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Lee Moore, Competition That Counts

Lee Moore, Grand Island, sophomore middle distance runner for the Cornhuskers, possesses a zest for competition. He clung surprisingly close to the twin terriers of Kansas, Bob Karnes and Pat Bowers, in the mile run of the Big Seven Conference championships. Lee was clocked in 4:19.

Sig Gams Trample Warriors

The Warriors' tenacity in the independent playoffs was short lived as they met and fell before Sigma Gamma Epsilon Tuesday night, 31-52. The rampaging Sig Gams thus racked-up their seventh straight victory and advanced to the second round of the playoffs.

Led by Charles Nunley and Big Jack Yelkin, the Sig Gams never let the game get within doubt. The Warriors, who earned the right to play in the contest by walloping the Lilies the night before, played good steady ball all the way but were hopelessly outclassed by the geologists.

Nunley's 18 points and Yelkin's 13 were tops in the game. Mary Lawton topped the losing scorers, netting 11.

Monday night the Sig Gams will battle the Ag YMCA in the second round of the playoffs. Alpha Tau Omega needed a spurge of points in the second half of its contest with Sigma Chi to come out on the long end of the score. Final reading was 43-30 after a 13-13 halftime score. The win practically assured the ATO's the top spot of fraternity league I and a berth in the playoffs.

As usual, Mack Robinson and Jack Carroll were the big guns of the Tau scoring punch getting 18 and 12 points respectively. Dunning and Prince of the Chi's each meshed eight.

Delta Tau Delta, number one team in the University, clinched a playoff berth as representative of fraternity league III by crushing Delta Upsilon, 49-16. The win was the tenth straight for the Deltas with no losses.

Topping the winning scoring attack were Gardner Johnson and Elmer Vandell, netting 18 and 14 markers respectively. Christensen was high for the DU's with seven.

The top two teams in fraternity league II kept the field far behind them as they, Phi Gamma Delta and Sigma Nu, chalked up victories ten and nine respectively.

The Ejis had a rough time of it before dropping Beta Sigma Psi, 34-25 while the Nu's rolled convincingly over Delta Sigma Pi, 41-25.

In the same league Pi Kappa

Husker Swimmers Seeking Big Seven Crown With Upset

The mermen from Nebraska will try to do the almost impossible when they travel to Norman, Oklahoma, this week end in hopes of upsetting the Iowa State Cyclones for the Big Seven swimming title.

However, the Iowa State team, headed by Roger Watts, is not generally considered to be in favor of abdicating their throne this year.

Last Meet

This is the last swimming meet of the season for the Nebraska team. Coach Hollie Lepy stated that the main weakness in the team this year has been the lack of good reserves. He has top flight men in some events but he doesn't have the inter squad competition that is necessary for a successful team.

Eddie Caren is the only Nebraskan who was able to score a first place in the conference meet last year. He copped first in the high board diving. Caren has been a main point getter for the Huskers this year and he stands a good chance of retaining his individual championship.

Marvin Grimm will end four years of competition for Nebraska in this meet. He won the

conference 50 and 100 yard free style races twice. Last year he was upset by two Iowa State sophomores. He is in the two relay races and the 50 yard free style. Grimm sprained his ankle early in the season but has been rounding into shape during the recent meets.

Another senior who will wear the Scarlet and Cream colors for the last time is back stroker Jack Campbell. He is a four year letterman. Campbell will also enter the medley relay.

Ted Kanamine and Tom Harley are also being counted on for points in the sprints and the 400 yard relay. Kanamine has been pressing Grimm for top honors during most of his career. Harley turned in an outstanding performance in the Kansas meet last Monday when he held Grimm to a tie in the 100 yard free style.

Phelps Improves

Bob Phelps will carry the Nebraska hopes in the 200 yard breast stroke and the individual medley relay. He has shown steady improvement during the whole season and should contribute points to the Cornhusker cause.

Buele Balderson will enter the 100 yard back stroke and the 220 free style. He won the 220 against Kansas and was right behind Campbell in the back stroke.



LEE MOORE—Husker sophomore turned in a 4:19 mile for one of the top Nebraska performances in the Big Seven indoor meet last week-end. Moore placed behind seniors Bob Karnes and Pat Bowers of Kansas.

NU Gymnasts Face Illinois In Last Meet of Season

By Ira Epstein Staff Sports Writer

As the Nebraska gymnastics team closes its season against the University of Illinois this Saturday, Husker fans will get a chance to see gymnast Leo Geier work for the last time with the team. The meet will take place in the Coliseum, beginning at 2:00.

In the four years that Leo has worked with the squad, he has participated in over sixty-eight meets, working the side horse, flying rings, parallel bars, tumbling, long horse, and trampoline. The long horse was used during the Olympic meets.

Always Placed

Not only has he placed in every meet, but he has never failed to gain a place in an individual event, winning numerous first places during the four year period.

When asked how many placement points he has garnered in the four year span, Coach Jake Geier commented it would take hours to add them up.

At the beginning of the 1949-50 season, Leo's team members elected him to be captain for the year. He is also the only gymnast to hold varsity letters for four years. With the current eligibility rule, freshmen aren't eligible to compete in their first year.

Although the loss of Geier will weaken the team considerably next year, Coach Geier has one happy vision to look forward to. Leo is the only senior on the squad, and Coach Geier is expecting to have at least two freshmen to step in and fill Leo's shoes.

Dunavan Back

Another bright spot for next



LEO GEIER, captain and only senior member on Gymnastics Squad.

man Anderson, Paul Hughes and Cliff Curran.

Stiff Competition

Considering the stiff competition from the Big Ten Conference, the Husker gymnasts have had a successful season. In dual meets, they dethroned Iowa University and Colorado State. In tournaments the boys garnered a third place in the Northwest Gymnastics Meet, and a second in the All-College meet.

Entries for this Saturday's meet are:

- Side Horse: Leo Geier, Lincoln Art Hillman, Deshier, and Bob Yarwood, Omaha. Horizontal Bar: Al Dunavan, Beatrice; Norman Anderson, Grand Island; and Paul Hughes, Randolph. Parallel bars: Geier, Dunavan, and Anderson. Flying rings: Geier, Dunavan, and Hughes. Tumbling: Geier, Dunavan, and Hughes. Trampoline: Cliff Curran, Omaha; Dunavan, and Hughes.

Nubbins Post Victorious Year

The University of Nebraska B basketball team, coached by Neal Mehring, has completed a 12-3 season. The Husker B quintet has not been beaten on the road for two years.

The only defeat during the past season was by Nebraska Wesleyan in outside competition. The Nebraska freshman quintet won twice from the javees.

Individual scoring:

Table with 5 columns: Player Name, FG, FT, Pts, Reb, Ast. Rows include Paul Ripper, Al Bessing, Bernard Akromis, etc.

Drawing for the pairings of the Fraternity A and Fraternity B basketball playoffs will be held Friday at 1 p. m. in room 101 Physical Education building. All teams with any chance of reaching these playoffs are asked to have a representative present.

NROTC Rifle-Men Win Four Matches

The University of Nebraska Naval ROTC Rifle Team stepped out of their class this week but they managed to beat Penn State, Louisville, Utah, and Georgia Tech. But they were the victims of Villanova, Washington, Notre Dame, and California.

Bob Zwart continued to lead the Nebraska scoring. He fired a 189 in the 20 round matches and 372 in the 40 round matches.

Table with 4 columns: Name, 20 Rounds, 40 Rounds, Total. Rows include Bob Zwart, Jim Plummer, Keith Murphy, etc.

Table with 2 columns: Team, Score. Rows include Univ. of Washington, Univ. of California, Univ. of Notre Dame, etc.

All tennis players are asked to report to Room 101 of the Physical Education building, Monday at 4 p. m. Coach Bob Slezak has scheduled nine tennis matches, starting April 18, against Kansas State at Lincoln.

Phi won out over Delta Chi in the battle for fourth place, 33-17. Odmen of the Pi Kaps topped the scoring with 13.

Brown Palace tightened its hold on third place in league I with a 46-10 rout of Acacia. The Palacers, paced by Mel Williams' 12 points thus won their sixth game of the year against three losses. The loss was the ninth out of ten starts for Acacia.

Presby Wins

Presby Student House finished its seasonal play on a high key as the Presby men trampled the Methodist Student House, 36-8. Led by Rex Knowles' 13 points, the Presbyterians scored 23 counters before the losers registered a point. Halftime read 21-0.

NU Wrestlers At Manhattan Meet

By Bob Banks Staff Sports Writer

The Cornhusker wrestling team will close the current season when they place their Big Seven crown on the line this week end at Manhattan.

Oklahoma is favored to replace Nebraska as the conference champions. The Sooners defeated the Patterson squad in a dual meet earlier in the season. Their squad has shown definite improvement over last year's team.

If the Nebraska grapplers are at their peak then the possibilities of another championship for them are not entirely impossible according to Coach Patterson.

The Cornhuskers have had a rugged schedule this year and have had dual meets with the three top teams in the nation. The squad has been hampered by the loss of key men during the whole season. In view of all these things the Nebraska squad is actually better than their record may indicate.

Physically Patterson's squad will be in good shape for the meet. The only casualty is Louis Canaglia. He will be badly missed though in the 121 pound division.

THREE CHAMPS

Three defending champions will spearhead the Nebraska attack. They are heavyweight Mike DeBiase, Herb Reese in the 175 pound division, and Mick Sparano in the 136 pound division.

DeBiase will terminate his athletic career for Nebraska in this conference meet. He has been heavyweight king three times. Joe Blanchard, Kansas State heavyweight, defeated Mike this year for his only conference loss. DeBiase hopes to amend this decision down at Manhattan.

Another cog in the Patterson strategy will be 175 pounder Herb Reese. Glen Brand of Iowa State defeated Rees this year but he is injured and will not compete this year. Reese is the only wrestler this year to have gained a decision over an Oklahoma A & M wrestler.

Mickey Sparano is the second senior who will be wrestling his last match for the Scarlet and Cream. He has been beaten once this year in competition but is counted on

for valuable points down at Manhattan.

Harold Gilliland is also considered a threat for conference honors in the 128 pound division.

Coach Buele Patterson has nominated Ken Brown, Harold Gilliland, Mickey Sparano, Bob Russel, Al Johnson, Herb Reese and Mike DeBiase to make the trip to Manhattan. It is not definitely known yet whether Ed Lane or Don Raugh will represent the Huskers in the 155 pound division.

COLORADO READY.

BOULDER—A nine-man University of Colorado wrestling squad under Coach Ray Jenkins will leave Boulder Thursday morning by automobile for Manhattan, Kas., and the Big Seven conference mat tourney.

The Buffs, their squad roster dominated by sophomores, will be rated a toss-up with Kansas State for fourth place, but Jenkins hopes some of his men can bring enough points home to lift the Buffs into the first division.

Colorado has a won-8, lost-7, tied-1 record for the 1950 season. They have defeated most of the teams in the Rocky Mountain area, the bowing to Wyoming twice. In conference matches they have lost to Iowa State and Oklahoma, the two leading contenders for the crown, as well as Nebraska, and have tied with Kansas State.

With Iowa State's Olympic champion, Glen Brand, out of action because of an appendectomy, Oklahoma looks like first choice to cop the title, with the Cyclones and Nebraska close behind.

Colorado's big hopes for conference honors are both sophomores—Bill French, 155 pounds, and Maynard Skinner, 165 pounds. Others who may end as high as second place are veteran Rex Sheppard 175 pounds, and another sophomore, Bob Worster, 121 pounds.

Advertisement for Gold & Co. featuring Rothley 3-Length Slacks. Includes a photo of a man in slacks and a list of items for sale.

Large advertisement for Camels cigarettes featuring a woman smoking and the slogan 'My cigarette? Camels, of course!'.

Frosh-Varsity Indoor Meet Scheduled for March 13, 14

Nebraska varsity trackmen will meet the Husker freshman team in an indoor dual meet on Monday and Tuesday, March 13 and 14. The meet will start at 5 p. m. on both days.

It will be the final indoor action for both varsity and freshman trackmen. Nebraska won five of six indoor dual meets during the season and placed second in the conference indoor meet at Kansas City last week-end.

The freshman are undefeated in five dual postal meets.

The upperclassmen will be heavy favorites to cop the annual event, but can expect trouble from the freshmen in half-mile, mile, two-mile, pole vault, shot put, broad jump and high jump.

Frosh Strong

The frosh could win two individual events. Glen Beerline has a broad jump mark of 22-3 which is three inches farther than any of the varsity jumpers and Hobe Jones could give veteran Harold Kopf a good race in the half-mile.

Kopf's best mark is 1:57.0 turned in at Kansas City. Jones has been credited with a 1:59.2 but has not been pushed this season.

Yearling two-milers Bob Kissinger and Wayne Juuds will be threats to the varsity field of Barnell, Aydin and Reese and could pull an upset in that event. Both have toured the distance in under 10:20 this year.

Additional frosh points should

come from Warren Jensen in the shot, Don Coupens in the pole vault, Irving Thode in the high jump and broad jump and Jones in the mile.

Varsity strength is three-deep in the 440 and hurdles and they should cop the relay. Sheldon Jacobs or Dick Stansbury might give the frosh 60 yard dash points.

Table with 2 columns: Event, Name. Rows include Monday 5:00 High Jump, 5:00 Shot put, 5:00 Two mile run, etc.