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## EAGER TO STAY

MANAGER IS RETAINED BY THE ATHLETIC BOARD.

Committee Meets to Consider Resignation—Salary Raised—Eager's Local Career.

Earl O. Eager will continue to manage athletics at Nebraska. He has been elected for another year and will remain in his present position until June 1, 1908.

The committee appointed by the Athletic Board at its session Monday met yesterday at 12 o'clock to con-



EARL O. EAGER.

sider Mr. Eager's contingent resignation from the managership of University athletics and agreed upon a proposition that is satisfactory to him. He will be retained for another year at an increased salary. The committee had full power to act for the board and its agreement with Mr. Eager is final.

Mr. Eager, as was announced in The Nebraskan yesterday, had asked the Athletic Board to release him from his contract for this semester that he might carry the studies necessary for his graduation this spring. He had found that it would be impossible for him to remain in his capacity as manager and do enough school work to get a degree this semester. He, however, offered to keep his position if the board would elect him for the season of 1907-08, and thus enable him to stay in school and graduate. A committee was appointed to consider his proposition and met yesterday. This body reviewed the situation and decided to retain the services of Mr. Eager for another year and to raise his salary. He will receive \$900 in 1907-08, this being \$450 more than he draws this year.

Mr. Eager has been a student at the University of Nebraska for five years, having entered in the fall of 1901. He came from the Lincoln High School where he was a crack football player. He pursued that game at this university and secured the position of regular half-back on the Varsity eleven in 1904. Mr. Eager played a little baseball during the first years of his university course and last spring was selected to manage the baseball team. In this position he was a success and

LINCOLN HOTEL.

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Tickets \$2.50; At Door \$3.

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brought the nine through the season with a financial gain. His work with this organization attracted the attention of the athletic board and his services as general manager of athletics were secured for the season of 1906-07. Mr. Eager's efficient work at the head of football is well known. On the season just closed he cleared over a thousand dollars and put Nebraska's athletics on a paying basis.

Mr. Eager's direction of athletics has been very popular with the students and they are glad to see him stay.

### ART ASSOCIATION.

Plans for Coalition With Other Associations.

The Nebraska Art Association will give its annual exhibit in Lincoln in the latter part of April and the first part of May. This association has now joined with two others, namely, the Kansas Art Association, at Kansas University, Lawrence, and the University Club of Kansas City. Exhibitions will be given in all three of the cities during the months of March, April and May.

Miss Cora Parker, formerly head of the Art department in the University of Nebraska, is to select the pictures, and since she is well and favorably known among New York and Boston artists, it is assured that the very best of American talent will be represented. This will be made the more certain because each association is a corporation, guaranteeing safe conduct to all property left under its care.

At the University of Nebraska it has been the custom to give these exhibitions for the last fifteen years and in the past some five or six hundred have bought season tickets for the event. With the proceeds is purchased one of the exhibited paintings, which is placed in the art gallery.

The Nebraskan is in receipt of a letter from Jack Clark who is now being employed by the Mexican Government on river improvement work. He gives a very graphic description of the country, and an alluring account of the warm, pleasant climate there.

### ATHLETIC EVENTS.

The Announcement of the Coming Contest.

Another Charter Day contest is drawing near and the prospective contestants are already putting the finishing touches on their training. There is but one more practice (Friday at 4 p. m.) before the preliminaries which will be run off Saturday beginning at 2:30 p. m. In this the contestants will be cut down to four men in each event, except the twenty-five yard dash, in which competition will be reduced to eight.

Competition promises to be close in most of the events and the meet will undoubtedly be very interesting. In the twenty-five yard dash there are a number of good men, among them Coe, Knight, Dunlap and Muir are running fast, while Burnett looks like a comer.

In the high jump Knode has the advantage in past record and form but may be pushed by Anther. Weller is doing splendidly in the shot put and promises to break all past records. McDonald and Harvey are also showing up very well while Chaloupka who has not been out regularly is a possibility. Competition in the high kick is largely an unknown quantity. Fleming, a new man is capable of some very good work along this line. In the fence vault, Chaloupka, Nider and Anther are among the promising candidates altho there are a number of others who might be mentioned. McDonald is showing up well in the pole vault but will be pushed by Phelps and Schmidt. There are also one or two Freshmen in this event whose work is largely an unknown quantity. It is not known definitely what fraternities will enter teams in the relay race but it is probable that Kappa Sigma, Phi Gamma Delta, Phi Kappa Phi, Sigma Alpha Epsilon and Alpha Theta Chi will be represented.

### Latin 44.

Latin 44 will please meet me for a moment on Thursday at 5:00 in U. 205, to decide upon a time for the lecture hour.

GROVE E. BARBER.

## BASKET-BALL

KANSAS VS. NEBRASKA

UNI. GYMNASIUM

SATURDAY, FEB. NINE

Followed by Informal Dance.

Seats now on sale.

## HODGMAN LEAVES

THE PROFESSOR STARTS FOR ST. PAUL SATURDAY.

His Work Along Educational Lines—Professorship and Inspectorship—Distinct Loss to University.

Prof. T. Morey Hodgman, State High School Inspector and Director of the University Summer School, leaves next Saturday with his family for St. Paul, Minn., where he will assume the presidency of Macalester College on February 12.

In the departure of Professor Hodgman the University recognizes the loss of a strong constituent. For twenty-two years Mr. Hodgman has been affiliated with the University in various capacities. In the September after his graduation at the University of Rochester, in 1884, he came to Nebraska University. Here he began to instruct in Mathematics, gradually working up the ladder until he was made Associate Professor of Mathematics, a position which he subsequently resigned for the full professorship in inspection.

As High School Inspector, Mr. Hodgman's efforts have been zealous, efficient and tireless. The general standard of high schools thruout the state has been greatly raised under his two and one-half years of supervision. During his administration he managed to visit every high school in the state once each year, and the number of accredited schools rose from 120 to 156.

Chancellor Andrews speaks of Mr. Hodgman as being a man of very marked executive ability, and an excellent teacher, and declares that his leaving is a distinct loss to the University and the Nebraska school system.

The management of the Lincoln Academy, which Mr. Hodgman has had for over four years, will be retained by him during the remainder of this year, with Miss Florence McGahey as acting principal.

Dr. A. L. Candy, as acting inspector, will succeed the professor and will immediately take charge of the office work. The position of Director of the Summer Session will be filled by Prof. P. H. Grumann of the German department.

The officials of Macalester College hope soon to complete a home for the president adjacent to the campus. Until this is completed the Hodgman family will temporarily rent a dwelling house. Stanley Hodgman, the eldest son, will enter Macalester College next fall.

### Professors Honored.

The National Child Labor Bureau of New York City has recently sent letters to various prominent men thruout this state requesting them to serve on a sub-committee to lobby for the present bill pending in the legislature regarding this movement. Among those thus honored are Chancellor E. B. Andrews and Professors Luckey, Hodgman and Wolfe of the University.

B. L. Chrisler will be an assistant in the physics laboratory.