that he was implicated with Pat Duncan in charges by a Chicago sports publication that they were approached by gamblers' syndicates to have them play in a critical series in the middle of the season of 1923.

Constance of these charges was taken by President Heydler when he called Bohne and Duncan for a hearing, as a result of which they were exonerated, and on President Heydler's advice, started suits against the publication, which are still pending.

# Flowers Kayoes Bill Britton In 4th Round Of Mill

BOSTON, Jan. 6.—(By Universal.)—Tiger Flowers, the Atlanta, Ga., colored middleweight sensation, stopped Billy Britton of Kansas in the fourth round of a scheduled ten-round bout at Mechanics building last night. Flowers lived up to predictions and his curious style of boxing bewildered his opponent.

The so-called freak thrilled a capacity crowd scoring terrific blows from every angle. Britton was no match for the Georgian who made a distinct hit with Boston fight fans.

Referee Johnny Brunsall saved Britton from hitting the canvas in the fourth round when he stopped the fight and awarded the verdict to Flowers. The round had 20 seconds to go.

"The Kansas lad was unable to weather the storm of blows and only the bell prevented his taking the count."

# DONOHUE IS FIRST HOLD-OUT

TIGER FLOWERS, Atlanta Negro, boxing spotlight after several years in the ring. When he scored a three round technical knockout over the former middleweight champion, Johnny Wilson, it was his first appearance "down town" in New York. Recently he won a similar victory over Joe Lohman of Toledo, O., in Brooklyn. Last night he defeated Billy Britton of Kansas City in a bout at Boston.

COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY opens its eastern intercollegiate basketball league schedule at Philadelphia boxing arena tonight with Capt. Wilson and Mannheim as its only veterans.

PETE DONOHUE, youthful Cincinnati pitcher, has established one record in the major leagues. He is the first full-fledged holdout of the 1925 season.

TEX RICKARD has gathered four bantamweights for a tournament in Madison Square Garden Friday night. Buddy Taylor and Harold Smith will represent the territory around Chicago while Nat Pincus and Jack Snyder will uphold the east. Pincus meets Taylor and Snyder battles Smith. Out of the mixups Rickard hopes to develop a contender for the title recently acquired by Eddie (Cannonball) Martin of Brooklyn, when he outpointed Abe Goldstein of New York.

STANISLAV ZBYZKO, veteran Pole and former world's heavyweight wrestling champion, returns to Chicago after nearly a year's absence when he meets Allen Eustace of Waukegan, Ill., in a finish match at the Coliseum Jan. 14.

"A Stone's Throw." "Why," asked a suburban resident, "are those men throwing stones toward our new depot?" "The real estate man is simply trying to prove his claims, that is all."

# WILLARD "BILL" MORGAN ANNOUNCES

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H. Chris	141	120	175-446	Stick	155	155	465-465			
F. Trout	154	109	141-404	P. Leigh	178	147	196-621			
Stary	158	192	146-494	Totals	711	732	744-2187			
Totals	773	753	773-2299	Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Co.						
Diamond Block Coal.				Buchan	160	134	154-418			
J. Vosmek	144	160	178-458	Skorslick	123	148	171-442			
Hesse	185	185	168-528	Cullman	120	154	140-414			
V. Vosmek	155	140	131-426	Gladfeiler	139	143	164-438			
Morris	181	161	161-482	Boyd	142	175	464			
W. Vosmek	115	184	207-506	Totals	665	721	708-2204			
Totals	760	836	835-2431	PENICK AND FORD CO.						
Russells.				Starch.						
Wilke	154	149	167-470	J. Brown	131	172	192-495			
Low	121	200	149-470	C. Earl	113	136	121-370			
(Chalupnik	208	226	170-598	P. Brown	113	119	355			
Palumbo	170	170	170-510	Savel	115	138	148-396			
Freeman	147	171	137-456	Peterson	174	142	168-484			
Totals	795	916	793-2504	Totals	644	708	748-2180			
Jim Block Allies.				Sugar.						
Hicks	170	201	140-511	Beach	190	173	155-522			
Morrison	160	169	154-473	Holland	130	116	141-387			
Herbeck	174	174	176-524	Newland	136	114	140-390			
Sidlinger	161	161	161-486	R. Rogers	110	123	169-402			
Novotny	178	177	181-486	Morton	172	172	162-508			
Totals	833	882	762-2597	Totals	738	698	771-2207			
SUBWAY				Corn.						
Deneco Clothing Co.				Larson	90	125	162-377			
E. Leigh	146	186	176-507	Horan	138	163	520			
Birch	120	135	105-411	Hansen	133	133	339			
Wilson	134	135	144-413	Wildner	110	110	340			
Wilson	180	174	165-519	Greer	163	169	450			
McAllen	181	180	148-470	Totals	660	710	736-2096			
Totals	741	840	789-2320	Corn Feed.						
Hutchinson Ice Cream Co.				Jones	180	177	111-468			
Dusek	150	150	150-450	Hoffman	112	160	149-411			
Dunneald	168	168	168-474	Bingham	149	156	332-436			
Ingram	119	133	128-380	Steul	180	107	138-376			
Moeller	146	161	149-466	Kuba	162	162	355-456			
Treadwell	166	166	166-498	Totals	723	741	683-2147			
Totals	739	768	761-2258	No. 3 Penick Oil.						
Foresters of America.				Murray	135	126	144-465			
Wubbins	108	124	146-378	Barta	132	140	136-407			
Call	120	121	114-364	Ritz	161	161	161-463			
Adams	140	177	134-601	Folker	112	117	320			
Schaffer	180	142	151-473	Samson	148	118	113-453			
Ades	169	169	169-507	Totals	684	703	703-2079			
Totals	726	733	764-2223	No. 3 Penick Syrup.						
Chicago and North Western Ry.				Wild	114	99	126-335			
Stanford	159	118	133-410	Nicholson	123	123	320-376			
Kublan	149	149	149-447	Houser	103	123	127-358			
Bow	106	125	149-380	Klein	150	150	450			
Robson	141	138	141-435	S. Rogers	139	139	139-417			
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