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TAKE THE FIRST

Varsity Team Defeats the Leaguers by Surprising Score.

On the 7:30 Rock Island train yesterday morning, an aggregation of baseball men came to Lincoln from the suburb of Omaha. They were weary and care-stained countenances, as though life had lost for them its charms.

They came here to fulfill a three days' engagement with the University nine, and went up against it hard for the first of the series yesterday afternoon.

Rourke, did you ever hear the name before? Well, he is the man that got them into all their troubles and it didn't seem to worry him in the least.

They came with the scalps of the Omaha Originals dangling from their belts, but so far they are the only ones.

On last Saturday and Sunday they won from the Originals by a score of 5 to 3 in the first game and 9 to 7 in the second, and the Originals put up a good game.

There are many old familiar faces among the crowd from Omaha. Carter and Dusty Miller are here, likewise Shafstall and Goding. Goding, you remember, has the record of being the best man behind the bat in the Western league, but he can't hit a balloon.

Letherby, the twirler who makes the ball look like the tail of a kite, caught in a breeze, and Companion, a fellow sufferer in the box, are both familiar names, as well as Case. Case isn't a water carrier, he's a pitcher and knows how to handle the ball, too.

This team is to go up against the Chicago American league team soon and will be able to ascertain as to whether or not they will be in the running.

About the half of the hour after two, the baseball fans began to saunter Universitywards and fill up the bleachers and grandstand. By three o'clock a good sized crowd had gathered. The day was perfect and everything pointed to a good game.

Some old familiar University men were on the side lines. "Billy" Wilson came in with the team carrying a bat sack—to think that he would have to work his way in that way—it's too bad and he wore an "U" too. Dusty Rhodes climbed over the back fence just before the game was called and took a seat with the team. The manager of the Nebraska Indians and his wife watched the game from the grandstand and he was warm in his praises of the work of the University men.

"Snapper" Kennedy, a man known in baseball circles for some years past, umpired the game, and did a good clean job, filling a most difficult position.

The game was called at 3:13, Omaha going to bat.

Morse gave the first man up a pass to first, just to show he really had no hard feeling towards his opponents, but that was all there was doing.

Williams, shortstop made a most sensational stop of a hot grounder, over second, which delighted the hearts of the fans. The Omaha men formed a goose egg and Nebraska went to bat, and they batted. Miller drew a threebagger in the scrimmage and when the dust finally settled Nebraska had scratched the rubber three times, Townsend, Bender and Miller bringing in the scores.

The Omaha men pulled in one run in the second and were kept from others by Hammill's pretty double at second. In this inning Nebraska added three more scores. Morse making a beautiful long drive to center field, which netted a home run, the only one dur-

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ing the game. Shafstall was in the box for Omaha during these fatal innings. Bender, Morse and Cook brought in the runs in the second.

In the third Omaha drew another blank, while Morse and Hammill added two more runs for Nebraska.

In the fourth Omaha found the Xmas stocking empty, while the University added five more to their score. Townsend, Williams, Fenlon, Miller and Cooke, all making the circuit. Omaha changed pitchers during this inning taking out Shafstall and putting in Root.

In the fifth Omaha scored three runs by lurching hits and owing to a long fly to right field which was made good by the trees and the sun. Townsend and Fenlon added two more runs for the University.

The sixth and seventh innings were gooseeggs for both teams.

The eighth was likewise a blank for Omaha, while the University added two more—Cook and Morse coming in.

The ninth was a white wash for Omaha, and the game was won. Score, 17 to 4, in favor of the University.

The score does not give any definite idea of the game. It was one replete with long hits, sensational plays and striking situations.

The last three innings Case and Goding went in for Omaha in place of Root and Freese—Case in the box, and Goding behind the bat, where he is a marvel. This pair did good work and made the University work.

For the Omaha team Plake, shortstop, Goding catch, and "Dusty" Miller did the best work. Carter, right field, was the best with the stick.

For the University, well what's the matter with the whole team? The infield played like veterans, and the outfield did splendid work. Miller's long throw from right field home was one of the features of the game, but Williams' stop at second was the climax. Morse pitched an excellent game, strong and steady and with a good deal of head work. Bender caught an errorless game. Townsend at first was the mainstay of the team, and by his faultless work greatly encouraged his men. Stein at third and Hammill at second showed up in excellent form, and held down their end of the game to a queen's taste.

Today Omaha will be up and doing. Yesterday was a kind of try-out and the two following days will show that the Omaha men have in them the material out of which baseball men are made. Come out yourself and see Rourke's men play ball. It will be worth your while.

Adams, who was to have pitched the game yesterday, was at home sick in bed, the result of a hard blow in the

stomach he received in practice not long ago.

The line-up yesterday was as follows:

Omaha	University
Carter	Miller
Plake	Williams
Miller	Fenlon
Cheatwood	Cooke
Thomas	1b. (Capt) Townsend
Schlipke	3b. Steen
Downs	2b. Hammill
Goding (Capt)	Bender
Freese	
Shafstall, Root	Morse
Case	
Beltzer	pitches for Nebraska today.

Dr. Clapp Honored.

The following concerning the admission of Nebraska into the Intercollegiate Gymnastic association, which has already been announced in The Nebraskan, we copy from the Wisconsin Daily:

A meeting of the Western Intercollegiate Gymnastic association was held in the university gymnasium Saturday. Slight changes were made in the constitution and by-laws of the association, and the four year limit agreed upon regarding the eligibility of contestants. Officers for the coming year were elected as follows:

President—Dr. Joseph E. Rayercroft, Chicago University.
Vice President—E. D. Angell, Wisconsin.
Secretary—Dr. L. J. Cook, Minnesota.
Treasurer—Dr. R. G. Clapp, Nebraska.

The latter is well known as the holder of the world's intercollegiate vaulting record of 11 feet, 10 1/2 inches. Nebraska was admitted to the association at this meeting. It will be the policy of the association now to enlarge the membership as much as possible, taking in as many of the western colleges as will join. It will be impossible for each college to be represented at all the meets, but by having a large membership each meet will be well attended. The present members of the association are Wisconsin, Minnesota, Grinnell, Chicago, Illinois, Nebraska, Northwestern and Beloit. The meet next year will be held in Minneapolis or Chicago.

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The work of compiling material for the Senior Annual is finished and the mass of copy that has been accumulated goes into the hands of the printers today. The cost of getting out the book will be greater than ever before, as great efforts have been exerted to make the book as artistic as possible. The drawing and design work is as good as can be procured, and the cuts are of a superior grade. It is evident that the book will not be lacking in the all around features that are to be found in the best of the Senior Annuals in the past, but most of these will be in an improved form, and are supplemented by many new ones.

The book will be printed by the Jacob North company of this city. All the cuts were made by the Barnes, Crosby Co., of Chicago, which firm is said to furnish the best work of this kind to be obtained.

The usual large number of roasts, sketches, stories, write-ups and jokes are promised, as well as a number of new features. The best literary talent in the University has been called upon and we are assured that the general style and tone of the book will come up to a high standard.

One of the features that will be missing from the book this year is the section that has always in the past been devoted to the law department. The law students will have a book of their own this year, thus obviating the necessity of representation in the Senior Annual. However the extra space will all be utilized and the book will probably be as big as ever. The section devoted to the law department has never been productive of substantial results, in the way of increased sales or patronage, and as a Senior Academic publication the book will be all the stronger this year.

This is the season when all the institutions about us are busy getting out their annual publications, and the hurry-up calls have all been sounded at most of these places. This stage has been passed here, a cause for rejoicing on the part of the editors of our book, although they have experienced their share of troubles of this kind. Some of the photographs were late in getting in and some of the copy promised was overdue, but now that everything has been adjusted they find no reason for complaint.

Considerable difficulty was experienced in starting, which was necessitated by the withdrawal from school of Calvin H. Taylor, who was first appointed editor and by the work of finding a competent successor. However, under the editorship of Miss Streeter, the work of editing the book has progressed well. E. P. Tyner is the business manager and reports good results in securing advertising. We hope to see the Senior Annual this year surpass all former undertakings of its kind, and we trust that it will.

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