

## **Postscript: Eve of Game Day**

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It was the night before a key Big Six football matchup between Missouri and Nebraska. On November 14, 1930, Cornhusker fans gathered for a pre-game rally at the Hotel Lincoln, 143 N. Ninth Street.

One wonders why home team fans would hold their rally at a hotel—for the enlightenment of traveling Missourians, perhaps? More likely the hotel was full of Nebraskans in town to watch the game. In an era of slower travel, an overnight stay in Lincoln would have been a necessity for more in-state fans than today.

The game ended in a 0-0 tie, an even lower-scoring contest than the previous year's 7-7 tie in Columbia, Missouri.

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