

# Sports Capsule

## NATIONAL

The Huskers were toppled by Arkansas in an aerial comeback in the Cotton Bowl to preserve their undefeated record, and later to be named number one in the nation by a group of writers representing the Football Writers Association of America. For this rating, Arkansas received the Grantland Rice Award as the top College team in the Country.

**Comment—Well, who do you give it to? Arkansas did beat Texas, the logical choice.**

In the Rose Bowl, hapless Oregon State was humiliated by a strong Michigan from the Big Ten, 34-7.

**Comment—The West Coast Conference better get with it, and pick the strongest team if they ever expect to defeat the Big Ten. Not picking Southern Cal was ludicrous.**

In the Orange Bowl, Alabama was upset by a strong Texas team, 21-17, but injured Joe Namath almost was the difference as he came off the bench to lead a beautiful passing attack.

**Comment—Namath is great, but \$400,000?**

In the Gator Bowl, Florida State's great passing and defense overwhelmed up-and-down Oklahoma, 36-19.

**Comment—Again Coach Gomer Jones proved he is no head coach when he permitted such callousness on the part of his players that they would even think of signing "undated" contracts.**

The St. Louis Football Cardinals surprised the Green Bay Packers 24-17 in the playoff Bowl.

**Comment—ex-Huskers Pat Fischer and Thunder Thornton were instrumental in the Cardinal win, and ex-Big Eighters Prentice Gault and Willie Crenshaw added prestige.**

In college basketball, only Providence and Indiana remained undefeated among major college basketball teams. Michigan dropped its second one-pointer of the year to St. John's.

**Comment—Look for Michigan to eventually come out on top—they've got the horses.**

In the Pros, the Boston Celtics are virtually unstoppable having won ten straight and sixteen of their last seventeen contests, making the race a walkaway.

**Comment—Someone's going to have to write a musical comedy called "Damn Celtics."**

## REGIONAL

In the Big Eight  
Kansas State 71—Oklahoma 69  
Kansas 66—Nebraska 56  
Missouri 63—Colorado 58  
Oklahoma State 54—Iowa State 52

**Comment—The Big Eight race is looking tighter all the time.**

World Herald's Gregg McBride criticized Nebraska's pass defense in his column Tuesday, saying:

"It is hoped that by next New Year's Day the varsity will have come up with a defense against the forward pass..."

**Comment—Ted Vactor and Larry Wacholz are as fine a pair of defensive backs as one could hope to find on a college team, and Nebraska's pass defense this year was vastly improved over the previous year.**

Don Pierce, Kansas Sports Publicity Director, died as result of injuries sustained in an automobile accident on New Year's Eve.

Kent McCloughan, Husker halfback and track sprint man, denied Associated Press reports that he had signed with the Oakland Raiders of the American Football League.

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## SPORTS PAGE

# Daily Nebraskan

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## The PEG-BOARD Matmen Hit By Holidays

Now that everyone is concerned for the poor college grid player and how to save him from the too-early clutches of the pro leagues, I have to offer my favorite story on eligibility.

It was with extreme amusement that I read the story of Florida State's punter who was in his sixth year of college—with no red-shirting.

Not that I condone a player trying to play more than his allotted number of years, but you have to give the guy a certain amount of credit for having the desire and drive to want to play a year or two longer. I mean, it is my understanding that college football has an awful lot of work connected with it. You have to admire the guy for even having the fortitude to attend classes for that long. I know, I'm a senior.

The whole thing called to mind a story that occurred about thirty years ago. (This is reported more or less accurately, you understand. Obviously I have had to rely on second-hand coverage and my source may have embellished the tale a little over the years.)

Even in 1934, it was pretty hard for a 5'9", 140-pound guy to make a go of it in college football.

So, upon high school graduation, the hero of this tale decided to stay out of school a year. He wanted to put on weight and let his muscles harden into maturity. Leaving the small Nebraska town, he went to live with relatives in Texas.

The summer passed. Our hero had been a pretty fair tailback and hoped to play the same position in college in another year.

Meanwhile, a signal caller (tailbacks before the advent of T quarterbacks did literally everything but block and tackle) couldn't, really shouldn't let his trade go to waste.

Our hero decided the local high school could use his talents and enrolled as a transfer student. A tailback can't let himself get rusty, you understand.

Well, our hero fit nicely into the coach's plans and he played a few games for his new school. Actually, he never really lied to the school. He merely told them he wanted to enroll in classes and he very honestly wrote down his hometown high school as the last one attended. He just didn't say he had graduated. When the school got his records, he was promptly dismissed, much to the chagrin of the typing teacher who thought him a veritable genius at the machine when he could type fifty words a minute the third week of class.

Tales like this always end happily. Our hero enrolled at a small midwestern college the following year and did indeed make good as a tailback. He was captain of the football team his senior year and was an all-conference selection. He now is a successful businessman in his old hometown.

How do I know? He's my father.

## Matmen Hit By Holidays

Nebraska matmen will take on Colorado State College today at 7:30 p.m.

Some of the grapplers are hard pressed to lose weight since the holiday season fattened them up on Christmas dinners.

**Rich Kerr has been having the most weight difficulty on the squad.**

Kerr wants to lose 31 pounds by Friday to wrestle at 137 against Colorado State College at 7:30 p.m. in the Coliseum. He's even shedding teeth.

At Missouri Kerr snapped a bridge plate supporting a front tooth and he's ecstatic about it. "After all, it's a quarter of a pound," he explains, vowing to never shove it back in until after the season.

**Another troublesome tooth is aiding the diet (which will probably leave him at 147).**

"When they were drilling a tooth, they caught a nerve and now I can't eat anything real cold or real hot. All I have to eat is some pieces of meat," Kerr said.

The bridge-plated tooth was originally dislodged during his freshman baseball days last year. During a practice rundown, a pitcher caught Kerr and there a front tooth lay. "He didn't know I was so close," he recounted.

The Washington, N.J. lad came to Nebraska from the urging of his coach John Gales, a personal friend of NU athletic director Tippy Dye. As a prep, Kerr was second in New Jersey his senior year, fourth as a freshman.

The Huskers will take a 1-0-1 dual record against Colorado State College and Wyoming Saturday, also at 7:30 p.m. in the Coliseum. They whipped Missouri, 25-5, and tied Kansas State, 14-14, before the holidays.

## Social Life Slow After New Years

The troops have returned from the battle and all seems relatively quiet on the home front.

### TODAY

Alpha Tau Omega-Alpha Phi pledge hour dance, 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.  
Delta Tau Delta - Delta Gamma pledge hour dance, 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.  
Towne Club-Brown Palace card party, 7:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

### TOMORROW

Alpha Phi formal, 8 p.m. to 11 p.m., Lincoln Hotel.  
Alpha Xi Delta Rose formal, 7 p.m. to midnight, Lincoln Hotel.

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# Huskers Test Cowboys For First Road Win

Will they, or will they not? This will be the big question as the Husker basketballers head for Oklahoma in search of their first win on the road this weekend.

5-7 record with six of these losses coming on foreign hardwood.

"The law of averages has got to be with us... Sooner or later we're bound to win one the road," he commented.

**Joe Cipriano's forces hold a**

"We feel that we are down a few points when we play on the road with so many young players, and when we get into those shooting lapses, it really hurts. It's one of the things you have to expect from inexperience."

Saturday, Oklahoma State hosts in a regionally televised game in which the Huskers will be trying to even up the 74-61 thrashing meted out by the Cowboys in the Big Eight tournament.

The game is scheduled for 1:35 p.m., but the television play-back won't begin until 4:00 due to programming conflict.

State is now 8-4 after a thrilling comeback against Iowa State, 54-52. Their top scorer so far is forward Jim King who stands about 6-5.

After Saturday's tussle, the Huskers move into Norman with the 4-6 Sooners for a game on Monday.

OU finished sixth in the Big Eight tourney as they lost to Oklahoma State in the final game. Bob Stevens' men played a shooting game with a lot of fast break.

Three guards will see plenty of action: Butch Roberts, Tom Flood and Mike Rooney, as experienced forwards Jim Gatewood and Fred Fleetwood team up with 6-5 Dave Barrett to form a tough front wall.

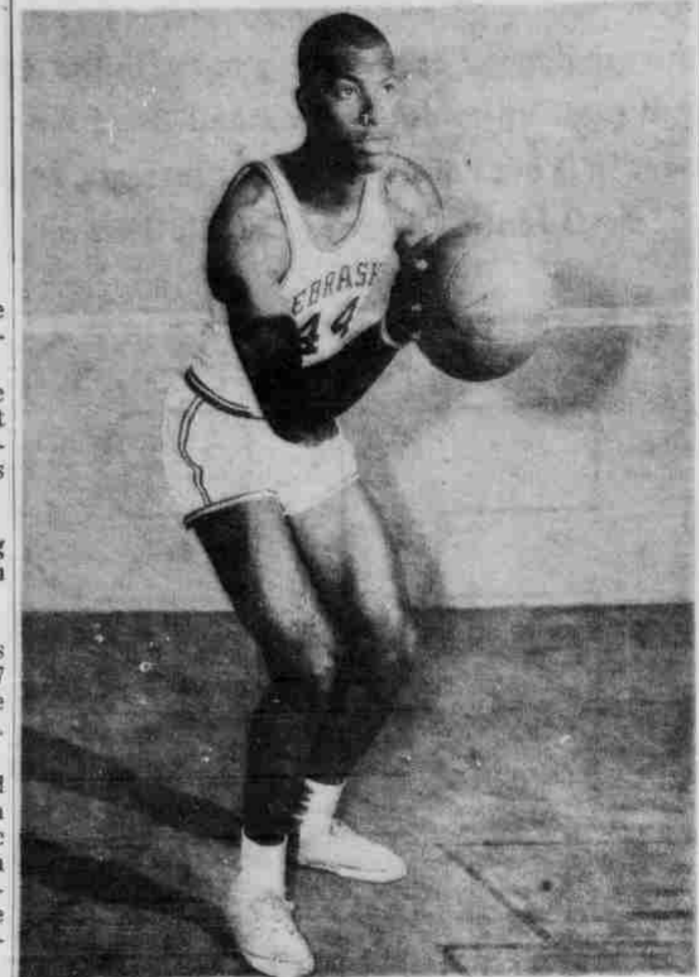
Tip-off time at the Oklahoma fieldhouse is 8:05.

The Huskers should be up to full strength as most of the flu-ridden players have recovered fully and Bob Antulov's ankle has improved considerably from the tournament sprain.

Coley Webb and Nate Branch will start off at forwards for the Huskers.

Guard Fred Hare, the leading scorer with an 18.4 average and Grant Simmons join Antulov to round out the first five.

Let's hope the law of averages comes through for the Huskers this weekend, the Sooner the Cowboys, the better.



**NATE BRANCH . . .** This sophomore dazzler has been pleasing and amazing the crowds at the Coliseum. He presently sports a 10.1 points per game average which is third high on the team.



## New Dorm Erected At Penn

A former University of Pennsylvania coed calls a Women's Residence dormitory, built for a communal atmosphere, more of a nightmare than an ideal dormitory.

The University has spent \$73 million in 12 years and plans another six-year development program to cost \$93 to create "a showplace metropolitan campus."

With the possibility in mind that the resident student might come to feel insignificant and "lost in the crowd," the University asked Eero Saarinen to create a women's residence in which girls would learn to share and work out their problems cooperatively.

Lynn Baron, a former coed at the University, concluded in an article in "Mademoiselle" magazine, that, functionally, it is a lemon, failing to do what it was intended.

Aesthetically, the dorm is regarded as a prison. The lines are severe, and the building is approached by a steel walkway resembling a drawbridge. Curving spikes fringe the tops of the outer wall, giving the dorm the name, "La Bastille."

Inside, the rooms are identical, small, and painted a glossy hospital white. Every other room has a medieval slit, instead of a window, precluding the entry of light and air necessary to effective study.

Like many new dormitories, the women's residence seems to provide no place or opportunity for solitude; no means for the expression of individuality, or eccentricities. There is no place to relax informally, nor space to do exercises in, or "to dump things carelessly"—in a word, to live.

## Campus Calendar

**Today**  
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT will meet, 12-15 p.m., Pawnee Room, Student Union.  
PLACEMENT OFFICE LUNCHEON, 12:30 p.m., 241 Student Union.  
A. P. H. A., 1:30 p.m., Student Union Auditorium.  
JAZZ 'N JAVA, 4 p.m., Student Union Crib.  
J.U.D.O., 7 p.m., Student Union conference rooms.  
**WEEKEND MOVIE**, "From the Terrace," 7 p.m., Student Union Auditorium.  
PALLADIAN LITERARY SOCIETY, 7:30 p.m., 332 Student Union.  
FSNCC meeting, 4:30 p.m. in room 126 Andrews.  
**Tomorrow**  
TOUR TO BOYS' TOWN. The chartered bus will leave Ag Union at 9 a.m. Cost is one dollar.

## Basketball Telecast Postponed Until 4 PM

The Nebraska - Oklahoma State game which was scheduled to be televised live at 1:35 p.m. this Saturday will be shown instead by video tape at 4 p.m.  
Due to the North-South football game's being played at the same time, the telecast was changed.



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## Graduation was only the beginning of Jim Brown's education



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Jim Brown, Northwestern University, '62, came with Western Electric because he had heard about the Company's concern for the continued development of its engineers after college graduation. Jim has his degree in industrial engineering and is continuing to learn and grow in professional stature through Western Electric's Graduate Engineering Training Program. The objectives and educational philosophy of this Program are in the best of academic traditions, designed for both experienced and new engineers. Like other Western Electric engineers, Jim started out in this Program with a six-week course to help in the transition from the classroom to industry. Since then, Jim Brown has continued to take courses that will help him keep up with the newest engineering techniques in communications. This training, together with formal college engineering studies, has given Jim the ability to develop his talents to the fullest extent. His present responsibilities include the solution of engineering problems in the manufacture of moly-permalloy core rings, a component used to improve the quality of voice transmission. If you set the highest standards for yourself, enjoy a challenge, and have the qualifications we're looking for—we want to talk to you! Opportunities exist now for electrical, mechanical and industrial engineers, and for physical science, liberal arts and business majors. For more information, get your copy of the Western Electric Career Opportunities booklet from your Placement Officer. And be sure to arrange for an interview when the Bell System recruiting team visits your campus.

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