'Biff' called for army duty

Husker grid mentor goes to War College

BY CHRIS PETERSEN.

The proverbial potpourri of fate cooked up a wicked stew for Nebraska football of the 1941 vintage yesterday when Major "Biff" Jones opened his morning mail to find himself once again in the army.

With his orders tucked under his arm, the "Biffer" will board a train Wednesday for the Army College in Washington, leaving behind him a large question mark in the troubled minds of every grid-fan in Husker land. The number one query on sports pages over the country is WHO will take over the coaching reins at a school noted for its consistently good elevens.

Complete surprise.

Jones said the orders to report for active duty came as a complete surprise to him. "I expected to be called sometime, but I had not planned on receiving my papers for at least a year," remarked the Nebraska mentor of four years past.

The board of regents, through Chancellor Boucher will open applications for the coaching position. Until that time, when a successor is chosen for the army's gift to football, Assistant Coach Roy "Link" Lyman will be in charge of spring practice.

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Feetballer . . .

'Biff' shakes team well before using

By Bill Palmer.

In a drastic shift of players during a 17 hour scrimmage Monday Coach "Biff" Jones changed the position of every man on the squad.

Bob McNutt, 250 pound first string tackle, was shifted to left halfback where his open field running and speed can best be displayed.

Vike Francis requested and was granted the right to play center because the Count said, "I feel that I'm in the limelight too much when I play as fullback and the publicity attached does not agree with my modest and retiring nature."

46-50 or fight.

Jones said that he plans to follow the two team system next year and that he has some new candidates including Gen Harmon, Ann Thomas and Flossie Perkins. With these players the team will have the best lines seen on the Cornhusker turf in man years.

Injuries in the Monday scrimmage were numerous due to the fact that the student managers had left all the university athletic equipment in a local pawn shop. Besides the equipment the managers took 23 cents and Francis' false teeth.

A stitch in time!

Because he is aided by a cast on his broken right hand, Jack Hazen, end candiate, was transferred to the backfield to star as a right-handed passer.

Present for the drill was Eddie Schwartskopf, stellar guard who is with the National Guard at Fort Robinson, Ark. Ed sneaked out of camp for practice and said that he would leave the fort a.w.o.l every day so that he might compete with the Cornhuskers.

Casualties and injuries in the scrimmage included: Major Jones, seven ribs and a little toenail; Charlie Chaplin, a nazi moustache; Wayne Blue, his color; Clarence Herndon, a dislocation and double fracture of the hzexhopteficsowhat; and 911 other players too dead to mention.

Track team tyros trek tediously to Timbucktoo

Somewhere on the plains of northern Africa is the ultimate goal of Coach Ed Weir and his Nebraska cindermen as they go on their westward trek in April.

Present plans for the entourage call for a chartered train, bus, liner, China clipper, row boat and pogo stick to carry 711 Scarlet and Milk trackmen, the varsity band, thousands of loyal students and alumni, and my Aunt Emma on the trip.

Who does your laundry?

The Weirymen will compete with track teams from Bruning high school; the University of Utah; the Reno SFUWWATTW WFD, the Society for Unhappy Wives Whiling Away the Time While Waiting For Decrees; the University of California; the Honolulu Home for Unmarried Mothers; and a special race across the African desert with the fleeing Italian army.

Weir seemed confident of success in all the meets despite the fact that Gene Littler broke his legs yesterday and Dean T. J. Thompson declared the whole team ineligible.

Contained herein is an open letter on a closed subject

Dear Public
(Both of you)

By the grace of God and a longhandled spoon, your exsports editor has finally regained his eligibility level.

During the past few weeks, yours truly has been diligently and enthusiastically catching up on his studies to regain the favor of the eligibility high moguls.

Pain-staking studying and deep research work, that nearly planted one J. Evinger in the ranks of the Phi Beta Kappas, brought about this reversal of form and planted once again yours truly on this hyar page.

Those late nights were the firing of the old scholastic spirit. The midnight oil was burned overtime. It was eat, sleep, and think studies all the time. No more horse-play or time-outs for a momentary "coke." It was all business and no play. This "Jack" is now a dull boy (as the old saying goes) but once again we are in the good graces of the eligibility censors.

It was an uphill battle all the way. The first test was really rough. But from then on the work became easier. The more study, the easier the work became.

Gone are those cruises around the campus (and the library). It's study, study, study and more editing the sports page again.

Ah, what a feeling to be elegible again. Nothing like this studying dear reader(s). It's the life. More of us ought to try it. Well, move over ol' Christy Petersen, we're moving back in again.

Yours truly,
Jim Evinger.

Ed's note: If you believe this, you too should be scholastically ineligible!

All in fun!

All of the articles on this page are untruthful, wicked lies, and stretchings of the truth. Anything for a laugh, even if it comes to tickling ourselves to death.

An eye on Girls Sports

By Dorothy Martin

Formal announcement has been made that the gym department has extended its curriculum to include wrestling for woman. Present plans include Ruth Mathers as referee for the bouts which will begin next Friday with regular gym classes.

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Mary Rosborough has recently added another name to her collection of gym acrobatic titles. She is now conductress of a local choir.

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Jeanette Mickey was asked to resign as WAA president. Reasons for the requested resignation were stated to be as follows:

1. Lack of interest in WAA and sports.
2. Frivolous conduct on the campus which is not fitting to position which she held.
3. Inability to cooperate with university authorities.

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Miss Montgomery has announced her intentions of ceasing work on her masters degree. It is either spring picnics or a coach.

Yanks lose Joe Gordon to UN nine

"I am somewhat encouraged" was the reaction of Coach Wilbur Knight to the announcement of Joe Gordon, New York Yankee second baseman, that he had been waived by his club and planned to enroll at Nebraska.

Tempus fugits.

Through underhanded subsidization, consisting of an annual salary of $20,000 per annum, the university acquired the Yank player. Big Six officials agreed to ignore the professional experience of Gordon, a former U. of Washington student, so that Nebraska would have someone on their team from out of the state.

Daily tennis critic reveals diary content

By Duke Schatz.

Nebraska's tennis chances have been greatly bolstered by the announcement that Joe Hunt, Naval academy, and ranked around number six in the amatur field, has quit the navy due to boredom and will attend Nebraska university for the remnants of this semester. Oklahoma, here we come...Coach McBride in a bloody and profane match downed Hemsworth and Ankeny in a doubles match. McBride could find no net man to play with him, so wicked are his services. It was a close match, but McBride finally outpointed his opponents, 11-9, 8-10, 15-13. (McBride was later reported resting easily at General hospital.)

Let's go on a picnic!

John Huston threatened to leave school Friday unless he was declared eligible, so his ban was lifted. After a four hour conference headed by a doubles team we all have heard of, Thompson, and Boucher, Huston realizing his advantage whate with such a dire threat, gained his point...Oklahoma has agreed to use a three man team against the Huskers, and so make the Nebraska boy's chances of winning at least fifty-fifty. Their water boy, it was announced, will play number three position.

The villain dies.

Paul Krasne, promising candidate, because of his ability as a huge and savage ping-ponger has been granted the right to use a ping-pong paddle on the courts. Paul is also working on a few of his pong famous frat brothers to try out for the team...That Fairbury flash, Bob Krause, checked out his equipment Saturday and is already a contender for the number one spot...When asked their opinions in a tennis interview recently, most every one had to say, "it's quite a racket"—we didn't go any further.

Pesek takes UN wrestling coach reins

John Pesek, Nebraska's perenial heavyweight wrestling champion, has been named to the Cornhusker coaching staff, the board of regents announced Monday night.

The Tigerman will take over head duties of the grappling team as soon as the wrestlers complete their 1941 season under the sponsorship of Jerry Adam.

Remember the Alamo.

The wrestlers are now defending their national title at Lehigh, Pa. The meet is over for the collegiate title, but the grapplers are still defending themselves.

That is, the grapplers have their collective shoulders to the mat and are taking on all comers. Herb "The Blimp" Jackman, the 250 pound blood-sweating behemoth, is a sure bet for national honors.

George Seeman, 1940 Husker heavyweight, graduated and Jackman is triumphantly on his way to defend the former footballer's crown.

Sloan–

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moreover predict that the action by the FBI agents comes too late, and that nothing will now be able to prevent the submersion of our civilization in a bloody halocast of international war this spring. The confessions of Grant Reed, associate to Sloan in the cause reveals, that Sloan has already tipped Hitlef off on the success of his tactics against the Greeks a year ago, and has had much to do with Der Fuehrers Greek belligerency of the past few weeks. Reed was helping the cause, it was rumored, by instigating a split in the pro-Greek factions.

Plot smells in Washington.

FBI investigators announced that the University of Nebraska has more subversive activity among its students than any other of the institutions studied. Information on the conditions here came to their attention they declared because of the peculiar odor from our mail observed by them in their offices in Washington.

University of Minnesota has 1,756 teachers on its academic staff and 1,317 employes in the various divisions of its non-academic staff.

Talk–

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ordained in the Presbyterian ministry in 1917 and joined the faculty of the Presbyterian Theological seminary in 1920. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Tau Kappa Alpha, and has contributed to a number of journals including Religious Education, Christian Century, Journal of Religion, and Religion In Life.

Dr. Charles F. Wishart, president of the College of Wooster at Wooster, O., will give the baccalaureate sermon at the university on June 8.

An intercontinental highway linking the U. S. with southernmost South America is advocated by a University of Texas engineer, who claims the U. S.-Panama leg can be built for $38,000,000.

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