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WANTS A DEBATE

Denver University Would Arrange Forensic Contest.

No Action Is Taken by Nebraska Yet. Oratorical League Again.

The usual flood of challenges has begun to come in to the debating board, from various prominent western colleges who desire to debate with Nebraska this year. The latest one is from the University of Denver, and was received last evening. No action has been taken on it yet by the debating board, but circumstances are such that it does not seem possible that the Denverites can be accommodated this year. Last year three or four debates had to be refused by Nebraska, and it seems that this is to be the case again this year. Denver, is, however, very anxious to arrange a debate on account of the splendid reputation Nebraska has attained in the past few seasons.

Arrangements are being completed by the debating board for the interstate debates this year. Definite announcements will be made concerning them in the near future.

The Oratorical league of state universities, which was organized last year, and which Nebraska refused to join, has once more invited us to enter. While it is not probable that the invitation can be accepted, owing to the fact that no strictly oratorical work is carried on in the university, yet the work which the league did last year, and the interest which its repeated invitations to Nebraska has aroused, will make the last bid a subject of much comment.

The following are the rules governing the league this year:

I. **Membership:** Participation in the contests conducted by this association shall be limited to under-graduate students of state universities.

II. **Dues:** The annual dues of each university shall be three dollars; and no institution shall be regarded as a member of the association until its dues shall have been paid to the chairman of the central executive committee and a certificate of membership issued. The money so received shall be used by the committee to defray the necessary expenses of the national organization.

III. **Preliminary Contests.** (a) Division into geographical sections: In making divisions for preliminary contests distance shall be taken into consideration, and no geographical division shall be formed for the purpose of preliminary contest without first having the approval of the central executive committee. (b) Time of contest: Local contests may be held at any time prior to the section contests, but section contest should be held not later than one month before the final contest. (c) Expenses: Each local university may meet its own local expenses in whatever way it deems best—by admission fee, assessment, etc. At each section contest receipts and traveling expenses shall be pooled and divided so that the burden of expense rests on all alike. (d) Rules governing the contest. See rules under final contest.

IV. **Final contest:** (a) Eligibility: Each state university having won a place in the preliminary contest shall be entitled to send one representative to the final contest. (b) Time and place of contest: The contest shall be held at such time and in such place as seems best to promote the interest of this association. In determining the time and place the central executive committee will take into consideration the desirability of making the contest financially successful. (c) Expenses: Whatever money remains

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Correct Your Address

For the Y. M. C. A. Student Directory

If you have changed your address since registering, please notify the registrar AT ONCE.

ARRANGING SCHEDULE MAY CUT THE K. C. RATE

Basket Ball Men Securing Dates for Coming Season.

Manager Beers, of the basket ball team, has received a request for a game at Wesleyan university on December 3. The game which was to have been played with the city Y. M. C. A. last week was called off on account of the incomplete condition of the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. The game at Wesleyan, if played, will be the occasion of a grand athletic opening at the Methodist school.

Highland Park also wants a game in Lincoln in the near future. They desire to hold a dual meet, one game to be played between the men's teams and one between the girls'. For various reasons, however, this arrangement is not satisfactory to the management of the Nebraska girl's team, and it is doubtful whether either game will be played.

Manager Beers has written to several western teams in Wyoming and Colorado, on a route similar to that taken by the team on its trip two years ago, asking for games in the near future. No replies have been received as yet. Another trip to the north and northwest has also been projected, but nothing definite has been heard from it either. A recent number of the Daily Iowan, of the university of Iowa, contained the statement, that an effort would be made to arrange a basket ball game between the Hawkeyes and the Cornhuskers, but nothing in that connection has been received directly from the management of the Iowa team.

It is reported that the Yale university team will make an extended western trip this year, and the famous Sioux City Y. M. C. A. has been asked for a game. It is not known whether the Elis will cross the Missouri or not. In any case, nothing has been heard from them here.

WILL FORM TODAY.

New Battalion at State Farm to be Organized.

This afternoon the much talked of battalion at the state agricultural college will be organized. The registration at the farm, which, to date numbers over 150, would indicate that at least two very respectable companies may be formed. No arrangements as to officers have been announced yet, though the farmers, for the present at least, are to be under university cadets.

Glee Club Progresses.

The Glee Club practiced last night, with full attendance. Already progress can be noticed. The pieces so far rehearsed are among the most difficult in glee club repertoire, but with the material he has Director Eames promises to do them full justice. There is still a place in the second bass to be filled, and one in the first tenor. Application should be made to Director Eames, and a trial will be given immediately. This should be attended to at once.

Railroads are at Work on Kansas City Excursion.

Manager Davis is back from Kansas City where he has been making final arrangements regarding the Haskell-Nebraska game this Saturday. Officials satisfactory to both parties have been agreed upon, and the field question has been decided. The seating capacity of the field is not as large as Manager Davis would have wished, but it will probably be sufficient. So far a rate of \$5.75 for the round trip is the lowest that has been offered for the game in Kansas City Saturday. The travel is so heavy, and railroad equipment so in demand to haul traffic at regular rates, that the railroad officials are loath to make any great reductions, and on this account it is possible that this rate will stand. However, both the Burlington and the Missouri Pacific are at work on the rate, and another cut may be announced today. The Kansas roads are making excursions from all points in Kansas for the game. A big crowd of Haskell supporters is going to be on hand and we need 500 from Nebraska to cheer our team on to what promises to be a severe struggle. With the team in its present condition every ounce of enthusiasm and support and backing that the students have in them is needed, not only at the game in Kansas City Saturday, but on the gridiron at practice before they go. We have a good opportunity right now, to get behind the men and help them along when they need it. Get out on the field this afternoon, and open up, and then make arrangements to go down to the city on the Kaw and root as Kansas never has heard rooting before. It will be a hard game, and Nebraska must be well represented. Everybody make arrangements to go.

Captain Benedict, who was so badly injured in last Saturday's game, is doing well. His knee and ankle are behaving better than was expected, and his nose is healing up rapidly. While unable to be out, as yet, his splendid constitution and grit are standing him in good stead, and will result in his speedy recovery.

Professor Wolcott has received a letter from Coach Willard, of the Knox college team concerning the treatment his men received in Lincoln. Coach Willard has the following to say:

"All of us here were greatly pleased that Nebraska did so well last Saturday and only wished that she might have won (against Minnesota.) If you have a chance will you convey my good wishes and congratulation both to Booth and to Davis?"

"Our fellows were quite used up after our game at Lincoln, but we all felt that Mgr. Davis and Coach Booth, to say nothing of your rooters, had done everything possible to make our trip a pleasant one."

Faculty and students both agree that meals at the School of Music cafe are par excellence.

Dr. W. E. Jack, Dentist, 1301 O St.

LET THE LAWS IN

Lawyers Worm Way Into Inter-Class Athletics.

A Stormy Meeting Held Yesterday Morning.—The Rules.

The first meeting of the Inter-Class Athletic board was called yesterday by Chairman Herbert States, of 1905. The four academic classes were represented by three men each, and Messrs. Ramsey and Schmidt were present to represent the freshman law class. Mr. Raber of 1906, acted as secretary. A constitution, presented by Mr. Clark, of 1905, was adopted. Among the provisions of this constitution which are new are that the different law classes will be allowed to play with the academic classes to settle the class championships in the various athletic contests. Heretofore the laws have played each other. No law men, however, can play on academic teams, but the men who are both academic and law will be permitted to play on academic teams. A committee of one from each class was appointed by Chairman States to draw up rules for the various contests, to decide about the eligibility of the various players, etc.

YORK GAME OFF.

Academy Cancels Contest With York H. S.

The Academy-York football game scheduled for next Saturday has been called off by the academy management. Manager Myers states that the receipts were light at the Omaha-Academy game played on the campus October 29 and that so far as he can see there is no indication that the gate money would be forthcoming in much larger quantities next Saturday than it was two weeks ago. Since the academy has but a small student body to draw from it would be difficult to make up a large deficit and it was deemed wise to not run the risk of going deeper in debt.

The management has been fortunate enough to secure a game with Beatrice High school, to be played in Beatrice on next Friday, so that the team will not miss the opportunity to play a good game and the management will at the same time be relieved of the risk of contracting a larger deficit.

Y. M. C. A. Reception.

On Saturday evening a large number of university men will leave Twelfth and O at 7:15 for the state farm, to attend a reception given to men enrolled in the school of agriculture. Among other things which will be taken along are a good program and some light refreshments. Every university man is eligible for this function and a special invitation is extended to all new men. Those caring to go will please be at Twelfth and O at 7:15 prepared to have a great time.

Dr. Jones at Chapel.

This morning Dr. J. W. Jones, of Lincoln, will speak at convocation. Dr. Jones is the successor of Dr. Fletcher L. Wharton at St. Paul's church, and his appearance in chapel is on that account expected to draw a large crowd.

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