



IT'S ALL IN THE GAME... A new sports tradition began for the first time at the Nebraska-Cornhusker game Saturday. Fashioned after the Missouri-Nebraska Victory Bell tradition, this Bear's head will be presented each year by the losing team in the football game between Colorado and Nebraska. Nebraska's Mortar Boards and Innocents are shown presenting the Bear's head to Colorado's Heart and Dagger society.

Former 'Coach Of Year' Wilkinson Here Saturday

The University of Oklahoma Sooners, decimated by graduation and injury losses, got off to a slow start this season—nothing like past national championship performances.

But Head Coach Bud Wilkinson has moulded his few veterans and heavy list of freshmen and sophomores into a formidable machine apparently headed for a roaring finish.

Wilkinson, former Coach of the Year selection, is in his fifth season at Oklahoma which was his first head coaching assignment. The big blond mentor won 38, lost four and tied one for a phenomenal .904 per cent before this season started.

The amiable Minnesotan played guard in 1934-35 for the Golden Gophers, then switched to blocking back and called signals in 1936 for Coach Bernie Bierman's Gophers who won the and senior seasons. As a graduate in 1937, Bud quarterbacked the College All Stars to their first victory of all time at Soldiers Field over "pro" champions who were the Green Bay Packers that year.

Wilkinson is ably assisted by some top-notch coaching talent. In charge of the line is cagey, soft-spoken Gomer Jones, former Ohio State star who can take a lot of credit for making Sooner guard Jim Weatherall All-American talent.

End coach is gum-chewing Frank Ivy, a big buy who speaks slowly and quietly and answers to the name of "Pop." He's an Oklahoman, hailing from Skiatook. He played end for Oklahoma in 1937, 1938 and 1939.

Doug Wilcox, Pieper Experts There's one in every crowd. That seems to be the key to our expert of the week award. This week Don Pieper, managing editor and Doug Wilcox, sports staff writer, take this week's forecasting limelight.

Pieper stepped out on the limb to take a two touchdown underdog Rice team over Texas A. & M. The Owls came through with a stinging 28-13 victory over the Texans.

Wilcox took a likewise underrated Northwestern Wildcat eleven over the Wolverines of Michigan and the inconsistent Evanson lads won out, 6-0.

Bob Banks, sports editor, led this week's predictors with six picks in ten attempts. Bob now has a .706 average to lead Arley Bondarin, sports, who has a .676 percentage.

Business staff members monopolize the third and fourth place posts with .647. Jack Cohen, business manager and Arnie Stern, assistant business manager, both hit half of their selections.

Wilcox is in fifth with .633 and Marshall Kushner, assistant sports editor; Ron Gibson, sports staff; and Shirley Murphy, news editor, are bunched in a tie for sixth with .626.

As a result of last week's upsets, a quartette of experts is found in an eighth place tie. Tom Becker, sports; Dale Reynolds, Ag editor; Tom Rische, editor and Pieper have .603.

The battle for departmental supremacy continues as the business staff lead slipped from seven points to only two percentage points over the sports staff. Business has a .647 total mark while sports has compiled a .645.

The editorial department continues to sink lower as they picked 18 winners out of 40 tries to bring them down to .606.

Sig Alphas Trip Delts

Sigma Alpha Epsilon eked out a 6-0 win over Delta Tau Delta Friday to gain a berth in the fraternity football play-offs.

No points were made until the last few plays in the second quarter. This is how the scoring of the game went:

With two minutes left in the second quarter Joe Gifford, outstanding offensive back for the Sig Alph squad, made a sensational 45-yard run which set up the initial touchdown.

Pete Elliott, who quarterbacked all-victorious Michigan to a 49-0 annihilation of Southern California in the Rose Bowl game of 1948, came to Oklahoma from Oregon State where he has coached for the past two years. Elliott, assistant coach and scout, set an all-time record at Michigan by earning 12 letters, four in football, four in basketball and four in golf.

Another "illustrious alumnus" Sooner coach Dee Andros, Oklahoma's great blocking guard of 1946-49. Andros, the assistant line coach, is completing work on his Master's degree while helping out at OU. Andros played in three different bowl games and the Sooners won them all.

Oklahoma, primarily a team that has stuck to the ground, is mixing its attack this season. With the early-season injury of half-back Billy Vessels, much of the ball-carrying chores have fallen on Buck McPhail, a smashing full-back. For the first six games this year McPhail has toted the ball 58 times for a total of 575 yards. That's an average of 9.9 yards

per trip, nearly a first down every time he gets the ball. Other top-notch ball carriers are two half-backs, Died Heatly, a senior, and John Leake, a freshman.

The Sooner passing ace is quarterback Eddie Crowder, a variable work-horse. Crowder has completed 18 of 33 passes thus far in the season for 308 yards and four touchdowns. Only one of his aeriels has been stolen by the opposition. In addition, Crowder has carried the ball 46 times for a total gain of 200 yards.

Lake leads in the scoring division with six touchdowns for 36 points. He is closely followed by Heatly with 30 points. Weatherall, an all-round good lineman, is third in scoring with 22 points, all coming from after-touchdown conversions.

The Sooners' defensive backfield is youthful but effective. Teaming up with a stubborn offensive line, they have held Oklahoma's opponents to 876 yards rushing and 433 yards passing, while intercepting 14 enemy aeriels. Oklahoma on the other hand has picked up 1824 yards on the ground and 567 yards through the air while allowing only three interceptions.

Emanuel was given the lion's share of the credit for holding Buffalo scabbard Woody Shelton to a 2 yard rushing average in the game.

Also given praise for their work in the game were Jerry Minnick and Bill Schabacker, who continually made it tough on the hard-charging Buffaloes to make headway in the line.

Despite the good defensive showing which his charges made at times, Glassford announced plans to put the Huskers through a defensive drill session this week.

The Huskers' defense will have to be sharp to stop Mighty Oklahoma next Saturday. Sooner Coach Bud Wilkinson has a wealth of backs down at Norman, Oklahoma.

Leading the Sooner offensive corps are Buck McPhail and Eddie Crowder. McPhail is a hard-

The Benchwarmer

By RON GIBSON and TOM BECKER

Another defeat for the Cornhuskers meant another Blue Monday for Coach Bill Glassford and his young charges. One thing must be said for the Nebraska gridders. They're not running out of carbon paper. For the seventh time the Huskers fell apart in the second quarter.

The trouble against Colorado seemed to stem from the numerous injuries suffered by the key men in the Cornhuskers' spread formation. John Bordogna, Bob Reynolds and Jim Cederdahl were all taken out of the game because of injuries.

Late in the final quarter, Don Norris and even Ray Novak were throwing from the spread. Norris, passer in the T, was hardly able to fill John Bordogna's shoes in the spread.

There were, however, two bright spots in the CU fray. The Huskers failed to fumble or have a pass intercepted.

So much for this weekly foo-fah. In a pre-game interview with a pair of Colorado ends, Don Branby and Bob Heap, the Benchwarmer learned that the Coloradoans thought they would have to play their best game of the season to beat Nebraska.

Branby and Heap also said the man they feared the most was the one who would handle the passing chores for Nebraska, whether it was Bordogna or Reynolds.

Both Branby and Heap were defensive standouts for the Buffs in the game, along with such stalwarts as Jack Jorgenson, Jim Dalthrop and Roy Shepard. After the battle, Coach Dal Ward cited the play of Branby and Jorgenson as instrumental in stopping the Cornhusker attack.

Ward named Carroll Hardy and Zack Jordan as his top offensive stars in the game, Hardy for his running and Jordan for his effective passing.

A word should be spoken for Verl Scott. The Cornhusker center was the subject of much adverse criticism after what appeared to be mistakes on his part.

Glassford vindicated Scott after the game, pointing out the fact that Scott's wild center passes were due to a mixup in the huddle.

Also, you loyal Husker fans, remember that it was Scott who jumped on a Colorado fumble on the opening kickoff to give the Cornhuskers a decided break. The Huskers failed to take advantage of the break immediately, and Scott's recovery was forgotten in the excitement of the ensuing plays.



GLASSFORD

Beta Theta Pi Wins Intramural Swim Title

Beta Theta Pi won the intramural swim meet with 39 points. Cal Bentz led the Beta's by capturing the 220-yard free style, 100-yard back stroke and the 75-yard individual medley relay.

Dave Gradwohl, independent, was also an outstanding performer as he won the 50 and 100-yard free style races.

Following Gradwohl in the 50-yard free style were Gordon Peterson, Phi Delta Theta, Bob Stone independent, Don Anderson, Beta Theta Pi, Ed Lewis, Phi Kappa Psi, and Bob Ryan, independent.

The 100-yard brest stroke was won by Richard Hlidek, independent, in 1:12.8.

Pete Sluasar, Delta Sigma Phi, Bob Peters, independent, Blaine Ward, Sigma Nu, and Paul Johnson, Delta Upsilon, following Hlidek in that order.

Cal Bentz began his twin killing in the 220-yard free style with a time of 2:33.1.

Right behind him were Lloyd Lathrop, independent; Bob Vandell, Delta Tau Delta, and Herb Steizer, independent.

Bentz came right back in the 100-yard back stroke in 1:14.2. Bob Day, Phi Kappa Psi, pushed him all the way. Day was followed by Lloyd Reed, Delta Sigma Phi; Bob Peters, independent; Charles Thompson, Delta Upsilon; and Hugh Follmer, Beta Theta Pi.

Gradwohl, won the 100-yard free style with a 1:05.5.

Gradwohl was trailed by Jim

Norton, Sigma Alpha Epsilon; Bob Ryan, independent; Ed Lewis, Phi Kappa Psi; Lloyd Lathrop, independent; and Tom Woodward, Sigma Nu.

Bentz again splashed to a 48.8 and captured the 75-yard individual medley relay.

Gordon Peterson, Phi Delta Theta; Dick Hlidek, independent; Dave Jones, Alpha Tau Omega; Blaine Ward, Sigma Nu; Bob Day, Phi Kappa Psi, and Mike Holyoke, Beta Theta Pi, followed.

In the one meter dive, Gene Cotter, Alpha Tau Omega, captured first place with 43.1 points.

Trailing Cotter were Pete Slausar, Delta Sigma Phi; Don Anderson, Beta Theta Pi; Don Hewitt, Alpha Tau Omega; Gaylord Smith, independent, a d Bob Norton, independent.

Groups and scores: Alpha Tau Omega, 34; Phi Kappa Psi, 32; Delta Sigma Phi, 22; Sigma Nu, 13; Phi Delta Theta, 10; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 5; and Delta Tau Delta, 4.

Coach Hollie Lepley was ably assisted by student manager, Ray Rider.

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Cagers Hold Vacation Workouts

Basketball coach Harry Good will hold workouts for 10 squad members over Thanksgiving vacation. The Nebraska cagers are preparing for their season opener on Saturday, Dec. 1, when Iowa State Teachers' college invades Huskerland.

Coach Good's varsity roster included lettermen Jim Buchanan, Joe Good, Jim Snyder, and Bud Ward; sophomores Bud Exstrom, Bill Johnson, Fred Seger, Ron Smaha and Don Weber; and freshmen Clarence Cook, Willard Fagberg, Paul Fredstrom, Dave Fahrbach, Stan Matzke, Charles Ott, and Arne Senquist, Gerald Sandbulte and Gary Renzelman.

driving fullback whom some observers say is as good as his predecessor, Leon Heath. Crowder is a good passer, and it was his throwing that caused the downfall of Colorado's Buffaloes in the Oklahoma-Colorado game this year.

Running behind linemen like Jim Weatherall and Tom Catlin, the Sooner backs will be a power to be reckoned with when the Huskers meet the Sooners at Memorial Stadium on Saturday.

Main Features Start VARSITY: "Two Tickets to Broadway," 1:00, 3:09, 5:15, 7:22, 9:33. State: "Never Trust a Gambler," 1:26, 4:11, 6:56, 9:41. "Roadblock," 2:47, 5:32, 8:17. Esquire: "Mad About Opera," 2:00, 7:39, 9:19.

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