

Easy Win for UN

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Nebraska first string basketballers took things easy Tuesday night in preparation for Big Six competition, while a horde of Scarlet reserves battered the hapless South Dakota State Jackrabbits to the tune of 53-34 at the coliseum.

Coach Harry Good sent thirty-one players into the contest which became a slow-moving free throw exhibition during most of the second half. With ace forward Jim Schmidt out of action because of a sprained ankle, the visiting Jacks did not have the scoring spark to make things interesting.

The Husker first team played only the first 14 minutes and in that time built up a 26-11 margin before retiring. Forward Claude Retherford was in top form as he scorched the nets with 12 points before leaving the floor. The French Lick flyer was hitting from all angles, and assisted by Guard Bob Cerv, tormented the South Dakota defenders with fast break maneuvering.

Retherford's 12 points were enough to give him the Husker high point award while Cerv was next best with six counters.

Coach Thurlo McCrady's outfit was never in the contest after the first five seconds when Retherford drove home a side shot. The Jacks could score only nine field goals during the evening, four of which came in the first half.

After the starting lineup departed, the UN second five carried the burden until halftime. At the intermission Nebraska owned a 31 to 13 lead. Guard Al Kirlin led the second bunch with four points.

Four Combinations.

Four different teams saw service for the Scarlet during the second half, but not until the final minutes did any of these quintets unleash a sustained scoring attack.

Coach Good's last aggregation, composed of Bill Wenke and Jim Van Burch at forwards, Dick Srb at center and Bruce Bergquist and Mel Williams at guards, was able to move the score from 40 to 53 for the Huskers to outdistance the persistent visitors who had moved into a threatening position.

With five minutes left in the game the Jackrabbits pulled to within 10 points of the Goodmen, trailing 40 to 30 after Don Mohlenhoff and Paul Gilbert had done some consistent point making.

The Huskers visited by a scoring drought during most of the second half and could muster only six points during the first eleven minutes of the final period.

A quintet including Thurman Wright and Matt Keating at forwards, Bob Schleiger at center and Bill Robison and Dale Livingsen at guard opened the second half for Nebraska and was good for five points.

Lone Point.

Six minutes later Don Rice, Paul Dietrich, Tom Milliken, Doyle Busskohl and Bill Denker came into the game. This array could add only one point to the UN total, that coming on Busskohl's free throw.

The third team of the second half contributed three more free throws. Guard Sam Vacanti collected two and Center Don Bauer one, while Fred Simpson, Bernie Bieterman and Bill Saler went scoreless.

Fans saw more action in the halftime commando-ball contest which featured ten Husker footballers. Carl Samuelson and Mike DiBiase were only competitors able to connect for baskets during the roughhousing in which the gridders were decked out in sweat suits and boxing gloves.

Nebraska will return to Big Six campaigning on Monday, Feb. 10, when Iowa State comes to Lincoln. The Huskers will be out to avenge a decisive pasting absorbed at Ames late in January.

Tuesday's box score:

Morningside "B"	fg	ft	pf	pts
Bjorkness, I	1	1-4	4	3
Conroy, I	2	2-3	2	6
McIntyre, E	4	4-5	4	12
Wahneuk, R	0	2-4	4	2
Evans, R	2	2-3	1	6
Feltus, I	2	1-2	0	5

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Nubbins Drub Maroon Quint

The Nubbins bucketeers kept their slate clean Tuesday night as they romped to a decisive 67-40 triumph over Morningside College "B" in the coliseum. The game was marked by fast action and alert ball hawking on the part of the Husker machine.

Bill Collopy of the Iowa team started the scoring with a charity toss, but Thurman Wright and Bill Denker headed a sudden surge that carried the Nebraskans into the lead to stay. Bieterman's ball stealing and all round heads-up play did a lot toward the dissolution of the Morningside team.

The first team had built up a 12 point cushion when the second group entered the fray. Though this group didn't operate as smoothly as the first, they still sported a 35-25 advantage at half-time.

After the intermission, the Nubbins, with the first stringers back in, raced farther ahead and made it possible for Coach Tony Sharpe to clear the bench of his 20 squadmen. In addition, all the Morningside players saw action.

The bulk of the Morningside scoring came from their lanky center, McElmurry, who garnered 12 points to lead both teams. Thurman Wright, with 10, led the Nubbins, followed by Bill Saler with eight and Bill Denker and Bernie Bieterman with seven. The box score:



PAUL SHIELDS—His three points helped the Huskers to an easy 53-34 win over South Dakota State Tuesday night in the final non-conference game of the season for Coach Harry Good's team. Nebraska will make its next home appearance against Iowa State on Monday, Feb. 10.

Johnson, I	2	0-2	4	4
Preston, E	1	0-1	0	2
Totals	14	12-25	19	40
Nebraska "B"	fg	ft	pf	pts
Wright, I	4	2-4	1	10
Saler, I	1	0-0	2	8
R. Schleiger, E	0	0-0	4	0
Denker, R	3	1-1	1	7
Bieterman, E	3	1-3	1	7
Williams, I	2	0-0	0	4
Wenke, I	0	1-1	2	1
Robison, I	2	1-1	1	5
Rice, I	0	0-0	0	0
Swanson, I	2	2-2	1	6
Dietrich, I	0	0-0	1	0
Bauer, E	2	0-1	1	4
Keating, E	0	0-0	0	0
Milliken, E	2	2-4	1	2
Vacanti, E	0	2-3	0	2
Busskohl, E	2	0-0	1	4
Bergquist, E	0	4-4	1	4
Van Burch, E	0	1-1	0	1
McIntyre, E	0	0-0	0	0
Duphey, E	1	0-2	1	2
Totals	25	17-27	22	67

Officials: Bob Garsy, Joe Wilcoxon.
Score at half, Nebraska 35, Morningside 25.

Bulletin

Phi Chi Theta.
A meeting of Phi Chi Theta will be held today at 5 p. m. in room 316 of the Union. June Korb, president, announced.

Alpha Epsilon Rho.
A special meeting of Alpha Epsilon Rho, radio honorary, will be held today at 6 p. m. in room 21, Temple, according to Edith Miller, president.

Engineers Week.
American Institute of Chemical Engineers

IM Basketball

Wednesday, Feb. 5.
5:00 (S) Pioneer Coop vs. Phi Gamma
8:00 (F) Phi Delta Theta vs. Beta Sigma
Thursday, Feb. 6.
5:00 (S) Galloping Dominoes vs. Pharmacy College.
7:10 (S) Sigma Phi Epsilon vs. Kappa Sigma (B).
7:10 (F) Phi Gamma Delta vs. Brown Palace (A).
7:10 (V) Beta Theta Pi vs. Theta Xi (A).
8:00 (S) Theta Xi vs. Sigma Alpha Mu (B).
8:00 (V) Sigma Chi vs. Phi Kappa Psi (A).
8:50 (S) Engineers vs. Methodist House.
8:50 (F) Kappa Sigma vs. Cornhusker Coop (A).
8:50 (V) Farm House vs. Phi Delta Theta (A).
Friday, Feb. 7.
5:00 (S) Pioneer Coop vs. Sigma Alpha Epsilon (B).

will meet tonight at 7:15. Plans will be made for Engineer's Week, and project assignments will be made.

Grad Club.
Election of officers for the University Graduate club will be Thursday at 7:30 p. m. in the faculty lounge of the Union. Refreshments will be served.
Square Dance.
Members of the Wesley Foundation will sponsor a square dance at St. Paul's church Friday at 8 p. m.

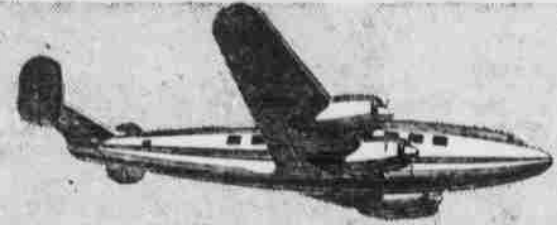
Nebraska Swimmers Bid Against Strong IS Team

Ames, Iowa.—Iowa State's undefeated swimming team hopes to open its Big Six series here Wednesday evening by making Nebraska victim No. 3 for the 1947 season.

Minnesota and the Ottumwa Naval Air Station have been beaten by the Cyclones so far this year. On comparative scores, which seldom mean much, the Iowa State squad rates an edge over the Huskers. Where the Cyclones stopped Minnesota, 43 to 41, the Nebraska team bowed to the Gophers, 58 to 26. Headline event is expected to

be the duel between Capt. Doug Robison of Iowa State and Les Oldfield of Nebraska in the back stroke. Oldfield established the Big Six mark of 1:45.7 in the Cyclone pool in 1942. The following year as a freshman Robison dropped the mark to 1:40.3. Neither has approached the faster mark since return to school from military service.

Another event scheduled for brisk competition is the 100-yard free style. Rush Smith and Dick Kullman for Iowa State and Marvin Grimm and Andy Miller for Nebraska have all been timed approximately the same for the year.



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