

Nebraska Fights Off Late Rush By Tigers In Conference Game

By BOB WIRZ
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Nebraska fought off a late rush by the Missouri Tigers last night at the Coliseum to win their third conference game of the season.

The final score was 53 to 49 after Nebraska had led 41-32 with 12:51 left in the game.

Nebraska now has a 3-3 conference record and moves into fourth place in the Big Seven ahead of Missouri. The Tigers are now 3-5 in conference play.

Both teams were very sluggish throughout the entire contest. Nebraska, in defeating Missouri for the third time this season, trailed only 0-2 early in the game but never gained more than a six point lead until the second half. Missouri gained a tie at 12-12 with nine minutes left in the first period but couldn't get closer than one point thereafter.

The halftime score was 29-26. The second half started out slow but Nebraska finally stretched its

lead to nine points mainly as the result of six charity tosses by Ron Parsons.

Then the tide turned, Sonne Siebert and Lionel Smith pumped in a pair of quick jump shots and the gap was narrowed to four points. Then Lyle Nannen hit two drive in shots and once more the lead was stretched to eight.

Smith again took charge for the Tigers. The 6'3" senior hit a 25-foot set shot and Glenn Forristal scored with a long jump. Little Gary Reimers then hit his only field goal of the evening and what turned out to be Nebraska's final one with 8:29 remaining. The score was now 49-41.

Defense and free tosses were the main Husker weapon for the remainder of the contest. Bill Ross scored Missouri's final points with three and a half minutes left. He hit a drive in shot and was fouled at the same time by Nannen. Ross completed the three pointer and it

looked like Sparky Stalcup's crew might pull the game out.

No more scoring was done until nine seconds remaining in the contest when Reimers hit two free throws to ice the game.

Parsons led the Huskers in scoring with 16 points and Nannen had



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ten. Smith and Ross hit 14 and 12 respectively for Missouri.

Rex Ekwall played his usual fine game and grabbed a total of 20 rebounds while the entire Missouri team got only 31.

In the preliminary game freshman center Bob Mayo was hospitalized when he injured his back. The Reds paced by Willie Fitzpatrick defeated the Whites in the intra-squad game 81-53.

First Dance Lesson To Feature 'Bop'

The first of a new series of dance lessons will be held Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at the Union. For the first The instructors will be Jon Appleget, sophomore in Teachers College and Mary Mong, senior in Teachers College.

Another feature added to the lessons will be the teaching of the "bop." "We feel that this new dance, much more popular than the traditional waltz and two-step will be a much greater attraction than steps taught other years," Gail Sunderman, official hostess, said.



Reimers Fourth: Chamberlain Leads Kansas Scorers In Big Seven Conference Scoring

Wilt Chamberlain of Kansas and Gary Thompson of Iowa State, the big and little poison of Big Seven basketball, are staging a close drive for scoring honors, latest conference statistics disclose.

The 7-foot Chamberlain remained No. 1 on the list of scorers, based on league games only. The big Jayhawk has a 22.2 average for five games. The 5-foot, 10-inch Thompson kept second place with a 20.9 average.

Chamberlain has a total of 111 points off 34 field goals and 43 free throws. Still having trouble on his charity throws, Chamberlain's percentage continued to drop. He has converted 43 of 73 for .589.

Thompson has 146 points in seven games, resulting from 53 goals and 40 free throws.

As a team, Missouri is setting the scoring pace, although the Tigers have only a 3-3 conference record. The Bengals averaged 69.8 in six games played.

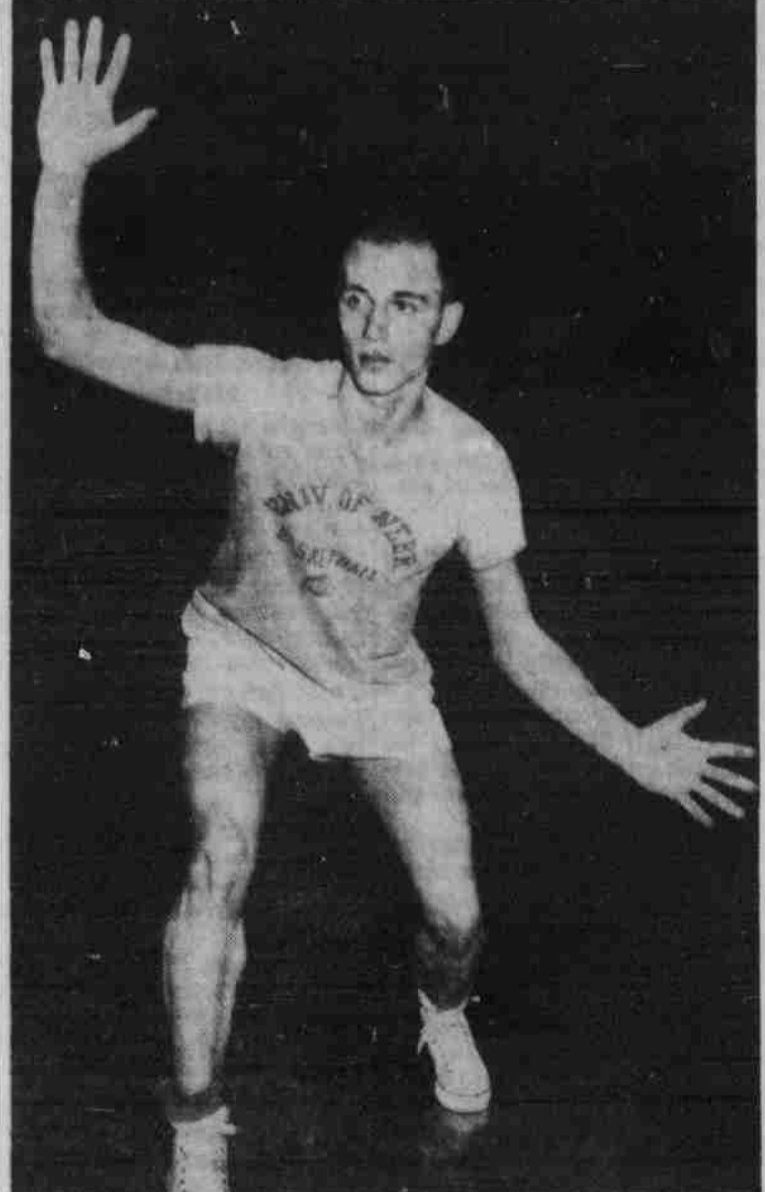
Kansas, lodged comfortably at the top of the standings with a 4-1 mark, is scoring at a 62.8 clip in five games. The Jayhawks have 108 field goals and 98 free throws. Teamwise, Kansas has improved its free throw percentage from .580 to .605.

On defense the Jayhawks have the best record, having allowed their five opponents an average of 55.6.

Iowa State is averaging 63.0 in seven games, opponents 62.7; Kansas State 65.7 in six games, opponents 56.2; Colorado 58.4 in five games, opponents 67.2; Nebraska 66.8 in four games, opponents 66.5; Oklahoma 57.2 in five games, opponents 68.2. Missouri's opponents have scored an average of 69.3.

Bill Ross of Missouri rates as No. 3 man in individual scoring with an average of 19.2 and a total of 115 points. Gary Reimers of Nebraska has a four-game average of 18.8, and Bob Boozer of Kansas State rounds out the top five. The Wildcat sophomore has averaged 18.2 in six games.

Reimers is the most accurate of all the high scorers at the free throw line. The Husker has made 21 and missed 6 for a percentage of .778. Boozer has canned 47, missed 18, for .723.



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Reimers - Husker Star Fourth In Scoring

School	Games	Goals	Throws	Missed	F.T. Made	Fouls	Points	Average
Iowa State	7	145	151	79	.657	144	441	63.0
Opponents		137	165	79	.676	140	439	62.7
Kansas State	6	136	122	63	.659	100	394	65.7
Opponents		115	107	57	.652	111	337	56.2
Colorado	5	95	102	56	.646	111	292	58.4
Opponents		110	116	64	.644	94	336	67.2
Kansas	5	108	98	64	.605	82	314	62.8
Opponents		96	86	44	.662	100	278	55.6
Missouri	6	125	169	62	.732	128	419	69.8
Opponents		138	140	74	.654	135	416	69.3
Nebraska	4	91	85	43	.684	72	267	66.8
Opponents		91	84	37	.694	78	266	66.5

Strictly Sportstalk

By BOB MARTEL
Sports Editor

Thinclads have arrived... Watching Saturday's track meet brought back memories of past Husker squads who use to get beat more often than not.

It was a tremendous thrill to see a full house of spectators and to watch a favored Nebraska squad run true to form.

Keith Gardner, Bob Elwood, Bill Hawkins and Larry Gausmann were sensational. The fans are beginning to look for Gardner's greeting after each race he wins and if the Jamaican flash keeps going at his present pace, he'll be doing a great deal of waving.

Ken Pollard, sophomore pole vaulter, shows a great deal of potentiality and should help the Huskers in his event.

The track squad, as a whole, shows very good balance and could be one of the top teams at the Big Seven indoor meet at Kansas City next month.

Jayhawks have arrived... The campus is still buzzing about the terrific Kansas quintet that dropped our Cornhuskers last weekend.

Wilt Chamberlain and Ronnie Loneski's names have been on everyone's lips. Looking ahead for a moment, it appears that the Jayhawks have great potential for several years to come.

In addition to Chamberlain and Loneski, Dick Harp has sophomores Bob Billings, Blaine Hollinger and Lynn Kindred to form the nucleus of next year's squad.

Adding Monte Johnson, Gary Thompson and Ron Johnson plus a few members of the freshman squad, you come up with a pretty fine unit.

Kansas sportswriters were very complimentary towards Billings. They claim that he is the only man on the K.U. squad who can repeatedly get the ball into Chamberlain while three men are covering the big man.

All in all, it looks like the Jayhawks will be very successful in basketball for a few years to come.

Rag picks All-Americans... The University of San Francisco student newspaper, "The Foghorn", is conducting a poll to determine the All American basketball team for 1956-57.

We have just finished compiling our All American squad and are forwarding the list to the Dons for inclusion in their survey.

Our team includes: Charlie Tyra of Louisville, "Hot Rod" Hundley of West Virginia, Wilt Chamberlain of Kansas, Lennie Rosenbluth of North Carolina and Chet Forte of Columbia.

Other stars who received mention are: Gary Thompson of Iowa State, Jack Parr of Kansas State, Jim Krebs of SMU and Dick O'Neal of TCU.

Dick Harp of Kansas was our choice for Coach of the Year. Results of the San Francisco poll will be published in the Rag as soon as they are released.

Clash Saturday: OU Trackmen Set For Huskers

By BILL COOPER
Daily Nebraskan Sports Reporter

Coach John Jacobs, Oklahoma's homespun track coach, brings his always tough Sooner track club to Lincoln next Saturday for an indoor dual with Nebraska.

Although the outlook is only fair this year for Oklahoma track prospects, Jacobs boasts eleven lettermen including Robert Derrick who tied the world record of 6.7 seconds in the 60 yard low hurdles in the Big Seven Conference meet in 1955.

Other outstanding lettermen include Phil Frazier who finished second in the 60 yard high hurdles in the 1955 Big Seven conference indoor meet in Kansas City, Jim McSarrow who is a string contender for top laurels in the 440, Bill Pritchett, a junior, also in contention for the 440 championships, Gary Parr who is making a strong comeback after coming down with glandular fever last spring and Jim Denton, an experienced hurdler and 400 man.

Joining sophomores include Glenn Chowins, John Fellows, Bofy Green, Jay Field, Clark Brunton and Dan Erwin.

The Sooners ended their 1956 season with a one and one record, beating Nebraska and losing to the Big Seven Conference champs, Kansas. However, Oklahoma placed second to Kansas in the indoor championships in Kansas City last year.

Coach John Jacobs and his trackmen also had to settle for a second place finish to Kansas in the outdoor finals last spring.

Jacobs has been track coach in Soonerland for the past 35 years, and has developed standouts who have performed in meets throughout the world including the Olympics at Melbourne.

Jacobs also became a recognized name when competing in track, having tied the world's record for the high hurdles in 1948 he was regarded as one of the nation's top hop, step and jump coaches.

Assisting Jacobs is Bill Carroll who was the Big Seven indoor and outdoor pole vault champion in 1950.

All in all, the Sooners promise to invade Lincoln with a powerful frontline squad, but lack depth. With several boys who finished high in the Big Seven Conference championships last year, and in duals this year, the Sooners will be able to give the Huskers a battle.

Cotter Leads Way: University 'Tankers' Sharp Coach Hollie Lepley 'Optimistic'

By STAN WIDMAN
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One of the better varsity teams on campus is the Husker swimming squad coached by Hollie Lepley.

The tankmen are currently sporting a four win, three loss record in dual meets and appear to have the strongest swim team in a good many years.

One of the main reasons for the squad's success has been the excellent swimming of Carl Bodensteiner, junior in Engineering from Lincoln. Carl scored a double in the recent meet with Colorado State winning the 220 and 440 yard free style events. Bodensteiner has been scoring with regular consistency in every match this year. His wins include the 440 yard freestyle against Kansas State, in their second meeting and both the 220 and 440 yard free style in their meeting. Bodensteiner will certainly be a help to Lepley next year.

Another reason for the Husker success has been the diving of Gene Cotter and Bill Taguey. These boys have staged a brilliant dual all year finishing one-two in the first three meets. Cotter's big win the season came last Saturday at the triangular meet in Boulder, Colorado against Colorado and Utah.

Taguey won the first two diving events of the year and was picked as Star of the Week for his performances. These wins were over Grinnell College, and Kansas State. Cotter has won five straight meets, his wins coming over Iowa State, and in the triangular meet.

Not to be overlooked is Jerry Farrell, Sophomore in Arts & Sciences from Hastings, Farrell produced the only win for the Huskers in a swimming event at the triangular meet. His win came in the 50 yard free-style.

Farrell has been winning events in almost every match and has participated on several winning relay teams. Being only a sophomore, he can look forward to two more winning seasons and perhaps some big wins in coming tournaments.

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