

# NU Cagers Win Opener

## Beat Teachers In 59-39 Victory

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Nebraska's Cage team coached by Harry Good opened the 1948-49 basketball season with a convincing 59-39 victory over Northwest Missouri State Teachers college in the Coliseum last night.

The Husker defense directed by guards Bob Cerv and Henry Cech limited the Missouri quintet to 15 field goals seven of which were scored in the first half.

Claude Retherford, flashy forward, led Nebraska scorers, delivering 15 points for the Scarlet and Cream cause, and was ably assisted by Center Milton "Bus" Whitehead who added 12. Joe Malecek and Kenny Anderson who dunked seven each.

Scoring was evenly divided among the losers with Joe Wolhford and Al Henningsen each scoring nine points respectively.

### New Jackets

The Huskers, sporting new warmup jackets looked good in the season's opener hitting 13 of 26 field goal attempts in the first half. By the game's end they had managed to dunk 24 of 53 attempts.

The Missouri Teachers opened the scoring when Don Scott potted a free-throw after being fouled by Cerv. Nebraska shook off its opening game jitters after Bus Whitehead tipped in a rebound shot seconds later.

### Huskers Take Lead

Al Henningsen managed to slip through the Husker defense to basket two points and give the Teachers a short lived one point lead. Claude Retherford hit the nets for two points and Joe Malecek accounted for two more to give the Scarlet a lead which was never relinquished.

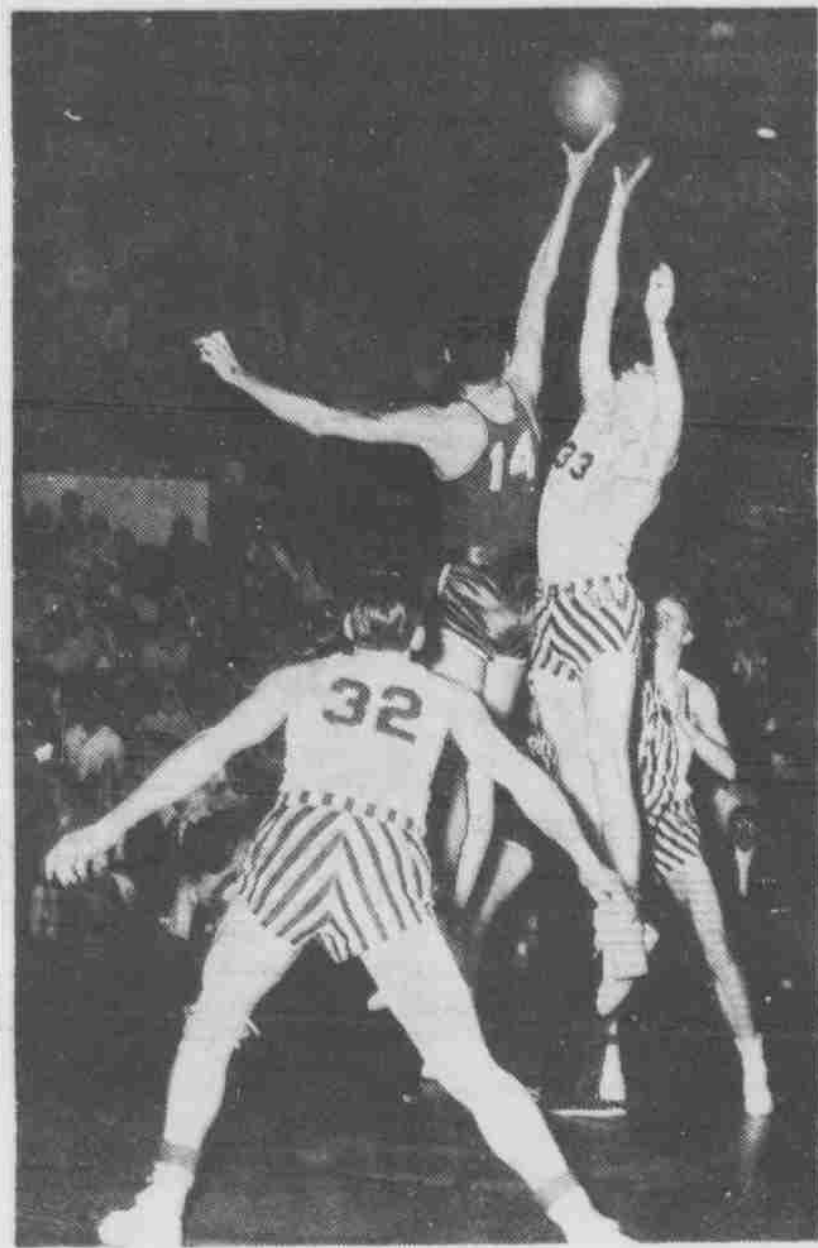
Whitehead and Retherford matched baskets to give Nebraska a 13-5 advantage with ten minutes remaining in the first period.

### Whitehead Tallies

Later in the first period big "Bus" scored a freethrow and then dropped two points through the nets on a clever pass in front of the basket from Retherford.

Good sent in a new team just before the half which saw Rod Cox and Bob Pierce, forwards; Dick Schleiger, center; Bob Gates and Larry Walsh, guards. Rod Cox hit the rim for two baskets and Gates added another with five seconds remaining in the first period.

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NEBRASKA PIVOT MAN—Whitehead, (14) and Northwest Missouri State Teachers center, Wolhford (33) jump center during first basketball game of the year in the Coliseum Wednesday night. The Huskers won going away 59-39 after leading at half 30-20.

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## Law Moot Court Teams Begin Arguments Dec. 7

First semester arguments for law students in the Thomas Stinson Allen Moot Court competition will commence Tuesday, Dec. 7.

In the senior semi-final case which will be argued Dec. 16, R. J. Haggart and J. H. Billing will oppose W. A. Rundle and J. M. Stong. The winning team will meet Dean Kratz and Roy Sheaff next spring to determine the winner of the annual Thomas S. Allen award.

Last year's senior finalists were Robert Gueszel and Richard Wilson vs. Ralph Nelson and William Schwartz. The latter were winners of the competition and were awarded medals in the form of gold watch charms in the shape of the letter "A".

### Begin Arguments

The ten teams remaining in the junior competition will begin arguments on Dec. 13, with Wilson and Coyne leading off against Brower and Erickson; Boyd and Riebig vs. Eills and Luedtke will be followed by Peters and Buss vs. Berkelmer and Fugate; Kent Kratz and Calkins vs. Hunter and Moller Johnson; and Simmons and Abbott vs. Neilson and Sorenson.

Both the junior and senior Allen competitors are named for Thomas Stinson Allen, in whose name a plaque was presented to the Law School two years ago. The names of the winning team in the contests are inscribed on it annually. The competition is planned annually by instructors to give the opportunity for actual practice by law students before courts, in writing briefs, and in meeting situations that arise in court. The cases are presented before and judged by local attorneys and judges.

### Frosh Enter Round

Forty-six freshman teams will enter the required practice round in preparation for the actual competitive round next semester.

Twenty-three cases are on the docket, beginning with Becker Lavaty against Froendt and Gallagher on Dec. 7 and ending with Stohlman and Freeman against Orshek and Raymond on Dec. 20.

The winners of the spring senior competition will be announced after the case and will be presented at the Law School banquet which is held annually. It is

## Three Foreign Students Talk At HEc Meet

Foreign students on Ag campus will be the guest speakers at the Home Ec club meeting Thursday at 5 p. m. in the Home Ec parlors.

This week's meeting is a part of the national Home Economics program to promote better international relations. Marie Constantinides from Greece, Mrs. Milton from the Philippine Islands and Tsu Ping Hiang from China will tell about the Christmas festivals in their respective countries. Harriet Moline and Jane Barker are in charge of the program.

Plans are also in progress for the Home Ec club Christmas Tea, according to Annette Carnahan, chairman. The tea is scheduled to be held Dec. 9 from 3 to 5 in the Home Ec parlors. All Home Ec students are welcome to attend the tea.

## Union Music Group Sponsor Lists Members

Union Music Activities committee members have been named by Mary Ellen Schroeder, committee sponsor, and Rex Pettijohn, chairman.

Students named to the group include: Sally Sipple, secretary, Doris Bonebright, Phyllis Campbell, Jean Eckvall, Marylis Gutschow, Joann Jeffers, Bob Johnson, Sue Kent and Laurel Linn. Others are: Jane Linn, Jack McConnell, David Mize, Ronson Riggs, Eugene Smith, Joanne Smith, Marilyn Voorhees, Don Wickham, Sharon Fritzer, Bob Hartwig and Clarence Thornby.

The Music Activities committee is in charge of all musical programs and events that take place in the Union. They are currently supervising the Dimitry Markevitch concert and selection of records for the Crib. The Music room is also under the supervision of the committee in addition to special music projects.

## Orchesis to Give Christmas Show

A Christmas dance program will be presented by Orchesis Tuesday, Dec. 14 at 7:30 p. m. The program will be held in Grant Memorial hall.

The winners of the dance intramurals have been invited by Orchesis to present their dances on the program. This year's winners are Chi Omega and Alpha Chi Omega.

All houses and organized groups are invited to participate in the WAA Christmas dance intramurals. The idea is to present a Christmas or winter theme through the medium of the dance.

In charge of the program are Amy Jo Bergh and Ruth Alice Johnson Orchesis officers. Dr. Aileen Lockhart, director; Mrs. Dorothy Meshler, assistant director of Orchesis; Miss Nell Holliday, Orchesis director.

## Cornhusker Sends No Reply To Rag's Football Challenge

In the Thursday, Nov. 18 issue of the Rag, the members of that powerful football aggregation from the Daily Nebraskan challenged a meagre assortment of would-be football players from the Cornhusker Yearbook staff, wondering if the Cornhusker writers would be fools enough to accept this invitation to disaster.

### Cornhusker Renigues

As yet, no answer has been received from the Cornhusker staff accepting the challenge to a touch football game. The stipulations were as follows:

1. At least three members of each line be women at all times during the game.
2. That each team will field a nine man or woman team.
3. At least four women must be in the game at all times for each team.
4. Regular IM football rules shall apply.
5. The losing team has to present the winning team the traditional axe. (The axe is traditionally exchanged between the two offices.)

Students taking the Law Aptitude tests should have their applications in to the Law office not later than Friday, Dec. 3. The test will be given Friday afternoon from 1 to 4 p. m. and Saturday morning from 9 to 12.

## NU-Meds Postpone Meet

The Nu-Med meeting originally planned to be held Wednesday, Dec. 1, has been postponed until Wednesday, Dec. 8. Further announcements will appear in the Daily Nebraskan.

## Cornell Profs Get Students' Point of View

Teaching foreign languages is a hard job, but instructing teachers to teach foreign languages seems to be even more difficult. So Cornell University has developed a new plan for instructors who plan to teach foreign languages.

An International Collegiate Press Bulletin explained that Cornell, taking the long way around, is preparing instructors by having them learn an Asiatic tongue—Hindustani.

Operating on the principle that the best preparation for teaching is a knowledge of what it feels like to receive it, Dr. J. Milton Cowan, director of Cornell's Division of Modern Languages, conducted a short course in the Indic tongue for new staff members.

Hindustani was chosen because it was totally unfamiliar to the group, which represented 11 nationalities and dive different European languages.

The idea was a success, according to Dr. Cowan. He says that the instructors acquired a "student point of view" and a sense of humility, a virtue he terms a teaching "must," in addition to learning how to ask their way to the restaurant, hotel, or railroad station—in Hindustani.

Because of the Military and Mortar Board balls, closing hours for women's residences will be reversed the next two weekends. Friday nights, Dec. 3 and 10, will be 1 o'clocks while Saturday nights, Dec. 4 and 11, will be 12:30 nights. Marion Crook, AWS president, announced today.

## Ex-Servicemen Chorus to Give Concert Today

Acclaimed on two continents by millions of enthused listeners, the American Male chorus composed of 24 ex-servicemen, will present a special campus concert at 11:50 a. m. Thursday in the Union lounge.

Hailed by newspapers throughout the land as "inspiring," the all-veteran choral group is on an extensive tour of the country. Performances have been given ranging from small school houses to Carnegie hall.

The group, representing almost all branches of the armed forces, was founded by its present conductor, Lewis Bullock while an officer in the 86th (Blackhawk) Division. Over 300,000 servicemen in the Orient heard the stirring music of the chorus.

A special request by the war department brought the chorus back to the United States in September 1946 to tour army hospitals. When a sudden drastic cut in army appropriations compelled the war department to discontinue the hospital tour, these men received their discharges as a unit in California and began their National Good Will tour which has become one of the most unique concert tours ever made in this country.

There is no charge to see and hear the chorus at the Union. The program will be 15 to 20 minutes in length. Five other concerts are being presented in town-town Lincoln this week by the unit.