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THINGS LOOK BAD

INJURIES AND RAIN DAMPEN THE HOPES OF CORNHUSKERS.

Gridiron Muddy and Squad Holds Practice at State Farm—Ames Aggies Feeling Confident.

With one of the hardest games of the season at hand the Cornhuskers are in worse condition for a contest than they have been at any other time this year. Two or three players are on the hospital list and will be in poor shape for Saturday's game and the Cornhuskers will be in a weakened condition when they meet the Iowa Aggies on this account. Besides hard luck from injuries to men, the team has also suffered in being hand-capped by the rain in practice.

Practice was held at the State Farm Wednesday. The field was soft, but far better than that of the gridiron. The scrimmaging was a disappointment to "King" Cole, the varsity giving a lifeless exhibition of football, much the same as that of the first half of the Colorado game. Following the scrimmage, signal practice was engaged in, which moved swiftly and without errors, greatly encouraging the coaches.

Craig's return to the squad has greatly improved the prospects for Saturday's game and his defensive game in the Ames contest of last year has not been forgotten by Cornhusker supporters.

Harry Minor is still on the hospital list, but by keeping out of scrimmage practice this week he is hoping that the improved condition of his badly wrenched knee will warrant his participation in the Ames game Saturday.

Yesterday the team went to the State Farm.

The football situation in the Ames camp is described in the following dispatch from Ames:

The practice this week is behind the canvas, as "King" Cole has Williams worried. Sioux Jones' Reserves will use the Nebraska style of play and the 'varsity will be drilled to meet it.

All that knowledge and skill can devise will be used to find a means of breaking up the Nebraska formations.

The line men especially will be given some strenuous work. In the first part of the Cornell game they were out played both on offense and defense and must be braced up before the game next Saturday. Drennan, a guard on last year's championship eleven, will be out this week to assist Williams with the line men.

There is a feeling of doubt among the students as to the outcome of the game at Lincoln. Most of them expected at least twenty-five points to be run up against Cornell and the small score has given them a scare.

Nebraska seems to be doing some tall thinking, too. A letter was received by the editor of the I. S. C. Student from the editor of the Daily (Continued on page 4.)

Grand Concert

Bessie Abbott Operatic Comp.

Tonight

BENEFIT FURNISHING FUND OF THE UNIVERSITY TEMPLE

Tickets, 50c to \$1.50.

AMES WEAK?

Opinion in Iowa That Aggies Are Not Strong.

The following dispatch to the Chicago Record-Herald from Ames gives a line on the "dope" at that school.

"King" Cole, coach of the Nebraska University football team, has declared that unless the Cornhuskers show marked improvement during the coming week Ames will win next Saturday by a substantial score. He states that he watched the Ames-Minnesota game several weeks ago and he was greatly impressed with the way in which the team worked at that time, and he believes that just now Ames is one of the strongest teams in the West. But throughout the state of Iowa a contrary opinion prevails.

Both teams are believed to be minimizing their strength in an attempt to deceive the opposing squad. But it is known that both Coaches Cole and Williams are making desperate efforts to perfect their formations. And it is also predicted that the coming struggle between the two teams will be one of the most sensational in western football this season.

The secret work on the Aggies' field continues. A great deal of attention is being given to Thayer's kicking and Williams believes that both teams will be forced to play a punting game. Followers of the game believe that Williams has made a real find in Stouffer, the big left end who is proving himself to be a strong running mate for McElhenney on the other side of the line. Two brothers, Cy and Guy Lambert, are playing the half back positions, and both are making good.

The quarterback position remains unsettled as yet. Both Hubbard and ex-Captain Jeanson are candidates, but Williams is having a hard time to decide which of them will play the better game for Ames. As a result he has been playing them alternately, and (Continued on Page 3.)

25 SUCCESSFUL.

New Members of the Dramatic Club Selected.

Of forty-five students who "tried out" for the University Dramatic Club Tuesday and Wednesday evenings twenty-five were successful in gaining membership in that organization. The names of the new members follow:

Helen Day, Laura Fisher, Marguerit Guthrie, Esther Bailey, Walter E. Houseworth, Mabel M. Snyder, Vilette Gould, Alice Frum, Jennie Whitmore, J. A. Bumstead, Richard Russell, Harold Coulter, S. A. Erskine, C. G. Riedell, R. A. Van Orsdell, H. C. Robertson, Erlma Faulkingburgh, Francis Gould, Wilberta Knight, Effie Schinn, Howard Rushton, Gladeth Denny, Eugene Phelps and Helen Barston.

The club was entertained at the home of Miss Jessie Doyle, 1806 D street, last night.

BASKET BALL.

Girls' Class Teams Will Begin Work Next Week.

Basket ball practice for girls will start next week and all girls who are interested or experienced in playing the game are urged to report for their class team practice. Registration for the class fives will be held at the gymnasium office Monday and Tuesday.

The inter-class basket ball tournament will take place before Christmas and is expected to be a lively one. Players will soon be chosen from the class teams to form a 'varsity' squad, from which a quintet will be picked later on in the season.

Adjournment.

On account of the Bessie Abbott concert the Palladian Literary Society will not give their annual program this evening. A business meeting, however, will be held immediately after the recital.

The best coffee I ever drank—that served in The Boston Lunch. Try it.

FOOTBALL RALLY

DR. CONDRA SPEAKS OF TRUE NEBRASKA SPIRIT.

"King" Cole Urges Students to Have Spirit That Grows Stronger With Defeat—Speaks of Ames Game.

The third football rally of the year was held in Memorial Hall yesterday morning. Dr. Boulton, with the aid of "thermo-pneumatics," presided over the meeting, and taught the rooters how to act when their support is needed on the athletic field.

Dr. Condra was the principal speaker and made one of the finest talks that has been heard at a football rally in years. His talk voiced the kind of Nebraska spirit which would raise Nebraska to a higher level as a college and make her spirit famous throughout the country, if it were to become general.

He declared that he did not think we appreciated our colors, the scarlet and the cream. Do our graduates really understand the things for which our colors stand? We have a most fortunate combination of colors, one of the most significant in the West, especially for a co-educational school. The scarlet stands for the strength of manhood. Men should represent sturdiness. We should move and act as men. Our college being established on the plains of the West, we should develop a college spirit, and a sturdy energetic manhood that will make our school famous. These things are possible for the University of Nebraska.

The cream stands for purity and fair play. Dr. Condra declared that it was always particularly hard for him to hear the call "rotten" hurled at officials in the game when they make an unpopular decision. They are most certainly trying their best to treat both sides fairly and the spirit of fairness at Nebraska should prevent such exhibitions of rowdiness on Nebraska field.

The game next Saturday is going to be a fight to the finish. Ames is a college of the plains and has the same determined fighting spirit which we have at Nebraska. It is going to be necessary for each man to vigorously do his duty and feel that the responsibility for victory rests upon him—if we are victors.

Coach Cole was called upon and responded briefly in his characteristic earnest manner. He spoke of the exceedingly great difficulties under which Nebraska is laboring at the present time. However, he declared that if the student body as a whole becomes imbued with the fighting, unyielding spirit which will grow more determined as conditions grow darker, we cannot and will not be defeated.

Lost—A pair of long black kid gloves, between University campus and Sixteenth and S streets. Leave at Nebraskan office.

Dr. Chas. Youngblut, dentist, 202 Burr Bldg.

FOOTBALL

Ames vs. Nebraska

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2—3:00 P. M.

General Admission, \$1.00

Reserved, \$1.00 and \$1.25