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WEATHER  
Lincoln: Generally fair tonight and Sunday; not so cold Sunday.

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## TWO MEN WILL CAPTAIN 1928 HUSKER SQUAD

Howell and Holm, Joint Pilots Are Announced At Annual Cornhusker Banquet

EIGHT HUNDRED ATTEND

McMullen Is Chief Speaker; Coach Bearg Introduces Team and Staff

Nebraska's 1927 Cornhusker gridiron squad and the Husker coaching staff were honored by eight hundred Nebraska fans at the annual Cornhusker banquet in the Coliseum Friday evening. Governor McMullen was the principal speaker on the program, which was given in honor of the twenty-six lettermen of the 1927 Nebraska football team.

Two men, Blue Howell and Elmer Holm were selected by the twenty-six lettermen to captain the scarlet and black team next season. "Jug" Brown, captain of the 1927 squad announced the selections. Blue Howell is a two year man and one of the country's greatest halfbacks. He has established his name in the Middle West as one of the greatest line drivers on the gridiron.

Elmer Holm, Cornhusker guard and one of the best linemen on the Nebraska eleven will lead the Husker line next season. Holm is a tower of strength in the line on defense and helped make the record the Nebraska line made this year. He and Howell will jointly pilot the Cornhuskers next season.

McMullen Is Honor Guest

John Curtis, toastmaster, was introduced by Merle Jones, president of the innocents. Mr. Curtis declared that the Cornhusker banquet is one of Nebraska's greatest traditions. He then presented the honor guest of the evening, Governor McMullen. Governor McMullen's tribute to the Cornhuskers was from his standpoint as an enthusiastic football fan who hasn't missed a game in twenty-five years.

Father O'Conner, one of Nebraska's greatest fans was introduced as the first host at a Cornhusker banquet. This tradition of a banquet to honor the team started back in 1889 when Father O'Conner gave the first banquet in his barn.

Joyce Pays Tribute to Team

Bob Joyce, a former toastmaster entertained with a few stories and paid tribute to the team, reserves and freshman squad. Coach Schulte and "Choppy" Rhodes were the last two speakers on the program and then Coach Bearg took charge.

Bearg introduced his men and the members of his coaching staff and then presented "Jug" Brown, captain of the 1927 Cornhuskers. Brown paid high tribute to the Nebraska coaches and regretted that he was numbered among the fourteen men that would leave Nebraska this spring.

Captains Are Good Leaders

In presenting the new Husker captains, he stated that they were both the highest type of leaders and would work together to give Nebraska what he hoped would be an all-victorious eleven.

The fourteen men who have played their last for Nebraska are: Captain "Jug" Brown, Bill Bronson, Glenn (Continued on Page 2)

## GOOD READS TO STUDENTS

Rhodes Scholar Will Take Selections Oxford Anthology of Verse

Mr. Paul F. Good, Lincoln attorney and Rhodes scholar, will read to university women from the Oxford Anthology of Verse this afternoon at Westminster House 333 North 14 street from 5 to 6 o'clock. Among his selections are poems from William Blake, the eighteenth century author and engraver who "touched the sky with his finger," and from Francis Thompson, a Lancashire mystic, who was, at various times, clerk in a boot shop, assistant to a bookseller, medical student, homeless vagabond, and even match-wrecker on the streets of London. His "Hound of Heaven," which Mr. Good will read, is considered one of the new great odes in the English language, and is in its pompous music comparable to Bach chorale.

## Glee Club Sings In Famous Cave of Winds

Vermillion, S. D., Dec. 10—Singing in complete darkness 800 feet down in famous Wind cave of the Black Hills was one of the novel experiences of the Glee club of the University of South Dakota on their recent concert tour through the state.

## Will Lead 1928 Cornhuskers



Edward "Blue" Howell and Elmer Holm will lead the 1928 Cornhuskers, having been elected at the annual Cornhusker banquet in the Coliseum Friday night. Both men are from Omaha. Howell is a backfield man and one of the country's greatest halfbacks. Elmer Holm plays a guard position in the Scarlet line and will co-captain the team with Howell. Both men are juniors and will be playing their last year for Nebraska next season. It is the first time in history that two captains have been elected to lead the Cornhuskers. Last season Ray Randels served as line captain but he was elected at the beginning of the season this fall.

## SPRAGUE IS NEW HARRIER PILOT

Cross-Country Captain Chosen; Able Veteran of 1927 Team Will Be Squad Leader

FOUR LETTERMEN RETURN

Robert Sprague, '29, Crete, was announced Saturday as Nebraska's cross-country captain for 1928 following an election held earlier in the week.

Sprague was one of the three veterans from last year's team, who formed the backbone of this year's squad which finished in third place in the Valley cross-country run. The others were Captain Johnson and Chadderdon. Chadderdon has finished his collegiate cross-country competition, but Johnson will be eligible for another season.

Several Lettermen Are Eligible

Letter-men besides Johnson who will be eligible for next year's team are Kibble and Griffen. Cummings, the sixth letter-man graduates in June. Coach Schulte will also have Batie and Etherton, sophomore members of this year's team, who failed to letter by narrow margins, for next year's team.

Sprague was the "find" of the 1926 season, taking third in the opening trials last fall at a time when the coaches did not even know that he was out for cross-country. He made the team, lettering in his first year of varsity competition, repeating this year.

## HOME ECONOMICS NUMBER APPEARS

December Cornhusker Countryman Is Special Issue by Women Students in Ag College

"The New Home Management Baby and One of Its Godmothers" is the title of the cover page of the Cornhusker Countryman which is now being distributed at the College of Agriculture. This is the annual Home Economics issue.

"Your Christmas Dinner" by Mary Schauf and Gladys Renfro, is the feature article of the number. In an interesting manner the plans for an ideal Yuletide dinner are discussed. They say, "Exception to all rules of dieting is in vogue for the Christmas dinner. The type menu is planned for the one filled only with the Christmas spirit and ready to do justice to the annual family banquet."

"Fill Your Home With the Spirit of Christmas" say the two coeds, Mary Theobald and Louise Genung, in another article. In this story they offer many helpful suggestions for carrying out the Christmas spirit.

Men Give Opinions

"Our Home Ecs are an asset even though they must be given credit for being a regular nuisance at times," says Elvin Frolik in an informal essay entitled "What Would the Age Do Without the Home Ecs." In a rather light vein he portrays both the advantages and disadvantages of co-education in the College of Agriculture.

In "Co-eds enter New Field of Ac" (Continued on Page 2)

## Kirsch Gives First of Series of Gallery Talks

Dwight Kirsch, assistant professor of drawing and painting, will give a gallery talk at Morrill hall Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the first of a series planned by the School of Fine Arts for each Sunday afternoon during the collegiate year.

## Miss Shanafelt Gives Harp Concert Today

A program of harp music will be given this afternoon in Morrill Hall at 4:00 o'clock. The concert will be given by Miss Shanafelt who is connected with the University museum. The programs have been well attended and great interest shown in the attractions offered by the department. Last week the auditorium was filled and all of the audience could not be accommodated at one time.

## MANY ATTEND COSTUME PARTY

Skits Feature Entertainment At Girls' Cornhusker Frolic Friday

THREE PRIZES AWARDED

Nearly seven hundred girls, dressed in original and clever costumes, attended the Girls' Cornhusker Party Friday night in the Armory. The party was held under the auspices of the Associated Women Students' Board.

The skits, put on by the honorary societies, were entertaining and won hearty applause. The first skit, the first on the program, was entitled "The Music Store." Presentations of popular music hits afforded much amusement.

"Serpent of the Nile," Silver Serpent skit, delighted everyone with a clever take-off on the campus honoraries. Xi Delta's pantomime, "Wild Nell, the Pet of the Plains," or "Her Final Sacrifice" was well (Continued on Page 2)

## Rhodes Scholar Choice Be Made Public Monday

Announcement of the election of the Rhodes scholars to Oxford university will be made public Monday morning. The election of the candidate took place yesterday by the committee in charge.

The results of the election of candidates from Nebraska was wired to the national committee in charge which makes the announcement of the election throughout the country.

The five students selected to appear before the committee are Paul B. Bowen, Verne M. Laing, William Card, Robert Lasch, and David H. Webster. All of the men are seniors in the University except William Card and David Webster who are taking graduate work in the University of Wisconsin, but they are both former students in the University of Nebraska.

Election take place in thirty two states annually, no selection being made in one-third of the states each year. The states which select scholars this year are: Alabama, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, (Continued on Page 2)

## Coach W. H. Browne Will Talk at Church

Coach W. H. Browne, Lincoln high school football coach, whose team wound up their 1927 season without a defeat will talk at St. Paul M. E. church Sunday evening at 8:45 o'clock on the subject "Clean and Team Play."

Rumors have been out since the close of the season that Coach Browne has been offered a coaching position with several colleges including Kansas Aggies.

## VARSITY CAGE SEASON OPENS THIS WEEK END

Basketball Quintets Battle In Practice Session To Get Ready for First Game

TEAM SHOWS STRENGTH

Squad Meets Washington On Friday; Play Missouri On Saturday

Two quintets composed of Varsity squad members battled to a 30 to 27 score during the Saturday afternoon practice session. Coach Charley Black arranged the game as an indication of the all-around strength of his proteges. This is the first full game played so far this season.

Active practice will constitute the remaining practice drills this week, according to Coach Black. This coming Friday, the Cornhuskers meet Washington University in the initial cage battle of their slate. The following evening, Nebraska plays Missouri at Columbia. Missourians are forecasting an all-victorious season this year with an exceptional number of letter men out for the team.

Captain Tom Elliott and Harvey Grace, forwards, Glenn Munn, center, and Vint Lawson and George Goehde, guards were on the winning team in the Saturday practice. Their opponents were "Jug" Brown and "Dutch" Witte, forwards, Carl Olson, (Continued on Page 2)

## COVER SUBJECT IS ANNOUNCED

"Military Science" Is Topic Of Guessing Contest Held By Humor Magazine

MC CLEERY WINS PRIZE

"Military Science" was announced Saturday as the subject of the Award guessing contest for the "Scientific" number which will be released into Monday. William T. McCleery, '31, Hastings, was announced as the only student guessing the cover subject in the contest conducted by the Award during the past week.

Two subscriptions for the rest of the year will be given Mr. McCleery for his winning guess, which was put in the hands of the Award editor Wednesday evening. The winner will have the option of sending the subscriptions anywhere in the country.

Treatment of the military science cover, drawn by Tom McCoy is still unannounced and will not be revealed until the Award goes on sale (Continued on Page 2)

## BIZAD MEN TO HOLD DINNER

Men's Commercial Club Sponsors Monthly Event Wednesday

A dinner for the men of the College of Business Administration will be held Wednesday evening, December 14 at Mrs. Bibby's dining room. The event is being sponsored by the University Men's Commercial club, it being their custom to give a dinner once a month. A large number attended the November dinner held at the Y. M. C. A. Red Room and the affair was a marked success.

A program of special entertainment is being planned and every effort will be made to make the December dinner successful. All men are urged to be present. Tickets will be on sale Monday.

## Regents Meet to Open Bids On Dental College

The university board of regents was in session Saturday to open bids on the new dental college building. Proposals were submitted by Lincoln and Omaha contractors, and it is understood that a Minneapolis contractor was seeking the contract, as well as others outside of the state.

The bid of Rokahr and Sons of Lincoln, was the lowest and that of W. J. Assenmacher next. The Rokahr bid was \$169,000. Assenmacher's figures were \$185,000.

## 'VARSITY DRAG' WILL BE FRIDAY

Delegates to National Council Convention To Be Special Guests at Party

'PONY' CHORUS TO APPEAR

Delegates to the third annual meeting of the National Student Federation of America will be the guests of the Varsity Party Committee at the "Varsity Drag" to be held next Friday, December 16, in the Coliseum. This will be the annual Varsity Christmas party.

"The College Club," nine piece orchestra from Omaha, will play. During the intermission special entertainment features have been arranged, according to the entertainment committee. A "Pony" chorus has been secured and will present song and dance numbers.

Only two-thirds of the floor will be used for dancing. A drop curtain will cut off the floor at the east end of the Coliseum. The orchestra will be placed in front of this curtain as (Continued on Page 2)

## BARBOUR TO TALK ON 'WORLD DUST'

Sigma Xi Will Hear Planetsimal Theory Discussed at Regular Meeting Monday

Professor Edwin H. Barbour will lecture on "World Dust" at the regular monthly meeting of the Sigma Xi society next Monday evening in the auditorium of Morrill Hall. The meeting will start at 8 o'clock, and is open to the public.

Professor Barbour will briefly discuss the planetsimal theory and the nebular hypothesis. In addition to these phases of his subject Doctor Barbour will take into consideration the surface; the interior conditions of the earth, the atmosphere and the oceans, and the preparation for plant and animal life. He will also consider a conjectural future of the world.

## Six Girls Open Period Of Training At Home Management House

Robert Earl M'Allister, the new 5 months old Home Management baby will begin to be cared for by his thirteenth mother this week, as 6 new housekeepers take their places in the Home Management residence of the University of Nebraska. This means six more mothers, one each week, for Robert M'Allister who is the small child not yet 5 months old, cared for there. He has already had an opportunity to form his opinion of his twelve previous care-takers.

On Wednesday evening, November 30, the out-going girls entertained the new ones at a waffle supper at the residence, 1254 R. A part of their entertainment consisted of the reading of a will bequeathing various things from the hostesses to their guests.

The girls who just completed their six weeks careers as home managers (Continued on Page 2)

## FOSTER GIVES MANY TALKS

Noted Speaker Tries to Reconcile Science and Religion

Dr. Allyn K. Foster of New York, here last week under the auspices of the United Student Religious Council, spoke before many classes besides filling other engagements at luncheons and dinners. He was interested in reconciling religion with science, and in rephrasing fundamental religious tenets in the light of modern thought.

Dr. Foster has spent ten years studying the question, and has spoken at many schools and colleges throughout the country. He was the speaker at a banquet Tuesday evening, at the World Forum meeting Wednesday noon, and at a faculty group meeting Thursday noon. Dr. Foster is secretary of the board of education of the Baptist church in New York.

## FEDERATION OF STUDENTS BEGIN MEET THURSDAY

Two Hundred Will Come Here To Attend Sessions of Annual National Conference

LOCAL COUNCIL IS HOST

Principal Speaker Is Not Yet Chosen; Discussions Are On Program

Two hundred students from all parts of the country will come to Lincoln this week to attend the annual conference of the Student Federation of America, to be held on the university campus Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

While the principal speaker for the conference has not yet been selected, the rest of the program has been completed by university students in charge of arrangements. Open meetings, discussion groups, and critical committees composed of student members of the federation will discuss many subjects of importance in world and collegiate affairs.

Sessions Open Thursday

The opening session will be held Thursday evening, either in Memorial Hall or the Coliseum. The delegates will be welcomed by Merle Jones of Omaha, representing the Nebraska student body, and by Acting Chancellor E. A. Burnett. Miss Marvin Breckenridge of Vassar college will deliver the president's address.

Preceding this first general meeting, various committees and groups will have their first sessions. The executive committee will meet Wednesday afternoon, when the speakers will be the president, Miss Breckenridge, and Chandler Wright of Tufts college, Medford, Mass., national chairman of this conference.

Visitors Will Go On Tour

Registration begins at 9:30 Thursday morning at Ellen Smith hall. In the afternoon the visitors will be taken on a tour of the state capitol, arranged by the local committee and the chamber of commerce. The Lincoln Public theatres will be hosts to the students at their theatres, and following this discussion groups will meet, with Nebraska faculty members as their leaders. Among the discussion topics are the presidential contest, farm relief, the armament conference, World Court, and the Pan-American conference at Havana.

These groups on Friday will take up the following topics: International Relations, Stanley Weigel of Leland Stanford University, leader; Student Travel, Betty Brown of Wellesley, leader; The College Curriculum, (Continued on Page 2)

## STATE HIGH SCHOOL OFFICIALS CONVENE

Plans for Basketball Tourney Are Made at Annual Session; Will Be Held March 8, 9, 10

The high school athletic association in the state of Nebraska will be operating under its new constitution after January 1, 1928, according to action taken at the annual meeting in Lincoln, Saturday. This constitution will be the governing status in the form in which it was finished at the meeting in 1926.

The annual state high school basketball tournament will be held as planned on March 8, 9, and 10, and all previous rulings stand as far as eligibility is concerned. There was one change made in the dates for the official season. At a morning session at the Lincoln hotel the board of control decided to move the opening date of the season back to December 12 instead of December 26 as originally planned.

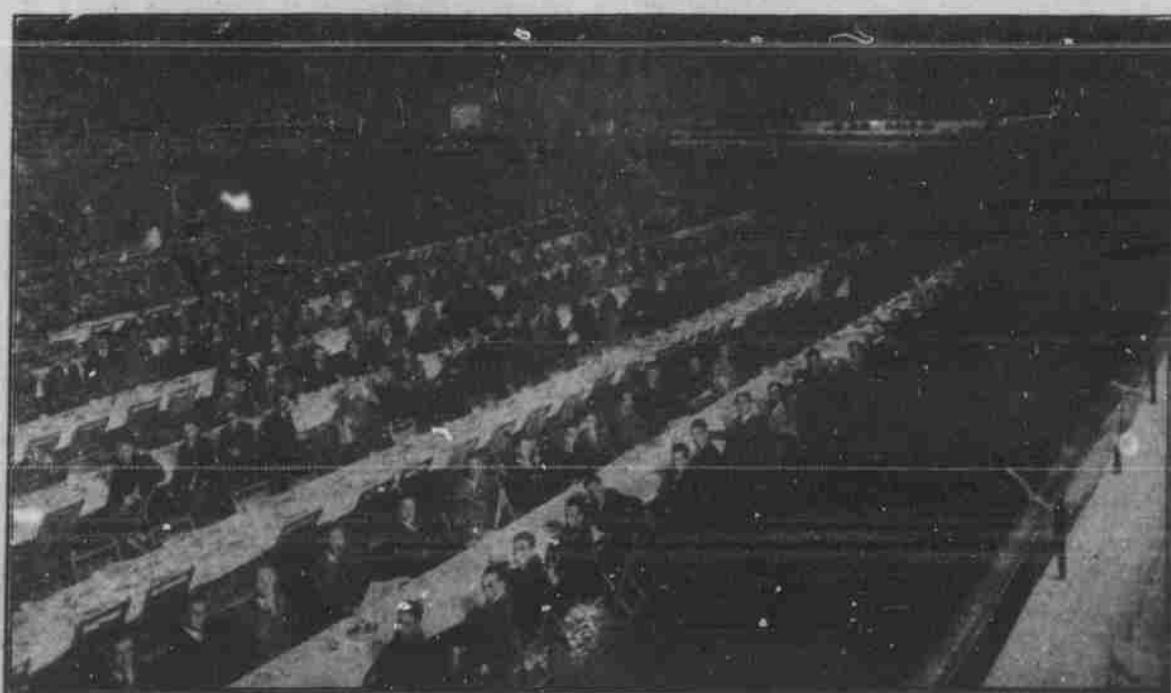
Season Is Extended

This makes the season extend from Dec. 12 to Feb. 25 during which time games may be played which will count in the reckoning of eligible teams for the state tournament. In order to be eligible this season a high school must win fifty percent of its games.

The 1928 tournament will be held the same as last year, but a motion by G. F. Liebendorfer of Sidney for a change in the 1929 tournament carried. The motion was that any team could enter the tournament that wished and if the university could not provide for this that they would return to the old district elimination plan.

Herb Cish, director of athletics at Nebraska explained why they had made the fifty per cent ruling. He said that in the wide open tournament, teams which played three or four outdoor games in the fall and probably lost them all would reorganize for the tournament and come to Lincoln not caring whether they won or lost.

## ANNUAL GRIDIRON BANQUET



Above are the students who gathered in the Coliseum Friday evening for the annual Cornhusker banquet at which honor was paid to the 1927 Nebraska football team and the selection of Howell and Holm to captain the 1928 squad was announced. The team, coaches, members of the athletic board, and speakers may be seen on the stage in the background. This was the first time that the banquet had been held on the campus.