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### **NO LOMBARD GAME**

One Date Cancelled Track and Base Ball Activities.

Manager Bell received word from Lombard yesterday canceling our game with that college for May 5. This means that another game will have to be found to fill out the schedule for the trip to be taken at that time.

Practice in batting and fielding was had yesterday by the members of the first team

Next Friday and Saturday the Uni. plays the Nebraska Indians. The Indians have been practicing in town for some time, and promise to give the University a hard struggle. They have always played us fast games in the past, and judging from the way they play in practice, they certainly will play us a hard game this year. Guy W. Green, the manager, is an old Uni. stu-

The members of the basket ball team have received the shirts which the athletic board awarded them. They are glate colored flannel shirts, with a red "N," and circle on the pocket.

men to get out again yesterday. They are getting into shape for the high school meet to be held at the F. & M. park on April 23.

As large a number of men as possible will be tried in this meet, and every man will be given a fair show.

The Herpolsheimer Cup has been sent to St. Louis as a trophy from the Nebraska State University. Each college has room for one or two trophies in what is called the Physical Education department.

Our athletic authories will also send the wooden plates with the indoor records and a few of the silver cups to be shown in the Nebraska exhibit.

Phi Delta Theta defeated Sigma Chi in a rather uninteresting game on the campus yesterday afternoon by a score of 10 to 18. The high wind was responsible for the unusual number of errors that occurred. The Sigma Chi's led for the first three innings, but went to pieces in the fourth and were snowed under in the fifth.

The score by innings:

Phi Delta Theta ...... 4 0 1 6 7—18 Sigma Chi ...... 4 5 9 0 1-10

The batteries were: Sigma Chi, Swan and Smith; Phi Delta Theta, Neely and Langevin.

Umpire-"Fat" Maloney.

#### GIRLS BEGIN PRACTICE.

#### Players Getting Ready For Minnesota on April 22.

The girls' tasket ball team began practice again last Friday. The delay was owing to the uncertainty whether the next game to be played would be Minnesota or Missouri. The teams play by different rules and in absolutely different styles. Missouri plays by the prefering six players and the three court game. The players in the northwest reproduce almost exactly the men's game, a much more violent one, Nebraska plays a middle game, the women's except for the division into three courts. All in all, by experience and method of play, the Nebraska team is perhaps better fitted to meet the women's game rather than the men's. Refore this year the team has usually practiced once a week for 30 or 40 minutes, from about 2:15 to 2:45, during the winter months, this being the only time when the armory was vacant and could be secured for practice. This year, owing to conflicting class work, at the one possible hour for playing, the team did not meet more year, until the Minnesota game was scheduled. For this it practiced something like eight or ten times, in the

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thing the team has never pretended opposing team that had not made more Their unbroken victories hitherto. have been won by the excellence of their guarding, which has never failed under favorable conditions to break up the concerted plays of their opponents, and by the strength of their individual play. The team they have to meet April 22 has been training and playing critical matches since October, with regular practice hours, and plenty of opportunity for goal practice outside. Moreover, since some of its strongest points are speed and endurance, it may be expected to play a better game, the larger the floor. On a small floor it would be rather at a dis-The grounds permitted the track advantage, but with plenty of room for running and lightning passing, it may be expected to put up a brilliant exhibition.

> The Nebraska team consists at present of Miss Emma Shinbur, Miss Minnie Jansa, forwards; Miss Cora Scott (captain) and Miss Inis Everett (second center for the Missouri game), centers; Miss Elva Sly and Miss Ina Gittings, guards; Miss Ruth Woodsmall.

Miss Archibald, center on last year's team, was present at the practice Saturday morning, helping out the second team picked up for the occasion.

#### ELECT OFFICERS.

#### Y. W. C. A. Chooses New Officers for Coming Year.

The new and old members of the cabinet met Saturday afternoon and discussed plans and arranged the committees for the coming year.

Following are the officers: President, Eva Cooper. Vice President, Caroline Wood. Secretary, Allene McEachron. Treasurer, Grace Coppock. HEADS OF COMMITTEES.

Membership-Caroline Wood. Finance-Grace Coppock. Social-Ruth Wilson. College Settlement-Ethel Hendricks Missionary-Pearl Archigald. Inter-Collegiate Blanche Johnson. Rooms-Flossie Erford. Devotional-Annie Moore. Visiting-Rita Clark. Bible Study-Goldena Denny Bulletins-Cleo Howard . Press-Amy Conger.

Owing to some misuriferstanding. the Y. W. C. A. girls who came to attend the Sunday meeting found the main hall locked and were forced to convene in the association room. Window sills and everything in the room that could possibly be made to serve as a seat, was utilized and the girls listened for an hour to one of the most attractive services that it has been their lot to attend this year. 'Miss Woodman took for her subject "Culture" and presented it in such a bright and charming style that all the girls were delighted.

After the meeting some of the girls Tel. 787. Baggage hauled.

preceding two weeks. Team play is a remained for a half-hour song service, in which they were joined by some to develop. They have hardly met an twenty members of the Y. M. C. A. The song service will take place after this effort and none better in this regard. regularly at 4 p. m. on Sunday and all of the Y. M. C. A. are invited.

> Sunday Miss Withers led the Y. W. C. A. meeting at Wesleyan and Miss May Davis will lead our meeting next Sunday in return.

#### CHANCELLOR TO PRESIDE.

#### Kansas and Nebraska Engaged In Selecting Judges.

Chanceller Andrews has consented to preside at the Kansas debate on April 29th. This news is received with pleasure, as attempts to secure him to act in that capacity both last year and the year before were unavailing, as his engagements took him out of the state on both of those dates.

Nebraska is about ready to submit her list of judges to Kansas, which will, it is said, include two prominent Iowans. The Kansas debating council has sent a list from which our debating board will select one. Chancellor Strong sends a list to Chancellor Andrews, from which he is to gelect one.

The order of Nebraska's speakers, who are E. R. Buckner, L. A. Lightner and C. A. Sawyer, has not yet been decided. Secretary Ryner is preparing to advertising this debate as no Nebraska debate has ever before been adver-

#### Comenius Club Address.

Another interesting program was given by the Comenius club last Saturday evening, the chief feature of which was an address by Dr. Shimek, of Iowa University. Dr. Shimek is a Bohemian, American born, and educated in American schools. Some years ago he held the position of instructor in zoology at our own University, and at present occupies the chair of professor of totany and geology in the University of lowa. Although thoroughly American in spirit, he has never forgotten his own people, and it is one of the objects of his life to promote education among them. His address to the club was a splendid exhortation along this line, made all the more forcible by the speaker's pleasing personality and persuasive manner of argument.

Dr. Shimek has been making a short tour of the state, lecturing here and there, and it is now his intention to take a trip to Mexico, where he will spend a few weeks.

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playing, the team did not meet more than a few times during the whole Begin Tomorrow Morning---10 O'clock---Room 102.

## **WILL FORM LEAGUE**

#### Three Debating Societies to Be Merged Into One.

Plans have been made for merging the three debating clubs into one organization. In this movement the Union Debating club has taken the initlative. At the business meeting of the club last Saturday evening a resolution favoring the merging of the different clubs was passed. A temporary organization was later effected, and J. M. Paul was elected temporary chairman, with G. W. Huntintgon secretary. A committee was appointed to draw up constitution and it was suggested that the new organization be known as the University Debating league.

The object of the league is to form a strong society that shall meet for the purpose of discussing current political and social events, and further to enlist the efforts of all students interested in debate. Interest in debating has become rather lax, and while these measures are not exactly credited with being necessary to the preservation of club debating in some form in this university, it is felt that a union of the three societies would be best for all concerned.

Next Saturday evening permanent organization will be effected, if the other two clubs are willing to take cooperative action, as they probably will. A general mass meeting of all the students interested in debate is called to meet at 8 p. m., in the law lecture room, U. 207.

All of the clubs seem to be in sympathy with the movement, and there is nothing to indicate that they will be unwilling to join in and complete the action started by the Unions. It is quite likely that the Palladians and Maxwells will take conclusive action by adjourning sine die as the Union has done.

The debate between the Unions and Maxwells, which was to have been held last Saturday night, was postponed. It will take place next Saturday evening after the meeting. The question to be discussed will be the fifth amendment.

#### Academy Wins Debate.

Last Saturday night the Lincoln Academy debating team composed of Messrs. De Young, Miller and H. G. Myers, defeated the city Y. M. C. A. on the question, "Resolved, That it is for the best interests of both countries that Canada be annexed to the United Etates." The Y. M. C. A. team was composed of Messrs. Denny, Willis and Swan.

The debate was held in the gymnasium of the Y. M. C. A. The judges were Messrs. I.ee, Cronin and Buckner, of whom two voted for the Academy and one for the Y. Y. M. C. A. An enthusiastic crowd of over 100 was pres-

#### Freshies Will Have Caps.

The Freshmen met in U. 106 yesterday morning and transacted the necessary business that has been placed on file. Nothing very exciting took place. several committees being heard from, with favorable reports ,and among them the cap committee. agreed unanimously that they would have caps and no outside force can prevent it.

Mr. Standeven gave a report of the entertainment committee, and anpounced that they would have a party some time in May. Elaborate prepara tions were being made for it. Outside of these reports and other business of like importance very little was doing. and the meeting adjourned upon motion of Mr. Johnson.

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