

# Team Preps For Coming Jaunt South Meet Missouri In Return Tilt

Preparing for this week end's southward jaunt and an attempt to revenge their defeat by Missouri last Saturday night, Husker cagers stressed offensive formations in practice sessions Monday and Tuesday.

The Scarlet will meet Missouri at Columbia Saturday night before journeying northward for a Monday night clash with the loop leading Iowa State Cyclones, and Coach Ad Lewandowski is planning a week of hard practice sessions to ready his club for the jaunt. Monday night's work-out was light, but Tuesday found the Huskers driving through a hard session, with the emphasis on offensive formations.

Lew's disappointment at the loss to the Tigers Saturday was great. "We would have been tied for third place in the conference if we had won," said Lew. "Now we're in fifth place, and Missouri has the psychological edge on us in our game this Saturday. If the boys show a little more stability and cool headedness, however, we'll have a good chance of turning the tables on the Tigers."

# Michalske Is Football Head ... At Iowa State

AMES, Ia., Feb. 8—A. M. (Mike) Michalske, head football coach at Iowa State College on a part-time basis for the past one and one-half seasons, has been named head football coach on a full-time basis, it was announced today by George F. Veenker, Cyclone director of athletics for the college Athletic Council. Michalske's appointment was approved by the State Board of Education this morning.

The past fall was the first full season for Michalske as Cyclone football mentor. It was a season in which Iowa State finished in a tie for second place with Missouri in the Big Six conference standings. Iowa State won from Kansas, Nebraska and Kansas State. Outside the conference the Cyclones won from Drake and lost to Iowa Navy Pre-Flight and Otumwa Navy Air Station.

Michalske took over as head football coach in the middle of the season in 1942.

### Penn State Grad.

In addition to his football duties, Michalske has been helping, as are all coaches at Iowa State, with the physical training for armed service units on the campus. His particular assignment of classes is with the Navy V-5 flight training unit.

Michalske's football career has been long and studded with high recognition. In undergraduate days he was an outstanding fullback at Penn State where he received his bachelor of arts degree in 1926. He was line and backfield coach under Ernie Nevers at Lafayette in 1936-37 and has been a coach at St. Norberts College at Green Bay, Wis.

When Michalske entered professional football he was converted to guard. He was a star guard with the Green Bay Packers until 1940 and was accorded professional All-American honors six times at that position. More recently he assisted with coaching for the Packers.

# Youth Panel...

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of the Lincoln Christian Youth Council said that the views taken were sensible but not radical.

Other resolutions made were:

To commend the government for its fair employment policies and ask for more funds for prosecution of violators and to request that a Negro chaplain be appointed for Negro troops at the Lincoln Air Field.

Pamona Banks, Marie Yamashita, Virginia Steurmer and Bill Miller were the students taking part in the discussion, for which Dr. Gerald Kennedy was chairman. Rev. Ray Kearns and Ray Rice were in charge of the program which was attended by over 800 Lincoln young people.



# Second Guessing with Harold W. Andersen

Nebraska's 36-32 over-time loss to Missouri Saturday dealt a real body blow to Husker hopes in the conference. Dropped to fifth place by the defeat, the Scarlet will have an uphill fight to better their position by the time final league standings are compiled.

Their jaunt this coming week end promises to be rough, for Saturday night finds them meeting Missouri at Columbia and Monday will bring them against Iowa State's Cyclones at Ames. The Tigers will have the advantage of playing on their home floor Saturday and will be battling hard to maintain their toe-hold in the first division. The Cyclones, fresh from their 41-39 win over Oklahoma at Norman last Saturday, hold first spot in the conference and appear to pack far too much scoring punch for Nebraska.

Such exhibitions of poor taste as have marred the half-time intermission at Nebraska's last two basketball games at the coliseum present U.N. athletic fans in a most unfavorable light. At both the Kansas State and Missouri games, a small group of spectators, obviously infantile in their conception of entertainment, tossed pennies and other small change onto the playing floor at half-time in order to watch the crowd of youngsters who invariably hover about the floor scurry after the coins. The youngsters can't be blamed for running after the money, but those over-grown youngsters in the stands who threw the coins are certainly open to criticism for such childish actions.

Aside from its inherent infantilism, such a practice is exceedingly dangerous, for a player might easily slip on one of the coins and take a serious tumble. Such poor sportsmanship, too, creates a bad impression in the minds of opposing teams, who carry back to their home states the idea that U.N. athletic fans are an ill bred, badly behaved lot. The truth is that Husker fans in general are tops in sportsmanship, but the childish actions of a small minority give all Nebraska fans a black eye.

# Iowa Hawks Top Big Ten; ISC Climbs to Big Six Lead

Smashing Chicago 103-31, the undefeated University of Iowa cagers established two new scoring records last week, and took over the first place berth in the Big Ten title race. Dick Ives, high scoring young Hawkeye, netted 19 field goals and five free throws for 43 points to erase Andy Phillip's, Illinois, record of last year.

Great Lakes Naval Training Station remains the number one team in the nation, with Northwestern, Marquette, Dartmouth, Kentucky, and both the Seahawks and Hawkeyes of Iowa, following close on the heels of the sailors. Led by Captain Otto Graham, Northwestern smothered Minnesota's Gophers 57-32 in the first game of a double header in Chicago Stadium. With All-American Graham soon to be transferred to active duty with the navy, the Wildcats will be hard pressed to maintain their place in the Big Ten title race. Notre Dame fell before DePaul's tremendous height advantage in the nightcap of the twin bill.

### Cyclones Lead Big Six.

In the Big Six, Iowa State eked out a 41-39 victory over the Oklahoma Sooners to take undisputed possession of first place, while Missouri's overtime victory over Nebraska upped the Tigers to the first division.

Avenging a previous defeat and at the same time tipping Purdue from the ranks of the undefeated, Ohio State trimmed the Boiler-maker "5", while in Ann Arbor, Benny Oosterbaan's Michigan Wolverines swept a two game series to make it seven straight losses for Indiana.

Undefeated Dartmouth finished its intercollegiate season by trouncing Cornell 58-46. In New York two former Notre Dame reg-

ulars, Bob Flaught and Oriando Bonicelli, receiving navy training at Columbia, helped their new Alma Mater defeated NYU 46-43. Army's West Pointers continued as a top eastern team by downing Rochester 57-43.

### Rice Drops Texas.

In the southwest, a favored SMU snuffed the Texas Longhorns 49-46, and Arkansas pounded over Baylor 36-34 to share the Southwest conference lead with Rice, who dropped Texas 56-34.

In the Southern conference, Duke handed the Tarheels of North Carolina their first league defeat, 41-40, after trailing 18-1 midway in the first half.

On the west coast, Washington clipped Oregon State to continue their unbeaten record at the head of the northern half of the Pacific Coast conference, while Oregon knocked off Idaho twice.

Rocky Mountain region play found Utah still leading the pack with 11 wins and but a single loss, while Kentucky was leading quints in the Southeast with another 11-1 record.

# Dance Club...

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Coombs, Bernette Hadan, Joy Laune, Grace Peters, Maydelle Platner, Ruth Schubach, Marguerite Klindt, Lillian Snyder and Pat King.

In charge of lights will be Jane Johnson, Fern Freeman, Bonnie Colmer, Doris Anderson and Miss Janice Carlin.

### TEAM STANDINGS

	W.	L.	Pts.	Op.
Company C	3	0	136	71
Company B	2	1	92	80
Air Corps	2	1	125	96
Field House	1	3	76	125
Company A	0	3	80	137

# Crucial Tournery Fray Pits 'B' Against Co. C

C Company's league-leading basketeers will tangle with a strong B Company quintet tomorrow night at 6:30 in the deciding game of the second round army tourney. In their first meeting, back in October, the C-men topped the Hustlers, 34 to 23; but in the first round of army competition, Company B nosed out the blue team, 37-28, to win first place honors. Tomorrow's game will be their third contest—and will be a natural "grudge fight" to decide who's best in local hoop circles.

Currently leading the pack with a 3 and 0 record, Company C needs to topple the boys in green to win the title. B Company lost their last intramural venture to an improved Air Corps five, 49-39, while "C" nosed out the 348th crew, 28 to 26, in the first game of this round.

### "B" Starters.

"B's" attack is led by former CCNY great, Bob Scheer. The lanky center, always reliable defensively, has been the team's leading play-maker, and recently has been hitting the double figures consistently. Bunny Fuller, second high scorer in the league last round, is another mainstay of the Green's offense. Close on the heels of Scheer and Fuller for B Company individual scoring honors this round is Charlie Suchy, with a 9-point-a-game average. Doug Brady, dependable set shot artist and a good defensive ball player;

and burly Ellis Jessen, who is plenty tough off the boards, complete the contenders' probable starting line-up.

Center for the Blue Wave will be the current league high-scorer Cliff Lind, former DePaul varsity player. Shifty, driving Milt Dobrer, who was born with a basketball in his hands, will be in there fighting at one forward post, along with native son John Bottorf, whose one-handed push shot is poison from anywhere around the foul circle. Chuck Burdette, a good man off the defensive backboard, and possessor of a nice eye for set-shots is slated for one guard. Steady Al Burnstein, pillar of the team's defensive strength, and always good for 8 or 10 points, will line up at the other guard position.

### Raiders Nipped Both

Both teams met the top service team in this section of the country, the Air Base Raiders, recently—B Company sticking till the last few minutes, only to lose 53-42; while Company C battled the talented Base quintet on even terms, losing out in the last two minutes 47-45. This game should be the best of the Army tournament games to date—both teams gunning for the win which will give them the edge in the series.

The starting whistle will blow at 6:30 sharp tomorrow night in the Coliseum.



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