

1951 Spring Boys Tennis State Championships

Class A Team Results

Creighton Prep 15, Lincoln High 6, Hastings 5, Valley 4, Omaha Benson 3, Omaha Technical 2.

Class A Medal Winners

Singles

First Round - Dick Goehring, Hastings, def. Bill Hill, Hebron, 6-2, 6-2. Bill Thompson, Fairbury, def. Steve Sutton, Blair, 9-7, 6-2. Clark Weldon, Valley, def. Don Isherwood, Lincoln High, 6-4, 6-4.

Second Round - Dick Goehring, Hastings, def. Peter Teal, Omaha Benson, 6-0, 6-3. John Tatum, Creighton Prep, def. Bill Thompson, Fairbury, 6-0, 6-3. Dick Hamlin, Omaha Technical, def. Tom Lawrie, Omaha Central, 6-3, 6-2. Clark Weldon, Valley, def. Phil Wheeler, Fremont, 6-3, 0-6, 6-2.

Semifinals - John Tatum, Creighton Prep, def. Dick Goehring, Hastings, 6-0, 6-2. Clark Weldon, Valley, def. Dick Hamlin, Omaha Technical 6-3, 3-6, 6-2

Final - John Tatum, Creighton Prep, def. Clark Weldon, Valley, 6-0, 6-2.

Doubles

First Round - Richard Halpine/Jim Gilroy, Creighton Prep, def. Wayne Bishop/Ron Donahue, Fremont, 6-0, 6-3. Bob Jensen/Gunnar Nyholm, Blair, def. Kelvin Seefus/Harry Johnson, Valley, 1-6, 6-3, 6-1. John Carr/Ralph Witney, Omaha Benson, def. Dick Grans/Joe Kantor, Fairbury, 6-1, 6-3.

Second Round - Richard Halpine/Jim Gilroy, Creighton Prep, def. Bob Jensen/Gunnar Nyholm, Blair, 6-0, 6-1. Larry Godwin/Charles Evans, Hastings, def. Marshall Becker/Norman Beitzer, Omaha Central, 9-7, 9-7. Dick Wells/Gordon Metcalf, Lincoln High, def. Don Boyce/Jim Maschmann, Hebron, 6-1, 6-1. John Carr/Ralph Whitney, Omaha Benson, def. Mike Shebe/Emmett Shields, Omaha Technical, 6-1, 6-2.

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