

BROWNE BELIEVES NEW RULES SPEED UP GAME

Tiger Coach Contends Will Not Remedy Faults if Enforced.

Among the new basketball rules which will go into effect for the 1932 season are two known as the ten second and three second rules. These were designated to speed up the game, and Coach W. H. Browne thinks they will succeed in doing so.

The ten second rule, as explained by Coach Browne, provides that "(a) when a team gains possession of the ball in its own back field, that team must advance the ball over the center line within a period of ten seconds unless the ball, while out of control of the team, touches or is touched by an opponent. In the latter event, a new play results and the ten second period begins again when possession of the ball is regained in the back court.

"When a team has advanced the ball over the center line this team may not return the ball to its back court until (1) a try for goal has been made; or (2) a jump ball at center or elsewhere has taken place; or (3) an out of bounds award has been made; or (4) the ball has been recovered from the possession of the opponents.

"(b) When a team gains possession of the ball in its front court as the result of 1, 2, 3, or 4 under (a), it may cause the ball to go over the center line once only.

"Failure to comply with this rule is a violation, and the ball is to be awarded to the opponents out of bounds on the opposite side of the court from where the violation occurred."

To Stop Stalling.

Browne declared that the purpose of this rule was to stop stalling in the back court and to encourage more aggressive basketball that would have the action and fast playing which is more satisfying to the spectators.

"I believe it will speed up the game by discouraging stalling, and so make it more interesting for those watching," he said.

The three second rule provides that a player shall not "withhold the ball from play for more than three seconds while standing in his free throw line. Any portion of the 6-foot arc is considered the free throw line. The penalty for infraction of this rule is a violation and the ball will be awarded to the opponents on the side at the point nearest where the violation occurred."

Browne believes that this rule will also increase the action with which the game is played. However, Coach George R. Edwards, University of Missouri, does not think that the ten second rule is the proper remedy for stalling.

The Tiger mentor contends that if the new rule will not tempt the defense to spread from beneath the basket it is defending, there will be the same trouble which was encountered in previous years.

Debate on Professional Courses Will Be Dec. 19

The debate on the question "Should Professional Courses in Education be Required of College and University Teachers" which will be conducted at a dinner meeting of the Nebraska chapter of the American Association of University Professors will be held at the University club on Monday December 19. As a result of a typographical error in the Nebraska Sunday, the meeting was announced for Dec. 1. Prof. D. A. Worcester and Prof. J. L. Sellers will lead the discussion.



Just pinch-hitting for Joe Miller, the regular scrivener of this column, who is down with the flu in the overflowing infirmary, I'll take a stab at chipping off a few splinters from the Husker basketball court.

Speaking of flu brings to mind that Coach Browne has another worry to add to his string, for he's now wondering how he can keep his players clear of that ailment, what with the Arkansas tilt in the offing this next Friday evening. Wall Henrion, Brownies wiz floor man, was on the sick roster Monday so that he didn't put in his appearance at the workout, and Saturday p. m. Steve Hokuf stayed away for the same reason.

Down south that bunch of basketeers from Fayetteville is respected in a big way, for teams representing Arkansas U. took the conference laurels five years at a stretch 1926 to 1930 inclusive. Such a record of cage prowess isn't to be forgotten when the Huskers run up against the Razorbacks this week, and if the home team gets off to a good start in this contest it will mean a lot in the eyes of its followers in the wake of that disastrous schedule last year.

Bud Parsons, Sophomore forward, who several seasons ago performed athletically for Stuart Baller at Jackson high, is showing up in top-notch style on the maples thus far this winter. At the present writing it appears that Bud has a forward post bagged following his flashy exhibition of goal-hawking against the second stringers Saturday afternoon. The tall fellow came in at the beginning of the second half and immediately tallied eight field goals, and also did right by himself as far as floorwork and defense were concerned.

On the Freshman squad there is a pair of guards which fans hereabouts expect to go places. Virgil Yelkin and Lloyd Wampler, said flippers, have played together at Lincoln high and elsewhere for four or five years and it is hard to know which one is the better. However, leaving all futile and uncalled-for judgment aside it is a cinch that this pair can be expected to put forth an A 1 brand of basketball in the future.

Coach Bible, who has endured his cold along with the rest of us, is now up and around to his duties again, altho he doesn't feel exactly fit for a May frolic as yet.

KUCERA TO ADDRESS CLUB

Lincoln Bishop Will Talk To Catholic Students December 18.

The Rt. Rev. Louis B. Kucera, bishop of the diocese of Lincoln, will address the Catholic students of the university next Sunday, Dec. 18, at 2:30 at the Newman club house.

The Newman club, which is the only organization appealing to the members of the Roman Catholic faith only, is in its second year of existence on this campus. Its main purpose is to sponsor closer relationship between students of that faith thru the medium of entertainments. Monthly communion breakfasts are held in addition to numerous other social activities.

The bishop in his address will point out to all those who attend, the merits of belonging to such an organization and the benefits derived therefrom. The meeting is open to anyone interested, and a cordial invitation is extended to attend.

SIXTY TURN OUT FOR FROSH BASKETBALL

Koster, Petz Put First Year Men Thru Drills on Fundamentals.

With sixty men reporting Monday afternoon Coaches Koster and Petz put their freshman proteges thru a fundamentals drill, passing, pivoting, and dribbling taking up the major part of the period. A number of plays were also worked out with eight picked men taking their turns at handling the sphere.

The forwards working out the formations were Johnny Parilek diminutive cager from last year's state champion Crete quintet, Bernie Scherer, Merrill Morriss, ex-Jackson high goal hawk, and Everett Martin, performer on last winter's Waverly five. Scherer also saw service at center, Virgil Yelkin, Lincoln player of two seasons back, alternating between the pivot post and guard. In the rear line were posted Whitaker, ace performer from St. Joseph, Mo., Jim Dunn, all-stater hailing from Hastings, and Lloyd Wampler, who was guard mate with Yelkin at Lincoln high two years ago.

The Frosh engaged the varsity in a short scrimmage to top off the drill, the Husker first team re-

W. A. A. Bowling.

Tuesday, Dec. 13.

- 4:00 1. Sigma Delta Tau vs Phi Beta Phi (3).
2. Delta Zeta (2) vs Alpha Xi Delta (3).
3. Alpha Chi Omega (3) vs Chi Omega (4).
4. Theta Phi Alpha vs Kappa Delta (3).

5:00 1. Delta Gamma (1) vs Delta Delta (4).

2. Huskerettes vs Phi Beta Phi (2).
3. Delta Gamma (2) vs Alpha Xi Delta (1).
4. Phi Mu (1) vs Delta Delta (1).

Wednesday, Dec. 14.

- 4:00 1. Delta Gamma (4) vs Phi Omega Pi.
2. Phi Beta Phi (1) vs Alpha Chi Omega (1).
3. Alpha Xi Delta (2) vs Gamma Phi Beta (3).

5:00 1. Sigma Kappa (1) vs Alpha Phi (2).

2. Howard Hall vs Delta Gamma (6).
3. Delta Zeta (1) vs Hobby club (1).
4. Kappa Delta (4) vs Alpha Omicron Pi (2).

Thursday, Dec. 15.

- 4:00 1. Chi Omega (3) vs Phi Mu (2).
2. Delta Gamma (5) vs Delta Delta (2).
3. Delta Zeta (1) vs Alpha Delta Theta (3).

5:00 1. Kappa Delta (1) vs Sigma Eta Chi.

2. Alpha Phi (1) vs Alpha Delta Theta (2).
3. Chi Omega (2) vs Alpha Chi Omega (1).

Friday, Dec. 16.

- 4:00 1. Gamma Phi Beta (1) vs Phi Beta Phi.
2. Kappa Delta (2) vs Delta Gamma (7).
3. Delta Gamma (3) vs Kappa Kappa Gamma (2).

5:00 1. Alpha Delta Pi (1) vs Alpha Chi Omega (2).

2. Alpha Omicron Pi (1) vs Delta Delta (2).
3. Kappa Alpha Theta (2) vs Chi Omega (1).
4. Gamma Phi Beta (2) vs Hobby club (2).

ceiving a workout on the defense against the first year men's play.

MU PHI EPSILON INITIATES EIGHT GIRLS SATURDAY

Mu Gamma chapter of Mu Phi Epsilon, national musical honorary society, initiated eight girls at the home of Mrs. Lefferdink on Saturday evening December 10. The new members are Lillian Kandell, Evelyn Pierpoint, Elizabeth Hoirigan, Ruth Burkholder, Marian Dunlady, Thelma James, Marian Williamson, and Thais Mickey.

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