

# Huskers Are Hosts to Traveling Uclans

## Cagers Prep for Game Against California Quint . . . On Saturday Night

Just returned from the wars on the hardwoods of Indiana and Kentucky, Coach Lewandowski's Huskers basketball squad worked late last night in preparation for their face-off with the Bruins from U.C.L.A. on the coliseum court tomorrow night at 8 p. m.

Nebraska, with two losses in three starts, will be making its second appearance of the season in the home town, while U. C. L. A. comes to Lincoln with a record of one win and three losses.

### Both Good Teams.

"They were both good ball clubs," Lew stated, commenting on the eastern losses, "and Indiana had a lot of height and certainly a lot of speed. The basketball team over there gets into shape by doing cross-country running." In the Kentucky game, the Huskers went into the second half with a 16 to 15 lead, but when the game ended the Wildcats had chalked up 27 second half points to the visitors' 11 points.

The Uclans also won their opening game as they topped their strong Los Angeles neighbor, 39-36. Heading east, the Bruin five's fortunes fell. The Californians dropped a game with Creighton university's team in Omaha in a 34-18 thumping last weekend and fell before Purdue's Boilermaker cagers 37-28 on Wednesday night. Last night the same Hoosier team that beat Nebraska by 27 points rolled over Coach Wilbur John's west coast aggregation, to leave the Uclans with three losses in four starts.

### Fitzgibbon is Out.

With John Fitzgibbon, forward, injured in the Sodak game, out of the starting lineup, Lewandowski will start veteran Les Livingston in one forward position, with John Thompsen in the other. The team's high point man, Sid Held, will team with Max Young in the back court with Hartmann Goetze. The Huskers' opponents tomorrow night boast an array of ball handlers averaging well over six feet in height, and tip the scales at impressive weights. Co-captains Bob Alshuler, six foot, 200 pound guard, and Ernie Handelsman, forward, and one of the smallest men on the team at 5 ft. 11 in.,

## Phi Gams Take Over IM Lead In Sports Battle

Phi Gamma Delta took over the lead from Farm House in the interfraternity battle for the Jack Best trophy as the points earned in volleyball were added to those earned in touch football.

The Phi Gams now have 200 points towards the trophy. Farm House is running a close second with 195 points. The Betas come third with 170. This accounting of points doesn't include those earned thus far in tennis, golf, badminton and water polo.

The Phi Psis, Sigma Nus and Sig Eps are tied for fourth in the trophy race with 150 points each. ATO comes next with 140. Following the ATOS are the Kappa Sigs with 125 points. Others in the first ten are: SAE, 120; Beta Sigs, 115; and the DU's and ZBT's with 110 points apiece.

are expected to spark the invaders on the basis of past performances.

### Gittler is Bramny.

Senior guard Larry Littler, at 6-2, is another veteran, and John Fryer, junior center who stands four inches over the six footmark and tips the scales at 200 pounds will also require special attention. Fifth man in the lineup is Mickey Panovich, a six footer whose work has shown consistent improvement.

The Uclans finished fourth in Southern Division standings last year with six wins and 20 losses.

Western Maryland college has converted Levin hall, a men's dormitory, into a modern, well-equipped music conservatory.

## 'Phog' Allen Starts New Cage Year . . . At Kansas

LAWRENCE, Kan., Dec. 17—His 25th season as head basketball coach at the University of Kansas got under way for Dr. Forrest C. "Phog" Allen Wednesday night, when his Jayhawk cagers meet Denver University here in the season opener.

In the 24 seasons gone by, Doctor Allen has coached Kansas quintets to 17 conference championships or co-championships. Last year the Jayhawks won 7 Big Six games and lost 3, to finish in a tie for first place with Iowa State.

### Started in 1908.

Allen first took over the basketball reins at K. U. in 1908, after having lettered on the Jayhawk cage teams of 1905, 1906 and 1907. Championship teams were turned out by "Phog" in 1908 and 1909 at Lawrence, which ended his coaching endeavors for three years during which time he studied medicine.

Warrensburg Teachers College in Missouri was the site of Doctor Allen's next coaching activities. Starting there in 1913, he gave Warrensburg seven straight cham-

pionship basketball teams, in addition to coaching football and baseball as well.

In the fall of 1919 "Phog" became director of athletics at the University of Kansas, and before the basketball season was over was coaching that sport. His service at the university has been continuous from that time.

The most successful period of his coaching career started in 1922, when Kansas tied for the conference championship with Missouri. Doctor Allen's teams followed this co-championship up, by winning undisputed championships every year for the next five years.

The last eleven years has seen the Jayhawks fail to get at least a tie for the Big Six champion-

## Bowl Lineups

Dec. 27—North-South all-star game, Montgomery, Ala.

Jan. 1—Duke and Oregon State in the shifted Rose Bowl game, Durham, N. C.

Jan. 1—Fordham and Missouri in the Sugar Bowl, New Orleans.

Jan. 1—Georgia-Texas Christian in the Orange Bowl, Miami, Fla.

Jan. 3—East-West all-star game in the Sugar Bowl, New Orleans.

ship only on two occasions, in 1935 and in 1939. The 1940 season was climaxed by Kansas carrying the colors of the Big Six conference to the finals of the N.C.C.A. tournament.

## Basketball Scores

Cornhusker Co-op over Bachelor Club, 10 to 3.

Angels over Pioneer Co-op, 31 to 2.

Bruins over Tappa Nu Keg, 9 to 8.

Torpedos over S Street Madhouse, 9 to 8.

Buckaters over Browning Manor, 14 to 6.

Newman Club over War Mongers, 18 to 6.

Palladian over Carrie Belle Raymond Boys, 14 to 8.

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Barb Points over ACBS, II, 12 to 8.

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