

# NU Trackmen Travel To Conference Meet

By Dave Calhoun  
Nebraska's track team headed for Kansas City today to compete in the Big Eight Conference meet.

Preliminary action tonight includes first round and semifinal action in the 60-yard dash, 60-yard low hurdles, 60-yard high hurdles, 440, 600, 800 and 100-yard runs, and the shot put.

Also, finals will be held in the broad jump.

Finals in all other events are scheduled for Saturday evening.

**Mullins Bolsters Team**  
The Huskers will be bolstered by the performance of their captain, Joe Mullins.

Mullins, 600- and 100-yard specialist, is undefeated this season.

Mullins is the only returning Conference record holder from Nebraska. Last year he won the 600-yard run, with a time of 1:12.6. In the dual meet with Kansas State Mullins toured the event in 1:12.3, his fastest time in competition so far this season.

The Husker captain will run into a barrage of trouble in the 1000-yard event. Cliff Cushman from Kansas will return to the meet after setting the record last year with a time of 2:11.6.

Mullins will go into the event with a 2:15.7, a stadium record he set last weekend against Oklahoma.

Mullins chances of winning the 1000 will be further complicated if Oklahoma's flying

South African Gail Hodgson runs in the event.

Hodgson swept the mile and two mile events for the Sooners when he competed last weekend.

**Cross Will Help**

The return of Bob Cross, Husker sprinter, will further bolster the Nebraska team score. Last weekend Cross, who had been sidelined for two meets with a muscle injury, returned to win the 440 with a time of :50.3. This was his best performance in competition this season.

Cross will find his main competition in Teddy Wilson, speedy Colorado sophomore. Wilson ran the fastest time in school history at Boulder in a dual against Nebraska.

The Husker relay team may provide the Nebraska cindermen with an ace in the hole.

Running in competition only once this season the team, composed of Mullins, LeRoy Keane, Ken Ash and Cross, turned in a time of 3:26.1. This time betters dual times posted by Kansas State, Oklahoma and Oklahoma State.

However three of last year's winning relay team from Kansas will return to the contest this year. The Jayhawks team-members returning are Charlie Tidwell, Cliff Cushman and Mike Covey.

Last year's team winner, Kansas, will return as the meet favorites. Last year the Jayhawks went on to win the NCAA Championships.

Oklahoma Will be Tough  
The University of Oklahoma is expected to afford most of the competition for the Kansas team.

In a dual indoor meet earlier this season, the two teams ended the meet in a tied score.

In a pre-Conference meet session Sooner track Coach Bill Carroll said "We'll need lots of breaks if we're going to be any kind of a contender."

Hodgson, Dee Givens and

J. D. Martin are expected to be the top contenders for the Sooners.

Givens, who specializes in the 60-yard dash posted a time of :06.3 in the Nebraska-Oklahoma dual.

In the same contest J. D. Martin cleared 15-feet for the first time in Nebraska indoor track history. Martin has done 15-3 1/4 outside.

The Sooner attack will be further aided by the return of Mark Sullivan, a promising Oklahoma sophomore who ran second to Charlie Tidwell in the Feb. 1 Kansas-Oklahoma dual.

Sullivan, who pulled a muscle two weeks ago, didn't compete against Nebraska.

"He won't cut loose until Friday night's prelims," Carroll said.

Oklahoma's ace weightman, Mike Lindsay is also expected to repeat his winning performance in the shot put.

All totaled, there are nine first place winners and thirty other place winners from last year's meet returning this year.

## Frosh Win 3rd Postal

**Gunter Establishes Record in Lows, Ties Record in Dash**

Ernest Gunter was the big show again as the Nebraska freshman track team downed Colorado 89-32 in a postal meet. The win for the Huskers was the third straight, all by large margins.

Gunter bettered the Big Eight Postal record in the 60-yard low hurdles with a streaking 6.8 time. The old record, held jointly by Oklahoma's Bob Derrick, Nebraska's Keith Gardner, and Kansas Charlie Tidwell and Ernie Shelby, was 6.9.

Gunter tied the postal 60-yard dash record with a 6.2 clocking. He also won the 440-yard dash, high hurdles and was a member of the victorious mile relay team.

Other Nebraska firsts went to Bill Kenny and John Silveira, who tied in the 880-yard run, Ray Stevens in the mile and two mile runs, Fred Wilke in the high jump and broad jump and Larry Donovan in the pole vault.

Silveira also tied for first in the 600-yard run and helped NU to the tape line in the mile relay, along with Gunter, Kenny and Jasper Epps.

Other runners placing for NU were Steve Pfister, Joe Scott, Ron Moore, Clarence Scott, Larry Tomlinson, Leon Janovy and Vayden Anderson.

## Alpha Kappa Psi Will Hold Meet

Alpha Kappa Psi, professional BizAd fraternity, will hold a combination rush program and professional meeting March 1. The meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. in the Student Union for all interested.

The purpose of the meeting will be to explain the purposes, ideals and functioning of Alpha Kappa Psi. Questions concerning the meeting should be directed to Dave Widman at HE 2-3120.



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Herschell Turner

Star Of The Week

## Turner 1st Husker Cager To Hit 1,000

"It felt real good but I thought I was never going to do it," Herschell Turner said when speaking about scoring his 1000th point.

The Husker basketball captain has been awarded this week's honor after scoring the two big points, via free throws in this week's Oklahoma game, that gave him 1,000 points during his playing career at N.U.

"I should have had a 1,000 before Monday but I just couldn't hit. I guess I was trying too hard," Turner said.

The brilliant 6-2 senior now has a three year total of 1,006 points. He has clinched the team scoring race for the second straight year with 332 points with three games to go. His 127 field goals and 78 free throws puts him way ahead of second place Albert Maxey who has 244 counters so far this season.

Turner is nearly one hundred points behind his junior year point production of 428. "I wish I could have scored more points this year but with two to three men on me each game I couldn't even

breathe," Turner explained.

Scored 35 against Tigers  
Ironically, Herschell's highest single game output of his collegiate career is 35 points which was scored this year against Missouri in the pre-season Big Eight Tournament.

Turner said he felt that Nebraska's poor record this year could be attributed to the psychological effect of losing so many games by close scores.

"It all started with the Norte Dame and Michigan State games. From then on it seemed as though we weren't supposed to win," Turner replied.

Turner was quick to give tribute to the coaching staff. "Jerry knows a lot of basketball and so does Tony Sharpe for that matter. This year's team is the best I have played on. They have been the best shooters, the best hustlers and the best guys. Bush deserves championship

"What hurts the most is that Jerry deserves a Big Eight championship — he really does. I just hope the guys can give it to him next year," Turner earnestly commented.

## Eight Cadets Are Named Outstanding

Army ROTC recently announced the selection of eight cadets from the basic course students as February "Cadets of the Month."

These cadets are chosen by their battle group commanders on the basis of interest; proficiency and snap in drill; military bearing and appearance; leadership ability; command of voice and grades.

The Cadets of the Month are: First Battle Group—Douglas Carlisle and William J. Meyer. Second Battle Group—Richard Harr and Warren Dobry. Third Battle Group—Jerry L. Haugland and Gale Olmsted. Fourth Battle Group—Richard Schmeling and David Cook.

It was also announced that Robert C. Blair, commanding general of the Army Cadet Brigade, is the first of the current Army ROTC Flight trainees to receive his private pilot license. Blair received his ROTC wings at a formal ceremony Feb. 25.

## Roblee To Talk

Dr. Frederick Roblee will be the guest speaker at the Presby House chapel at 11 a.m. Feb. 28.

Dr. Roblee, who will use "The Glory of God" as his sermon theme, is pastor of Westminster Presbyterian church in Lincoln.

# Basketballers Face O-State In Finale

By Dave Wohlforth  
Oklahoma State opposes the Nebraska cagers Saturday night in the Huskers' final home game of the season. Game time is 8:05 p.m. with a freshman preliminary slated at 5:45 p.m. The young Huskers will play Fairbury Junior College, seeking their third straight victory of the year.

Nebraska has won six and lost 15 this year, owning a 3-8 conference record. With three games left, NU will be battling to forge out of the cellar.

Coach Jerry Bush has indicated he may rely heavily on sophomores and juniors the rest of the year.

"They are the makings of a real good club," he said. "They are good shooters and

During this period he has averaged 14.5 points and holds a 52.8 percentage from the floor in this span, hitting 56 field goals in 106 shots.

Herschell Turner continues to lead the Husker scoring, as the Indianapolis ace has 332 points for the year. Last Saturday H. T. broke into the 1,000 point club when he hit two free throws early in the first half against Oklahoma.

### Husker Scoring Chart

(for 21 games)

Name	FG	FT	PP	Pct.
Turner	127-286	78-128	57	33.2
Maxey	88-263	68-82	46	25.1
Kowalek	95-222	31-66	59	25.1
Harry	46-137	34-64	22	14.6
Buack	33-87	22-29	26	16.6
Wall	28-59	25-37	14	15.6
Roots	26-83	15-23	33	15.5
Swett	22-78	15-19	25	14.6
Barth	6-28	11-18	17	7.7
Hester	10-47	5-10	24	10.2
Bowers	8-20	3-8	11	9.0
Others	1-5	3-8	4	5.0
Own totals	490-1256	210-483	410	19.90
Opp. totals	479-1258	251-523	329	19.87



Oklahoma State's Walker


ball handlers. The seniors, of course, will be in there too, but being out of the race we must use the players who will be back in 1960-61 in our remaining games (Oklahoma State here; Kansas and Kansas State on the road.)"

Bush also added, "We appreciate the support of so many loyal fans. Neither weather nor defeats have kept them away. I hope they will be out en masse Saturday night for our last home game. We have had our moments this season but inability to get the close decisions mired us too deeply in the mud."

Jim Kowalek, who Bush has singled out as the unsung hero of the Husker attack, has been the sparkler for Nebraska in its last nine games.

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Nebraska's swimming team meets Kansas State today at Manhattan and Kansas Saturday at Lawrence in a pair of dual meets.

Making the trip will be Frank Tomson, Joe Stocker, Kuni Mihara and Myron Papadakis of Omaha; Ron Bunklin, Branch Walton, Jim Frank, Larry Ferrell and Jim Pickett, Lincoln; Roger Bosveld, Mason City, Iowa; Don Benson, McCook and Coach Dick Klaas.

In previous meets, Nebraska defeated Kansas State 61-33 and lost to Kansas, 75-20.

## NU Gymnasts Enter All-College Championships

Nebraska's gymnastic team left Thursday morning for the Air Force Academy, scene of the annual All-College gymnastics championships.

The Cornhuskers hold victories over Colorado State (Ft. Collins), Ft. Hayes (Kan), Colorado State ( Greeley), Mankato (Minn.), Wisconsin and the University of Colorado. Minnesota holds the one verdict over Nebraska.

Injury to Co-captain Phil Hall places the Huskers in an underdog role.



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