

Sports Talk

It's easy to see why Kansas State has one of the top cage teams in the nation. Teamwork seems to be the Wildcats' specialty, with every man doing his share of the scoring. And when one of the starting five goes out of the game, there's an equally capable replacement for him. Incidentally, this year's Wildcat team is the same as last year's, with one exception. Shannon is the lone newcomer.

Gerald Tucker, great center on last year's Oklahoma cage quintet, holds the Big Seven individual scoring mark of 175 points in ten conference games. Tucker was named last season's "player of the year" by the Helms Foundation. The 6'4" cager now plays basketball for the Phillips "66" Oilers, six-time National A.A.U. champion.

One of the season's lows in basketball scoring comes from a high school game in Iowa. Hinton defeated Liberty Consolidated, 6-3. Neither team took a shot at the basket during the entire last half. The referees drank pop and ate sandwiches during the final two stanzas.

On the other hand, one of the season's highs in scoring comes from Ohio where Rio Grande, Ohio downed Wilberforce university, 118-116, in three overtime periods. The score was 104-all when the regular playing time ended. High scorer for the game was Rio Grande's Newt Oliver with 59 points, 23 of them free throws. Three University of Nebraska freshmen were among the nation's top high school track men last spring. Fritz Davis had the top discuss effort in the country, a throw of 167'7"; Leonard Kehl pole vaulted 12'9-7/8" to rank third among vaulters; and Bill Mountford ran a 4:26.2 mile, the country's fifth best time. Mountford and Kehl are frosh track candidates. Timothy Patrick is a new addition to the Neal Mosser family. The 8 lbs., 4 oz. boy was born on his basketball papa's birthday, Jan. 18.

The situation concerning varsity athletics and intramural athletics was brought to the front last week when one of Nebraska's top track men was injured playing intramural basketball. Before the last war, an intramural team was looked down upon if it used a varsity man.

If the University of Nebraska is to regain its high position in intercollegiate athletics, the fraternities and independent organizations must co-operate. These groups must take it upon themselves to abide by the unwritten rule of varsity men for varsity competition only.

FRITZ SIMPSON, Sports Editor.

REPORTERS.

Editor Jack Hill will interview all students who wish to be Daily Nebraskan reporters every afternoon beginning Wednesday at 1:00 at the Daily Nebraskan office.

Nubbins Five Nudges Frosh Crew 45-43

The Nubbins basketball team capped a long period of steady improvement Saturday night as they defeated the Freshmen crew, 45-43, in the Coliseum as a preliminary to the Nebraska-Kansas State Big Seven game.

It was a close game all the way as the score see-sawed until the final minute. The Frosh got off to a commanding early lead, but the Nubbins quickly made a comeback and led 32-30 at intermission.

Long Bob Pierce led the Freshmen in the second half with his rebound work, while Jack Pesek showed improvement to add to the Nubbins' attack. Thurman Wright was the outstanding ball-handler of the game and led both teams in scoring with 12 points.

The summary:

Freshmen	fg	ft	pf	pts
Reiling, f	4	0-2	5	8
Malacek, f	3	0-2	2	6
Pierce, c	1	8-10	2	10
Gates, g	3	3-7	3	9
Graef, f	3	1-2	1	7
Lucht, f	0	0-2	1	0
Barry, c	0	0-0	0	0
Cronan, f	1	1-2	0	3
Walsh, g	0	0-2	3	0
Gea, c	0	0-0	0	0
Totals	15	13-30	17	43

B Team	fg	ft	pf	pts
Cady, f	1	0-1	2	2
Van Burgh, f	1	1-1	2	3
Allen, c	3	3-4	4	9
Simpson, g	1	2-3	0	4
Busskohl, g	1	1-1	1	3
Pesek, c	2	0-1	4	4
Miller, g	0	0-3	0	0
Ackerman, g	0	0-1	2	0
Wright, f	5	2-2	3	12
Sailer, f	3	2-3	4	8
Totals	17	11-20	22	45

Score at half: B Team 32, Freshmen 30.
Officials: Wilcoxon and Groth.

NU Thinclads, Tankmen Win

Nebraska University opened the indoor track season Saturday with a 62½-41½ victory over the Oklahoma Sooners. Only one meet record was broken as Sooner Hobo Gilstrap leaped 23 feet, 1¾ inches to take the broad jump. The old record was 22 feet, 8¾ inches.

Huskers Dick Hutton and Ray Magsamen came within one-tenth of a second of equalling the meet records in the 60-yard dash and the low hurdles. Don Cooper vaulted 13-3½ to capture that event. He failed in three attempts to break the 13-9 record.

Husker Swimmers Win

Perry Branch led the Nebraska tank team to a 48½-35½ victory over Kansas University Saturday. Branch won the 50-yard free style and the 100-yard free style. He was a member of the winning 400-yard free style relay quartet.

The Husker 300-yard medley team of Bill Fenton, Conrad King and Dick Draper churned to a new record in that event. Their time of 3:19.2 bettered the old mark of 3:19.6, set in 1941.

Huskers Lose to KS, 64-45; Meet Sodaks Here Tonight

Nebraska dropped its third conference basketball game to a faster, sharper Kansas State squad Saturday night in the Coliseum by a score of 64-45. The Huskers, who will meet South Dakota here tonight, were roundly outplayed at every turn and were never in the game after the Wildcats jumped to a quick 10-1 lead with but five minutes gone.

Reserve Section To Close at 7:00

To accommodate faculty season ticket holders, Coliseum section B, entered through ramp four on the east side, will be held open until 7:00 p.m. for Varsity basketball games A. J. Lewandowski has announced.

People holding these tickets are urged to come before this time. The section will be opened to the public after 7:00 Lewandowski said. Faculty members entering through Ramp 4 must show their faculty book to the ramp guard at the entrance to the section.

First Diamond Call

There will be an important meeting at 7:30 Thursday night in the N Club room for all men who are interested in trying out for the varsity baseball team this spring. Coach Tony Sharpe said today.

Freshman candidates will meet at a later date, Sharpe said.

FEM FUN

Girls interested in joining the W.A.A. Rifle Club will meet in the east gym of Grant Memorial Thursday, Jan. 5, at 7:00 p.m. If you are unable to come, send your name and class schedule with a friend or leave it at the W.A.A. office. A regular meeting time will be decided upon, and the plans of the club will be announced.

The girls' basketball tournament will begin Wednesday, Jan. 4. Game schedules will be announced in Wednesday's Rag.

All clubs will meet this week, and unless you have been notified otherwise, they will be held at the same time.

Pershing Rifles Honor National Commander

Presentation of Brigadier General John W. Plantikow as new national commander of Pershing Rifles, will highlight a ceremony to be held 7:30 p. m., Tuesday in Parlor Z of the Union. He will succeed Robert Avner at the post.

After the presentation, four honorary members will be initiated into the society; Colonel Howard John, Major Robert P. Brust, 1st Sergaent John A. Levold, and Master Sergeant Dale A. Debus.

Initiation of new cadets will complete the ceremony.

Lone bright spot for the home crew was the playing of Milton "Bus" Whitehead, the lanky Scottsbluff center who contributed 15 points to the Nebraska attack, high total for the evening.

Though he seemed to tire easily, Whitehead showed definite improvement in under-the-basket play.

Well-Rounded Offense.

Kansas State, whose only defeat this season was to Long Island university, left no doubt in the minds of the spectators as to which was the better team. Their well-rounded offense had the Huskers baffled most of the time.

Rick Harman was high point man for the Manhattan team, sinking five fielders and two charity shots for 12 points. Howie Shannon followed with 11.

Nebraska made two brief spurts in an effort to overtake the ever-increasing K State total, once in the middle of the first half and again just after the intermission. They failed to come within 16 points of the Wildcats, however, at any time after the half.

Cerv Returns.

Bob Cerv, returning to action for the first time since his injury on the western jaunt over Christmas vacation, turned in a good job and added six points to the Husker total. Regular guard Joe Brown played comparatively little because of an injured thumb which was in a cast just before game time.

The summary:

Kansas State (64)	fg	ft	pf	pts	Nebraska (45)	fg	ft	pf	pts
Howey f	4	1-5	5	9	Retherford f	1	3-7	2	3
Thurston f	0	0-0	1	0	Srb f	1	0-0	0	0
Harman f	5	2-5	1	10	Cox f	2	0-0	2	4
Weatherby c	1	1-2	0	2	Shields f	1	0-0	1	0
Krone f	0	2-3	2	0	Whitehead c	6	3-5	4	15
Brannum c	3	0-2	4	6	Schleiger c	0	0-3	4	0
Clark c	4	0-1	3	8	Cech g	0	0-0	1	0
Langton g	2	2-2	0	4	Cerv g	1	4-9	4	6
Shannon g	5	1-1	3	11	Mosser g	1	4-4	1	4
Mathoney g	1	0-0	1	2	Brown g	2	0-1	0	0
Thornton g	0	0-1	1	0	Lavery g	0	1-1	0	0
Totals	27	10-23	22	64	Totals	15	15-30	19	45

Score at half: Kansas State 34, Nebraska 17.
Officials: Dick Pulliam, Grand Island, and Stuart Beresford, Colorado.

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CRIB NOTES

by Bj Holcomb

JUST NOTES OF

Sing a song of second semester Freshman, large and small Rhymy little ditties Tell about them all.

Sing a song of second semester With textbooks put away Sad thoughts of tests, forthcoming While we try our best to pay.

Sing a song of second semester With a brew or two to smell But extra long assignments Really makes it hell.

Sing a song of second semester With snow piled on the streets Parties near the fireplace And "pin-passing" sweets.

Sing a song of second semester With upperclassmen at the bar Remember, strong, brave Corn-huskers Finals ain't too far!!

Comes the second term, the second major headache, and Cribbers start thinking about doing all the things they thought about doing the first semester . . . which means spring will find them thinking about doing the same things next year . . . more good credits lost that way! Comes the second term, the second major project, and some Cribbers just start . . .

Some take time out to acquaint new students with the campus and after showing off the girls dorm and the Union consider the job well done . . . well, isn't it?

Amiable Don Farley at Regents: "Young man, you need this book. It will do half your work for you!"

Frosh: "Fine, give me two." A word from the wise for the newly enrolled . . . if you want the finest in men's clothing get acquainted with Harvey Brothers, the headquarters for the best-dressed men on campus. Harvey's have the latest campus fashions priced to fit your collegiate pocketbook . . . to get complete satisfaction for your every clothing need see Harvey Brothers . . . just three hops and a right turn from the campus . . . 1230 O Street.



After final week upperclassmen can tell new frosh about the tests given here under the honor system. The school has the honor and the students have the system . . . (With apologies to Carl Sandburg)

FINAL LAMENT

The fog Comes On little cat feet And sits On silent haunches Hovering over every desk And then moves on Only sometimes it doesn't . . .



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