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INTERCLASS GAME

SENIORS AND JUNIORS TO MEET
IN FIRST CONTEST.

Game Postponed Several Times on Account of Rain to Be Played This Afternoon—Contest Close

This afternoon the first of the year's series of class football games for the class championship of the University will be played on the Nebraska field, when the Seniors and Juniors don the moleskins to decide who will meet the victors in the Sophomore-Freshman contest next week. The game will be called at 1 p. m. The Sophomores and Freshmen will probably play the last of this week in order that the final battle may be pulled off next week and the championship decided before Christmas.

The contest between the two upper classes this year should be unusually interesting. Both of these classes have profited by the new rule of the interclass athletic board and a number of law students appear in the lineup of either team. The weight of the two teams is about equal, with a possible advantage in favor of the Seniors. The coaching has been much above the average and in spite of the poor weather, which has seriously handicapped football in general, the practice has been quite regular. Probably the man on whom the Seniors stake most of their hopes and who is most feared by the Juniors, is Fenlon. Though Fenlon played in none of the Conference games last year and did not "make his N," he was considered to be a strong man in the back field, where his speed makes him especially valuable.

The line-up of the two teams will be as follows:

Seniors.	Juniors.
Van Orsdel..... l. e.	Cramer
Peterson..... l. t.	Meier
Wellensiek	
Taylor..... l. g.	Green
Frazier..... c.	Kiesselbach
Jennings-Henny. r. g.	Campbell-Rush
Gibson..... r. t.	Dort
Laird.....	Butler
Winchester... r. e.	Conklin
Kimmel..... q.	Standeven
Gibbs..... r. h.	Howard
Fenlon..... l. h.	Runner-Smith
Smith (Capt.)... l. b.	Myers

Drill at the Farm.

Last year military drill was instituted at the Farm. The sudden appearance of the god of war among the unsuspecting plow-chasers produced much the same effect as may be obtained by giving a good healthy horse's nest a vigorous poke. This year drill began with the opening of school and is now under full headway, yet not a murmur of dissent has been heard. The second battalion numbers nearly one hundred and fifty men. A surprisingly large number of old men are in school and not one failed to take the examination last Tuesday for promotion. This is a much better showing than the first battalion made and in consideration of the large lack of interest in military work shown last year, is nothing short of phenomenal.

GRADUATE CLUB MEETING

PROF. HOWARD WILL TALK

Friday, Dec. 8

1339 So. 19th st.

MAY TOUR THE STATE.

Dramatic Club Would Like to Make a Trip With a Play.

It is rumored that the executive committee of the Dramatic Club has under consideration the advisability of a tour of the state, producing some well-known play—one of Shakespeare's in all probability. As yet no definite plans have been made and deepest secrecy surrounds the entire subject, but if it is found to be practicable some such trip will undoubtedly be made, performances being given in a number of the smaller towns in southeastern Nebraska. If it is decided to have such a trip it will be a wonderful incentive for all who have any leanings toward the dramatic art to join the club in order to be placed on the caste.

Officers' Club Organized.

The commissioned officers of the cadet battalion met after drill last evening and perfected an organization for the year. Major Crites was elected president and Lieutenant Jackson, secretary. The principal business of the meeting was to select the master of ceremonies and the chairman for the officers' hop, which occurs annually just before Lent begins. G. W. Cheney, first lieutenant of Company B, was elected chairman, and R. H. Thompson, adjutant, was elected master of ceremonies. The date for the hop has not been settled as yet.

Team Has Picture Taken.

All football men who had first team signals reported at the gymnasium yesterday to have their picture taken. The men put on their suits and went to Townsend's studio, where the picture was taken. This is in keeping with the custom that all "N" men have their picture taken in a group each year. While the men who are eligible to wear the University insignia have not been officially passed upon, yet it is pretty clear to every one who they will be. The picture of the men will be in Townsend's window in a few days.

Basket-Ball League Formed.

Representatives of the leading universities of the middle west met in Chicago the day after Thanksgiving and formed an intercollegiate basketball league to be known as the Western Intercollegiate Basket-Ball Association.

It will be composed of teams representing Chicago, Northwestern, Illinois, Minnesota, Wisconsin and possibly Iowa. The schedule for the season, which will start immediately after Christmas and will be ten weeks in extent, is to include two games for each team with every other team, to be played at alternate gymnasiums. Conference eligibility rules will govern the league, but Freshmen will not be barred, as the season does not commence until after the end of the first semester. Professor Angell of Wisconsin was selected as chairman of the association and F. E. Reed of Minnesota as secretary.

Heretofore basket-ball has had no intercollegiate standing, the different institutions making their own eligibility rules and matches being arranged between the colleges themselves without reference to an intercollegiate body. The formation of the league will place basket-ball on a par with other forms of athletics.

Professor Barber at Convocation.

Professor Barber gave the second of his series of illustrated lectures on Rome at Convocation yesterday morning. He started with a view of the Bay of Naples and followed with illustrations of the excavated ruins of the buried cities of Pompeii and Herculaneum.

The chief characteristics of the cities, as shown by the views, were narrow streets, arrangement of the water system, designs of the houses, and the richness and taste of their wall paintings and decorations.

The bleachers and fence on the athletic field have been pulled down.

Walkover shoes for college men. Rogers & Perkins Co., 1129 O St.

WILL GIVE SMOKER

ENGINEERING CLUB ENTERTAINS
SATURDAY NIGHT.

Annual Smoker to Be Given at the Phi Gamma Delta House—All Members of the Club to Come.

The Engineering Society will give a smoker to all engineering students next Saturday evening at the Phi Gamma Delta house, 1232 R street. This smoker is an annual function and is always attended by a large number of engineers, who take this opportunity to become better acquainted with each other and to enlarge the membership of the society. No invitations are being sent out, but every engineering student is expected to attend and have a good time. Cards and other games will furnish amusement for those who do not wish to smoke, and light refreshments will be served during the evening.

Meeting of the Class of 1905.

As announced yesterday, there will be a meeting of the class of 1905 during the convocation period this morning, and if it is found that there are enough of the members of that class to make a class organization successful that move will be made. Heretofore the only reunions of the different classes after graduation is upon the date of the annual Alumni Day, which occurs during the commencement week each year, but the members of last year's senior class feel that there is no reason why alumni of Nebraska should not keep up class organizations after graduation just as do the alumni of the older eastern institutions.

Yesterday the freshmen stood about with wide-opened eyes and gaping mouths vaguely wondering what attraction drew so many upper classmen tremulously, and as if against their will, toward the attic of the main building. The fact was that yesterday was the last day when junior theme subjects would be officially received. A stream of serious-faced, determined juniors slowly wound up to U. 311 to reappear in a few minutes walking as if on air, then with a rush to disappear down the stairway.

All sorts of subjects were presented, from the broad, spacious ones presented by the more brainy students to such subjects as "The Beauties of Spring," or "Lincoln on an Autumn Morning," presented by the believers in the simple life.

Now and then an individual with a hang-dog air sidled meekly up to the door of the sanctum and made known his subject for his second junior theme. Then, as the surprise at the magnanimous treatment received at the desk gradually possessed him, he stiffened again with the dignity of a senior, strode majestically out of the office and down the hall.

Thus the procession continued until late in the afternoon, when the few stragglers indicated that all the juniors and several seniors had at last come up to the requirements.

ENGINEERING SOCIETY SMOKER

All Engineering Students Invited

Saturday, Dec. 9

1232 R Street