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## HOW WE BLACKED

### THE TIGER'S EYE

#### Missouri Goes Down in an Overwhelming Defeat.

#### LARGE SCORE WAS A SURPRISE

Nebraska Confident of Winning but by Not so Large a Majority—Details of How it Was Done.

Nebraska fittingly celebrated the beginning of her chase for the pennant last Saturday afternoon in the presence of 1,500 people by rolling up against the Missouri Tigers the largest score ever made by this University against any opposing team. Forty-one to nothing tells the story of the overwhelming defeat administered to the Missourians. They were simply easy, being outveighed and outplayed. Nebraska took the ball when and where she pleased and after the first touchdown it was only a question of how large the score would be. Nebraska's goal was never in danger, thirty yards being the closest distance which the Tigers were allowed to approach the coveted line.

Nebraska had the visitors guessing from the start. The same formation was used for a half a dozen entirely different plays and they never knew where to expect the ball, and when they had located it it was generally behind the goal posts.

The playing of Missouri was slow, their backs being often downed behind the line. Nebraska, on the other hand, played swift, snappy ball and the interference was almost perfect. Hayward, Hansen, Turner, and Pearce opened up holes in the Tiger's line large enough to drive a wagon through. Melford at center played a splendid game for a man who has not been out to practice more than a couple of times this year, and the visitors made few gains through his position. Benedict played a wonderful game at left half and went through the opposing line as if he had played half back all his life. Montgomery played well at right half, but he ran his head into the ground and received a kick in the head from one of the Tigers early in the game and was forced to retire. Williams, who took his place, responded with large gains every time he was called upon to carry the ball. As for Shedd, he simply plowed through the Tigers and tore up their line whenever he was so disposed. Time and again Missouri tried to go around Nebraska's ends, but Wiggins and Stringer were always on hand, and often stopped them before they had really started. Cowgill repeated his brilliant performance of the previous week by kicking a goal from the thirty-yard line. This, however, was offset by errors which, in an ordinary game, might have lost the game to Nebraska. Three times the Tigers punted for twenty or thirty yards, and three times Cowgill, with an open chance to catch the ball, dropped it and a Missouri man got it.

For Missouri Howard at center, Harris at right end, and Cramer at left tackle played the best game. The rest of the Tigers played in a listless sort of way and were woefully slow in starting their interference. They tried several tricks, but with one exception they failed. Once, on the old criss-cross, they made a gain of twenty-five yards, which was the only run of any length which was made by the visitors.

The weather was perfect and the field could not have been in better condition. Seldom has there been so much foot ball enthusiasm displayed as there was that afternoon. Five squads of boys yelled themselves hoarse, and speaking trumpets and cow bells were there in great profusion. Everybody wore colors—the scarlet and cream, of course, predominating. The few who displayed the Tiger's colors took pains to conceal

them long before the first half was over.

The line-up:  
Nebraska. Missouri.  
Stringer ..... l. e. .... Perry  
Pearse ..... l. t. .... Cramer  
Hansen ..... l. g. .... Woodson and Phillips  
Melford ..... c. .... Howard  
Turner ..... r. g. .... Parker  
Hayward ..... r. t. .... Hill  
Wiggins ..... r. e. .... Harris  
Cowgill ..... quarter .... Bungardt  
Benedict and  
Williams ..... l. h. .... Shepherd  
Montgomery and  
Schwartz ..... r. h. .... Jones and Troy  
Shedd ..... full .... Holman  
Referee, Platt. Umpire, Thorpe.  
Linesmen, Bass and Robbins.

The game was called at 3:10. Nebraska won the toss and chose the south goal. Holman made a fake kick of ten yards and Missouri got the ball. Missouri made no gain on the first down. Hill was finely tackled by Wiggins and there was no gain, so Holman was forced to punt. He kicked for twenty yards, and Nebraska got the ball. Shedd went through the center for seven yards. Montgomery was sent around the right end for a gain of five yards, to which he added seven more a moment later. Benedict went through left tackle for five and then made two yards around the left end. Shedd bucked the center for seven yards. Hayward advanced it five more and then Benedict went around the left end twenty yards for a touchdown in just five minutes after the game began. Shedd kicked goal. Score: Nebraska 6, Missouri 0.

Holman kicked off twenty yards and Pearce brought it back five. Montgomery went through right tackle five yards. He hurt his head somewhat, but soon resumed playing. Nebraska kept hammering away at Missouri's line and it was unable to withstand the terrific onslaughts. Shedd made two yards through center, Montgomery seven yards through tackle, and one more in the same place on the next play, and then Shedd hit the center for six yards more. Benedict went around the left end for ten yards. Pearce made eight yards through right tackle and Shedd followed with seven more. On the next three downs Hayward, Benedict, and Shedd carried the ball to Missouri's twenty-yard line. The Tigers tried to hold them, but it was all to no avail. Montgomery went around the right end for seven yards, Benedict around the other for six, and Shedd was pushed over for a touchdown. It took just ten minutes to push the ball across the field for this touchdown. Shedd kicked goal. Score: Nebraska 12, Missouri 0.

Holman kicked forty yards and Wiggins came back with the ball nine yards. For once Benedict failed to gain around the left end. Cowgill kicked thirty yards and Shepard regained ten. Missouri bucked the center twice, but only advanced the ball three yards. On the next play Hansen broke through and by a fine tackle caused the Tigers to lose three yards. Nebraska's ball. Montgomery made two yards and Shedd one, so Cowgill was forced to kick. Hill made four yards through tackle. Stringer and Pearce broke through next time and the Tigers lost three yards. Missouri fumbled the ball, losing five more yards. Nebraska's ball. Benedict was sent around the left end for seventeen yards, Pearce went through tackle for seven, and Montgomery through center for one yard. Shedd plowed through the center for ten yards and Hayward followed with seven more. The ball was now on the Tiger's ten-yard line. Montgomery lessened this distance by four yards. Hayward took the ball to within one yard of the line, and the next time he carried it over, twelve minutes after the previous touchdown. Shedd kicked goal. Score: Nebraska 18, Missouri 0.

Holman kicked off thirty-five yards and Hayward regained ten. Benedict took another jaunt around the left end for twenty-five yards. Hayward hurt

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## SOPH-FRESH FIELD MEET

Held Tomorrow Afternoon on the University Athletic Grounds.

### MEN HAVE WORKED HARD

They are All in Good Form and Some College Records Will Probably be Broken—Good List of Prizes Offered.

The long talked of freshman-sophomore field day, which occurs next Saturday afternoon on the campus, promises to be one of the most successful athletic events in the history of the University. This has been made possible through the efforts and energy of Dr. Hastings, ably assisted by Managers Liebman of the sophomore class and Swallow of the freshmen. Both classes are remarkably well represented, considering the fact that the foot ball season is here and naturally draws interest away from track athletics. In spite of this fact a great deal of class spirit and enthusiasm has been worked up.

An admission fee of ten cents will be charged, which will also include admission to the junior-senior foot ball game which directly precedes the field day contests. Thus there is no danger that anybody will not get his money's worth and at the same time he can contribute toward paying for the grading of the grounds.

At the rate at which the tickets are going there will be a large crowd on hand. Arrangements have been made to form two rooting squads, each under a leader. The probabilities are that some records will be broken before the contests are over.

The field day will be run strictly according to the rules laid down by the Intercollegiate Athletic association, as Dr. Hastings is determined that athletic affairs shall be conducted precisely as prescribed by the rules. Programs for the field day are to be out today and to be posted on the bulletin board. By dint of tall hustling a fine number of prizes have been secured, which should prove a strong incentive for everyone to do his best. To the class which wins the contest Mr. E. Fleming will present a \$25 silver water set, to be handed down every year by the winning class. This alone will insure an annual contest between the two classes. Other prizes are also given. H. W. Brown offers a fountain pen, Perkins & Sheldon a \$6 pair of running shoes, Bumstead & Tuttle a hat, Paine & Warfel a sweater, Sanderson, Schureman & Davis and Webster & Rogers each a pair of tennis shoes. It is expected that several more prizes besides these will be secured.

The foot ball game begins promptly at 1:30 p. m. and the field day follows immediately at its conclusion.

In the field contests Coach Robinson will act as referee and Dr. Hastings as starter. There will be twelve events.

- 100-yard dash—Moore, Collett, Anderson, R. D., '00; Warner, La Salle, Schwartz, Swallow, Pepon, '01.
- 240-yard dash—Hill, Anderson, R. D., '00; Fraser, Kellogg, Pepon, '01.
- One mile run—Pillsbury, Hill, Waterman, '00; Kellogg, '01.
- Half-mile run—Hill, Ryan, Anderson, R. D., '00; Kellogg, Fraser, '01.
- 220-yard dash—Moore, Collett, Anderson, R. D., '00; Warner, La Salle, Pepon, '01.
- Base ball throw—Gordon, Jewett, Reeder, Moore, '00; Swallow, Warner, '01.
- Foot ball kick—Cowgill, Gordon, Hill, Benedict, '00; Stringer, Tukey, Woods, Schwartz, '01.
- Putting the shot—Hummel, Jewett, Moore, Waterman, '00; Stringer, Swallow, '01.
- Pole vault—Benedict, Hill, Waterman, Anderson, W. E., '00; Kellogg, La Salle, '01.
- Running high jump—Anderson, W. E., Waterman, '00; La Salle, Swallow, Pepon, '01.
- Throwing the hammer—Jewett, Hummel, Le Mar, Anderson, W. E., '00; Stringer, Swallow, '01.
- Running broad jump—Anderson, W. E., Moore, Waterman, Benedict, '00; La Salle, Warner, Swallow, '01.

## SENIORS VS. JUNIORS.

The first of the series of games to decide the class championship will be played on the campus tomorrow at 1:30 o'clock between the juniors and seniors. Both teams for the past two weeks have been practicing hard in preparation for this game. The juniors have already had the experience of a game with the second eleven at Wesleyan. Although they were beaten 22 to 0, the fact that Wesleyan was not allowed to score in the second half shows that the juniors have a strong line. All that is now needed is a little more practice to learn the signals and then they will be able to give any team a good fight for the championship.

The foot ball team of the senior class has been out practicing regularly the past week in anticipation of their game with the juniors, scheduled for tomorrow afternoon at 1:30. This class won the interclass championship last year and have most of their old men back. The juniors have been working hard, and after their practice game with the Wesleyan scrubs last Wednesday afternoon will put up a stiff game. For the seniors Captain Morrison will play quarter-back and give signals, Halstead will play full-back, Green, right half, and McKay or Kindler, left. In the line "Bob" White will hold down center, Andrews, left guard, and Cushman, right guard. Campbell will play right tackle, Mueller left, Everett Sawyer right end, with Hedy and True trying for the left. Porter is also trying for half-back.

As this game is played just before the field contests, a large crowd will doubtless be present. An admission of ten cents admits to both events.

Following is the line-up as near as can be ascertained, but several changes will probably be made:

Juniors.	Positions.	Seniors.
Haecker	l. e.	Hedy or True
R. Sawyer	l. t.	Mueller
Warner	l. g.	Cushman or Haggard
Ayer	c.	White
Garringer	r. g.	Andrews
Hoagland	r. t.	E. Sawyer
McGalrey	r. e.	McKay
Clarke	quarter	Morrison
Strock	l. h.	Greene
Patch or Lytle	r. h.	Kindler
Hastie	full	Halstead

## WESLEYAN SECOND VS. JUNIORS.

The junior foot ball team went out to Wesleyan Wednesday afternoon and played a game with the second eleven. The game was not so one-sided as the score of 22 to 0 would indicate. Wesleyan kicked off for twenty-five yards. The juniors returned five. After a couple of plays, Wesleyan secured the ball on a fumble by Clark. Wesleyan bucked the line with no gain, then the left half went around the end for twenty yards, being finally tackled by Sawyer. The very next play Wesleyan's right end, Bull, who by the way is a regular member of the first eleven, went around left end for the first touchdown. Time, four minutes. Wesleyan failed to catch the kickoff, and the score was 4 to 0. The juniors kicked off forty yards, but it was brought back ten. Then Wesleyan lost the ball on downs on their own fifteen-yard line. A moment later they secured it again on a fumble and made a touchdown. Goal was kicked. Score, 10 to 6. After the line-up it took Wesleyan just one minute to secure their third touchdown; 16 to 0. Then the juniors braced up and held their own until just before time was called, when the last score of the game was made. In the second half the juniors put up a much better game, showing that all they needed was practice. In this half neither side was able to score. As the result of a protest, Captain Bull of the Wesleyans did not play in the second half. There will be a return game between the same teams on Wednesday of next week.

Line-up was as follows:  
Wesleyan. Juniors.  
Bull-Stevenson ..... r. e. .... Wise-McGee  
Hamilton ..... r. t. .... Sawyer  
Gearhart ..... r. g. .... Warner  
Lewis ..... c. .... Ayre  
Reid ..... l. g. .... Garringer  
Funk ..... l. t. .... Sargeant  
Bull-Hymer ..... l. e. .... Haecker  
Kemper ..... quarter ..... Clark  
Worl ..... r. h. .... Strock  
Shoof ..... l. h. .... Patch

## GAME WITH THE JAYHAWKS

"How Will it Result?" the Question of the Day.

### RESULT DECIDES THE PENNANT

Defeat of Iowa by Kansas Has Frightened Nebraska—Men Working Hard to Get in Condition—The Outlook.

To say that great interest has been aroused in the coming game with Kansas would only be stating half the truth. The interest in this game is intense. Everywhere is heard the questions, "What is Kansas going to do to us?" and "Do you think we can score on Kansas?" All this is occasioned by the overwhelming defeat administered by Kansas to Iowa last Saturday. There is no doubt about it, Kansas has scared us. But Nebraska has no intention of quietly submitting. Such events as the Kansas-Iowa game will only stimulate our men to greater efforts. No matter what happens, Kansas will have to play the game of her life and the followers of Nebraska may rest assured that there will be no 56 to 0 score made against us, as there was against Iowa. Kansas made almost all of her gains around Iowa's ends, but Nebraska rooters have a sneaking idea that Wiggins and Stringer will have something to say about Kansas making end runs.

There will be no big game tomorrow. Manager Oury and Coach Robinson have decided to allow the men plenty of time to recover from the effects of the Missouri game and there will be no game between now and the Kansas game. All the energies of the team will be concentrated to win that game. There is a general feeling that the Kansas game decides who wins the pennant, as neither Iowa or Missouri can hope for first place with the large scores which have been rolled up against them. From now on the cry will be "Anything to beat Kansas!"

Meanwhile Kansas will spare no efforts to down Nebraska. The Missouri game will not be calculated to inspire Kansas with over-confidence. Before that game Nebraska was not considered in the race to any extent by either Kansas or Missouri. The poor showing of Nebraska against Tarkio and Wesleyan was considered by other teams as indicating a very weak team for Nebraska this year. The result of last Saturday's game, however, has changed all this, and now we are strictly in it.

Mr. Piatt, the veteran Kansas player who refereed last Saturday's game, said in regard to Nebraska's playing: "The first part of that game was the fastest foot ball I have ever seen played in the west. I was greatly surprised at the showing of the Nebraska team, and I think that was the fastest foot ball the team ever played. In regard to the Kansas game, I consider it a toss-up as to who will win."

With a pleasant day, the large crowd of last week will be almost doubled at the Kansas game, and the outcome will decide who are "champions of the west," which proud title Kansas already claims for her team in flaring headlines in the paper of that university. If a large crowd of rooters will come out again they will aid a great deal toward doing "Anything to beat Kansas," that is, using every honorable means to aid in the victory of the home team. There will be no rowdiness, as at the Iowa-Missouri game last year, but the Kansas players will be treated like gentlemen, although Nebraska will strain every nerve to beat them.

The senior caps and canes are already here. This is a wonderful move that the brainy seniors got on themselves. They have outdone all predecessors in deciding upon and securing what they want. The girls are still stewing about what they like best. They promise to decide by commencement.