

# Husker '9' Meet Ia. State Team In 3 Game Tilt

This is a "must" weekend for the University of Nebraska baseball team if the Huskers are going to make a first division showing in the Big Eight conference baseball race.

"This weekend will decide whether we are going up or down," said NU pilot Tony Sharpe. "We have plenty of tough ones left so any chance we have to move up will be this weekend."

Iowa State is currently tied for seventh in the conference with a 1-8 mark against Big Eight foes. But the Cyclones' three loop series have included Missouri, Colorado and Oklahoma State, three of the toughest teams in the conference.

Sharpe plans to start Ron Havekost (1-2) and Jan Wall (2-1) in the Friday twinbill

although he is undecided in which order. Keith Sieck (2-1) or Ernie Bonistall (0-3) will probably pitch in the Saturday single game for the Huskers.

The probable Husker starting lineup will be: Don Schindler, cf; Dale Anderson, 3t; Larry Bornschlegl, c; Dave May, 1b; Ron Michka, lf; Bonistall, rf; Ron Douglas, 2b; and Tom Ernst, ss.

After fifteen games, there are three Husker regulars at or above the .300 batting average. First baseman May is hitting .396 with 19 safeties in 48 trips to the plate and shares the RBI team leadership with Ernst with nine apiece.

Bornschlegl, sophomore receiver from Geneva, is hitting at a .386 clip and outfielder John Faiman has 12-for-40 for an even .300.

Sieck leads the pitchers with a 1.89 earned run average and is tied with Wall for the most victories. Both right-handers have won two games and lost one.

The 15-game Husker statistics:

HITTING AND FIELDING															
Player	AB	R	H	TS	BB	SO	SI	SA	PO	A	E	F.A.			
Yourssoop	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.000			
May	48	19	29	13	1	1	9	9	105	6	2	.772			
Bornschlegl	44	17	23	10	1	2	0	5	117	9	0	.973			
Singer	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	333	0	0	.000			
Landgren	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	333	0	0	1.000			
D. Havekost	6	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	333	4	0	1.000			
Faiman	40	12	21	10	0	3	1	0	6	300	15	3	1.000		
Wall	12	0	3	3	1	0	0	0	250	4	0	1.000			
Duff	3	0	3	3	1	0	0	0	250	4	0	1.000			
Anderson	53	4	12	15	3	0	0	1	9	5	226	11	23	6	.854
Bonistall	18	4	4	4	0	0	0	0	222	33	23	4	.953		
Douglas	45	10	10	10	0	1	1	8	208	8	0	0	.990		
Michka	48	7	10	18	12	1	0	1	1	167	16	1	.944		
Gilbert	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	200	0	0	0	.000		
Ernst	46	6	9	16	10	2	0	0	9	188	30	3	.911		
Schindler	38	6	6	7	1	0	0	1	1	167	16	1	.944		
Reckman	7	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	153	2	2	2	.900		
Sieck	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.000		
R. Havekost	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.000		
Anderson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.000		
TOTALS	461	66	115	130	11	5	8	9	7	60	249	267	123	31	340

PITCHING RECORD															
Player	CG	W	L	PCT.	IP	H	R	ER	SO	BB	BF	ERA			
Sieck	1	1	0	.500	19	14	4	20	12	0	2	1.89			
Landgren	0	0	2	.000	18	10	6	13	7	0	0	3.00			
Wall	2	1	1	.500	28	27	14	10	38	9	1	2.46			
R. Havekost	2	2	0	1.000	20	15	2	2	20	6	0	3.00			
Bonistall	0	0	1	.000	19	23	32	15	9	14	6	10.412			
Block	0	1	0	1.000	4	4	4	4	1	0	0	4.50			
Ernst	0	0	0	.000	3	7	7	4	2	1	0	3.00			
Kharhoff	0	0	0	.000	2	7	6	4	0	1	0	18.00			
TOTALS	6	6	9	.400	121	23	126	67	50	117	12	4	6	0	3.69

# Golfers Defeat Creighton U

The Nebraska golf team turned in a victory over Creighton University Tuesday at the Pioneer golf course in Lincoln. Husker Frank Scheiner was the top medalist as the Huskers took Creighton, 14-1. Schreiner turned in a 72 to post the medalist victory.

The confusion came when Nebraska's Ed Romjue improperly teed off on a hole and took an unnecessary stroke for it. The correction gave the Huskers a 7 1/2-7 1/2 tie.

The squad won two, lost five and tied two on its spring vacation junket. Nebraska whipped Drake, lost to Washburn and tied Iowa State in duals. The Huskers came out on the short end of a three dual meet with Oklahoma, Kansas and Kansas State at Lawrence but managed to down KU and tie the K-State the next day at Manhattan.

Ed Romjue was praised by Good for his consistent play, stating that scores soared during the trip due to high winds in the meets at Ames and Lawrence.

The Husker golfers next face Kansas State and Oklahoma State in a double dual meet slated for 1 p.m. on Saturday at Pioneers.

Frank Schreiner defeated Fred Werve, 72-78. Tom Tomson defeated Tom Smith, 77-80. Ed Romjue defeated Pete Emanuel, 76-88. Bill Gunlicks defeated Jim LaFont, 76-85. Fred Sukup defeated Dave Blatti, 76-81.

# NU Netters To Face Tough Foes In ISU Double Dual Affairs

The Husker tennis team will face Big Eight opposition this weekend following the Nebraska southern trip last week.

The Husker netters will meet Iowa State and Kansas State in a double dual at Ames on Friday and Saturday after playing Drake at Des Moines Thursday.

Coach Ed Higginbotham will probably take the same five netters who compiled a 2-4 record on the southern trip. These five and their current singles records are: Dick Gibson (3-3); Dave Wohlwarth (3-4); Rick Harley (1-6); Jack Lausterer (1-5); and Jeff Wu (2-5).

The Huskers have won three and lost four for the season thus far. Husker efforts to break even on the trip fell short when Nebraska was edged 4-3 in the final match of the tour at Wichita. Nebraska won its two matches against Emporia State (5-2) and Oklahoma Baptist (4-3). Husker losses were to Tulsa (0-6) and two conference foes — Oklahoma (0-7) and Oklahoma State (0-7)—plus Wichita.

Gibson, still hampered by a pulled stomach muscle, turned in his best performance of the trip when he spilled Wichita's number one man, Chester Anderson, in three sets. Gibson and Wohlwarth split the number one spot for Nebraska on the trip

# Sports Day Tickets

All Sports Day tickets at the University will be good for three events, the intrasquad football game at Seacrest Field at 8 p.m., the baseball game between Missouri and Nebraska at 11 a.m., and the Missouri-Nebraska track meet at 1 p.m. The tickets will cost \$2 this year.

# THINCLADS COMPETE AT DRAKE

Senior Jack Lausterer sparked several Husker number two doubles wins, including a match-deciding victory against Oklahoma Baptist. Lausterer chalked up two doubles wins with Harley and one with Wu.

Nebraska will enter seven relay and 10 individual events at the Drake Relays in Des Moines Friday and Saturday. Sevine will tap the 440 and 880-yard relay teams from Kent McCloughan, Fred Wilke, Steve Pfister, Ray Knaub, Gil Gebo and Vic Brooks.

Mile relay prospects are Gebo, Dick Strand, Clarence Scott, Bill Kenny and Jim Murphy. The two-mile quartet will be chosen from Jim Wendt, John Portee, Ray Stevens, Kenny, Mike Fleming and Gebo.

The combo of Kenny, Knaub, McCloughan and Gebo won the sprint medley at the Kansas Relays in 3:30.7 with Gebo's 1:48.6 anchor. They will probably get the nod this weekend.

NU's four-mile relay team will probably be Mauro Altizio, Portee, Stevens and Fleming with Larry Toothaker as a substitute. Sevine will make up a distance medley team from Kenny, Gebo, Stevens, Fleming, Strand and Portee.

The Husker coach has entered Knaub, McCloughan, and Prister in the open 100. Co-captain Fred Wilke is entered in the 120-yard high hurdles. Fleming, also co-captain, is in the mile against such stars as Deyrol Burleson and John Camien.

Other open entries are: two-mile run, Toothaker; discus and shot put, Roland Johnson; pole vault, Juris Jesifers; high jump, Harry Krebs and Jack Cramer; broad jump and hop, step and jump, Brooks.

# NU Keglers Travel To Big Eight Meet At Kansas University

The University Bowling Team will travel to Lawrence, Kansas this weekend for the Big Eight Bowling Tournament.

The Husker hopes ride on Captain Keith Van Velkinburgh, Phil Schenck, Bob Gant, Dave Morey, and Jim Petrick.

Last year the Husker kegglers finished third. In 1961 Coach Jim Hornby's Huskers won Nebraska's only Big Eight championship.

Nebraska placed fourth in the Big Eight Postal League, behind Oklahoma, Kansas, and Iowa State. Had the Huskers not forfeited nine games because of an ineligible player, they would have finished in a tie for second

# From the Novice Corner ... Here's Sports

It looks as if Nebraska is once again heading into national prominence after a long and somewhat tedious absence. There was a time when Husker teams were known throughout the nation, especially in football where they were considered a national power house.

But it has not been since the early 1950's with Bobby Reynolds that Nebraska has had national recognition in the sport. Now it looks like coach Bob Devaney may be on his way towards building a national powerhouse at home again.

Quarterback Dennis Claridge is considered by many sportswriters across the country as one of the top gridirers in the coming year and rightly so. Already he has been grabbed by the Greenbay Packers as one of their drafts this past year as a junior.

Although Devaney is screaming that he does not have depth at any position, the rest of the conference coaches are grieving about the same thing. If every one of their complaints were taken as the gospel truth, the Big Eight teams will suffer direly this coming autumn.

The way the complaints are thrown back and forth in press releases, it seems that the coaches are staging a contest to see who can scream the loudest or to see who can really pull the wool over whose eyes.

From what I have seen, they are all complaining about lack of depth this year, but most of the teams are returning at least one letterman at each position and most of them report of an excellent yearling team. If only the yearlings come along, then we have it made; this is the lament of the coaches year in and year out.

Spring practice is a poor time to stick my neck out with predictions for the coming year but this is a good time for speculation for the coming grid season.

Two teams are going to be head and shoulders above the rest of the conference this year and the title will depend upon the November battle between Oklahoma and Nebraska when the two meet in Lincoln next November.

Oklahoma will be the team to beat again and Nebraska is the only team that can touch them. The Sooners came up fast last season with the help of their sophomores and after losing to Notre Dame and Texas early in the season, no one stopped them until Alabama blanked them, 17-0 in the Orange Bowl. They have 18 out of 25 lettermen returning, so are sitting pretty in that field.

I look for Oklahoma State to be the conference dark horse this year, under the guidance of new coach Phil Cutchin. From all reports, Cutchin is a fireballer and really driving the team. The Cowboys have always been upset minded and spoiled many a hope of potential first division finishes for conference foes. This year they should come into their own.

Kansas and Missouri are out of the picture this year, mainly due to graduation and Missouri's loss of halfback Johnny Roland. The Huskers should never have lost to the Bengal group last November but the jitters cost them the game. This year the Huskers will be more experienced and should have no trouble dusting them off.

My picks for the year: Oklahoma, Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma State, Missouri, Colorado, Iowa State, and Kansas State.

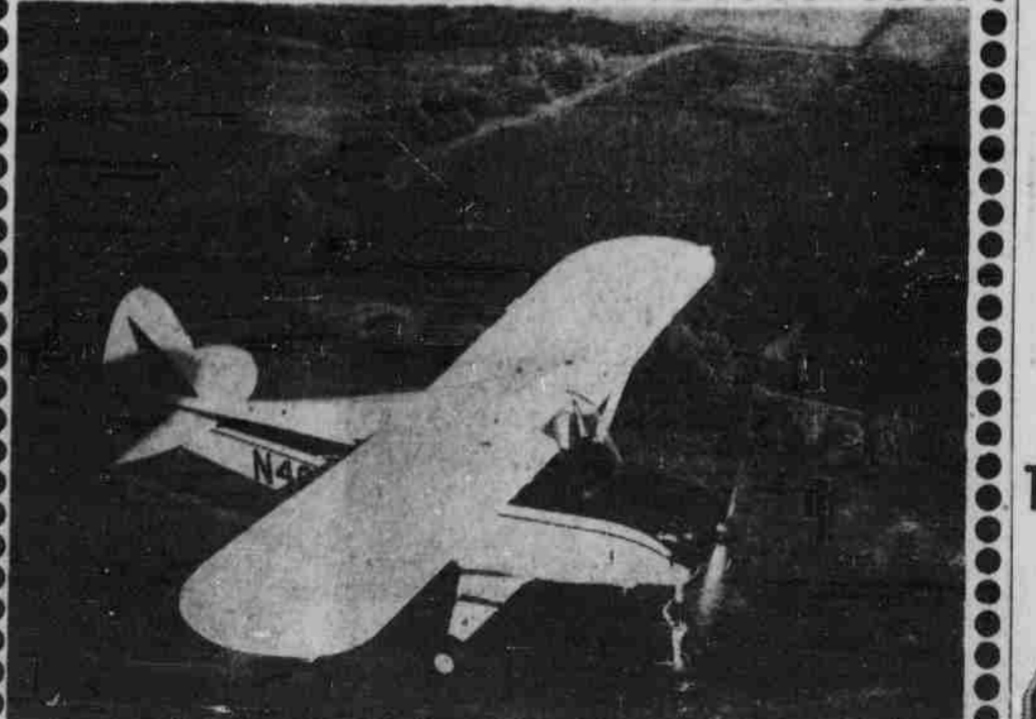
DISAPPOINTMENT OF THE DAY — At the Houston-Nebraska track meet, Laurie Elliot, little brother of ex-miler Herb Elliot, failed to live up to his expectations in the half-mile. Owing a 4:08 mile this season, Elliot switched to the half and could must no better than a third place finish.

Mike Fleming came from behind to edge teammate Ray Stevens at the tape with Elliot finishing nearly 15 yards behind. The time was an unspectacular 1:54.3.

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