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A Funny Thing Happened On The Way Home From The Hula Bowl... and Husker track fans breathed a sigh of disappointment as sprint star Kent McCloughan signed a professional football contract.

Kent would have been the member of a sprint corps which not only would have had dual meet contenders shaking but quite possibly could have been the best in the Big Eight.

Besides Kent, who owns times of 9.7 and 6.2 in the 100-yard and 60-yard indoor dashes respectively and is the Big Eight 220 champion, there are junior Lynn Headley and sophomore Charles Greene.

Lynn, who was hampered by muscle trouble most of his sophomore season, nevertheless made the Olympic team for his native Jamaica. He competed in the 100-meter dash in Tokyo last October.

Charlie was last year's freshman sensation as he pushed the incomparable Bob Hayes to a blazing 5.9 world's record at the Madison Square Garden Indoor Meet in February.

These three easily could have placed 1-2-3 in the indoor 60 and the outdoor 100-yard dashes—and it would have been anybody's guess who would have crossed the tape first.

But it is ridiculous to think about what would have been. Because Kent McCloughan has turned pro. The guy who once ran the 100 and 220 with a badly sprained ankle received in spring football practice is now reported by the Oakland Raiders as fearing injury if he competes in track.

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ISU Next Roundball Opponent

The Cornhuskers try to put the skids to a six game losing streak Monday as the Iowa State Cyclones invade Nebraskaland for a Big Eight Conference scrap.

Last Monday Iowa State lost a 67-48 decision at Oklahoma State. This was the site of the 93-54 trouncing of Nebraska on the previous Saturday.

Cyclone starters are Al Koch, 6'3" forward; Gary Jones, 6'4" forward; Dave Fleming, 6'5" center; Bob Ziegler, 6'3" guard; and Bob Vander Wilt, 6'1" guard. Koch is a junior from Anamosa, Iowa. He was shifted to forward earlier this season to take advantage of his quickness and good shooting. His relative lack of size does not hamper his rebounding, which is considered strong.

Fleming is a sophomore from El Dorado, Arkansas, who was red-shirted last year because of injuries. He is strong and considered a good shooter.

Jones is a Junior from Sioux City. He is sound defensive player.

Ziegler is a junior guard from Fort Dodge. He is a leader, and a good shooter and driver.

Vander Wilt is a senior from Spencer, Iowa. He and Ziegler team well together and generally harass the back-court offense of the opposing team.

It is generally felt that the Iowa State game could be the break in the losing streak, and the start of the upswing of Nebraska morale. This is really a 'must' win for the Cornhuskers.

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DECEMBER POWER LIFTS CONTEST

Class	Name, Organization	135	205*	305	645
123½	John Minnick, Burnett	135	205*	305	645
	Jerry Novak, Sigma Alpha Mu	155	155	275	585
132¼	Bill Schreiber, Burnett	185	255	345	785
148¾	Mike Wright, Independent	205	310*	410	925*
	Bob Rohan, Capital	185	305	415*	905
	Tom Holyoke, Delta Upsilon	175	285	355	815
	Jim Howard, MacLean	185	265	355	805
	Darryl Gless, Sigma Phi Epsilon	195	285	325	805
	Leroy Breslow, Sigma Alpha Mu	195	235	355	785
165¼	Jim Pipal, Capital	290*	345	425	1060
	Keith Seibold, Burr	225	265	425	915
	Paul York, Beta Theta Pi	185	215	355	755
	Reggie Wyatt, Penn	145	225	355	725
	Lynn Moller, Independent	145	265	295	705
	Tom Marx, Independent	175	215	305	695
181¾	Jon Goebel, Independent	305*	315	475	1095
	Mike Tillitson, Independent	225	325	475	1025*
	Dennis Grams, Independent	235	335	455	1025
	Sylvester Kobza, Independent	215	345	395	955
	Kent Pflug, Pharmacy	205	295	425	925
	Steve Pomajzl, Alpha Gamma Rho	195	285	425	905
198¾	Dave Gake, Theta Chi	235	465*	475	1175
	Bob Cchuchman, Sigma Aphha	225	325	445	985
	Dave Fairbank, Penn	235	315	435	985
	Bill Biel, Smith	205	325	405	935
	Tom Sorenson, Sigma Chi	175	275	405	855
	Fred Roudebush, Burnett	175	245	225	645
Hvywt	Mike Worley, Hitchcock	295	425*	495	1215*
	Mike Pierce, SAE	305*	405	495	1205
	Bob Peterson, Independent	255	325	425	1005
	Conrad Fisher, Independent	205	315	445	965
	Louis Polacek, Goodding	175	305	405	885
	Jim Birkel, Independent	205	245	375	825

(*) New record
Outstanding lifter Mike Worley

STANDINGS DECEMBER CONTEST

Independents	44	Beta Theta Pi	4
Burnett	21	Delta Upsilon	4
Capital	16	MacLean	3
Sigma Alpha Mu	13	Smith	3
Hitchcock	10	Goodding	2
Theta Chi	10	Pharmacy	2
Penn	7	Sigma Chi	2
Burr Hall	6	Sigma Phi Epsilon	2
Sigma Alpha Epsilon	6	Alpha Gamma Rho	1

Swimmers To Test Two Teams

Husker swimmers head for choppy waters this weekend in the shape of two meets with Southern Illinois University and Washington of St. Louis on Friday and Saturday respectively.

Coach Dick Klaas's men will be trying to better their performance of last weekend when they were drubbed by Iowa and edged out Big Eight rival Kansas in a three-sided dual meet.

Klaas himself will be unable to make the trip due to a slipped disc.

The stiffest competition should come in Friday's meet at Carbondale, Ill., as SIU has

consistently come up with a record-setting (last year they broke five Coliseum pool records in a 53-41 victory) team boasting depth, too.

Their strengths should lie mainly in the distance freestyle, butterfly, individual medley and breaststroke. This doesn't leave too many areas of weakness, but the Huskers will be fishing for points in the freestyle sprints and the diving.

Saturday the team will journey to St. Louis for a meet with Washington University. A victor last year by a score of 53-42, Nebraska will have to combat Washington

power in the distance freestyle, butterfly and the sprints.

The Husker line-up will be shuffled somewhat from last weekend.

For more sprint points Tom Nickerson will be swimming the 100-yard freestyle along with Ron Gabrielson who will also swim the 50-free.

The 400-yard medley relay team which pulled out the victory against KU last Saturday will enter with Don Frazier, Gabrielson, Nickerson, and Dave Frank in that order.

Mike Jackson will swim breaststroke on the medley relay plus the 200-yard breast. Jon Burchill and Tom Chambers will swim the 220-yard butterfly and Burchill will also "fly" for the medley relay while Chambers will team up with Frank in the 200-yard individual medley.

son of four dual and triangular meet wins.

Lettermen returning to Coach Frank Sevigne's squad include high jumper Jack Cramer, a senior who turned in several fine performances during last spring's outdoor campaign.

Spring corps returnee is Lynn Headley, a junior. Hurdle monogram winners include Headley and senior Preston Love. Love has declined signing a professional football contract with the Detroit Lions in order to remain eligible for track. Love has indicated he has a verbal agreement to sign with the Lions once track is over.

Middle distance returnees are juniors Tucker Lillis and Peter Scott and seniors Strand and Jim Wendt. Wendt missed the outdoor season last year after undergoing a knee operation. Two-year lettermen Jim Murphey and George O'Boyle join junior Crook in the 440.

Distance veteran Larry Toothaker, a senior, will be joined by Mauro Altizio who missed last year's campaign due to scholastic ineligibility.

Newcomers to the squad are headlined by sprinter Charles Greene who is more than capable of setting a new Big Eight record in the 60-yard dash. Tom Millsap is the other rookie sprinter. Jamaican sophomore Ray Harvey and soph Bob Nelson will join the hurdle corps.

Adding strength in the 440 and middle distances will be Jim Ryan, Dennis Walker and Bob Zellers, all sophomores.

Rounding out the distance men are junior Jim Scherzberg, and sophs Joe Perez and Lowell Stratton.

Juniors Larry Shineman and Dick Schneible and sophomore Ron Fecht are the pole vaulters.

Lack of a broad jumper to replace Big Eight champion Victor Brooks may hurt the Huskers considerably. Sevigne will be looking for someone who can broad jump and also triple jump (an outdoor event.)

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NU Thinclads End Practice

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Hoping to improve on last year's sixth place in the Big Eight indoor meet, Nebraska thinclads are entering the last two weeks of practice before the season opener with Kansas State Feb. 6.

The Huskers have three returnees who scored points in last year's conference meet plus eleven other lettermen.

Jim Beltzer, who placed fourth in the shot put, Dave Crook, who was fifth in the 440, and Dick Strand, who along with Crook ran a leg on the second place mile relay team, are the returning point-getters.

Kent McCloughan, who also ran a leg on the relay, has signed a professional football contract and is ineligible to compete.

Husker hopes for a comeback will have to be based on peak performances of veterans and the untested strength of new additions to the squad. Two years ago, Nebraska won the indoor crown after a sea-

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