

ATHLETIC NOTES

All entries to the Soph-Fresh, contest close Saturday, Oct. 29, at 6 p. m.

Men registered for physical training who have not yet been to classes will bear in mind that they have already exhausted one-half of the absences allowed. Another week of absence will insure an incomplete for the semester.

The stipulations governing the Triangular League in basket-ball between Doane, Wesleyan and the University are being signed. The organization will be known as the Inter-collegiate Basket Ball League for the state of Nebraska. All games will be played according to strict interpretation of rules and the officials are to be strictly non-partisan. Each home team is to provide the expenses of the visiting team. The schedule of games is to begin in November of each year.

Basket-ball is being practiced almost daily. New material is good. W. E. Andreson is not satisfied with his work as guard and is practicing as forward. Other forwards are Walker and Griffith. Moore, Yoder, Cortelyou and others are candidates for centre. R. D. Andreson will play his old position as guard. There are many other strong candidates for guard. Lemar will make a strong showing because of his previous experience.

There is a great need for men who will take the trouble to become trained officials in basket-ball. These league games must have impartial and expert officials. They are needed, also, in the practice games in the University. Dr. Hastings says that we need about six or eight men who do not play but will study to become officials.

Dr. Hastings has sent out a circular letter to twenty-four high schools with a view to unifying the athletics of the state. He calls the attention of the high schools to the fact that the University is very much interested in them since they act as feeders for the University athletics. He points out to them that by joint meets a vital interest in clean sports will be stimulated and habits of self-control and good natured rivalry be inculcated. He proposes the appointment of Geo. C. Shedd of the Lincoln high school, Nathan Bernstein of the Omaha high school, and R. D. Overholtz, superintendent of the Ashland schools, to solicit information with reference to the best method of such an organization. Dr. Hastings approves the plan of holding a high school meet in conjunction with the state inter-collegiate contest. Several high schools have already replied to the letter.

The first number of the Advocate, a paper published by the Athletic Association of the Lincoln high school, has reached our desk. It is a very respectable sheet.

University of Nebraska vs. Grinnell College.

Tomorrow, October 29th, the Uni. team will meet the pigskin manipulators of Grinnell College, and do battle on our University campus. This will be Grinnell's first appearance on our grounds after an absence of several years. In 1894 we defeated her, but in 1895, things were changed somewhat and Nebraska were doomed to defeat by the score of 24 to 0.

A short time ago Grinnell defeated Minnesota State University by a score of 16 to 6, which goes a good ways to prove the claim that Grinnell has the strongest team in Iowa today.

An eastern coach has been looking after the team since the season began and with almost all of the old players back, Grinnell has had no difficulty in pushing herself forward as one of the strongest teams in the west today.

The students should bear in mind that the expense of putting on this game will be quite heavy and hence it devolves upon each and every one to turn out tomorrow and assist the Athletic Board in the financial part.

Opening of the New Building.

Friday, October 28, has been set aside by the faculty as a holiday to fitly celebrate the opening of the new Mechanic Arts Hall. The inaugural address will be delivered at ten o'clock in the chapel by Morgan Brooks, associate professor of electrical engineering. His subject will be "Electricity and Enlightenment." At half past two the guests will assemble in the armory where President Charles H. Morrill will give the report of the building committee. Chancellor MacLean will present the building to the Industrial College, and Dr. C. E. Bessey as dean of the college will accept. At the new building, Gov. Silas A. Holcomb will unveil the commemorative tablet. Friday evening, at the Oliver theatre, Winfield S. Chaplin, president of Washington University, St. Louis, will deliver an address.

The College Settlement Work.

Great interest is being taken in College Settlement work this year by everybody in the University. More individual work will be done and a stronger financial support will be given than ever before. The present board consists of Professors Swezey, Hill and Caldwell from the faculty and Robert Lansing, W. C. Hills, Edna Polk and Edith Henry from the student body. Miss Harriet Dinsmore has been elected superintendent of the young women's department, and Jesse S. Smoyer as superintendent of the young men's department. Any one wishing to do college settlement work or assist the cause in any way should see any of the above or Mr. Fauquet.

The officers of the board are: President, Prof. Swezey; secretary, Miss Edna Polk; treasurer, W. C. Hills. The different organizations of the University which have promised to contribute to the college settlement fund are urged to turn in the required amount as soon as possible to W. C. Hills.

At the last meeting of the board work was begun in arranging the different committees and appointing chairmen of these