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Ex-Cornhusker Guard Keeps

Oury Recalls Era of Iron Men in Nebraska Football TEAM TO STADIUM

Those were the days when players had no helmets, and any man Head of R.O.T.C. Describes in the line could carry the ball. Gridiron Competition Back in '93-'97.

By John Stuart.

(Editor's note; This is the first of a secter of articles describing Buskey sports stars of former years, or some of the present day faculty who were superior at other universities. This material is pre-sented to you through the collaboration of several of the members of the Nebraskan sports staff.) ports staff.)

Few students realize that Colonel W. H. Oury, professor of military science and tactics, was a Baseball fans watching the diagreat football player years ago at Nebraska when a student here, mond team work out on the Ag lot are hopeful that the 1938 ediand later as manager of the team tion will win more games than first provided for playing home did last year's squad. Particugames on the campus.

Although weighing only 175, the colonel lettered four years, which was possible then, playing tackle from 1893 through 1897. In those days the rules were somewhat different, allowing three downs to make five yeards. The playing time consisted of two 45 minute halves with no rest periods at the quarters. This led to the development of iron men and since the entire team had only two or three substitutes, the players simply had to "stick it out," En-

recalled with interest a game with who was a professional boxer, and who practically made piecemeal of the finally ended in a row.

ALAN GOULD LAUDS

OUR BIFF TO SKIES

The pigskin was snapped back to the quarterback who could not



COL. W. H. QURY

thusiasm waxed strong at some of the contests and Colonel Oury carry the spheroid, but simply The weight of the forward wall lege in Kansas, and Doane.

as I. See It

By June Bierbower.



As manager of the team through 1896-'98, Oury had heavy responsibility on his shoulders, as he had to hire the coach, schedule games, arrange for a place to play, and provide the uniforms. All this he did during his last two years of football competition and also the year after, before leaving for the Spanish-American war.

Moves Playing Field.

Up to this time, all the games had previously been played at M for use yesterday. street park, but Oury staged all the home contests on the campus proper. Laying off the site where the engineering buildings now Kansas State meet. Then, the first stand, Oury erected bleachers and surrounded them by a canvas he leaned in too far on a curve fence.

Colonel Oury was never captain of his team but was beaten politically by George Dern, later sec-retary of war. Oury still keeps in condition by performing regularly setting up exercises and his interest in football has never waned.

Since Minnesota was too forhanded it to one of the backs, or midable an opponent in those days the atheletic club out at Danver, one of the linemen pulled out, Nebraska contented itself with in which he played opposite a man came racing around, and took the playing in its league, consisting pill. This required three men to of Iowa, Missouri, and Kansas weight events and the javelin, All ractically made piecemeal handle the ball on each play, the universities, later the nucleus of three weight events and the javelin, All three weight men-Mills, Brock, first ten minutes. As the game toter. Although playing tackle, outside the circuit were scheduled went on, things got rougher and Oury made frequent touchdowns. with Drake, Grinnell, Baldwin col-

RIFLEMEN GET THIRD



Tracksters Will Concentrate On Weight Events. Shot, Javelin,

Coach Schulte moved his Husker cindermen down onto the track George Seeman, announcing his ican plunger demonstrating to his around the football field yesterday for the first time this year. Up to now the trackmen have Up to now the trackmen have on the reserves, in the only major pigskin thru the ozone. Without worked out on the hill with the change during the past week of the aid of his shoes, which he had football squad, waiting for the spring football practice, track to be put in shape. A squad of workers were busy on the track upward climb from the fourth

Saturday, and had it all ready squad two weeks ago until now he is tapping at the varsity door. Anton Krejci continues to be An ankle injury kept him off the the hard luck man of the track gridiron last fall. The other re-

gridiron last fall. The other reteam. First he hurt his leg in the placement of the second squad was that of Walter Luther for Hugo Hoffman, halfback, who, unable he leaned in too far on a curve and bruised his shoulder against financial difficulties, has reported one of the concrete posts in the for baseball. Hoffman stands out indoor track. And now that his there, having had several offers shoulder is sufficiently recovered from big time clubs, among which to enable him to work out, he is the House of David, and he has been scouted by the major league gets a down slip in physics, which will probably keep him from seeteams. Hoffman's absence and Luing any action for several weeks, ther's filling his shoes results in general stepup with Theo Consentrate on Discus, Javelin, 2 Thompson, Bud Cather, and Henry With the best weather the team has had yet this year, intense Overstake each swinging up work has been begun on the notch.

Layoff With Injury.

Wing Tangle.

three weight men-Mills, Brock. The merry mixup continues and Pfeiff-spent some time yes- among the wings as Frank Elam, terday on both the shot and the after displaying his wares during discus. After a two weeks' layoff, scrimmage last Saturday, jumped Mills is very rusty. He had dif- from the sixth squad to the fourth.

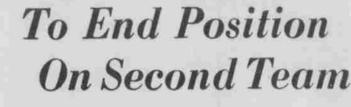
the shot yesterday, while during ing him back down the ladder to taken off. Charlie Brock, rubust the indoor season, he bettered fifth place. In the fourth outfit center put out zeveral 69 yard forty-nine feet, Pfeiff, kept out of Bill Iverson and Kahler squeezed kicks but was very incondisional football practice for a few days out Leo Hann and Herb Knick- Dohson, Robrig, and Ville Francis with an infected leg, will devote rehm while no one seems secure took a swing al pinceh change all

Chous,

be guests this noon of the junior chamber of commerce at a dinner to be served at the commerce building. Thursday noon the same

Lions club.

Coach Kyle, of Tarkio



Omaha Husky Makes Strong Dodd, Phelps, Callihan and Plock Comeback After Year's

Howell, Francis Visit.

PAGE THREE

Johnny Howell and Sam Francis were guest visitors at drill last

Glad tidings reached the cars of night with the former All Amerpromotion and resulting replace- kid brother Vike, "Bus" Knight, ment of Prochaska as flankman and Harry Hopp, how to boot the



GEORGE SEEMAN

the three

Encentive watm to remains intact with Grimm and was on pass difference there was Kahler at ends. Schwartzkopf and no seriamage, but there was Mills at tackle, Pfeiff and Dobson of rest follow ar Shith day's star

DA'RY JUDGING CONTEST WINNERS NAMED TO HIGHT

PRESENTS CONCERT Englund to Announce Gattle Results; Lowenstein,

> Product Awards. Winners of the dairy products judging contest held last Thursday and the dairy cattle judging contest held last Saturday will be an-

Results of the two contexts, par-

STUDENT OPINION

(Continued from Page 1.)

the direction of public opinion

express its commendation of your

forthcoming poll of college stu-

dents," writes Estelle M. Stern-

berger, executive director of

World Peaceways, in a letter to

the Herald, "A poll is a very ef-

fective method for getting people

to make up their minds on cur-

"World Peaceways desires to

in international affairs."

ON PEACE TODAY

The university men's glee club nounced at 7:15 tonight in the au-This famous sports writer con- team in the past few years. They the Missouri Valley meet to be doors the Red team has won three of 48 voices, directed by W. G. ditorium of the dairy building on Tempel will present the next pub- the Ag campus, members of the lic program in the series of con-Varsity Dairy

before being pulled up by Dohrman's throw from While watching the practice we ran into an Vike Francis, acquaint a n c e who used to be quite a baseball player around here a few years ago and of course we asked him how he was coming with his game. The story he reported was a tale

of woe. He said that he had been playing with a team that was run by a clique and because he was not a member of the inner circle he had not been able to make good. On top of that, our friend confided, there were others on the squad who could play better than members of the inner circle but because these players didn't hang around at the same drug store as the powers that be, they couldn't play with the first team.

Ears

Elwood Randol

BASEBALL FANS

HOPEFUL

larly impres-sive was the

batwork turned

in by Dow Wil-

son, member of

the 1936 Olym-

son tagged one

on the nose to

go three bases

pic team.

center

Wil-

So often persons in control of the team will sacrifice the quality of the squad to improve personal friendship. Outside observers sometimes wonder why a team does not prove up to the material at hand and can't quite see why the best players available are not used. These conditions often crop out in the most unexpected places and a team's inability to win games can sometimes be explained friends into the game regardless to whether or not they can play the game as well as those not in the clique

Footballers Improve.

Major Jones' charges showed quite a bit of improvement over last Saturday's showing. The line built, husky men, but only actual ing, and with Dow "Olympic" Wilwas blocking better and the teams seemed to be working together better than they did a week ago. inexperience on the other side of The Biffer has only three weeks the scales. left in spring drill, and it is ex-pected that what stars the team



York Gould expanded his statement should be rewarded. and said that Major Jones be-

longed to that group of six or seven most outstanding coaches in baseball team may be stronger conflict could tell whether they son to plug the shorstop gap which are rugged enough to outbalance

setup with its one university, fine

Nehraska's Only Woman Sports Writer. Although this item is some three

team, and Nep received that honor because the broken bone in his ankle that he suffered while in doing the big apple kept him out

editor for the Associated Press, man, was named on the team because he really did hop to it. Tom Members of the team, Robert Avtrip from the A. A. U. basketball Telegram originated the team, inby some such clique putting tournament in Denver to New sisting that the boys who give the

. . .

It looks as though Nebraska's ing, and with Dow "Olympic" Wilhas been so bothersome lately.

This famous sports writer con-sidered the alfaifa state an ideal poor teams or the fairly good ones.

Dick Vana, former Creighton

Here in April.

Nebraska advanced marksmen placed third in the Camp Perry Rifle meet held at Kemper Military Academy in Booneville, Mo.

Meany of the New York World ery, Fred Bodie, Clifford Thomp-

husker school placed eighth in the sary in various track events. On matches with a total of 677. On last Wednesday's program, Schulte the squad were Verne Jamison, John Folson, Sterling Dobbs and the shot. Tomorrow he will deal Robert Fenstermacher. Kansas State won the advanced shooting honors and Iowa State the basic. If the first outdoor tri-color meet of the year is scheduled for next

Nebraska has been a funny the Nebraska rifle teams will be all of which have been held in-

held in Lincoln early in April, Ne- and the Orange one.

IN CAMP PERRY MEET Noted Sports Commentator Bats Editorially months old, we don't think it's Huskers Defend Missouri This time it's the "All-Geofy" Valley Championship

most of his time during the next in the sixth, seventh, and eighth proving accurate week to the shot and discus. Eldon Frank, who took third in is most pronounced.

The men who made the trips to Minnesota and to Columbia will

ions club. Coach Schulte will go on the air MEN'S GLEE GROUP group will be entertained by the

"Biff" Jones states that posi-

at guards, Brock at center, and workout

sisting that the boys who give the score of 699 points which was sport humor, oddity, and madness bested only by Kansas State and should be rewarded. Basic riflemen from the Corn- men will discuss the form neces-

explained the fine points of putting

Last competition this season for Tuesday. Of the first four meets,

ficulty in getting forty feet with replacing Fred Preston and push-

squads where the general shapeup again the sph road frond its ray is most pronounced. tions on the various squads are first day of sprint perchade an merely "experimental, temporary, outdoor chulk take which the boys tentative, and subject to change sourtling on the gross must the at any time." The first string still blackboard. Emphasize of the orde

has will begin to show at the end of the period.

second string showed up in The good form, running the oval over into pay dirt twice while they any bad slumps or off seasons, to Minnesota, Big Ten champion were in the game. A passing combination of Phelps and Kahler seems to be working well and should prove to be valuable next fall. Francis was hitting the line for good gains while he was in the game and demonstrated a fine sense of direction in picking his way thru the holes opened by the line.

. . . GRID SQUAD HAS MANY STARS

Every player a star. That phrase packs 'em in at the theater and as we watched the scrimmage Saturwe watched the scrimmage Satur-day we noted that those words will fit the 1938 Cornhusker foot-out of the Big Ten, thus leaving a Minnesola U's team hall team if it continues to develop in the present manner. Of course all of the stars don't click at one all of the stars don't click at one time but when one star suffers a relapse on some particular Satur-sports commentator believed that day another can be substituted in his place.

Without the aid of a special trip to the files we seem to remember that Minnesota once came here with Pug Lund definitely billed as the star of the Stan Kosta was subgame stituted for Lund in the game and the former stole the show. The Huskers had been prepared to stop Lund but Kosta being an unknown was able to pull the plays with ease.

Other examples of the same thing could be recited but they would just take up valuable space. All of this boils down to the fact that if a different player is capaopposition won't know which one look out for. This is the goal of Major Jones and it looks like his team next fall will be just that, at least that is the way they look in spring practice. First it is Vike Francia, then George Porter, then national tournament this year. Phelps and a host of other oacks Knight will leave for Penn State having a field day, the team should go places.

HUSKER BOXERS TO HOLD **PUNCH-FEST TOMORROW**

Entrants in Annual Contest To Compete in Eight Weight Divisions.

The meet was postponed from heavyweight. March 14 because too few men had entered. Harold Petz, in charge of the show, reports that by now a sufficiently large number of entries has been turned in to guarantee the success of the show.

Eight weight divisions will be entered. Any men wishing to enter who have not already done so. should submit their entries to either Harold Petz at the intrasometime today.

port of the institution and its in knocking off the big boys oc-teams, and since it has never had should continue to prosper and at the time, by a football-sized always have a wealth of material. score, then came back to beat As for linking up with the Big them the next day. Last year they Not that the Huskers couldn't later beat Oklahoma two days

doing, but from the geographical the Browns beat the Yanks once itely scheduled for April 5, at Norstandpoint. He considered Iowa in a while. on the outer edge, believing that By the way, Nebraskans will the Hawkeyes would have diffi- get to see Sam Chapman. All- their way home from the season's American footballers, when Caliculty scheduling games with their conference foes if the circuit did formia plays here in May. He is not demand each team having so said to be as good an outfielder April 2. a as a backfielder. Well, we shall many such contests. Gould,

vacancy into which the Cornhuskers might step. sotans, and Gopher because Minnesota is nicknamed the Gopher basketball was on a par over the entire country, but the Indiana and Missouri Valley teams were state. Minnesolans feel about it, but the name Vikings seems preferable, extremely enthusiastic over the for one dictionary calls a gopher: sport, yet in his estimation Tem-A rat-like rodent. ple had the wonder team of the vear.

This is the first time Alan all-ster basketball teams? It has Gould has hit Lincoln since Pittsalways been our impression that burgh wiped the Corthuskers in valuable" players were selected. the dirt in Memorial stadium two but the selectors of the all A. A. U. years ago with a rubdown of 19-6. tournament team seem to have a

different idea. Fred Pralle, whose basket in the final seconds of play KNIGHT ENTERS NATIONAL gave the Kansas City Healeys the championship, and whose inspira-WRESTLING TOURNAMENT tional play especially in the last two games was the feature of the ble of starring in each game the Coach Adams, Dr. R. G. Clapp tournament, was voter the "most valuable player," but only made To Account Matman the second ali-tourney team. Pralle's play in the last game was To Penn State. certainly worthy of first team consideration, if the radio broadcast Only one Husker wrestler, Jim Knight, 126, will compete in the of the game was anywhere near national tournament this year. accurate,

have their day. With a team that tonight, accompanied by Coach football star, is about ready to en-clicks and one of the ball luggers Jerry Adam and Dr. R. G. Clapp, ter movies. He works in a Los chairman of the national rules Angeles jewelry store, and has had committee. The meet will be held several offers ... Missouri has a Friday and Saturday.

sophomore javelin thrower, Bob Knight has been the Husker's Waldram, who bettered 210 feet high scorer for the last two years. consistently last year ... He holds Last year he placed third in the the Missouri state high school recconference in the 126 pound class. ord... Don Johnson, Missouri back-This year he weighed in at 135 field man, played in 1935, was inup until the last dual meet, which eligible in 1936, played again in was with Cornell, when he moved 1937, but is ineligible for 1938. back down to his old weight of 126. He won second place in the Big Six meet this year at 135. ...John Pritchard, the Loup City, Big Six meet this year at 135.

A large number of entries has been received in the last few days for the all university boxing show, thing classes. Webster will be as-the true oncre. is given credit by Okla-homans, at least, for having thrown the discus farther than any stated. for the all university boxing show, thing classes. Webster will be as-which is slated for tomorrow night. sisted by Bill Sandusky, promising other American-168 feet-last year ... However, Archie Harris, a

colored high school senior from somewhere in New Jersey, did 175 Dale Embers, McPherson col-lege, has driven 28,800 miles for a college education. He travels 20 miles a day to and from classes.

Dr. W. S. McNutt, Arkansas college professor, is a candidate for governor in Arkansas.

The League of American Writers mural office or to Harold Math- is offering \$1,000 in prizes to col-ews, university boxing instructor, lege students for essays on the broke the American J. C. record for that event. Spanish conflict.

However, they do seem to delight

HUSKER CINDERMEN OPEN **DUAL SCHEDULE APRIL 5**

keep company with the teams in that conference, which he believed they would have little trouble in the trouble in the game, though, for even the second track season has been defin-The first dual meet of the out-

> opener, the Texas Relays, which will be held at Austin, Texas on

A squad of workmen were getting the track around the football field ready for use, Saturday, Schulte expects to take his boys Minnesola U.'s teams have al-ways been called Vikings or Godown off from the hill, where they have been working out so far, and phers; Vikings because of the put them on the regular track this Norse descent of so many Minneafternoon

Only a very few men turned out for the special opportunity which We don't know how Schulte offered to nearby high schools, to use the Husker track on Friday and Saturday afternoons. On these days, the Husker coaches and varsity men will assist Would someone please inform us to what kind of players make come to the stadium to practice.

PENN STATE SEEKS MODERN EDUCATION

New Division Gives History Of American Cultural, Social Groups.

PHILADELPHIA. (ACP). The University of Pennsylvania here has created a department of American civilization to train students who wish to specialize in the development of social and cultural panied by Coach H. W. "Bill" Hardevelopment of social and cultural giss. institutions.

The course deals with American literary, political, social and economic history, and is described as being in line "with the modern trend in education which breaks down when necessary the tradi- in the dash and low hurdles, tional limits of university departments of instruction in order to meet the real needs of students." One of the features of the course will be its stressing of the conflict of ideas and means of determining the rightness or wrongness of these ideas. "When 'authorities' flatly contradict each other or per-

petuate rumors as history, a uni-versity which is older than the nation itself has a duty to present the truth from the liberal rather from a tory or a radical stand-point," one of the course leaders

Augustana college faculty members sponsored a recuperation party for students who had just finished examinations.

Lincoln, Net

feet in a meet last spring... U. S. C.'s freshman basketball teams have won 77 games in a row. The Yes, Filbert, those Indiana boys certainly know how to play bas-ketball...Gene Littler, 1937 Ne-DAVIS SCHOOL SERVICE braska high school sprint cham-"A Good Teachers Agency pion from Mitchell, ran on the 1918-1938 Compton (Calif.) Junior College Come in and See Us

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field during that school's spring o'clock in the coliseum. vacation. The men will work out daily until next Saturday. Also using the Husker track now is a group of Teachers' College High School men, who took their first workout yesterday.

UNFAVORABLE WEATHER CUTS K.U. CAGE PROFIT Dougall,

Finish of '38 Maple Season Finds Jayhawks \$1,000

Under Last Year.

LAWRENCE.-Basketball records at the University of Kansas reveal \$9,678.70 as the Kansas share of receipts in games the Jayhawks played this year. Last year the amount was \$10,402.03.

son as compared to 19 last sector. The smaller receipts are attributed partially to sleet and snow during the three days, Dec. 13, 14 and 15, when the Jayhawks were playing three successive home games.

Attendance increased this set son over last, 46,904 to 43,647. Three home games this year drew larger crowds than any home game last season, the Missouri, Nebraska and Iowa State contests.

11 Kansas Trackmen Go To Chicago for Armour Tech Relays This Week

LAWRENCE, March 21. Eleven University of Kansas track men will go to Chicago this week end to compete in the Armour ustes.

The men will compete in three relays, the 70 yard dash and the 70 yard low hurdles. Paul Masoner, quarterback on the football team, and Lyle Foy will compete

Four large heating units have been installed in the indoor track under the cast stadium wing and training facilities are now far superior to anything the Jayhawk track men have had before.

Radio Comedienne Gracie Allen clude various ph: 28 of the manuis offering a bearskin prize as an facturing of spark plugs in the award of ingenuity to the man factory, graduating from college with the races will also be shown in the lowest marks.

has brought six of his men to certs being sponsored by the uni-Lincoln to use the Husker practice versity, Sunday, March 27, at 3 charge of the contest, have announced. Medals and ribbons will

Soloists

In Coliseum Program

Sunday, March 27.

be given to the winners The program includes choral numbers by the give club and also three solo events. Dale Ganz will be formally announced by will be formally announced by will present two baritone solos. Wallace Englund in charge of the Duane Harmon will offer a trumdairy cattle division, and Morrison pet solo, and Louise Stapleton will Loewenstein, who was in charge sing

of products, All those who judged Accompanists for the glee club and any others interested are inwill be Warren Hammei and Dick vited to attend. NEBRASKAN POLLS

Appear

Both the glee club and the symphony orchestra, under the direction of Don A. Lentz, will present concerts in various communities of the state during the next.

few weeks. **433 GRADUATE STUDENTS** SEEK ADVANCED DEGREES Kansas played 21 games this sea- Arts and Science Attract Largest Percentage Of Scholars.

rent issues. The greatest danger Four hundred and thirty-three to a nation's peace is loose thinkgraduate students were registered ing on the part of its citizens. 1 in the graduate college of the uni- am sure the students of the counversity the second semester, ac- try will seize the opportunity you cording to the report issued by provide and so prepare themselves Dean F. W. Upson. Of this total to stand on solid ground when 71 men and 12 women were work- any hour of decision in our naing for Ph. D. degrees: 146 men tional affairs arises.

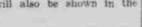
and women were registered for a Master of Arts degree and 107 for a Master of Science degree. Four students were working for advanced degrees in engineering. while 93 did not designate any certain degree. Forty students were registered for courses in the graduate school of social work; while 32 were taking advanced work in secondary education and



A.S.C.E. to See Movies **Of Spark Plug Factory** Motion pictures will entertain members of the A. S. C. E. at their

regular meeting this Wednesday .n room 102 of Mechanical Arts building. L. C. Fitzsimmons, a repre sentative of the Champion Spark Plug Manufacturing company, is in charge o hfte presentation of the movie and the pictures will in-

Car and motorcycle





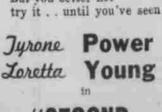




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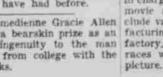
> Here's Something New for Nebraska!

But you better not



"SECOND HONEYMOON"

Starting Thursday LINCOLN



man, Okla., with the Sooners. The Huskers will stop at Norman on