

NU Grid Coach Plans to Hold 1st Spring Scrimmage Today

By Hal Brown
Coach Bill Jennings plans to send his Husker gridgers through their first lengthy scrimmage of the spring drills today.

The Husker mentor said the scrimmage would start around 5 p.m. and would last for one hour and 15 minutes. He said the lineups for the scrimmage session would not be set until today.

Two earlier scrimmages have been cancelled. A scrim-

mage slated for Saturday was cancelled because of the wind and a scrimmage tentatively set for Tuesday afternoon was called off.

In cancelling the Tuesday scrimmage, Jennings said, "We found out we're still a little ragged." A practice session was held Tuesday to make up for last Saturday's drill which was called off.

The Spring practice schedule calls for workouts Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday with Tuesday set

aside for a make-up day in case the gridgers cannot work on one of the scheduled days. The Huskers will not work on any Thursday unless it is absolutely necessary, Jennings has said.

Tuesday's session was devoted to more drills on fundamentals with some group work.

Jennings said he was encouraged by the Huskers' spring progress, especially by several experimental position shifts.

He pointed out the shifts of Tackle George Haney to center and Thunder Thornton from fullback to left halfback as "naturals which are working out well." Thornton was shifted at the beginning of the Spring sessions. The Haney change was made Monday.

Today's scrimmage is likely to be the only mid-week scrimmage with Saturday's set aside for this purpose and fundamentals and team work slated for the week day workouts.

Weather Stymies Cyclones

Iowa State's biggest foe for the 1961 baseball season thus far has been the weather as the Cyclones have been rained or snowed out in eight of the 12 scheduled games to date.

The Cyclones have a 1-3 record as they prepare for an invasion of the Nebraska diamond Friday and Saturday for a three-game series. A doubleheader is slated for 1:30 p.m. Friday with a single game at the same time Saturday.

Iowa State lost its only two Big Eight outings to Kansas State and split in a pair with Minnesota. They compiled a 14-9 overall record last year and finished second in the conference race with a 12-6 mark.

The Cyclones have six lettermen back from that club and were rated as strong contenders for the championship until the double loss to Kansas State.

The Cyclones won all three games from Nebraska last year at Ames by scores of 12-8, 4-3 and 7-6.

Nebraska has had to depend on pitching this season and Coach Tony Sharpe has four pitchers with ERAs of 3.00 or less. Ernie Bonistall, Tom Ernst and Ed Johnson all have even 3.00 ERA marks while Ron Havekost is below that mark. All four hurlers are sophomores.

The Huskers have an 8-5 mark in the conference and are 2-8 overall but the conference games have been against the top two teams in the league. Oklahoma State, undefeated in nine starts this season, thumped the Huskers soundly in two games.

But Sharpe's gang came back last week end to give Missouri a scare before bowing in all three games of the series.



GET OFF MY BACK!

This battle between horse and cowboy typifies rodeo action such as what will be seen at the Nebraska Intercollegiate Championship Rodeo May 13 at the Fair Grounds Coliseum. Two performances will be given this year with one at 1:30 p.m. and the other at 8 p.m.

Rodeo Club Started From Scratch Now Presenting Top-Notch Rodeo

By Bob Nye
Rodeo ranked third as a major sport in the nation in 1958, preceded only by baseball and football. Since then it has become increasing popular with the fans.

Rodeo got its start at Nebraska in 1947. The site of the first rodeo was just west of the Ag Student Union.

The students borrowed a snow fence, posts, lumber and put in countless hours of work to build a temporary rodeo ground. Wild horses and bulls were furnished by a local trucking firm.

In 1948 the University realized the enthusiasm of rodeo-minded students and fans and gave the Rodeo Club some property north of the present Meat Laboratory on Ag Campus. That year the

students financed the present arena from their own pockets.

From 1952 through 1954, Ray Bohy, the present beef cattle herdsman for the University provided the club with rodeo stock. The club members would borrow trucks and go to Ray's ranch at Taylor, round up the stock and return to Lincoln where the stock was used for the rodeo the next day.

1955 and 1956 marked the years when the club became large enough to hire Gus Obermire of Stuart to contract stock for them.

Two Performances
In 1957 and 1958 Warren Papstein of Norfolk furnished the stock for the rodeo and in 1958 the club put on its first two performance show. A matinee performance as well as an evening show were arranged with temporary lighting installed for the evening show.

May of 1959 marked the Lincoln Centennial celebration with May 9 being called Western Day. Together with Arnold Folsom, Western Day's chairman, the club produced a rodeo for the event.

The rodeo was held at the State Fair Grounds new indoor Coliseum. At this time, the club opened its rodeo to all accredited colleges within

the state. The Nebraska Collegiate Championship Rodeo was attended by eight colleges with both performances being a sellout.

The stock came from Parmalee, S.D., and featured Scottish Highlander bulls. In addition to the rodeo a buffalo barbecue and a Rodeo Queen contest were held.

Last year the rodeo was again held at the State Fair Grounds Coliseum. The same colleges were invited with seven schools responding with eligible contestants. That year featured a set of portable bucking chutes which had been built by the students.

Nebraska Wins
Practice rodeo stock was bought by the Club for the first time. This consisted of five bronc horses, two roping calves, and one steer. Nebraska's boys and girls retained seven of nine championships awarded.

The two scholarships initiated the year before were also continued, one going to a junior, and the other to an incoming freshman. The club also sponsored the 4-H horsemanship awards for the state.

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NEBRASKAN SPORTS

Bob and Ray Knaub Give NU Top Brother Combo

By Janet Sack
The Knaub brothers, Ray and Bob, from Scottsbluff both compete in track and both room together, but there the similarity ends.

Bob, a senior in Teachers College, is short and on the stocky side and turns in his best performances in the broad jump and also does some low hurdling.

Ray, on the other hand, is a junior scholastically, but only a freshman athleticly because he transferred from Baylor of the Southwest Conference. The younger Knaub is tall and slender and looks very much like a trackman.

Ray's best events are the 100 and 220-yard dashes. He has times of :09.5 in the 100-yard dash; a :10.3 for the 100-meter dash; a :20.6 for the 220 on the straightaway; a :21.0 for the 220 around a curve; and has run the 440 in :47.3.

Both the Knaub brothers are involved in rigorous training programs. Bob, in preparing for the broad jump, starts getting in shape by many exercises and lots of running and jogging. During this time Bob also runs 100's and 220's to build up speed and endurance.

From Short to Long
"As the season approaches," Bob said, "I take short jumps with a 30-foot run and practice getting into the air. During the season I go through the long run and work on the lift from the board trying to coordinate speed and the lift."

During the season Bob keeps working on the sprints during every workout, but only jumps once a week other than on a meet day.

"If I have to pick out the three most important things in broad jumping I think they would be speed, step and lift from the board, in that order," said Bob. "A good broad jumper has to have all three, but the lift is the key."

The older Knaub's best meet was as a freshman at The University of Colorado in the Rocky Mountain AAU Meet in which he placed second with a leap of 23-3. This leap won the Big Eight frosh outdoor that year.

While competing for the Huskers Bob turned in a 23-8½ leap during the 1961 indoor season and owns a 23-11½ for his best outdoor mark, earned this year.

Co-Captain
A co-captain of the track team Bob has an accumulative average of 6.1. "This is one of my better accomplishments," he said.

When asked how he felt about the University, Bob said, "I hold the school in high esteem."

The younger Knaub also has a demanding training program. Ray runs in the fall for about three months to build up his endurance by running repeat 330's and 440's.

For the outdoor season Ray begins training about the first of January and does endurance work consisting of repeat 330's, 220's and 110's. He practices starts about twice a week at the most.

Ray continues this work from the middle of January until the last of February and then concentrates on sprinting. In March he concentrates on more speed work and does the repeat work at a faster pace.

"I rest only a minimum amount of time during the repeat work," said Ray.

"I walk one and a half to two laps after the 330, a quarter of a lap after the 220 and then run the 110. I do all this running at three-quarter speed."

Gets Out of Blocks
During the season Ray continues doing the repeat runs during the week on Monday through Wednesday and also practices getting out of the blocks. The endurance work always comes after the last part of the scheduled practice.

"The only way to become a champion is through hard work," said Ray. "I've seen many boys have the ability, but fail because they did not train right. By having physical endurance, confidence is gained."

"If a man is in shape, then he has a great psychological advantage over an opponent who is not in shape. Another important factor is being aware of your form. When I run in practice I concentrate on running relaxed and this improves my overall performance, especially in the open quarter when it is important to keep relaxed."

As a high schooler Ray won four gold medals in the Nebraska state track meets. As a senior he set a 100-yard dash record of :09.8 in the preliminaries which still stands. In the finals he took second in :09.9 while running with bronchitis.

As a junior in the 220 around a full curve Ray was timed in :22.0 for first place. He also won the 100 in :09.9 and anchored the 880-yard relay team to a gold medal in 1:32.0.

As a freshman at Baylor Ray was clocked twice in :09.5 for the 100.

Needs Big 8 Okay
In the next four years or so Ray plans to compete for the United States in several meets. The first meet he plans to compete in is the Midwest AAU at Cozad May 30. Before he can compete in this meet Ray has to get clearance from the Big Eight.

On June 24 and 25 in New York City Ray will compete in the National AAU. If he places 1, 2 or 3 in the 100 and/or the 220 he will be eligible to be a member of the U.S. team which meets the Russians in Moscow in July.

The Pan American Games in Sao Paulo, Brazil, in 1963 is another meet in which Ray hopes to represent the United States. Of course the biggest event on the horizon is the 1964 Olympics to be held in Tokyo. Ray hopes to run in these games also.

During the 1960 outdoor season Ray was ranked among the top 50 runners in the U.S. in the 100 and 220. He also ranks among the top 50 runners in the 100-yard dash list for the world, according to Track and Field News.

In the Big Eight indoor frosh postal championships Ray tied the Big Eight record for the 60-yard dash in :06.2. He was also a member of the frosh mile relay team which won over the other Big Eight schools.

Baylor Transfer
Enrolled in the College of Arts and Sciences, Ray earned a 6.3 average for the past semester. Ray transferred from Baylor with a B-plus average. He came to Nebraska because he switched his major from mathematics to commercial art. Baylor does not have a Fine Arts school which offers a Bachelor's degree.

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Eleven Houses Indicate Interest for Rodeo Queen

Eleven organized houses have indicated they will participate in the Rodeo Queen contest being held in conjunction with the Nebraska Intercollegiate Championship Rodeo May 13, according to Zoe Quible, contest chairman.

Houses that have said they plan to take part are Fedde Hall, Burr Hall East, Love Memorial Hall, Sigma Kappa, Kappa Kappa Gamma, Kappa Alpha Theta, Chi Omega, Alpha Xi Delta, Pi Beta Phi, Alpha Omicron Pi and Kappa Delta.

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Couple would like ride to Miami vicinity end of May. Share expenses GR 7-4575 evenings.

IM Golf Tourney Set for Saturday

Intramural golfers will rise and shine at 7:30 a.m. for the intramural spring golf tournament Saturday.

The tournament will consist of 18 holes of medal play on Pioneer golf course.

The six low scores of each organization will determine the placement of the organization for the team championship.

Phi Delta Theta is the returning fraternity champion. Dental College and Manatt are the returning Independent and Selleck champs.

The Phi Deltas have won three of the last four championships. Phi Kappa Psi broke the Phi Deltas string at two in the 1959 tournament.

The tournament is open to all University men. Each player will be required to pay his own green fee at the Pioneer course.

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