

Seven Lettermen Report to Good

Coach Harry Good greeted seven lettermen and four reserves from last seasons basketball squad as the Big Seven co-champions swung into full practice Saturday.

Good, voted as last years outstanding coach in the conference, will be minus the services of three regulars: Claude Retherford, Rod Cox, and Ken Anderson, who were lost at June graduation.

The loss of Retherford leaves the Husker lineup without an experienced floor general. Coach Good emphasized that for this reason the lack of height and experience must be replaced by team unity on the court.

Returning varsity players are: Centers: Milton "Bus" Whitehead, Scottsbluff, and Bob Pierce, Lincoln; Forwards: Anton Lawry, Omaha, Joe Malecek, Chicago, Dick Srb, Lincoln, Ray Jussel, McCook, and Darrell Brandenburg, Liberty, Indiana.

Promising candidates from last season's "B" team who will be counted on are: Center: Ray Lucht, Grand Island; Forwards: Bob Gaston, Minden, and Jim Walsh, Waterbury; Guards: Paul Kipper, Lincoln, and Melvin Schneider, Scottsbluff.

New prospects who showed promise with the freshmen squad last season are: Center: Al Blessing, Ord; Guards: Jim Buchanan, Fort Wayne, Indiana, and Andy Bunten, Cheyenne, Wyoming; Forwards: Jim Fulford, Wawaka, Indiana, Gerard Walton, Geneva, and Norman Wilnes, Sidney.

IM Free Throw Pairings Are Completed

The pairings for the 1949 IM freethrow tourney were completed Saturday according to Charlie Miller, IM director. The 32 paired men will begin competition non Tuesday Oct. 18 at 5 p.m.

All men are requested to look at the schedule posted on the bulletin-board in the PE building and keep their respective dates because no dates will be postponed.

- The pairings:
- Court I 5:00-5:20: Bill Anderson — Sig Ep, Mel Williams — Brown Palace, Jim Abernathy — Sig Chi, Dean Brittenham — Phi Delt, Bob Reynolds — Phi Psi, Bill Denker — ATO
 - Court I 5:20-5:40: Joe Good — SAE, Jack Swendelson — Ind., Don Coupens — ATO, Bill Wenk — DU, Allen Hansen — Sig Ep, Ron Butler — Sig Nu
 - Court II 5:00-5:20: Fritz Simpson — Phi Psi, Jerry Solomon — Phi Gam, Doyle Busskohl — ATO, Jim Thomas — Sig Chi, Dick Michalek — DU, Bob Ward — Beta
 - Court II 5:20-5:40: Jerry Anderson — Phi Psi, Paul Holm — ATO, Jim Sharp — Delt, Al Hammersky — Newman Club

OU Displays Strength in 48-26 Win

BY ROD RIGGS.

Oklahoma began play in its own Big Seven conference when the Sooners whipped Kansas, 48-26, at Owen Field Saturday in the 47th annual game.

It's a tough circuit from top to bottom, but Oklahoma hasn't lost a Big Seven conference game at Norman since 1942, and has played 12 league games without a defeat.

Their 20-14 victory over Texas was won without Norman McNabb, fast charging guard who was dazed on the third play of the game and withdrawn. Clair Mayes, right guard who sprained an ankle against Boston college and didn't play against Texas A. & M., limped through some action at Dallas, but was below par.

The disability of this experienced trio might have been fatal had not the Sooner reserves who had scarcely soiled their jerseys in previous games—Guards Art James and Delton Marcum and Tackle J. W. Cole—gone into the breach and given a smashing performance.

With the Sooner defense having held opposition rushing attacks so soundly, the Oklahoma pass defense, headed by the smallest man on the squad, 152-pound, five-foot-ten Buddy Jones has been exposed to a wild flurry of enemy passes that has averaged 31 tosses per game.

But despite the fact that they have met three sharp throwers in Ed Songin of Boston college, Don Nichols of Texas A. & M., and Papul Campbell of Texas, no touchdown passes have yet gone through Oklahoma while they themselves have scored on passing in every game so far.

And they have averaged 13.8 net yards on each of their pass completions while holding all opponents to an average of 9.2.

The Texas victory last week was the 13th in a row for Oklahoma. Their last defeat was 17-20 to Santa Clara in the first game of last year, played at San Francisco.

- Merle Stalder — ATO
- Milse Louspa — Sig Chi
- Court III, 5:00-5:20: Gilbert Rosenberg — SAM, Larry Anderson — Phi Psi, David Martin, Jack Carroll — ATO, Larry Franzien — Phi Psi, Warren Long
- Court III, 5:20-5:40: Richard Fensler — Delta Sig, Bill Greer — Beta



DARREL ROYAL—This quarterback has succeeded Jack Mitchell as the leader of the Sooners' Split-T formation.

Three Way Tie in Big-7 Title Race

Three unbeaten teams lead the race for the Big Seven championship. Iowa State, three wins and no losses, Nebraska and Oklahoma with one win and no losses are leading the pack as the conference race gets into full swing.

Kansas State and Colorado are tied for fourth and fifth with one win and two losses and Kansas is in the cellar losing three without a win.

In the all-games standings, the Sooners are out in front with four victories and no defeats. The Wildcats are a close second with a four win, no loss, one tie season's record.

Nebraska, Kansas State and Missouri come next with a .500 mark of two wins and two defeats. The Buffaloes and Jayhawkers trail with one and three and one and four records, respectively.

Oklahoma seems to be everyone's choice to repeat as Big Seven Champions this year. Missouri, who has lost by one-point margins to Ohio State and Texas Christian and beaten Illinois this season is the logical contender. Oklahoma has won one conference game thus far while Missouri has yet to play a Big Seven opponent.

Two perennial doormats of the league, Kansas State and Iowa State, have been the surprise teams this year. The two locked horns in the feature game of the day Saturday with Iowa State emerging the victor by a 25-21 score.

Football . . .

(Continued from Page 1.) dirt on Luther's passing and running.

Coach Joe Bedenk unveiled a new running star to score the third touchdown for the Lions. Tony Orsini took over Luther's chores late in the third period and scored when Penn State intercepted a lateral from Del Wiegand to Rocky Mueller. The pass was behind Rocky and he couldn't get his hands on it. Penn State took over on the Husker 23 and Orsini reached the goal line in three plays.

State's overpowering line was responsible for the last two points of the game. The hard-charging forward wall kept pushing Nebraska back until they dropped Nagle in the end zone as he was attempting to pass. The Huskers took the ball on their own 23 after Luther's punt and three successive losing plays netted the safety.

For Penn State it was Bill Luther all the way on offense. Lion star Fran Rogel was hurt in the first quarter and did not see action the rest of the game. He wasn't needed, though, as Luther, ably assisted by Orsini, Chuck Drabenovich, Earle Mundell, and Vince O'Bara, took advantage of wide holes in the Husker line made by the State forward wall.

Three Passers

The Lions used three forward passers to great advantage. Luther, O'Bara and Owen Dougherty combined to complete ten out of 19 passes. Nebraska intercepted three State passes with big Tom Novak getting two of them.

The line backing twins, Tom Novak and Walt Spellman, again were the big guns for the Huskers on defense. Novak and Art Bauer lived up to previous notices by the Penn State scout. He warned the Lions against these two giants and they didn't let him down.

Clark played quite a bit of the

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Upsets in IM Grid Games Friday Night

Upsets came thick and fast Friday in IM football as the underdogs came out on top in three of five contests.

Previously unbeaten, untied, and unscored on InterVarsity ran into a vicious band of Presbyterians and were swallowed up by a 20-0 count. The vaunted IV attack never got started as Presby intercepted eight of their passes while completing 16 of their own.

The loss knocked the losers into a three-way tie for first in the Denominational League with Presby and Newman Club which got a game from the Methodists on a forfeit.

Also previously unbeaten, untied, and unscored on Sigma Alpha Mu felt the axe wielded by a determined bunch of Theta Xi's, 28-6. This leaves the two teams tied for first place in League IV as the first round ends.

The third upset of the day was YMCA's 1-0 victory over Dorm A. The last game of the day saw unbeaten Farm House keep its record clean with a 14-0 win over Delta Chi.

Monday's schedule is as follows: Pioneer Co-op vs. Delta Chi.

Farm House vs. Cornhusker Co-op.

Pi Kappa Phi vs. Sigma Alpha Mu.

Theta Xi vs. Tau Kappa Epsilon.

Methodists vs. Newman Club.

Presbyterians vs. InterVarsity.

The new schedules are out and waiting to be picked up according to C. C. Miller, IM director. The managers of the teams may get theirs at the office in the PE building.

game both on defense and offense. He returned another punt after his scoring spree for 42 yards so he will be the man to watch when the Huskers tackle Big Seven champion Oklahoma at Memorial Stadium next Saturday.

Besides running back punts, Ron did most of the punting for the Cornhuskers. He got off some very good kicks and improved Nebraska's punt average which is the lowest in the Big Seven.

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