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TORCH PARADE THURSDAY

BIG TORCHLIGHT PROCESSION AS SEND-OFF FOR THE TEAM

"ON TO KANSAS" IS THE NEW NEBRASKA SLOGAN

**Torches on Sale Today at Cost—Monster Celebration
Before the Team Leaves for Jayhawker Land
Meet at 8:30 Thursday Night**

"On to Kansas" is now the word. Student after student announced to Manager Eager yesterday that they were to be "Johnny-on-the-spot" Saturday afternoon at the big game at Lawrence.

"If I haven't got the money Friday I am going to bum my way," said one student. Two upper classmen said yesterday that they had "bummed" their way before and they could do it again, for they were going to see the Jayhawker game if they had to "ride the bumpers."

Pawn Clothes.

One of the leaders of the junior class said he was going or "bust." "I have not received my monthly allowance as yet, and if I don't hear from home before Friday, well—I have a suit or two that I can pawn, for believe me, they can't stop me from going to Lawrence."

Monster Send-Off.

When the Cornhusker football team leaves Thursday night for the Sunflower state it will be given the greatest send-off ever accorded a Nebraska team. The squad will leave Thursday night and spend Friday in Kansas City, then journey later to Lawrence, after resting from their long night's trip. To show the team that the student body is behind them, the greatest "send-off" in the history of the university has been planned.

Big Torch Parade.

The athletic board has purchased 300 torches which will be sold to the students for 10 cents each. These will be used in the big torch parade which will be held preparatory to taking the team to the depot.

These torches are of the campaign variety and will be sold to students at cost (10 cents) today and tomorrow in the Nebraskan office in the basement of the Administration building, from 10 to 12 in the morning and from 3 to 5 in the afternoon. As the supply of torches is limited to 300, the board suggests that they be purchased at once as several advance orders have been made already, and the big torch procession as a send-off to THE TEAM will be the greatest that has ever been held.

The Route.

The students will meet on the campus at Eleventh and R streets at 8:30 p. m. Thursday. Led by the cadet band, which will be followed by a big carry-all carrying the members of the team, the big torch procession will start. The girls of the university have agreed to decorate the great carry-all which has been engaged for the occasion.

The parade will start at Eleventh and R streets, and will march from that point up R street to Sixteenth, down Sixteenth street to O street and down O street to Ninth, and then to

the depot, where the players will speak and everybody will cheer for the university, the team and everything in general—except Kansas.

Every Student Out.

The eagerness a large number of students have shown to purchase the torches is evidence that this parade as a send-off to the team will be as large as the annual "Company Q" parade.

The special train to Kansas for the students will leave Friday, but the team will leave a day earlier so as to be rested after the railroad journey during the night.

The whole student body is anxious to beat the Jayhawkers and the rapidly shown by the students in sending in their names as prospective travelers to Kansas shows that everybody will be out at 8:30 p. m. Thursday to give Nebraska's football team the best send-off in the history of the Cornhusker school.

MISSOURI WANTS A SONG.

One Thousand Dollars is Offered as a Prize.

A prize competition for a state song for Missouri closed yesterday. Governor Hadley appointed a committee some time ago to conduct a prize contest, offering \$1,000 for the song which should be selected. Under the rules the winner is to transfer all rights to the song to the state of Missouri and the people thereof. The result will likely be announced in the very near future.

FOOTBALL SPECIAL TRAIN

To Lawrence, Kansas.

The Union Pacific will run a special train to Lawrence, Kansas, leaving Lincoln Friday at 8 p. m.; returning leave Lawrence Saturday evening 11 o'clock. Round trip fare \$7.50. The train will consist of standard and tourist sleepers and chair cars. The standard berth rate is \$2 one way. The tourist berth rate is \$1 one way. Call early and secure tickets and make reservations at City Ticket Office, 1044 O street.

E. B. SLOSSON,
General Agent.

A chapter of Phi Beta Kappa was installed at Miami University during the month of September.

The Michigan Union, the student club of the University of Michigan, is prosecuting an active campaign for members and expects to have 2,500 this year. Last year the total membership was 786.

Lafayette college is represented by a semi-weekly paper, The Lafayette, for the first time in the history of the school.

TRY-OUT TO BE HELD TODAY

**CROSS-COUNTRY MEN WILL TRY
FOR PLACES ON THE SQUAD.**

FIFTEEN MEN WILL ENTER THE RACE

**START AND FINISH WILL BE AT
THE ATHLETIC FIELD.**

**Nebraska is Getting Ready for the
Track Meet at Madison on
November 19.**

The annual try-out for the University of Nebraska cross-country team will be held this evening at 4 o'clock. This is an event which is being looked forward to with great interest by athletes of the school, in view of the fact that success of Nebraska at the big midwest intercollegiate track meet at Madison, Wis., is almost directly dependent upon the cross-country representatives.

There will be at least fifteen participants in the try-out tonight. This is not an exceptionally large number, but it is generally thought by the managers that the very best material will be present, and that fear of overwhelming defeat has sifted second class runners out of the event.

Course is Complicated.

The course outlined for the runners is somewhat complicated to follow and covers a total distance of four and nine-tenths miles. The striking feature of the race tonight is that the athletic field will be the opening and closing scene of the event. At the sound of the pistol the contestants will circle the athletic field one and a half times, and then start out on T street. At the close of the race the runners must again circle two and one-half laps on the field. This starting and closing feature of the try-out promises to be exciting, and will afford an opportunity for the students to watch the best part of the race. According to "dope" on the final results, there will be a number of goal seekers on the last lap at the same time.

Course in Detail.

The course of the race in detail is as follows: After the first lap on the athletic field, the runners go east on T to Twelfth, north on Twelfth to U, east on U to Thirteenth, north to Y, east to Fourteenth, and out Fourteenth for a mile and a half, then west to Ninth, south on Ninth to Y, east on Y to Tenth, over viaduct on Tenth and south to T. The home stretch includes

the final two and one-half laps on the athletic field.

Predictions being made do not vary to a great degree on the first three places, but after that there is a good deal of uncertainty. The supposition that Melick, Anderson and Yzicar will return to the varsity has grown to be almost a foregone conclusion. These men were all on the varsity team last year and, thus far, have shown every indication that they will return. The return of these men to the university has undoubtedly strengthened the chances of Nebraska at Madison, for experience is a good factor in determining the winners. Other contestants who appear to be highly prospective honor takers are Swanson, Hayes, Bates and Wohlenberg. These men have all manifested varsity qualities and any two of them will fill the expected vacancies in great shape.

Track Meet at Madison.

The big middle west track meet will be held at Madison on November 19. This is the meet which has formerly been held at Chicago. The schools that will participate in the cross-country event are Nebraska, Chicago, Minnesota, Illinois, Purdue, Ames and Iowa. Drake will not contest this year. It is interesting to note that the track meet will be pulled off on the same date as the Chicago-Wisconsin football game.

Since the creation of an intercollegiate cross-country race six years ago, Nebraska has won first honors four times and second honors twice. Consequently the team will not depart for Madison with an unprecedented task looming up before them. Dr. Clapp is making good predictions for his men, and says he will be able to form a more accurate statement of the intercollegiate result by the end of the try-out tonight.

WILL SING THE SONGS.

University Chorus Will Present Contributions.

Parodies on popular airs which are submitted by university students will be sung by the university chorus at a recital to be given Tuesday. The songs are supposed to have something in them pertaining to football—at least a general reference to the game. This is the only requirement. The author of the best song will receive two reserved seat tickets to the Nebraska-Ames game November 12.

NEBRASKAN MAKES GOOD.

Uni Graduate Distinguishes Himself in the Navy.

Lieutenant Commander L. M. Overstreet, U. S. N., a graduate of the University of Nebraska in the class of 1895, won distinction in the recent naval gunnery practice. He was serving as ordnance officer on the dreadnought Delaware, which took first place in the efficient list. Lieutenant Commander Overstreet served in a similar capacity on the Vermont when it won the trophy last year. He was also on the battleship Oregon under Captain Clark when, during the Spanish-American war, the perilous run was made from the Pacific coast around Cape Horn to the Atlantic in a desperate attempt to join the fleets of Sampson and Schley.

President Drinker of Lehigh says: "It is my earnest wish that the athletic side of our university life shall be encouraged and actively supported."

KANSANS ARE NOT SO SURE

**ARE LOOKING FOR A WARM GAME
WITH CORNHUSKERS.**

WILL MEAN VALLEY CHAMPIONSHIP

**BOTH TEAMS ARE IN GOOD SHAPE
FOR THE GAME.**

**Are About Evenly Matched in Weight
With K. U.'s Line Slightly
the Heavier.**

Kansas is looking forward to the visit of the Cornhuskers next Saturday with no over-confidence. That much is certain from the fact that the University Kansan, the student paper of Kansas university, appeared last Saturday morning with a black line across the front page, "We Must Beat Nebraska Next Saturday."

The Jayhawkers, like the Cornhuskers, are looking for one of the hardest games of the season, if not the very hardest. They, too, have been putting in some hard work getting ready for the tussle at the end of this week, and when the game is called two of the best fighting machines in the Missouri Valley will contest for the supremacy which may mean the Missouri Valley championship.

No Need for Worry.

As far as the Cornhuskers being in poor condition is concerned, there is no need for worry. Seldom has Nebraska seen a better football eleven, and if Kansas wins next Saturday it will be because of their superiority rather than of any weakness on the part of the locals.

Taking reports from Lawrence at more or less of a discount—about the way they take reports received from Lincoln—Kansas also appears to be in the game with one of the strongest teams they have had for years. True, they were held to a 6 to 0 score by Drake university, but Doane managed to secure the same kind of a grip on the Cornhuskers, so neither game can be taken as a basis for prediction on what the Nebraska and Kansas teams really amount to.

Teams Evenly Matched.

As the two teams stand now there is but little difference between them, either in speed or weight. While Kansas may have the advantage of a few pounds in the weight of the line, it is not great enough to make a difference on the field. As to the back fields, Kansas is fast and so is Nebraska, with the Cornhuskers a little to the good.

Taking it on the whole, giving the Nebraskans just a shade the advantage on speedy backfield plays, there is no reason why the Cornhuskers should not bring back the bacon, by one touchdown at least.

Will Be a Warm Scrap.

That the Kansans will have the warmest scrap of the season on their hands is a certainty. The Jayhawkers have a hunch that such will be the case, as evidenced by the "We Must Beat Nebraska" agitation, while the Cornhuskers are going to Lawrence with a determination to win or win.

The Politics club of Columbia invites political nominees to address their meetings. Henry L. Stimson, republican nominee for governor, recently opened his state campaign with a speech before this class.

**TORCHES
TEN CENTS**

**IN NEBRASKA
OFFICE**

**Today
10 to 12 A. M. 3 to 5 P. M.**

**Tomorrow
10 to 12 A. M. 3 to 5 P. M.**

BUY YOUR TORCHES NOW!