

material in sight. Nebraska ought easily to win the championship of the west this year.

Rhodes of Hebron is showing up exceptionally well as an infielder.

Rhea "The Midget" is proving to be a very fast outfielder. If he can hit as well as he can field, he will be a strong candidate for one of the outfields.

"Hare and hound" and "cross country" runs will take place each Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. All students interested are invited.

The indoor Pentathlon will occur Friday evening, March 25. The candidates are all doing hard training. The contest promises to be a very close and interesting one.

Dr. Hastings is receiving many letters from western colleges and universities in answer to his circular letter concerning the feasibility of holding an intercollegiate athletic meet at the trans-Mississippi exposition. The institutions all heartily favor the meet.

The success of the athletic annual is now assured; W. H. Oury has been elected manager, and Mr. Cutter assistant manager. Editorial staff: R. E. Benedict, R. D. Anderson and Harry Swallow. The annual will contain sixty pages, twenty-four of which will be devoted to illustrations. It will be issued under the auspices of the athletic board, and under the general direction of the physical director.

**University Girls Victorious.**

The first game of girls' basket ball in the west was played last Friday night between the L. I. E. girls of Council Bluffs and the Varsity team of the Uni. The game resulted in a victory for the University girls by a score of 15 to 7.

The gymnasium was well filled long before the hour by a large and enthusiastic audience. Tasteful decorations of the different society and fraternity colors ornamented the windows. The patronesses were given seats of honor in the north-east corner of the building. The Chancellor and other distinguished guests were present. The evening's entertainment was made up of two games—the contests between the Council Bluffs girls and the University girls, and the Whites and Reds of Miss Barr's famous Midgets.

Owing to a difference in training, the two teams compromised the matter of rules and played the first half according to the men's rules and the second half according to Smith rules. The Council Bluffs girls wore short skirt costumes; the University girls wore the conventional gymnasium suit. On the whole, the Council Bluffs girls were of slighter build and younger. Their team work was much weaker than that of the University girls but they made up in agility what they lacked in size. The players on the Varsity team deserving special mention are Louise Pound, Harriet Cook and Marie Beach. Miss Pound threw three goals from the field, five on field toss. Miss Cook threw one from the field. Miss Welch threw one from the field. The best players of the Council Bluffs girls were Irma Linkey and Stella Royer. Miss Linkey threw one goal from the field, one goal from field toss. Miss Royer threw four goals from field toss.

The line up was as follows:

COUNCIL BLUFFS.		UNIVERSITY.
Stella Royer	Forward	Bertha DuTeil
Kittie Warner	"	Helen Welch
Vera Linkey	Center	Louise Pound, Capt.
Mabel Cook	"	Harriet Cook
Agnes Spies, Capt.	Guard	Marie Beach
Emma Linkey	"	Marie Kennedy
Substitutes, Sadie Grass, Ceandia Scott,		
Council Bluffs; Rose Long, University.		

The midgets' game was played according to Smith rules, and was one of the most interesting features of the evening. It ended in a victory for the Whites by a score of 15 to 12. The following is the line up of these attractive teams:

Whites.		Reds.
Minnie Smith	Forward	Adelloyd Whiting, Capt.
Grace Wheeler	"	Lucy Griffith
Nettie Henry	Center	Rosa Hess
Jennie Pentzer, Capt.	"	Grace Broady
Mabel Dempster	Guard	Edith Swartz
Anna McCrosky	"	Bob Erford

Miss Barr acted as referee; Miss McDiell and W. E. Anderson were umpires. After the game the players were treated to a delightful luncheon, served under the direction of Mrs. Ogden and Miss Mae Whiting.