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WAS A WALK OVER

Varsity Smashes Grand Island's Line Repeatedly. Score 64 to 0.

It took just two minutes and forty seconds for the University to score its first touch-down against Grand Island in the game of last Saturday. After the first few downs it was easy to see how the game would result, but hardly such a score as was made, 64 to 0, was looked for.

The visitors proved to be exceptionally weak in many of the most important places, while the University was strong throughout the entire team.

Many of the Grand Island men were new to the game, this being the first year for a number of their line men. The team as a whole was weak on tackling, only two or three men were able to make any showing at all.

The University started out with its strongest men in the line, but as soon as Coach Booth saw how the game was going he gave the new men a chance to prove their metal.

The work of the team was excellent. Their playing was very noticeably free from those errors and faults which so often fall to the lot of a team early in the season.

In the early part of the game Jim Bell played full, but later was transferred to half and Clark went in at full. The back field did splendid work, skirting the ends for twenty and thirty yards and hitting the line for long gains.

Benedict proved his ability as a first-class halfback, in the most commendable style. His long run and sensational hurdle over a would-be tackler, was one of the features of the game.

Marsh took Benedict's place at half during the latter part of the game and made sensational gains, both through the line and around the ends.

Briggs, who went in at half in Bell's place during part of the last half, made his gains whenever called upon. He is a heavy man and will make a strong line plunger with a little coaching.

Bender at quarter ran his team in a way which won for him the admiration of all present. As no quarterback plays were developed he had no opportunity for carrying the ball, except on returning punts. He received the ball on his own five yards line from a kick and carried it the entire length of the field for a touch-down, equaling Benedict's run in the earlier part of the game.

Eager and Conkling started in the game at ends and played a strong, steady game during the first half. Fenlon and Bishop, both new men, took the positions for the second half.

In the line Hunter and Borg and Leah held the central positions. Robertson and Newton filled the places at tackle. The line was serong and handled the plunges of the visitors in a way to be commended.

Taking all into consideration, the result of the game was most encouraging and instilled in the blood of many a faint hearted rooter the idea, which is the only correct one, that Nebraska has a winning team.

Following is the line-up:
Nebraska. Grand Island.
Conklin-Fenlon re. Starr
Robertson rt. George
Hunter rg. Cornish
Borg c. Smith
Leah lg. West-Bergman
Newton lt. Hewitt
Eager-Bishop le. A. E. Davis
Bender q. Foote
Benedict-Briggs rh. Sutherl'd-Larriek
Marsh-Bell lh. J. N. Davis
Bell-Clark fb. Bergman-Suth'l'd

Mason and Wilson Came Out.

Cy Mason and his brother, who has been playing on the Lincoln High School team, both appeared on the field last night and along with them came Harry Wilson. The two old men were cheered to the echo as they ambled in at the gate and mingled with the squad of men in football suits.

Taylor, a new man from Aurora, was out last night.

The practice last night was full of vim and go. Some time was spent in running down punts and then the Varsity lined up against the scrubs.

The work done there was very satisfactory. The scrubs are the strongest they have been for many years, but the Varsity make an excellent showing against them, never failing to make their distance and often, very often, going through for long gains.

On the defensive also the work is good. It is the exception when the scrubs make their distance and they go in for all there is in it. Go out and see the play; it will help you to appreciate the strength of the Varsity.

May Not Play.

Complications have arisen that may prevent the game scheduled for October 10 between the second team and Grand Island College, to be played on the grounds of the latter. A communication received by Manager Morrison states that the team is in a demoralized condition and that its best player is out of commission. Such being the case the Grand Island management can not see its way clear for meeting the scrubs and unless things take a turn for the better the game will have to be declared off.

Athletic Notes.

There will be a football rally Friday morning at chapel. Everybody come.

Manager Buckner requests all those selling season tickets to report to him at once, as the sale will be withdrawn.

The floor classes in gymnastic work began today and are all very large. Fully 150 men are registered in the first year classes.

It is compulsory for all men taking gym work or trying for the football team to take a physical examination.

Dr. Clapp wishes all the men who have not taken an examination and are doing work to report to his office at once.

Union Boys Organize.

The Union Boys' Debating club has already begun operations in Union hall. Election of officers was held last Saturday night and resulted as follows: President, A. I. Myers; vice president, Mr. Berkeley; secretary, J. G. Hanlen; attorneys, Mr. Berkeley and R. C. James. Considerable enthusiasm was manifested and the club starts out with bright prospects.

The Union club meets in Union hall at the west end of the main building on the third floor. Meetings are held every Saturday night at 8 p. m. Visitors will find "something doing" every night. A sharp conflict in the way of parliamentary scrap is always followed by a debate on some timely and living question. After the question has been discussed by the regular sides the question is before the house for discussion by all present. Every man should make a desperate effort to avail himself of the opportunities afforded by debating clubs. The benefits derived therefrom are too self-evident to need comment.

Next Saturday night the Unions will discuss the following question: "Resolved, That the South is justified in Disfranchising the Negro."

Restaurant Unique, 1228 O St.

Tennis Association Drawings.

The Tennis Association met yesterday at 1 p. m. for the purpose of electing a manager and drawing for places in the fall tournament. Owing to obstructing difficulties they failed to elect a manager. Following are the results of the drawing:

First Tournament: Fitz-Scribner, Meier-Bye, Hoar-Golden, Mathew-Sweeley, Mathewson-Higgins, Roth-Cassady, Tyner-Payne, Huntington-Raymond

Second Tournament: Cassady-Fitz-Scribner-Payne, Bye-Higgins-Sweeley-Hoar, Mathew-Roth, Huntington-Meier, Golden-Raymond, Mathewson-Tyner

The two men winning out in these tournaments will represent Nebraska in the game with Kansas two weeks from now.

The results of yesterday's playing, which began the first tournament, are as follows: Mathewson won from Higgins, Mathew from Sweeley. Today at least all of the first round will be finished.

The following prizes have been offered by public spirited business men:

1st Racquet, by Samuel Hall.

2d Racquet cover, by H. E. Siddles & Co.

1st Runner's Up—Jersey, by B. L. Palne

2d Runner's Up Tennis shoes, by Perkins & Sheldon.

Players are urged to see the secretary and arrange for their games at once.

Palladian Debaters Elect.

The Palladian Debating club met last Saturday evening and elected the following officers:

President, L. Legro.

Vice President, Mr. Keeser.

Treasurer, B. A. Anderson.

Secretary, Will Robertson.

The meeting was full of spirit and enthusiasm throughout and the prospects for a strong club are exceedingly promising.

The question for next Saturday evening's discussion is: "Resolved, That an alliance between England and the United States would promote the civilization of the world." Affirmative, De Young and Mitchell; negative, Clark and Smith.

Dr. Lees is Back.

Dr. Lees returned home yesterday from his European tour after an absence of five months. He traveled widely in England, Italy and Sicily, but confined most of his work to Greece. In the latter country he visited many places of historic interest and almost sacred association, and during his travels has accumulated a large amount of material for the Greek department. Mrs. Lees remained behind in England, where she will visit for several months with Dr. Lees' mother, who resides near Liverpool.

Good Registration.

Registration figures have mounted up to 1,500, which exceeds that of this time last year.

SENIOR ELECTION

Meet and Choose Officers for Ensuing Year.

The Seniors met in the chapel yesterday and held their election in the greatest peace and amity. After some deliberative balloting the following officers were elected:

President, N. J. Elliott.

Vice president, Miss Schinbur.

Secretary, Miss Wilson.

Treasurer, Mr. Borg.

Sgt. at arms, Miss Ban Zandt, the retiring president.

Three candidates, Elliott, Newton and Tyner, were in the field for president and from first indications it appeared that there would be a spirited meeting. None of the men, however, had made a canvass, and the tide turned in favor of Elliott, who received 56 out of the 90 votes cast, the remaining votes being about equally divided between Newton and Tyner.

On motion of Mr. Vasey it was voted to elect the remaining officers by acclamation, and this was done, each candidate being declared elected by unanimous vote. The newly elected president responded with a short speech in which he set forth the platform of the class, their place in athletics, debating, etc., and emphasized the importance of pulling together on the part of the class of '04 to achieve success. He reminded the class of former victories and added that it had all to lose rather than much to gain and for that reason absolute harmony was exceedingly essential. This roused the usual enthusiasm and the chapel hall was made to ring with applause. The other officers were called on but on account of the shortness of time responded only by rising. There being no other business the class then adjourned.

Sophomore Election.

The Sophomores met in U 107 yesterday morning and elected their class officials for the ensuing year. Clement L. Waldron presided. The names of Clarence Steen of Wahoo, and Maurice Benedict of Lincoln were placed in nomination. Mr. Steen was elected by a vote of eighty to fifty. After the election of the president a large part of the crowd left, leaving only a few to carry on the formality of an election in regard to the rest of the class officers.

L. I. Sidwell of Omaha, was elected vice president; J. C. Moore of Omaha, secretary, and Edith Butler of Omaha, treasurer.

The instructors in the department of Romance languages report a slight falling off in the registration owing to the inability to offer enough divisions in the different courses. The total registration is about 265.

The interview periods of American history III have been arranged and the divisions met yesterday for the first time.

Reception to students, Baptist church, 14th and K streets, Friday evening. All students are cordially invited.

Marshland and Richards, hair-cutting a specialty; massage, shaving, etc.