

fast ball of any five in the conference during 1907-8.

Arrangements have been made by Manager Landson of Kansas and Manager Eager of Nebraska to play three games for deciding the valley championship in case the Jayhawkers capture the Southern title.

When Captain Heller and Manager Eager receive the candidates Monday it will be with a feeling that the array of material on hand this semester is going to accomplish something that will be a credit to the athletic department of the state school.

After a year ago the indoor squad of base ball candidates had as high as eighty members, that being the largest bunch that ever did indoor training at Nebraska. But this year, according to present indications, the number of aspirants getting out to try for places on the nine will be over 100.

Seven Vets Are Back. The list of candidates this spring will include seven of the eleven "N" men of last year, a letter man, two new aspirants and several classy freshmen aspirants who were probably kept from making good last spring by the first year eligibility rule.

Among the new men who will report for practice Monday will be Hammond, a freshman of last year, who is said to be a star second baseman. He is a good batter and his work will be watched with great interest by the university fans, for if he proves to be a strong man at second he will greatly strengthen the Cornhusker nine at one of the places where it was rather weak in 1908.

Great things are expected of Coach Billy Fox and the Nebraska students are depending on him to put their team back into a winning class. He accomplished as much with the nine last spring as was possible under the circumstances, and had his plans not been upset by the sudden adoption of the first year eligibility rule he undoubtedly would have given the university boys a fast aggregation.

In his coaching of the nine last season he was handicapped by the shortness of the period in which he had charge of the candidates. He was with them only about two weeks and did not learn as much about them as was necessary to produce the most efficient men from the large bunch of ambitious ones. This spring he will be with the Cornhuskers two months.

Manager Eager has experienced a hitch in fixing a date with Ames for a foot ball game in Omaha next fall that may cause the Nebraska manager to drop the Iowa Aggies from his schedule and take on Missouri university in their place. The trouble with Ames arose through the failure of the Aggies to reserve November 13 as the day for the annual game with Nebraska.

Manager Eager had planned on playing Ames on that date, but the Aggie management, without asking him what day he desired, scheduled a game with Iowa for November 13 and informed him that Nebraska could play Ames on November 20.

Manager Eager has arranged another game for November 20 and says his team cannot meet the Aggies on that day. All the dates on the Nebraska schedule, in fact, with the exception of November 12 and Thanksgiving day, are filled. Ames is under contract to play Drake on Turkey day, and in order to get a meeting with the Cornhuskers, will have to accept November 12. Unless the Aggie management will change the date for the game with Iowa and give Nebraska November 13, it is very likely that the strong Ames eleven will have to be dropped from the Cornhusker schedule for at least one season.

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DRISCOLL OUTBOXES ATTELL

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found Attell's mouth. It was Driscoll's round. Second Round—Attell's left went to the stomach and Driscoll jabbed left to mouth. The American ripped right to stomach and sent left to the Englishman's jaw. Driscoll put two lefts on nose and mouth. Jen jabbed three times to the eye and then one on the mouth, which rocked Attell's head. They swapped lefts to head. Driscoll blocked with right and Attell's right not a shade behind. Attell got to the wind with a good left. Attell's round by a shade.

Third Round—Attell's right reached the ear and Driscoll jabbed nose and mouth. Attell sent three lefts to stomach and Driscoll jabbed left to nose and mouth. Jen hooked a left to the eye and battered the stomach with right. Attell blocked two lefts, but Driscoll's right hook landed solidly on the jaw. A swap of lefts on the face was followed by Driscoll's right to the jaw. This staggered the American and Driscoll was in like lightning with three lefts on head. Driscoll's round.

Fourth Round—Jen staggered Attell with a solid right on jaw. Attell rushed, but the Englishman ducked. Driscoll put two lefts to Attell's face and shook him up with a solid right on the ear. Attell reached the stomach with both hands. Jen put Attell's eye with a left and then put the left to the wind. After a break they exchanged lefts on the mouth. Driscoll's right went to Attell's nose and to the mouth. Driscoll's round.

Fifth Round—Attell jabbed left to the nose and Jen put Attell to the ropes with the left on ear. Driscoll hit Attell on the ear with a right which staggered him. Attell ducked a swing Driscoll sent one to the kidney. Jen's left shot to the face and then Attell jarred Jen with a stiff left to the jaw. Both landed short-arm lefts on the head and after a clinch Jen sent left to the bad eye and nose. Driscoll smashed the American's eye three times with his left. Driscoll's round.

Sixth Round—Driscoll blocked a left and hooked a left to Attell's bad eye. Attell jabbed nose with left and Driscoll came back with two lefts to head. Attell hooked two lefts to jaw and showed up a moment and then came back with two sharp lefts on face. Attell's left went to stomach and Driscoll blasted a right on Attell's wind. Driscoll landed left twice on the eye. Attell hooked left on ear and then put two lefts to the face. Jen smashed Attell's eye at the bell. Attell's round.

Seventh Round—Attell's left was blocked, but his right went solid on Jen's head. Driscoll came back with a left on nose and then to the jaw, staggering Attell. Attell battered the stomach and Jen jabbed the left to the mouth. Driscoll walloped the kidneys and then sent three lefts to the eye, nose and mouth. Attell's round.

Eighth Round—Attell's left was blocked and Jen landed a right on head, then a swap of left hooks on face was followed by Driscoll's left to the stomach and a right to the ear. Attell put a left to jaw and crossed a good right on ear. Driscoll darted two lefts to face. Attell replied with a left and right. Jen was short with a left, but after Attell got to the eye with a left, Driscoll landed two lefts lightly on face. Attell put two to the stomach with both hands and they were locked at the bell. Honors even.

Ninth Round—Driscoll rocked Attell's head with a left on mouth and Attell staggered Jen with two left hooks on the jaw. Jen sent left to nose lightly and then to the mouth. Attell jabbed mouth with left and Jen answered in kind. A swap of light lefts on face, then Jen sent a left to the jaw and a right to the ear. Driscoll put left to the stomach and Attell ripped left to the wind. The Englishman put a wicked right on chin and followed with a swing to jaw. Attell clinched and they were hammering the stomach at the bell. Driscoll's round.

Tenth Round—Both men were strong. Jen put a light left on mouth and after a clinch Driscoll sent a left on Attell's bad eye. There was a touch when Driscoll landed on chest and Driscoll hooked a solid left on nose and followed it with a right on ear. Attell's left was checked and Driscoll hammered stomach. Driscoll ducked a wicked swing and they clinched. After the break Jen shot three lefts to the face and Attell clinched and hammered the stomach. Jen sent a left to the mouth. It was Driscoll's round.

The honors of the contest were won by Driscoll. No decision was given by the referee, but it was the opinion of a majority of the members that Driscoll was entitled to the honors.

WHISTERS ELECT OFFICERS

Name O. J. Hoberg of Sioux City as President.

AL DREYFUS OF OMAHA IS VICE

Association Will Hold Forth at the Home Hotel Tonight and Will Up the Annual Whist Tournament.

O. J. Hoberg, Sioux City, president. Al Dreyfus, Omaha, vice president. J. C. Schopp, St. Joseph, secretary. Directors: Charles Bringer, Grand Island; Judge Corcoran, York; R. D. Prosty, Harlan; J. Schmettel, Elk Point; F. W. Lemmon, St. Joseph; C. D. Walters, Council Bluffs.

These officers were elected by the Central Whist association at the annual session Saturday afternoon at the Home Hotel. The reports of the officers were also heard.

The new president, O. J. Hoberg of Sioux City, was called upon for a speech and told of the great growth of the association during the fifteen years he had been a member, he being one of the charter members.

It was midnight last night before the final plays were made at the evening session of the Central Whist association, now holding its annual tournament at the Home Hotel.

The big hall room was given over to the devotees of the game and the contests between the teams and the pair plays went on at the same time, each end of the room being utilized.

There were eight teams entered, Harlan, St. Joseph, Omaha, Grand Island, Council Bluffs, Atlantic, Sioux City and Elk Point, while Fort Dodge and Wakefield are represented in the pair plays.

Council Bluffs came off winner in the team play with a total of four and a half. St. Joseph and Omaha tied for second place with a total of three each, while Harlan, Grand Island and Atlantic followed with two and a half each. Sioux City made two, while Elk Point was compelled to be satisfied with one.

In the pair play Martin and Ellis of Omaha were high with a total of fourteen and five-eighths, while Scribner and Scribner of Omaha came second with twelve and five-eighths. It should be remembered, however, that only two out of three plays have been made, there remaining one more to be decided this afternoon, so that the totals of this part of the contest are not complete.

All published notices to the contrary notwithstanding, women are invited to be present tonight for the free-for-all and will receive a cordial welcome.

Team Scores table with columns for Team, Wins, Losses, and Total Score.

PAIR PLAY. Scribner and Scribner, Omaha, -12 1/2; Libbe and Lemon, St. Joseph, -7 1/2; Parker and Moore, -10 1/2; Carpenter and Corcoran, York, -7 1/2; Reed and Stronan, York, -5 1/2; Shumway and Reid, Wakefield, -1 1/2; Morton and Ellis, Omaha, -1 1/2; Bushman and Bruner, Omaha, -1 1/2; Linberg and Bunquist, Fort Dodge, -1 1/2; Herbert and Heintz, Harlan, -1 1/2; Harland and Schell, York, -1 1/2; Chambers and Harrison, Grand Island, -2 1/2; Reisinger and Harrison, Omaha, -1 1/2; Redick and Morseman, Omaha, -1 1/2; Wickham and Benjamin, Council Bluffs, -1 1/2; Burrell and Cook, Omaha, -1 1/2.

PENN WANTS FOOT BALL COACH

Metzgar Has Refused Reappointment and Smith May Get Place. PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 20.—Sol Metzgar, head coach of last year's Pennsylvania foot ball team, has refused the reappointment to the position tendered him by the foot ball committee. The announcement that Metzgar had again been chosen to lead the coaching forces of the Quakers came as a big surprise to those well versed in the Red and Blue's gridiron affairs, and his subsequent refusal to act in that capacity was the expected development. Metzgar has large business interests in the northwest that will not allow of his sojourning in the east during the autumn coaching of the foot ball squads of his alma mater for such a lengthened period.

It is generally thought that Andy Smith, who achieved a great reputation at fullback on the 1908 eleven, and who assisted in the coaching last year, will be chosen to succeed Metzgar. In the event of Smith not accepting the position, which, however, is regarded as unlikely, Bill Hollenback will probably be the man selected to direct Pennsylvania's gridiron affairs.

Dr. Carl E. Williams, prominent in Red and Blue gridiron circles since the early '90s, has been chosen to succeed John C. Bell, Pennsylvania's representative on the intercollegiate rules committee.

The schedule has not yet been arranged, although Amherst is looked for a game on Franklin field, October 9.

MISS SUTTON WILL GO EAST

Will Have to Learn the Turf Tennis Game Again. NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—The eastern lawn tennis players will pay more attention to the doings of the Pacific coast now that the doubles champions of that section have qualified for the preliminary matches for the national doubles title. The Pacific coast players will have to learn the turf court game if they are to make any sort of showing against the east, west and south.

Miss May Sutton, the former American and English champion, will come east this year and will be seen in action in Philadelphia for the American title. It is unlikely that she will go abroad. Miss Sutton is recorded to have said that the three leading English women players will be here in 1909. At present Miss Sutton is getting ready to compete in the tournament at the Coronado Country club.



AMATEURS TO PLAY BILLIARDS

Invitations Issued to Practically All Well Known Players. NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—In preparation for the class A amateur championship billiard tournament, to be held this spring, invitations have been extended to practically all of the well known amateurs, and in many cases assurances have been given of positive entries as soon as the club holding the tournament can be announced. Requests have been sent to about twenty clubs in the country asking that applications for sanctions for such clubs as have facilities for conducting a big amateur billiard contest be sent at an early date to the tournament committee of the National Association of Amateur Billiard Players, so that full details for the event may be made before March 1, when the entries close. The tournament will probably open toward the end of March and close in April. The championship play will be at eighteen ball line, two shots in, anchor barred, each game to be of 400 points.

Among the prominent class A amateurs to whom invitations to compete have been sent are William P. Foss, Martin Muller, H. E. Wright, C. F. Conklin, J. De Mun Smith, T. M. S. Rolfe, E. W. Gardner, Charles Treslie, J. Byron Stark, J. F. Poggenburg, Dr. L. L. Mial, Dr. A. B. Miller, C. E. Norris, Frank H. Dreher, Arthur R. Townsend, Walter E. Uffenheimer, Clarence L. Jackson, J. E. Cope Morton, Joseph Mayer, Morris E. Brown and C. E. Van Winkle.

The tournament committee, which was elected to conduct the championship, consists of Robert C. Kammerer, chairman, C. D. Colman, James M. Heatherton, Lincoln Brunn, William H. Klenke and Dr. H. D. Jennings.

VIRGINIA HAS STUDENT COACH

Selects Undergraduate from Medical School for Base Ball. CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., Feb. 20.—Rufus J. Reid has been appointed base ball coach of the University of Virginia by the advisory board of the Athletic association. Reid, who is a graduate of Davidson college, is a second year medical student at Virginia. Candidates for the team are already at work and the forty men who have reported are doing good work. The season opens March 15 with Woodberry Forest school, and ends on May 8 with a game with the Army. Yale, Amherst, Pennsylvania and Colgate are all booked for games, as well as other strong college nines.

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JEFF WILL GET CHANCES

(Continued from First Page.) ever happens to be claimant of the championship at that time. If a limited round bout could be arranged in this city promoters stand ready to make it possible for him to earn one of the largest sums ever paid over to a past grand champion.

Cornell Plays in Chicago. ITHACA, N. Y., Feb. 20.—The following foot ball schedule for the season of 1909 has been ratified by the athletic council of Cornell university: October 2, R. P. I. at Ithaca; October 9, Oberlin at Ithaca; October 16, Fordham at Ithaca; October 23, Williams at Vermont at Ithaca; October 30, Williams at Ithaca; November 6, Harvard at Cambridge; November 13, Chicago at Ithaca; November 20, Niagara at Ithaca; November 27, Pennsylvania at Philadelphia.

\*Sunday Games.