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SCARLET AND CREAM WIN EVERY LEAGUE GAME.

About two thousand people, among them three hundred U. of N. students, saw Oury's Invincibles gain their final victory at Council Bluffs on Thanksgiving day. The weather was not pleasant, the grounds were not in good condition, the car service was as bad as it well could be but the game itself left nothing to be desired. It was the kind of battle that wins friends for football. From the kick off to Iowa's last desperate rush the game never lagged. It was a clean contest. There was no slugging, no fouls and no extended arguments with the umpire. The game was steady from the start, became fast and furious toward the end and was marked by one brilliant play.

The details of the game are already well known. The season is over and the interest of the students is turned in other directions. The HESPERIAN therefore confines itself to a few general comments.

During the first half the fighting was all in Iowa's territory. The Nebraskans soon proved themselves superior in aggressive playing. But the Hawkeyes put up a magnificent defense. The Nebraskans were prevented from scoring in the first half by the failure of Cowgill's repeated attempts to kick goal from the field. The quarterback's ill success was due to the condition of the field—the ball would not leave the ground.

Early in the second half Benedict broke away for a thirty-five yard run and made the only touchdown of the game. The touchdown was well earned. Three burly Iowans blocked his way and it seemed impossible that the fleet Nebraska half back could escape being tackled or forced out of bounds. The three "Klondikers" in turn attempted to stop his flight but Bennie wiggled loose and crossed the line. Shedd sent the ball between the posts and thus finished the season without missing a goal.

Toward the close of the second half the fighting was in Nebraska's territory. The Hawkeyes grew desperate and their rushes were terrific. Hayward was disabled and reluctantly left the field. Time was nearly up and the Iowans played rapidly and furiously. Chase made a twenty-five yard run

which was followed by further slight gains for Iowa when time was called.

The line-up:

Nebraska		Iowa
Wiggins	right end	Eby
Hayward	right tackle	Egan
Turner	right guard	R D Blackmore
Melford	center	Wright
Hansen	left guard	Walker
Pearse	left tackle	A H Blackmore
Stringer	left end	Lamerton
Cowgill	quarter back	Griffith
Benedict	right half back	Meyers
Williams	left half back	Dæms
Shedd	full back	Hobbs

The crowd was about evenly divided. It was an inter-state contest and state pride was aroused. Omaha people wore the scarlet and cream while the residents of the Bluffs were decked with old gold. The Iowans were accompanied by scores of enthusiastic but un-discriminating rooters whose yell,

He-ro, Hy-ra

Play ball Iow-a,

was heard at all stages of the game and was checked momentarily only by Benedict's winning touchdown. The Nebraskans never lost confidence for a moment. They knew a winning play was coming and waited for it calmly and patiently. And when it did come they projected the old Uni. yell into the frosty air in a way that it has never been heard on the other side of the Big Muddy.

C. L. Spencer took in the foot-ball game at Council Bluffs and had a good time generally.

Miss Maud Atkinson '97 is visiting with the Misses Auman and other University friends

Miss Cora O'Connell spent Thanksgiving at her home in Tecumseh.

The Y. M. C. A. double quartette sang at the rally at the city Y. M. C. A. rooms last Sunday.

E. M. Pollard '93 and brother of Nehawka visited University friends Wednesday and Thursday.



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G. I. Babcock came down from Omaha to spend Thanksgiving among his many Lincoln friends.