

Trackmen Prepare For Meet

With a triangular meet involving the Huskers, Oklahoma and Kansas State slated for the indoor track under the east stadium on Feb. 19, 16 UN trackmen are working out nightly under the supervision of Coach Ed Weir. Weir is pleased with the turnout thus far but feels that there are other boys in school who intend to come out but are delaying till after finals. These fellows should report at once, Ed feels, since they will hardly have time to round into shape if they turn out as late as Feb. 1.

Hollins Takes On Weights

Cheering news to Weir is word that big Buzz Hollins, center on the Husker cage squad, intends to double-up on his athletic chores and perform as a weight man on the cinder team. Hollins, Valley strong boy, will give the Scarlet badly needed strength in the weight events. The work of Norval Barker, speedy timber topper, and word that La Verne Curry, quarter miler, and Dick Miller, Fairbury pole vaulter, are registering for the second semester further brightens cinder squad hopes. Barker promises to develop into a real point getter, and Weir expects equally good work from Curry and Miller, who has several 12-foot vaults to his credit.

Boys checking out equipment thus far are Dean Kratz, Norval Barker, Jack Well, Carroll Loudon, George Johnson, Kenneth Veon, Ed Smith, James L. Warner, Frank Mech, Richard Petty, Lyle Kops, Paul Hanson, Kenneth Rivvett, Ted Treece, Kent Kratz, and Bill Stewart.

Hospital . . .

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A money consideration of \$5,000 a year for the 99 year period is provided for in the lease. However, as stated in the lease, the principal consideration involved is the mutual benefit which will accrue to the parties to the lease. A children's memorial hospital is to be built upon the leased premises, which is a part of the campus of the university college of medicine in Omaha, as soon as may be possible at a minimum cost with equipment of not less than \$200,000.

Used for Education.
This location of the hospital will be of great value and assistance to the college of medicine in the teaching and advancing of medical education and in addition will assist in providing facilities for the medical and surgical care of children.

Provided for in the lease is that the hospital will be maintained at the expense of the corporation which is building the Children's Memorial hospital and that at the termination of the lease or any extension thereof, all permanent buildings, improvements, equipment and furniture become the property of the board of regents.

Boucher Praises Plan.
Chancellor C. S. Boucher said: "The Children's Memorial hospital will be a magnificent agency for the conservation and development of society's greatest assets—its youth. There has long been an

Lt. Dale Garrels, Ex-Husker Downs 4 German Aircraft

With four German planes to his credit and the Air Medal with six clusters gleaming on his tunic, Lt. Dale Garrels, distance runner on UN track team in '38, '39, and '40, returned to the campus this week, fresh from the fierce air fighting of the Sicilian and Italian campaigns. Dale, recently nominated for the Distinguished Flying Cross, is a veteran of 59 combat missions and, flying a Mustang A-36 fighter-bomber, took part in the bitter dog-



From Lincoln Journal. Dale Garrels.

urgent need for such an agency in Nebraska. The members of the board of regents and of the board of directors of the Children's Memorial hospital have shown great wisdom and statesmanship in arranging an affiliation and close-operating relationship that will be of great value to both institutions in rendering public service in the immediate future and for generations to come.

"There are many instances of such affiliations of long standing between memorial hospitals and university schools of medicine. Experience has shown that in each instance each of the affiliating institutions has obtained increased advantages and has been able to give better service than could otherwise have been possible except by the expenditure of greater sums of money for buildings, equipment and operation. The patients, the professional staffs, the medical students and the public will all benefit materially by the affiliation of the two institutions that has been arranged thru their controlling boards."

Election . . .

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of freshman cabinet and in charge of the "Tiny Y" and Hazel Stearn, head of the office staff, on the cabinet and formerly at one of the Estes conferences, are the two candidates for regional representative, YWCA delegate to the district council and representative of the university at YM and YW conferences thruout the year.

Candidates for secretary are Chita Hill, head of upperclassmen leadership training group and a member of the cabinet, and Jean Whedon of the freshman cabinet and secretary of the YW cabinet. The only nominee on the election slate for the office of treasurer is Dorothy Carnahan, freshman cabinet member, this year's treasurer, and member of the YW cabinet.

Voters Need Cards.
To be eligible for voting, YW members must present their blue membership cards. Miss Barbara Arnold will be in her office Tuesday to issue cards to members who have not yet received them. Jane Dalthorp, this year's president, urges all members to vote.

The nominating committee was made up of three senior officers, one member at large, a member of the advisory board, and the general secretary.

fighters which pushed the Luftwaffe from Italian skies and helped secure the Salerno beach-head for the Fifth Army.

It was in this air-fighting over Salerno that Dale knocked down two Focke-Wulf's on his most successful single mission. Swarmed by nine German planes as he pulled up from a successful dive-bombing of German installations, he knocked down two of them, crippled a third, then high-tailed it for home. "When I discovered that I had lost my squadron-mates and was fighting all those Heinties alone," says Dale in telling of the dog-fight, "I thought I'd better get out of there, and quick."

Bags Messerschmitt.

Extremely modest, Dale is reluctant to talk of his battle experiences, such as his victory over a Messerschmitt in a scrap north of Naples. After considerable prompting, Dale revealed that in this battle he shot the Messerschmitt off the tail of one of his squadron-mates. "We were scattered all over the sky after bombing our target and one of our boys didn't see this M.E. coming up behind him, so I moved in and shot the German down" is the modest way Dale puts it. His fourth victim was a German observation plane, shot down after the bitter fighting at Salerno.

At Messina in the Sicilian campaign, Lt. Garrels was part of a flight which sank an enemy cruiser, two destroyers, and several merchant ships. On another mission, this one off the Italian coast, he and three companions sank five torpedo boats and an ammunition ship, with the ex-Husker athlete accounting for two of the torpedo boats with his accurate strafing. Another outstanding mission in which Dale took part was the knocking out of the German high command's headquarters at Salerno.

Salerno Fighting Tough.

"The fighting at Salerno was really rugged, the hardest going I ran into," said Dale. "The German lines were only half a mile from our air-field on the beach, and every time we took off or landed, we were dead ducks for the German ack-ack batteries." On one occasion Dale and his squad-mates stopped a German tank attack less than half a mile from their field.

At the university, Dale majored in Business Administration, receiving his degree in June of '41. He was a member of conference championship track squads in '38, '39, and '40, and ran on the cross-country team which copped the Big Six crown in the fall of '40. After his graduation, he went to California to work, enlisting in the Army Air Corps in August of 1941. Called in December, he took his flight training in Texas, was sent over-seas in time to "get bombed at the end of the Tunisian campaign." Then followed his outstanding action in Sicily and Italy.

Lt. Garrels reports to Santa Monica, California about February 1, there to await further assignment.



Second Guessing with Harold W. Andersen

The Oklahoma Aggies' sound thrashing of their strong rivals from Oklahoma university last week advances the Aggies a step further along the road to national honors. On their recent eastern jaunt, the Plow-Jockeys beat the best clubs in the east, and their only loss thus far has been a close decision to the powerful Norman Naval Station Zoomers. The Aggies have one of the best squads in the history of Hank Iba's reign as head coach and should rank on the very top of the heap when national laurels are distributed. Coach Bruce Drake of Oklahoma U., in fact, thinks that no ordinary college team belongs on the same floor with the potent Aggies. After the 59-40 beating which his charges received at the hands of

the Plow-Jockeys, we can't say that we blame Bruce for feeling as he does.

Lt. Dale Garrels and Lt. Bill Smutz, team-mates on the powerful Husker track squads of pre-war years, had a great reunion last week, when both were visiting the campus on leave. Both Bill and Dale are Army pilots, and Dale has already been on 59 combat missions in the southern European theater at the controls of an A-36 fighter-bomber. Bill, who pilots a B-24 Liberator bomber, has thus far seen service only within the U. S.

ODDS AND ENDS: Chicago University's hapless Maroons had their one-game winning streak, their longest record of consecutive wins in the past two years, snapped recently by DePaul University, the Blue Demons winning by the prodigious margin of 70-26. Looks as if DePaul is trying to de-emphasize basketball at Chicago U., eh, Mabel?

Russ Leger, 6' 4" Husker eager, holds a full-time job as an announcer at a local radio station, in addition to carrying a heavy scholastic load and filling a center spot on the Scarlet squad.

The Big Six indoor track and field meet will be held in Kansas City again this year, with Saturday, February 26, set as the date of the annual event.

Recital . . .

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Minor, Opus 10, No. 12; F Minor; E Flat Major, Opus 10, No. 11; G Sharp Minor, Opus 25, No. 6; and A Minor, Opus 25, No. 11.

Four selections of Brahms will compose the third part of the program, presented by Miss Dean and Mrs. Cole. The selections are "O wusst' ich doch den Weg zuruck," "Wie bist du' meine Konigin," "Der Gang zum Leibchen" and "Botschaft."

Intramural Basketball Starts On Coliseum Boards Tuesday

Intramural basketball gets under way this week, with games scheduled for the Coliseum on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday nights. This week will see the completion of the first round, which is more or less of a warm-up, according to intramural director Gordie Ehlers. Competition will begin in earnest after exam week, during which no games will be played. Ehlers, in announcing the schedule for the opening round, drew attention to the fact that players must furnish their own

equipment. In the standings for the semester thus far, the A.T.O.'s still hold first place, with a 235 points to their credit. Sig Chi's are second with 200 points, closely followed by the Sig Nu-Z.B.T. combination with 185.

Point Standings to Date.

1. A.T.O.	235
2. Sig Chi	200
3. Sig Nu-Z.B.T.	185
4. Phi Gamma	160
5. Beta Sig	160
6. Sig Eta	150
7. Theta Xi	135
8. Betas	135

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