

# Jerry Bush Named New NU Basketball Head

## New Husker Coach Former Pro Cage Star

Gerard L. (Jerry) Bush Monday was named basketball coach at the University of Nebraska, Athletic Director Bill Orwig announced.

Bush, 39, is presently head coach at the University of Toledo where he has been since 1947. His teams have won 129 games and lost 59. In 1954 his Toledo team won the Mid-American Conference championship, losing to Penn State in the NCAA Championships.

"The University of Nebraska is very fortunate to be able to procure a basketball coach who has all the capabilities possessed by Mr. Bush," Athletic Director Orwig said.

"Bush has a vast knowledge of the game and is an excellent teacher. He possesses a bubbling personality and is a pleasing public speaker."

"Mr. Bush was selected from

a long list of applicants. I am looking forward to great things in the basketball department at the University of Nebraska."

Bush, a Scotch-Irishman, was born in Brooklyn, N. Y. in 1915, graduating from Erasmus High School there. A Methodist, Bush attended St. John's College, graduating with a Bachelor of Science degree in 1938.

He played three years of varsity basketball and baseball there. He was named an All-American in basketball in 1937 and 1938, All Madison Square

Garden tournament player in 1936-'37-'38 and All-Metropolitan in the same period.

He later played professional basketball with the Kate Smith Celtics, 1938; Akron Firestones, 1939-'40-'41; Rochester Royals, 1942; Fort Wayne Zollmers, 1943-'44-'45-'46-'47. He won All-American Professional team honors five years and was selected as one of the 10 best all-time all-professional players.

Bush is married and the father of three daughters. He is 6 feet 4 and weighs 225.

Bush is a low 70 shooter in golf and coached the sport at Toledo along with the basketball team.

He comes to Nebraska on a three-year contract at \$8,200 a year. He will hold the rank of an associate professor.

Bush will assume his new duties here June 1 but will be here the week of May 16-23 to meet the Cornhusker players and to attend the Big Seven Conference meetings at Boulder, Colo., where the 1955-'56 conference schedules will be drawn.

# K-State Topples Huskers

Kansas State's surprising Wildcats handed the University of Nebraska baseball team their third straight Big Seven defeat in Manhattan Monday. Earlier the Scarlet had suffered a pair of weekend defeats to mighty Oklahoma. The Cats took care of the Huskers 6-0. Both tangle again today.

Nebraska	ab	h	e	r	r	K. State	ab	h	e	r	r
Brown	3b	4	1	3	3	Whitehead	3b	4	1	0	3
Becker	lf	4	0	2	0	Primrose	ss	2	1	4	1
Easer	2b	4	1	3	3	Reiter	rf	4	1	5	0
Novak	1b	4	0	1	1	Myers	c	4	1	5	0
Mallette	rf	4	1	0	0	Harsh	1b	4	3	7	1
Cederhof	cf	4	0	3	0	Logsdon	cf	1	0	5	1
Lohrbach	c	2	0	1	1	Zeller	rf	3	1	0	1
Coutal	ss	3	0	2	1	Kennedy	2b	3	0	0	0
Bachhaus	p	1	1	0	0	Rhodes	p	4	0	1	1
Wright	p	4	1	0	2						

Totals 34 5 24 11 Totals 28 8 27 8  
 Nebraska 000 000 000-0  
 Kansas State 023 019 000-6  
 R—Whitehead, Primrose, Reitemier.

# Golfers Lose

## Husker Tennis Squad Takes First Win Of Young Season

Coach Ed Higginbotham's University of Nebraska tennis team picked up their first win of the young season over the weekend. The Husker netters edged Creighton University 5-4 on Friday, then suffered a 7-0 white-washing by the University of Kansas Saturday.

Both Colson and Campbell, the squad's lone returning lettermen, won their singles matches in straight sets while Becker and Veitzer were extended to three sets. Other Husker netters taking part in the two meets include Bill Roy and Steve Sutton.

Kansas also defeated the Husker golf team on Saturday 7-5 on the Lincoln Hillcrest course. It was a close meet with two Kansans, Bob Richards and Harlan Hise, edging out wins with birdies on the 18th hole. As a result Nebraska's Dick Anderson and Jack Moore were both one stroke losers. Herb Mayer was the only Nebraska winner, defeating John Prosser 2-1. Tom Tolson was the fourth NU golfer.

## Seven Softball Games Played As Spring Campaign Opens

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Sports Staff Writer

Fourteen teams saw action Thursday and Friday nights as the ball met the bat to inaugurate the 1954 Intramural Softball Tourney. Of the ten games scheduled for play only seven were played.

In the closest battle of the first two days of action, Alpha Tau Omega downed Sigma Chi 4-2 in a game marred by errors by both teams.

The Sigs jumped off to a 1-0 lead in the top of the first inning and added their second and last in the third frame to lead 2-0.

In the bottom of the fourth Mac Bailey came across the plate on a hit by Ken Kunes to trail 2-1. Then in the fourth frame three Tau players scored to end the scoring for the evening.

In the top of the sixth the Sigs had a chance to win or tie the game with the bases loaded, but good pitching by Larry Wilson ended the rally. A peculiar mark of the game was that each pitcher gave up only two hits. Kunes and Bill Weber connected for the winners while Jack Todd and John Carper hit safely for the Sigs.

Phi Kappa Psi rolled up six runs in the first inning and then on to hold off the Phi Delta Theta nine for five innings to cop their initial win 6-2.

Numerous walks in the first inning by Phi Delt pitcher Bob Knapple hurt the loser's cause. He gave four free trips in the opening frame and then went on to only walk two more the rest of the game.

The score books were not available for the rest of the games that were played. How-

ever, the scores are available.

Delta Tau Delta 15, Sigma Nu 4.  
 Sigma Phi Epsilon 12, Phi Gamma Delta 9.  
 Beta Theta Pi 12, Sigma Alpha Epsilon 2.  
 Delta Upsilon 9, Theta Xi 3.  
 Sigma Alpha Mu, Delta Sigma Phi 8.  
 Zeta Beta Tau, F. Theta Chi, F. Pioneer Co-op 2, Acadia F.  
 Cornhusker Co-op 2, Nebraska Co-op F.  
 \*Both teams dropped from tournament.

## Blessing, Phi Delt I-M Golf Wheels

For the second straight time Al Blessing of Alpha Tau Omega copped first day medalist honors in the Intramural Golf Tournament. Last fall his two-under par 70 grabbed medalist honors for the tourney and this spring his four-over 76 enabled him to go three strokes up on Sigma Chi's Wernie Christensen who hit a 79.

Nelson Jensen, of Phi Delta Theta, follows close behind with an even 80.

In computing team scores the top six men from each house or organization are compiled. The final round will be played on the morning of May 8 to arrive at the final team standings.

First round team standings:  
 Phi Delta Theta ..... 509  
 Sigma Chi ..... 535  
 Sigma Phi Epsilon ..... 585  
 Delta Upsilon ..... 588  
 Phi Gamma Delta ..... 604

## NU's Ted Connor Honored Again

Ted Connor, senior tackle on last season's University of Nebraska football squad, has received another honor in the gridiron sport recently.

Connor, a native of Hastings where he was an All-State fullback, has been selected to perform with the College All-Stars against the best of professional football, the Detroit Lions.

**Main Feature Clock**  
 (Schedules Furnished by Theaters)  
 Lincoln: "Rhapsody," 1:00, 3:04, 5:08, 7:20, 9:32.  
 Stuart: "Ma & Pa Kettle At Home," 1:39, 3:41, 5:43, 7:45, 9:47.  
 Nebraska: "Both Sides of the Law," 1:18, 4:37, 7:56. "Forbidden," 3:03, 6:22, 9:41.  
 Varsity: "Lucky Me," 1:20, 3:20, 5:20, 7:20, 9:20.  
 State: "Duffy of San Quentin," 1:21, 4:06, 6:51, 9:36. "The Crime Wave," 2:41, 5:26, 8:11.

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