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THURSDAY, JANUARY 14, 1909.

AMES-IOWA CRISIS.

The great state of Iowa's two big schools—Ames college and the state university—are at a crisis in their athletic relations. A year ago the two institutions severed their connections in the department of sports and did not meet in football or any other branches of athletics during 1908. After the close of the gridiron season last fall prominent alumni and students of each school started a movement to bring about a resumption of relations. For a while it looked as though the plans of the peace makers would succeed, but certain members of both faculties of both schools about three weeks ago threw their influence to keep the schools apart, and it now looks as though the break will not be repaired this year. The matter has thrown the students of both schools into the throes of public discussion for the last week, and at the present time while the trouble is pending final settlement the prospects of an amicable agreement is holding the attention of the papers, alumni and undergraduates of the two colleges.

All Nebraska students who have watched progress of the two schools and who are conversant with the present squabble hope that the two institutions will resume their relations at once. Ames and Iowa, as the two lead-

University Bulletin

January.

Thursday, 14—Miss Helen Gregory on the music settlement in New York. Convocation.

Friday, 15—Non-Com Hop at Fraternity Hall.

Meeting of the Graduate Club.

Ames basketball game 8 p. m.

Prof. Rudolph Tombo, Jr., on "Parsival" at special convocation. Temple, 5 p. m.

English club meets with Miss Miller, 1617 J street.

Meeting of senior play committee, U. 106, 5 p. m.

Free concert by cadet band, auditorium, Temple, 8:15 p. m.

Graduate Club banquet 6 p. m., Temple.

Sigma Xi fraternity meets Zoology lecture room at 8 p. m.

Saturday, 16—Ames basketball game. Informal dance 8 p. m.

Friday, 22—Senior prom at Lincoln Hotel Annex.

Drake basketball game 8 p. m.

Saturday, 23—Drake basketball game. Informal dance 8 p. m.

Monday, 25—Semester examinations begin.

Friday, 29—Sophomore Informal at Fraternity Hall.

Kansas basketball game 8 p. m.

Semester examinations close.

Saturday, 30—Kansas basketball game 8 p. m. Informal dance.

February.

Monday, 1—Missouri basketball game 8 p. m.

Friday, 5—Junior Prom at Lincoln Hotel.

Friday, 19—Minnesota basketball game 8 p. m.

Saturday, 20—Minnesota basketball game. Informal dance 8 p. m.

of its strongest members. An athletic body like a Big Seven conference can not keep its position and influence unless it has "big" schools among its members.

If Iowa is to remain in the Missouri valley conference and there is to be peace among the members of that body, Ames and Iowa must patch up their troubles. They must come together and meet each other in friendly contests in every branch of sport. When they do that they will again begin the development of a high spirit in athletics and will do a great deal

QUESTIONS HAVE BEEN CHOSEN.

Committee Makes Announcement Concerning Class Debates.

At a meeting last evening of the chairmen of the committees of the different classes on inter-class debating the questions were chosen for the preliminary and final debates. According to present plans each class will be represented by a team of three members and one alternate to be chosen by February 22d. At a date to be later announced the freshmen and sophomore class teams will debate with each other and the junior and senior teams will do likewise. The question which was chosen by the committee for these two debates is as follows: "Is the new plan for the university cadet encampment preferable to the old plan?" This same question will be used in the preliminary tryouts to choose members of the different teams.

For the final championship debate between the winners of the other two debates a new question has been chosen. The question selected is as follows: "Resolved, That congress should pass a law providing for a compulsory system for the guarantee of deposits in national banks." This final debate will be held about a month after the debates on the encampment question.

The committee on debate in each class has charge of the tryouts for places on the class team. Choice of speakers will be made by competitive tryouts and those interested should see the committee.

WESLEYAN DEFEATS AMES FIVE.

Aggies Forced to Take Short End of 31 to 21 Score.

The Ames basket-ball five which will meet the Cornhuskers in the armory Friday and Saturday nights was taken into camp by the strong Wesleyan quintet at University Place last night, the score being 31 to 21. The game was not marked by any very fast play, although the Methodists at times exhibited flashes of brilliancy. Ames was weak in guarding and in goal tossing.

The Aggies have not been able to strike a very fast clip since they began the present trip and they have not won a game. They have two or three fast players, though, and if the hard luck which has been pursuing them goes away before tomorrow night they ought to give the Cornhuskers a hard rub.

The Nebraska five has been at work each day since its return from the

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WHY PAY MORE?

ing schools of the great Hawkeye commonwealth are natural rivals for the premier honors of their state. They also, owing to their location, are the great rivals of the Cornhuskers. When they fail to agree they shake the equanimity of the Missouri Valley conference, of which both are members.

So long as the present relations between them exist the affairs of the Big Seven can not run smoothly. The rules of that body can not be made so that they will satisfy both of the belligerents. Those schools will maintain the same attitude toward each other that Michigan had toward the leading Big Nine conference members a few years ago when the Wolverines thought they were getting things rubbed into them. Either Iowa or Ames will withdraw from the Missouri Valley conference. In fact Iowa is not considering such action. No student in this section of the country who has the good of college athletics at heart wants to see such a move.

Iowa and Ames both belong in the Missouri Valley conference. They belong with Nebraska, Kansas and Missouri. For the efficiency of the Missouri valley conference's athletics they must remain there. This new organization can not afford to lose any

toward making the athletes of the Missouri valley conference the best in the West.

Nebraska wants to meet the athletic teams from both Ames and Iowa every year. It wants the teams from both of those to be friendly toward each other so that they will be fighting to defend the honor of the great state of Iowa against the great state of Nebraska; and not merely straining every effort to defeat the Cornhuskers in order that they may reign supreme over one another.

Nebraskan at Missouri.

Silas Bent, Assistant Professor of Journalism and Managing Editor of the University Missourian, has tendered his resignation, to take effect February 1. Mr. Bent before coming here last September was assistant city editor of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, and he will now return to his work there. His successor is to be Frank L. Martin, assistant city editor of the Kansas City Star. Mr. Martin took the A. B. degree at the University of Nebraska in 1902 and comes well recommended.—Missourian.

Prof. B. F. Clarke, the oldest professor at Brown, died during the vacation. His death came six days after that of his wife.

Kansas trip last week and is thought to be improving over its poor form shown in the two games with the Jayhawkers.



The Lyric.
Miss Enid May Jackson is seeing green this week. She sees so much green as the "Girl With the Green Eyes" that Clyde Fitch's little comedy is made extremely delightful. Miss Jackson has made the biggest hit of her Lincoln career in this play. She is a pleasing little soul and without her the Fulton's would be worthless.

The Majestic.
Lewis and Green, comedians, and Newton, a mystifier, make the Majestic worth seeing.

The Oliver.
"The Servant in the House" is announced for the Oliver Monday.

Two Big Basket-Ball Games

Famous Ames Aggies vs. Cornhuskers

Friday and Saturday Nights

at **ARMORY 8.15 O'Clock**

Informal Dance after Game Saturday