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GLOOM ENVELOPES CAMP

WITH WASHBURN GAME BUT TWO DAYS OFF CORNHUSKER TEAM IN BAD SHAPE

SHIELDS ON CRIPPLE LIST

Washburn Said to Have Stronger Team Than Whick Defeated K. U. Last Year.

(H. V. Harlan.)

Down into the deep, dark, dark cellar of gloom goes the hopes of the Cornhusker devotees. A long and increasing list of crippies; a green and inexperienced line; a scarcity of varsity material; and the reported strength of the Washburn aggregation tell the tearful tale.

More Hard Luck.

In the varsity-freshman scrimmage yesterday at the State Farm, Shields left tackle, was put out of the game for a week or more through his right leg. There is no one available to fill his shoes. Stiehm is at a loss where to get a player of varsity calibre with which to plug this hole in the line. As it is, the line is not up to standard and the losing of any one man may bring about direful results.

Stiehm is hard pressed from another source to keep what remains of his shattered machine intact, for the faculty has hung "cons" on several of the players. Whether these aforesaid "cons" can be lifted during the two remaining days before the Washburn game, no one knows. At all events those upon whom the ban of collegiate life is hanging are burning up the mid-night juice in a heroic effort to shake them off. May the God of Good Luck be with them..

Fair Scrimmage Yesterday.

For the second time this week the varsity scrimmaged with the fresh men at the Farm. The battle lasted for some forty minutes. It was mediocre throughout. The varsity uncorked everything they have and at that were only able to annex five touchdowns. The work of the line was ragged and slipslod. It is going to be almost impossible to fill Shield's place at left tackle. Good line material is woefully lacking. The line charges poorly and does not open good holes for the plunges of the back field. Beck and Towle alter

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FRATS PLEDGE TODAY.

Since all the fraternities have reported the men they desire to pledge, and the records of the same have been examined and their eligibility determined, the time and date for officially pledging the freshmen who are eligible is placed at noon today (October 2).

J. T. LEES.

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CROSS COUNTRY EXPECTED TO BE SUCCESSFUL SPORT

Captain McMaster and Coach Reed Enthusiastic But Want More Men.

Cross Country.

About thirty men are out so far for the Cross country run, while at least fifteen more are expected out by Coach Guy Reed. The date of the final try outs will be Saturday November 1st. Several of last year men are out and making a good showing, while several new men are showing excelent form.

McMasters Captain.

McMasters captain of this year's squad is making wonderful strides above his former standing. Last year he won the 5 mile tryouts in good time also making a good 2 miler on the Varsity. This year he claims he will not stop with anything small, unless it is his time. He also has an able bodied following. Kratz a last year's man is coming to the front and means to hold his ylace on the team against all new comers. H. M. Diers, another last year's man is running better than ever. Charles Anderson a brother of Louis Anderson, our greatest cross country and track man seems to be following in his brother's tracks. He was on last year's team and there is little doubt of his holding that position again. Kubik has won a name of fame this season. They say he actually flies. He made the try outs yast year, but had some bad luck and was out the whole season on account of a bad ankle. Gerlaw from the Kansas Agriculture school is a valuable addition to the squad and is looked upon as being excellent material. H. Goetze of last year's Varsity Track Team makes as speedy a man on long distance running as on the sprints. The other eligible men this year who have attracted attention are: Phillipi; J. B. Compton; Hardin; L. C. Brown; V. D. Smith; Lanz; Bates; W. H. Bixby; Miskossky; and E. K. Nelson. A. M. Lipman made good showing but has had to drop out on account of sickness.

Freshmen Material.

The first year men are making a fine showing and if they were eligible, some of them would no doubt make the regular squad. Next year they will have their chance, and will make the old men work hard for their place on the team. Among the speediest new men are: Frost; Kyle; Paine; R. E. Anderson; L. Clark; Floyd Runkel; Recker; Prusa; Smith and Hanlon:

The Mo. Valley Meet.

This year the Missouri Valley Conference meet will be held in Lincoln at the time of the Wesleyan Uni., game making that date a double attraction. Our strongest opponents this year will be Missouri, Kansas, Ames, Coe, and Drake. The chances are that we will make an excellent showing and renew our old standing on the cross country run. Last year our team showed up so poor that we could not even send a team to the

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UNIVERSITY TENNIS TOURNAMENT IN TWO WEEKS

Courts Are Being Bolstered Up in Preparation for Annual Event.

Arrangements are being made preparatory to the University tennis tournament to be held during the week starting Monday, October 13. Nebraska's very poor tennis facilities are being bolstered up to give the racket wielders the best possible advantages for practice in the hope that they may, in spite of the material handicaps, do credit to themselves in the Missouri Valley meet in the spring.

The courts, two in number, and by nature of an abominable character, may be found by careful search to the east of the athletic field. In comparison with the tennis apparatus of neighboring schools, Nebraska's grounds are deplorably inefficient. Both Ames and Kansas are fitted out with ten courts in good condition. However, the backstops of the home grounds are being enlarged and the ground rolled in the hope that the aspirants may indulge in the necessary practice to fair advantage.

Entries for the all-university tournament may be filed later, according to instructions that will be announced, with Guy Williams, who has been appointed to supervise tennis affairs. One round a day will be played during the week. Contrary to the situation in interscholastic athletics, freshmen as well as upper classes are eligible in the coming tournament. It is probable that the valley meet in the spring will be held at Ames, although the place remains undecided.

The material necessary to make the tournament an interesting one is by no means lacking. Williams himself went to the Missouri Valley meet last spring and lost out apparently only because of his unavoidably poor condition. Meyer is a player of no mean ability, while Ellis, the state doubles champion, is in school. Announcements for entries will be published later.

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ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the general election for selecting the presidents of the four respective University classes will be held on Tuesday, October 7, in Memorial Hall. The polls will be open from 9 to 12 and 1 to 5. Each candidate is required to file a written statement of his candidacy in this office before 5 p. m. Friday, October 3. No candidate shall be entitled to election whose name is not printed on the ballot. There shall be no soliciting of votes by cards or otherwise at polls or in the building in which the election is being held during election day.

E. M. RUTLEDGE,
Registrar.

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ELECTION BUZZ STARTS

MANY CANDIDATES ANNOUNCE THEMSELVES AS ASPIRANTS FOR HONORS.

FILINGS CLOSE FRIDAY

Political Rumblings Have Made Themselves Heard For Some Time But Climax Next Tuesday.

Friday is the last day which men desiring a place on the ballot as candidates for the class positions to be filled at the elections of next week will have to file their names with Registrar Rutledge as official aspirants. As a consequence of this nearness of what might be termed the close of the political "open-season" a number of candidates and rumors of candidates are being learned of in every increasing numbers. The elections of all classes will be held the coming Tuesday under the plan which received its first trial last year, the Australian Ballot system. Students are allowed to vote only in election of that class to which they belong. At the coming election only the position of class-president is to be filled.

The race in the two upper classes promises to be interesting as it is known that there will be at least two candidates in each class. In the senior class it is understood that the race lies at this time between three men—Robert Flory, W. A. Rockie, and Sam Griffin. This gives promise of a tight three cornered race. All men are regarded as strong candidates. Flory has been prominent in class and school affairs ever since entering school at Nebraska. He is well known as a base-ball man and is a member of the Kappa Sigma Fraternity. Rockie is a prominent student in the College of Agriculture, being a member of the Ag club and of Alpha Zeta. He is a member of the Forest club and was connected with the Forest Club Annual as manager last year. He has also served as president of the Union Literary Society. Griffin has served as a member of the Cornhusker staff and of the Student Publication Board. He is prominent in the law school. He is a member of Phi Delta Phi and Phi Gamma Delta.

In the junion class the candidates are Cloyd Stewart and W. H. Bauman. Both are prominent in their class and

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LAST CALL FOR NAMES for the UNIVERSITY DIRECTORY

A book will be kept in the Temple till 4 p. m. Thursday, October 2, when it will be removed and the lists closed.

If you do not report your correct address and telephone you can not blame the publishers.

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