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THE SENIORS WIN

Men Try-Out For Gymnasium Team.

Inter-Class Relay Races Very Close and Exciting.

A very good crowd witnessed the gymnastic contests and relay races last evening. The gymnastic contests were for the championship of the University. The winner of the three events last night and the contests held in about a month will be awarded the University "N."

Each competitor performs three stunts on the apparatus. The contestants are judged on four points; approach, difficulty of exercise, form, and retreat. If the men do these perfect thirty points are awarded, ten on each of the three stunts. The man receiving the greatest number of points is awarded first place.

In the first event of the evening the horizontal bar work, Pipal won. Pipal was awarded 24½ points, Copeland second, with 23½ and Johnson third, 22. In the first interclass relay race the Sophomores were easy victors. The Freshman had a little bad luck by making a mistake at a critical time of the race.

Copeland won the parallel bar work with 26 points. Johnson second, 25, and Pipal third, 22½. The second relay race between the Juniors and Seniors was won by the Seniors.

The last event of the gymnastic contest was won by Johnson, who did the best tumbling, securing 26 out of the thirty points, Copeland second, 20¾, and Bender third, 19½. In summing up the points for the three events, first place goes to Johnson, who has 73 points, Copeland second, with 70¾ and Pipal third, 65.

The final of the relay races was between the Sophomores and Seniors. The Seniors won in a very close and exciting race. The men on Senior team were: Bender, Knight, Marsh and States (captain).

Dr. Clapp, Mr. Allen and Graves acted as judges of the events.

Lose Second Game.

Nebraska lost the second game of her eastern trip to Ripon College, on Tuesday night. The game was very close and resulted in a score of 32 to 28. The one great disadvantage to the Nebraska men in this game was the lack of out of bound's territory. The 'varsity have been playing on a different kind of a court all year and to be changed resulted disastrously.

The court at Ripon College is 100 by 70 feet. This being twice the size of the maximum floor, according to the rules.

The game was fast and closely contested. Both teams played good, clean basketball.

The progress made by the Sombrero management will be the subject of discussion at the Junior class meeting in the Chemistry lecture room this morning. All members of the class are urged to be present.

The fire sale at the Uni. Book Store is still going on and bargains are still the order of the day.

Sophomore Play and Party

"A Rank Deception"

Saturday Evening, February 25

Chapel and Art Hall

Tickets, 35c

Convocation.

Those who attended chapel yesterday were delightfully entertained by the well known impersonator, Frank Dunlap, of Omaha. Mr. Dunlap apologized for his severe cold but assented that notwithstanding this misfortune he was a good talker. This was accounted for by the fact that his father was an Irishman and his mother was a woman and so he acquired the art honestly. He then amused the audience by several "stunts" including "An Irishman's Interpretation of Longfellow's Poem, 'Excelsior,'" the impersonation of the noted English actor, Sir Henry Irving, and the distinguished American comedian, Sol Smith Russel. He concluded the program by an impersonation of the late Bill Nye, delivering one of his addresses.

Before Mr. Dunlap was introduced Prof. Fossler read extracts from Washington's farewell address in memory of the birthday of the Father of His Country.

Miss Ruth Parson, students' traveling secretary of the Y. W. C. A., will speak to sorority girls tomorrow in U 106 at 5 o'clock. All sorority girls are urged to attend.

Sophs. Meet.

The third attempt of the Sophomores to hold a class meeting will occur this morning. The meeting has been called by President Cramer for 11 a. m., in room 102, Memorial hall. The other two meetings called this semester had to adjourn, without accomplishing anything, because of the lack of a quorum. Two of the class officers are still to be elected and the reports of several committees will be given. It is quite probable that an amendment to the constitution lessening the number necessary to do business will be brought before the meeting and the members of the class should attend at least this once in order that the constitution may be amended and the more interested members of the class given an opportunity to transact business.

Orators to Meet.

A meeting of prospective candidates for oratorical honors of the University Prohibition League, has been called by V. G. Henshaw, traveling secretary of the Intercollegiate Prohibition Association at 11:30 today in U 110. The purpose of the meeting is to explain the work of the association and the following rules governing the contests. The first contest will be held in a few weeks to select an orator to represent the University in the State Oratorical Contest to be held at the Lincoln Auditorium in April. At this contest \$170 in prizes will be awarded. A month later the inter-state contest will be held at which prizes of \$250 will be awarded to the successful orators.

Mission Class.

The Philippine class in the Mission Study work, closed its four months' work last Tuesday evening. Mr. Roscoe C. Ozman was the instructor and the work will be repeated during this semester. Mr. Ozman changes classes with the instructor in the class on India. If any others wish to join the class they may leave their names at the Y. W. C. A. rooms. One hour a week is the time required. Seven young men were enrolled last semester, but as young ladies are also interested in this instructive study of the Philippines it is expected that the next class will be larger. The book studied is a small one entitled "The New Era in the Philippines."

On Tuesday evening Mr. Ozman exhibited many articles and curios to his class and explained what may be seen by traveling from island to island. Among the curios relating to war were knives, bolos, spears and bows and arrows and flags. The articles made by the natives were interesting; especially the pieces of hand made cloth, mats and hats. One piece of cloth was made from the coarse hemp fibre byed with coloring obtained from roots and the bark of trees. The dress goods gave an idea of what the Filipino men and women wear. Among the miscellaneous articles was the "Foam of the Sea," the wonderful crystal-white home of a water spider. This came from near Cebu island and Mr. Ozman said that was the only place the "Foam" is found. From Cebu they ship the article to Europe for purposes of ornamentation.

At a previous exhibit the class was shown old coins and the new Philippine money, articles used in the Filipino kitchen and articles of personal adornment.

The hour of meeting will be Wednesday afternoons from 5 to 6.

Iowa Holds Preliminary.

The University of Iowa will hold preliminary debates next Monday to choose the debating team which will meet Nebraska in Lincoln next April. This means that the Hawkeye team work up a case which they will hurl at us in Memorial hall. In Iowa we not only see an opponent which has a record to be proud of, but one which we will have to muster our entire strength to defeat. But at the present the outlook is very encouraging for Nebraska. The debating squal is grinding out evidence by the ton, and this will soon be tested by the practice debates which will probably occur next week. The announcement of the two debating teams, one to meet Iowa and the other to debate Washington University, is expected to appear within a week or two.

Bargains to burn, at the Uni. Book Store fire sale.

THE REGENTS MEET

The Contracts for Administration Building Let.

Some Other Important Business is Also Transacted.

The Regents of the University of Nebraska met on Tuesday morning pursuant to the call of the president.

Present, Regents Allen, Calkins, Ernst, Teeters and Whitmore. Regent Rich was detained by legal business before the supreme court.

The building committee being obliged to adjourn its meeting set for an earlier morning hour referred all of its business to the Board. The minutes of the last preceding meeting were read and approved together with proceedings of the building committee.

A list of minor appointments since the last meeting of the Board, reported by the Chancellor, was approved.

Amended bids filed by the former bidders, Stephens Bros. Co., Kiewit Bros., and the Capital City Brick and Pipe Co., for the construction of the administration building according to modified plans and specifications were opened. Stephens Bros. Co., being found to be the lowest and best bidders, the contract for the construction of the administration building was awarded to said company at \$31,815.00 upon the usual conditions for furnishing schedules, security company bond and execution of contract.

In the matter of the assignment of rooms in the Physics building to other temporary uses it was ordered that rooms 305 to 310 only, both inclusive, be reserved for such temporary occupation, the details to be directed by the Chancellor.

The Chancellor presented the resignation of Dean Pound of the Law College. The Board granted a hearing to a committee of students of the Law College relating to the resignation. A special committee consisting of Regents Allen and Calkins was appointed to interview Dean Pound. Upon hearing the report of the special committee no further action was ordered.

A leave of absence for the current semester was granted Professor Nicholson. Assistant Professor of Chemistry, Dr. Benton Dales, was placed in charge of the department.

The president and secretary were authorized to arrange for and sign bonds on behalf of the Board, if necessary, for securing rifles and equipment for the military department.

A new code of rules for the military department were on motion approved.

A number of communications were received and filed which the board did not have time to consider at its present meeting.

Adjournment without day.

Every afternoon a good crowd of University students can be found enjoying themselves at the Auditorium skating rink and the sport is getting more popular every day. Ladies admitted afternoons free; gentlemen 15 cents. Skates rented, 20 cents per pair. Evenings admission 20 cents for both ladies and gentlemen.

If you got it at Armstrong's, it's right.