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For several years, Nebraska has gone through the football season, undefeated. But anyone who is experienced in football will acknowledge that victories and defeats go in cycles, and though Nebraska has not, up to this time, lost any game, the good luck cannot go on forever. We are bound to lose sometime in the future, though the general trend toward fortune may be prolonged for some time.

If a team loses, it may be for some reason other than the common idea, a weakness of the team. It may be the strength of the opponents.

Nebraskans have gone out to the games, so filled with the idea that the team was so perfect that it could not see the perfection of the other team as well. As a result, our team has been blamed for a small score when in reality, a little credit should have been given the opponents.

The spirit, "we will win" is quite fitting and proper, and cannot be emphasized too strongly, but we should also remember that the other team is fighting with the same spirit, and the time may come when their spirit will be greater and more generous than ours, and will carry them to victory.

The suffrage tea in Faculty hall, Saturday afternoon, was an inspiration. Over three hundred women and girls braved the disagreeable weather and attended. It is the beginning of a big movement that will spread through the University girls, and its influence will be felt throughout the state. It will be an efficient and effective organization, one of quiet, dignified influence, not of rattle-brained, red-fire mania.

The informal dances at the Armory, like the one Saturday night, are the realization of a big dream that has been the desire of many a Nebraska student.

Young people with all their vigor and enthusiasm demand recreation, and they will take it. The informal dances take the place of more expensive affairs and furnish an alternative for many a person.

Mrs. Bryan was right when she said that nothing can be gained by being bitter. Men have been known to lose elections because they knocked their opponents. Knocking only creates a sympathy for the other person which is inevitably disastrous to the knocker. People are afraid of those who carry knives in their belts and a small wood-pile on their shoulders.

A gushing person is like a slippery sidewalk. He's dangerous.

FORUM

Anent Bohemian and All Slavonic Names

Editor Nebraskan:

In yesterday's Nebraskan, I noticed an item concerning Cyril J. Hrbek, but the name was spelled "Hrbkova." This is incorrect for the suffix "ova" occurs only in feminine names in the Slavic tongues and is wholly out of place in masculine names. Thus, the name of the instructor in Slavonic is "Hrbkova" whereas any male member of the family is called "Hrbek." In the familiar Russian name "Pavlova" is another example of the Slavic method of indicating sex or gender by the "ova" suffix which merely means that Anna Pavlova is "Anna" of the house or family of "Pavel" or Paul. When the feminine suffix "ova" is added to a name ending in "ek" or "el" in the masculine, the "e" is omitted, making the complete feminine form not "Pave-lova" but "Pavlova." If the name happens to be an adjective in origin as for instance, in English, such names as "White," "Green," etc., the masculine form would end in "y" and the feminine in "a" since "a" is the typi-

cal feminine suffix just as it is in Latin. Thus "Bily" (Waite) masculine, but "Bila" feminine.

I believe Professor Hrbkova will bear me out in this as I have seen a similar explanation of forms in the grammar in use in the Slavonic department.

V. K. MERLIN.

UNIVERSITY NOTICES

Cadet Uniforms

New uniforms will be delivered at the quartermaster's office from 2 to 5 p. m., Monday, November 13, to cadet corporals and cadet privates of Companies C, D, E, and F. The balance due on each uniform must be paid at the time of delivery, by cash or check.

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SOCIETY

Clifton Monahan, '18, went to Manhattan, Kas., Saturday.

Clara Janouch, '15, of Fairbury, spent the week-end in the city.

Comus club entertained fifty couples at the Lindell Saturday evening.

Ruth Bedson, '19, has as her guest, Bessie Townsend, '15, of Ponca.

Kathryn Mellor, '18, visited at her home in Malvern over the week-end.

Walter Hager, ex-'17, of Pender, spent the week-end at the Sigma Phi Epsilon house.

Keitha Littler, '17, Ruth Quigley, '17, and Ruth Ashby, '18, spent the week-end in Fairmont.

Prof. G. W. Hood entertained the members of Sigma Kappa Zeta at dinner last Thursday.

Delta Delta Delta gave a dance at the chapter house Saturday evening. Miss Dorsey chaperoned the fifteen couples who attended.

Mrs. Lloyd Kempton of Los Angeles, is visiting in the city. Mrs. Kempton, who was Zeda Hayden, ex-'15, is a member of Chi Omega.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Irene Costello and C. J. Bachoritch, '12, of Fairbury. Mr. Bachoritch is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

Delta Tau Delta freshmen entertained the active chapter at a house dance Saturday evening, which was attended by thirty couples. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rutherford were chaperones.

Ruth Bridenbaugh, '15, of South Sioux City and Margerite Marshall, '16, spent the week-end in the city and attended the wedding of Florence Angle and Guy Reed. Miss Bridenbaugh visited Miss Alice Proudft.

Tegner society entertained in Faculty hall, Saturday evening. The following program was given: Song, Oscar Alexis; reading, William Culf; piano selections, Ester Toren. Professor Alexis of the faculty was a special guest.

The Kearney club were the guests of Selma Hult and Esther Antonides at the Yolo apartments, Saturday evening. Forty members enjoyed the various games. Pumpkin pie and coffee were served later in the evening. Florence Antonides of North Platte, was an extra guest.

Delta Chi entertained thirty couples at a house dance Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. John M. Priest chaperoned. The out-of-town guests were, Harold Landeryou, Porter Allan, Howard Douglas, Truman Redfield, Paul Wilcox, Hilbert Peterson, R. Smith, and Warren Ege of Omaha.

Palladian literary society held an open meeting at the Temple, Friday evening. Fifty members and their guests listened to a lecture on European travels by Mrs. Howard Caldwell. Following this a social hour was spent in various games and an informal reception.

Prof. Charles A. Ellwood, head of the department of sociology of the University of Missouri, formerly of the department of sociology at Nebraska, will be the principal speaker at the twenty-fifth banquet of the Charity Organization society in the Lindell hotel tonight at 6:30. Prof. A. L. Candy and Prof. George E. Howard, of the University faculty, will also speak. University students interested in social work are invited to attend. Tickets may be reserved by telephoning the charity organization.

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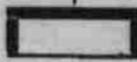
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