

Cornhusker foes present big array of stars

Jacobs, Hursh, Christman to bear watching

Satelites of last year develop into triple threat artists

By Bill Flory.

While Coach Biff Jones and his Nebraska Cornhuskers are busily preparing for the season campaign, several other Big Six teams, as well as non-conference teams, are grooming star studded lineups which show all indications of giving the Scarlet and Cream several bothersome Saturday afternoons.

Leading the assault on the sod of Memorial stadium will be Pitchin' Paul Christman, our neighbor from the "show me" state of Missouri. If not bothered by that slow mending baseball injury of last summer, the Blond Bomber of Columbia is slated to pick up where he left off last term.

In addition, Paul added accurate kicking and a thirst for scampering goalward and six points. Out ahead of Paul there is destined to be another guard of the Waldorf variety, Jack Crocker, 180 pounds of crushing power reminds Missourians of Waldorf with his sparkling downfield blocking.

Jacobs—Fleet Indian.

The Creek Indian tribe has donated the services of another of the clan in the person of Jack Jacobs, who has followed Stadium Stadium to Oklahoma. Nebraskans last fall saw a closely watched Jacobs on the throwing end of the only Sooner points in that game in which the Huskers did about as they pleased.

The Cornhuskers tour northward to Minnesota where they will have their hands full holding down George Franck and Bruce Smith. Franck is a speedster who runs the century in 9.7.

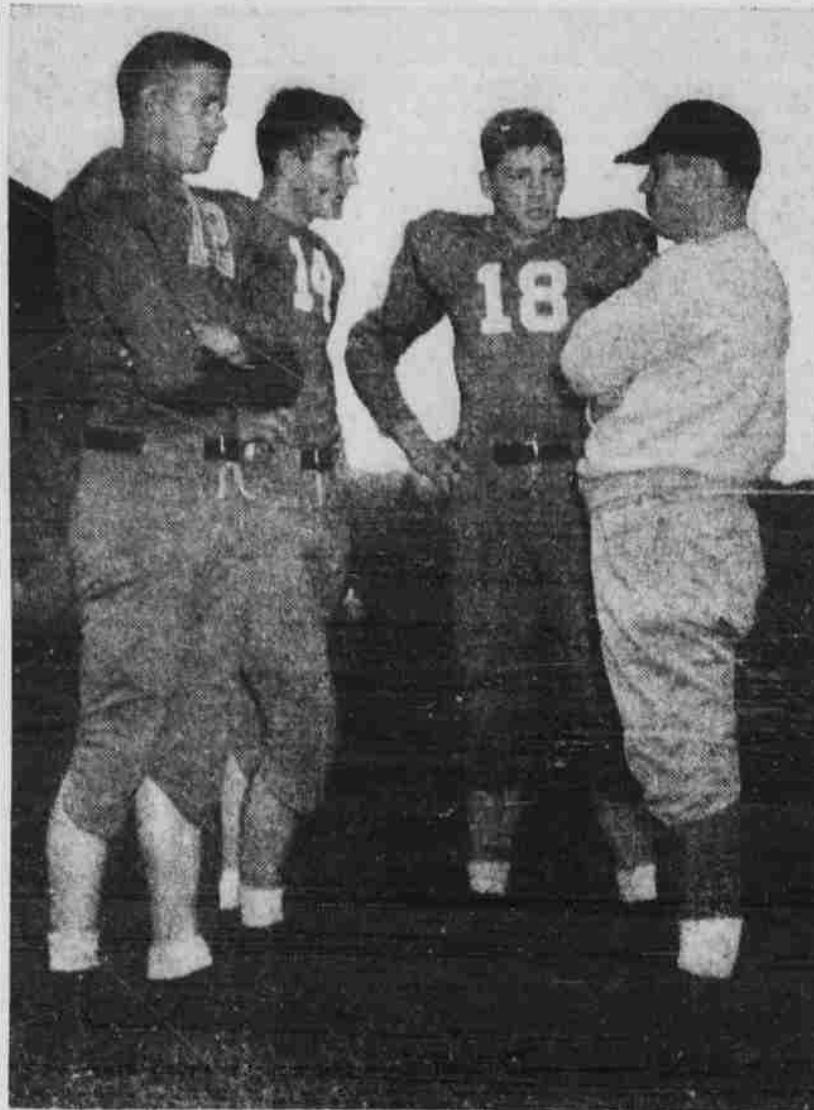
Franck also averaged a trifle over five yards per try in piling up a total of 392 yards in 1939. For a little deception the Minnesotans will back Franck with Bruce Smith, a triple threat of the old school. Six foot one and 190 pounds all of which spells thunder on the gridiron—that's Smith.

A nemesis to power plays in the line will be Iron Mike Enich, left tackle deluxe of Iowa. A great aid to Nile Kinnick last term, Mike is sure to be springing fleet backs such as Bill Green and Al Couppee into enemy pay dirt.

Harold Hursh of Indiana, like Christman, throws a mean ball at receiving ends. Harold completed on the average of 118 yards per game last fall and this year reports have it that he will be better than ever.

The mighty men of Pitt, altho not as mighty as they once were,

End prospects report



Shown above are two end candidates and a guard prospect reporting to Coach W. H. Browne during a practice session. Left to right are Jerry Kathol, Hartington; Charley Duda, South Sioux City; Francis Greenleaf, Hastings, and Coach Browne. The former two are the new wingmen.

have a mighty mite in young Edgar Jones. Ed had his mind on big league baseball last fall and as a result proved a disappointment to the Panther fans. A flyer on the order of Goldberg, Jones is set on making up for lost time this fall.

Kansas State will present Kent Duwe for post season honors. Duwe easily filled the shoes of "One Man Gang" Hackney last term. Iowa State boasts of Tomny Smith, a worthy rival of Paul Christman should the latter show signs of slipping in repartee. Ralph Miller is the Kansas pride and joy.

Prof. Moritz reports 37 get teacher placements

Prof. R. D. Moritz, director of the university's bureau of educational service, reports the following teacher placements:
Reinhold Rine, Holmesville.
Hazel Powell, Friend.
Catherine Jensen, Amhurst, Ill.
Jean Hunter, Edgar.
Elizabeth Bartling, Omaha.
Elsie Danek, Phillips.
Franklin Johnson, Randolph.
Ivan Lux, Burwell.
Eleanor Hessheimer, Lakeside.
Nadene Arnold, North Bend.

Helen Palmer, Elgin, Ill.
Doris Ripley, Hooper.
Maris Wiebe, Liberty.
Beulah Geyer, Tecumseh.
Vera Graf, Fairbury.
Doris Sweeney, Walton.
C. E. Thomas, Lincoln.
Mary Cartney, Milford, Ia.
S. B. Shively, Crete, Neb., Doane college.
Maurice Pool, McCook.
Lettie Hatcher, Palmer.
Lois Strobocker, Newman Grove.
Evelyn Best, Grafton.
Evelyn Scholz, North Platte.
Marshall Hickey, Uni. of Neb.
J. Lowell Brown, Holyoke, Colo.
Irene Eilmerier, Arapahoe.
Neil Kunkle, Schuyler.
E. W. Friesen, Fish Creek Cons.
Maurine Sandy, Butte.
Zelma Waldo, O'Neill.
Mrs. Eleanor Mook, Closter.
Dorothy Aldrich, Holmesville.
Caroline Clark, Shenandoah, Ia.
Louise Oddo, Madison.
Lawrence Salsow, Spring Valley, Ill.
Charlotte Snyder, Butte.

The Pan-American Student Chain is sponsoring an automobile caravan tour of Mexico this summer.

Veterans fill Husker shoes at all posts

Sophomores have best chances at end, guard, fullback

Eyes of Cornhusker football fans will be focused again not on one football team but two and three Husker elevens. As last year, Coach Biff Jones intends to use two teams and the third will be largely composed of sophomores.

Those not familiar with the Jones style of employing gridders will find that the Biffer uses two teams. The distinction between the first and second teams is very slim as Jones uses the two elevens interchangeable each quarter during the course of a game.

And this year, the Biffer may send in his third team (sophomores) as a complete unit in many of the grid battles.

Two "first" teams.

The two "first" teams are not entirely selected but it appears that only a few sophomores will be playing on the first two elevens.

Best chances for apprentices to crowd out veterans for positions are at end, guard and fullback.

Graduation depleted the flankmen—George Seemann and Jack Ashburn departed—and untried Burdette Wertman and Marvin Thompson (ex-backfield performer) are high in the rankings of the wingmen.

Four vets at tackle.

The tackle spots will be hard to break into with Clarence Herndon, Forrest Behm, Royal Kahler and Leonard Muskin returning but Vic Schleich, Francis Leik, Bob McNutt and Ralph Whitehead will keep the veterans on the alert.

As for the guards, the Huskers will probably have the best protectors of the middle of the line in the middlewest. Warren Alfson received All-American mention last year and Juniors Ed Schwartzkopf and George Abel are on a par with the best in the conference.

Newcomers to the guard ranks will be found in Francis Greenleaf, Herb Von Goetz and Lynn Myers scrapping for regular positions.

Good centers in service.

At the pivot post, Bob Burruss and Fred Meier are returning lettermen, while Howard Kelly and Bob Bonahoom will fight it out for the third center spot.

The quarterbacking will be handled by Seniors Roy Petsch,

1940 Football Schedule.	
Oct. 5—	Minnesota at Minneapolis.
Oct. 12—	Indiana U. at Lincoln.
Oct. 19—	Kansas U. at Lawrence.
Oct. 26—	Missouri at Lincoln.
Nov. 2—	Oklahoma at Norman.
Nov. 9—	Iowa at Lincoln.
Nov. 16—	Pittsburgh at Pittsburgh.
Nov. 23—	Iowa State at Lincoln.
Nov. 28—	Kansas State at Lincoln.

George Knight and Theos Thompson. Sophomores showing great promise are Fred Metheny and Bob Cooper.

The halfbacks are knee-deep in experience. And what halfbacks! Herman Rohrig, Harry Hopp, Walter Luther and Bob Kahler are lettermen. Up from the freshmen ranks come Dale Bradley, Don Rubottom, Marvin Athey, Wayne Sindt and Jack Vincent demanding attention.

Fullbacks will also be in abundance with the list headed by Vike Francis and Henry Rohn, junior lettermen. Wayne Blue, Allen Zikmund and Ken Simmons will be vying for regular line-blasting duty. The latter is a junior letterman.

Freshmen finish tests, to start conferences

Freshmen completed the first lap of their first year at the university Saturday as they took the last of four classification tests in the coliseum. Tests in English, mathematics, scholastic aptitudes, reading and study skills were given to more than 1,500 freshmen. This is the first time that these tests have been administered to all members of an entering class at the same time.

All tests will be graded and results will be available to faculty advisors when they meet with freshmen for individual conferences during registration Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday.

Saye accepts position on Doane College faculty

John B. Saye of Vilonia, Ark., who has been a graduate assistant doing part-time teaching in economics at the university, has accepted an appointment to teach economics at Doane college, Crete, beginning this fall, according to announcement by the bizad college office.

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