

HUSKER NINE TACKLES COTNER

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TEAM IN GOOD SHAPE

First Game Will Be Played on State Farm Campus Saturday.

The 1921 baseball season for the Nebraska diamond squad will begin tomorrow when the Huskers meet the Cotner College nine on the State Farm campus diamond.

Coach Schissler has a likely team to put against the Cotner athletes and the Huskers should have no difficulty in taking the long end of the score. The Huskers took a stiff workout last night and the majority of the men are rapidly rounding into form.

Peterson is ineligible. The Husker baseball squad suffered a bad blow this week when Peterson, the big fielder, was declared ineligible. "Pete" is a ball player of the first class and will be a hard man to replace. Munger and Schoepfel will probably be the Huskers' main stays for the pitching staff. Peterson and Atkinson can be depended upon in a pinch and Coach Schissler plans to use all four of the men throughout the season.

The probable lineup that will start against the Cotner team tomorrow will be as follows: Anderson, catcher; Munger or Schoepfel, pitcher; Captain Bekins, first; Pizer, second; Carr, third; McCrory, left field; Wythers, right field; Grandall, center field.

MORE MODERN FARM HOMES ARE BUILT

The College of Agriculture through its extension service is encouraging modern farm homes by providing literature, suggestions and blueprint plans. The number of modern farm homes is growing rapidly every year. Few houses are now constructed that are not modern, and many old ones are being made modern. Those who have studied the subject believe modern houses will do much toward making farm life more satisfying. It is argued that the farmer who can afford an automobile can afford running water in his house. Likewise, the farmer who can afford a gas engine can also afford an electric light plant.

FARMERS' FAIR IS TO BE HELD MAY SEVENTH

The Daily Nebraskan wishes to correct a mistake which occurred in its current issue of April 14 in which it was stated that the Farmers' Fair date was April 27. This should have read May 7, which is a closed night for this event.

\$700 ARE SUBSCRIBED IN GRACE COPPOCK CAMPAIGN

P. E. O. Society Contributes Ten Dollars—The Goal is \$1,700.00

Over \$700 had been subscribed by Thursday noon in the Grace Coppock campaign as shown in the reports of the captains at the luncheon at Ellen Smith Hall. Workers are redoubling their efforts and expect to reach the goal of \$1,700 by the end of the week. Only 288 coeds had been reached by the solicitors but every one will be solicited before the close of the campaign. The P. E. O. society sent in ten dollars.

Miss Lowry spoke to the workers at the noon luncheon. Olive Hartley lead devotions.

Hattie Hepperley, chairman of the campaign committee, announced that Miss Lowry and Mrs. Eddy would be at Ellen Smith Hall after 4 o'clock Friday afternoon to meet any girls who wished to talk to them about foreign service or other topics.

UNIVERSITIES DISCUSS EXTENSION WORK

Prof. A. A. Reed returned Tuesday from the annual meeting of the National University Association held at Iowa City last week. At this convention were representatives of thirty of the largest universities in the United States.

Extension work, the standardization of its instruction so as to differentiate clearly credit and non-credit courses, economy and efficiency in administration and proper publicity were discussed. Two of the larger institutions reported a total registration in their extension courses of 60,000 students for the current year.

FARM JOURNALISTS UNIVERSITY'S GUESTS

Thirty Agricultural Writers Attend Banquet at the State Farm.

Dean E. A. Burnett Reviews History of College—Professor Gramlich Is Toastmaster.

Thirty agricultural journalists and agricultural college faculty members attended a banquet given by the animal husbandry department at the farm cafeteria annex Thursday noon for the purpose of giving the agricultural press a chance to obtain first-hand information of the animal husbandry experimental work and get better acquainted with the general work in the College of Agriculture. Prof. H. J. Gramlich, chairman of the Animal Husbandry Department, acted as toastmaster.

Dean E. A. Burnett responded with the first toast. He reviewed briefly the growth of the Experiment Station work in Nebraska since 1858, showing how it has grown from an institution which did not have an officer for him to work in, 22 years ago, and without any livestock, to its present proportions with over 1,000 head of animals. He also reviewed the cattle feeding situation as it exists today, stating that he did not think that cattle prices had reached the bottom as yet, and that the greatest need of the feeders today is some means of stabilizing the market, so as to take the "chance" out of the feeding business. He stated further that market conditions will not become stabilized materially until labor is more nearly employed to its maximum degree.

Mr. W. Jones, editor of the Nebraska State Journal, was the second speaker. He proposed a plan whereby the University Farm could add more land to its present environs, in order that more experimental work might be carried on without the present handicap of the lack of room. His plan was to purchase a strip of land lying to the north of the farm, on the Salt Creek bottoms, in order to connect up with the farm land which might be purchased on the upland north of Lincoln.

Mr. Guy Green of the American Hereford Journal, gave some interesting reminiscences of the work of an agricultural journalist. Mr. Green is a University of Nebraska alumnus.

Mr. John Thompson, editor of the Iowa Homestead, stated that the Iowa college held its feeders' day the first of this week. He said the Agronomy Department of Ames held a similar meeting each year.

Dr. L. Van Es, head of the Animal Pathology Department, outlined the work of his department and showed its economic relation to the feeding of livestock. Also the evolution of the pathologic science as applied to infectious diseases of farm animals.

There were nine other journalists present as follows: Paul Greer, Omaha Bee; Ray Collins, Kansas City Weekly Star; A. G. Kittell, Nebraska Farm Journal; J. H. Frandsen, Capper Farm Press; F. A. Leadley, Nebraska Farmer; and C. A. Lewis, University Agricultural Extension Editor.

Greater Nebraska Luncheon.

C. Petrus Peterson, city attorney, will speak at the Greater Nebraska luncheon today at 12 o'clock on the subject "Corporation Conscience" immediately following the chicken pie luncheon. Tickets are 40 cents at the door.

Entrees for the Inter-college meet must be in by 4 o'clock this afternoon to Coach Schulte or the athletic office.

Work of Measuring Knowledge And Educational Research Grows

Former Dean Charles Fordyce was appointed director of the Nebraska Bureau of Educational Research in 1916. The appointment was made through the National Directors of Educational Research of which Dr. Fordyce was a member for several years. At the same time courses were established in the University in educational and mental measurements, with Dr. Fordyce in charge. These courses offer such instruction as grounds the student in the technique of giving measurements to test the results of instruction and also the capacity for receiving instruction.

Work Was Not Popular.

When the movement was started several years ago many educators were backward about taking up the work. The experimental stage is past now, however, and all leading institutions of the country use this method as an instrument for improving instruction. The educational scale is a refined type of examination in each subject. The examination is so standardized as to make of it a scale. There are scales for language, mathematics, composition, foreign languages, and

all branches taught in the elementary and high schools.

The aim of the mental test is to measure the capacity of the individual for receiving instruction. Its field is different from the educational measure. The aim of the educational measure is to measure the amount of knowledge acquired.

The work of the Teachers' College in educational measure is directly connected with the public school systems of the state. Many of the schools give the tests and then send the results to the department of measurements in the University where these results are scored, tabulated, interpreted and then returned. No modern movement in education is proving more helpful by the way of revealing the actual results of teaching and pointing out the methods of improving the character of instruction.

Dean Fordyce has asked the Board of Regents to relieve him of the executive work in connection with the head of the Teachers' College, that he may devote his entire time to his department of measurements and research.

PLAN A SHORT COURSE FOR JUNIOR FARMERS

Two Hundred Boys and Girls Will Attend — To Make Several Trips.

The College of Agriculture is already planning for its short course for junior farmers and homemakers during boys' and girls' club week May 30 to June 4. At least 200 boys and girls will be in attendance. One hundred club workers over the state have free trips coming to them as a reward for their devotion to agriculture and homemaking last year. About the same number of others are expected to come at their own expense.

The program for the week includes trips to Omaha and Crete and visits to various state institutions and industries. The regular work of the week will consist of live stock judging for boys and classes for girls in garment making, home nursing, household management and other phases of homemaking. In addition, girls will be given an opportunity to study livestock. There will be evening programs of speaking, music, games, moving pictures, camp fires and inspirational entertainment.

Will Make an Omaha Trip.

The trip to Omaha will be made by special train. The packing houses, stock yards and various other industries and factories will be visited. Luncheon will be provided at the stockyards exchange and the Omaha Chamber of Commerce will give a dinner and entertainment in the evening.

The Lincoln Chamber of Commerce will entertain the juniors Wednesday evening and the Nebraska Farmer will give them a luncheon Thursday.

The following companies have provided free trips to boys' and girls' club week:

Omaha Live Stock Exchange, twenty pig club members.

Sioux City Stock Yards company, six pig club members.

St. Joseph Stock Yards company, seven pig club members.

Omaha Union Stock Yards company, twenty-one corn club members.

M. M. Johnson company, Clay Center, four poultry club members.

The Nebraska Farmer, twenty-on calf club members.

The Hazel Atlas Glass company, Chicago, 15 canning club members. In addition, there will be a number of boys and girls receiving free trips from within their home counties.

Other boys and girls may attend who completed a club project last year or who are now active club workers by paying their carefare and a fee of \$10 to cover their board and entertainment for the week.

FORMER DEAN FORDYCE VISITS WESTERN TOWNS

Former Dean Charles Fordyce left Friday morning for North Platte and Chappell where he will spend a week in a study of the two school systems and in conferring with the boards of education on methods of improving the school plans and systems of instruction.

DEAN C. C. ENGBERG ATTENDS CONVENTION

Dean C. C. Engberg represented the University of Nebraska at the deans of men meeting, when representatives from the colleges of Illinois, Colorado, Kansas, Indiana, Kentucky, Michigan, Missouri, Minnesota, Nebraska, Ohio, Wisconsin and Iowa met at Iowa City to discuss problems of student welfare.

The questions of fraternities, student self-government, health and housing were on the program for discussion. It was announced in his office yesterday that Dean Engberg was scheduled to address the meeting at some time during the convention.

CLOSED SHOP FUNDAMENTALLY SELFISH

Says Omaha Business Man—Also Labor Trouble Due to Lack of Personal Touch.

Labor troubles arise mainly from the fact that when industries grow on a large scale the man who controls the company policy becomes so engrossed in the responsibilities of management that he loses the personal touch with his employees, his ideas are passed down the line and interpreted by his superintendent and foreman and misunderstandings result. A. C. Scott, president of the Scott Omaha Tent and Awning company and the Omaha Business Men's association, told the Industrial Research club of the university at the Red Room of the city Y. M. C. A. Thursday night.

Closed Shop is Selfishness.

"The idea of the closed shop is fundamentally selfish," declared Mr. Scott. "It is fostered by the walking delegate whose job is to mediate in disputes. He must stir up trouble in order to have work to do. He wants to perpetuate his soft snap."

Omaha workers in the building trades who are now on strike are chafing under the restraint, according to Mr. Scott, and want to go back to work. "The man who wants to stay out is the exception."

"The idea that a rich man is a successful man is all wrong," said the speaker. "The only thing worth while is the satisfaction gained from earning the money, earning it on the square. If you can't look everybody in the face, all your money doesn't mean anything."

Work Requisite for Success.

Speaking from his own experience, Mr. Scott said that every young man can rise if he is willing to work; that if he takes a genuine interest in the business most bosses will take a delight in promoting him.

"Get out of a job you don't like," was his advice. "If you don't like your work, you can't put it over. You will drag you down."

Mr. Scott is less than forty years old and he made various comments on his experience in the business world since he was a railroad clerk fifteen years ago.

HOLD EXAMINATION FOR CIVIL POSITIONS

The Civil Service Commission announces an examination May 25 at the Federal building, Lincoln, for "Agricultural Statistician," salary \$2,000 to \$3,000, also for "Junior Statistician," salary \$1,800 to \$2,250 per year. Those wishing to take such examination should apply to the Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C., for Form 1312.

DELIANS TO GIVE PROGRAM TONIGHT

The Delians will participate in a social evening, at Faculty Hall, in the Temple, at 8 o'clock, Friday evening.

They invite their friends to help enjoy a good time, and a cosmopolitan program, from five different colleges, as follows: An oration, "The Age Old Quest," by Mr. E. A. Fericks, '21, of the College of Agriculture. Mr. George Darlington, '21, of the College of Business Administration, will present a paper, "The Human-Interest Side of Commercial Work." A violin solo will be given by Miss Pearl Poore, '22, of the Arts and Science College. Miss Carol Williams, '22, School of Fine Arts, and Miss Meriam Williams, '22, of the Agricultural College, will give a vocal duet.

COLLEGE TRACK MEET TOMORROW

Many Men Are Entered in Inter-College Cinder Contest. Age Will Be There Strong.

TRYOUTS FOR DRAKE

Numerals Are Awarded to Twenty-one Varsity Men Who Are Eligible for "N's."

The following organizations have purchased Nebraska Track season tickets, 100 per cent:
Kappa Sigma
Delta Upsilon
Alpha Sigma Phi

The intercollege meet tomorrow will be the big attraction for Nebraska's track and field athletes. A large list of entrants is all ready in and Coach Schulte expects more in today.

The medical school will be represented by fifteen men from Omaha who should furnish some keen competition for the local speedsters. Haslam, who won the broad jump in the Omaha interfraternity meet, and Allen, another entrant from the metropolis, are backed to win their events.

The College of Agriculture will be represented by a strong delegation including Layton and Turner, both of whom were big individual point winners in last Saturday's meet. Twenty-seven men are entered from the "Ag" school and Captain Bochkora has been drilling his men for the past three weeks. The "Ag" school is somewhat handicapped for a place to work out, but their entrants include some good men and they will be strong contenders for the championship.

Tryouts for Drake relays to be held next Saturday at Des Moines will be held in connection with the inter college meet. Coach Schulte has most of his men lined up for the big classic and will give all of them a chance to try for a good mark tomorrow. The Huskers drew fourteenth place in the mile relay at the Peen games to be staged in Philadelphia later in the season. Nebraska drew third place in the spring relay.

The ticket sale is progressing rapidly and all of the sororities are out with the season paste boards working for the big entertainment to be put on by the "N" track men. Coach Schulte wants to put Nebraska over the top as a track school and is endeavoring to accomplish this by a big ticket sale.

21 Win Numerals.

The numeral list is growing and now includes a roster of twenty-one names. A large percentage of these men are eligible for Varsity work this spring and should earn their "N" before the season is over. The men who have won their numerals are Stevens, Minnich, Lukens, Noble, McCarthy, Cressell, Dorn, Bowman, Mackey Moore, Schoepfel, Thomsen, Hickman, Turner, McDonald, Layton, Brown, Williams, Coats, Monte Munn and Meyers.

JOHN PICKETT TO PLAY IN MIDWEST LEAGUE

Was Mainstay on Last Year's Championship Team—Salary Will Start at \$1,500.

John Pickett, pitcher for last year's championship baseball team, has signed up to play ball with the Laramie, Wyoming, baseball team in the Midwest league this summer. Last year Pickett by shutting out the California University team, earned a try-out with the Chicago White Sox team.

Pickett plans to play ball by June 1, and he may join the Laramie team by May 1 if he can get the desired faculty approval. He is a student in the College of Law and prominent in University athletic circles.

The offer accepted by Pickett calls for \$1,500 for the period between June 1 and September 12, and in case he is able to join the club by May 1 his compensation will be \$1,500.

The Midwest league starts its season April 27. As they are not connected with organized baseball in any way they can bid for players in the Western league, which at this time is not paying as large amounts to its players as is the Midwest league.

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