

# Sad Sam's Sports Scratchin's

By SAM JENSEN  
Copy Editor

Coach Glassford's previous expressions of optimism for next fall's grid prospects might be warranted, if the scrimmage held All-Sports Day is any criteria. Although the game was not highlighted by spectacular gains, passing, etc., evidence of bigger and better things to come could be seen.

Rex Fischer performed admirably in the quarterback post and freshmen linemen could give the University one of the strongest front walls in the Big Seven next fall. The starting backfield next fall, led by Don Comstock (the All-Sports Day grid standout), Willie Greenlaw and John Edwards could be the best combination to grace Memorial Stadium for many years.



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## hoop hops . . .

Husker Basketball should vye with football in sharing Big Seven recognition next year. Freshmen hoopsters were the backbone of the attack in the All Sports alumni-varsity basketball contest.

Although the Alumni walked off with the honors in the contest, Coach Bush and Tony Sharpe, who tutors the freshmen, should be pleased with the yearlings' progress and promise.

## down south . . .

In a Nebraskan interview before leaving for the southern baseball trip over spring vacation, Coach Sharpe told this writer that the main reason for the trip was to "get down south where it's warm and practice."

And practice the Huskers did, winning five out of six contests from weak and strong competition. The win over Texas was the big one as the cowboys are usually one of the top teams in the Southwest.

Before the Southern trip, Sharpe said that potentially, this year's squad was one of the weakest in years due to the lack of right handed pitching and hitting power.

Perhaps Sharpe was a bit pessimistic as the Tony Sharpe pitching showed strength and the Husker bats were the main reason for the success of the trip.

## soggy cereal and champions . . .

This writer, of necessity, watched a little TV over vacation and I discovered, among other things, that "champions are made, not born" and that the way that champions are made is by partaking of a certain breakfast food.

In my younger days—when I dreamed of All-American honors, etc.—I tried the specified product and often found it to be quite soggy and lifeless.

## fagler honored . . .

Willard Fagler was recently named unanimously to the All-Conference team by members of the Colorado basketball team, the group which came in third in the NCAA tournament and was the Big Seven leader this year.

Fagler was the only unanimous choice and received 15 votes. Chuck Smith and Rex Ekwall also received votes for mention on the team.

Others named to the Colorado first team were Gary Thompson, Iowa State; Medford Park, Missouri; Dick Stone, Kansas State, and Les Lane, Oklahoma.

The Husker defeat of the Buffs at the Coliseum this winter is undisputedly the high spot of the 1954-55 season. Fagler led the Scarlet and Cream in one of the best games seen on the Husker hardwoods.

Seniors from this year's Buff squad finished the NCAA tourney effort and then changed jerseys and entered the AAU basketball championships as an independent team and won the title, defeating the two top amateur cage squads in the nation, the Peoria Caterpillars and the Phillips Oilers.

## skin diving . . .

News has reached us that the most popular electives at several Florida colleges are fishing and bait casting. Two female instructors tutor bait casting, but we didn't discover if the programs featured "on the job" training.

## southern tour . . .

All-American Missouri baseball player Jerry Schoonmaker returned to Columbia last week from the Pan-American Games with a highly respectable batting average for eight games, .382, and a few colorful additions to his wardrobe.

The Missouri outfielder pounded out three homers, three triples and one double in a large park modeled after Yankee Stadium. The U.S. Team came in second behind the Dominican Republic.

## outroun, outboasted . . .

Juan Miranda out boasted (quite a feat) and out ran another son of the Big Seven, modest Wes Santee of Kansas. The Argentinian ace turned in a spectacular 3:53.2 for the 1500 meter run and came in ahead of two barefoot Indian runners, Santee, Horace Aschenfelder and Gordon McKenzie.

The US team defeated defending champion Argentina by winning 16 out of 22 men's events and the majority of the activities for the fairer sex.

## Nation's Best 220 Time

# Brien Hendrickson Wins Nebraskan Star Of Week Award For Dash Performance



By BRUCE BRUGMANN  
Sports Editor  
Brien Hendrickson, a Husker with hurricane tendencies, has been awarded the Nebraskan "Star of the Week" accolade on the strength of a fine 21.9 clocking in the 220-yard dash in a dual track meet with Oklahoma April 4.

Hendrickson, trailing Juel Sweatte and Marion Mullen of Oklahoma with but 20 yards remaining stoked in the coal, caught the two pacesetters and snipped the tape with the fastest time recorded in the nation for the 220-yard dash.

Three-pronged Cyclone Whistling past second place Sweatte, one of the Big Seven's top sprinters, by an eyelash, Hendrickson snapped the mark of 21.3 set by George Smutney of Nebraska in 1930. Observers at the meet said the three-pronged cyclone of Hendrickson, Sweatte and Mullen were neck and neck at the finish line — Hendrickson "sticking his neck out at just the right time" to break the ribbon. Bob Nieman of Nebraska took fourth place with a time of 22.2.

Earlier in the afternoon Hendrickson nipped the heels of Sweatte in the 100-yard dash to take second place. Sweatte turned in the fast time of :09.8 in the century. Other top notch performances were recorded by Charley Gibson with a 49.7 quarter. Carl Vondra with a javelin toss of 174 feet-3/4 inches, and Hugh Osmera, who came in third in the mile run.

Runs Effortlessly  
Hendrickson, who runs effortlessly with a deceptive stride, has

## Sooners Rap Husker Track Team By 98-33

The Husker thinclads were in action over the Easter vacation, absorbing a 98 to 33 loss outdoor meet at Norman, Okla. from powerful Oklahoma.

It was a story of two much depth as the Sooners won all but two events. The one bright spot in the defeat was Brien Hendrickson's record breaking performance in the 220-yard dash. Hendrickson came from behind in the last 20 yards to set a new record of 21:2. His time is the best in the nation reported for a collegiate runner.

Hendrickson also placed second in the 100-yard dash. Carl Vondra gave the Huskers their other blue ribbon as he tossed the javelin 174 3/4". Charlie Gibson placed 3rd in the 440, turning in the fine time of 49:7.

Leonard Rosen placed second in the shot with 47'6", and in the 143'4". Ray Kelley tied for second in the high jump at 6 feet.

Track Events  
Mile—Won by Ronald Reed, Oklahoma; second, Bob Buchanan, Oklahoma; third, Hugh Osmera, Nebraska. Time, 4:27.7.  
440-yard dash—Won by Johnny Dahl, Oklahoma; second, Charles Folsom, Oklahoma; third, Charles Gibson, Nebraska. Time, 45.6.  
100-yard dash—Won by Juel Sweatte, Oklahoma; second, Brien Hendrickson, Nebraska; third, Robert Derrick, Oklahoma. Time, 20.9.  
120-yard high hurdles—Won by Johnny Dahl, Oklahoma; second, Sonny Henderson, Oklahoma; third, Warner Olson, Nebraska. Time, 15.2.  
880-yard run—Won by Ronald Reed, Oklahoma; second, Dick Dudley, Oklahoma; third, Robert Anderson, Nebraska. Time, 1:58.4.  
220-yard dash—Won by Brien Hendrickson, Nebraska; second, Juel Sweatte, Oklahoma; third, Marion Mullen, Nebraska. Time, 21.2.  
400-yard low hurdles—Won by Leon Moore, Oklahoma; second, Sonny Henderson, Oklahoma; third, Doug Gibson, Nebraska. Time, 24.3.  
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son was also a fine high school cinderman. In his senior year at Lincoln High, he claimed state championship gold medals in the 100 and 220-yard dashes. He was clocked in 10.1 for the hundred.

He also anchored the mile and 88 yard relays. He recorded a 49.7 mark on the last leg of the mile relay and sped the last 220 yards during the Grand Island relays in 1951 to help the 880-yard relay team to fashion the fastest time ever recorded in Nebraska for that distance.

Hendrickson, who seems to run best when he's behind, also lettered in basketball two years at Lincoln High.

He was the sixth recipient of the Nebraskan "Star of the Week" award. Honorable mention goes this week to Jack Moore, golf; Bill Giles, Norm Coufal, Murray Backhaus and Don Brown, baseball; Don Comstock and Rex Fischer, football and Jim Thom, basketball.

The winners of the award will receive certificates.

## Retherford Resigns BB Coach Job In Indiana

Claude Retherford, former Husker cage great, resigned his post as basketball coach at Rockport High School in Indiana.

Retherford indicated he wanted to continue his coaching career in Nebraska.

During his three year span as cage coach in Indiana, Retherford's record was 48 victories and 19 defeats. This season his team won 18 contests and lost 4. They were ranked in the top 20 in the state.

## Major Leagues Predict Crowds

Major league baseball expected a crowd of 258,000 fans at its full slate of eight season opening games Tuesday, with Kansas City, Milwaukee and Cleveland expected 125,000 of the total estimate.

The attendance estimate tops last season's actual first day crowds by about 21,500. The 1954 openers attracted 236,414 fans.

The American League, which drew 121,511 of the total in last April's openers, placed its estimate at 151,000. The National predicted 107,000, some 8,000 below the 1954 opening gate.

Monday's early openers drew 58,879. In the National League, Chicago at Cincinnati drew an overflow 32,195 as the Cubs won, 12-5. In the American, Washington had 26,684 as the Senators beat Baltimore, 12-5.

## Correction

Appearing in the Nebraskan Tuesday was the individual batting averages. Some errors were discovered when the official averages were released. Giles was hitting .423, Norm Coufal, 385, Greenlaw .333, Becker .313 and Ralston .22.

Here are the pitching statistics:

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Hofmeyer	6 1/2	8	4	4	6	2	3.40
Bottorff	8	4	2	1	10	2	1.13
Greenlaw	11	9	2	1	10	2	1.13
Cochran	6 1/2	10	8	3	5	1	11.37
Siewers	6 1/2	8	7	6	2	0	8.43
Geyer	6 1/2	9	10	12	4	0	13.50
Cederdahl	7 1/2	5	8	11	4	0	9.82
Coufal	7 1/2	0	0	1	0	0	0.00

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## Baseball Team

# Husker Batting Strength Strong Says Tony Sharpe

By MAX KREITMAN  
Sports Staff Writer

Our hitting is good, the fielding fair and the pitching weak, Baseball Coach Tony Sharpe said in a Nebraskan interview Tuesday.

Victors in five of six starts on its southern baseball swing, Sharpe said he "was very pleased" with the stick work of the NU nine which unleashed a 79-hit barrage for an average of 13 hits and 11 runs a game.

Weak Opponent Pitching  
Earlier in the year Sharpe had commented that this team "was one of the weakest hitting aggregations" he'd ever coached. Sharpe warned, however, that a warm streak at the plate and weak pitching had contributed to the current hitting spree.

Sharpe commented that the pitching hurt the team most. Some of the boys were throwing with tired arms, he said, and they just didn't have the control. "That will probably trouble us for some time."

Husker Slugging  
Third Sacker Don Brown paced the NU hitters with a robust .560 mark. Included in his mark were two homers and nine RBI's. Jim Cederdahl and Bill Giles also hit for high marks, Cederdahl with a .462 average and Giles with a .423 mark. Nebraska's hitters banged out at least 10 hits in all but one game. In the Texas series, they blasted out 38 hits and 34 runs.

As the season moves into conference competition, Sharp feels Missouri is the team to beat with Oklahoma a close second. The rest of the league will be a battle. The Tigers only lost a first baseman and shortstop from the crew that copped the ICAA honors last year.

The Huskers will face the Kansas State Wildcats at Manhattan Friday and Saturday. Sharpe said the Wildcats have pretty much of a new team and he didn't know how tough they would be. He added that the Kansans had taken the last three out of four games played on their diamond.

Sharpe said Fran Hofmaier would probably start against the Wildcats on Friday afternoon. He indicated Roger Bottorff (2-0) would see plenty of action, very likely much of it coming in relief stints.

Teachers' best scoring bet is half-miler Vernon Sharp. Sophomore Tom Cecile has pole-vaulted 10 feet 2.

Cathedral based scoring hopes on distance man Allen Parks and a speedy mile relay team of Parks, Gene Kobza, Mike Costin and Bill Hoepfner. Costin is also a point-gear in the 440-yard dash and Bob Everett, a high jump hope.

## TC Track Team Joins Invitational

Undeclared Cathedral and once-victorious Teachers High school sent track teams into the Nebraskan City Invitational Tuesday.

Cathedral has won two dual meets and the Tutors have split, beating College View and Malcolm in a triangular but losing to Omaha Westside.

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## Orwig To Speak

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# Linksmen Lose In Four Starts

The Husker golf team took their annual southern tour during spring vacation, and were shut out in four starts.

Wichita took the Husker's measure 10 to eight as Jack Moore was medalist with an even par 71.

The University of Tulsa swamped the Husker turf cutters, 17 to 4, as Chuck Jensen, NU's first man, was medalist with a three over par 75.

The University of Arkansas swamped the Huskers by an 18 1/2 to 2 1/2 margin. Jack Moore was medalist.

Washburn edged by the Huskers eight to seven in the final match of the tour.

In spite of the losses the trip was far from a failure. The golfers gained good experience that will prove valuable as they begin their Big Seven schedule. The linksmen were playing on strange courses and against teams that have had the advantage of warmer climates for practice.

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# The 'Fairer' Side Coeds Pedal Bicycles With Their Socks Rolled

By SAROL WILTSE  
Sports Staff Writer

Farewell to the illustrious Physl Cast who so diligently wrote this column and gave forth words of wisdom for one long year. May I follow in her footsteps — heaven forbid!

If you should see seven girls riding bicycles to and from classes or patrol the walks with their socks rolled up, you will be gazing upon the Nebraska delegates who attended the Athletic Federation of College Women at Smith College. Smith influenced us with their new styles.

Although our hotels were labeled "Comfort Without Extravagance," we nevertheless enjoyed our stay in Boston, New York, and Washington, D.C.

Many thanks to Miss Becker and Miss Mulvaney for their competent sponsorship, especially on the long bus rides.

Co-rec schedule for tomorrow night is as follows: CHI OMEGA No. 1 and SIGMA CHI, KAPPA ALPHA THETA No. 2 and DELTA TAU DELTA, GAMMA PHI BETA No. 1 and 3 and PHI DELTA THETA, DELTA DELTA DELTA and SIGMA PHI EPSILON, ALPHA XI DELTA and SIGMA ALPHA EPSILON, WILSON HALL No. 1 and CORNHUSKER CO-OP, ALPHA OMICRON PI and ALPHA GAMMA RHO.

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