



THERE GOES RETHERFORD—Claude Retherford, Nebraska's high scoring guard, shoots over the outstretched arms of Missouri's Karl Pierpont for a Nebraska basket midway in the final half.

Srb's Shot Wins Overtime Tilt From Tigers, 47-46

Missouri Surge Halted By Last-Second Setup

By CUB CLEM

Talk about story-book finishes! Dick Srb's setup in the final seconds of an overtime period gave Nebraska a 47-46 victory over the Missouri cagers in the Coliseum last night.

The shot provided a fitting climax to the most exciting game played here this year. After leading 30-16 at the half, the Huskers fell apart and allowed the Tigers to close the gap. Missouri went ahead 43-42 with a minute left, but Claude Retherford tied the count with a charity toss.

As the Huskers took the ball out, Retherford dribbled into Tiger forward Karl Pierpont and the referee called a double foul. Both shots were good, and time ran out 15 seconds later.

With two minutes gone of the five-minute overtime period, Husker Joe Malacek dunked a free throw to give Nebraska a 45-44 lead. Then Don Stroot, elongated Missouri center, tipped in a fielder and the Tigers led 46-45, with two and a half minutes left. At this point the Missourians began their stall.

THE MISSOURIANS were fouled six times after this, and each time they elected to take the ball out of bounds instead of shooting their free shots.

Then, with ten seconds remaining, Dick Srb went high in the air to intercept a wild Missouri pass and dribbled half the length of the court for his set-up. The gun went off two seconds later, and the crowd swarmed onto the court, raised the flustered Srb to their shoulders, and carried him triumphantly to the dressing room.

During the first half, Nebraska was back in the form that has carried them to the top of the Big Seven conference, but the

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French Author, Diplomat Will Address Convo

Serge de Fleury, prominent French diplomat, will address an all-University convocation in the Union ballroom Wednesday at 11 a. m., Dr. Karl M. Arndt, chairman of the Convocations committee announced.

Speaking on "the Foreign Policy of Russia," de Fleury will use his first hand knowledge of the European situation gathered from 30 years of diplomatic service.

His service as a French diplomat has taken him all over Europe and through two world wars. He was a liaison officer with the British and American armies in 1914-18 and was wounded three times during the second World war.

His knowledge of world diplomacy was gained from missions to Syria, Anatolia, Bulgaria, Balkans and Russia. Other important positions he has held include assistant to the governor of Rome in 1944. He represented France at an international Congress in Vancouver and Victoria. In 1945-46 he served as assistant director of the Protocole of the United Nations.

Besides his work in the diplomatic service, de Fleury has authored some important books.

Lee to Address AIEE Members

Everett S. Lee, national president of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, will address a joint meeting of the student branch and Nebraska chapter of the organization at 6:45 p. m. Wednesday, Feb. 23, in the Union.

Lee, an engineer in the General Electric company's general engineering and consulting lab, has made an outstanding record in AIEE work. A former director and district vice-president, he has also served as a representative on the National Research Council, for Professional Development, and United Engineering Trustees, Inc.

He is a graduate of the University of Illinois and a member of the honorary fraternities Eta Kappa Nu, Tau Beta Phi and Sigma Xi.

Educators Plan State Institute For Children

The problem of educating handicapped children in Nebraska's public schools will be discussed at an Institute for Exceptional Children to be held on the Nebraska campus Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, Feb. 24, 25 and 26.

Leading the discussion will be two authorities, Miss Romaine Mackie, specialist in the educational problems of handicapped children from the federal office of education, and Prof. Samuel Kirk of the College of Education, University of Illinois.

The institute is sponsored by the department of educational psychology and measurements of the University of Nebraska and by the special education division and Nebraska school-community program of the state department of public instruction.

Program participants include the following school educators: Rosalie Farley, Douglas county; Mrs. F. L. Johnson, Scottsbluff; Mary Moodie, Hastings; Opal Jewell, McCook; Ruth Williams, Wayne State Teachers college; Clara Schoferman, Hooper; Louise Adams, Kearney; Betty Van Velzen, Alliance, and Max Pumphrey, Mrs. Myrtle Mills and Mrs. Cecelia Lowe, all of Lincoln.

Ag Youth Leader Confers In East

Guy R. Davis, state Rural Youth leader at Ag college, is attending the national Extension Young Adult Planning conference at Jackson's Mill, W. Va.

Twenty-six states are expected to be represented at the meetings which are scheduled to run from Feb. 21 to Feb. 25.

NU Proposes Budget Raise On Enrollment

The University has based its request for a 20 percent increase in its operating budget in part on the record increase since 1946 in its student population.

The student population is now at an all-time high, making the University of Nebraska's eighth largest "city." Some decline in enrollment is anticipated in the next few years, but it is not expected that enrollment will ever return to its pre-war average.

The pre-war average was 6,500 students. During the war population figures fell to a low of 3,036. Due to the enrollment of vets in 1946, the number of students jumped to 9,648. The 1947 and 1948 full time student population numbered 12,012 (Lincoln and Omaha enrollment.)

This enrollment high made the University of Nebraska the 12th largest among all of the 52 land grant colleges in the United States. It was 35th among all of the 1,720 universities and colleges in the nation.

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NAACP Official To Lead Forum

"Minority Group Contributions to Culture" will be discussed in a forum Wednesday at 7:30 in Love Library auditorium.

The forum, with John White, president of the University chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, as moderator will be opened for discussion from the floor after the panel presentation.

Members of the panel will be: Rabbi Zion, Detroit Michigan; Willard Gaeddert, physics instructor; Joseph Ishikawa, curator of the art galleries, and Gerhard Krebs, visiting professor of political science.

The panel is sponsored by the YMCA, campus chapter of NAACP, and the University Hillel Foundation.

Feeders' Group See Ranch Film

"Ranching in Nebraska," a film depicting the vast livestock industry of Nebraska, will be featured at the annual meeting of the Corn Belt Cattle Feeders association at Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 23 and 24.

W. W. "Bill" Derrick, animal

All Roads Lead to Ag Union For New Countryman Issue

Don't join in that line outside Ag activities building today if you're looking for new autos at half price or free tickets to Florida. But if you're looking for the new Cornhusker Countryman, the first issue of the semester, then get in line and be sure you get one.

Embodying many new features, this month's Countryman has a new face. For the first time since the war, the cover is a line engraving instead of a picture. This depicts the return of Dean Emeritus W. W. Burr from his four-months stay in Germany, the illustrated feature story of the month.

One of the major changes in the magazine is the staff, headed for the coming year by Keith Fredrickson, Ag senior. Departmental pages are new additions. A subject of wide current interest, the winter of '48-'49, is treated in an article by Dr. H. C. Filley, Ag college economist.

According to the circulation

staff, students who have subscriptions or who would like to buy issues may get their copies on one day only, Tuesday, Feb. 22, from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m., at the Countryman office in the activities building. Copies will be delivered to Love Memorial and Loomis halls, AGR and Farmhouse.

Exchange Scholarships

Dr. G. W. Rosenlof, director of admissions, has requested that all students interested in study abroad secure application forms now. Applications should be returned immediately with requested information to the Director of Admissions, Administration Hall 103, not later than Friday, Feb. 25.

Exchange scholarship opportunities are available for Czechoslovakia, France, Switzerland and Italy. Other scholarship opportunities are available as announced earlier.