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INDIANS WANT SCALPS

Haskell Intends to Beat Nebraska —Will Be a Battle Royal —Rates Within 100 Miles.

A Lawrence, Kan., Oct. 26, dispatch says: The football game which will probably be the best and hardest game this season will be played at Lincoln, Neb., next Saturday, when the Haskell Indians and the Nebraska Cornhuskers will struggle for the championship of the states of Nebraska, Kansas and Missouri. The result of the Nebraska-Missouri game was a surprise. Reports indicate that the Nebraskans had their hands full, while one week ago the Redskins scored almost 24 will on the Tigers. It is, of course, likely that the Cornhuskers took things easy and avoided unnecessary exertion in order that their condition for Haskell might be unimpaired, so the two scores can hardly be used as a measure of the respective strength of the teams. Coach Booth of Nebraska, was a very interested spectator at the Haskell-Washburn game Saturday, and he was unsparing in his praise of the aborigines. He makes no secret of the fact that he is by no means confident of victory. When asked by the Journal correspondent what the score would be he made no estimate. He said, however, that he hoped to win on team work. Booth freely admitted that his team individually was not nearly so fast as Haskell, but he claims that the team work of the Nebraskans is faster and more reliable. The big ex-Princeton center was enthusiastic over Haskell's back field and ends. He said that if Archiquette or Baine ever got a start the Nebraska goal line would be in danger. It is evident from what Booth said that he considers the Haskell line a trifle weak and he will probably batter it hard. The Cornhuskers are not so heavy as the Indians, according to Booth.

The showing of Haskell yesterday was a surprise even to her backers. Washburn's line was strengthened by Hughes and Clark, two of the famous Washburn team of 1900, and the Topkans were sure of victory. Haskell started in with the customary rush and gained ground as fast as the linesmen could carry their yard sticks. The Indian offense was manifestly stronger than at any previous time this year. The interference was much more effective and the man with the ball was helped on in better shape. On the defensive there seemed to be no weak places in the line. Carl at center will strengthen the line for the Nebraska game.

All of the Haskell men are in good shape to practice hard this week to prepare for Nebraska and Coach Outland will do his best to put them in condition to win. No trick plays were used in yesterday's game by the Indians, so that Booth only saw the

straight game. The Indians have a stock of tricks that they will be prepared to spring on the Nebraskans.

The game will be a good exhibition of punting. Benedict, Nebraska's quarter, bids fair to rival the great halfback, Benedict, who made a record as a kicker. Captain Falls, of Haskell, is also a punter of no mean ability and the Haskell ends get down so fast that Haskell can probably hold her own on an exchange of punts. Baine, the big Haskell half, is a good place kicker, also, so that Haskell is well provided with booters.

The above dispatch states what Haskell intends to try for next Saturday. The game will be one of the most exciting in the history of the institution. Nebraska now has a reputation to sustain. The Haskell people know it and will try to take the lead.

The game will decide practically the championship of west of the river. If Nebraska wins it will place her among the leaders in the country. Haskell realizes this and will try to put herself in Nebraska's place. The varsity team will receive as great support as at any time since the playing of football in Nebraska.

A rate has been made of one fare for the round trip from all points within one hundred miles. The athletic board is hastening the erection of more seating capacity and intends to handle an immense crowd.

Football Practice.

The scrubs had three touchdowns scored against them last night by the varsity. The first was obtained by a fumble when the scrubs had the ball on their own 5 yard line. The ball rolled behind the line and a varsity man fell on it. Simodymus made a long run that nearly resulted in a score, but was tackled by Myers before he could cross the line.

Cotton and Ringer failed to appear for practice last night, their places being taken by Tobin and Hunter. Mr. Hunter has been sent to the training table.

Sophs vs. Freshmen.

The first class football game of the year will be played between the Sophomores and Freshmen Friday afternoon at 2:30.

This will be a very interesting contest and every loyal classman should turn out and yell for his team. Both elevens have been practicing daily at chapel time and are now in good trim to battle hard for class supremacy.

A fair grade of football ought to be put up at this game as there are men on each of these teams who play with the varsity scrubs and each captain has some fifteen or twenty candidates from which to pick his men.

The Freshmen have not lined up while the Sophomores have defeated the Lincoln Academy.

The football game between the Sophomores and the Academy failed to come off yesterday. Only eight Sophomore players appeared, while the Academy was out in full force. The latter claims the game by default.

THE AUSTRALIAN STATE

Mr. Cook of American History Department Compares U. S. and Australian Consti- tutions

Mr. W. W. Cook addressed the students at convocation yesterday on "The Australian Constitution." He said in substance:

On the first day of the present century the constitution adopted by the six Australian colonies became effective, and the commonwealth of Australia came into existence. Since 1847 the question of federation had been discussed and in 1891 a constitution was actually framed but failed of adoption. The present constitution was framed by a convention of delegates elected by the people of every colony but one, and was submitted to the different legislatures for ratification. After it was passed upon by the legislatures the convention re-assembled and put the constitution into final shape. After being adopted by direct vote of the people in each colony the constitution was sent to England and became a law with practically no changes.

Australia, said the professor, has now a federal form of government, consisting of a central government and six states. The central government is a government of enumerated powers, while the states possess residuary powers. In adopting this principle they followed our example rather than that of Canada.

The speaker asserted that there are two differences between our constitution and that of Australia: First, a much wider range of subjects is placed under the control of the central government in Australia; i. e., laws relating to marriage and divorce, insurance, trading corporations, and the qualifications of voters at national elections. Second, the constitution vests only a few powers exclusively in the central government and states, especially that in all other cases the commonwealth and states have concurrent powers. That is, until the commonwealth government regulates a given question the state may exercise control.

A further section provides that when the central government does legislate upon a given subject, its laws supersede all state laws on that question. A similar provision in our own system would have prevented a large amount of litigation on constitutional questions.

The Australian legislature, said Mr. Cook, consists of the lower house, similar to our own, it being representative of the population, except that no state can have less than five representatives, and upper house, the senate. In the senate each state has six members who are elected by direct vote of the people, one half of whom retire every three years. The separation of powers, how-

ever, is not as complete as in our system. The nominal executive is the governor general, appointed by the crown of England, while the real executive is the cabinet, composed of the heads of the executive departments. This cabinet may be described as a committee of the lower house and is politically responsible to the legislature. The real executive is therefore made up of the recognized leaders of that political party which has a majority in the lower house, and remains in office only so long as it can command the confidence of a majority of that house. As a result, the small states that had won equal representation in the senate gave up their victory by allowing the executive to be vested in the lower house, which is representative of the population of the states.

Another peculiarity lies in the fact that in case of a disagreement of the two houses on any bill, if the senate refuses to pass the bill after three months of waiting, the house repasses it and then, if the senate still refuses, the governor general dissolves both houses and order a new election. If the new houses still disagree, the governor general may call a joint session and the bill can become a law by receiving an absolute majority of the votes cast in joint session.

Provision is made for a system of courts at the head of which is the high court, which interprets the constitution.

The methods of amending the Australian constitution differ greatly from our own, amending being easier, which, Mr. Cook thinks, is an improvement.

New Cadet Orders.

Captain Chase issued some important orders Monday night. The context of the rules which have been laid down is as follows:

All orders will be bulletined hereafter and cadets should examine them carefully. Applications for absence or information should be made in writing to the commandant, and explanations for delinquencies should be submitted in writing on the proper blanks.

Demerits vary from three to twenty points, according to the magnitude of the offense. Fifty will fail a man for the semester and disqualify him for promotion. Any cadet receiving sixty is reported to the Chancellor with a view to his suspension or expulsion from the university, according to the circumstances of the case.

No man will be allowed to play in the cadet band unless he is registered for the work. On and after November 3d the band will appear in uniform at all formations, and non-commissioned staff and band are hereafter under charge of the adjutant.

Cadets should not fail to salute all officers during drill hour, and must see that their guns and belts are properly cleaned and polished. No property should be removed from the armory without permission from the commandant.

Two more corporals were appointed. Their names are J. L. Clark and H. Crouch.