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NEBRASKA PLAYS OREGON AGGIES

TEAM TO MAKE LONG TRIP TO THE FAR WEST

All Other Games but Iowa for the Home Field—Notre Dame Comes Thanksgiving Day

The Nebraska football schedule for next year has just been completed. Arrangements have been made so that Nebraska will play the Oregon Aggies at Portland, Ore. This will be the first time that Nebraska has ever ventured into the west, and it will be the longest trip any of her teams have taken. The only other trip the team will make will be to play Iowa at Iowa City. The strong Notre Dame team will meet Nebraska on the home field, Thanksgiving day.

The complete schedule is:
 October 7—Drake at Lincoln.
 October 14—Manhattan at Lincoln.
 October 21—Oregon Aggies at Portland, Ore.
 October 28—No game.
 November 4—Ames at Lincoln.
 November 11—Wesleyan at Lincoln.
 November 18—Kansas at Lincoln.
 November 25—Iowa at Iowa City.
 November 30—Notre Dame at Lincoln.

Skating in Full Swing

With a smooth coat of ice to glide upon, the hockey players and fancy skaters will be in their glory this week on the new university skating rink. The ice, which was flooded last Saturday evening, remained untouched Sunday in accordance with the Sunday closing order issued by the university authorities. But the rink will be open till about 11 o'clock in the evenings, so that those who have got the "bug" and desire to take up the new fad of ice dancing may indulge to their heart's content.

Donald Gallagher, '19, of O'Neill, who left the university the latter part of last semester, has returned to finish the year.

REGISTRATION IS LARGER

The registration for this semester exceeds registration for the same semester last year by 169. The total number registered for the second semester last year was 2,218; the total for this year is 2,387. The following figures show the registration by days for the second semester in 1915 and 1916:

	1915	1916
Wednesday	447	475
Thursday	523	554
Friday	550	560
Saturday	589	579
Monday	109	219
Total	2218	2387

The registration for the first semester this year showed an increase of ten per cent over last year. Although the exact figures are not available, it is known that there is a marked increase in the number of students registered in the school of commerce. This shows that there is a tendency toward the more practical side in the college curriculum. Students are beginning to demand that their studies be useful as well as cultural.

The increase in the number of students at Nebraska university, though not phenomenal, is marked and steady.

KOSMET KLUB PLAY TITLE IS PUZZLING

Which is it, "The Night of the Nymphs," or "The Knight of the Nymphs?" The Kosmet Klub says that it is immaterial, merely a matter of expressing an opinion. The bolder and sterner element of the student body will undoubtedly prefer to regard as the title: "The Night of the Nymphs"—a night when all the fairest of the woodland fairies assembled at some mythical festivity. The fairer and more genteel portion will undoubtedly find a more fitting interpretation in "The Knight of the Nymphs." In her mind's eye she pictures a rough, stalwart and handsome pioneer with the bearing and tendencies of a Daniel Boone; he lived in a wild and rugged forest, the hero and ideal of thousands of beautiful nymphs; each day as he took his trusty musket from the wall and ambled down to the trail to commence the chase, the bugler nymph would give the signal from a high rock and, as if by magic, thousands of fairies would appear out of the shadows to follow and protect him.

Every university student will have an opportunity on February 18, 1916, of giving his own interpretation as to the spelling of the title of this year's annual Kosmet show. The cast, under the supervision of Prof. Scott and several able assistants, is holding regular and strenuous rehearsals to get the new play in shape.

The business manager has sounded his first warning as to the sale of tickets. Saturday morning, February 12, is the day for the wild rush. To those who have endured the struggle of former years and who have a knowledge of the demand for Kosmet tickets at the Oliver this will be sufficient. The prices this year will be from 50 cents to \$1.00.

BOARD MAKES STATEMENT

The following members of the Student Publication board desire to state that they are collectively responsible for the election of another candidate over Mr. Paul to the position of editor-in-chief of The Daily Nebraskan. This statement is made in view of the fact that Mr. Paul published in The Nebraskan accusations of unfairness against the chairman of the board in an action which represented the careful decision of the whole board:

- * H. B. ALEXANDER,
- * P. H. BUCK, JR.,
- * L. M. PALMER,
- * R. M. STURM,
- * MARGARET KAUFMANN.

Ninety-Five Jobs Filled

The employment bureau which was organized at the beginning of this year has filled ninety-five positions since January 5. This success has been due partly to judicious advertising and partly to the co-operation of the students themselves. A student seeking employment must leave his daily schedule at the bureau so that he may be reached at any time of the day. So far only two positions have been left unfilled.

All Daily Nebraskan subscription books must be turned in at the Student Activities office before 5 p. m. today.

CORNHUSKER FILMS ESCAPE BIG FIRE

A portion of the pictures and cuts for the Cornhusker athletic section were damaged by smoke and water during the fire which caused a \$20,000 loss in the Brownell block last Friday. This section was all ready to be sent off for engraving. However, it will be delayed only a short time, and the delay will not affect the time of the issue of the Cornhusker in any way. None of the films were destroyed, and the photographer is busy reprinting.

Frat Bowling Schedule

The interfraternity bowling contest, which will be played at the Y. M. C. A. alleys, is to start this week. The alleys can be secured every afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. Each team is to stand its own expenses. The schedule, which is of the elimination type, is as follows: Sigma Phi Epsilon vs. Alpha Tau Omega; Sigma Nu vs. Alpha Theta Chi; Sigma Chi vs. Delta Chi; Alpha Sigma Phi vs. Sigma Alpha Epsilon. The winner in the following group for the championship: Acacia vs. Beta Theta Pi; Phi Gamma Delta vs. Phi Kappa Psi; Kappa Sigma vs. Delta Upsilon; Phi Delta Theta vs. Delta Tau Delta.

BOARD ACCEPTS HARKSON'S RESIGNATION

The Student Publication board Monday noon accepted the resignation of U. S. Harkson as business manager of The Daily Nebraskan, and appointed T. A. Williams, student activities secretary, acting business manager. Harkson will work with the acting business manager and M. L. Poteet, assistant, for the time being.

WOULD ADD TO MILITARY TRAINING

POMERENE BILL AFFECTS THE STATE UNIVERSITY

Ohio Senator Proposes Measure Placing University Military System on Preparedness Basis

Nebraska university may become a secondary West Point, if the bill introduced into congress January 25 by Senator Pomerene of Ohio, passes. Under the provisions of the measure, President Wilson would be given authority to establish a four years' required course of study in military science and tactics in all colleges and universities. Chancellor Avery helped frame the bill when he met, a few weeks before congress convened, with the executive committee of the National Association of State Universities, of which he is a member.

The military instruction would only be established at the request of the university, and a minimum of 100 students in military science would be a pre-requisite. All graduates of the course would be reserve officers of the army, subject to call to the colors within ten years.

Horses, arms, equipment, and necessary transportation would be at the expense of the government and the suggestion has been made that the military students receive some compensation. Instruction would be given by United States army officers. If the measure passes, an additional commandant of cadets would be needed for this university.

Dean Fordyce's Father Dies

Dean Charles Fordyce yesterday received a telegram announcing the death of his father at Houston, Tex. The dean will leave Lincoln this morning for Houston, to attend the funeral.

AFTER COLLEGE WHAT?

Public service and social work are the fields chosen for the library display of books on vocations during the coming week. A valuable book in the collection is "Universities and Public Service," which contains an address by S. S. McClure on public service as a career, articles on the city manager as a career and other interesting papers. The following books are placed on the reading room shelves:

- Beard, "Woman's Work in Municipalities."
- Bruere, "The New City Government."
- Cabot, "Social Service."
- Davis, "The Field of Social Service."
- Devine, "The Spirit of Social Work."
- Earp, "The Social Engineer."
- Faltz, "The Federal Civil Service."
- Foster, "Practice of Diplomacy."
- Gross, "The American Consular Service."
- Howe, "The Modern City."
- Nearing, "Social Religion."
- Reed, "Government for the People."
- Schuyler, "American Diplomacy."
- Toulmin, "The City Manager."
- Van Dymen, "Our Foreign Service."
- Vocations, Volume 6.

Francis H. McLean, of New York City, secretary of the American Association of Organized Charities, spoke to the Political Science 8, class at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon.

Pete Wohlenberg's Store Takes Place of Ancient Coffee House

"Look here, you fledgling, what do you know about chess, anyway?" It was Dr. A. L. Bixby, of Daily Drift fame, talking, and his remarks were addressed to Prof. Edwin Maxey, of the university law college. Dr. Bixby was playing a game of chess with Dean Engberg, and Prof. Maxey had offered the dean a few suggestions.

It was in Pete Wohlenberg's cigar store on South Eleventh street, the loafing place of the chess and checker enthusiasts of Lincoln. It is a place of its own kind. In the back part of the stock-room, with its requisite show and display cases, filled with hundreds of pipes, thousands of cigars, great quantities of tobacco, and a large assortment of canes, are the chess and checker tables. They are four in number and there are plenty of chairs. Around these tables there always is a crowd of men. A thick haze of smoke is a characteristic feature of the room, as is the constant noise of moving pieces, cries of "check" by the players, the voiced interruptions of the onlookers. Through the door at the rear comes the pungent odor of fresh tobacco, and the men can be seen, sitting at their tables, deftly rolling cigarettes.

No matter how skillful you may be at either game, there is always someone around to give you battle. More than this, you and your opponent will not play alone. It is an established rule of the place that anyone may offer suggestions and make any comments on the game that he sees fit

to make. This adds to the democratic atmosphere of the place and makes for good fellowship.

For it must be noticed that all classes of men play here. At almost any hour of the day you can find from one or two of our university professors present. Dr. Maxey, Dean Engberg, Profs. Henry Blumbers, W. C. Brenke, E. L. Hinman and J. E. Le-Rossignol, are frequent players, with Profs. Searle Davis and P. H. Frye stopping in occasionally to look on. From time to time you can see such noted chess players as Dr. A. L. Bixby, John Mockett, Will Price, Frank Parks, and so on down the list. A mail carrier and a bricklayer are habitual players among them. A number of the Lincoln business men play occasionally. Each man rubs elbows with the others, and whether you know a man or not, makes no difference. After a few visits to the place you can feel on intimate terms with any of the other men who play chess or checkers there.

During the noon hour you can see the most games, because then the men are free from office and shop. And if you do not go down to Pete's some noon hour, you will miss something worth seeing. You will hear Will Price come in and start, before he has closed the door, to comment on the games. You will hear Dr. Bixby call someone a "saphead" or perhaps a "laughing hyena." Prof. Maxey will be there also. He will make some witty comment on some of

Dr. Bixby's moves and then there will be a word battle royal between the two "docs" and it will be an interesting one.

Just how Pete's became the chess and checker resort of Lincoln, no one knows, but as long as he maintains his tables it will remain so. For the players all like Pete. He is obliging to the last degree and offers them many accommodations.

Besides the game tables, there is another thing for which people bless Pete. He keeps a magazine and newspaper stand. If you wish to read, you are at liberty to pick out your favorite periodical and sit down to read in chairs provided for that purpose. There are frequent disputes on war topics. There is an old German, August Esser, who comes in regularly to read the latest edition. He pulls his eye-glasses down to the end of his nose, hangs his cane upon his arm, leans against the show case and reads. Sometimes he becomes vehement in his comment upon the war articles, for he is pro-German through and through, and uses his cane to emphasize his remarks. Invariably, there is someone there to dispute him and then there is more excitement. Anyone may feel free to enter these discussions. Taken all in all, there is not another place in Lincoln where a more congenial spirit exists. If one has been there once, he will find himself dropping in, more and more often until at last he awakens to the fact that he is an habitue.