Bearcats, M-Streeters Win First Playoff Tilts

The nearest thing to an up-et, in an evening that saw six independent and four fraternity "B" contests staged, was the Navy ROTC victory over the Lillies. The Navy upended the Lillies, 33-25, to advance to the second round of play.

The Lillies held the command throughout the first two and a half quarters, but blew up when the Navy surge began. It was 9-7 Guidon Ken L. Grand took too 16 points, followed by Shull with the winning total. third period and going into the points to the winning tally.

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The last stanza was all Navy and the Lillies were through with the cage sport for another year.

The Navy scoring was well distributed with Bob Parks taking top honors with eight and Bert Bishop with six. Claire Johnson topped the Lilly attack with eight counters followed by Clark Betcke with ix.

managed to keep it close until the final four minutes.

Doan Nut Dennis Korinek and Presby Norm Sothan shared scoring bonors with 13 points apiece. Charles Eberspacher notched eight for the winners while Larry Schmidt garnered five for Presby.

League XII, however, gained prestige elsewhere, The Bear-cats trampled the Ag Men's Club while the Pluggers were losing a close one to M-Street, the top ranking independent

It was all Bearcat in that contest. The Cats jumped to a 14-6 quarter lead and maintained it at halftime, 4-17. The third quarter erased any false hopes of the Ag-gies as the Cats roared to a 39-22 losers getting six hird-period margin and breezed to the win,

For the Cats it was Ray Svehla Bob Boesiger with seven. with 19 points and D. McPherson and Verl Claussen with 15 and 11. Derks topped the Aggies with

The Pluggers came up with a surprise in falling to the vaunted M-Street attack by only three points in a 30-27 contest. The Pluggers were the third-place team of league XII.

M-Street was the victim of a stalling game that cut a nice slice out of a possible high-scoring contest. The Pluggers jumped to a 2-0 lead and started the stall. the score to 4-0. That was the last time they were ahead.

With six minutes gone contest, M-Street came ti. with their first basket and then ran the tally to 14-4 while the Pluggers were throwing the

throw after free throw. Late in the second period the Pluggers began to move again and narrowed the gap to 12-19 at the intermission. The '1-Streeters' honors. regained their poise and sped to a Something that could develop to

The Pluggers made their final shape to give his pet hurdle events a try. Tolman has been out for over a month with a lame less M-Street's turn to stall. Six points on the shooting of Low-ell Hoyt and Ron Powers was all the Pluggers could muster

Rifle-Shooting Playoff

The intramural rifle-shooting playoffs, under the direction of Marine Sgt. Moeller, will get under way Tuesday, March 4. Thirteen teams will be vying for the All-University championship as the single elimination tourney continues through

March 13.

First round pairings will find Pershing Rifles and Theta Xi meeting on Tuesday at 5 p.m. as well as Phi Delta Theta and Tau Kappa Epsilon. On Wednesday, Delta Upsilon will face Beta Theta Pi and Inter-Varsity No. 2 will meet Ag Men No. 2. Kappa Sigma No. 1, Delta Sigma Phi and the Hot Shots each drew a first round bye.

The Pill Rollers eliminated the second Ag team in their contest by dropping the Red Guidons, 32-20. The Pills took over in the second period after the Guidons had soared to a 10-6 lead, and were never headed again. It vas 20-15 at the half and 24-20 at the three-quarter mark.

Lillies at the quarter and 19-14 scoring honors with 12 and 11 at the half. The middles began to counters, espectively. Hank Deiroll in the final minutes of the nes contributed another eight

by tripping Presby House, 33-24. Presby led only once, 2-0 at the start of the game, but managed to keep it close until

Schmidt garnered five for Presby

The Dorm A Comets held the Delta Sigma Pi scoring machine to practically nothing in the first half and ped on to win, 30-22. Only baskets by Cecil Voils and Bob Jensen were entered in the books for the Delta Pi's in the first half and although they made a spirited try in the third period, the contest was too far gone.

Voils topped the scoring with Comets with eight followed by

Only one fraternity "B" contest resulted in a close score. Farm House led narrowly all the way to edge Phi Delta Theta, 20-18. he intermission scores were recorded as 8-5, 15-12 and 18-16 all in favor of the Aggles.

Paul Gustafson of the losing

Intramural Sports Writer
Ten down and 37 to go. That was the way the intramural basketball playoffs stood after Wednesday, the first night of play with the dope sheet running pretty well to form.

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The Weeji Fijis romped 48-15 over Alpha Gamma Rho to decide while the Junior Sigs sped to a 49-0 victory. 19-0 victory.

the fourth place team in league II. The Betas won, 44-32, on the Murl Maupin in the first three 16-point effort of Tom Harring-

Out Of The Running?



HIGH ON THE LIST . . . Oklahoma's outstanding quartermiler, Jerry Meader, may miss the conference indoor meet at Kansas City tomorrow. Meader received a leg injury during the Nebraska-Oklahoma dual meet. He won the 440 event at the last year con-

M-Street's efforts to break it failed and the Pluggers upped the score to 4-0. That was the Injuries are playing havoc with homa carried only by winning the Drake Relays, is down with in-

g free Fairchild will definitely be out of competition in the loop meet.

29-21 third period margin on the brighten Cornhusker hopes is the firing of Bill Thayer and Stu fact that Dan Tolman may be in

Missouri's track team may be without the services of their flashy hurdler, Bill Fessler. Fessler received a pulled muscle during the Iowa State-Missouri dual meet.

Expecting to score best in the 440, 880, broad jump and high jump, Oklahoma expects a hard battle for second place in the 24th annual conference indoor track and field meet.

and field meet.

The Sooners' Jerry Meader, league indoor 440 champ the past two years, may not go to the post because of a crippled knee which pains him terrifically when he runs banked curves, and in the 440 race there will be six sharply-banked curves on the speedy 147-yard spruce track in the Kansas City Municipal auditorium.

His inability to stride at par will not only severely cripple Oklahoma in the 440, but also in the mile relay. Half-miler George McCormick, who spun a 1:52.8 outdoor leg at last year's



IRV THODE . . . Coach Ed Weir spruce track in the Kansas City
Municipal auditorium.

Meader warmed up but because of increasing pain did not run in last week's dual with Nebraska at Lincoln which Okla-

Big Seven indoor track hopes and the might well cause the Kansas Jayugh hawks to run away with the Kanthen sas City festival this year.

From Nebraska comes word that freshman sprinter, Bobby free Fairchild will definitely be out death in the distances and noin the first race to keep 'em from doubling in the second.

The Sooner coach says Thane Baker of Kansas State can win the 60 and 440 "without taking off his sweat shirt" and predicted Oklahoma would be in a rough team battle for second that might see her crowded down as low as seventh.

Oklahoma will have several threats even if Meader and Mc-Cormick can't go at full speed. Dick Jones, defending high jump champ, will be back to do his braska has we been ties. stuff. Neville Price, British Empire broad jump champ, and Quanah Cox, who finished one-two at Michigan State, should score well.

Cox, J. W. Mashburn and Charles Coleman in the 440 and Don Crabtree, McCormick and Jim Wilkinson in the 880 are all formidable although Mashburn and Coleman are big strapping fellows who may find it difficult to stay on the tiny wooden saucer at Kansas City.

Coach Ed Weir will attempt to egain the conference crown with 22 man squad. Huskers making 157 pounds—Ed Line (N) vs. 157 pounds—Ed Line (N) vs. 25 man squad.

WISE OLD COACH . . . Ok-lahoma's track mentor, John Jacobs, might just be secretly plotting to revolt against the common acceptance that Kan-sas will take the indoor track crown. The Sooners ranked sec-ond in the Nebraskan form chart.

Cyclones To Battle

road trip of the week Friday to face rugged Missouri at Columbia. The two teams have split so far this year. Missouri scored a

49-42 win in the Big Seven tournament while Iowa State took a 57-55 win in the con-ference opener here, Jan. 5. A pair or record-scoring cagers will face each other for the last

time when the Cyclones and Tigers meet Friday. Jim Stange, Iowa State forward, holds the new scor-ing record for his school at 259 points. Bill Stauffer, rugged center for the Tigers, has counted 331 points to become the all-time top at Missouri.

Nebraska **Grapplers Meet ISC**

seasons in a dual meet at Ames on Friday, February 29. With the end

pounder, is a senior and will be making his last start for the

Cyclones Bob Wilson, Bill Bol-linger and Bob Wirds will close out their careers Friday, Wilson is undefeated in the 147-pound class, while Bollinger and Wirds wres-tle in the 157 and 167-pound

Iowa State will be favored over the winless Husker mat-

The meeting will be the thirtyfourth between the two schools. Iowa State has won 28 while Nebraska has won three and two

A new entry is on the list of A new entry is on the list of Nebraska grapplers. Lawrence Goll, a freshman 177- pounder, is replacing veteran Dave Mackie. Mackie, who has wrestled at 177 all season, will go back to his favorite 167-pound

Entries in the Friday meet: 23 pounds—Don Bean (N) vs. Hugh Linn.

30 pounds—Darrell Adamson (N) vs. Lou Oscarson. 137 pounds-Jerry Wolpa (N) vs.

Ron Larson or Bill Bollinger or Bob Wirds. 177 pounds—Lawrence Goll (N) vs. Dennis Naughton or Bob Heavyweight—Ed Husmann (N) vs. Mel Walden.

Is It NU's Year For Big 7 Award?

By GLENN NELSON

Assistant Sports Editor

Attendance at the award din-ner already indicates it will be in the neighborhood of 500 persons, several times the attendance of past years. Randall Jessee, commentator of WDAF-TV, will head the program, to be held at the Hotel Continental, Kansas City, Missouri. Coaches of the Big Seven and NCAA teams will make comments.

The gathering also will include Four principal points are taken Reaves Peters, Commissioner of into consideration in determining

the approval and cooperation of conference authorities in the in-

Assistant Sports Editor

The Sportsmanship Basketball terest of emphasizing the importterest of emphasizing the importance of good sportsmanship.

A gold traveling trophy is presented annually at the Kansas City banquet, which precedes the Western NCAA playoffs. A poll of sportswarters, of ficials and coaches who are familiar with the teams is the basis of deciding the winner. ing the winner,

The school winning the trophy is given possession from the time of presentation until the pre-season tournament of the following year. Previous winners were Iowa State college, 1949; University of Oklahoma, 1950; University of Oklahoma, 195 Colorado, 1951.

Four principal points are taken Athletics in the Big Seven, direc- the winner: The conduct of the tors of athletics, sportswriters, spectators at home games; the efbroadcasters and other outstand- fort made by the student governing basketball personalities.

The award was created in 1949 cies to bring about improvement by the Blue Hills Post of the American Legion as a memorial to the coaches; the conduct of the Big Seven athletes killed in World players.

Hobe Jones Visits Lincoln

city campus.

Hobe, former Lincoln high

Deadline Extended

The deadline for entering intramural volleyball teams has been extended to Friday, Febr. 29, at 5 p.m. the I-M department announced today. In addition the department would like to make known that any organization may enter as many teams in the net competition as they wish.

Several fraternities have al-ready entered two and three teams and it will be the policy of the department to place any teams from the same organization in separate leagues of

A complete roster for all the teams must be submitted with the entries and should be brought to room 102 PE before the deadline.

Ball in Play
Chicago (SF) —A 1951 survey
showed that college football play-By RON GIBSON
Sports Staff Writer
Nebraska and Iowa State college close their 1952 wrestling seasons in a dual meet at Argentics.

Grand Slam

Ed Norton, Yale swim star, Phone 2-8577

Thursday was "Welcome Home school and University half-mile Hobe Jones" day on the Univer- ace, is in the locale for the ace, is in the locale for the Army Air Force basketball tournament being held at Oma-ha's Offut Field.

Hobe's present plans call for him going to Ohio State for two months, after which he will travel to San Diego. He will serve in the Air Force until December and then return to his native Lincoln to enroll at Nebraska,

As for his olympic plans, Hobe will be shooting for a spot on the team's 800 meter squad. His main competition will come from Mal Whitfield,

The last time Jones ran competitively was one year ago at the Big Seven indoor meet. He expects to know more about his plans at the Buckeye school with-

in the next ten days.

Jones played basketball for Lincoln high and contributed his roundball artistry to the Alpha Tau Omega intramural team in University. Hobe ran a 1:56.4 half mile at the Kansas City indoor meet last year.

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Colorado Or Bust!



SHOOTING FOR FIRST WIN . . . Nebraska's gy mnastic team will be out to win its first All College Invitational meet. This year's team consists of (back row from left to right) Paul Hughes, Don Yoder, Max Kennedy, Dick Raecke, Danny Fogel and Ira Epstein, (Front row left to right) Charles Sprague, Don Hodge, Bob Yarwood, De Wayne Behrens and Tom Kidd.

Hopeful Husker Gymnastic Team Travels To Colorado For All-College Invitational

busy preparing themselves for their "big meet" of the year this Saturday when they travel to Greeley, Colo., for the All College Invitational meet.

This is the big meet for the van of I in the meet. Last year, the Hustrophy. Team honors to Colorado.

Among the teams competing M. The Huskers have met two to be plenty tough there, of these teams already this Concerning the H

"This is our 'go for broke' neet," said Geier. "Even though for honors are Denver university, Montana, Colorado, Colowe beat those two teams in LinHughes, Kidd,
Parallel Bar

of these teams already this year.

The Scarlet dropped both Colorado A. & The Scarlet dropped bo

formances. Last year, Al Duna-van of Nebraska took second place in the all-around performer

Team entries: Side Horse: Tom Kidd, De-Wayne Behrens, Bob Yardwood. High Bar: Danny Fogel, Paul

Parallel Bar; Charles Sprague,

Rings: Don Yoder, Kidd, Tumbling: Fogel, Ira Epstein, Trampoline: Hughes, Don



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