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**Huskers Leave for Des Moines** 

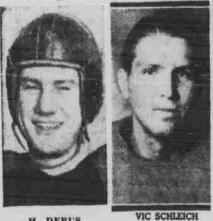
Three Huskers Horse Sense Enter Relays

Cornhusker track mentor, Ed Weir, waved the wand Wednesday to choose three men to defend University of Nebraska pres-tige in the Drake Relays Friday and Saturday.

Upon the shoulders of Vic Schleich, Howard Debus and Dick Petring will ride Husker hopes. Al Zikmund was forced from the trip by a heavy class routine.

## Leave This Noon.

Weir will board his men on a university automobile this noon,



H. DEBUS.

bound for Des Moines and the relays.

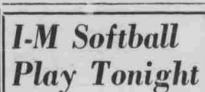
larger traveling squad," said Weir, "but we didn't have enough men to make up any sort of relay team, so Vic, Howard and Petring will have to carry the ual events. Dick Bliss of Ames will top the list of entries. The load."

with several flips.

javelin and pole vault in the Des Moines meet. Schleich undoubtedly will concentrate on the shot.

# **K-S** Pitcher **Fans Reiser**

... In Service Game MANHATTAN, Kas. (Special to the Daily Nebraskan). C. R. T. C. Centaurs defeated the Manhattan Wildcats at Griffith Friday night, 9-2, when the local team was allowed only one hit in the first following:



Intramural softball resumes momentum again tonight after the ROTC activation forced cancellation of seven matches Tuesday. Eight games are slated for execution tonight.

Thursday schedule: 5:00—Sig Eps vs. Alpha Sigs. ZBT vs. ATO. Sigma Nu vs. Farm

House. AGR vs. Kappa Sig. 6:00—Phi Delts vs. Delts. Beta Sigs vs. DU.

Beta vs. Theta Xi. Fraternity men living in the library will not participate in the games, according to the military department.

Sixteen I-S

**By Norris Anderson** Sports Editor

# I-M Softball A Prayer for Lt. Hilgert...

A printed prayer is offered here that Lt. Don Hilgert, department of physical education, erstwhile Cornhusker swimmer, can soon be itemized as "found seem to make it inadvisable to atand safe" instead of "missing in action."

A prize free style splasher on Tom Leeke's 1941-42 aquatic baseball, Allen pointed out, is the squad, Hilgert has been listed in the newspapers as missing ifficulty of scheduling games. "somewhere in North Africa" while on a flying mission. We that a large share of the schedule read the same sad news about Michigan's fabulous Tom Har- would be arranged with service mon a week back.

That famed wearer of jersey 98 weathered a jungle smashup, however, to return safely. If clean-cut, grinning Don Hil. had not as yet started baseball gert does not return safely he can not be blamed. He was a born competitor.

We're pulling for you, Don!

Just as a two-bit piece used to serve as proper decoy for very much in evidence during the tips in pre-war elip joints, so does not an abbreviated traveling closing days of the basketball seasquad typify the wartime track program.

Howard Debus, Vic Schleich and Dick Petring reported to due to report for service until a State college will be represented in the 1943 Drake relays by 16 departure for the Drake relays at 12 n m today. For the Missouri gan departure for the Drake relays at 12 p. m. today.

> "Looks like we'll have enough room to do plenty of stretching enroute," laughed big Vie.

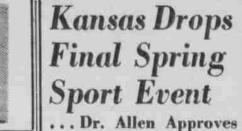
"Maybe I can even practice tossing my javelin on the morning and arrived in Columbia way," countered Debus.

"It'll be different next week," added Weir, "when we ton game, but returned for the take our boys to Ames for a duel. I can take everyone there and intend to give all our boys a try to see what they can do

If Debus can hit 200 feet with the javelin, 160 with the discus—if Schleich can continue to push the shot past 51 feet definite defection from former ad--Nebraska potentially can ascertain places in three events. "If" is a terrifically large word, however.

be Selmer Hodne, Coon Rapids; ends; the veterans Paul Mitchell Burt Eberlein, Mankato, Minn., and Bill Aldworth at tackles; Johnny Perko and Bob Graiziger Relay entries, who will compete at guards and Bob Solheim, cen-

When all are able to turn out for practice Vic Kulbitski has had inning. Striking out Pete Reiser, the National league batting champ of 1941—with .343—and holding the Centaurs to four hits in the first backfield.



LAWRENCE, April 21.-College baseball is another war casualty

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at the University of Kansas. Dr. Forrest C. "Phog" Allen, baseball coach and director of the seem to make it inadvisable to attempt to carry on the sport. One of the chief reasons for dropping

It was anticipated originally

teams, but Dr. Allen stated that the reception center at Leavenworth, and the naval school for machinists' mates at Lawrence, practice.

War Psychology.

Dr. Allen indicated that in the first baseball practice session at the university, it was evident that the war psychology is having a definite effect in intercollegiate sports. That, he pointed out was son. Armand Dixon, for instance, left two days before the crucial Oklahoma game, altho he was not

For the Missouri game at Columbia, all-American guard Ray Evans decided at the last moment to pass up this important game, but on second consideration caught the train the following in time to help win the game. Most of the boys passed up the Creighfinal contest against the Kansas Aggies

Dr. Allen was entirely in sympathy with the boys' attitudes of putting the war ahead of intercollegiate athletics. He pointed herence to athletic loyalties and competition in the more important problem of winning the war.



Men at Drake Courtesy Lincoln Journal. AMES, Ia., April 21.-Iowa

"I'm sorry we couldn't muster men who will compete in nine events. five relay events and four individ-

Both Schleich and Debus underwent a long drill in the shot ring big sophomore tossed the shot 49 Wednesday. Schleich hit 49 feet feet 31/4 inches last week to es-

Debus will enter shot, discus,

Another contender for a relay title will be George Gast of Osage in actual competition." in the javelin. Gast tossed the spear 195 feet in his first workout for distance in the Grinnell meet last week. Gast will also toss the discus. Don Hadaway, Red Bank,

George Bretnall, Cyclone coach,

plans to send his men into four or

feet 3¼ inches last week to es-

tablish a new Iowa State record.

John Ford of Des Moines will also

compete in the shot.

N. J., will be the other Cyclone entry in the javelin throw. Cyclone broad jump entries will

and Bob Tague, Ames. in the 440, 880, mile, 2-mile, and ter. distance medley events, include the

Centaurs to four hits in the first six inings were in favor of Wildcat pitcher Lee Doyen.

After their first run in the second inning when Joe Gentenbein came in on a wild pitch, and their second two in the sixth when Gentenbein knocked the baseball over the short field fence and allowed Reiser to come home, the Centaurs really poured down in the eighth inning.

### Krueger Brings in Two.

Schaeffed and Popovic made first on a walk and an error on Carter, Cat third baseman, respectively. Pitcher Pat Laga bunted to fill the bases. A hot fly to Newkirk at first for Manhattan scored the first out. Krueger's hit brought Schaeffer and Popovic home.

The second homer of the evening by Frenk "Creepe" Crespi former St. Louis Cardinal, brought in two additional runs. Archie was walked, Gantenbein struck enter the gates, including coaches out, and Schadt knocked a onebagger to bring Archie home for the sixth run. Final out was has been developed in the three made when Schaeffer flied out to weeks that have passed with Capt. second baseman Micky Evans.

jka, Omaha, Neb.; Jim Myers, Sioux City; Jim Powers, Denison, and Lee Richardson, Council Bluffs.

**Gophers** Plot **Grid Contest** ... May 15

April 20-MINNEAPOLIS, With this week and three more laid out as the remainder of the spring practice period for Dr. George Hauser's Minnesota football team, the tempo of work on Northrop Field is being stepped up in preparation for the intrasquad game that will close the ses-sions on Saturday, May 15.

Proceeds of the final game will go to the Red Cross at \$1 a head with tickets paid for by all who but excepting players.

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What is apparently a first string Cliff Anderson and Dick Burk at

Very promising among many newcomers are Jim Jennings from Minneapolis West, Charles Edwards, Detroit Lakes, Ed Bush, Thermopolis, Wyo., Elmer Thiess, Ceylon, Minn., and two Wisconsin boys, Bob Granum, hailing from Amery and Church Avery, Antigo.





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