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## CORNHUSKERS TAKE SLUMP

SIX REGULARS OUT FOR PRACTICE LAST EVENING

## RUTHERFORD SICK WITH FEVER

Cornhuskers Intend to Use Straight Football Against the Jayhawkers.

Again has the dismal cloud of gloom spread itself over the ranks of the Cornhusker football followers. It was announced yesterday afternoon that Richard Rutherford was suddenly taken ill and confined to his room with a high fever. It is not thought by the attending physicians that the star half will be kept from the gridiron for more than three or four days. He was taken ill yesterday morning while at the Y. M. C. A. and was later removed to his room at 345 North Thirteenth street, where he was immediately placed under the care of physicians.

There were only six regulars out for practice last evening. Towle and Halligan were on the side lines but they are nursing their injuries and were in no condition to practice. Thompson and Mastin took life easy and did not report for practice. This left but few of the varsity to battle the freshmen but the second string men did good work.

After going through the preliminary practices of tackling, punting and signal work, the six varsity men together with five of Coach Dudley's "hoodlums" lined up against the first year men. Coffey returned the ball twenty yards from the kickoff. Delametre made about five more on an end run. A forward pass was tried but the freshmen recovered the ball. They made several good gains through the center of the varsity but lost the ball to the regulars. The varsity then began a series of line plunges which gained, but a forward pass from Howard to Beck scored the touchdown. The coach dismissed the squad with a "three laps around the field."

The following was taken from one of the Topeka papers:

"Haskell's work appears to lack completeness. Purdy, the Cornhusker captain, will recover in time to play in the game against Kansas. Reports from Lawrence state that Coach Minnesota Shittless Frank has decided that the Jayhawkers need something else. Washburn players who helped smash the shift last year, when the Ichabods defeated K. U., say that the shift loses effectiveness when the other team isn't afraid of it."

It might be well to add that Nebraska is contemplating the use of nothing but straight football with K. U. when the two teams meet in two weeks. Not that they have nothing else but that is the game the Jayhawkers are least expecting.

From the dope as it now stands on paper it is all Nebraska, but those who know Kansas know there will be some game in the Jayhawk land when the two old rivals meet. Kansas plays two games each year—Missouri and

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## WILL OWEN JONES SPEAKS TO JOURNALISTIC SEMINAR

Editor of State Journal Sees No Future in Journalism.—Provides Excellent Training for Business Career.

The second semi-monthly meeting of the Journalistic Seminar was held last night in the office of the Daily Nebraskan. Mr. Will Owen Jones, editor-in-chief of the State Journal, spoke to the class on the various phases of newspaper work and outlined a course in the theory of journalism that could be conveniently followed in one semester's study. Mr. Jones spoke of the previous work done in the study of practical writing and the value of the training. The talk was intended to be but a brief summary of the high lights in journalism and a part of the time was spent in answering the questions of reporters.

"Journalism is not a profession, but a trade," was one of his opening statements, and he advised no one to enter it with the idea of remaining more than ten years. "It is most excellent training for everything except the newspaper profession. The man who expects to make money should start from the business or advertising side."

The development of the newspaper was touched upon, especially its rise in America. The years from 1832 to 1846 he pointed out as the most brilliant in American journalism, for it was then that a majority of the big New York papers were started. The most important factors in the perfection of the modern newspaper were the Webb perfecting press, the stereotyping process, the cheapening of paper and the wonderful development in publicity and advertising. One of the marked changes coming as a direct result of this has been the transference of control from the editorial to the business desk.

The development of the news story as such and the importance of the interview in gathering news were the principal points brought out in the discussion of practical reporting.

A series of similar addresses has been planned for the rest of the semester, to include talks by the editors of some of the larger metropolitan dailies.

## JUNIOR AND SENIOR PICTURES.

Have you had those pictures taken yet, Juniors and Seniors? If not, then shake it up and get it done before Thanksgiving. It will cause you no trouble to drop around Mr. Townsend's studio any hour of the day and have your face snapped, as he has everything prepared so he can take the picture without any notice or any delay. Just go down and convince yourself. If you will get them taken before Thanksgiving the Cornhusker management promises that the book will be out a month ahead of any previous issue.

## Delta Chi Pledge.

Delta Chi fraternity announces the pledging of Albert Covert of Washington, D. C.

## MIMIC MANEUVER STAGED BY REGIMENT IN FIELD

Cadets Deployed for Two Hours in "Russiatown" Last Night.—Arm Signals Supercede Vocal Commands.

While four o'clock classes were excused for cadets yesterday, the first regiment "took to the field" for an extended series of practice maneuvers. Under the command of Lieut. Bowman acting as colonel the three battalions were deployed as tho under actual war conditions on the open ground northwest of "Russiatown." The exercise began at four and was completed at six.

The attitude of the war department at Washington toward military instruction in colleges is responsible for this latest wrinkle in drill. Instead of training the men altogether in the handling of the rifle and company drill, it is the purpose of the department to acquaint them with the principles of open order work, under which the greatest part of actual warfare has to be carried on. The experiment has proved successful in the main this fall, in that the men are becoming acquainted with the methods employed in handling large bodies of men in the field.

The deployment last night was especially for the purpose of practicing the transmission and receiving of arm signals. As the companies become scattered out, the regulation signals used by the army are employed. Each officer in the field receives instructions from his superiors and transmits them to his command in this way. A number of signals, not found in the I. D. R., were hastily invented by officers on the lines last night, but it is probable that the officers will resort to the regulation signals in the future.

Tonight drill will be at the regular hour, and an assignment of first year cadets will be made to the companies. On Tuesday the last of the field problems of this fall is to be staged, with the entire regiment, recruited to better strength by the addition of the new men tonight, employed as before. This problem will begin at 4 o'clock, weather permitting. The two-hour drill program commences after the Thanksgiving vacation.

## CROSS COUNTRY TEAM TO ENTER M. V. MEET ANNOUNCED

Will Be Held Here November 22 With Finish on Field Between Halves of Iowa Game.

In the Missouri valley cross country meet, which will be held Saturday, November 22, the following men will represent Nebraska: McMasters, Goetze, Anderson, Krantz, Gerlau and Kubik. The contest will be finished in front of the grandstand between the halves of the Iowa game. Washington college and Drake will not compete this year.

The Household Arts Club met Tuesday evening with Margaret Long at the Acoth House.

## DEBATE TEAM PICKED

EIGHT MEN CHOSEN FROM SQUAD TO MEET IOWA AND MINNESOTA.

## GENERAL SURPRISES SPRUNG

Yet Members of Squad Express Confidence and Satisfaction in Selection.—Fogg Starts Another Winning Aggregation.

The two teams to represent Nebraska in inter-collegiate debate for the year 1913-14 were picked in the final tryouts held last evening in the armory. The first tryouts held about a month ago determined sixteen members of the debating squad and it was from this group that the two teams were chosen. There was plenty of good material and much confidence has been placed in the selected men, although as one student expressed it, "there were several surprises."

The team which will meet Minnesota at Lincoln consists of:

Reed B. Dawson, '14, Lincoln.  
Homer G. Hewitt, '15, Brewster.  
Harold A. Prince, '12, Law '15, Grand Island.  
Paul Good, '13, (Amherst), Law '16, Lincoln, alternate.

The team which will meet the University of Iowa at Iowa City:

Raymond E. Kirk, '15, Kearney.  
Otto K. Perrin, '14, Sargent.  
C. A. Sorenson, '14, Law '16, Loup City.  
Harold J. Schwab, '16, McCook, alternate.

The relative positions of the debaters on the teams is not absolutely definite and two of the speakers may possibly be shifted to the opposite team.

The judges were Dr. Maxey, Professor J. E. Le Rosignal and Professor George M. Foster. Professor M. M. Fogg of the rhetoric department is coaching the teams.

## Chancellor Not a Candidate.

On the grounds that it is injurious to the welfare of the University to have the name of its Chancellor involved with the warring school factions and because of personal sentiment against accepting the presidency of the State Teachers' Association unless unanimously elected, Chancellor Avery yesterday issued a statement requesting that his name be dropped finally from the nominations at the convention at Omaha.

## THETA NU EPSILON AT MINNESOTA.

It has been rumored that a chapter of Theta Nu Epsilon is now in existence at Minnesota. The editorial comments on the matter in the Minnesota papers seem to think that the reports are true. The interfraternity council has signified its intention of investigating the situation. This fraternity was there several years ago in a flourishing chapter which at that time was notorious for its night of revelry in drinking houses.