

ATHLETIC NOTES.

DIAMOND DUST.

Cowgill has again entered school and begun practicing.

As soon as the weather will permit Turner, Hansen, LeMar and Jewett will train for the hammer throw.

Since there are only about seven weeks before the field day events and the state intercollegiate meet all men should enroll and begin training at once.

With such men as Pearse, Ryan and Sawyer as contestants in the half mile and mile races, the University can consider these two events as trophies in the intercollegiate contest.

Burr has not reported for a practice as yet. He reports too much work as the reason. It will be a bad blow to the team if he does not get out as he is the only available catcher in sight at present.

Nebraska had the most scientific batting team of any college in the west last year. The method will be taught to all the new men this year. With Benedict as coach we are sure to have a hard hitting team.

Fred Barnes is practicing with the team every day now. He is teaching the boys a great many plays only used by professionals. If he stays until the middle of April as he expects to do, the infield will be able to play a style of game entirely unknown to amateurs.

The candidates have settled down to hard outdoor practice. There are many fast candidates for the infield this year. This will make them all hustle. No man will get a place without playing hard for it. The candidates so far for the infield are: Moore, Rhodes, Kindler, Reed, Bliss, Wells, Cowgill, Johnson, Miner and Little.

Every effort is being made to secure funds for a cinder track. By securing reserved seats for the pentathlon you will be helping forward the acquisition of this indispensable requisite for field training, which will give University athletics victory at the intercollegiate meet, and at the same time witness a close and exciting contest.

Dr. Hastings, by request of Prof. Howard, of

Doane, was in Crete last Saturday and Monday ascertaining the physical condition of the athletic men at Doane. Dr. Hastings found the men in good training and confident of success in the interstate contest. If Doane wins any thing in this meet it will be due to her training, energy, pluck and united college spirit.

Giants, Turner and Hansen, have begun training for the Shot Put with their former football enthusiasm and energy. We can count on these men, to so economize by skill their immense strength that former records will be easily broken and to hold the state championship. R. E. Jones entered last week and promises to become the strongest rival of Hansen.

The indoor Pentathlon will occur this evening. The judges for the contest are P. W. Pepoon, C. M. Story, Joel Stebbins; measurers, W. F. Knill, Adolph Shane, W. R. McGeahin Referee, Oliver Chambers; contestants, R. S. Waterman, I. A. Kellog, E. M. Bolen, B. M. LaSalle, P. W. Jewett, W. E. Andreson, L. S. Ryan, R. E. Benedict, M. P. Pillsbury, F. A. Lemar, R. C. James, Hart and O. T. Reedy. The general admission will be 15c. Reserved seats can be secured for ten cents extra either at the co-op or at the door.

Other athletic men whom we can feel confident will win us trophies in the state intercollegiate contest are Collete and R. D. Andreson in the 100 yd. dash; R. D. Andreson and P. W. Pepoon in the 2:20 race; Benedict will have a walk away with the pole vault. We will expect W. E. Andreson and Benedict to do again what they did last year: win first and second place in the running broad jump. There are yet places for more candidates in all the events, but there is special need for men to train in the hurdle race.

The Delian Society regrets to lose from their number, Miss Cunningham, one of their most valued new members. Miss Cunningham left school on account of poor health. After visiting for a time in Omaha she will return to her home at Wayne, Neb.

The Delian girls' program, which was postponed, will be given April 1st. All are invited to come and see how much this program will surpass the one to be given in the near future by the Delian boys.