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CITY Y. M. C. A. NEEDS BIG BOOST RIGHT NOW

TWELVE THOUSAND DOLLARS
MUST BE RAISED TODAY.

THE CAMPAIGN CLOSES THIS EVENING

Big Effort for \$100,000 to Elect Splendid New Structure Comes to an End With Reports Today.

The Y. M. C. A. committeemen are making a desperate effort to secure the balance of the \$100,000 fund today so that the entire amount can be announced at the closing meeting tonight. To afford every opportunity to the business men who volunteered to put the movement through it was decided to abandon the usual daily gathering at noon today and have the final reports this evening at the headquarters, 139 South 11th street. The doing away with the mid-day conference means that an emergency is at hand and the students of the university are urged to do what they can to make the success of this commendable enterprise sure.

After the reports were submitted yesterday it was found that the \$100,000 fund still lacked nearly \$13,000, the exact amount being \$12,887. This is a large sum to be obtained in one day. It can be done only by a superhuman effort on the part of the members of the committees who have labored so faithfully and so energetically for the last ten days. Members of the faculty and of the student body have assisted in these Y. M. C. A. "short term" campaigns in other cities both by endeavor and by subscribing. The same ought to be done here. The part taken by the Y. M. C. A. in the history of Lincoln during the past nine years has not been surpassed in any other city of the United States. General Secretary C. M. Mayne has come in touch with many students of the university through both the city and the collegiate associations and the effort she has made for years to surround the young men away from home with healthful and wholesome surroundings ought to be supported by those who are now benefited by a better and cleaner Lincoln.

May Subscribe at Temple.

Secretary De Kinderen, of the University Y. M. C. A., is receiving subscriptions for the fund, and it is hoped that his report to the general committees will indicate that the students here realize their obligation to an institution that has done so much to transform this city into the desirable place that it is for students to congregate and reside. Contribute what you can, even if it is only a dollar. The small subscriptions are as welcome as the large ones. Have a share in this worthy enterprise. Many of the students will derive immediate benefit from the new building. Others will be alumni when it is completed. All should show that they are part of Lincoln while they are in the city and are interested in its progress by helping in what has been called by a leading business man "the most important thing before the citizens of Lincoln at this time." And there are some very important things on the minds of the people of this city just now.

Miss Amelia Metzger, 1907, began her third year as principal of the Randolph high school this fall. Miss Margaret Eberly, 1909, is assistant principal in the same school.

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

A New University Song

To the Editor of The Nebraskan:

I beg the use of your columns to place something before the University to revive interest in a "Nebraska Song." The idea was taken up last year by the "Innocents," but for some reason it was dropped.

I believe that Nebraska ought to have a song of her own, with words of her own and music of her own. We ought to have something we could sing for Nebraskans wherever Nebraskans may be, and not feel we are singing the song of some other college, or words put to some popular air. It's the traditions that bind a man to his alma mater. An old Princeton "grad" can go back and stand with uncovered head, with tears in his eyes, while he sings the "Orange and the Black," but graduates of the U. of N. can never feel those emotions when they sing Nebraska words to the tune of the "Orange and the Black." Let's have a Nebraska song for Nebraskans.

And in order to start interest in this direction, I submit the following words, to which I have a tune, but knowing nothing of piano composition, am unable to write it down:

THE SCARLET AND CREAM.

In a country where meadow-land kisses the sky,
Where corn is a bounty so rare,
A germ of great learning once hovering above,
Fell down and now vegetables there,
From far and from near
Comes the cream of the land,
A part of the morning's bright beam.
It plucks from the sunset a great scarlet band,
To make up the scarlet and cream.

Chorus.

Nebraska! Nebraska!

Toast to the health of Nebraska.

Pride of her sons and the queen of the west,
Varsity! Varsity! Of all the best.
Nebraska! Nebraska!

Wherever we are, we're for Ne-bras-ka, boys.

Then onward, Nebraska, the Scarlet and Cream.

Our shouts ring out loud in the air.
We know, by that spirit, the victory is sealed,
And homeward the glory we'll bear.
When hearts throb with pain,
When the struggle seems vain,
And tears of defiance do gleam,
With spirit undaunted we'll stand by the school,
And yell for the Scarlet and Cream.

Chorus.

And thus be it ever, the spirit that wins,
Wherever Nebraskans may be,
Together we'll stand by the old U. of N.,
And hope greater glories to see.
The hours passing by
May bring to her sons,
Whatever most fitting they deem,
But always our thoughts to Nebraska will turn,
Our songs will be Scarlet and Cream.

Chorus.

Then here's to Nebraska, the Scarlet and Cream,
Long life to the Cornhusker band.
A toast to a future of wonderful growth,
A toast to the flower of the land.
In long after years,
Our eyes filled with tears,
We'll come to live o'er the old dream,
We'll gather together, in rain or in shine,
To cheer on the Scarlet and Cream.

PAUL YATES, 1909.

FOUR SQUADS AGAIN OUT FOR PRACTICE

COACH COLE PUTS VARSITY MEN
AGAINST FRESHMAN LINE-UP.

VARSIITY LINE SHOWS WEAK POINTS

First Class Men Get Through Veterans and Block Plays—Shifts by Coaches Now Seem Probable.

While Des Moines was busy beating Lincoln, and Omaha was taking Ducky Holmes' rowdy bunch down the line in a double-header, thereby giving Des Moines the pennant in the Western league baseball race, Coach Cole again put his pupils thru some strenuous work at the state farm last evening. The work was much harder and fiercer than the night before, the scrimmage lasting for about twenty minutes.

Four squads were again on the field, the first and second composed entirely of Varsity men, the third mixed, and the fourth all freshmen.

The first eleven and the freshmen lined up, with the Varsity men carrying the ball. Open plays consisting of long end runs and forward passes were used almost exclusively. Captain "Buck" Beltzer showed that he has not lost any of his cunning in passing the ball. His passes are fast and accurate and ought to be a strong factor in winning games for the Nebraska eleven this year. The end and backs showed good speed in getting down the field to receive the passes, Logren and Channer making long gains on these plays, while Franck got away for several long quarter back plays. Inexperienced Line.

The greatest weakness was again shown by the inexperienced line. Several times the light freshman tackles broke thru and blocked the plays. Assistant Coach Harvey is working hard with the line men, as he feels that much will depend on how well he can develop the new men before the hard games come off. Every night sees about a score of two hundred pounders lined up against each other learning the art of charging, blocking and breaking up plays, under the tuition of the assistant coach.

After the Varsity men had put the Freshies out of commission, the scrubs were given the ball and the fensive work they showed up well, the Varsity put on the defensive. In descubs being unable to gain consistently.

Several shifts were made during the scrimmage last evening and several new men given a chance. Ford, who played tackle on last year's eleven, was used at guard. He is fast and fairly heavy and ought to make a strong fight for a position. He has been playing baseball all summer and is in good shape for hard work.

Candidates for Line.

Gutberlet is another promising candidate for a line position. He is heavy and shows good fighting spirit. He was unable to be out last year owing to a conflict in his laboratory periods.

Another old-timer was back in the game last evening in the person of V. C. Hascall. Hascall ran the second eleven during most of the scrimmage work and showed his usual ginger. He has been traveling with Guy Green's Nebraska Indians this summer and has learned some trucks that ought to be of value in the Haskell game at least.

Jimmie Gibson, whose punting was a great source of strength to the scrubs last fall, is back and is working like a Trojan. Unfortunately
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NUMBER OF FRATS HAVE MOVED.

Several Greek Letter Societies Living in Homes Erected this Summer.

A number of the fraternities and sororities have changed their residences since last year. Delta Tau Delta is occupying the home which was built at 14th and R last fall. Sigma Nu is occupying the house formerly occupied by Kappa Sigma, who have moved to 944 H street. Alpha Pi is also in a new house which was erected this summer while Alpha Omicron Pi is occupying the house vacated by Alpha Phi. Alpha Chi Omega moved last spring to Thirteenth and R streets. Following is the list of changes:

Kappa Sigma, 944 H.
Sigma Nu, 310 South Fifteenth.
Delta Tau Delta, 345 North Fourteenth.
Alpha Phi, 1325 R.
Alpha Omicron Pi, 226 North Twenty-sixth.
Alpha Chi Omega, 1324 R.

PERRY BACK FOR BASKETBALL

Captain of 1909 Five Expects to Put Up Good Game This Winter.

H. O. Perry, captain of the 1909-1910 basketball team which will represent Nebraska in the Missouri Valley this winter, is back in school. Perry is in much better health than he was last spring, when there was some doubt as to whether he would be able to re-enter the game this winter. He believes that he will not only be able to play the game, but that he is in better condition for it than ever before.

The basketball men will not commence practice until early November. A squad will be formed then which will work together until the end of the football season with the Haskell game on Thanksgiving. From that time on the men will get to work in earnest and the schedule will begin immediately after Christmas.

WILL REBATE LAB. FEE IF DELAY IS SERIOUS

PROF. RICHARDS ANNOUNCES
PLAN TO PURSUE.

DO NO INJUSTICE TO ENGINEERS

Those Who Have Paid Full Engineering Fees Will Be Given Rebate Second Semester to Cover Lost Time.

Many students have been considerably aroused since registration regarding the new laboratories in the engineering building and what is to be done regarding fees paid in if the laboratories cannot be used. Owing to a delay in the shipment of the furnishings for the new engineering building, the work has dragged for the past few weeks and the laboratories are not yet in shape for use. This means that the engineering students will be unable to get into the laboratory work for a few weeks.

In case there is any serious delay in starting the work provision will be made for the students who have paid fees for work in these laboratories. Should such a delay occur, Professor Richards states that laboratory fees will be rebated for the second semester to cover the loss in the first. This rebate, of course, would only apply to those who have registered for the first semester's laboratory work. In this manner it is believed that any injustice which may be felt by the students the first semester may be removed.

Not Ready Yet.

The new laboratories will probably not be ready for occupation for at least two weeks, and it may take several weeks more to get things into

shape. The delays which those in charge of the work have experienced have been unavoidable. Most of the furnishings such as pulleys, shafting, motors, and the like, were promised for delivery September first and have not yet arrived. The department has had everything in readiness for some time for the reception of this apparatus.

Even after some of the shipments which were made earlier in the summer arrived, there was a delay of weeks in getting it unloaded and delivered, owing to delays on the part of the transfer companies. Some of the machinery was lost in shipment, and is only now being traced to its destination. Motors which were ordered August 1 and were to have been delivered in five weeks have not yet been shipped. However, most of this material will come in the next few weeks and when once installed Nebraska will probably have one of the finest mechanical engineering laboratories and building in this country.

No Steam Lab.

No attempt will be made to operate the steam laboratories this semester. Students who were to have taken that work will be allowed to substitute something else. All of this machinery and apparatus will be shipped, however, in six or eight weeks and every effort will be made to get things into shape for work the second semester. As it is, in all of the laboratories especial pains will be taken to see that the laboratories for the use of freshmen and sophomores will be ready as soon as possible, as it is with these two classes that the most difficulty in arranging the work will be met with.

E. F. Guidinger, 1909, spent part of the past summer at Ames, Nebr., where he was employed by the sugar beet manufacturers in dismantling the \$1,500,000 Leavitt plant.