

# Colorado Here Monday; NU Dope-Sheet Favorites

## Eleven Meet Records May Fall; Seven By Nebraska

BY KNOX JONES  
(Staff Sports Writer)

Nebraska's track team will be after their first dual meet victory of the current outdoor season Monday afternoon as they entertain the University of Colorado Buffaloes at Memorial Stadium starting at 3 p. m.

Coach Ed Weir's thinclads dropped their only dual meet start to Kansas university three weeks ago by a 66-65 score. Colorado has beaten Arizona and lost to Oklahoma A & M this year.

On the basis of early season performances eleven meet records will be in danger when the two teams get together on Monday.

Record-breaking performances may be seen in the 440, mile, two-mile, high and low hurdles, mile relay, javelin, discus, shot put, high jump and pole vault.

440—Loyal Hurlbert and Harold Kopf of Nebraska both have bettered the meet record of 50.4. Hurlbert turned in a 49.0 and Kopf a 49.7 against Kansas. Kopf may be entered in the half-mile.

One-mile—Lee Moore of Nebraska should easily break the mile record of 4:29.5 set by George Fitzmorris of Colorado in 1948. Moore ran under the record against Kansas and has a 4:19 to his credit in door competition.

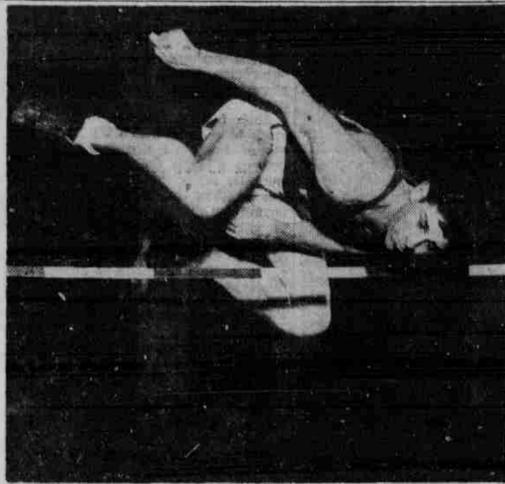
High and low hurdles—Bob Berkshire has turned in a 1:4.6 clocking in the highs and 2:4.1 in the lows and will be a favorite to break both barrier records.



**DON CAMBELL**—Graduated Colorado sprinter, won't be back to defend his crown. The Buffalo speedster holds the record in both the century and 220. With Cambell out of the sprints, the Husker chances for a dual victory are much brighter. Harry Meginnis is the pre-meet favorite to win the dashes.



**LEE MOORE**—Nebraska sophomore will meet stiff competition in the form of veteran George Fitzmorris on Monday afternoon. Both will be after the meet record of 4:29.5 set by Fitzmorris in 1948. Moore was credited with a 4:19.0 in the Big Seven indoor meet.



**DICK MEISSNER**—Husker high jumper, will have to reach his peak in order to establish a new record for Nebraska-Colorado dual meet. He might not get the new record, but Coach Ed Weir is banking on him to come through with some important points.

### K-State at Ames For Two-Games

The Kansas State baseball team will be in Ames Monday and Tuesday for its annual series with Iowa State.

It will mark the fourth consecutive game with a Kansas team, the Cyclones winding up a two game series with the Jayhawkers from Lawrence Saturday.

of 138-11 1/2 set by Husker Wayne Sees in 1948. Sees will also be after the record. He had an unofficial toss of 156 feet at Kansas Relays.

**Huskies Favored**  
Nebraska will be favored over the Buffs on the basis of greater all-around strength on both the track and in the field. The Huskers should win the majority of the points in the sprints, hurdles, 440, 880, relay, pole vault, broad jump and javelin with good outside support in other events.

Harry Meginnis, Nebraska sprinter, will be favored in the 100, 220 and broad jump and should be the days high scorer. Meginnis has shown steady improvement during the outdoor season but will have trouble pushing the records in any of the three events.

**Colorado-Nebraska Records**  
100-yard dash—Campbell (C), 19.7, 1947.  
220-yard dash—Campbell (C), 31.07, 1947.  
440-yard run—Boles (C), 1:05.2, 1947.  
880-yard run—Boles (C), 1:55.2, 1947.  
1-mile run—Fitzmorris (C), 4:29.5, 1948.  
2-mile run—Yocum (N), 10:04.3, 1948.  
High hurdles—Berkshire (N), 1:4.9, 1948.  
Low hurdles—Berkshire (N), 1948.  
Pole vault—Piderit (N), 20-1/2, 1948.  
Relay—Colorado, 2:25.2, 1946.  
Shot put—Piderit (N), 20-1/2, 1948.  
High jump—McAfee (C), 6-4, 1947.  
Pole vault—Cooper (N), 13-4, 1948.  
Discus—Sees (N), 138-11 1/2, 1948.  
Broad jump—McEwen (C), 29-8 1/2, 1948.  
Javelin—Todd (C), 195-10 1/2, 1948.

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**HARRY MEGINNIS**

Berkshire holds the high hurdle record of 1:4.9 and shares the low hurdle record of 2:4.1 with Learned of Colorado.

**Two mile**—Fitzmorris of Colorado has run the distance marathon under 10 minutes consistently for two seasons and should have little trouble surpassing the present mark of 10:04.3.

**Mile relay**—Both teams are capable of cutting the present record of 3:25.2 set by the Buffs in 1946. The Huskers quartet of Kehl, Meginnis, Kopf and Hurlbert ran 3:22.5 against Kansas.

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**SOONER TRACK COACH**—John Jacobs, is paid high tribute by Bill Carroll, his best pole vaulter.

### Carroll Honors OU Track Coach John Jacobs

When Bill Carroll, Oklahoma's lanky senior pole-vaulter from Okemah, was called to the microphone after being voted the outstanding performer at the Kansas Relays last week, he told the 10,000 spectators present:

"There's another fellow here today who should be standing right up here beside me. He is John Jacobs, our track coach at Oklahoma. Jake's wisecracks, as well as his coaching have helped pull me out of all my slumps."

Carroll's winning vault of 14 feet 5 inches, the greatest of his life, was not only a new Kansas Relays record, but also the best outdoor mark in the Nation to date.

# DAILY NEBRASKAN "SPORTS IN THE NEWS"

## Huskers Blast Sooners In First Tilt Friday, 14 to 4

The Cornhusker baseballers kept their red-hot Big Seven Conference title aspirations alive Friday by steamrolling past the Oklahoma Sooners by a score of 14-4.

The victory gave Nebraska sole ownership of the second berth in conference behind Colorado. Previously Oklahoma and Nebraska had been deadlocked for second

place, each team having won 3 and lost 1 in conference play.

**Powley Connects**  
The Huskers cemented their victory in the third inning when rightfielder Harlan "Buzz" Powley knocked a home run with the bases full.

Shortstop Bob Stephenson did the most damage to Nebraska. He paced the Sooners' seven hit attack with two round-trip tickets. The first one came in the third with no men on and the second one was hit in the eighth with one mate aboard.

The Sooner prize hurler, Jack Shirley, was just another pitcher to the determined band of Nebraskans. Bill Denker singled in the first frame, driving in two runs. Nebraska picked up a third run in the first on an over throw at third base.

The second inning found Nebraska continuing their offensive show. Bob Jensen hit a single and scooted home on a double by Bob Diers.

**Cerv Triples**  
In the third inning Bob Cerv opened up with a triple to right. Denker was hit by a pitched ball and Tom Novak beat out a bouncing grounder to load the bases for the Huskers. Then Powley made his fateful appearance. With a full count on him, Powley knocked Shirley out of the box with his homer. This made the score board read 8-1.

Nebraska tattooed away at relief hurler Bob Waters for runs in the third, fifth and seventh.

Against a third Sooner reliever, John Davis, the Huskers tallied three runs in the ninth. Denker batted two more runs in with a single and Novak's hit added a third.

Linus Vrbka went the full distance for Nebraska. He gave up three free passes and sent seven men down swinging. The seven hits he allowed were well scattered and he was never a hot water. Vrbka contributed to his own victory with three successive bingles.

### Press Box Views

By Kimon Karabatsos  
(Sports Editor, Daily Nebraskan)

Latest craze to hit the Big Seven sports empire is the "alumni" games. The only school of the conference that has not scheduled an alumni game is Colorado. Don't be surprised to read that the Buffs are planning one though.

Nebraska, Oklahoma, Kansas, Kansas State, Missouri and now Iowa State have all paraded their grads and spring teams before their fans as a preview as to what they can expect come next fall.

Iowa State is the latest school to establish a game with the "old-timers." The Cyclones will meet their "stars of yesteryears" some time next week, and the sports desk has been bombarded with press releases from the Ames stronghold.

Like the Husker game, admission will be 50 cents for students and a dollar for non-students and coaches. The proceeds will go for the same cause. If the Cyclones should happen to trounce the "grads" it will be the first one-sided victory to be chalked up in the conference.

Nebraska and Oklahoma barely eked out wins, 14-13, in both cases. The Sooners were not the "40 point favorites" that the Huskers were, in fact, they were underdogs. The Oklahomans had a star-studded field with members of their two Sugar Bowl championship teams on hand.

**Sooners Favored**  
That Sooner victory puts them odds-on favorites to repeat as Big Seven champions, but the Huskers still have to be fully indoctrinated at "Camp Curtis."

I'm optimistic when it comes to predictions concerning the Husker grid team for 1950.

Since they are so far out of line when I compare them with the others that I have seen, I have decided to await the final issue of the "Rag" before I cause them to be printed. Get ready for a shock!

faster and the weather half-way decent, the record would have been sure to fall.

Bob Berkshire will be seeking revenge in the highs. Francis Bardot beat him in an indoor meet last winter at Lincoln. Berkshire edged him at the Big Seven carnival in Kansas City for second place.



**BUS WHITEHEAD**—Turning thumbs down on the professional offer from the Chicago Stags, still plans to play with the Phillips 66 Oilers. Whitehead was one of four Big Seven basketball players to be drafted by the National Basketball association.

### Bus Refuses Pro Offers

Milton Whitehead, Cornhusker center for the past season, has turned down a bid from the professional Chicago Stag basketball team to play pro ball after he graduates.

Whitehead will continue with his present plans which are to play for the Phillips Oilers, an amateur team composed of ex-college stars.

**MAIN FEATURES START**

**STATE**  
"The Man on the Eiffel Tower"  
1:00, 3:09, 5:18, 7:27, 9:38

**VARSITY**  
"Savage Horde"  
1:29, 4:45, 8:01

"The Kid from Cleveland"  
2:59, 6:15, 9:31

**HUSKER**  
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"Home of the Brave"  
1:00, 4:01, 6:59, 10:00

### Husker Tennis Team Trounces K-Wesleyan for Initial Win

Coach Bob Slezak's Cornhusker tennis crew posted their first win of the 1950 spring campaign by slipping past Kansas Wesleyan 3-2 last Friday down at Salina, Kas.

The Nebraskans had previously dropped matches to Kansas State, Washburn, and the University of Kansas.

In Friday's contest, only the singles matches were played. The doubles were cancelled because of rain.

Men turning in the winning performances for Nebraska's victory were Andy Bunten, Bob Radin, and Jerry Magee.

These matches were the first singles victories that Coach Slezak's team have been able to win. The other Nebraska victories had been won by Jerry Magee and Bob Radin in the doubles. They won their doubles matches against both Kansas State and Washburn.

Coach Slezak had been expecting all three men to hit their stride before the season was very far along.

**Bunten Adept Pupil**  
Bunten has been an especially adept pupil. He has been improving steadily with his service. Radin and Magee have also been showing new skill with the racket. Together they make a good doubles combination and will probably contribute even more in the future.

The Huskers will make their

next home stand against the Iowa State Cyclones on May 6. Berkeley Greiner (KW) defeated Jamie Curran (N) 3-6, 6-3, 6-8.

Nelson Giddings (KW) defeated Jeff Deiton (N) 6-3, 1-8, 6-3.

Andy Bunten (N) defeated Dale Brooks (KW) 6-2, 6-2.

Bob Radin (N) defeated Harold Fraser (KW) 6-1, 6-3.

Jerry Magee (N) defeated Doug Chance (KW) 6-1, 6-2.

### Grads Tabbed Favorites In Cage Meet

By Bob Banks

The feature attraction of the 1950 spring basketball drills according to Basketball Coach Harry Good will be a cage show between a team composed of former Cornhusker stars and a squad of varsity men.

The game is to be played this Friday night in the Coliseum. Tip off time is at 7:30.

Good plans for the contest to serve as a climax to the spring drills which are now beginning their third week. It will give Cornhusker fans a chance to get a preview of things to come in the 1950-51 season.

The game will also give Good a chance to test his varsity against a group of seasoned performers. His team is made up largely of freshmen and "B" teamers who haven't had a chance to show their wares against outside competition. Only three lettermen will be favoring for the Cornhuskers Friday night.

The game will have a championship flavoring, thanks to the Alumni squad. Most of their squad is composed of stars who have spearheaded a Cornhusker championship team for the last two years. Chief among these are such colorful players as Claude Retherford, Gus Whitehead, Joe Brown, Anton Lawry, Henry Cech, Joe Malacek, and Dick Schlegler.

Men playing for the Varsity are Allen Benjamin, Dean Brittenham, Jim Buchanan, Harold Cocanower, Paul Fenske, Joe Good, Dwight Herendence, Graves Holloway, Charles Hook, Bob Howey, Paul Kepper, Kenneth Legrand, Bob Mercier, George Paynich, Max Pettijohn, Bob Pierce, Roland Rivers, Ron Roeder, Subby Ruma, Jesse Sell, Jim Snyder, Perry Vestal, Jim Walsh, and Norman Wilnes.

Had the track been a little

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### Huskers In Full Week Of Athletics

The Week's Schedule

**GOLF**  
Monday—Creighton, U in Lincoln. Saturday—Iowa State in Lincoln.

**TENNIS**  
Saturday—Iowa State in Lincoln.

**TRACK**  
Monday—Colorado in Lincoln Saturday—Missouri at Columbia

**BASEBALL**  
Friday-Saturday—Kansas in Lincoln.

University of Nebraska students will have a chance to see all of their spring varsity athletic squads in action for the first time this year.

Highlighting the week's jam-packed activities will be the two-game baseball series with Kansas University on the local diamond. Coach Sharpe's crew has been "down south" in Oklahoma battling it out for the conference second place spot.

Lin Vrbka's excellent mound work and the power hitting of Bob Cerv and Howard Powley completely routed the Oklahomans in their first game, 14-4. Powley knocked out a circuit blow with the bases loaded during the third to insure a Husker victory.

**Golfers Meet I-S**  
Coach Marv Franklin's once defeated golf team has two matches on tap this week. Monday they have a return engagement with Creighton University. The Huskers won their first match in Omaha.

Saturday the Iowa State golf and tennis teams look horns with Nebraska. Last week the Cyclones won the Iowa Collegiate golf crown for their third straight year. The Cyclones have won the event every year.

Coach Bob Slezak's tennis squad, returning to Lincoln with a win over Kansas Wesleyan, their first of the year, will be after their first win in Big Seven circles.

**First Dual Here**  
Coach Ed Weir had two dual meets on tap for his squad. Monday afternoon he will unveil his outdoor team for the first time in Memorial stadium. The Huskers have been tabbed to win the Colorado dual easily in a meet which 11 records are in danger.

The meet Saturday with Missouri is a horse of another color. Nebraska will have to overcome the Tiger's depth as well as such outstanding individual performers as Bill McQuire who came within just a few seconds of breaking the Drake Relays two-mile record.

Had the track been a little



**LOYAL HURLBERT**—Husker middle-distance ace will be after Colorado-Nebraska dual meet record in the 440 yard dash on Monday afternoon. Hurlbert has run 49.0 in the open quarter this season and is a 48.8 anchor leg on the mile relay against Kansas.

**SPALDING SPORTS SHOW**

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