

*Ears to You*  
by *Elwood Randol*

**Hagelin Sorrows as Swimmers Bow to Gophers**

Coach Pete Hagelin was greatly discouraged yesterday as he watched his first Cornhusker team bow before Minnesota in the swimming season's opener. The Husker mentor thought that his boys should have done better, but, in view of the fact that Hagelin had to use six sophomores who were swimming in their first intercollegiate meet, the team made a fine showing. Particularly outstanding was the fight put up by Fletcher Spicer who came up with a second in the 220 yard free style. Spicer led the field all of the way but Phillips of Minnesota beat out the Nebraskan by a very close margin at the tape. The Gophers copped a first in every event while Nebraska's highest place was Spicer's second in the 220 free.



Pete Hagelin, Lincoln Journal.

The Gophers won an easy victory over Iowa State last Saturday at Ames. Minnesota captured five firsts and the fancy diving while the Iowans were bettering the Big Six record in the 300 yard medley relay with a time of 3:06.9. Nebraska meets Iowa State Feb. 18.

**Cagers Need Ump.**  
The Husker Cagers needed just a little more "ump" last Saturday night at Norman when the Sooners managed to come from behind to down the Brownemen 50 to 48.



JIMMY MCNATT, Lincoln Journal.

Just as the final gun sounded, Paul Amen let one go from the port side and the pill struck just under the bucket to bounce harmlessly off of the back board. That last shot would have tied up the score and sent the game into an extra period had it been good, but fate decreed otherwise and the Sooners chalked up another victory.

Because most of the team is made up of sophomores, the Norman crew has been dubbed the "Boy Scouts." Despite the name, Oklahoma has remained undefeated so far this year. Teamed with the only senior on the team, Bill Martin, is a quartet of sophomores who are fast and deadly at the hoop. Altho the Huskers managed to hold Sophomore McNatt in check, the high scoring yearling still rang up 11 points during the evening. Lincoln fans will get to see this team in action Wednesday night at the coliseum when the Sooners come here to play the second game of the series.

A news report from Chicago says that Clarence "Brick" Owens, veteran big league umpire, is going to try to educate the sandlot officials. He says that everybody in the park wants to umpire but no one is willing to work at it. Brick was retired by the American league last year after 22 years of service on the diamond. He says that he plans to send these boys that he trains for the sandlot right up the ladder to the major leagues. "It's just like golf," he said. If you start with the right dope, you don't have anything to unlearn."

**Nebraska Drops Chance at Title By Sooner Loss**

**Huskers Take Short Drill Monday in Preparation For Return Game.**

**BIG SIX STANDINGS.**

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Oklahoma	4	0	1000
Kansas	3	1	800
Nebraska	2	3	400
Missouri	2	3	400
Iowa State	2	4	355
Kansas State	1	4	200

**GAMES THIS WEEK.**  
Monday—Kansas vs. Kansas State at Lawrence.  
Wednesday—Oklahoma vs. Nebraska at Lincoln.  
Thursday—Kansas State vs. Oklahoma at Manhattan.  
Friday—Nebraska vs. Missouri at Columbia; Iowa State vs. Kansas State at Manhattan.

Nebraska's Cornhusker basketball team, now definitely out of the picture as far as conference championship is concerned, took a short workout against the freshmen squad last night in preparation for their game Wednesday night with the Oklahoma Sooners. On Saturday they travel to Columbia, Mo., to tangle with the Tigers for the second time this season.

As the squad worked out last night, lanky Elmer Dohrmann was occupying the forward spot opposite veteran Paul Amen. All during the season Bill Kovanda and Grant Thomas have been alternating as starters at the position but Dohrmann stepped out on the recent trip and outshined his two younger rivals.

Lloyd Grimm was in Al Werner's regular guard position when Werner failed to attend practice because of a slight cold. He will probably be on the court Wednesday against Oklahoma.

Working on the second five last night were Dow Wilson and Grant Thomas, forwards; Bob Elliott,

center; Bill Kovanda and Frank Tallman, guards.

**NORMAN.**—Whether the University of Oklahoma's "kid" basketball team is just a strong sophomore aggregation that will not reach its greatest development until the next two seasons, or is powerful enough right now to win or tie for the Big Six championship will be largely determined this week.

Coach Hugh McDermott's team will travel to Lincoln, Neb., for a crucial return game Wednesday with Coach Harold Browne's Nebraska Cornhuskers in a contest that should draw more than 7,000 people.

Meanwhile Coach McDermott is giving his reserves an exhaustive schooling in the Sooner quick-breaking style and also the Sooner screening maneuvers so that Oklahoma will have adequate man power for the strenuous action ahead.

"This Oklahoma kid club of Mac's is by far away the fastest basketball team I ever tried to stay up with in my 16 years of basketball officiating," panted John B. Old, one of the officials at the Kansas State-Oklahoma basketball game at Norman last Monday night as he relaxed in the official's dressing room after the conflict.

**HUSKER NUBBINS TANGLE WITH WESLEYAN TONIGHT**

**'B' Basketeers Meet Flashy Peru, Wayne, Squads This Week.**

Nebraska's Nubbins tangle with the fast Wesleyan U. basketball team tonight on the Wesleyan court. This will be the first meeting of the year for these two teams.

Tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, the "B" basketeers tackle the Peru Bobcats. Peru is the only team which has defeated the Nubbins this year. The teachers suffered their first defeat in 11 starts at the hands of the Hastings college quint by a 44 to 36 count in a game played Saturday night. Tomorrow's game should be one of the best home games of the year for the B team.

Friday night, the B's meet Wayne college on the Wayne floor.

Wilbur Knight, Nubbins coach, is developing a reputation for coolness. Howard Baxter of Kearney says that during the exciting Nubbins Kearney game which the Huskers won 48 to 47, Knight scarcely moved and never changed facial expressions.

**Gymnasts Meet Gopher, Hawkeye Teams Tonight**

The Nebraska gymnastics team will compete with teams from Iowa and Minnesota in a triangular meet tonight at Iowa City, Iowa. The Nebraska squad will be made up of Roy Prodriffitt, Pete Kreisler, Bill Leask, Donald Glass and Gaius Cadwell. The Iowa squad won the Big Ten championship in gymnastics last year.

**HUSKER MERMEN DROP DUAL SWIM TILT TO GOPHERS**

**Minnesota Squad Splashes To Victory With 53 Point Lead.**

With six inexperienced sophomores and one senior, Nebraska was unable to cope with the powerful Minnesota splash squad, and lost the dual swimming meet yesterday 64 to 11.

A very small crowd with little enthusiasm watched as Minnesota took first in all nine events and allowed Nebraska only two second places in the entire meet, the rest of Nebraska's points being confined to third places.

**Credit to Hagelin.**

Credit must be given to Coach Hagelin for whipping these sophomores into shape for their first intercollegiate meet. Fletcher Spicer, Nebraska dash man, looked especially good. Had he not eased up and coasted to the finish in the 220 free style event, Spicer would have maintained his lead and beat out Phillips of Minnesota. Dick Leask was also outstanding on the Nebraska team but he was unable to outdrive Klun of Minnesota, who took sixth in the National Intercollegiate Swimming meet last year in diving.

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**Y.W.C.A. TO INSTALL NEW CABINET TODAY**

**Winifred Nelson Conducts Initiatory Ceremonies In Ellen Smith.**

Y. W. C. A. vespers will dedicate its services this afternoon to formal installation of new cabinet members. Winifred Nelson, retiring president of the campus organization, will officiate.

Frances Scudder will direct the devotional period as a prelude to the initiatory ceremony in which old members turn over their offices and duties to newly appointed successors. The vesper choir under the direction of Maxine Federle and accompanied by Tex Rozelle Rounds, will sing the professional, recessional and special hymn, "Great Master Teach Us."

**UNIVERSITY GLEE CLUB SINGS BETWEEN HALVES**

The University Mens Glee club will make a special appearance between halves of the Oklahoma basketball game tomorrow night. William Temple, director of the 50 singers promises a very entertaining program.

A new descant arrangement of "Hail Varsity" will be the feature of the program. This will be sung by six members of the group, and was arranged especially for this occasion by Wilbur Chenoweth, composer of the piece.

Duane Harmon, trumpeter, will be the guest soloist on the program. He will be accompanied by Vee Louise Marshall. Dick Dougall will accompany the singers.

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