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FIVE COACHES HELP PUT TEAM IN SHAPE

OLD "N" MEN TURN OUT TO HELP COLE IN WORK.

BIRKNER HAS NOT YET REPORTED

Nebraska Men Show Up Well Under Stiff Practice—Magor Laid Out by Bad Cut on Jaw.

If Nebraska doesn't beat Minnesota at Omaha next Saturday, it will not be due to a lack of coaching. Five coaches were on the field in yesterday's practice, watching every movement and ready at all times to point out the faults of the individual players and show them how to improve their work.

It was an inspiring sight to sidelines, of whom there were a goodly number, to see five trained veterans put the team through one of the stiffest practices of the year. Coach Cole had for his assistants in yesterday's work three veteran Nebraska players, Harvey, Chaloupka and Westover. Every one of these men were stars on former Nebraska eleven and have more than once demonstrated to the husky Minnesotans that Nebraska too can play the game. They are more than anxious to see Nebraska win next Saturday's game, and are doing everything that man can possibly do to put the team in shape for the contest. One of these men said last night that if the Nebraska eleven shows the same spirit and enthusiasm in next Saturday's contest that was displayed in yesterday's scrimmage there will be a great surprise in store for Minnesota.

Many Coaches.

In addition to these veterans Cole also had the aid of Captain Hargraves, a former West Point star. Hargraves played left end on the Army eleven in 1902 and 1903. He is taking special work here in the engineering department and has offered his services in training the ends. Under his tuition the ends ought to make rapid improvement in the art of breaking up interference and getting down on punts.

One thing Nebraska has lacked so far and that is sufficient coaching material to keep all the men constantly at work. Cole and Harvey have been working like Trojans, but their task was too great. This week will see at least six men out every night putting the team through the hardest kind of scrimmage.

Glen Mason, who played full back and end from 1901 to 1905 and is generally regarded as one of the greatest football players Nebraska ever produced, is to be out tomorrow. There is talk of securing the services of "Pip" Cook, who is now coaching the Nebraska Military Academy, also. This line-up of veteran Nebraskans ought to prove a powerful stimulus to the team in their work this week, and with the advantage of their inspiring influence Nebraska ought to show Minnesota one of the warmest times in the football history of the two schools.

Birkner Not Reported.

So far Birkner has not reported. He arrived in town Saturday and hopes were entertained that he would be in harness the first of the week so as to take his place as full back in the game next Saturday. His services are badly needed as Cole has only one set of back field men whom he can depend on. Sturtznegger has proved himself a good half, but is not heavy enough for full. Ryan and Ford are being trained to fill back field positions this week. These men are both fast and of good weight. They are both green to the game, but have good

TWO SONGS FOR THE MINNESOTA-NEBRASKA GAME

GAME



Tune: Take Me Out to the Baseball Game.

Take me out to the football game,
Take me out with the crowd,
Buy me some pennants and megaphones,
I don't care if I never get back,
For its root, root, root for Nebraska.
If they don't win it's a shame,
For it is one, two, three downs and out
At the football game.

Tune: See-saw.

Football, football,
Making ten yards every down,
Don't it just seem like a threshing machine
That's turning, and whirling, and hurling around,
as we
Go through—your line.
You won't come back here for more,
Look at the board, see how much we have scored,
With your old foot-ball.

stuff in them when they get worked out. Both of these men will probably see service in Saturday's game.

In yesterday's scrimmage Magor received a severe cut in the jaw, which may lay him up for a day or two. He was feeling well last night, and it is hoped he will be able to get out in a day or so. Last Saturday he played a star game at left end and he is being counted on to do good work in the coming contest.

M. E. CLASSES STILL DELAYED.

Shipment of Equipment Delays Work and the Classes Are Attending Lectures.

The members of the classes in M. E. I. have been unable to use the laboratory since school started and the delay has been caused by the delay in the shipment of the equipment of the machinery needed to fit the building. This machinery should have been here a month ago and upon its arrival the work of installing it will be a matter of a few days' work, and then the shops will be ready for the work in mechanical engineering that is being replaced now by an extra weekly lecture.

DEBATE TRY-OUT COMING SOON.

Registration for Preliminaries This Year Unusually Heavy.

Registration for the try-outs for inter-collegiate debating have been unusually heavy this year. Up to last night thirty-two candidates had registered for the wide-open preliminary to pick out the members of the university debating squad.

The registration is not confined to upper classmen, but many freshmen have entered the lists. The increase in registration over last year is due in a large measure to the fact that while two try-outs were held last year, only one is to be held this year. This try-out will in all probability come the first of next week.

The list of those registered up to last night follows:

John L. Rice, Ernest H. Hahne, G. W. Foster, D. W. Rogers, James E. Bednar, J. T. Votora, R. W. Garrett, H. F. Wonder, Ralph Moseley, K. P. Frederick, J. A. Scotney, P. J. Holderson, H. W. Coulter, D. F. McDonald, S. P. Dobbs, B. W. Cherrington, F. C. McConnell, H. C. Hathaway, R. S. Mann, C. R. Rein, B. C. Marcellus, E. W. Marcellus, T. H. Quinn, A. M. Oberfelder, J. M. Alexander, A. E. Warren, C. L. Clark, W. G. Wolvington, H. B. Engling, H. B. Potter, C. A. Emery and E. P. Snyder.

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

DRAMATIC CLUB LAYS PLANS FOR TRY-OUTS

ANNUAL COMPETITION FOR MEMBERSHIP NOVEMBER 11.

RENEWED ENTHUSIASM IN THE WORK

Details of Try-Out Announced by Miss Howell, Who as President of Club and Head of Department, Superintends Work.

The University Dramatic Club is to put on some excellent productions this winter in addition to many other phases of the work, which will be pushed with unusual vigor. Miss Howell has already been beset with many inquiries regarding the club, its rules, and its program for the winter, and unusual interest is manifested on the part of the club members themselves.

The club will hold its first meeting Thursday evening at 7:45 in the club rooms in the Temple, at which time a short curtain raiser will be given by Miss Esther Bailey and Mr. Searle Davis.

Upper classmen seem to be manifesting unusual interest in the work this year. While in all branches of college activities, the beginning of the college year is marked by a renewal of enthusiasm, yet this year that of the dramatic club is not confined alone to the new men. Many of these have already inquired regarding the date of the try-outs, which, as was announced last evening, are to be held November 11.

Change in Requirement.

Admission to the club was not always granted on the basis of a 'try-out' before judges. Eight years ago, when the department of elocution was new at Nebraska, Miss Howell and a few students who were interested in college dramatics, organized the club. At that time all of the students in the elocution classes were eligible for membership. As the department became larger the club adopted the try-out plan, which is now in use.

Every fall Miss Howell, the president of the club, appoints a committee of club members with perhaps some interested member of the faculty, before whom the students desiring admission to the club present what is called a "try-out." Usually some well-known scene from classic drama, a dialogue or a recitation is chosen by the would-be member. Ten minutes is the time limited for the try-out. A list of good scenes is always posted in the Elocution Room, W106, a week before the try-outs take place, and students interested in the work may con-

sult Miss Howell as soon as possible regarding final arrangements for the work.

Give a Play.

Once admitted to the club, the interesting work begins. Before becoming full fledged members the new members are required to present a play before the club as an initiation within a month after passing the try-outs. During the year the club holds monthly meetings in the club room in the Temple. These meetings are partly business and partly social in character. A program consisting of a short play, a recitation or a talk on some matter of dramatic interest, is always arranged for by a special committee.

During the year the club always presents several plays in public at the Temple Theater. Those given last year were, "The American Citizen" and "The Toast Master." The cast of the senior play, which is the great event of commencement week, is always chosen largely from the dramatic club, for those who have had experience and training in their club work are usually best qualified for the roles.

The aim and hope of the club is to raise the standard of the work done by the members, year by year, until the Nebraska club can hold as famous a place in college circles as the dramatic clubs of the great eastern schools, where the importance and prominence of the dramatic club is second to no other phase of college life.

NEW ENGINEER ORGANIZATION.

Similar Organization to A. I. E. E. to Be Formed by the M. E. Men.

The members of the junior and senior classes in mechanical engineering are requested to meet Wednesday afternoon in the M. E. building in room 204. The purpose of the meeting is for the formation of a society called the American Society of Mechanical Engineers. This organization is a factor in the life of the mechanical engineers similar to the organization among the electrical engineers called the American Institute of Electrical Engineers. All junior and senior mechanical engineers are invited to attend this meeting.

John W. Roberts, '04, who took his Master's degree last spring from the University of Nebraska, has secured a position as scientific assistant in orchard pathology, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Notice.

The members of the committee on the selection of a scarf to be worn by the members of the Pershing Rifles are requested to meet in the rag office this morning at 11 o'clock.

C. J. LORD, Chairman.

PROFESSOR LEES WENT ON HIS ANNUAL TOUR

TOOK PARTY ON VISIT TO EUROPEAN NATIONS.

VISITED MANY SCENES OF INTEREST

Party of Thirty-five Made Tour With Nebraska Professor and Enjoyed Sights of the Old Country.

The annual University of Nebraska summer tour conducted by Dr. James T. Lees, head of the department of Greek, was this year a decided success. The trips were started in 1892 at the urgent request of Chancellor Canfield, who saw in them the possibility for university students to spend a pleasant and profitable vacation at a moderate price. Dr. Lees has conducted the tours nearly every year since then.

The party this year averaged thirty-five and was under the personal charge of Dr. Lees. They left Lincoln June 9 and sailed from Montreal the 12th. On landing at Glasgow they proceeded immediately to Edinburg, spending two days there. Here they visited Melrose Abbey and Abbotsford, the home of Sir Walter Scott. Two days were then spent coaching through the Trossachs, varied with steamer rides on Loch Kathrine and Loch Lomond. The party then journeyed to Ayr, the birthplace of Robert Burns, where they visited the "Auld Kirk" and "Brig O'Doon." Trip Through England.

The trip was continued through Dunfries, Carlyle and Keawick and then coached all day to Gresmeer and Windermere, spending Sunday in Bowness on Lake Windermere. Thence the party went to Chester, famous for its old Roman walls and the peculiar character of its buildings, known as the "Rows." The next stop was at Stratford-on-Avon, where visits were made to Shakespeare's house, Memorial church and Anne Hathaway's cottage. After visiting Warwick and Warwick castle another coaching trip was made to Kenilworth castle, which has been immortalized by Sir Walter Scott's Ivanhoe.

After stopping in Oxford and visiting its two score colleges the party proceeded to London. Seven days were spent in the world's metropolis with one day auto trips to Windsor castle, Hampton Court and Stokes Poges. Stokes Poges is the church where Gray wrote his famous elegy. The party then proceeded to Paris, where five days were spent visiting the sights of the French capital. The party enjoyed on July 14 the celebration of the storming of the Bastille, which is much the same as our Fourth of July. Another day was spent on an excursion to Versailles and Trianoles. The trip then proceeded through Belgium and Holland, stops being made at Brussels, Antwerp, Rotterdam, The Hague and Amsterdam.

The party left Amsterdam the 19th of July on a special chartered steamer for an exceedingly interesting and profitable trip through the canals of Holland, visiting Edam, famous for its cheese, Monnikendam and Volendam and the island of Marken. Here the party was almost immediately transported back to almost the middle ages, for the primitive Hollanders on this sea-girt island are practically unchanged in their ways of living and modes of dress from former ages.

Visit at Cologne.

From Amsterdam the party was taken to Cologne, where what is probably the finest Gothic cathedral in Europe is located. Thence an all day sail up the historic Rhine, old castles

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