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A LABELED LAMB

And the Big Rock Brings Sophs and Freshies Together.

Forty-five Minutes Scrap Gives Victory To '08.

Not since the famous Big Rock scrap in 1900 has there been such a coming together of the underclassmen as occurred at Convocation time yesterday morning. The battle of yesterday was perhaps fiercer than the famous one, but co-ed spirit was sadly lacking. Unlike the girls of '00 who gallantly upheld the weaker sex with batpins, teeth, finger nails and hair-pulling, yesterday's rough houseing was left to the men.

And it all happened because of a harmless little lamb, and a couple of labels. The lambkin was tethered to the fence in front of U Hall and labeled "A Lost Freshman." The Freshmen viewed with disgust and aversion both the sign and the signed, and succeeded in removing the obnoxious labels. For a time this seemed to end things until the Sophomores, with nothing else to do, took possession of the ancient bone of contention, the Big Rock, and stated in no doubtful terms that it was theirs and that they would hold it until the bells called them to class room.

And then the coming together occurred. For three quarters of an hour the boasting Sophomores tried to make good their boasts, and for three quarters of an hour the Freshies scrapped to prove them false, and in the end the Freshies had the better of the argument. For a time it was an even break as to which class had possession of the coveted place the most, and for a time it was equally hard to determine whose yells were loudest, but superior numbers, or something else finally brought '08 more and more on top. The Freshies staid longer before the eyes of the admiring and cheering public, and their yells grew louder. Finally, when both sides were too far exhausted to do much more effective scrapping some of the upper classmen prevailed upon them to stop, and amid howls of derision and scoffing from the Sophs the decision was handed down for the plaintiff, and the Freshies were satisfied.

And the Big Rock, robbed of a small quantity of the one time surrounding verdure, but reimbursed with dust, collars, cuffs, coat tails, fountain pens, pocket knives, and even a gold watch, or two awaits another boastful possessor.

The Sophs say the end is not yet.

Doane Today.

This afternoon the Varsity baseball team meets Doane college on the Varsity diamond. The Doane team is a speedy bunch of players. This year they have been playing exceptionally good ball for a small college, as they have defeated every team they have met. The Varsity will appear this afternoon for the last time before the spring vacation and immediately after vacation they leave on the eastern trip. Nilsson will be in the box for the Varsity.

Chanin Bros., Florists, 127 So. 13th.

WASHINGTON-NEBRASKA, TONIGHT!

DEBATE

Fourteenth Amendment

Memorial Hall.

Admission 35c

WIN SECOND PLACE

Nebraska's Gymnasts Do Excellent Work at Chicago.

The Varsity baseball team won the second game from the Nebraska Indians on last Saturday by a score of 7-6. The Varsity found Ninham, Green's southpaw, pretty frequently and by bunching their hits were able to send one more man across the plate than the Indians were able to.

The game was one of the hardest contests played on the Varsity diamond this year. But much wrangling on both sides marred what otherwise was a very interesting game. Gaddis surprised the fans by his heavy hitting for of five times to the bat he made two doubles and a single. This man has improved much since the first of the season and is now playing good ball. The work of the outfield for the Varsity was exceptionally good in Saturday's game. Fenlon succeeded in putting the figure four in the P. O. column to his credit.

The team plays Doane college today in the last game before vacation and the last but one game before the eastern trip.

DEFEAT INDIANS

Varsity Wins Second Game of Series From the Redskins.

The Nebraska gymnastic team succeeded in capturing second place in the Intercollegiate Gymnastic meet held in Bartlett Gymnasium, Chicago, Saturday evening. The winner of first place was Wisconsin. Johnson, a member of the team, won the individual championship, and Copeland won third place. In the six events Johnson scored 104 points to his opponent's 98 points. Copeland had 94 to his credit.

This is Nebraska's first attempt in the gymnastic world and the effort has counted for much. The team, composed of two men, could not be expected to take victory from a team of six, each one a specialist on one event. This was the kind of a team Wisconsin sent down. For the team championship Wisconsin had 40; Nebraska 12, and Chicago 3 points each. Johnson got two seconds and two thirds, and Copeland received places in the events. The success of this team is especially worthy of much merit and praise.

Dr. Clapp accompanied the team.

WIN LAST CONTEST

Girl's Basket Ball Five Defeat Omaha Y. W. C. A.

Successful Close to a Most Successful Basket Ball Season.

The girls' basketball team journeyed to Omaha Friday evening and defeated the Omaha Y. W. C. A. team of that city in the last game of the basketball season. The score, 27 to 14, is a very fair indication of the relative merits of the two teams, considering too, the fact that the floor played on was about the size of our chapel floor. The game was a fast contest, throughout, and the audience was very fair, applauding good plays rather than one team. For Nebraska Miss Jansa closed a remarkable record at basketball by scoring nine points out of ten chances from foul. This was Miss Jansa's last game of her University career. She has been a member of the Varsity for four years and her place will be most difficult to fill. The girls, while in Omaha, were pleasantly entertained by the Omaha Association. For the Omaha team Miss Baker at forward did nearly all the work for her team.

Nebraska's line for the last game was as follows:

Forwards—Miss Jansa, Marguerite Pillsbury.

Center—Alice Towne.

Guards—Inez Everett, Inez Gittings.

Miss Archibald accompanied the team, but did not have an opportunity to get into the game.

Hoar, of Lincoln, and Miller, of Omaha, alternated as referee and umpire.

Professor Fogg has received several congratulatory letters from old Nebraska debaters since the judges cast the unanimous decision for the affirmative last Friday evening in Memorial hall. The men still seem to have the same interest in Nebraska forensic work which characterized their University career.

WASHINGTON NEXT

Strong Teams Represent Nebraska and Washington.

Debaters Will Attempt to Add Ninth Banner to the Trophy Room.

Tonight in Memorial Hall, the second big debate will occur, in which our team will meet the team from Washington University, St. Louis. The debate will be on the same question upon which Nebraska defeated Iowa, by unanimous decision of the judges Friday evening, namely: "Resolved, That the second sentence of the second section of the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution should be repealed." This sentence provides for a reduction of a state's representation in Congress if it restricts its suffrage. Nebraska will again maintain the affirmative and will be represented by Albert M. Levy, J. Dean Ringer and Joseph M. Swenson.

Albert M. Levy, 1907, Lincoln, was a member of five victorious debating teams while on the Lincoln high school. In 1902 he won the Nebraska inter-scholarship debate championship for Lincoln. Last year Mr. Levy was alternate on the Nebraska debating team which defeated Kansas.

J. Dean Ringer, '03, Law '05, Lincoln, graduated from the Lincoln high school which he twice represented in inter-scholastic debates. He has played football on the Nebraska team for five years and baseball one year. He is general secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association. Mr. Ringer has never before tried for the team.

Joseph M. Swenson, 1908, Omaha, prepared for university at the Omaha high school. He represented the high school on several inter-scholastic debates twice in contests with the Chicago central high school.

The team has undergone four months of stringent training under the supervision of Prof. M. M. Fogg. The members are loaded with evidence and fully prepared to enter the fray and uphold the reputation of Nebraska. They have made the best of use of the experience gained by absorbing the Iowa debate Friday evening, and since that time have been making such alterations to their case as they deemed necessary. The case of Nebraska proved to be impregnable in the debate with Iowa, and with the improvements made, the prospects for another victory are exceedingly bright.

Washington comes here with a strong team, two of her speakers being graduate students and are veteran debaters. We defeated Washington last May at St. Louis but the Nebraska team expects a harder fight tonight. Three men who have never before been in an inter-collegiate fight will be lined up against a team the members of which have had from two to seven years training in college and a victory under such circumstances will be something to be elated over. The following is the personnel of the Washington team:

Graham C. Stevens, school of engineering and architecture, '07; Henry T. Ferress, Law '05; A. B. Cornell, '02.

Fred Armstrong, Jr., Law '05, A. B. (Continued on page 2.)

Frederick E. Bolton

On "IMITATION"

TONIGHT

7 O'CLOCK.

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