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NEGATIVE DEBATERS LEAVE FOR CONTEST AT MADISON.

ILLINOIS COMES TO NEBRASKA

Cornhusker Teams Will Meet Men From Schools Which Have Both Defeated Nebraska in Past on Next Friday Night.

The Nebraska debating team which is to contest with Wisconsin over the commission form of city government at Madison next Friday evening will leave Lincoln today for the northern college. They will go first to Minneapolis and then to Madison. Returning the trip will be made by boat from Milwaukee to Chicago and thence to Lincoln.

Comprising the team which goes forth today to maintain the scarlet and cream's honor against the badger students are S. P. Dobbs, J. T. Votava and J. L. Rice. While sending this strong team against Wisconsin, yet the managers of the debate realize that they will have a hard fight, indeed, to win from their opponents. Wisconsin never fails to put out a magnificent team and it is only by a team of the same high caliber that she can be beaten. Two years ago she won in her contest with Nebraska and she has this year picked a strong team with the full expectation of repeating her record of that year.

Personnel of the Team.

Nebraska's team is composed of men who have all had more or less experience in debating before their present effort. Stuart P. Dobbs, '09, represented the Beatrice high school in debate for three consecutive years. He was also class orator at his commencement. Since his sophomore year he has been on the Nebraska debating squad and can point to more experience on the team than any of his colleagues. Last year he was managing editor of the "Cornhusker." He is a member of Phi Alpha Tau and of the Innocents.

John L. Rice is a member of the junior laws. He was valedictorian of his class at McCook, and won a scholarship at Doane college. Last year, his first year in the university, he won first prize for scholarship in the law class.

J. T. Votava, third debater of the team, is a member of the class of '10. He comes from Edhom and previous to his university experience he attended Fremont normal college where he won first prize in the Tribune oratorical contest. He made the squad in his first year and his work this year will complete his second year's experience in debating in the university.

Illinois Contest Here.

At the same time that the Nebraska team at Madison is arguing the negative side of the question, the affirmative team will be contesting on the platform in Memorial hall with the representatives of Illinois. Illinois also has a record of defeating Nebraska in her last contest two years ago and reports from Urbana indicate that the Illini are again out for blood. The strength of their team is largely problematical but it is acertainly that everyone who attends Friday evening's debate will find them putting up a hard fight for supremacy.

Both the Wisconsin contest and the Illinois debate are arranged under the direction of the Central Debating League. This includes Wisconsin, Illinois, Minnesota, Iowa and Nebraska. Each year every school in the league debates with two others, taking one side of the question in each debate. The schedule is so arranged that each school meets all of the others every two years. Last year Ne-

braska defeated Iowa and lost to Minnesota. Previous to that time her record had been singularly free from defeat.

Tickets on Sale.

Tickets for reserved seats for the home debate are now on sale at Harry Porter's. All seats in the hall are open to reserves and it is anticipated that the seating capacity of the building will be crowded. This being so, it behooves those who intend to hear the debate to get in early if they want to secure good seats. Outside of a portion reserved for the faculty, all seats are open to students.

Interest in the debates, and especially in the home contest, has been growing daily. Many students not ordinarily interested by debate are attracted by the pertinence of the question to public affairs at this time and others will attend to do honor to Governor George L. Sheldon, who will preside.



VOTAVA POTTER RICE DOBBS
Team which debates Wisconsin.

THE ENGINEERING SOCIETY HOP.

Second Annual Dance of the Industrial Students.

The Engineering society, which has been brought to the front this year and ranks among the foremost of the university societies, will give its second annual hop at Fraternity hall Saturday evening. The hop last year was one of the most successful dances of the season. There were numerous reasons why it was so popular and well attended, and the most prominent one was the price of the tickets.

Again this year the committee is selling the tickets at \$1. There is a limit of eighty placed on the tickets, and this ensures plenty of dancing room. Eddie Walt's full orchestra will furnish music.

This is the last hop before Christmas and the most popular dance of the season. The tickets are going fast, and the limit is eighty. It will be well to secure them early. They may be obtained from any of the following members: Pike Letton, Arbor Barth, F. N. Wildish, Claude DeWald, Wm. Byerts, Wm. Burleigh and E. Hoge.

LITTLE STORIES OF QUEBEC.

New Book by Professor Le Rossignol Soon To Be Out.

"Little Stories of Quebec," is the title of a volume of short stories by Professor James E. Le Rossignol of the department of Political Economy, which will soon be issued to the public. Advance copies have already been sent out, but the book will not go on sale for a couple of weeks, at least.

In six short stories of life about the old city of Quebec, Professor Le Rossignol pictures the life of the old French-Canadian people. He tells the story of their life and surroundings with due appreciation of their quaintness and with careful regard of the fact. Professor Le Rossignol was born in Canada near Quebec and lived there until he came to the United States. He is familiar with his subject and a ready appreciation of his work is expected. The stories have nearly all appeared in magazines heretofore but his is the first time that they have been collected into a unit.

CONTEST WITH COTNER

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE OPENS SATURDAY NIGHT.

LOTS OF GOOD MATERIAL OUT

Many Football Men Are Out for Basketball and Gymnasium Is Crowded Four Times a Week at Practice.

Apparently more interest is being manifested in basket-ball this year than has been shown at Nebraska for years. The prospects for a winning team are particularly bright and this fact leads to the interest and enthusiasm which the basket ball players of the school are exhibiting.

Almost all of the star players of last season's fast team are back in

W. Hutchison, A. E. Ingersoll, W. H. Jones, G. C. Kiddoo, W. J. Krug, Grover Long, D. F. McDonald, W. D. McGowan, Harry Minor, N. H. Neff, H. M. Nicholson, W. A. Norberg, G. L. Petrashek, H. O. Perry, J. L. Richey, A. C. Schmidt, S. C. Slaughter, H. S. Stevenson, H. L. Unland, F. E. Waters, David White, W. W. Walsh, W. S. Wood, T. Z. Zacek.

Game Saturday.

On Saturday evening in the Armory the first game of the season will be played and at that time a good line on the team may be obtained. The game is with the team from Cotner university and inasmuch as the Cotner team has been practicing hard for several weeks it is expected that they will give the varsity a hard rub. They are aware of the advantage they have in having been at work longer and confidently expect to win the game.

In the Cotner game Dr. Clapp will very probably try out all of the more promising of the candidates so as to see how they show up in action against another team. So far there are some fifteen or twenty men outside of the ones who played on the team last season who have showed signs of being of varsity caliber and it is Dr. Clapp's intention to give them all a thorough trial before he begins the weeding-out process.

Juniors Defeated.

Last evening the junior class team was defeated by the fast team from the city Y. M. C. A. The game was played under the A. A. U. rules and consequently the juniors, who have been playing under the inter-collegiate rules all the time, were greatly handicapped. A further disadvantage was the size of the floor. The game was played at the Y. M. C. A., where the floor is much smaller than in the Armory, and it took the juniors some time before they could accustom themselves to the change.

The junior class team is casting longing glances toward the class championship pennant, and they are putting in some good licks in the hope of developing a team that can land the title.

The varsity squad will meet in the gym at 4 o'clock this afternoon to go through signal practice for the Cotner game. Regular practice is now held four times a week as follows: At 4 o'clock on Tuesday and Thursday, 5 o'clock on Friday, and 5 o'clock on Saturday afternoons.

Baked beans, baked on the premises and served hot with delicious brown bread, 10c, at The Boston Lunch.



DRISCOLL WHITE BEDNER BATES
Team which debates Illinois.

Forty Men Out.

Last evening there were nearly forty men out for practice and the two floors were filled all the time. A partial list of the men who have registered for regular practice follows: G. A. Armstrong, H. R. Ankeny, D. Bell, Hugo Birkner, R. E. Campbell, R. M. Carroll, S. D. Collins, Dobrig, C. H. Eaton, E. B. Elliott, S. Flower, P. E. Griswold, V. C. Hascall, A. H. Hiltner,

Thursday Convocation.

The New World Symphony—Dvorak. Adagio—Allegro Molto. Largo. Scherzo. Finale. Mr. Edw. J. Wait, first violin. Mr. Ernest Harrison, second violin. Mr. William Quick, viola. Miss Lillian Eichl, violoncello. Mrs. Raymond, at the organ.

DINNER BIG SUCCESS

LARGE ATTENDANCE AT SECOND BANQUET OF FACULTY CLUB.

HONOR CHANCELLOR ANDREWS

C. S. Allen, as Toastmaster, Introduces Former Graduates and University Professors as Speakers.

Dr. Samuel Avcry, head professor of the department of chemistry, will be acting Chancellor of the University of Nebraska. He was elected by the Board of Regents at a meeting held last night at the Lincoln Hotel. He will take up his duties January 1st when Chancellor E. Benjamin Andrews leaves the University.

Marking the close of a series of affairs in honor of E. Benjamin Andrews, who is soon to retire as head of the University of Nebraska, the banquet last evening at the Lincoln hotel in honor of Dr. Andrews proved a brilliant success. Attended by people from every section of the state who, from time to time have shown special interest in the affairs of the state institution or who were personal friends of the chancellor, together with about a hundred faculty members, the festive board presented a lively appearance. The decorations were in scarlet and cream, the Nebraska colors. In all upwards of two hundred gathered around the tables.

The dinner, the second of the series which the faculty club will give during the school year, was a success in every particular. Organized for the purpose of promoting fellowship between the members, the faculty the bond which binds Nebraska professors together and which links professors and students into one band of scarlet and cream supporters, was strengthened last evening. Enthusiastic in their regard for the man who has done so much during the ten years which he had charge of university affairs, professors, citizens and friends united to do honor to him who stood so high in the esteem of all.

Association Binds Ties.

Associated as they were, with Chancellor Andrews, the members of the faculty had come to regard him with esteem and affection. The resolutions recently passed by the university senate were but a public expression of the personal regard which each member of the faculty held for the chancellor.

The guests assembled at the Lincoln hotel at 6:20 and shortly were escorted to the banquet hall, brilliant with numberless lights and tasty decorations. A splendid eight-course dinner was served.

Following the dinner, Hon. Chas. S. Allen, a member of the board of regents, introduced the following speakers in their respective toasts:

"The Born Teacher," Dr. L. A. Sherman.

"The University and Public Health," Dr. H. M. Clanaham, Omaha.

"The Need of Practical Education," Hon. J. M. Ragan, Hastings.

"The Chancellor," T. H. Abbott, Aurora.

"The Old University," Paul T. Clark, Lincoln.

"Names That Count," President A. E. Turner, Hastings College.

"The University and the State," Gov. Geo. L. Sheldon.

"The Regents," Chancellor E. B. Andrews.

All of the toasts were in the line (Continued on Page 3)