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## A FINAL RATE IS MADE

### Railroads Combine on Rates to St. Joe—No Haskell Game at Omaha—Scrubs Score Again.

Definite arrangements have been made for a joint excursion by the B. & M. and M. P. railroads to the Missouri game next Saturday. The rate now stands at \$2.95 and there seems little chance of it being lowered because of the railroad combine. The excursionists will leave Lincoln on the Burlington and return via the Missouri Pacific. The exact time for going and returning has not yet been determined. Although the rate is not as cheap as might be hoped for, still it is very reasonable and it will probably be the last chance to see a game away from Lincoln. The announcement made in yesterday's issue that the Haskell game would take place in Omaha was a mistake. Manager Engel has scheduled no game at Omaha and the talk about such a game was due to the efforts of the Omaha papers to get a game there. There is a slight possibility of the Knox game being played there on the 15th, but unless changes are made in the schedule it will be played on the home grounds.

The scrubs lined up against the 'varsity last night and succeeded in crossing their goal line after a straight hard run of 65 yards around the end. Morris, quarterback for the scrubs, did the work, and further distinguished himself by some pretty tackling. Captain Westover then urged his men to play better football and they did.

Later in the practice the ball was pushed to the scrubs' 25-yard line and Benedict kicked a goal from the field, the ball passing squarely between the posts.

Bender did not appear in the scrimmage. His side still troubles him and he will not line up until the Missouri game. His place at right half was creditably filled by Englehart, who made a touchdown. Shedd, who was injured in the Minnesota game, played his position during part of the practice, after which Follmer went in. Thorpe played the other end after Cortelyou went out.

The scrubs are playing good football. The way they go after the 'varsity is indeed admirable, and their efforts have much to do with our success on the gridiron.

#### BASKET BALL.

Prospects for a good basket ball team are growing better. While no old men are back, several freshmen who have played on high school teams are showing up well and last year's second team men are doing good work.

Fifteen men reported for practice Tuesday and three teams were made up. The first team was composed of the following names: Ferguson, Myers, Elliot, Beers and Sampson. Each of the other two teams lined up

against them during the practice hour and some good playing was done by both sides. Captain Hewitt, who has been kept from practicing on account of rheumatism, watched the game from the side lines.

The girls began to practice basket ball yesterday. A lively practice was engaged in and some good playing done.

#### Academy Notes.

This morning at 10 the young ladies of the Lincoln Academy will hold a rally. The conditions for the two basket ball teams will be made. About twelve of the young ladies have already joined these teams and more are applying. The suits have been made by a Lincoln dressmaker and are now ready for the team. The city Y. W. C. A. gymnasium and shower baths have been engaged for the season for the use of the basket ball players. At the rally Mrs. Hodgman will also present her plans for a social hour club for the young ladies. The club will meet every two weeks at Mrs. Hodgman's home, 700 North Sixteenth street. Light refreshments will be served and helpful talks will be given by some Lincoln woman of prominence on dress, manners, health, amusements and other practical topics. The

young women are expected to come, in their school clothes, direct from their work at the Academy or the university at some convenient afternoon hour.

Saturday at 9 a. m. the football team will leave for Crete to demolish the second team of Doane College. They will return with their opponents' scalps on their belts at 5:30 in the evening.

The new chairs and blackboards arrived this week.

Next Tuesday R. T. Hill will present the interests of The Daily Nebraskan to the Academy students at their convocation hour. The principal is very anxious that the students come in closer touch with the university because they will probably all eventually become students of the university.

The football game between the sophomore team and the Lincoln Academy, which was postponed Tuesday, will be played off today.

Parties from Webster county who are prospecting for oil, have reached a depth of 600 feet. They called on Governor Savage and members of the state geological survey, asking for aid for the prosecution of their work. Immense sums of money are being spent this year in prospecting.

## THEY DO WELL IN TENNIS

### Nebraska Players Give Southerners Strong Opposition—Wright Brings Back a Trophy.

In the tri-state tennis meet at Lawrence last week Wright, Nebraska, won first place in singles, but, together with Tyner, lost to Kansas in doubles. Missouri was unplaced. The defeat of Feltshaus, the crack player of the Kansas University, came as a big surprise to the Kansas men. Since Nebraska had lost both of her fast men of last year's team, Farnsworth and Fallor, Feltshaus was confidently picked for the winner by the Kansas papers. Wright, however, clearly outclassed him and defeated him handily.

The result of this tournament keeps the championship of the middle west at Nebraska, where it has been held by Farnsworth for the last three years.

The prizes for the tournament were donated by Kansas City and Lawrence firms and were as follows:

First prize—Phonograph, with rec-

opponents thus far, and President Whitmore of the tennis club regards him as an expert."

Mr. Farnsworth has been one of Nebraska's fastest players for the last four years. He holds the tri-state championship in singles and other honors in doubles. He was manager of the University Tennis association from 1900 to 1902. His playing capabilities are well recognized by players here and friends will be pleased to learn of his present success.

#### New Physical Director.

Dr. Clapp has arrived and has assumed charge of the physical education department. He has been detained from his work on account of illness and Mr. Lane, his assistant, has taken his place.

The University compliments itself on having secured so able a man as Dr. Clapp. The authorities have long been trying to secure his services and now congratulate themselves on their success. With regard to his ability and knowledge of gymnasium work, it suffices to say that Yale admits that he is second to none.

With Dr. Clapp, Mr. Lane and Miss Barr at the head of the physical education department it bids fair to become one of the strong departments in the University.

Dr. Clapp holds the world's record in pole vaulting at 11 feet 10.5 inches, and many remember the exhibition he gave here in this feat in 1900. He is a graduate of Yale and also of the Keokuk Medical School at Keokuk, Iowa, and has had four years' experience in teaching gymnastics.

Mr. Lane is a graduate of the Chautauqua School of Physical Education in New York and has attended the Geneva Y. M. C. A. training school in Wisconsin. He has been engaged in teaching for seven years at the Waco Y. M. C. A. and a blind institute in Austin, Texas.

Gymnasium work will take on new life and promises to be raised to a higher standard than ever before.

#### Sophomores vs. Academy.

The sophomore class football team and the Academy eleven will line up against each other this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The "scops" have been going through steady practice in the last two weeks and with good material feel they can whip anybody their size.

The Academy eleven wants to rub up against a good thing and have been glad to schedule the game. They put up a good game considering their experience. The game will be finished before the regular 'varsity practice.

The game scheduled between Pennsylvania and Chicago has been called off on account of the distance to be traveled to bring the teams together.

Interest in class athletics is growing. Four class teams practiced yesterday at chapel time and some good class games are expected to take place soon.

At Nebraska and Minnesota they have an assembly every morning. This would seem to be a good deal of a good thing.—The Daily Iowan.

## MISS ELLEN M. STONE

### Lectures Tomorrow Night at the Lincoln Auditorium.

Under Auspices of College Settlement Association.  
Reserved Seats on Sale. Admission, 50c.

ords, valued at \$35; won by Wright, Nebraska.

Second prize—Silver loving cup; won by Pierson, Kansas.

Consolation prize—Dress suit case; won by Feltshaus, Kansas.

Prizes for place in doubles—"Pim" racket and silver loving cup; won by Pierson and Feltshaus, Kansas.

#### Farnsworth at Cornell.

Nebraska is showing up in the east as well as in the west. Earle E. Farnsworth is becoming known at Cornell in tennis, and from the clipping taken from the Buffalo Express he stands a good show of holding an enviable position in that institution:

"Other things besides football have been engrossing the attention of the Cornell undergraduates of late. Some 200 aspirants for the championship medals in tennis have been laboriously struggling toward the finals in the tournament which will round up next week. Interest in this branch of sport has increased greatly at Cornell of late, and some excellent players are being developed. It now begins to look as if the final would be captured by E. E. Farnsworth, who entered Cornell from the University of Nebraska and in the west held the championship of three states.

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