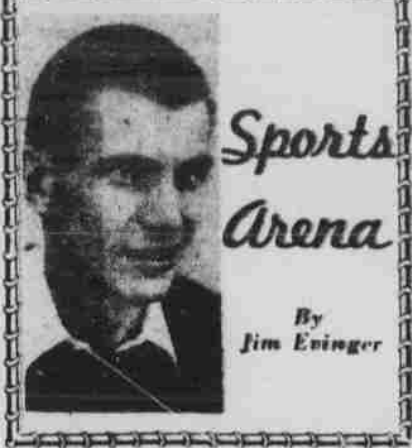


The DAILY NEBRASKAN



Sports Arena

By Jim Evinger

It's been a week now since the first fall issue of the DAILY went to press . . . Right now is the spot and time when the rest of the sports department is demanding introduction . . .

First, we have Bill Flory, a freshman from Columbus, who will be handling practices and (possibly) a column of his own . . . His tendency to "columnize" in his straight news stories almost turns the account of his news matter into a "colyum" anyway . . .

Flory, Bierbower to assist.

Next, comes James or Jim, but preferably Mick, Bierbower, a freshman from Giltner . . . Mick is the brother of June, boss gal in this corner last year . . . Mick also will take his turn covering practices and writing general sports reviews and advances . . .

On down the line, we have George Abbott, a Fremont frosh, who aspires to write stories on the Henry McLemore line . . . his features will come later . . . Vic Bradshaw and Leonard Luttbeg will also come in for duty when the occasions arise . . .

"Cheerful" earfuls.

Sports in brief: The main reason hostile crowds cannot unrufile the disposition of Nick Strincevich is that he is an expert steel worker during the winter months . . . Therefore, hissing, foot-stomping, etc., make familiar atmosphere for the Boston Bees' rookie ace chucker and boiler maker . . .

Johnny Goodyear, Marquette halfback, will have his share of feminine rooters behind him this year . . . Johnny only has six sisters . . . Roman Roh, former Creighton university basketball ace, finished his first season of pro baseball with Decatur of the Three-I league with a pitching record of nine and nine . . .

Never a raincheck.

It should be a record of some sort or something . . . In its 25 years of baseball dating back to 1915, the Denver Post tournament has never had to honor a raincheck . . .

Jimmy Foxx is very optimistic . . . He still needs 200 more home runs to reach Babe Ruth's lifetime mark of 714, but the Red Sox slugger thinks he can do it . . . Reports from the Oklahoma gridiron camp at Norman have it that the Sooner first and second teams will average close to 195 pounds per man . . .

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Question mark of Big Six is K.U. Jayhawks

Gwinn Henry finds 13 lettermen among squad of 50; Miller missing

By Mick Bierbower.

Editor's note: This is the third in a series of sketches on Nebraska's 1940 football opponents.

Gwinn Henry, now in his second year as head football coach at Kansas U., is rapidly preparing his team for the opening game of the season with Iowa State at Ames, October 5, the day Nebraska opens at Minneapolis.

Around 50 players checked out Jayhawker equipment this year. Ralph Miller, one of the nation's best passers in 1939, will rest his weak knee this season and wait until 1941 to take part in his final campaign.

Miller completed 23 passes in a total of 37 attempts last year for a percentage of .622. The completions added a total of 265 yards to the total ground gained by the Jayhawks last year and were good for an average of 11½ yards per completion.

Miller's knee has been under the knife twice, once in 1939 and again last spring, and Ralph is staying out this year because of the advice of the specialist who did the operating.

Lettermen total 13.

However, 13 lettermen will be back along with two lettermen of previous years, and 23 sophs are in suit. Twelve more upperclassmen will be in uniform.

Last year's lettermen returning are Ward Crowell and Hubert Ulrich, ends; Jim Holloway, W. F. Jack and Monte Merkel, tackles; Herb Hartman, Jay Kern and Quido Massare, guards; Don Pierce, center; Ed Suagee, Jake Fry and Denzel Gibbons, halfbacks; and Ed Hall, fullback.

Charles Wenstrand, halfback who lettered in 1938, and Wayne Wilson, center who lettered the year previous, are back this year.

Play Huskers at home.

After the opener with Iowa State, the Jayhawks play Drake, Nebraska, Kansas State, Villanova, Oklahoma, George Washington, Missouri and Colorado State in that order. The Cornhusker-Jayhawker game will be at Lawrence October 19.

The Jayhawks are not favored to walk off with the Big Six crown, but they have pulled many upsets in previous years, and Gwinn Henry's squad may surprise overconfident teams this year.

Tuesday: Missouri U.

More than 600 high school students participated in a mock republican national convention at Temple university, nominated Vandenberg for the presidency.

Microfilms of daily newspapers are being made at the University of Michigan library in order to conserve storage space.

Sport tales in brief; Wibbels' injury jinxed

By Bill Flory.

Picked up here and there about the campus:

First off is the news of big Ed Wibbels of track and field fame. News has it that Ed will not be in school the first semester but will probably be back in the fold by the turn of the first term.

Wibbels met with a bad streak of luck late this summer when a tear gas billy exploded in his face. His eyesight was temporarily impaired and of late has been slow to improve. Altho a victim of several tricks of fate in his athletic career Wibbels of Wolbach has always come thru with flying colors.

Guards call 5 gridders

As is well known by this time, the National Guard of Nebraska has been called for a year's encampment. From the football team will go Guard Eddie Schwartzkopf, End Burdette Wertman, Halfback Dale Rubottom, Center Bob Bonahome, and Guard Francis Greenleaf.

Freshman football thus far has been slow in getting started due to registration. Several of the better known stars up from the high school ranks are on the docket and all will be given a tough scrap for the positions.

Competition in the frosh ranks promises to be somewhat like that in the varsity. All of which points to bigger and better representatives of the Cornhusker state on the gridiron.

Injuries slow drills.

Biff Jones, the Cornhusker mentor, has his share of injury worries. What with Cowboy Petch and King Kong Kahler on the sidelines, Harry Hopp missing because of classroom activities and the heat causing a let-up on the heavy drilling, the Husker coaching squad has plenty to bother their sleeping.

Altho a little ahead of season Red Little takes his track seriously this early in the game. Daily, Red can be seen on the stadium cinders warming up those fleet legs of his. Fans are looking forward to a great season for the Mitchell Redhead.

Also present for pre-season basketball drills was Tall Al Randall of basketball fame. Speed is Al's quest and from his activities he will be somewhat speedier on the court come winter than in past years.

BARB

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Bob Wilson, social chairman, said that an extensive social program has been planned for this semester, including scheduled hour dances with fifteen sorority houses, and 10 barb women's residence halls.

Bill Green, barb athletic director, is arranging a sports program for unaffiliated men to be announced at Tuesday's meeting. It will include touch football, basketball, volleyball, baseball, ping-pong, and tennis. Tuesday night's

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Swimmers asked report Monday

Coach Richard "Pete" Hagelin has issued a call for all freshmen and varsity swimmers. The first meeting of the year will be held on Monday in the basement of the coliseum at 5 p. m.

CAA

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gines, and instruments, plus a minimum of 35 hours of actual flight instruction. When this preliminary flight training program has been completed satisfactorily the student receives a Private Pilot's license.

The preliminary course qualifies the student for participation in the advanced flying course which will be offered the second semester.

At 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in room 315, Student Union, an open meeting for explanations and announcements will be held. Everyone interested is welcome, Dean Ferguson announced.

Once more congressmen are intimating that it's great to die for your country. Today's little problem: name ten heroes of the first World war.

Goering is said to have flown over London in a bomber. That's bringing the mountain to Mohammed.

Second score 14-0 victory in Saturday drill

Bob Kahler, Ken Simmons tally touchdowns; four markers rung up Friday

While many colleges were in the midst of their first football games of the season, Saturday afternoon, the Cornhuskers were hard at work, too, playing football—but only in an intrasquad battle.

The second eleven pushed over two touchdowns and a pair of extra points over the fourth team to provide the only scoring yesterday.

Sophomore Dale Bradley passed to Loping Bob Kahler for the first tally and Ken Simmons, wee fullback, rammed across for the second touchdown. Vic Schleich and Herman Rohrig added the extra points by placement.

Four touchdowns Friday.

Friday was another big day for the scorers. Four touchdowns were racked up. Eddie Schwartzkopf carried over a lateral. Ray Prochaska crossed on a lateral from Fred Preston starting from Jack Vincent, Vike Francis running 20 yards for a score, and Don Rubottom plunging over the last chalk line were the scoring plays.

Best performances on Saturday were turned in by Bob Kahler, Wayne Blue, Harry Hopp, and Herman Rohrig in the backfields. Warren Alfson, George Abel, Fred Preston, Forrest Behm, Lynn Myers, and Freddy Meier did the best duties in the front walls.



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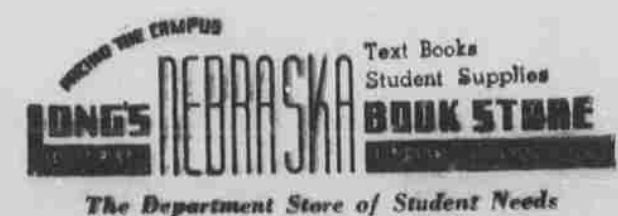
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