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Kings Points Make

What does it take to be a champion? For the second year Coach Harry Good's Nebraska basketball team has used the simple expedient of out-scoring the opposition.

The Cornhuskers are defending co-champions with Oklahoma of the Big Seven Conference and currently sharing first place with Kansas State.

Coach Good has molded an offense featuring one man to carry the largest share of the scoring burden and balanced scoring among the rest of the team.

This year's super attraction is Mill "Bus" Whitehead, six foot-nine inch center. Whitehead has tossed in 257 points in 16 games. He is averaging 16 points per game, the second highest in the conference.

In the supporting roles are a quartet of Huskers who have accounted for 90 or more points and may reach the century mark after Saturday's game at the University of Kansas.

The foursome includes Anton Lawry, 89 points; Bob Cerv, 97; Jim Buchanan, 95; and Bob Pierce, 91.

Joe Malceck, rebound specialist, has netted 77 along with Joe Brown.

Along the free throw line Bob Gates, the Omaha sharpshooter who's overtime period bucket deflected Kansas State and late flurry of baskets helped rout Missouri, has slipped in 23 of 26 attempts for a terrific 88 percentage.

The scoring summary:

Table with columns for Player, Pts, Rebs, and other stats. Includes names like Mill Whitehead, Anton Lawry, Bob Cerv, etc.

Wildcat Notices

K-State News Release

Kansas State's basketball Wildcats, rolling along merrily (13-4) and breaking scoring records as they go, have a new kind of record to crack Saturday when they meet the Missouri Tigers in Columbia, Missouri.

On the surface, it appears that the K-Staters, ranked 10th in the nation, should have little trouble disposing of the Tigers who haven't won a Big Seven conference game in five starts. But, that isn't the way it shapes up.

Four of the Missourians five league losses have been on the foreign courts of Oklahoma, Iowa State, Colorado and Nebraska. In their only home conference game, Coach Sparky Stalcup's Bengals lost to Kansas 48 to 44.

The Tigers are capable of beating the best as they proved in the December Big Seven tournament at Kansas City. Missouri took the championship honors in that tourney, beating Michigan, Colorado and Oklahoma in order.

Just two years ago, K-State's title-bound 1948 squad, went to Columbia confident the long-standing jinx of the Tiger court would be broken. The Tigers, who were as inconsistent that season as they are this one, upset the Cats 48 to 46.

There is another factor for Coach Jack Gardner's high scoring Cats to consider Saturday night. That is the Tiger defense. Stalcup, a stickler on fine defensive play, has the best goal-guarding outfit in the conference.

In five games, the Bengals have given an average allowance of 48.2 points to their opposition. But, if the Tiger sentinels ever get a testing, it should be Saturday.

Wildcats Mean The Wildcats have twice broken the conference all-time scoring record this season. Iowa State felt the fury of Gardner's well-balanced attack 99 to 57 and Oklahoma's smooth club fell before the Wildcat shooting 81 to 68.

The Cats are well on their way toward breaking the all-time conference mark for the highest team offensive average. In five games, Kansas State has counted 371 points for an average of 74.2.

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INTRAMURAL WRESTLING CHAMPIONS—Pictured above are the members of the Phi Gamma Delta Wrestling team which emerged 1949 Champions. Starting at top, L to R—Bill Karr, Wayne Handshy, Paul Grimm, Ed Gross, John Addison, Jack Gwynn, Bruce Barton, Dick Maclat, George Hancock, Kenny Brown—Mgr., Kenny Larson.

Warriors, Phi Gams Keep Slates Clean

The Warriors, second ranked Independent team, won their fourth straight IM basketball game Tuesday night, a 27-17 triumph over the Men's Club. Held to a 12-12 score at halftime, the victors caught fire in the last stanza and won going away. Bob Severs led the winning scorers with eight while Paul Mecham of the Ag Men led all scorers with nine.

Sigma Nu and Phi Gamma Delta both won convincingly as they go, have a new kind of record to crack Saturday when they meet the Missouri Tigers in Columbia, Missouri.

The Nu's were pressed in the first half by Beta Sigma Psi but pulled away after intermission to win, 41-26. Joe Gurnett of the Nu's and Robert Bull of the Beta Sigs shared scoring honors with nine points apiece.

The Phi Gam victory was much the same order. The Delta Chi's put up a battle in the first half, but fell behind in the second to lose, 20-33. Randall Renken of the winners potted 18 points while Mick Sisley of the Chi's contributed ten points.

Pill Rollers Fall Previously unbeaten Pill Rollers ran into a smooth working Mustang outfit Tuesday and wound-up with their first loss, 16-26. Teamwork was the whole story for the once beaten Mustangs as three men shared scoring honors. McKibbin, Johnson, and Mankmyer all notched five. Voltersten and Heiser scored four for the Pill Rollers.

Teamwork was the word for the DU's, also, in their 53-27 rout of Delta Sigma Phi. Three men contributed ten points for Delta Upsilon which played its best game thus far. The three men were Christensen, Britt and Torrens. Clark Betecke of the Delta Sigs led all the scorers with 11.

Sigma Chi recovered from their beating by ATO last week to edge a good Pioneer Co-op team Tuesday, 33-31. The game was close all the way with the outcome never assured until the final whistle. Curtis of the Chi's scored nine along with Berry of Pioneer.

Brown Palace scored an easy 47-19 victory over Sigma Alpha Mu behind the 14 points of John Hanson. The Palacers turned on the steam in the second half, scoring 24 while holding the Sammys to seven. Swedelson topped the losing scorers with 11.

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WOW-TV To Telecast NU Matches

Equipment worth more than \$100,000 will be installed in the Coliseum Saturday in order to telecast the gymnast and wrestling meets over WOW-TV.

The two cameras with special lenses are worth \$18,000 while the microwave equipment is valued at \$80,000. Also included in the equipment will be the complete mobile video control unit.

The gym meet will begin Saturday evening at 7 p.m. with Nebraska opposing the University of Colorado. The Cornhusker wrestlers will compete against the University of Wisconsin.

SWIMMING Ten-Man Team To St. Louis

With two victories and a tie under its belt in five starts, the Nebraska swimming team will journey to St. Louis to meet Washington university this Saturday.

The Cornhuskers are still without the services of their Big Seven Conference free style champion Marvin Grimm, who is sidelined with a severe sprained ankle.

Husker coach, Hollie Lepley, expects a close meet with the Bears. The Huskers are strong in the sprints and breaststroke while the Bears have faster times in the distance races.

Washington has a record of two wins against two losses.

Coach Lepley has chosen ten men to make the trip. They include Jack Campbell, Lincoln; Bill Greer, Lincoln; Tom Harley, Lincoln; Buele Balderston, Omaha; Paul Guel, Omaha; Ted Kanamine, Omaha; Ed Cragen, Omaha; George Hill, Lincoln; Bob Phelps, Lincoln, and Jerry Barrett, Omaha.

State teachers college at the start of the second semester. He has been working out with the freshman track squad.

Gold Medal Ace Bob Felton Enrolls

Bob Felton, Springview, who won the Gold Medal last spring in the Nebraska High school 100-yard dash, has enrolled at the University.

Bob transferred from Wayne



WRESTLING Coach Patterson is counting on Ed Lane to get some much needed points in the 155 pound class in Saturday's match with Wisconsin.

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Jayhawks to Test Undeaten Weir-Men

Coach Ed Weir's Nebraska track men will be out to protect their unbeaten indoor record this weekend as they play host to Bill Easton's Kansas Jayhawks on Saturday evening. The Huskers beat the Jays 79 1/2 to 24 1/2 at Lincoln last year.

Nubbins to York Saturday Night

Saturday night the University of Nebraska B basketball team will play the York College B team at York.

Players named by Coach Neal Mehring to make the trip were: Bernard Akromis, Ed Akromis, Harvey Bettenhausen, Al Blessing, Fred Bruening, Paul Kipper, Kenneth LeGrand, Max Pettijohn, Jesse Sell, Melvin Schneider, Norman Sothan, James Woodworth.

Wrestlers To Face Badgers

The University of Nebraska wrestling team will don their toggs to meet the University of Wisconsin wrestlers this Saturday.

Wisconsin has won three and lost three matches thus far, while the Nebraska mat squad has won two and lost four dual matches this season.

One of the top Wisconsin wrestlers is Don Ryan from Council Bluffs, Ia. Don, is a sophomore, has won six and lost none in dual matches this year. He was an Iowa high school champion and won the Wisconsin AAU crown last year as a freshman.

Coaching the Wisconsin team is George Martin, Iowa State graduate in 1933. He was an NCAA and National AAU champion in 1933 and 1934 at 165 and 175 pounds, respectively.

Starters for the Cornhuskers will be Louis Caniglia, 121, Mickey Sparano, 136, Robert Russell, 145, and Herb Reese, 175. Vying for the heavyweight division are Mike DiBiase and Howard Doerr. Eliminations are still being held in the other weight divisions.

Meet records: Mile run—Harold Brooks (N) 4:22.1, '40. 60-yard dash—Jack Dodd (N) '38, Dick Hutton (N) '49, :06.3. 440-yard run—Gene Littler (N) :50.1, '40.

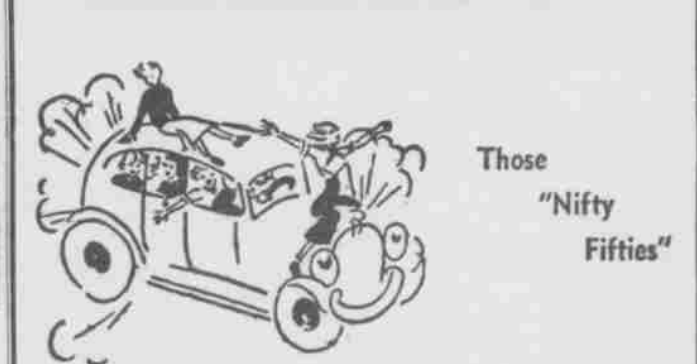
60-yard high hurdles—Haight (N) '36, Gish (N) '37, Stannard (K) '44, King (N) '47, Berkshire (N) '48, '49, :07.7. 2-mile run—Karnes (K) '48, 9:54.5.

880-yard run—Bowers (K) '48, 1:57.8. 60-yard low hurdles—Gish (N) '38, Moomey (N) '48, Magsamen (N) '49, :07. Shot put—Francis (N) 51 feet 5 1/2 inches, '37. High jump—Scotfield (K) 6 feet 4 1/2 inches, '48. Broad jump—Cardwell (N) 23 feet 10 inches, '36. Pole vault—Cooper (N) 14 feet 3/4 inches, '48. Relay—Nebraska (Voltersten, Hein, Ware, Meginnis) 3:29.8, '49.

Williams to Get Top Baseball Pay

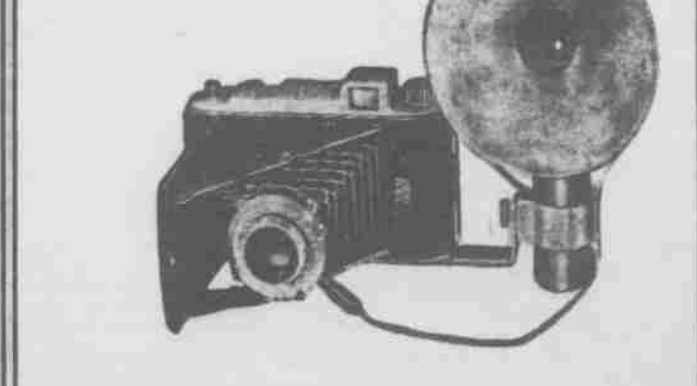
Ted Williams signed a contract Tuesday for a reported \$125,000 to become the highest paid baseball player in history. The Boston Red Sox slugger's contract surpasses that of Joe DiMaggio who signed a week earlier with the New York Yankees for \$100,000.

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