



JAYHAWK QUARTERBACK—Jerry Waugh, 5-11 cager, directs Phog Allen's Kansas University offensive from his guard position. A high scorer, Waugh was held down against Iowa State in the Kansas City tourney by Don Ferguson, another shorty at 5-7.

Huskers Receive Stay of Execution

By Don Bryant.

Nebraska's Cornhuskers were given a last minute reprieve late Wednesday afternoon when it was announced that their intended clash with Kansas State was cancelled.

Harry Good's charges can now have a few additional days to prepare for the Kansas U. game Tuesday night.

The K-State contest was given the red light because of the Wildcat court's lack of transparent bankboards. A ruling by the Big Seven fathers states that a conference game be played either on a court equipped with glass boards or on a neutral floor.

An investigation discovered that the teams could meet on the Manhattan High school court, but since it is smaller than the miniature K-State court it was decided to reschedule the game on March 11.

Jayhawks Next.

Opening conference competition against the Jayhawks, the Huskers may fare better than it was expected they would with Kansas State.

Altho potentially strong with Center Clyde Lovellette and Guard Jerry Waugh leading the

way, Phog Allen's gang did not present any formidable power in the Kansas tourney.

The Huskers, on the other hand, except for the K. C. outing and the Bradley game, have been virtually untested.

A weak pre-conference schedule has left the Cornhuskers in the realm of the unknown. The importance of the business at hand, winning the Big Seven title, may provide the incentive the Nebraska clan needs to become a serious threat.

The 19 point scoring spree against Iowa State, the Scarlet and Cream went on down at Kansas City proved that they could come thru under fire. If they can develop more consistent point getting, there is a good possibility that they will grab top honors again this year.

Track Coach Ed Weir has announced track tryouts will be held Saturday, Jan. 7, at 2 p. m. All interested cindermen should report to Weir or manager Knox Jones at the indoor track beneath the East Stadium at that time.

Intramural Sportalk

BY BILL MUNDELL.

The top game of Wednesday's cage activity proved to be the thriller of the evening's games, a 43-41 victory for Sigma Phi Epsilon. The Sig Eps won the nip and tuck affair from Phi Delta Theta in a game that was close all the way.

Tom Loisel and Jim Walsh led the victorious Sig Eps with 17 and 16 points respectively. Jack Cady took top scoring honors for the losers with 14 points.

Bob Newcombe had a good evening for the V-5's and scored 20 points but it wasn't enough to overcome a good all-around Warrior five. The Warriors won 41-34 with Lawton and Cast both dunking 11 points for the victors.

In another high scoring game, the Celtics edged Dorm B by the score of 40-38. Kroenke led the Celtics with 15 points.

Mustangs Win Thriller

The Mustangs roared back from a 9-14 half-time deficit to hand ISA a one-point loss, 27-26. Barneil of the Mustangs was the game's high scorer with ten points.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon relied heavily on the scoring ability of Don McArthur to down the Phi Psi's, 29-27. McArthur's 11 points was tops in scoring. Millikin led the losing scorers with eight.

Theta Xi was never in trouble as they breezed to an easy 37-16 victory over Zeta Beta Tau. Kemnitz was high point man in the game with 14 markers.

Other lop-sided wins registered Wednesday night were Alpha Sigma Phi over Pershing Rifles, 33-11; Pill Rollers over P. E. Club, 31-18; Sig Ep B team over Sig Alph B's, 39-20; and the Lilies winners over the Lambs, 33-19.

Dorm A was the only dormi-

Weir Strives for Team Depth; Cooper's Return Boosts NU

While most of the "sessions" are built around basketball and where the Huskers will finish in the conference race, a lot of hard work is being put out by track Coach Ed Weir's thin-clads to round them into shape in preparation for their title defense of the Big Seven indoor track crown.

There is a lot of speculation as to whether or not the Huskers will be able to successfully defend their throne. Coach Weir, when asked how he thought his runners would shape up, would not commit himself but he was quick to add that there was some hope because spirit was high and many of the top performers were doubling up in events—it was squad depth that took the indoor crown for the Huskers last year.

Cooper—Prime Example.

Prime example of this is indoor pole vault record holder for Nebraska Don Cooper who has returned after taking a year's lay-off. Cooper, who holds the record at 14' 2", is back to establish a new one, but he is also plan-

ning on finishing in the money in the dashes.

Pushing the Duke will be Leonard Kehl from Scottsbluff who holds the conference indoor record of 13' 11½" which he set last spring. By winning the vault last year, Kehl chalked up the 13th time a Husker has won that event since the inaugural of the Conference in 1928. Taking his share of the burden, Kehl will double up in 440.

14 Lettermen.

Even with the 14 returning lettermen, Weir is filled with doubt. The cinder-master said, in regard to team balance, "That is what we are striving for again this season. We scored in all but two events in 1949."

tary team emerging victorious Wednesday, winning from the Architects, 35-32 while Dorm C was getting beat 18-12 by YMCA. Chem E rounded out the day's games with a 26-13 win over Ag Men's Club.

Track Finals Announced

The revised schedule of the finals of the Indoor Track Meet were released today by Ed Higginbotham, supervisor of the meet. The first events will be run this Friday at 5:15 p. m. The 60 yard low hurdles will be first to be followed by the four-lap relay. Monday, Jan. 9 will see the finals of the 50 yard dash and the high-jump with the pole-vault, 60 yard dash, the one-lap run on Tuesday.

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