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## UPPERCLASS ELEVENS TO MEET TODAY

First Interclass Football Battle  
of Year

GAME SCHEDULED AT 2:00

Freshmen Meet Sophomores Tomorrow—Finals Will Be Held One Week From Saturday

The first battle of the class football series is scheduled to take place this afternoon on University field at 2 o'clock between the Seniors and Juniors. The game must start promptly as the varsity must have the field at 3 o'clock. The Sophomores and Freshmen meet tomorrow at the same time. On the Saturday before Thanksgiving, the finals will be played off between the winners of the first two games.

Senior and Junior candidates have been hard at work on their teams since the latter part of last week. Both teams will practice this morning at 11 o'clock. The Seniors are being coached by Hugo Otoupalik and the Juniors by Paul Dobson. Every morning from 10 to 12 o'clock the football field has been used by the two upperclasses in perfecting the class machines.

Sophomore players are being coached by Lawrence Shaw, Farley Young and Harold McMahon. There will be a practice this morning for all Sophomores wishing to play on the class team at 11 o'clock on University field. The Sophomores have been late in getting a start at practicing but have confidence that they will come out well in the game tomorrow.

The Freshmen have been practicing every morning this week, and held a last trout yesterday afternoon on University field. John Riddell has been serving as coach for the first-year men.

The winners in the final game on November 24, will be given sweaters by the members of the class to which they belong. The sweaters will be similar to the regulation "N" sweaters and will be decorated with the figures representing the year of the class.

## Y. M. C. A. WAR WORK

Josephus Daniels

"More than anything else except the victory which we will win, I was personally interested in the welfare of the more than 200,000 young men who have come into the navy since war was declared. Their naval efficiency depends upon their strength and vigor and we know that straight shooting, straight thinking and straight living go together. The foremost agency of the work in promoting the moral welfare of the young men is the Y. M. C. A., reaching as it does all parts of the world and making its appeal to the physical, the spiritual and the mental development of young manhood. To this organization the army and navy look chiefly for providing the wholesome amusements and recreation in helpful environments for the young men who are in the service.

"The campaign of the National War Work Council of the Young Men's Christian Association to secure \$35,000,000 for furthering the physical, social, intellectual and moral welfare of the enlisted men of the American navy as well as the armies of our country and of Russia, France and Italy, commands my whole-hearted endorsement. Nothing is clearer than the fact that all that has to do with the morals and the spirit of the men should receive the same generous and timely attention that we are seeking to give to the material factors and in this vital matter the experience of our own country and that of Great Britain and Canada shows the Young Men's Christian Association confident that the American people from one end of the country to the other will crown this latest effort with splendid success.

"Sincerely yours,  
(Signed) "Josephus Daniels."

**Many Engineers Enlisted**  
The department of engineering has just completed a list of all graduates and former students of the department who are known to have enlisted in some branch of the army or navy, and their addresses. This list will be used in sending Christmas gifts and cards and faculty letters to the University soldiers and sailors. The names now number nearly 150, and more are coming in daily.

## ILLINOIS SOLDIERS IN FRANCE TO BE REMEMBERED

One hundred and thirty-five former members of the University of Illinois who are now on the firing line in France will receive Christmas boxes, due to the combined efforts of the Illini chocolate fund and the Women's War Fund committee. The necessary money was raised by 10-cent contributions. The contents of the boxes will consist of candy, cigarettes, and other such luxuries.

**Harvard Professor Visits**  
Dr. F. H. Sterns of Harvard university stopped to visit the museum Monday afternoon. His and his wife are returning to Harvard after spending the summer collecting in Wyoming, Colorado and Texas. They intend to return next summer and spend a longer period at the same places. They autoed from Harvard to their various collecting places and are returning the same way. Dr. Sterns is a brother of Clarence Sterns, '19.

## MAKE EXCURSION RESERVATIONS TODAY

Students Asked to Buy Tickets  
Before Noon Thursday

The Cornhusker limited, making a direct run from Lincoln to Lawrence, is assured, and all that is necessary now is to know as soon as possible just the number of rooters who will make the trip, the committee in charge announced yesterday. It is requested that all who plan to take the special to Lawrence reserve their tickets at the student activities office or the city office or the Union Pacific by 12 o'clock today.

The number of students needed to insure the special had procured tickets by last evening but the railroad company must know immediately the exact number of travelers in order to provide the proper facilities for handling them.

It is estimated that 200 Cornhusker rooters will take the train Friday evening, including the cadet band of thirty-five pieces. The excursion has been arranged for the special convenience of students and will be run as far as practical according to their wishes. It will leave Lincoln at 10 o'clock Friday evening, arriving in Lawrence early the next morning, and leaving that evening at any hour the travelers desire. The train will be chaperoned by Executive Dean C. C. Engberg and Dean of Women Amanda Heppner.

Interest in the game is increasing daily due largely to the reports from Kansas which are fast convincing Cornhuskers that the task of avenging last year's defeat will not be so easy as at first supposed. Kansans are not talking of tie scores and defeats but are spending all their time planning for a victory.

The rates for the excursion have been made as reasonable as possible, although they have been boosted above these of former years by the war tax. Carfare, round trip, is \$9.70, and standard Pullman berths for two are \$4.40 for lowers and \$3.50 for uppers. Tourist sections are \$4.40 for four.

## JAYHAWKS DETERMINED TO DEFEAT HUSKERS

Team Is Rated Best in Years  
—Coach Perfects New Formations

(Special to The Daily Nebraskan)  
John A. Montgomery, Sports Editor  
Daily Kansan

Lawrence, Kans., Nov. 13.—Coach Jay Bond put the Jayhawks through a secret practice with the freshmen last night and the varsity players ripped through the first-year men more consistently than any time this season. The freshmen used Cornhusker formations but could not make any headway. Heretofore the freshmen went through the varsity line when they worked out formations of another team the first time.

Every player on the Jayhawker eleven is determined to down the husky, haughty and boastful Cornhusker aggregation. Hopes for a Kansas victory are becoming greater every day, as the Jayhawker machine rounds into better condition. The fact that Captain Swede Neilson said the team has been in a slump the last couple of weeks, despite the Jayhawker victories, is sufficient to convince the Jayhawker rooters of a favorable outcome of the clash here Saturday.

**Will Spring Surprise**  
An entire set of new formations and plays will be sprung on the Cornhuskers. Coach Jay Bond has been drilling the team in the use of special plays since he took over the coaching position from Coach Beau Olcott. The rest of the week will be spent in perfecting the new formations.

Practically all the outstanding players of the Kansas team will feature in the new plays. Tom Pringle, who is considered one of the best ground gainers on the team and who went through the Illini line, is expected to play one of the hardest parts. Captain Swede Neilson, Frank Mandeville and Stem Foster will also play important parts, along with Arthur Lomberg and Scrubby Laslett, Kansas star ends.

The Jayhawkers will also be prepared for any sort of Cornhusker attack. The great showing of the Jayhawkers in breaking up the Sooner aerial attack last Saturday proved the strength of the Jayhawker defense in this sort of an attack. The strength of the Jayhawker line was brought out in the Ames and Kansas Aggie clashes.

The Cornhuskers have excellent interference and have made most of their yardage on end runs, but they are going to run up against a stump when they hit the Jayhawker ends. Nettles, left tackle, will be depended upon to break up the Cornhusker interference and bring down the runner. In every game this season Nettles has featured for his brilliant tackling ability. He is one of the fastest men on the team and is practically certain to break through the opponent's line.

## CONVOCATION

Mrs. Carrie E. Raymond, director of music, will give an organ recital at 11 o'clock convocation in Memorial hall this morning. The audience will sing these songs.

The program:  
Prelude B flat Minor.....Bach  
Intermezzo.....Rogers  
Marche Funebre et Chant Seraphique.....Gailmunt  
Allegretto.....Lesson

## TO HAVE SEND-OFF RALLY FOR TEAM TONIGHT

The Cornhusker team leaves over the Burlington this evening for Lawrence via Kansas City. The men will go to the station at 9:15 o'clock and the cadet band and students will meet them there for a final send-off for the game that will decide the Missouri Valley championship. There will be impromptu speeches by the coaches, the men and students. The cheerleaders will be on hand.

It is our last chance to boost the team before it goes on to McCook field Saturday. The men will need our support then and they need it now, for in the Jayhawkers they will meet a team which has pointed itself at the Nebraska game and has never yet revealed its full powers. At Lawrence they are happy and expectant, not merely hopeful. It is Nebraska against Kansas, it is our chance to wipe out last year's disgrace. We can't expect the team to do it alone. Let's outspirit, outfight and outgame Kansas in a way that she will never forget—let's start out by a rousing send-off tonight.

**Supporters Sure of Victory**  
Enthusiasm is running high here and Jayhawker rooters are optimistic over the outcome of the clash. A big rally will be held Friday to let off a little steam, which has been accumulating after each Jayhawker victory this season. The Crimson and Blue eleven is considered the best that has held camp on McCook field in years and the student body is backing the team to the limit.

Although Kansas humbled Nebraska last year, the Northerners have a little edge in the number of games won in past years. Out of twenty-three games played since 1892, the Cornhuskers have won fourteen. The two teams have clashed every year since 1892 with the exception of the years of 1904 and 1905. The scores indicate that the teams have been evenly matched during the entire time.

Dope also indicates a close, hard game this year. Both teams are boasting of the best elevens in years. It is certain that both teams will give all they have to win, because upon the outcome of the clash depends the valley championship.

**Museum Has New Specimens**  
The Museum has just placed on its shelves the marine specimens collected by Dean C. C. Engberg while at Puget Sound during the summer. Mr. Engberg has over 300 specimens in the Nebraska state museum and the cases attract all the visitors and especially interest the children.

## AWGWAN CAMPAIGN CLOSES THIS AFTERNOON

Remaining Issues and Home-Coming Number for Seventy-five Cents

Today is the last day of the Awgwan subscription campaign and the last chance the students have of helping some girl to win a trip to Kansas. The campaign will be open until 5 o'clock today instead of as announced before.

Great rivalry has been apparent among the co-eds who are working for the prize. The girls who are active participants in the campaign are Dorothy Hippie, Ruth Wilson, Dorothy Doyle, Marion Humpes, Francis Whitmore, Fae Breese, Mary Eastham, Lillian Arndt, Carolyn Reed, Helen Howe, LaRue Gillern and Emma Neilson.

The business management of the Awgwan takes this opportunity to emphasize the fact that the Awgwan should be better supported by the student body of the University. And further, that this is a good chance to help some girl win a free trip to the Kansas-Nebraska football game. The price of the paper for the rest of the year including the Home-coming number is only 75 cents.

The results of the contest will be announced in tomorrow's paper.

## EXPERT PSYCHOLOGISTS TO TEST MEN FOR SERVICE

Hundreds of psychologists are being drawn by the war department from the colleges and universities of the country to test the mental capacities of the men in the army. Every soldier from the majors to the privates will be examined by experts so as to determine the intelligence and ability of each man. In this way men can be placed in the department of service for which they are most talented and the government will not have the expense of training the mentally deficient.

**Colgate Professor Visits**  
Professor Brigham of Colgate university visited the geography department last Saturday. He was taken on an auto trip to observe the glacial deposits near Pleasant Dale and the Loess plains near Milford. He expressed great surprise at the splendid evidence of glacial invasions seen on this trip. Professor Brigham is one of the foremost of American geographers and is the author of many text books. The Nebraska supplement for his general geography was written by Prof. N. A. Bengston.

## Last University Girls' Tea This Afternoon

Dean Amanda Heppner will receive all University girls, at a tea today from 4 o'clock until 5:30 o'clock, in Art hall. The assisting hostesses will be from the departments of European history, Mathematics, English Literature and Rhetoric. As this is next to the last tea of the semester, Dean Heppner is anxious that there be as many girls present as possible.

## VARSITY ELEVEN HAS LONG SCRIMMAGE WITH FRESMEN

Every Ounce of Strength Needed Saturday

## MUST HUMBLE JAYHAWKS

Kansas Has Shown Remarkable Strength in Recent Games and Hard Battle Is Expected

**Dwight P. Thomas**  
If Kansas has as much luck going through the Cornhusker line and around the ends, as the Freshmen eleven, with Assistant Coach Frank at the helm, had last evening things will look black for Nebraska next Saturday. The yearlings advanced the ball almost at will, using Kansas formation, and scored several times from the twenty-yard line.

On the offense the varsity pushed the ball up the field with comparative ease, but as they approached the Freshmen goal progress became harder and harder until they were finally held several times and forced to use ten downs to push the ball the final fifteen yards.

Captain Shaw was missing from the lineup in yesterday's scrimmage, but will probably be back before Saturday. Riddell has been holding down his regular place at right end during the week and is expected to do a few things in the game Saturday. Ted has played a total of about five minutes of football this year, his last, and declares that he will put as much into the coming two games as he usually has into a whole season if he can play both of them.

**Men in Good Condition**  
Physically the team is in better shape than it has been prior to any game this season. The men are, however, becoming confident to an alarming degree that they can win from the Jayhawks. The coach is fighting hard to keep the spirit that was in the squad last year from cropping out again. It will, of course be unnecessary, to warn the men who were on  
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## Y. M. C. A. WAR WORK

Robert Lansing

"At this time when the National War Work Council of the American Y. M. C. A. is about to appeal for funds to expand its work, I feel that I should record my sincere hope that the campaign may meet with a generous response from the American people, since the money to be raised is to be employed in safeguarding the excellent morale of our soldiers and sailors, who are giving so much to the Republic. To preserve the morale of the armed forces of a nation is essential, to success, if we accept Napoleon's declaration that morale is to all other factors in war as three to one.

"But beyond the national service which is to be made possible by the collection of adequate funds, I desire to express my hearty approval of your plan to serve as well the forces of France, Italy and Russia. This plan of work among our brother-in-arms will manifest to the governments, as well as to the individuals who are benefited, the broad spirit of fraternity that inspires the people of this country.

"I have seen with increasing admiration the excellent work already done by you among the millions of prisoners, who physically and mentally have benefited by your efficient service, and I am convinced that in this splendid ministry you are laying down foundations which will render more easy the rebuilding of the international structure which, shattered by this dreadful conflict, must be raised again upon the principle of righteousness, humanity, and universal brotherhood—the very cornerstones of our Christian civilization.

"For the success of your present efforts to obtain sufficient means to render so great a service to your country and to the world you have my earnest wishes.

"Very sincerely yours,  
(Signed) "Robert Lansing."