

### Intramural Sportalk

By BILL MUNDELL.

Sigma Phi Epsilon leads the field of Intramural basketball teams in the first All-University ratings Friday.

The Sig Eps, victorious in their first two starts are atop a strong group of unbeaten and one-beaten teams. The ratings of the teams will become a weekly feature of this column and will be found in The Daily Nebraskan every Friday.

In the number two spot in the first ratings is unbeaten Sigma Nu. The Nu's copped their third straight game Wednesday night, beating Delta Chi, 38-21. Roeser of the victors was high scorer with 11.

Alpha Tau Omega holds down the third rung by virtue of their 41-31 victory over Pioneer Co-op Wednesday behind the 18 points of Mack Robinson.

Delta Tau Delta starts off in fourth position. The Deltas, unbeaten in two games, added to their prowess by beating last year's All-University champion, Farm House, by a score of 33-29. Vandell's 14 points kept the Deltas in front despite Farm House's Heiss who potted 15.

#### InterVarsity Fifth.

InterVarsity, the top team of the Interdenominational is in fifth place on the first ratings. The IV men are all-victorious in five games. Newman Club fell before InterVarsity on Wednesday, 45-42.

Phi Delta Theta is holding down sixth position with two wins and one loss. That one defeat was a 41-43 setback at the hands of top-ranked Sigma Phi Epsilon.

The four teams that make up the remainder of the top ten are Farm House, Phi Delta Theta "B," Lutherans, and Sigma Gamma Epsilon. The ratings:

- ALL UNIVERSITY.**
1. Sigma Phi Epsilon.
  2. Sigma Nu.
  3. Alpha Tau Omega.
  4. Delta Tau Delta.
  5. InterVarsity.
  6. Phi Delta Theta.
  7. Farm House.
  8. Phi Delta Theta "B."
- FRATERNITY CLASS A.**
1. Sigma Phi Epsilon.
  2. Sigma Nu.
  3. Alpha Tau Omega.
  4. Delta Tau Delta.
  5. Phi Delta Theta.
  6. Farm House.
  7. Beta Sigma Psi.
- FRATERNITY CLASS B.**
1. Phi Delta Theta.
  2. Alpha Tau Omega.
  3. Delta Upsilon.
  4. Phi Gamma Delta.
  5. Sigma Phi Epsilon.
  6. Delta Tau Delta.
  7. Alpha Gamma Rho.
- DENOMINATIONAL.**
1. InterVarsity.
  2. Lutherans.
  3. Newman Club.
  4. Presby.
  5. Cotner House.
- INDEPENDENT.**
1. Sigma Gamma Epsilon.
  2. Warriors.
  3. Alpha Sigma Phi.
  4. Phi Rho Kappa.
  5. Chem E.
  6. YARCA.
  7. V. S.
  8. ASME.



**GYM TEAM LETTERMEN**—Left to right Al Dunavan, Leo Geier, Art Hillman will spur Jake Geier's gymnasts into action Saturday Jan. 14 when the Huskers meet Iowa University here in the Physical Education building.

## Husker Comeback Rated as 'Top Story'

By Jerry Warren

Most of the important sport news the first semester had to do with Bill Glassford's Husker grid team so we would like to offer, as our choice for the outstanding story of that time, the stirring late season rally staged by them.

Riding a 2 won-2 loss average, the Cornhuskers met disaster at the hands of powerful Oklahoma. The Sooners, destined to become number two team in the nation, handed Nebraska a crushing 48-0 defeat at Lincoln.

The Huskers soon recovered from this setback and journeyed to Columbia to scare a favored Missouri team. Glassford's crew out-played the Tigers in every department and were leading Don Faurot's men 20-7 at the start of the fourth quarter.

In that last period, however, he Tigers put on a rally which netted them two touchdowns and a shaky 21-20 victory.

#### COULDN'T SCORE

Inability to push over a score kept the Huskers from registering another Big Seven win the next week-end. Maintaining the offensive stride against Missouri, Nebraska outshone Kansas between the ten yard lines but faltered in the stretch to drop a 27-13 tilt.

The elements battled both the Cornhuskers and Iowa State at

Ames but a brilliant 70 yard run by Senior Halfback Harry Meginnis enabled NU to eke out a 7-0 win.

The season was ended in a victorious note when Nebraska dropped the Buffaloes from Colorado 25-14. The Huskers played their best game of the season with long runs by Nick Aducci and Harry Meginnis highlighting the afternoon.

#### THANKS TO BILL

A vote of thanks is directed to Bill Glassford and his 1949 Cornhuskers for the best season in many moons and a definite step up the ladder to where Nebraska football belongs.

Orchids also go to Tom Novak and Charlie Toogood, standout linemen on Glassford's squad. To Novak for making many All-Big Seven teams, plus INS AllAmerica, for being named Frank Palumbo's Player of the Year and for representing the Cornhusker state in the East-West game.

Toogood receives our praise also for being All-Big Seven and for his unheralded work at tackle. Charlie, along with Novak, played almost 60 minutes every game.

The university department of athletics is worthy of commendation for the completion of the Field House.

# Iowa-Colorado Here Saturday Afternoon

BY KIMON KARABATSOS

Sharing the spotlight Saturday afternoon will be the University's swim and gym teams. Coach Hollie Lepley's swimmers will match strokes with Colorado and Tutor Jake Geier's gymnasts will test Iowa University.

Lepley, with a soaked "crying-towel" in hand, let out a horrible wail when asked about his chances for a Husker victory. He had good reasons, too, for this will be the thinnest aquatic squad that he has coached for the Huskers.

## Team Balance Stressed by Track Mentor

BY JOHN BURLEY.

Balance is the key to a championship team, so says Coach Weir.

Much depends upon the ability of his top men to double in two or more events. Several events hold the answer to whether or not Weir can bring his squad home from Kansas City with another Big Seven crown.

The high jump is one of Weir's big headaches. Dick Meissner is the only returning letter man in this event. Field coach, Ike Hanscom, has several men with good performances during try outs but only Dick has seen actual competition.

Another area under inspection by the entire squad is the long distances. The mile and two mile have only one returning "N" man to lead the way. Esref Aydin, the tireless Turk, is all that Ed can count on for possible points at Kansas City.

One hope is the thin corps of distance men in the sophomore ranks. Gene Yelkin and Ken Jacobs along with Lee Moore will be forced to run in one of the best distance fields in the nation. Bob Karnes of Kansas, Fitzgerald of Colorado and McGuire of Missouri are all back. These three men were all under the old record, broken by Karnes in the indoor meet.

The broad jump is a field that presents a job for the genial mentor. Ted Randolph and Owen Brainard are the returning lettermen in this event. To show the strength of the opposition, last year in the conference meet, all six finalists were over 22' 11".

Although Randolph and Brainard are clearing 22', they must deal with such men as Herb Hoskins of Kansas State who has cleared 25' on several leaps.

The bright side of the picture can be seen in six men fighting for spots open in the hurdles. Bob Berkshire, conference indoor champion in the highs, is the number one man in that event. He is followed by Ray Magsaman, Wendy Cole and Bruce Engle.

In the lows, Bill Moomey, the hard luck man of the squad, is pushing Ray for top honors. Bill has yet to finish a season with the scarlet thinclads. During the last three years, Bill has been forced to the sidelines with a pulled muscle before the finals were reached.

Ed Bedker is another sophomore fighting for a place in the low hurdle crew. Out of this group of timber toppers, Weir hopes to form a shuttle relay team to top anything ever seen by Nebraskans.

Jim McConnell is competing in not one but three events. Big Jim has creditable marks in the shot put, pole vault, and broad jump. Weir will use him in all three events again this year. Unless Charley Toogood returns to the ranks of the shot putters, Jim will be Nebraska's top man in this event.

Harry Meginnis is another one of Weir's three event men. It was Harry's anchor leg of the mile relay that put the meet on ice last season. Along with the 440,

Besides being hit by squad illness this year, Lepley was unable to harvest his excellent crop of last year's freshmen, since most of them failed to report back last fall, forfeiting their education to take jobs. Had most of the frosh returned, Lepley might have been able to gather a potent team.

#### Colorado's Best

Colorado will send one of their best teams in history to Lincoln for the swim-fest which will be held in the Coliseum pool Saturday afternoon at 2. In taking the Wyoming Relays last month, the Buffs swamped Colorado A. & M., Wyoming, Colorado State and Nebraska.

Nebraska's point-getters at the meet did most of their scoring in events where Colorado was weak so there is a possibility that the Huskers might pull an upset. If the Huskers do manage, it will be due mostly to the work of three-year letterman Marvin Grimm, who finds the sprints to his liking.

#### Kanamine Out

Lepley will be without the services of Ted Kanamine, who was injured in a car accident over the Christmas holiday. Kanamine had been counted upon to bring a few points home in the sprints.

In the prettiest of the aquatic events, diving, the Huskers will have Jerry Barrett and Eddie Craren as entries. Barrett is a sophomore and placed in the Wyoming Relays. Craren is the Big Seven's defending diving champion.

#### Big Ten Foe

The gymnastic team, opening its season also, will step out of the conference in its first venture and meet Iowa U., a Big Ten school. Coach Geier's star-studded team might prove too much for the Hawkeyes' green squad. Six of the ten making the trip are sophomores.

But the Huskers will have plenty of competition in Claire Jennett. This competition is spelled with a capital C since he is entered in every event. Jennett's specialty is the parallel bars and the flying rings.

#### Battle of Captains

It will be a battle of captains in those two events, with Leo Geier setting the pace for Nebraska. Helping Geier in those events will be Al Dunavan, the Husker's ace horizontal bar performer, who is also entered in these events. Al is better known to basketball fans as the half-time "comedian."

Perhaps the busiest Husker "honors" will go to Craren who will participate in both the gym and swimming events. Let's hope he doesn't get tired running between the pool and the gym.

## Faculty Plans Recital Sunday

A cellist, a pianist and a tenor will be presented in a University School of Fine Arts faculty recital Sunday at 3 p. m. in the Union.

The recital, to be held in the Union ballroom, will include cello solos by Carol Puckett, piano solos by Mary Jane Waggoner, and tenor solos by Earl Jenkins. Accompanying the musicians will be Charma Davies.

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