

HUSKER HIGHLIGHTS

By George Miller

For the first time in several years, the nation's football experts have recognized Nebraska as at least a minor power in the gridiron picture.

This week in the Associated Press poll, which showed that Dana X. Bible's Texas Longhorns rate first among the pigskin elite, the Cornhuskers received three votes which put them in a tie with Nevada and Wisconsin far down the list.

Behind the Longhorns came Army and Notre Dame, while a late season UN foe, the surprisingly strong UCLA team, is also included in the Top Ten.

Statistics on the Iowa University offense after three games show that the Hawkeyes have gained a total of 671 yards by rushing as compared to 352 yards for opponents. This is an average of 4.5 yards per try for the Hawks and 2.7 yards for opponents.

Via the airlines the Iowans have picked up 117 yards while limiting opponents to 96 yards. This indicates that the Husker aerial defenses will be in for another testing, for in Emlen Tunnel the Hawks have a needle-eye passer.

Word from the Iowa City camp indicates that Dr. Eddie Anderson has plenty of linemen, for Line Coach Joe Sheetsketski has

Injuries Hurt Nubbins Hopes For Victory

Monday's inclement weather did not provide a let-up in the Nubbins' preparation for their tussle with the Kansas State "B" team this week-end. Coach Ray Prochaska sent them into a lengthy scrimmage against the freshman team, using Wildcat plays. Running in place of the injured Bud Gerlach was Bill Prall, Omaha halfback, who scored one of the touchdowns against Colorado last week.

Backfield Replacements.

One of the main worries confronting Prochaska now is the question of whom to use as backfield replacements in the event of any more injuries to key performers. In addition to Gerlach, neither Carl Dilldine nor Walt Wilkins can be counted on for much duty against K-State. Wilkins has a badly bruised muscle in his leg, while Dilldine, the No. 2 quarterback, twisted his ankle and is hobbling about with great difficulty. This leaves Del Wiegand and Wally Hopp with the task of carrying the brunt of the quarterback and fullback duties, respectively.

Also on the injured list and not counted on for action this week is center Gail Gade, suffering from a twisted knee. Dick Short, another Omaha boy, will probably take over the ball snapping job for Gade.

The play of Wally Hopp has recently been of outstanding quality, particularly on offense. In last night's scrimmage against the freshmen he continually banged the line for big gains, and his performance in both the Iowa State and Colorado games put him in the spotlight.

Defense Stressed.

Defense was the key point of practice last night. The Nubbins experimented with various types of defense and then tapered off with a light scrimmage. Prochaska cannot afford to risk losing any more men before the contest Friday, so very little rough stuff is on the chart for the remainder of the week.

The Kansas State boys will be trying for a comeback victory against the Huskers after dropping a 14 to 0 decision to the University of Kansas reserves Friday night.

Running on the Nubbins first string are P. Allen and Brestel at ends, Sommers and Mussman at tackles, Harrington and Goeglein at guards, and Short at center. In the backfield now are Wiegand at quarterback, Schreiner and Prall at halves, and Wally Hopp at fullback.

stated that there is not too much difference between any of the top 21 linemen.

The same story holds true in the backfield where Frank Carideo, one-time Missouri mentor, has at least two and one-half good backfields on hand.

Included on the Hawkeye roster are two former Creighton University performers, End George Brodston and Fullback Johnny Tedore. Tedore is regarded as a top prospect, and during his days in Bluejay regalia was hailed as one of the Missouri Valley's most promising backfield stars.

Little Change In IM Football Loop Standings

There was little change in league standings after four games were played Monday. Sigma Phi Epsilon moved into a first place tie with Phi Delta Theta as they dropped Kappa Sigma, 6-0, in League I play. Delta Upsilon continued to lead League II after romping past Delta Tau Delta, 14-0.

Beta Sigs Advance.

Beta Sigma Psi moved up a little when they squeezed past Sigma Alpha Mu, 2-0. Gissler broke thru to block a punt for an automatic safety for the Beta Sigs. Sigma Nu had a tough time stopping Phi Gamma Delta, but managed to win by a touchdown, 6-0.

- Games today:
- 1 Sigma Nu vs Sigma Phi Epsilon
 - 2 Delta Upsilon vs Beta Sigma Psi
 - 3 Alpha Tau Omega vs Sigma Chi
 - 4 Phi Delta Theta vs Zeta Beta Tau
 - 5 Brown Palace vs Phi Gamma Delta.



JOHN HUNTER
Iowa Halfback

Junior Cyclones Finish Season Against Drake 'B's

AMES, Ia. — Coach Clayton Sutherland and his Iowa State "B" gridders close their abbreviated season here Thursday night when they face the "B" squad from Drake.

The four-game season had the Bees scheduled to face Ottumwa NAB twice and the Nebraska and Drake reserves once each.

Theater . . .

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apprenticeship in acting and production to the University Theater. It affords an opportunity for all interested students in the university to apply and develop their talents in any phase of the theater.

First UN Showing At Iowa Since '38

When the University of Nebraska goes against the State University of Iowa at Iowa City Saturday, it will mark the first appearance of a Cornhusker football team on Hawkeye sod since 1938.

The teams have played 34 games over a span of 54 years. Nebraska has won 21 games, lost 10, tied 2.

The Cornhuskers came through their 31-0 victory over Kansas State without casualties. Cletus Fischer, left halfback, was given a rest most of the afternoon due to injuries picked up in the Minnesota game which have been slow to heal.

Although Dick Hutton, the breakaway ambler from Auburn, was the bright offensive spark for the Cornhuskers, another halfback managed to haul his light out from under the bushel of inactivity.

Another Punter.

Jim Myers of York showed possibilities as a shifty, hard runner—but more important to Coach Bernie Masterson, Myers also handled the punting chores creditably.

The Huskers have been weak in this department. Roy Long, Blair towhead, has been traveling many yards each game running on and off the gridiron when a punt is needed.

The Kansas State contest enabled Coach Masterson to clear the bench. He used 42 players which was the full complement suited up.

The Husker passing attack showed potency against the Wildcats, providing one touchdown and setting up others. Against Minnesota, Nebraska

was unable to complete a pass. Against Kansas State, the Huskers completed six of nine for a yardage gain of 124 yards.

The same Cornhusker line which forced Minnesota into the air lines for victory, held Kansas State to a deficit of 16 yards rushing. The Wildcats gained 59 yards, lost 75 on running plays.

Bernie In Action.

Coach Masterson helped Nebraska to three victories over Iowa in 1931, 1932 and 1933. The latter two contests were decided by one point. Coach Masterson's quick thinking turned a bobbled attempt at a placekick into a game-winning touchdown in 1933.

He scooped up the fumbled snapback which Jack Miller had attempted to set up for a field goal. Bernie whistled around the Hawkeye right end for the touchdown that eventually won the game.

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by PETE MARTIN

