

Big Sports Weekend on Tap

DiBiase vs. Hutton Feature Match

Students attending the Saturday night game between Kansas and Nebraska are asked to present ticket number ten along with their ID cards at the door.

BY HAROLD ABRAMSON

Wrestling will take over the spot light Friday night at 7:30 p. m., in the coliseum with the feature match pitting heavyweights Mike DiBiase and Dick Hutton of Oklahoma A. & M. in the Husker's 1949 debut.

Hutton who wrestled in the 1948 Olympics in London has decided DiBiase in two previous meetings. This will probably be Mike's last chance to tame the Oklahoma cowboy.

Win 59 Straight

The Cowboys are NCAA champions, having won 59 straight dual matches. They defeated Omaha university's mat squad Thursday night in Omaha. Art Griffith, veteran Aggie coach, hasn't been defeated since 1937.

Another Olympic grappler who will appear in the coliseum is Bill Jernigan, 121 pounder.

Conference 1946-47 Champion

DiBiase could give Hutton a run for his money as the Husker veteran is in much better condition than a year ago. The Omaha mat man has trimmed down to a mere 216 pounds compared with 242 last season.

Dad's Day

Cornhusker Dads will take some of the spot light from their wrestling sons as this evening has been designated Dad's day. The proud papas will sit on the bench with the wrestlers and be introduced along with their sons before each match.

Bob Yambor, Husker veteran, is not slated for action. The Omaha wrestler is recovering from the influenza contracted during vacation.

Louis Caniglia, Omaha, will represent Nebraska in the 121 pound class and Harold Gilliland will hold down the 128 pound match.

Both Caniglia and Gilliland decided Ken Brown in the tryouts.

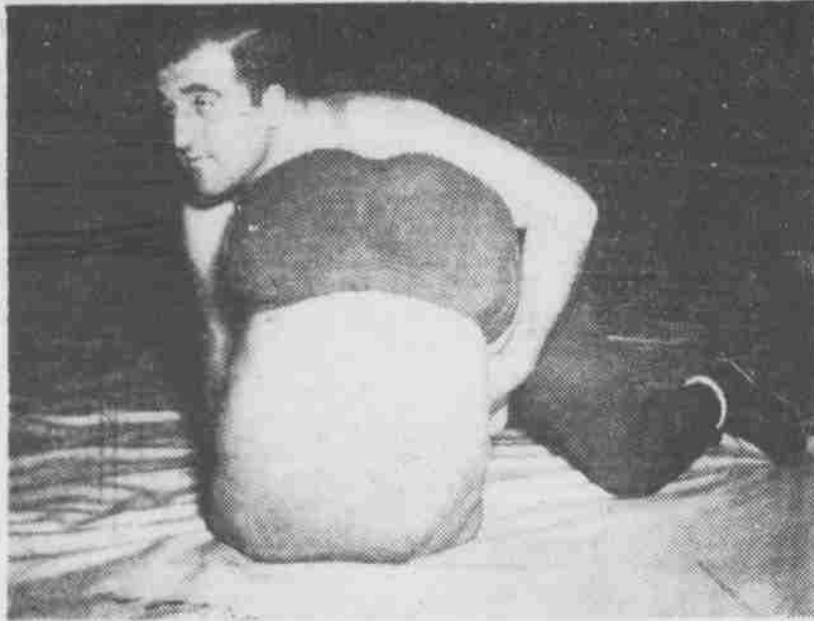
Reese Grapples

Sophomore Herb Reese will represent the Cornhuskers in the light-heavyweight bout.

Other members of the Cowboy squad will be Jack St. Clair, 165 pound division who was a NCAA champ last year and Elias George, 145 pounder.

Probable Matches

Nebraska	Wgt.	Oklahoma A. & M.
Louis Caniglia	121	Bill Jernigan
Harold Gilliland	128	Charles Hetrick
Mickey Sparano	135	George Layman
Jack Tamai	145	Elias George
Bob Russell	155	John St. Clair
Earl Schneider	165	Jack St. Clair
Herb Reese	175	Bob Baker
Mike DiBiase	Hvy.	Dick Hutton



Mike DiBiase, Omaha heavyweight, will attempt to tame Cowboy Dick Hutton in the feature event of the Huskers wrestling debut. Hutton has decided DiBiase twice before and was a U. S. performer in the London Olympics.

ROTC Riflers To Compete in Squad Tryouts

Qualifying rounds will start Jan. 10 to determine the members of the ROTC rifle team.

Rifle matches are an important part of the military department. Last year's freshman rifle team placed second in the United States, according to reports from the National Rifle association.

The entire team is back this year including William and Wendell Baumen, Wilbur Scholle, Richard Merrit and Donald Fleisher.

One of the outstanding rifle shots at the University and one of the best in the United States is Walter G. Palmer of Westfield, N. J., who was chosen on the All-American Rifle team of last year.

The senior ROTC rifle team is the defending champion of the Camp Perry indoor matches held annually at Kemper Military School, Boonville, Mo.

There will be a W.A.A. Council meeting Friday, January 7, at 5:00 p.m. at Grant Memorial Hall. It is an important meeting. Council members are requested to bring their next semester's schedule with them.

Clark Carries Search West

Coach Patsy Clark, still in search of a Nebraska football mentor, was in San Francisco Thursday for a meeting of the American Football Coaches association.

Although a new Nebraska coach is not expected to be named for at least two weeks Patsy will be interviewing prospects for the Nebraska grid helm.

Accompanying Coach Clark was Business Manager Ad Lewandowski and Dean Earl Fullbrook, conference faculty representative and board member.

Clark has not been given the power to hire a new coach on the spot but his recommendation will probably rate high. Nebraska football officials will probably take plenty of time before naming the next Nebraska grid mentor.

Oregon's Jim Aiken and Oregon State's Lonnie Stiner, who were recently named as good candidates for the Husker post, have stated they were not interested in the post.

Others who have been consistently mentioned are Paul Brown, Abe Stuber, Ivan Williamson, George Sauer, Volney Ashford and Bud Wilkenson.

NU Enters Big 7 Play Against Kansas Cagers

Coach Harry Good will send his cage five against Kansas Saturday night in the Husker's 1949 conference opener.

The Kansans lost to Oklahoma Tuesday night and are still seeking their initial conference win. Coach Phog Allen's cagers, pre-season darkhorses, have come up with a strong team, as shown by their placing second in the Big Seven Tournament during the holidays.

The Nebraska quint is in top condition for the game with the exception of Claude Retherford, leading scorer, who is hobbled by a pair of bad ankles. Retherford will be among the five starters however.

A switch in positions, made over the holidays, will find Retherford at a guard post instead of his usual forward position. The shift, which will pair him with Cerv, has been made in an attempt to smooth out the Husker's offense. The inability to get a steady offense working has hampered the Nebraskans in early games.

Rod Cox has been moved into Retherford's vacated position with Malacek at the other forward spot. The center position is handled by towering Bus Whitehead. Two non-starters expected to see plenty of action are Anton Lawry, forward, and Bob Pierce, center. Others who may see service include Henry Cech, Ken Anderson, and Bob Gates.

The Jayhawks' surprising showing this season has been due to their deadly shooting from the field. Led by veterans Hal England, Claude Houchin, and Jerry Waugh, the Kansans have been sending the ball thru the cords at a torrid pace. These three men along with Gene Peterson, a former Husker, will be the men NU must stop Saturday night.

Coach Allen will send a starting five averaging 6'2 on the floor. Peterson at center stands 6'7, and forward Claude Houchin is 6'4. A game between the "B" team and the frosh will precede the main contest.

The varsity court in the Coliseum has been cleaned and refinished and students are requested to avoid walking on the court and stay on the rubber mats when entering and leaving the Coliseum. Probable starting lineups:

Nebraska	F	Kansas
Malacek	F	England
Cox	C	Houchin
Whitehead	C	Peterson
Retherford	G	Waugh
Cerv	G	Rapp



Gene Peterson

IM Squads Must Reserve Courts

Teams or groups desiring to practice basketball on either Saturday morning or Saturday afternoon in the New Physical Education building should telephone or make reservations in person.

Due to the tremendous interest in the new building on Saturdays, and the large number of groups desiring to use the facilities, it is now necessary to reserve baskets, with a change being made every forty five minutes all day Saturday.

The building will be open for student and faculty recreation every Saturday morning and Saturday afternoon for the next several weeks. Hours on Saturday afternoon are from 12:30 to 4:30 p. m.

MAIN FEATURES START

STUART: "Words and Music," 1:24, 3:38, 6:23, 9:08. Bob Bretland at the Organ, 6:18, 9:03.

LINCOLN: "The Paleface," 1:34, 3:34, 5:34, 7:34, 9:34.

NEBRASKA: "Smart Girls Don't Talk," 1:08, 4:00, 6:52, 9:44. "Embraceable You," 2:33, 5:25, 8:17.

CAPITOL: "One Touch of Venus," 3:15, 6:40, 9:55. "The Saxon Charm," 1:20, 4:47, 8:32. Stage, 8:00.

Lincoln Now!

44c to 2 Doors Open 12:45

The "Buttons and Boxes" picture!

The Paleface

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Bob HOPE and RUSSELL

TUE: "One Sunday Afternoon"

Stuart Now!

44c to 6 Doors Open 12:45

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VERRY COMO GENE KELLY
JUDY GARLAND

BOB BRETLAND at the ORGAN!

Nebraska Now!

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VIRGINIA MAYO ROBERT HUTTON

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DANE GERALDINE CLARK GERALDINE BROOKS

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AMATEUR NITE! ON OUR STAGE AT 8:30 P.M. 4 TOP ACTS!

On the Screen: Ava Gardner & Robt. Walker in "One Touch of Venus"

Plus: John Payne & Susan Hayward in "SAXON CHARM"

SUNDAY: "JULIA MISBEHAVES" Plus: "BIG TOWN SCANDAL"



University of Nebraska wrestling squad . . . (front row) Ken Brown, Harold Gilliland, Bob Russell, Mickey Sparano, Louis Caniglia. (Middle row) Earl Schneider, Al Johnson, John Scharf, Jack Tamai. (Rear row) Coach B. R. Patterson, George Ostermiller, Howard Doerr, Mike DiBiase, William Buchanan. Not pictured are Herb Reese and Bob Yambor.