



by June Bierbower.

When some of those in attendance at the Biff Jones dinner given by Norfolk alums started twitting the Biffer about the Huskers losing to Missouri last fall, Jones said he was entirely to blame and told this story about it:

As the Huskers were leaving a hotel in Booneville Saturday morning after being quartered there that night, a Negro porter told Biff he was betting on Missouri. He said no team which had stayed in that hotel the night before a game had ever beaten the Tigers. But it was too late then.

Kansas State may be a power to be heeded in the Big Six race this winter... they beat Creighton in Omaha, and then traveled to Lawrence Friday night and the best Phog Allen's powerful Jay-hawks could do was a one-point victory... Nile Kinnick gave up basketball to study after playing his soph year... now he's losing almost as much study time by traveling around the country to receive trophies... Pitt lettermen are organizing a varsity lettermen's club... they have an alumni club, but nothing which corresponds with this school's "N" club of lettermen in college.

Ward Haylett, Kansas State's fine track coach, may be the next track mentor at UCLA, according to reports out of Manhattan. Haylett, when asked whether or not he might leave K-State, said "it might be."

He denied having received any formal offer, but the dope is that UCLA is definitely interested in him. UCLA's present track coach is only a part time man, and they're interested in expanding their athletic program.

Said rumor started after Haylett had returned from California, where he saw the Rose Bowl game and attended the NCAA meeting. Should Haylett leave, it won't be the first time a high class coach has been grabbed off the K-State campus. Indiana got Bo McMillan, and Northwestern took Lynn Waldorf from the football coaching job there.

Christy Walsh, head of the all-American board of football, has Herman Rohrig and Warren Alfson definitely in mind for recognition on next year's team, if they and the Huskers show the suc-

Mizzou whips Huskers, 46-33

Tigers pile up 26-9 lead at half-time

Bill Harvey leads MU with 14 points; Randall paces Huskers

COLUMBIA, Mo. — Missouri's basketball team ran up a 26-9 advantage at half-time last night to coast thru to a 46-33 win, as the tight Tiger defense held the Huskers to their lowest scoring total of the season.

Missouri, co-champions of the Big Six, won their tenth game in a row at home, and their fifth straight against Nebraska, as Bill Harvey, ace forward, paced them with four fielders and six free tosses.

Lobsiger stars.

Captain John Lobsiger led the Missouri defense, which shut out Nebraska for the last seven minutes of the opening period. Al Randall, with four baskets, led the scoring for the Huskers, while Harry Pitcaithley and Don Fitz, leading Nebraska scorers got but five and three counters respectively. Forward Clay Cooper got 11 points to aid the Tiger cause.

It was Missouri's first conference start, and the second for the Huskers, who beat Iowa State 44-28 Monday night.

Add game leaders course 2nd term

Recreational leadership will take its place in the curriculum of ag college this next semester for the first time when Ralph Copenhaver, agricultural extension recreation specialist, offers a course featuring community activities.

The new course, Rural Economics 114, is a direct outgrowth of the hobby groups developed on the agricultural campus through the efforts of the creative activities board.

The game leadership club, one of the most active of the groups, has aroused enough interest so that faculty members approved the addition of the new course which will cover social recreation, picnic activities, development of hobbies, and other community programs.

cess which should be in store for them in 1940. He saw the East-West game, and got a good line on them from Husker Sam Schwartzkopf. Walsh put Bud Kerr of Notre Dame and John Haman of Northwestern on his all-star team this year, but the boys didn't do so well in the East-West game, all of which made Mr. Walsh regret somewhat his decision to honor them.

Nebraska wrestling team opens season against Iowa State Teachers Saturday night

Coach Jerry Adam's Husker wrestlers open their 1940 season Saturday night against Iowa State Teacher's here after the "B" team-Tarkio basketball team, and it will be an inexperienced outfit that goes against the tutors.

Only four lettermen from last year are reporting, with Milton Kuska, 121 pounds, Colby, Kas.; Lee Clare, 145, Lincoln; Ray Tomes, 165, Utica, and George Seemann, heavyweight, Omaha.

Captaining the Huskers Saturday night will be Lee Clare, as the Adam-men go into their only first semester meet. The match was originally set for March, but was moved up to January 20 in order not to conflict with the Big Six meet in Ames, March 8 and 9.

Gone from last year's team is Jim Knight, 128 pounder, who scored more points in his varsity career than any man in Nebraska history. Bill Luke, Paul Fidler and Julius Wittmann have been lost by the three year eligibility rule, while Shelley Condon and Herb Rosenthal are not in school.

New men who will probably see action Saturday night are Ed McConnell, Lincoln, 128; George Cockle, Omaha, 135; Newton

Copple, Lincoln, 155; Art Adams, Lincoln, light-heavyweight.

Sam Salerno, state high school champion in the 120 pound class while attending Omaha South, and later an AAU titleholder, will not be eligible until next semester, but will strengthen the team considerably when he joins it.

Adams, ex-Lincoln high football star, and an outstanding student, shines among the newcomers. Adams is the fastest man on the squad, and Coach Adam expects his rangy 175-pounder to furnish plenty of points this year.

Cockle and Copple, who won their respective divisions in this year's all-university meet, are good prospects, but like McConnell all need experience, and are being pressed by a number of other candidates.

Seemann is facing tough competition this year from Dick Stastny, all-university champion from Wilber, and Royal "Kink Kong" Kahler, Grand Island griddler who played beside Seemann in the Husker line this fall. Kahler's weight is up around the 230 mark, and he and Stastny, who beat him in the all-school finals are press-

ing Seemann, who reported late this season.

Other aspiring candidates are Bob McLeod, Hot Springs, S. D., and Al Mulliken, Nickerson, both juniors and 175 pounders. Other sophomores still in the running are Ernie Lauver and Roger Anderson, Lincoln, 135; Ray Crawford, Alliance, 145; Dick Smith, Lincoln, 145; Ken Husemoller, Lincoln, 155; Harold Walkup, York, 155; Dave Christie, Omaha, Clarence Bucholz, Bancroft, Bud Vakoc, Verdel, all 165 pounders.

Highlight of the season is an eastern trip on which the Huskers will go against Michigan State, Chicago and Illinois. Another trip lists Iowa State and Grinnell, while Minnesota and Iowa will appear here. The other meet is with Kansas State at Manhattan.

The schedule: Jan. 20, Iowa State Teachers here; Friday 8, Michigan State at East Lansing; Feb. 9, Chicago at Chicago; Feb. 10, Illinois at Urbana; Feb. 18, Minnesota here; Feb. 16, Iowa State at Ames; Feb. 17, Grinnell at Grinnell; Feb. 24, Kansas State at Manhattan; March 2, Iowa here; March 8-9, Big Six meet at Ames.



Dark Horse, Brown Palace wins feature barb cage play

By Earl Hunt.

The Dark Horse cagers' 68 to 1 trouncing of Johnson hall in League 4, and Brown Palace's 42 to 5 victory over Tappa Kegga in League 3 featured last week's barb league play.

Grovert, a guard, hit the hoop for 18 points and Robinson, speedy forward, followed closely with 16 points in the Dark Horse win. Rosenburg scored Johnson hall's lone tally. Stroh accounted for 11 points and Kock for 10 to lead the scoring in the Brown Palace fray.

Results in League 1 show a 18 to 7 win for KKK over Raymond hall. Schultz was high for KKK with 7 counters. The Pied Pipers beat 330 Club 9 to 5 in a low scoring duel. Anderson topped the Pipers with four points, and Lovick made four of 330 Club's tallies.

In League 2, the Hoosier Hot Shots turned back Cornhusker Co-op, 18 to 13, with Hot Shot's forward Kovarik high with nine counters. Barbed Points 15 to 10 victory over Stratford, and Baldwin hall's 9 to 3 loss to the Termites, in another slow moving game, wound up the league play.

The Juggernauts eked out a 12 to 7 decision over the Cornshellers in League 3 as Vrtiska lead the point-making with five goals. Boughtn and Ossino scored four apiece in the Union Leaders' 12 to 8 win over the Mustangs.

Forward Blaine's 23 points sparked the Commanders to a 35 to 7 beating administered to the Dirty Irish in the remaining League 4 tussle. The ACBC-Brown Derbies scheduled battle was postponed.

Water polo play nears finish

With three wins apiece chalked up on the credit side of their ledgers, Sigma Nu, Alpha Tau Omega and Sigma Alpha Epsilon stand in undisputed leadership of their respective water polo leagues. The Phi Psi's, formerly tied with Kappa Sigma and the Sig Eps for first, are leading League 4 thru their victories over Sigma Chi and the Sig Eps, but the Kappa Sig's have a game yet to be played.

Playing out their tie with Acacia in League 1, the Sigma Nu's poured on the steam for a 9 to 0 defeat. The Theta Xi's dropped from the league, and their games with Acacia, Alpha Sigma Phi, and Chi Phi were forfeited to these teams. Alpha Sigma Phi bested the Chi Phi's, 1 to 0, in the only other match played.

Deadlocked with the Phi Games in League 3, the Sig Alphas staged a mighty water battle to oust them, 12 to 5. The Phi Deltas won by forfeit over Farm House.

The Phi Psi's broke the three-way stalemate in League 4 by beating Sigma Chi, 5 to 6; then turned around and blanked the Sig Eps, 1 to 0. Neither team showed up for the Kappa Sigma-Sigma Chi tussle, and a loss was credited to each outfit. The match scheduled for the Kappa Sig's and Sig Eps was postponed.

Remaining barb cage schedule

LEAGUE 1.

- 330 vs. Commanders, Jan. 15.
- Dirty Irish vs. KKK, Jan. 15.
- Raymond Hall vs. Regular Fellows, Jan. 15.
- Pied Pipers vs. Commanders, Jan. 17.
- 330 Club vs. Dirty Irish, Jan. 17.
- KKK vs. Regular Fellows, Feb. 15.
- Pied Pipers vs. Raymond Hall, Jan. 22.
- Dirty Irish vs. Regular Fellows, Jan. 22.
- Commanders vs. KKK, Jan. 22.
- 330 Club vs. Raymond Hall, Feb. 5.
- Commanders vs. Regular Fellows, Feb. 5.
- Pied Pipers vs. Dirty Irish, Feb. 19.
- 330 Club vs. KKK, Feb. 7.
- Pied Pipers vs. Regular Fellows, Feb. 7.
- Dirty Irish vs. Raymond Hall, Feb. 7.
- Pied Pipers vs. KKK, Feb. 12.
- 330 Club vs. Regular Fellows, Feb. 12.
- Commanders vs. Raymond Hall, Feb. 15.

LEAGUE 2.

- Baldwin Hall vs. Cornhusker Co-Op, Jan. 15.
- Hoosier Hot Shots vs. Stratford, Jan. 15.
- Barbed Points vs. Browning Club, Jan. 15.
- Termites vs. Cornhusker Co-Op, Jan. 17.
- Baldwin Hall vs. Hoosier Hot Shots, Jan. 17.
- Stratford vs. Browning Club, Jan. 17.
- Termites vs. Barbed Points, Jan. 22.
- Hoosier Hot Shots vs. Browning Club, Jan. 22.
- Cornhusker Co-Op vs. Stratford, Jan. 22.
- Baldwin Hall vs. Barbed Points, Feb. 5.
- Cornhusker Co-Op vs. Browning Club, Feb. 5.
- Termites vs. Hoosier Hot Shots, Feb. 5.
- Baldwin Hall vs. Stratford, Feb. 19.
- Termites vs. Browning Club, Feb. 7.
- Hoosier Hot Shots vs. Barbed Points, Feb. 7.
- Termites vs. Stratford, Feb. 12.
- Baldwin Hall vs. Browning Club, Feb. 12.
- Cornhusker Co-Op vs. Barbed Points, Feb. 12.

LEAGUE 3.

- Brown Palace vs. Cornshellers, Jan. 15.
- Juggernauts vs. Union Leaders, Jan. 15.
- Mustangs vs. Islanders, Jan. 15.
- Tappa Kegga vs. Cornshellers, Jan. 17.
- Brown Palace vs. Juggernauts, Jan. 17.
- Union Leaders vs. Islanders, Jan. 17.
- Tappa Kegga vs. Mustangs, Jan. 22.
- Juggernauts vs. Islanders, Jan. 22.
- Cornshellers vs. Union Leaders, Feb. 15.
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- Tappa Kegga vs. Juggernauts, Feb. 5.
- Brown Palace vs. Union Leaders, Feb. 7.
- Tappa Kegga vs. Islanders, Feb. 7.
- Juggernauts vs. Mustangs, Feb. 7.
- Tappa Kegga vs. Union Leaders, Feb. 12.
- Brown Palace vs. Islanders, Feb. 12.
- Cornshellers vs. Mustangs, Feb. 12.

LEAGUE 4.

- Clippers vs. Pawnee Club, Jan. 15.
- Brown Derbies vs. Dark Horse, Jan. 15.
- Johnson Hall vs. Y. M. C. A., Jan. 15.
- Ramblers vs. Pawnee Club, Jan. 15.
- Clippers vs. A. C. B. C., Feb. 19.
- A. C. B. C. vs. Dark Horse, Jan. 17.
- Brown Derbies vs. Johnson Hall, Jan. 17.
- Y. M. C. A. vs. Pawnee Club, Jan. 17.
- Clippers vs. Ramblers, Jan. 17.
- A. C. B. C. vs. Ramblers, Jan. 22.
- Johnson Hall vs. Pawnee Club, Jan. 22.
- A. C. B. C. vs. Pawnee Club, Feb. 22.
- Clippers vs. Brown Derbies, Jan. 22.
- Brown Derbies vs. Ramblers, Feb. 5.
- Dark Horse vs. Pawnee Club, Feb. 5.
- A. C. B. C. vs. Johnson Hall, Feb. 5.
- Clippers vs. Y. M. C. A., Feb. 5.
- Brown Derbies vs. Y. M. C. A., Feb. 7.
- A. C. B. C. vs. Pawnee Club, Feb. 7.
- Johnson Hall vs. Ramblers, Feb. 7.
- Clippers vs. Dark Horse, Feb. 7.
- A. C. B. C. vs. Y. M. C. A., Feb. 12.
- Brown Derbies vs. Pawnee Club, Feb. 12.
- Dark Horse vs. Ramblers, Feb. 12.
- Clippers vs. Johnson Hall, Feb. 12.

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