

### LANCASTER COUNTY LEADS ENROLLMENT

#### University Students From Immediate Vicinity Are In Majority

Lancaster county easily leads the counties in Nebraska with the largest numbers of students registered at the University of Nebraska. According to figures from the yearly student directory which includes names of all students except those registering late, Lancaster county is the home of 1,861 students. Douglas county comes second with 474, of whom all but 16 are from Omaha.

Dodge county has 99 students to its credit, Cass 97, Gage 97, and Saunders 94. Three counties in the state—Arthur, Banner and McPherson—have no students at the University. There is only one student from Hayes county.

Registration from other counties is as follows: Lincoln 72, Richardson 63, Dawson 61, Seward 61, Clay 60, Saline 59, Otoe 58, Scottsbluff 58, Jefferson 57, Butler 55, Hall 55, Adams 51, York 51, Madison 50, Buffalo 48, Custer 48, Thayer 42, Furnas 41, Hamilton 40, Boone 39, Burt 36, Colfax 36, Cuming 35, Nuckolls 34, Valley 34, Fillmore 33, Franklin 33, Pawnee 31, Red Willow 31, Polk 30, Harlan 29, Johnson 29, Platte 29, Cedar 28, Holt 28, Nemaha 28, Kearney 27, Knox 27, Washington 27, Phelps 26, Webster 26, Merriek 25, Frontier 23, Hitchcock 23, Antelope 23, Box Butte 21, Boyd 21, Kimball 20, Sarpy 19, Dawes 18, Stanton 18, Brown 17, Chase 17, Dakota 17, Howard 17, Sheridan 17, Cheyenne 16, Sherman 15, Dixon 14, Garden 14, Thurston 14, Pierce 13, Keith 12, Nance 12, Perkins 12, Greeley 11, Cherry 10, Garfield 10, Deuel 9, Logan 9, Morrill 8, Wayne 8, Dundy 7, Grant 6, Rock 5, Gosper 4, Keya Paha 4, Hooker 3, Stoupe 3, Blaine 2, Thomas 2, Wheeler 2, Hayes 1.

Lancaster county also leads in the number of towns represented, with 20, but is followed closely by Saunders with 17, and by Cass with 15.

Wheeler, Wayne, Garfield, Hayes and Blaine counties have only one town represented at the university.

### Probation Gives St. Paul Police Rigorous Work

Minneapolis, Minn.—(IP)—The well-known horse-laugh, used alike by high-brow and low-brow, is being tried in the department of journalism at the University of Minnesota in an attempt to cure tardiness.

This new method was introduced after repeated failures along lines which were instituted to force budding newspaper men to arrive at Mr. Desmond's class on time.

The first experiment was one of fear. It was the fear of large, open spaces. The student was made to walk across a broad expanse of bare floor, exposed during the stroll to the gaze of several classes in progress. A feeling of inferiority during the conspicuous advance was expected to result. The experiment failed.

A "public executioner" was next appointed to trip the late arrival just before he reached his seat. The "executioner" was too easily spotted, and this experiment failed.

#### Sarcasm Is Failure

Sarcasm was used, flattery was introduced, subtle suggestions were put in practice, to no avail. Everything came to nothing. At mid-quarter, acting on Mr. Desmond's previous sarcastic suggestion that those who had too much work to do to attend class on time might leave early, several students took advantage of the suggestion and left early—a half hour before the closing bell.

The horse-laugh may work, and again it may not, Mr. Desmond says. If it does not, other means must be tried, such as locking the door or instructing the class on the following hour.

### ENGINEERS HAVE ALUMNI CALLERS

Alumni callers at the College of Engineering during the past week were:

Everett B. Sawyer, E. E. '08, with the Raylett and Industrial company, Denver, Colo.  
Maurice A. Swan, C. E., field representative of the Western Bridges and Construction company of Omaha, McCook, Neb.  
Archie P. Penner, E. E. '26, with the Westinghouse company, East Pittsburgh, Pa.

### Northwestern Grid Star Is Shot by Gangster

Chicago—John C. Acher, 21, football star and senior at Northwestern university, is in a hospital here fighting for his life as a result of a slight automobile accident after a Northwestern football game.

Acher was shot by a Chicago gangster when the fenders of the auto he was driving scraped those of a gangster's car. The assailant escaped.

### Michigan Dormitory Girls Figure Out Game System

Ann Arbor, Mich.—(IP)—In order that co-eds in University of Michigan dormitories may have first hand accounts of football games away from home, they have begun selecting a girl each week by lot to go to the game and report back.

### Genetics Congress Will Be Held at Cornell U

Ithaca, N. Y.—(IP)—Cornell University has been chosen as the meeting place of the next International Congress of Genetics, to be held in August, 1925. This will be the sixth meeting of the group, which gathers every five years. The last congress was held at Berlin.

### ON THE VALLEY

Last night on Memorial Stadium sod, the Cornhusker football squad took its first home workout since last Wednesday. The Scarlet eleven is train-weary from the long trip to the east and the Husker coaching staff will whip the Nebraska ball toters into shape for the season final Thursday with the Kansas Aggie Wildcats. That is the only hurdle between Nebraska and a football championship of the Big Six conference. The Aggies from Manhattan are in perfect shape for the battle, having had a rest last week-end while the Nebraskans battled Army at West Point. And now Coach "Bo" McMillin hopes to come up to Lincoln and hand the mighty Huskers their first defeat of the football season in the conference.

Since the surprise game with the Pitt Panthers and the defeat handed Nebraska by the Army Cadets, the Kansas Aggie coach thinks that he too can turn the trick on the mighty Nebraskans. Before the Pitt-Nebraska game, the conference teams were willing to hand the Cornhuskers the title but now things have taken on a different light and teams in the Big Six are wondering if the mighty Nebraska eleven can continue going through the season that it started early in October. There is a little ray of hope burning in the hearts of all the Missouri followers that the Nebraska eleven will help them win the conference for should Nebraska go down before the Aggies, it will mean a tie for first place. Nebraska is certainly not in the best of shape for the coming game but the coaching staff will try to whip the team into shape and turn back the McMillin crew for a perfect slate in the Big Six.

Besides the Nebraska-Kansas Aggie game Thursday, fans will direct their attention to the Missouri-Oklahoma game. Although critics give Nebraska and Missouri the upper edge in the Turkey day classics, just about anything can happen as the 1928 football season comes to a close. State teams, teams worn from the hard schedule just passed and teams in poor mental condition may be on hand for the annual Thanksgiving day games. So the man dope will have his big chance of the year to dump a lot of upsets into the history of the 1928 season. Although Nebraska is given the edge against the Kansas Farmers, the coaching staff is not looking at it in such light. Coach Bearg is looking forward to a hard battle with the Aggie eleven and since the Manhattan crew has stated that "We too can beat the Huskers," Coach Bearg realizes that he has a big task ahead for the Thanksgiving dish.

On Memorial Stadium field Thursday afternoon, five great moleskin warriors make their final debut in collegiate football circles. Five gridiron stalwarts of the mighty Husker team will play no more for the Scarlet and Cream. Their years in the ranks of the Nebraska elevens have been great ones and will not be forgotten as their names are written in bold figures into the football history of Nebraska.

Heading the list of the men who appear for the last time wearing the scarlet are Nebraska's two captains, Elmer Holm and Blue Howell. Two men who have been outstanding on the Husker elevens for three years. In the line Elmer Holm has been a clever football player and a tower of strength on both defense and offense. In the backfield at the fullback position is the only man who will be lost to the Husker backfield, Edward Blue Howell. Blue is the most outstanding ball lugger in the conference and is only equaled by his running mate, Clair Sloan. Nebraska's greatest loss is in the line where Ted James, Dan McMullen, Cliff Aashburn and Holm leave places to be filled next season on the gridiron. James is probably the greatest center in the Big Six and his uncanny passing all season have made it possible for an unerring backfield.

These five men appear for the last time Thursday against the Kansas Aggies and have been through a most difficult season in selecting mythical all-star eleven from the Big Six conference, we would start with "Dannie" McMullen for one of the guard posts in the line. McMullen has played a bang up game all season and is rated by eastern critics as one of the best linemen to appear in the east this season. It would be hard to complete the eleven without including Ted James at center, Elmer Holm at the other guard post and Blue Howell for the fullback position in the backfield.

### Pigeon Show Is Big Attraction On Ames Campus

Pigeons to the left and pigeons to the right of him—an island of fur surrounded by feathers—the solitary Belgian hare on exhibition at the Iowa Pigeon show at Ames last week, is an example of abject loneliness.

Entered in the show, which is sponsored by the Iowa Pigeon association, are 700 birds of 20 breeds, most of which are from Iowa. There are birds at the show, however, from California, Colorado, Illinois and Indiana.

Judging Continues Today  
With their ability to swell and puff until they resemble a miniature Graf Zeppelin, the pouter pigeons thus far have claimed the center of the stage at the show. Spectators also are interested, however, in the beautiful fantails and the homing varieties.  
Judging of the birds was started yesterday noon by Harry Baldwin, Kansas City, and Arthur Seelbinder, Memphis, Tenn., and will continue through today.

### Husker Gridders Who Will Play Final Game



Co-Captain Howell



Co-Captain Holm



Ted James

### Kansas Aggies Have Never Won From Huskers

A Kansas Aggie victory over a Nebraska football team has never been recorded in gridiron history. However, Bo McMullen, former Centre college star and now coach of the Wildcat aggregation, will attempt to break a long string of Nebraska victories in the Thanksgiving tussle next Thursday.

In a survey of the games played by Nebraska and Kansas Aggie teams in the last five years, the Huskers have chalked up the large total of 115 points to 12 by the Aggies. In 1922, the Scarlet and Cream aggregation defeated the Aggies by a score of 21 to 0. In 1923 another overwhelming victory was recorded by Nebraska, the score being 24 to 12. In 1924 the Cornhuskers defeated the Aggies 24 to 0; the Kansas Aggie team made a strong bid for the 1925 game, the Huskers barely saving themselves a defeat by a 0 to 9 tie.

In 1926 the Huskers toppled the Kansas Aggies from their top notch position in the Valley with a 3 to 0 victory played in a pouring rain before more than twenty thousand spectators, the largest crowd of the season.

Bobbie Stephens, Husker quarterback and punting ace, was the outstanding star of the contest. After making the only score of the game, a perfect place kick from the thirty yard line, early in the third quarter, he punted out of dangerous situations time and again, keeping the Aggies out of scoring territory.

Last year the Huskers put forth a last half spurt that overwhelmed the Aggies by a score of 33 to 0. Both teams fought on even terms during the first period, the Bearg men being unable to get a first down in the opening quarter. Near the close of the second quarter, Nebraska scored on a long pass from White to Lee.

A changed team came on the field for the second half, and an attack was launched that resulted in four more touchdowns, two being made by Captain Brown and the other by Preenell and Howell.

### Young Gridster Hangs Self When Substituted

Oakland, Calif.—Because he was replaced with a substitute in a foot-

ball game here, Bobby Foster, 15, hanged himself.

Foster was a member of the football squad and on the honor roll of his class at Mount Diablo Union High School. He apparently was not put out by the coach's decision, but his mother reports that he wept bitterly after his return home following the game.

Hinerman—Why don't you mountaineers bury your enemies?  
Kentuckian—Well, son, we all gets better results by buryin' our enemies. — Pennsylvania Punch Bowl.

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### MISSOURI TIGERS COMPLETE SLATE

Returning from St. Louis last night where final arrangements for a game with Washington university to be played in St. Louis Nov. 9 next year were made, C. L. Brewer, University director of athletics, today announced the complete Tiger grid card for 1929.

Resumption of the Tiger-Bear clash after the schools failed to meet this year, because of scheduling difficulties, the athletic director pointed out, will furnish Missouri fans with an opportunity to see both teams in action that would be missed in inter-sectional games.

Previously the University athletic department favored the Washington game only on the condition that the new Bear stadium be completed in time for dedication at the Missouri-Bear meeting Nov. 9. Brewer said today that the game would be played regardless of the completion date of the stadium.

The Washington tilt will mark the resumption of competition with the Tigers' oldest rival. Missouri's first football game was played with Washington at St. Louis in 1890. Aside from the game with the Bears, Missouri will play five Big Six opponents, Drake and New York university.

### LOCAL DEBATERS TAKE MARGIN OF VOTES

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opened the arguments in typical English style.

Sheldon, as first speaker, opened with a criticism of the office of president, pointing out the undemocratic nature of his election, and his powerless position when not backed by the legislature. He also pointed out how in the recent election 41 percent of the popular vote had given only a sixteen percent electoral college vote; and how the people speak only once every four years, and must then "hold their breath."

Nebraska, represented by Evert M. Hunt, George E. Johnson, Jr., and David Fellman, held to the American debate standards. Hunt, opening the negative, welcomed the Australians, and launched into the argument with a definition of the terms.

Claiming a trend toward the presidential form, he pointed out how it was more true to the will

### Swimmers Are Asked To Report Wednesday

All men interested in freshman and varsity swimming are asked to meet with Rudolph Vogeler, room 206 in the Coliseum, Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

of the people. He showed the necessity of a federal system in a large nation, demanding two houses representing the two elements of the people and the states.

Nelson, of Sydney, showed how the parliamentary system was more responsive to the will of the people, and how by it a sweep of public opinion has an immediate effect upon the executive, and how the party that does not respond "gets it in the neck."

He pointed out the ineffectiveness of the impeachment system. In speaking of his own country he said, "In my government, after the drinking of beer, the most important thing is politics."

Johnson, for Nebraska, showed how the English lower house was forced to handle the problems which should be handled by states.

He pointed out the need for a system of checks and balances, and a written constitution, saying that parliamentary government had fallen down with the decline of kings.

Godsall, of Sydney, opened with a message of good will to the United States from Uncle Blm. He rather derided the forceful style of the Americans as contrasted with the calm tone of the English. He defended the English lack of a constitution, calling a constitution a "strait jacket."

Fellman, last speaker on the negative, brought a laugh when he likened the American system to the choosing of a wife, not for speed but for stability. He showed how acts were rushed through the parliamentary form, lacking the check of the United States, where the serenity rests upon two-thirds of both houses and three-fourths of the states.

In rebuttal the English team made good use of the opportunity to bring in witty remarks and sarcasm. No open forum was held as planned.

Many high schools were represented at the meet, some coming from a considerable distance.

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