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DOPESTERS ARE NOT PREDICTING VALLEY WINNER

Coming Meet Expected to Be One of Most Hotly Contested Events in Years

NINE SCHOOLS ENTERED

Each Institution Has Favorites But Wins Not Even Conceded to Leaders

With high school meets and dual meets out of the way, the eyes of Cornhusker trackdom are focused on the annual Missouri Valley conference track and field meet to be held at the stadium Friday and Saturday.

Stars of nine schools will take part in what promises to be the most hotly contested valley meet in years. Nebraska won the championship last year after losing by a narrow margin to Missouri the previous year. This year Oklahoma, third place winner last spring, sprung into the favorite's position by nosing out Nebraska and Iowa State at the annual indoor meet.

Dope from indoor meet, relay carnivals, and dual meets since that time indicate that four schools have a fine chance of copying premier honors. They are Nebraska, Kansas University, Oklahoma University, and Iowa State. Missouri, although not conceded a chance of winning, has sufficient point winners that they are considered likely to beat out some of these four highly touted teams. Kansas Aggies, Oklahoma Aggies, Drake, and Grinnell are coming to Lincoln with several strong point winners although apparently with little chance for winning team honors.

Picking a winner this year requires such intricate figuring that as yet the dopesters have contented themselves with general statements on the meet. The points are going to be well split up. That is the only thing they agree on.

Pick the Winner

Take the sprints for example. Kansas has Grady, Cooper, and McInerney. Missouri has Farley and Edgington. If Captain Stephens of Nebraska succeeds in getting into shape he must be counted in, and "Perly" Wyatt may run in the dashes to further complicate matters. Oklahoma Aggies indicated that they would help make the sprints real races when Joe Bull won the 100-yard dash last Saturday at Norman, Oklahoma, in even time. He had to beat Hewitt of Oklahoma, co-holder of the valley indoor record for the 50-yard dash to win.

Take another example. The mile. Raymond Conger, Iowa State, has beaten everything in valley competition for several years and is generally admitted to be the pick of the conference at the mile. But Glen Johnson, Lincoln, Cornhusker has already pushed the Hawkeye-state runner and is set to turn in his best work of the season Saturday. Niblack, giant Oklahoma cross country runner, should not be overlooked. He tripped the mile in 4:29 Saturday against Oklahoma Aggies. If Coach Huff of Kansas should enter his diminutive two-miler, "Poco" Frazier, in the mile, even an Iowan would hate to forecast the winner.

MANY ATTEND HOME GLEE CLUB CONCERT

Over Two Thousand Hear Annual Concert Presented by Men's Club

Over two thousand people heard the University Glee Club in their annual home concert at the St. Paul's Methodist church Sunday evening. The feature number of the program was the cantata, "The Voyage of Columbus," by Dudley Buck.

Paul Pence, baritone, and William Damme, bass, the two soloists in the cantata, did excellent work, and their work was well received by the audience.

RUNS SATURDAY



GLENN JOHNSON

Nebraska miler and half-miler who has been one of the mainstays of the Cornhusker squad all season. He is considered one of the most dangerous middle distance men in the Valley and is expected to push Conger, Iowa State ace, in the Valley meet here this week-end.

HUSKER TENNIS TEAM IS WINNER

Wesleyan Racquetters Taken Into Camp for Second Time By Nebraskans

The Husker net squad again took the Wesleyan team into camp by taking four out of five matches, winning three out of four singles matches and breaking even on the doubles matches. The meet was held on the University courts and the playing was hampered by the strong wind.

Paul Mahood reversed the count of his last meeting with Heacock, Nebraska No. 1 man, when he took the match by a 6-3, 6-4 count. At their last clash Heacock defeated the former state champion but the Nebraska ace was unable to cope with the drives of Mahood who was placing them at will.

Elliott Wins
Elliott, the Nebraska captain, had little difficulty in winning his match, when he defeated McCandless in quick fashion, 6-0, 6-0. Dubry evened matters up when he defeated Ward 6-2, 10-8, having lost to the Uni Place man in straight sets in their past meeting.

Franco pulled his match out of the fire after dropping the first set to Thomas 6-2. Franco was in trouble the first set but pulled together the second set and did not allow his opponent a single game, and also won the final set.

Dubry and Davis Loss
Heacock and Elliott drove through the defense of the invaders, with little effort, taking the match 6-4, 6-2. Dubry and Davis put up a hard battle but lacked the final punch, losing to Ward and Thomas by a 7-5, 9-7 score.

Summary
Singles: Mahood (W) defeated Heacock (N) 6-3, 6-4. Elliott (N) defeated McCandless (W) 6-0, 6-0. Dubry (N) defeated Ward (W) 6-2, 10-8. Franco (N) defeated Thomas (W) 2-6, 6-0, 6-4.
Doubles: Heacock-Elliott (N) defeated Mahood-McCandless (W) 6-4, 6-2. Ward-Thomas (W) defeated Dubry-Davis (N) 7-5, 9-7.

Debating Fraternity Re-Elects Johnson

George E. Johnson, '28, Lincoln, was re-elected president of the Nebraska chapter of Delta Sigma Rho, national forensic fraternity, following the initiation of nine new men Sunday afternoon.

The new initiates were: Dennis M. Dean, '29, Seattle, Washington; David Fellman, '29, Omaha; Carl F. Hansen, '27, Wolbach; Evert M. Hunt, '28, Lincoln; Munro Kezer, '29, Fort Collins, Colo.; John P. McKnight, '29, Auburn; John A. Skiles, '28, Lincoln; Lloyd A. Speer, '29, Superior; and Archibald W. Storms, '28, Holdrege.

STUDENTS ARE URGED TO CALL FOR YEARBOOKS

Cornhuskers Will Be Given Out All Week but Should Be Called For Soon

1000 GIVEN OUT MONDAY

Book is Dedicated to Mothers of Nebraskans and Contains Many New Features

Over 1000 Cornhuskers were distributed yesterday from the office in the basement of University Hall. The office will be open from 9 to 12 and from 1 to 4 o'clock every day this week, and students are urged to call for their books as early in the week as possible.

An extra large number of books have been printed and there will be enough for many of those who did not order their copies last fall. The 1927 Cornhusker is the twenty-first publication of the University of Nebraska. The cover design introduces the "N" and corn design in gold on a background of brown, which produces one of the most attractive effects yet had on the annual.

Dedication and Sections
The book is dedicated to the mothers of Nebraskans and includes the following main section: Administration, Medical school, Classes, Activities, Athletics, Organizations, Military Department, and Student Life, which is one of the new and most interesting features of this year's book.

Sears Will Address Last Vesper Service

Dr. Paul B. Sears of the botany department, will speak at Vespers Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock. This will be the last service until next fall. All girls are urged to attend.

Old University Land Mark Now Seen No More

Another University landmark has seen its last days. Although the steel smoke stack over the east side of the power plant has no historic age, it has stood watch over the University and has been the calm spectator of all of Nebraska's home grid and track struggles for the past ten years.

Early this spring when power plant officials were inspecting it preparatory to giving it its annual coat of paint, they found that it was unsafe and would have to be replaced. A week ago yesterday the work of tearing it down was started, and today only a scant few feet of its former hundred foot height remains. Erection of the new stack which is to replace it will begin soon, and is expected to be completed in about ten days.

The condition of the stack which necessitated the wrecking of it was caused by the sulphuric acid which is formed by the mixing of the gas fumes from the boilers and the moisture in the air.

Essay Winners To Be Awarded Scholarships

Prizes of free scholarships, worth \$2500, are being offered in an essay contest or high school and preparatory school students, and among college undergraduates. The winners of the essay contest will sail on the S. S. Hyndam, the "Floating University" next September.

The three subjects on which the contestants will write are as follows: 1. The International Point of View in Education. 2. The Influence of the West on the East. 3. Contrasts in Eastern and Western civilization.

The committee of judges will be composed of: Dr. John H. Finley, former commissioner of education of the state of New York, and now editor of the New York Times; Ex-Governor Henry J. Allen of Kansas, head of the journalism classes on the "floating university"; Dr. Henry Noble MacCracken, president of Vassar College; Dr. Stephen Pierce Dugan, director of the Institute of International Education; Dr. Edward H. Hume, former president of Yale in China; D. Mather Almon Abbott, headmaster of Lawrenceville School, Lawrenceville, N. J.; and Prof. Milton Conover, associate professor of Political Science at Yale University.

The date of closing of the contest has been changed from May 15 to June 1.

STUDENTS COMBINE RECITALS

Second Division of Players in Senior Dramatics To Present Recital

The second division of players in the annual senior dramatic recitals will present their acts this evening at 8:15 o'clock in the Temple theater. The program that will be presented follows:

- 1. The Copperhead, act 1—Augustus Thomas, Arvilla Hansen.
- 2. The Doll's House, act 3—Henrik Ibsen, Rose Cecil.
- 3. A Southern Girl—Monologue, Elizabeth Woodbury.
- 4. The Wolf—Eugene Walters, Jack Rank.

RUSSELL SPEAKS TO AG STUDENTS

Director of Agricultural Experiment Station in England Gives Talk Monday

The importance of colloidal substances in soil structure and the relationship of the various soil organisms to the nitrogen content of the soil were the main points brought in the speech given by Sir John Russell, director of the Rothamsted Experiment Station at Harpenden, England, Monday afternoon at the Agricultural College campus. Slides were used during the lecture to illustrate the results obtained from the scientific investigations carried on at the Rothamsted Station.

Dr. Russell is on a tour of the Agricultural Colleges of the United States, and will also attend the International Soil Congress. He will give two lectures while in Lincoln, the first being on "Some Investigations in Soil Fertility," and the other, "Systems of Agriculture in England," which will be given at a special convocation in the Student Activities building at the Agricultural College at 11 o'clock this morning.

Mineral in Soil

In speaking of the structure of the soil, Dr. Russell said that it was composed of various sized mineral particles, and also colloidal substances of different kinds. These colloids are gelatinous and are comparatively new as a soil class, having a very great water absorbent capacity. Water in this absorbent form is retained longer in the soil than it is in the free state.

A slide was shown which indicated graphically the amount of power necessary to pull a plow in different parts of a field. The addition of calcium carbonate to the soil reduces the amount of resistance of the soil to plowing and other cultural operations. The colloids in the soil are influenced by an electric current, and give up water to a variable extent. An electric current passing from the tractor to the plow has the effect of reducing the resistance of the soil to plowing about 40 to 50 percent. This is a very important item in heavy soils.

Experiments
In fertilizer experiments with phosphate, potassium, and nitrogen, it was shown that an increase in amount of fertilizer applied did not always

SCHEDULE OF EXAMINATIONS

Second Semester 1926-1927

Each class meets for examination where it regularly recites, but at the hour indicated below. Evening classes will be examined at the regular class period.

SATURDAY, MAY 28
8:00 a. m. to 10:00 a. m.—Classes meeting at 5:00 p. m., Mon. Wed., Fri., or any one or two of these days.

MONDAY, MAY 30
8:00 a. m. to 10 a. m.—Classes meeting at 5:00 p. m., Tues., Thurs., Sat., or any one or two of these days.

TUESDAY, MAY 31
8:00 a. m. to 10:00 a. m.—Classes meeting at 8:00 a. m., five or four days, or Mon., Wed., Fri., or any one or two of these days.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1
8:00 a. m. to 10:00 a. m.—Classes meeting at 9:00 a. m., five or four days, or Mon., Wed., Fri., or any one or two of these days.

THURSDAY, JUNE 2
8:00 a. m. to 10:00 a. m.—Classes meeting at 10:00 a. m., five or four days, or Mon., Wed., Fri., or any one or two of these days.

KOSMET KLUB MAKES PLANS FOR BIG SHOW

"Midnight Revue", Sponsored By Men's Club, to Take Place During Round Up

NEW BAND WILL APPEAR

Presentation of "Romancers" Will Be One Feature of Music-Comedy Event

The Kosmet Klub announced Monday that it will stage a special midnight show at the Lincoln Theater Friday, May 27. It will immediately follow the big Round Up dance at the Coliseum and will be known as "Kosmet Klub's Midnight Revue."

The revue will last two hours and will be composed of new and original acts. The program will be especially arranged to entertain University students and graduates during Round Up.

Martin Will Strive To Make New Record

Alvo Martin, former Northwestern track star, who has performed several times this year on the Stadium track, turned in two fast quarter-miles Monday night in his workouts in preparation for exhibitions in the Valley meet Saturday.

Martin will attempt to change the world's half-mile record Saturday. Kimpfort, former Kansas Aggie ace, is scheduled to run against Martin and possibly also Sneathen, fleet Nebraska freshman.

Y CONFERENCE HELD AT CRETE

Eleven University Men Attend Camp Strader Week-End Meeting

Eleven University students attended the Y. M. C. A. conference at Camp Strader near Crete last Saturday and Sunday. They were Lloyd Strombeck, Anton Frolik, Arthur Hauke, James Rosse, Clinton West, Claude Roe, Richard Coyel, Paul White, Gordon Hedges, Dwight Anderson.

The opening talk of the conference was given by Mr. Egbert M. Hayes, a returned Y. M. C. A. secretary from China. He addressed the conference on the work of the Y. M. C. A. in foreign fields with particular reference to the work being done in China.

There was a general conference of the delegates from the College of Agriculture in which the situation at the Agricultural College campus was discussed, and a program for the following year was formulated on a basis of the situation at the College, as revealed by the discussions.

Athletic Tickets To Be Redeemed Until Friday

Student athletic tickets will be redeemable for fifty cents on any ticket to the Missouri Valley track meet to be held in the Nebraska Memorial stadium Friday and Saturday, according to John K. Selleck.

The preliminaries will be held Friday afternoon at two o'clock and the admission will be fifty cents. The meet proper will be held Saturday afternoon at two o'clock. Admission to the Saturday events will be one dollar for general admission and a dollar and a half for reserved seats.

Students must present their tickets at Mr. Selleck's office in the Coliseum between now and Friday to get the rebate on their tickets to the meet.

A. A. U. GAMES TO BE AT STADIUM

Officials Announce That Lincoln Will Be Host To Athletes

Nebraska's Memorial stadium has been selected as the scene of the Amateur Athletic Union championship outdoor field and track meet, A. A. U. officials announced today. The dates for the meet have been set for July 1, 2, and 4.

The real credit for securing the meet for Nebraska and the University of Nebraska goes to Father D. B. O'Conner of Havelock, Mid-west Commissioner of the A. A. U. His activity in the matter kept the meet from going to Boston or the other cities that were making bids for the championship events. Sam Waugh and S. R. McKelvie, Lincoln Chamber of Commerce officials, were also instrumental in bringing the meet here.

National sport interest will center in Nebraska during the days of the meet. The country's premier athletes will be here to make their bids for the awards that will be given. This meet affords Cornhusker boosters an opportunity to see the best of the country's amateurs in action.

When questioned as to the probable number of entries in the meet, Coach "Indian" Schulte said that at such an early date no definite statements could be made. He also stated that nothing certain could be given out as yet concerning the men who would enter. Regardless of the lack of information all the "big men" in amateur athletics are sure to be here.

KEIM MAY TAKE CLASS ON TOUR

Summer Course May Include Trip Of More Than 1200 Miles Through Nebraska

The proposed schedule of the trip to be taken by Prof. F. D. Keim's summer school class, University of Nebraska Summer School, 1927, will start about July 14 and continue for 16 days. The route as mapped out will cover 1,350 miles and the registration will be limited to 20 students who are interested in agronomy.

The first week's study will take up vegetation, cropping systems, poor drainage and diseases, with especial emphasis on topography and dry land agriculture. Stops will be made at Kearney, Cozad, North Platte, Curtis, Big Springs and Kimball.

The first part of the second week will be spent in the sugar beet factories ad in the locality surrounding Mitchell and Scottsbluffs where a study of alfalfa, sugar beets, sweet clover, and the conditions that control these crops will be studied. During the second part of the week the class will pass through the Sand Hills country and on to Long Pine, this route leading through the greatest prairie country in the world.

TRI-COLOR MEET TO BE HELD

All Men Representing These Teams Requested to be Present

There will be a tri-color track meet Wednesday, May 18. This is the next to the last meet and all men representing these teams are requested to be present.

- The order of events follows:
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| 100-yard dash | 4:15 |
| 150-yard dash | 4:25 |
| 220-yard dash | 4:35 |
| 120-yard high hurdles | 4:45 |
| 440-yard dash | 4:55 |
| 2 mile run | 5:05 |
| 220-yard low hurdles | 5:20 |
| 880-yard run | 5:30 |

Field Events

Pole vault	4:15
Shot put	4:15
High Jump	4:45
Discus	4:30
Broad Jump	5:00

OFFICIALS GIVE HINT THAT BLUE STAR IS GAINED

Although Nothing Definite Is Known Now, Indications Point to Best

WORK HIGHLY PRAISED

Majors Say That Close-Order Drill Was Best Seen On Their Trip

Accompanied by the much hoped for clear weather, the University of Nebraska R. O. T. C. regiment went through the annual Government inspection Monday morning. Although the definite results of the inspection cannot be known until some time in the middle of June, all indications seem to point to Nebraska as the proud possessor of a blue star rating next year.

The inspecting was done by Major R. M. Danford of the Field Artillery, and Major C. H. Bonestell of the Infantry. They declined to give information in regard to the results of their inspection, but they did make statements to the fact that the close-order drill done by company G and the drilling of the squad picked from that company was the best that they had seen on their trip. They also said that the work done by the advance course men was unusual and the best that they had seen so far.

Command Facilities

The inspecting officer also commended the facilities for instruction that the Nebraska military department has this year. In the estimation of Captain Foster, connected with the Nebraska R. O. T. C., this will go a long way toward winning the coveted blue star for Nebraska. Poor facilities were one of the main causes of the loss of the blue star last year, Foster said.

Inspection of the junior and senior advanced courses took place Saturday morning. Companies L and M were also given class room inspection that morning.

Inspections

The seniors went through class room work in military history, weapons, combat principles, company administration, military law, and rules of warfairs. The juniors did theoretical work in military history, infantry weapons, military sketching, map-reading, and field engineering. In practical work the juniors gave a machine gun drill and the seniors drilled with trench mortars and seventy-five millimeter guns.

Monday Work

The entire regiment was included in the general inspection held Monday morning. The regiment was called to attention at eight o'clock. After several preliminary orders were given, Cadet Colonel Judd Crocker ordered that the regiment pass in review before the stand. Lead by the band, the entire regiment went into platoon front formations and paraded before the officers. Members in the reviewing party were: Major Bonestell, Major Danford, Colonel Jewett, Miss Marie Bowden, the honorary colonel, and Cadet Colonel Crocker and his staff.

After the review the detailed work was taken up. The band and Companies A, B, E, and I were given individual inspection. Company F gave a demonstration in physical drill. Company G was given work in close-order drill, company K in extended-order drill, and Company A in

DEAN LERROSSIGNOL SPEAKS AT MEETING

University Professor is Honored at Convention Held at Harvard University

Dean J. E. LeRossignol of the College of Business Administration has returned from Boston where he attended the ninth annual meeting of the American Association of Collegiate Schools of Business, held at the Harvard University Graduate School of Business. Dean LeRossignol, who was one of the speakers to address the convention, was president of the association last year, and is at present a member of its executive committee.

Forty deans, and other officials of universities all over America, attended the convention. Among some of the prominent men who spoke before the association were Professor Alfred North Whitehead of Harvard University, Gerald W. Swapp, president of the General Electric company, and Dean W. E. Hotchkiss, of Stanford University.