

From The Sidelines Undeclared Huskers Face Underdog Role

Glenn Nelson

There is little doubt in anyone's mind that the Nebraska Cornhuskers have completed the so-called "easy opening" of their 1952 season. South Dakota, Oregon, Iowa State and Kansas State, although they put the Huskers in some tight holes on different occasions, are not comparable with such opponents as Penn State, Colorado, Missouri, Kansas, Minnesota and Oklahoma.

The Huskers, undefeated in their first four games of the young season, will probably be rated as underdogs for all of the remaining six games. With halfback Bob Reynolds out of commission for the season, Husker hopes are falling hard and fast. The Rambler is victim of a shoulder separation in the second quarter of the Wildcat fray, and team physicians turned thumbs down toward his future playing days.

Other injuries are also plaguing the Cornhusker lineups at midseason. Team physicians reported Saturday that Jerry Paulson, starting offensive guard, may be shelved for the remainder of the season. Paulson has an injured shoulder and is having x-rays taken to discover the extent of the ailment. Max Kennedy, who received a broken arm in the second quarter of the Nebraska-Buena Vista game Friday night, is also expected to be out for the remainder of the season.

Huskers Show Little Spark

The Cornhusker followers at Saturday's game saw a colorful Band Day halftime show, put on by 62 Nebraska high school bands consisting of some 3,500 musicians. But the 39,000 fans were not well pleased with the showing of the highly favored Husker griders. The Scarlet team had little spark, started slowly, and at several stages in the game appeared to be a poor match for the Wildcats. The Nebraska pass defense was constantly allowing K-State acrials to be completed almost at the will of the Wildcat signal caller.

The bright spot of the husker offense was Johnny Bordogna, who ran, passed and kicked with the brilliancy of an all-American. Coach Bill Glassford said after the game that the junior quarterback from Turtle Creek, Pa., played the greatest game of his career Saturday.

Post Praises Bobby, Huskers

Jack Carberry, sports editor of the Denver Post, poured out praise for the Huskers following the NU-Iowa State game. In an article entitled "Don't Be Too Sure K.U. or O.U. to Win Title," the writer said that Nebraska (and Bobby Reynolds) would be a strong dark horse contender for the Big Seven crown.

"We find there is a feeling around the league that either or both Nebraska and Missouri are entirely capable, on any given afternoon, of whipping one or all of the three pre-season leaders—Oklahoma, Kansas and Colorado.

"This is especially true relative to Nebraska. The Cornhuskers Saturday won, 16 to 0, over Iowa State after last week beating Oregon, 28 to 13, to keep its undefeated record for the season.

They believe that Nebraska, especially if it keeps Bobby Reynolds completely whole, can develop into the real dark horse of the league. Its only trouble is that the Huskers must play all three of their chief opponents—Colorado first, then Kansas and finally Oklahoma—on enemy grounds. And home grounds, in football, is a definite advantage which none can deny.

I believe that writer Carberry had some good ideas in mind when he praised the Huskers in such manner. We'll have to wait and see if the Nebraska picture is darkened beyond all hope.

Husker Injuries Run High As 62 Prep Bands Perform

By TOM BECKER
Sports Staff Writer

The Saturday clash between Nebraska and Kansas State featured half time entertainment by 62 bands from various Nebraska high schools and the Husker ROTC band.

All the musicians formed a huge "N" that covered the entire playing field and played "The Star Spangled Banner," "The Noble Men" and "Dear Old Nebraska U."

The Cornhuskers won, 27-14, but a cloud of gloom covered the dressing room when it was learned that Bobby Reynolds had suffered a shoulder separation and will be out for the rest of the season.

Coach Bill Glassford said after the game that the Husker team got awfully banged and bruised. He blamed the ability of Kansas State's passing attack on the fact that the defense played too loosely.

"I'm glad we got this game out of our system," defensive right halfback Jim Yiesley said, "I hope we'll do better from now on."

John Bordogna, who shoulders the attack after the loss of Reynolds, said that the Wildcats have a good tough team and they should surprise some Big 7 team during the season.

Verl Switzer, K. State's All American back, felt that it was a tough game and Kansas State should have won. "We were just plainly outmanned," he added.

Skirts In Sports

Thetas Win Soccer Baseball Tourney

The smooth playing Kappa Alpha Thetas took over the soccer baseball tournament with very little trouble. Last Thursday the Theta's No. 1 team played the Delta Gamma's No. 1 in the finals. They led throughout most of the game and won a sweeping victory. The DG's haven't given up yet. From all indications they're planning on capturing the title in the volleyball tournament.

W.A.A. wishes to welcome the freshmen! They can now start their careers in W. A. A. beginning Oct. 26. At this time, the volleyball, duckpins, and bowling tournaments begin. We're looking forward to seeing all of the freshmen at these tournaments.

The volleyball championship was won by the darn last year. It was an exciting tournament and a very close one. Wilson Hall won the duckpins and Janet Scoville, darn won the bowling tournament.

Just a note—any person can enter the volleyball tournament but can only enter one of either duckpins or bowling. That is, if a girl enters the duckpin tournament she can not be in the bowling tournament or vice-versa. This is done so that there won't be any conflicts in the playing schedules.

This week the volleyball courts are open at Grant Memorial for any team who wants to practice. The freshmen can come too. A team wishing to practice should sign up for a

Georgia Huac court any day, Monday through Thursday from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. It's a grand opportunity to catch up on a few things you've forgotten and look over any new players you have.

For information concerning volleyball notify Robyn Ryder, the sports head, at 2-7742 or 2-5692. Annie Mann is the duckpins head. She can be located at her home or at 2-1826 or 2-3741. The sports head for the bowling tournament is Marilyn Jensen, call 2-6095 or 2-6291.

Any upperclassman who is interested in officiating volleyball should come to the officials meeting Wednesday at five and Thursday at five of this week in the W.A.A. office at Grant Memorial. At these meetings there will be a discussion on rules and scoring. We need many people to help officiate so do not hesitate to come. There probably will be a meeting later after the twentieth for the benefit of any freshmen anxious to help officiate.

Representatives, do not forget to turn in your team lists by Wednesday noon. If you do not turn them in by that time it will be too late. Also keep your eyes on the bulletin boards because the new schedules will be posted Friday morning. Remember if there is any need for cancellations call the sports heads by Sunday noon.

Aquaquettes are having tryout practice for upperclassmen Wednesday, Oct. 16, at 7:15 p.m. The final tryouts will be Oct. 21, Tuesday at 7:45 p.m. A person must attend the practice before the final tryouts. Practices for freshmen will be Oct. 23 and 28 at 7:15 p.m. The tryouts will be Oct. 30 at 7:15 p.m. The swimming pool is located in the Coliseum.

NU Grid Career Ends



Courtesy Lincoln Star

STAR HALFBACK INJURED . . . Bobby Reynolds, whose outstanding football career at Nebraska included being chosen on most all-American teams during his sparkling sophomore year, received a shoulder separation during Saturday's K-State game which will sideline him for the remainder of the season. The high-scoring senior was hobbled by injuries during most of the grid season last year. He was top Big Seven scorer in last week's statistics with a total of 30 points. His scoring Saturday consisted of one conversion.

Injured Defender



OUT FOR SEASON . . . Max Kennedy, Husker defensive halfback, is expected to be out for the season. The junior letterman suffered a broken arm when he played for the Nebraska B team at Buena Vista Friday. The Nubbins won, 14-0. (U of N photo.)

Nebraska Reserves Wins, 14-0

The Nebraska "B" team slid past Buena Vista College, 14-0, with two second touchdowns Friday night on the Iowa gridiron.

Fullback George Gohde sparked the junior Husker attack by racking up both touchdowns.

In the third quarter, Gohde ripped through right guard to the first Cornhusker marker. The play covered 14 yards. Emil Radik kicked the extra point.

On fourth down and eight yards to go in the fourth period, Gohde again carried the mail, this time for 16 yards. Radik again booted the PAT.

The "B" squad suffered a couple of serious injuries. Halfback Max Kennedy received a broken arm in the second quarter.

Diercks "Bullet" Ralston twisted his leg and was unable to continue. Ralston had a 79-yard run called back in the first half because of an off-side penalty.

Two Husker drives bogged down on the Buena Vista three and four yard lines in the first half. Nebraska outgained the Iowa foe, 220 yards to 50.

The Kansas Jayhawks, who meet Oklahoma next week in a game which is expected to be the top Big Seven game of the year, swamped the Iowa State Cyclones by an overwhelming 43-0 margin. The Jayhawks completely dominated the offensive play, mixing a rugged ground attack with a sharp aerial barrage.

Southern Methodist University, beaten in their first two games of the season by powers Duke and Georgia Tech, romped to a 25-7 over injury-riddled Missouri. The Tigers' ace soph quarterback Tony Scardino and ex-Army fullback Bill Roweckamp were the top Missouri threats.

The Ohio State Buckeyes came from behind to stop unbeaten Wisconsin, 22-14, in the major upset of the day. Wisconsin, favored to repeat as Big Ten champion, received its first loss of the season. The Badgers had accumulated quite a victory string prior to their defeat Saturday.

NU Wins 4th Straight; Bobby Out For Season

By HOWARD VANN
Sports Staff Writer

Nebraska rang up its fourth consecutive victory by rolling over the Kansas State Wildcats, 27-14. It was a costly win for the Cornhuskers as all-American Bobby Reynolds was lost for the rest of the season by a shoulder separation. Reynolds had just picked up nine yards to the Wildcat's 5 yard line when he was injured in the second quarter.

The game looked like it was going to be a hard fought battle from the very first exchange of downs. Neither team was able to do much for the first ten minutes as the ball just kept changing hands, but finally the Cornhuskers were able to cut the ice.

The Nebraska started a sustained drive from the mid-field stripe and didn't give up until they had crossed the Kansas State goal line. Bordogna, Cifra, Smith and Reynolds piled their way deep down into Wildcat territory with Bordogna scoring on a quarterback sneak from one yard out. Reynolds converted for the extra point, and what later proved to be his last point of the season.

Kansas State then took the ball and showed the Cornhuskers that they weren't going to be any pushover. Verl Switzer, Elmer Creston and Corky Taylor reeled off short, but powerful ground gains which carried the Wildcats up to the Nebraska six yard line. Then the fire started. Carl Albacker threw to McShuskis for six points and Lane Brown converted to tie up the game at seven all.

Then in the second quarter, Nebraska fans got a look at what they had been anticipating for the first three games. The Cornhuskers gave a slight sneak preview of their spread formation plays. The spread plays were given good blocking and it can be said that that was the deciding factor of this ball game.

A pass interference penalty on K-State set up the Cornhuskers' second TD. Bordogna threw to Korinek on the fifteen and the officials called pass interference on a Wildcat defender. After a series of running plays, Ray Novak bulled his way over from the three yard line to put the Huskers ahead by six. Korinek came in and converted the extra point, putting the Nebraska team ahead 14-7.

Nebraska kicked off to Kansas State and after a series of four downs, NU gained possession of the ball again. In three plays Bordogna racked up 34 yards on the spread play. The blocking on all three of those plays was very commendable. Four more plays brought Nebraska seven more points as Bordogna scored and Korinek converted.

Peve Evans kicked off for the Cornhuskers and the ball was taken by Taylor who brought the fans to their feet as he eluded everyone except Korinek who tackled him on the K-State 40. After two plays, Nebraska again retained the ball as Bill Thayer intercepted a pass and ran it back to his own 19.

Then two heart-breaking plays happened to the Cornhuskers. Jim Cederdahl got behind the K-State defense and was in the clear when he dropped a pass labeled TD. Two plays later, Korinek outfoxed the Wildcats and raced 44

yards to pay-dirt only to have it called back because of a clipping penalty. The first half ended with Nebraska owing a 21-7 lead and an unbelievable rushing advantage of 171 yards net to KS's 8.

The second half started and it looked like it might be a repeat of last year's upset tie by K-State, passing combination of Albacker to McShuskis started to eat up the yardage as Nebraska's pass defense started to disintegrate. After seven minutes of the second half had elapsed, Kansas State had narrowed the point spread to

Next week—Penn State. Only time will tell.

Kansas State
Ends—McShuskis, Reisman, Keeler, Barr, Linds, Linds.
Tackles—Fariello, Gentry, T. Smith, Hartshorn, Meyer, Fritchie.
Guards—Peck, Marcinak, Kane, Pence, Keeler.
Backs—Switzer, Towens, Cashman, Creston, Danke, Taylor, Oldham, Albacker, Dudley, Brown, Wade.

Nebraska
Ends—Schabacker, Emanuel, Connor, Mink, Tackles—Oliver, Humann, Mincek, Boll, Kitzelman, Evans, Goh.
Guards—Prochaska, Brasse, Curtin, Wagner, Paulson, Machisic, Bryant.
Centers—Scott, Watson.
Backs—Reynolds, Thayer, Yeider, Cederdahl, Bordogna, Cifra, Brown, Novak, Sommers, Korinek, Gohde.

Score by quarters:
Kansas State 0 7 7 0—14
Nebraska 7 14 0 6—27

Kansas State scoring: (touchdowns), McShuskis 2 (placements), Brown 2.

Nebraska scoring: (touchdowns), Bordogna 2, Novak, Thayer; (placements), Reynolds, Korinek 2.

Officials: Louis House, William Jewell, referee; John Waldorf, Missouri, umpire; McAllister, Oklahoma A&M, linesman; Dick Pendleton, Oklahoma, judge.

Nebraska K-State

First downs (total) 17 14

By rushing 12 4

By passing 2 10

By penalties 3 0

Rushing (number of rushes) 64 30

Number yards gained 260 112

Number yards lost 18 40

Net yards gained 251 72

Forward passing (number attempted) 11 23

Number completed 3 18

Number intercepted 1 2

Net yards gained 74 204

Total plays (rushes and passes) 75 63

Total net yards 225 277

Plays (number) 7 7

Average yards 36 35

Number held blocked 0 0

Kickoffs (number) 4 4

Average yards 48 45

Kick returns:

Number punt returns 4 2

Yards punt returns 27 23

Number kickoff returns 3 4

Yards kickoff returns 58 82

Pass interception returns (number) 2 0

Yards returns 15 0

Fumbles (number) 0 1

Ball lost on downs 1 1

Penalties (number) 4 10

Yards penalized 40 83

Bowling Entries

Intramural bowlers must have their entries in at the Lincoln Bowling Parlor by 12 noon Oct. 15. Competition will start Oct. 20. The entries must be accompanied by two choices of the afternoon a person prefers to bowl.

Main Feature Clock

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