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MANY PRIZES WON

NEBRASKA CARRIES OFF HONORS AT CHICAGO STOCK SHOW.

Six Out of Nine Entries Prize Steers—"Dictator" Wins College Championship—"Ruby" Also Wins.

At the International Stock Show held in Chicago last week, the University of Nebraska won the college championship of all breeds of steers, first prize in the Angus class, first and second places in the carcass contest and second place in Shorthorn yearlings. The prize money won amounted to \$450. "Ruby," the Angus steer from which so much was expected by Nebraska stock fanciers, and which won over all competitors in the college exhibit, sold for \$273 after the show, Armour & Co. being the purchasers.

Altho Nebraska failed to win the grand championship, it is believed by many that, had the Chicago judge been as careful in his selection of contestants for the grand prize as the judges in previous years have been, "Ruby," the three-year-old Angus, would have repeated the feat of "Challenger" in 1904. Turner, an eminent English stock judge, placed the Angus above many steers classified as far superior by the Chicago judge.

It is gratifying, however, to have won first place in the college contest, especially when Dictator, the winner, is but a ten-months-old calf. In this contest the Universities of Minnesota, Wisconsin, Ohio, Iowa, Kansas, Indiana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska and Mississippi, and the Ontario Agricultural College were represented.

Of the nine entries made by Nebraska, six proved prize winners. Only two steers of the original herd, "Val-et," the Shorthorn yearling, and "Dictator," the prize winning Angus calf, will return to the University, the other seven having been sold to Chicago packers. In their stead, however, seven younger steers were bought by the Department of Animal Husbandry and will be brought to the Farm for judging purposes. These additions to our fat-stock herd are made with the prize money won at the show. During the past five years \$1,500 have been expended in this manner.

During the show the American Federation of Students of Agriculture held its annual meeting and elected officers for the ensuing year. The University of Michigan was honored by the election of Michigan men to offices, the University of Nebraska having held the same honor during the past year. Following the meeting of the Association, a banquet was held at which members from the institutions exhibiting in the show responded to toasts and gave their college yells.

Nebraska was represented by Dean E. A. Burnett, Professor H. R. Smith, Instructor A. T. Magdanz, Dr. A. T. Peters and J. H. Gain. Professor Smith's book on feeding, it was learned, has been adopted in twenty state agricultural institutions and in Canada.

Yale's total receipts in football this year were \$65,000.

IN THE AIR.

Seniors and Freshmen Unable to Solve Football Problem.

As a result of the tie game last Friday between the Seniors and Freshmen, inter-class athletics have fallen into a peculiar condition. Many of the men were much bruised and injured in the game and in consideration of the lateness of the season and the bad condition of the athletic field there is considerable sentiment against playing off the tie. This would leave the class championship undecided and would probably result in a division of the gate receipts from the games already played and the purchase of sweaters for both teams.

However, this would give to neither team the right to wear the numerals on their sweaters and there is a strong feeling among others, particularly on the part of some of the Seniors that a deciding game should be played at all costs, and that the honor of winning the championship should be put above the mere securing of sweaters.

A meeting of the Senior football squad is called for today at eleven o'clock on the athletic field at which this question will be discussed and the course of the Seniors in regard to this matter will probably be decided. Manager Klesselbach earnestly requests every Senior football man to be present.

A correction should be made in the account published in Saturday's paper of last Friday's game. The impression was given that time being called prevented the Freshmen from scoring a touchdown and saved the game for the Seniors. The fact of the matter was that, altho the Freshmen were rushing the ball close to the Senior goal, near the end of the game, the latter held the Freshmen for downs on their own 7 yard line, piling the first year men up three times in succession for little or no gain; and were preparing to punt out of danger when time was called.

TO PRESENT BUST.

Latin Club to Give Rare Bit of Sculpture to University.

Preceding the address by Professor Barber on "Roman Portrait Sculpture" at Convocation Wednesday, the Latin Club will present to the University a bust of the Younger Augustus.

Under the commission of the Latin Club, Professor Barber purchased this rare piece of sculpture while in Florence, Italy, last summer.

The Minnesota Daily announces the following schedule of athletic contests between Nebraska and the Gophers: Basket-ball, at Minneapolis, February 23; track meet, at Minneapolis, May 4, 1907.

THE KANSANS GET BUSY.

Selects All Missouri Valley Eleven—Nebraska Represented.

The official organ of the University of Kansas—The Kansan—has completed its annual work of selecting an All-Missouri Valley eleven. Nebraska is given three places on the team. The all-star eleven follows:

Mason, Neb.....	R. E.
Barr, Colo.....	R. T.
Putnam, Kas.....	R. G.
Brown, Wash.....	C.
Roller, Colo.....	L. G.
Donald, Kas.....	L. T.
Johnson, Neb.....	L. E.
Cooke, Neb.....	Q. B.
Acton, Okla.....	R. H.
Tillman, Mo.....	L. H.
Brunner, Kas.....	F. B.

In the individual write-up of the team The Kansan speaks of the Nebraska men as follows:

Right End—Mason, the Nebraska captain, owing to his speed and ability to get down on punts, stands out clearly as the man for the place.

Left End—Johnson, Nebraska's colored man, like Captain Mason, was down on punts, often ready to tackle before the ball had reached the safety man.

Quarter—Cooke of Nebraska is the best man in the Valley. His individual playing was superior to that of any other opponent.

ENGLISH CLUB MEETS.

Spends Profitable Evening at Home of Miss Morrison.

The English Club held one of its regular meetings at the home of Miss Morrison on last Saturday evening. The program for the evening consisted of the reading and criticism of two short stories written by members of the club and the criticism of a set of sonnets written by Miss Rea Woodman, a former member of the club, who taught in the University three years ago.

The meeting was the first since the election of new members to the club and the initiates were out in full force. The introduction of the new members to the charmed circle made the evening enjoyable from a social standpoint and the literary contributions were exceptionally clever.

The next meeting of the club will be held in the parlors of the Women's Building on the evening of January 19, 1907.

The Latin Club meets Tuesday evening, Dec. 11, with Miss Davis at 345 No. 28th.

Minnesota claims the championship of the west, but—they take their hats off to Chicago and Indiana.

ON SHAKESPEARE

NORMAN HACKETT TALKS OF GREAT POET AND DRAMATIST.

Describes Stratford—Environments of Shakespeare—Study of His Work Valuable.

Mr. Norman Hackett, the celebrated actor and Shakespearean scholar, gave a most interesting talk at Convocation yesterday morning on "Shakespeare." There was a large attendance of students and nearly all stayed until he finished, altho it was after twelve o'clock. His talk was somewhat general, including the most important phases of the great actor and writer's life, who, altho dead, ever lives for us in his works.

Mr. Hackett's purpose was to create more enthusiasm in Shakespeare, and to help us in the study of his plays from an actor's standpoint. He spoke first of Stratford-on-Avon, where he was drawn by love and devotion for the immortal poet. Its old hotel, quaint streets lined with picturesque houses attracted him; but the one jarring note was that the town has been made a show place with its many souvenir shops. The poet has been dead two hundred and ninety years, yet he still lives and by the power of his mighty genius draws people from all parts of the world to his birthplace. There is "Shakespeare" in the air and in fancy and even the little boys on the streets are anxious to tell something about "Bill" Shakespeare to every tourist.

The town has about three or four thousand inhabitants, but is much enlarged by constant visitors. The first place Mr. Hackett visited there was the church, six or seven squares from the center of the town. Here, behind the altar, are found the graves of the Shakespeare and Hathaway families. Over Shakespeare's grave is a stone bearing this inscription:

"Good friend, for Jesus' sake forbear,
To dig the dust enclosed here;
Blest be the man that spares these stones,
And cursed be he that moves my bones."

The general opinion is that this epitaph was written by Shakespeare, but others claim it was simply a set form of epitaph placed there by the undertaker probably. Over the grave is a colored bust of Shakespeare considered the most authentic likeness because it was placed there seven years after his death and was approved by his daughters. His Seven Ages from "As You Like It" are illustrated here by the Biblical characters, Moses, Samuel, Jacob, Joshua, Solomon, Abraham and Isaac.

Farther down the river is the Museum and the monument of Shakespeare. The latter is crowned with laurel wreaths and represents his four principal characters, Lady Macbeth, Hamlet and Prince Hal and Falstaff. The Guild Hall, where he went to school, is still standing and the old house where he was born, with its open fireplace and a garden in which are growing every flower which Shakespeare has mentioned in his

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