

Game History Often Lost in Confusion

NU Victor in 9 of Last 22 Homecoming Contests

Lost in the displays, parades, queens and alumni gatherings on Homecoming weekend is the game itself. Nebraska has won nine of its last 22 Homecoming contests, while one tie has been recorded and 12 games have been lost, in the period from 1937 to 1958.

First Is Win
The first Homecoming game on record was a 1919 win over Kansas. Nebraska's coach was Henry Schulte, who piloted his team to the Missouri Valley Championship. The game was played at the State Fair Grounds.

In the 1924 game, the Huskers were given even odds against the Jayhawks from Kansas. It was the first Homecoming game to be played in the newly constructed Memorial Stadium.

Nebraska scored twice in the final quarter to win 13-6. The University went on to win the Big Six Championship and produce its sixth All American—Ed Weir.

Long Streak
The longest Homecoming winning streak was from 1929 to 1937 with wins over Kansas (four times) and Kansas State (four times).

Dana Bible coached the successful Cornhuskers for seven of the eight years. Nebraska won the Big Six four of these years, and finished second the other three seasons.

The biggest Homecoming margin was recorded in 1941 when the Huskers beat Missouri 38-0. Nebraska won the Big Six again that year and made its first and only appearance in the Rose Bowl. Although the 1944 season saw the Huskers win only two of nine games, one of the victories was the 24-20 win over Homecoming opponent Missouri.

Top Scoring
Nebraska scored its greatest number of points in the 1950 Homecoming tilt via a 40-34 decision over Oregon State. All-American Bobby Reynolds scored 23 of the total Husker points.

The 1954 Orange Bowl team handed Oregon State a 27-7 loss on Homecoming Day.

Four-Year Drouth
Nebraska's longest losing Homecoming streak was a 4-year drouth from 1945 to 1949. Nebraska teams of '57 and '58 both lost Homecoming games by decisive scores.

Kansas has been the most frequent Homecoming opponent in the last 22 years. The Jayhawks have tangled with the Huskers 9 times, winning 4 and tying one. The Missouri Tigers have

won four and lost four over this period in Homecoming contests with the Huskers. Indiana and U.C.L.A. have defeated the Big Red each time

they have clashed on Homecoming. The Hoosiers participated in the festivities on successive years, 1941 and 1942. Colorado

and Nebraska have split in two encounters. Twelve of the 22 contests have had point margins of seven points or less.

Parade Plans—Floats, Bands, Queen

The 1959 Homecoming Queen, Skip Harris, will reign over the annual parade to be held Saturday morning at 9:30 a.m.

The new queen and the 1958 queen, Helen Hockabout, will ride on the Tassel float. Her attendants also will participate in the parade but each will ride in a separate car.

A total of 20 floats will appear in the parade.

They include the Tassels' publicity car; "N" Club's float, "Devotion to Democracy;" Varsity Dairy Club, "It's in the Bag;" Red Cross, "You beat 'um. We'll fix 'um;" Block and Bridle Club, "Hit Em Hard in the End Zone;" Builders, "He's Sooner Born; He's Sooner Bred, and now that Sooner's really Dead!;" Rodeo Club, "Wreck the Sooners."

Student Union, "De-Feet the Sooners;" Nebraska Soccer Club Float; Young Republicans, "Knock 'Em Dead;" Fedde Hall, "Fedde Hall's Recipe for Okie Stew;" Terrace Hall, "Make Those Sooners Crawl;" Towne Club, "Topping the Sooners;" Delta Sigma Pi, "Cap the Sooners;" Seaton I, "Happy Hunting Grounds."

Benton House, "What Is a Sooner?;" Alpha Gamma Sigma, "Oklahoma Falls;" Farm House, "Put the Sooners into Orbit;" Burr Hall, "D-Schooner the Sooner;" and the Tassels Float.

Two bands will appear in the parade this year, the University marching band and the University High School band. In addition a ROTC color guard and the ROTC drill units will participate in the parade. Also appearing will be the cheerleaders and the Corn Cob man.

Plaques will be presented to the winners in each division which includes men's, women's and organization entries. A traveling award will be given for the honorable mention winner. Also to be

presented is a plaque to the best ROTC drill team in the parade.

Judges will be Mr. Ken Campbell, Prof. Niles Bar-

nard and Mrs. Mildred Fansberg. They will judge each entry on appeal, originality, resourcefulness, effort and effect.



BIG RUSH—Student Union committee members put finishing touches on decorations for the Union's float entry in the Homecoming parade Saturday morning. Kneeling (from left to right) are: Joan Myhren, Patty Barrett and Susie Sidell; standing (from left) are Sharon Mercier and Diana Christensen.

On The Social Side

Homecoming Calls For Display 'Tear Downs'

By Pat Dean
A true Homecoming weekend is promised.

Many open houses are scheduled for Saturday after the game and a quartet of display tearing down functions are registered for Sunday.

Friday
Terrace Hall informal after-rally party, 9-11 p.m.
Love Memorial Hall-Cornhusker Co-op hour dance, 5-6 p.m.

Saturday
Alpha Chi Omega open house, after game.
Alpha Xi Delta open house, after game.
Chi Omega open house, after game.
Delta Delta Delta open house, after game.
Delta Gamma open house, after game.
Delta Sigma Pi open house, after game.
Kappa Alpha Theta open house, after game.
Kappa Delta open house, after game.
Pi Beta Phi open house, after game.
Sigma Kappa open house, after game.
Acacia open house, after game.
Sigma Nu open house (chili feed), after game.
Sigma Phi Epsilon breakfast dance, 7:30-10:30 a.m.

Sunday
Alpha Phi-Selleck Quadrangle (Gus I) tear-down and pizza, 4-6 p.m.
Delta Gamma-Phi Gamma Delta tear down displays, 1-3 p.m.
Gamma Phi Beta-Delta Up-

silon tear down displays, 2-4 p.m.
Kappa Alpha Theta-Sigma Phi Epsilon tear down displays, 2-5 p.m.

Display Cost May Zoom Past \$6,000

More than \$6,000 probably will be spent on house displays for the Homecoming weekend.

Each organized house and activity group on the campus is allowed to spend up to \$150 on its displays. Houses that spend over this amount are disqualified from winning the trophies.

All expenses must be included in the itemized list which each Homecoming chairman turns in to the innocents. Used materials are included at the price they would be sold for were they not used.

The final estimate of the cost of the displays must include money spent for all materials, including crepe paper, wire, chicken wire, napkins, paint and lumber.

AWS Extends Closing Hours

Closing hours for University women have been extended to 2 a.m. for Homecoming Saturday.

Girls may not take overnights on this date, according to AWS.

Jack-O-Lanterns Bidding For Homecoming Attention

A double holiday will be celebrated on campus Saturday.

Besides Homecoming, the appearance of spooks, witches, black cats and jack-o-lanterns marks the arrival of Halloween.

In part, the holiday is a survival of the ancient Britons' autumn festival in honor of the Sun God. The Druids (a religious order of priests) lit bonfires to this god, as their way of expressing gratitude for the harvest.

They believe on this occasion that Samhain, the lord of death, assembled the souls of those who had died within the year, and who had, for their sins, been confined in the bodies of the lower animals.

Our Halloween is almost

equally descended from the ancient Roman festival in honor of Pomona, the goddess of fruit and gardens. Through a combination of these celebrations Halloween has been formed, and, slowly through the years, changed.

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DR. FROOD'S MORAL OF THE MONTH

Most college students today do not know the meaning of the word "adversity." Those who do are just a handful of English majors.

Dear Dr. Frood: How can I leave my husband without making him happy?
Prof's Spouse

Dear Prof's Spouse: Leave a note saying you'll be back.



Dear Dr. Frood: Our library is full of "no smoking" signs. When I want a Lucky, I have to go outside. Is this right?
Furious

Dear Furious: It's monstrous. But think of the poor souls who go outside only to smoke brand X or Y or Z.

Dear Dr. Frood: Boys are always whistling at me. Do you think my clothes are too snug?
Prudence

Dear Prudence: It's impossible to tell without a picture. Send one. Please.

DR. FROOD TELLS WHO HOLDS HIS CIGARETTE HOW

I have noticed that the solid, conservative type carries his cigarette between his first two fingers. The nonconformist carries it tucked in the bend of his arm. The self-conscious type holds his lighted cigarette in his pocket. The most intelligent species of all carry Lucky Strike (usually between their lips).



Dr. Frood, Ph. T.T.



Dear Dr. Frood: When raccoon coats swept the campus, I wore a polo coat. When the English bobby cape came in, I wore a raccoon coat. I'm always in last year's style. How come?
Dated

Dear Dated: This is an anxiety complex arising out of being a "late-diaper" baby.

Dear Dr. Frood: I am irrationally, incalculably, irrevocably in love with a girl on campus. How can I tell her?
Lovesick

Dear Lovesick: Use small words.

Dear Dr. Frood: When I listen to stupid people or read anything boring, I fall asleep. What can I do?
Superior

Dear Superior: Yours is an extremely difficult prob mfh zzz

Sig Chi Spirit Aids Sororities

A lack of a display is not stopping Sigma Chi members from helping with Homecoming.

As well as pushing their BS buttons, the Sigs sent two pledges to each sorority on campus to help that group build its display.

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