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FRESHMEN CHAMPIONS.

Won Last Night From the Seniors by One Point.

The championship for interclass basket ball was carried off last night by the freshmen by a single point. The score stands 25 to 24. The game was lively and spirited throughout, the teams being quite evenly matched. Neither seemed to have any advantage over the other, and not until the time-keeper's whistle blew at the end of the second half was it known how the game would end.

The first half ended with a score of 13 to 14 in favor of the freshmen. When the second half began, Myers led off with two goals, and for a while it seemed as though the juniors would turn tables on the freshmen. The freshmen, however, were not to be run away with so easily. Their excellent team work soon brought them to the front again, and for ten minutes the goals were thrown alternately. When there were but eight minutes left the two teams tied on a score of 22. Then the playing became fierce, and the side lines, though small in numbers, became quite noisy. Then Myers threw a goal, which was followed by one from Krake, making the score 24. The excitement became intense. The ball was passed up and down the field; several fouls were made, but the players were too excited to throw goals. Finally, when but one minute remained, Mathewson threw a foul for the freshmen, making the score 25 to 24. The juniors were making a fierce attempt to gain another goal when the whistle blew, leaving the freshmen victorious. The points made: Freshmen—Mathewson 4 goals and 5 fouls, Krake 3 goals, Horn 3 goals; juniors—Myers 5 goals and 1 foul, Noyes 2 goals, Lynner 3 goals and 1 foul, Flansburg 1 goal.

The juniors attribute their defeat to the absence of Ludden, who was considered one of their strongest men.

The attendance was decidedly poor, neither team being supported by their classmen. There were not, from a rough estimate, more than thirty people on the sidelines.

The members of the victorious team are Horn, Mathewson, Krake, Lee, and Clark.

Omaha Concert Date Changed.

The date of the Glee club's concert at Omaha has been changed from April 10th to April 13th. This will enable Omaha students who go home for the Easter vacation to join the alumni there in providing a large audience for the University organization's appearance. The concert will be given in the First Congregational church, and reports from University people in Omaha indicate prospects of a large and appreciative attendance.

Dr. Bentz, Dentist, Eleventh and O.

Fliegenbaum's Pharmacy, 13th and O.

\$3.00 commutation ticket for \$2.70 at the Merchants' Cafe, 117 No. 13th St. Students are cordially invited.

Practice Resumed.

Base ball practice was again resumed yesterday, after two days' interruption. The men were out from 1 till 4:30 in the endeavor to make up for lost time. Thirty candidates reported, and a fast, snappy practice was held. A crowd of seventy-five watched the work from the bleachers. Ike Raymond, last year's first baseman, was an interested spectator.

The first part of the afternoon was spent in the usual manner. Two men batted flies and ten fielders were kept busy chasing balls. Beltzer, Chase, Longaenecker, Ruebisky, Myers, and Sampson were tried out in the box, and Bender and Wilson did the work behind the bat. The most of the men were given a try at the bat.

During the last half hour infield work was begun for the first time this season and had decidedly the appearance of "baseball." Coach Gordon batted grounders to the men, who were instructed in the art of "scooping" and quick and sure throwing. Bender and Whitcomb had charge of home plate, while Moore and Wilson were given a chance to show their ability on first. Captain Townsend, McGeachin, and Johnson were tried on second, and Hood and Ramsey on third. Steen and Johnson were given a chance at short. All of these men showed up in good form. In the field Gaddis, Shelmer, Sprague and Cook showed up well. Shelmer was a member of last year's team, while Gaddis played in the outfield for the Harvard city team; Sprague was on the Sheldon team, and is a man of several years' experience. Cook has played ball with the Missouri Valley nine.

Baseball enthusiasts will regret to learn that the Nebraska nine will not meet Colorado University this year, especially as this was one of the home games. The game was to have taken place on May 18. Colorado was forced to cancel this game on account of the inability to fill some dates on her eastern schedule, and the whole trip has been abandoned. An additional reason given is the embarrassing condition of Colorado's finances. One thousand dollars was lost on football, and this baseball trip would have cost some \$500 more, and the athletic board concluded they could not stand the pressure. The date will not be filled. Nebraska plays Washburn and St. Mary's in Kansas on the 15th and 16th, and returns home Sunday. A rest of two days before the Highland Park game on the 20th will be a good thing for the team.

This year, as usual, the management is annoyed by thievish lads who congregate just outside the west fence and run away with the balls which are batted over the grandstand. Manager Bell intends to secure someone to keep an eye on these balls and put a stop to this practice. Already several balls have been stolen in this manner and it is felt that now is the time to put an end to such work.

Come and see us and let us show you how the Hi-grade finish is done.—The Evans.

NOT REVOLUTIONARY.

Hobson Says True Socialism Will Come Gradually.

An audience that filled the old chapel to overflowing listened with keen interest last evening to Mr. John A. Hobson's talk on "Socialism True and False." After a brief introduction by Professor Taylor, Mr. Hobson proceeded directly to his discussion, the main points of which were as follows:

Competition, in the old sense, is admitted to no longer answer the economic needs of society. A new relationship must be established between society and its two industrial agents, capital and labor. The new relationship will not be co-operation, as that term is now understood; nor will it be the destruction of the modern combination, or the complete socialization of all industry. The real solution of the modern industrial problem lies along two lines: the popular ownership and control of those large industries now composing or tending toward trusts; and the popularization of governmental machinery sufficiently to make democracy—the rule of the people—a fact as well as a name in present-day republics. The solution of this problem will be through education and through gradual extension of state functions, and not through a sudden or dangerous process of revolution.

No less striking than his theories to the average person was Mr. Hobson's personality. Tall and slender—approaching closely his friend Dr. Ross in height, but not in substantialness—with nervous hand making a continuous journey from trousers' pocket to coat-tail buttons and thence to the desk; slow and deliberate in utterance, but speaking with the steady assurance of one of long and steady thought upon the topic in hand—all these make Mr. Hobson and his theories the more interesting to those who find personality as fascinating a study as political principles.

A large proportion of the audience consisted of city people, drawn there by the reputation of the speaker and the importance of his topic. It is safe to say the majority of them will aid in providing another overflow audience for Mr. Hobson's second address, next Tuesday evening, upon "England's Outlook in the New Century."

This week finishes up drill for cadets who had drilled three semesters before the present regulations of five hours a week went into effect. This scheme of avoiding the injustice to those having already drilled the three semesters was devised by some of the thoughtful ones and presented to the University authorities and found to work.

E. G. Montgomery is now acting as assistant in the agricultural department. Mr. Montgomery is now a student in the University, but has dropped nearly all his school work in order to devote more of his time to his work as assistant.

Little Gem hot waffles served at the Merchants' Cafe, 117 North 13th St. We have a large student patronage.

Campus Cleanings.

A gallant and handsome young beau was dancing one night with his Jeau. When she in great pain Did sharply exclaim: "Oh please, sir, you stepped on my teau."

Mr. P. H. Thompson, fellow in German, has been chosen to do institute work this summer at Minden, his home county seat.

Mr. H. Crouch has accepted a position as assayer to the Flat Iron Gold Mining company in the Black Hills near Lead, S. D.

Mrs. J. W. Sparks of Central City is visiting with her daughter Alice, stopping off for a few days on her way home from California.

The boiler in the chemical laboratory used for distilling water blew out a flue the other day and is now undergoing repairs at the boiler works.

Miss Anna Van Zandt has returned from Omaha, where she was called Friday by the illness of her father, whose condition is now greatly improved.

Photographer Cornell enjoyed a two or three days' visit from his brother, an old University student, now living in the southeastern part of the state.

Miss Anna Maxwell is being congratulated by her friends because of the announcement of her appointment to a Wellesley fellowship in German for next year.

The engineer of tests for the Union Pacific railroad has applied to Dr. Nicholson* for a chemist. Several names have been submitted from which a choice will be made.

Mrs. F. M. Hall of the First Presbyterian church pleasantly entertained her bible class, which is mostly composed of University students, last Saturday afternoon. About fifty were present.

A committee from the state senate visited the physics department last Saturday and inspected the laboratories and lecture rooms to determine the needs of the department in the way of room and equipments.

Roy Pierce, note of whose illness was made in yesterday's paper, is today reported as having passed the crisis of his illness, and showing signs of improvement. He will not, however, be in school again this semester.

Saturday night the P. B. D. C. will debate the question, "Resolved, That the removal of the tariff from trust-made articles will effectively remedy trust evils." Affirmative: Le Groh, Nielson; negative: Monroe, Clark. Election of officers will follow. Everybody be sure and come out.—Secretary.

Don Cameron's for a square meal.

Hairdressing and manicuring at the Famous.