

Injuries Bother KU **Backfield Standout**

plagued by injuries or illness, the fense along with. Guard. Don University of Kansas has preparations well underway for the encounter Saturday with the University of Nebraska at Law-

Halfbacks Ray Evans and Dick Bertuzzi and Fullback Frank Pattee were all injured in last week's clash with Iowa State, ference in Otto Schnellbacher, Quarterback Lynn McNutt has not Dave Schmidt and Warren Reigle. been out the past couple of days because of illness. The quartet is due to be in playing condition by Saturday.

Evans, Bertuzzi and Pattee are in the top seven of the conference and Reigle was on the conference leaders in the total yards rushing second team in 1944. chase with teammate Bud French in the runner-up spot with 177. Pattee has the highest average with about a seven yard gain every time he has carried the ball. French is next with a 5.4 average on 33 tries and Bertuzzi and Evans trail with five and four yard averages respectively.

French Dangerous. French was the big cog in the Kansas grid machine last week when he led the way to the 24 to 8 conquest of Iowa State. A slashing back, he will have ample opportunity to tote the leather against the Cornhuskers

The Jayhawk forward wall has come in for a lot of attention the past week with Coach George Sauer well aware of the Husker aggressiveness. Tackle Junius Penny, a 210-pounder of the 1942

Iowa Staters Hope for First League Win

Ames, Iowa, Oct. 16.—Missouri, led by towering Jim Kekeris, will be seeking its second victory in its 1946 effort to repeat for the Big Six championship it won in

Kekeris, whose official weight of 284 pounds makes him one of the biggest linemen in the game today, has played both sides of the line this year in his campaign to gain All-America honors. Don Faurot's Tigers, behind the huge senior, have defeated Kansas State and St. Louis University, tied Ohio State and bowed to the nation's No. 3 team Texas.

Cyclones Outwegihed For the first time this year lowa

State will be heavily outweighed when they invade Tiger town. As a team the Cyclones will give away about 18 pounds per man, and in the line will also give 18 pounds. The Missouri backs will carry a 20-pound advantage.

Wendell Willer, injured Cyclone back, will not be available for the Missouri game. It is possible for Willer to put some weight on his injured leg but he will not be available even for practice for passers, exceeding the marks of

With the starting backfield and '43 seasons will lead the de-Fambrough who was shifted from year due to a shortage of experienced linemen.

> The Jayhawks will field three of the finest wingmen in the con-Schnellbacher ranked third in the with 193 yards while Schmidt was an all-Big Six selection last year



CLETUS FISCHER-Nebraska's right halfback will not see action against the Jayhawks because of injuries. The St. Edward flash was hurt early in the Iowa game and is now hobbling on crutches.

Ex-Scarlet Foes Lead Pro Loops

Two former University of Ne-braska opponents, Bob Hoernschemeyer and Paul Christman are pacing the professional foot-ball leagues this week in total offense and passing.

Hoernschemeyer, former Indi-ana star now playing for the Chicago Rockets in the All American Conference, leads the league in passes completed and also in total yards gained. Christman, ex-Missouri ace, is now with the Chicago Cards in the National Football league and is tops among all

Rice Takes Free Throw Laurels

The basketball free throw tournament ended Tuesday night with Donald Rice of Scottsbluff emerging as individual champion. Rice, a membre of the winning Alpha Tau Omega team, defeated Bob Robinson, Ewing, Indiana, the independent champion. The score was 34-33 out of 40 attempted

Collecting first, second and fifth place points, Alpha Tau Omega walked off with the team championship. Rice and Busskohl of ATO finished first and second in the fraternity standings and their ten points was enough to win

Beta Theta Pi with a half dozen point winners, came in sec-Delta was third as Cottingham finished third in the individual

Sigma Chi Tips Phi Kappa Psi

Sigma Chi's winning streak was seriously threatened Tuesday when the Phi Kappa Psi team put up a game fight before falling, 6-0. Phi Delta Theta won by forfeit from Kappa Sigma, 1-0. SAE defeated Farm House

in a closer game than indicated by the 12-0 score. Farm House a blocking back spot early in the Sig Alphs' ace passer Saladen was a big reason for their defeat. He tossed to Garey and Larson for the two touchdowns.

In the new independent league, Wopata led the YMCA team to a 7-9 win over Delta Sigma Pi. The Presbyterian Student House ran past the Ag Freshmen in a two touchdown verdict. Barton nation last week in pass-receiving took a short pass in the end zone for the first tally and Williams intercepted a long pass and ran the distance for the final score. Brown Paince 7, Zet Beta Tau 6, Sigma Alpha Mu 1, Ploneer Co-op 0, Theta Xi 12, Alpha Tau Omega 0, Veta' Organization 1, V 9's 0.

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GAMES TODAY
Field I: Alpha Gamma Rho vs. Delta

Defensive Drills For Cornhuskers

With an eye toward the Kansas university record of pass completions, Coach Bernie Masterson gave the Huskers a brisk pass defense drill Wednesday as the Scarlet team went into the final ond with eight points. Delta Tau stages of preparation for the Saturday clash with Kansas university.

In Ray Evans the Jayhawks have one of the nation's best passers, and Evans has a goodly number of able receivers to gather in his tosses. Otto Schnellbacher is already touted as one of the top ends in Midlands, while Dave Schmidt, all-Big Six last season and Warren Reigle are other capable wingmen.

Bernie did the brunt of the passing himself yesetrday as a combination of second and third string players ran through plays against the Number 1 combina-

Varsity Lineup.

Jack Hazen and Jack Pesek were at ends for the first team, Carl Samuelson and Vern Stiner held down the tackles posts, Eddie Schwartzkopft and Freddie Lorenz were at guard spots and Joe Partington was at center. Sam Vacanti, Dick Hutton, Bill Moomey and Tom Novak comprised the backfield.

For the offensive outfit Bob Schleiger, Fritz Mandula and Alex Cochrane alternated at ends, Mike DiBiase and John Sedlacek were at the tackles, Bob Deviney and Gene Wilkens took over the guard slots and Jim Taylor handled center duties, Masterson himself was at the quarterback post, with Roy Long, Pat Rooney, Jim Myers and Harvey Stroud cavorting in the halfback posi-tions. Wally Hopp was at full-

Sedlacek, all-Big Six tackle last year, returned to the varsity for after a brief sojourn with the Nubbins, while Jim Sommers, Omaha, went back to Ray Pro-



-Courtesy Lincoln Journal

SEDLACEK - Husky tackle who returned to the varsity yesterday after a brief stay with the Nubbins. Last season John was an all-Big Six performer.

chaska's squad after a day with the varsity unit.

The Huskers will leave for the Jayhawk tilt after a final drill Friday afternoon, reporting to sleepers at the Burlington depot at 10:00 Friday night. The squad will be in Kansas City Saturday morning and will arrive in Law-

rence at 9 a. m.
Following the game the Huskers will go to Kansas City where they will have a three hour layover before leaving for home. They will be back in Lincoln at 9 Sunday morning.

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