



Poor Weather Bothers UN Baseball Team

University of Nebraska Baseball Coach Tony Sharpe hopes for a spell of balmy weather which will enable him to get his baseball squad out of doors.

Since the squad reported there have been but three days when the candidates could work in the open air. As a result Coach Sharpe has had little opportunity to judge the abilities of the 108 players who are reporting regularly.

The Cornhuskers are scheduled to open the season with the University of Colorado at Boulder, April 4 and 5.

Coach Sharpe has listed some of the early standouts, based principally upon what he knows of their previous records. However, when he came to the outfield Coach Sharpe was stumped.

Vacanti Included.
Catchers now listed on top are Sam Vacanti, Omaha; Orville Schmeiding, Gresham; Willard Branson, Stanton; D. A. Blatchford, Ponca.

Pitchers who presently are figured for mound chores include Jerry Schmid, Schuyler; Wally Scheef, Gretna; Charles Rommel, Omaha; Angelo Ossino, Omaha; Harold Jacobs, Lincoln; Einer Holmberg, Phillips; Elroy Gloystein, Waco; Sterling Van Vleck, Neligh; Leroy Schumaker, Platte Center.

At first base, Bob Schleiger, Omaha; Thurman Wright, Richmond, Ind.; and Dean Rogers, Boulder, Colo., have been getting the call.

Second basemen include Hobe Hays, Lincoln; Elburn Rice, Palisade; Fred Hegwood, Omaha; Ray Kubie, Herman.

Bob Grogan, Lincoln; Wes Maser, Lincoln; Victor Goerke, Burr; Frank Wolfe, Lincoln, are the standouts in the shortstop position.

Far Turn Aces.
At third base Don Hays, Lincoln; Wilbur Baack, Staplehurst; Neal Mosser, Hebron, and Bill Denker, Elkhorn, are out in front at present.

The Cornhusker schedule:
April 4-5—University of Colorado at Boulder.

April 11-12—University of Kansas in Lincoln.

April 18-19—University of Oklahoma at Norman.

April 21-22—University of Missouri at Columbia.

April 28-29—Iowa State College at Ames.

May 2-3—Iowa State College in Lincoln.

May 5-6—University of Missouri in Lincoln.

May 9-10—Kansas State College at Manhattan.

May 16-17—University of Kansas at Lawrence.

May 19-20—University of Minnesota in Lincoln.

Goeglein Wins Way To Final With Novak

Wednesday Results.
125—Bob Yambor won by KO from Howard Purdy, second round.
130—Hugh Cook won by decision from Bill Bock.
135—John Rushton won by decision from John Brower.

Don Theil won TKO from Al Heikes, first round.
165—Harlan Cranston won by decision over Ron Metzger.
145—Hal Haldeman won by decision from Tom Loisel.
145—Schochdopole won by decision from Ray Simmons.
155—Jim Wolford won by decision from Del Wiegand.

155—Jerald McDonald won by decision from Paul Coder.
165—Fred Turner won by decision from C. W. Roberts.

175—Dale Preston won by TKO from Bernie Snora, second round.
175—Arley Howsden won by decision from Duane Anderson.
Hvt—Dick Geiglein won by decision from Stan Daffer.

In the main event of the semi-finals of the all-university boxing tournament, Dick Geiglein pounded out a well-deserved victory over Stan Daffer to earn the right to meet Tom Novak Friday night for the championship in the heavyweight division. The plucky Daffer was the aggressor throughout, but could not keep away from the rangy Geiglein.

Dale Preston came on fast in the second round of his lightweight match with Bernie Snora to win by a TKO. With the first round counting even, Preston's initial flurry of blows in the second round were enough to put Snora away.

Also in the lightweight bracket, Arley Howsden walked away with the closest decision of the evening when he outlasted Duane Anderson in a bout featured by furious action close in. Both boys were in good shape, and the winner, Howsden, shapes up to be a worthy opponent to Preston, who is the other finalist in the 175 class.

Fast Finish.

Del Weigand put on one of the best finishes of the evening while losing to the more ring-wise Jim Wolford in their 155 pound bout. The first two rounds were all Wolford's, as he continually beat Weigand to the punch in both the "in" and "out" fighting. However, in the final round, Weigand scored with many solid smashes as Wolford waited the fight out.

Advancing to the finals in the 165 division was Harlan Cranston, double winner in Tuesday's bouts, as he won another close decision from Ron Metzger. The

hard hitting Metzger looked good right down to the finish, but he could not keep Cranston from piling up points in the close in fighting.

In the lighter weights, Bob Yambor showed the way with a quick second round K.O. over Howard Purdy, who was unable to keep up with the speedy Yambor. The second bout of the evening ended in a close decision for Hugh Cook over his opponent Bill Bock. Both fighters sparred the first two rounds with most of the action going coming in the third round.

Long-armed John Rushton edged out a close one from husky John Brower in the 135 semi-finals which ended with both fighters ready to throw in the towel. For the most part, the three rounds of action between these two lightweights proved to be a free-style slugfest, with Rushton using his greater reach to good advantage.

In a 135 pound bout between Don Theil and Al Heikes all of the action came in the first minute of the first round as Theil was awarded a TKO, which advanced him to the finals where he will meet the winner of the previous fight, John Rushton. This should pan out to be one of the better contests of the Friday night finals, as both men are willing mixers and pull no punches.

Action will continue Friday night when the finals will be held in all of the eight weight divisions.

More Snow Hampers Scarlet Pigskin Drill

The Husker blocking sleds were right in keeping with the wintry scene Wednesday as a persistent snowfall hampered Coach Bernie Masterson's efforts to keep the spring workouts going.

Practice routine was the same as has been followed in the past workouts, with calisthenics, passing drill, charging and rushing tactics on the docket as the third day of practice suffered the same fate of earlier workouts.

Coach Tony Blazine had the Scarlet linemen at work on the dummies, charging as line units. Bob Lipps, scrappy guard last fall, was with the end candidates, while Center Jacques Evans was included in the tackle ranks. John Sedlacek was running with the guard group in another shift.

Marshall "Red" Neihart, former Jackson high star, was among the backfield squaddens and was working at a halfback slot in a combination headed by Joe Gutschow, Blair, quarterback.

Passing Search

Masterson continued his search for a passer, and had a number of men throwing during the pass drills. Jim Myers, Ken Fischer, Bob Ackerman, Joe Gutschow, Bruce Bergquist, Del Wiegand and Carl Dilldine all took their turn on the firing line.

While varsity squaddens were going through their paces on the main practice field south of the regular playing field, Coach Pop Klein was sending his half of the spring squad through a workout on the Nubbins field northeast of the field house.

New Grid, Cage Coaches Named At Iowa State

AMES, Ia.—Emmett R. "Abe" Stuber, of Southeast Missouri State college, is the new head football coach at Iowa State college.

He will take over the job as Cyclone mentor on April 1 to be ready to take charge of spring football practice which opens on April 7. Starting salary on the new job was reported to be \$7,000 annually.

A former Missouri University star quarterback of the era of the great Gwinn Henry coached teams, Stuber has had 19 years of college coaching experience. For the past 17 years he has been head coach at the teachers' college at Cape Girardeau, Mo. This was preceded by two years at Westminster college, Fulton, Mo.

WRESTLING MOVIES.

Husker wrestling coach Jerry Adam announces that pictures of the NCAA wrestling tournament of 1946 will be shown at the coliseum in the varsity basketball lecture room at 7:30 p. m. today.



Courtesy of Lincoln Journal

BOB LIPPS—Husker guard last season, Lipps was working at an end post in Wednesday's practice session as Line Coach Tony Blazine put the Scarlet forwards through a stiff workout.

Volley Ball Play Listed as Class A Jack Best Sport

It will pay all organizations to enter the volley ball play, for the sport this year is to count as a Class A sport in the race for the Jack Best trophy. Sixty points will be given for participation, while the winner of the playoffs will receive 200 points with all other playoff participators receiving points according to the order of finish.

Badminton teams of three men from each organization will start tournament elimination play on Tuesday, March 25. Entries are due and must be filed at intramural headquarters today. Single elimination will accompany the tourney.

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