Baack Sets Sophomore Record

By James Pearse

It promised to be anti-climactic, Nebraska was vir-

tually out of the Big Eight

race after their loss at Colo-

rado, fans were coming in

painfully slow at 7:00, and

most students were favoring

hour exams over one more

look at this year's Husker

But then the PA announcer

asked everyone to join in sing-

ballers put on an extra dunk-

By game time there was a

The three senior's (Al

and the band again played

some of that birthday song

for the departing Husker

The crowd, now nearly 5500,

Oklahoma State started the

until almost two and half

The first basket was by Tom

scoring record with 25 points.

The crowd picked this up and

started pulling for the 6'5"

break the Nebraska sophomore half of the Huskers five.

minutes had elapsed

press.

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Wrestlers Broken Into New Weight Divisions

(177) from Oklahoma State, Reding (152). Bob Buzzard (137) from Iowa tions in the middle of the and one third-team represenranks, 145, 152, 160, it will be tative. The Sooners show one fenders will go this year.

ment of weights perhaps the Buzzard (145) rank as leadbest criterion for predicting ers while Tom Peckham (177). the Big Eight wrestling cham- defending national champion

Seven of the mid-season all-Americans and 10 of the second and third team members come from the Big Eight. This is just over half the total honored by the publica-tion, edited by Jess Hoke.

If this is used as a guide, Oklahoma State, winner of

By Bob Flas

Hall championship Monday

40-39 in an overtime period.

out most of the game, but

managed to knot the score at

in the scoring race as he col-

and Don Delaney with 9.

came to a close.

Rogers had trailed through-

Jerry Patton was out ahead ketball action.

Eight Championships - Tad- team members are Tadaaki ference's history for the sport. up with some lively music, aaki Hatta (115), YoJiro Ue- Hatta (115), Grady Sells (123), take (130), and Bill Harlow Gene Davis (137), and Mike

feated for the year and Ruth hit the century level.

in the All-University cham-

Abel Subdues Seaton

night 54-46 in intramural bas-

Abel lead by only one point

Scoring leaders for Glenn the third and fourth quarters. 7:00 Rogers vs Abel XII A

ly widened their lead during championship)

lead the Abel Hall champions (winner Dents, Misfits)

36-36 23 the fourth quarter Seaton II team Wednesday and Harry Wilson with 12.

Rogers won the Cather A to determine who will play points.

Rogers will meet Abel XII | in scoring with 16 and 15

Five individual champions (130), Fred Fozzard (177), year, but this is not the longing happy birthday to Grant return from last year's Big and Bill Harlow (191). Thirdest winning skein in the Consumons, the band lossened Oklahoma rolled to e i g h t the pon-pon girls began to dance, and Nebraska basketstraight, beginning in 1950. Both Iowa State and Okla- Iowa State ended that string ing exhibition. State, and Greg Ruth (167) home have two on the top list. In 1958. In the 32 years of the from Oklahoma-but because The Cyclones, however, come wrestling championships, Ok- kind of carnival atmosphere of the new weight classifica- up with two second-team spots lahoma has won 16 of the surrounding this last game of team trophies, while I o w a ball season. hard to guess where the de- runner-up and two third-unit State and Oklahoma State members. From Iowa State, have six each. Kansas State Reiners, Coley Webb, and Because of this new align- Ernie Gillum (115) and Bob has won three times and Ne- Simmons) were introduced braska once.

In winning last year, Oklapion this year might be to at that weight, and Don Buz- homa State scored 110 team captain. take a look at the mid-season zard (191), were picked on points, more than ever beindividual rankings supplied the second team. Vic Marcu- fore in Conference history. Came alive. by Amateur Wrestling News. cci (160) is on the third team. The Pokes, in 1964, also game slowly and the Huskers Oklahoma's first-teamers crossed the 100 point mark are Bill Lam (160) and Greg (103) for the only other time did not break into the scoring Ruth (167). Both are under the Big Eight champion has

is the defending 167 NCAA The split for the individual champion. The second-t e a m titles a tthe NCAA last year spot went to Wayne Wells showed Iowa State with two (152). Third-team places be- (Veryl Long and Tom Pecklong to Dickie Haxel (145) and ham), Oklahoma State with the last five Conference titles, Luke Sharpe (heavyweight). ham), Okianoma State, three (Tadaaki Hatta, YoJiro team spots and four third-unit Oklahoma State is after its Uetake, and Jack Brisco), and

Tournament Schedule

Wednesday, March 9

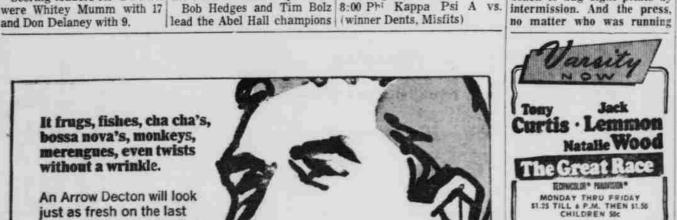
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Fort Wayne, Indiana youth. The Huskers applied the positions. All-Americas for sixth straight Big Eight Oklahoma with one (Greg the Pokes are YoJiro Uetake wrestling championship this Ruth). **Intramural Basketball** supplying the fire power for race of their work and

> had the Cowboy machine fum-Seaton, who had two men bling for its guns. ejected from the game, was Using all the seniors and lead in the scoring departmost of the rest of his bench Abel XII A beat a roudy ment by Ben Gregory with 16 coach Joe Cipriano had his Huskers out in front 43-32 at

the half Baack was halfway to his record as Grant-Simmons was going out in great style lected 23 points for Rogers, at the end of the first quar- 5:00 Phi Kappa Psi B vs. as his fast hands continually Bill Parker got 10 for the win- ter and at halftime, but slow- Abel XII B (University B nabbed stray Cowboy passes.

Fred Hare had some off the bench to bag eight points by intermission. And the press, no matter who was running



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bit faster. With radio announcers eating cotton candy and Okla- Huskers. homa State players chatting with the ice cream man, I was back to basketball action.

The second half sarted slowly, as did the first. But when Baack hit the first Husker points of the second stanza with 16:36 to go the hulking old "barn" came alive with excitement.

During the next two minutes | Huskers out in front 79-60. with the devastating press scattering the paterned Cowboys from here to stillwater, Nebraska put home 15 points and burst into a 58-36 advantage.

The relentless pace continued and the happy Husker followers were rising with the

As Baack neared the record the Huskers began to set him up. Simmons and Willie Campbell were hawking the ball from Iba's boys before the Cowboys even had a chance to handle it, getting it twice on the five second inbounds rule. Hare and Jim Damm,

Stuart Lantz and Reiners, Nate Branch and Webb, and little midget Ron Simmons all were chipping in points or it, took its toll as Oklahoma pressure to the cause.

Baack. The sophomore could State had ten misques at the Climaxes to this climactic game began with the depar-The 5500 were enjoying ture of Grant Simmons with every minute of this finale to 3:15 remaining. The Omaha the greatest season in four senior, invaluable to the Husdecades of Husker basketball. kers this season, left as the The crowd cheered its third leading scorer in Husker entire night. After the slow start, Nebraska pulled out to ping pon-pon girls closed out history (he had 22 on his final night) and left some a 15-7 lead at the 13:00 their season with some half-mighty big Converse All-Stars minute mark. minute mark.

Simmons and Baack were act with the crowd making a captain. Then the other seniors, the Huskers, while the press cheering for their favorite to Reiners and Webb left. The

brush the boards just a little Simmons, rose to their feet again and roared their appreciation to the graduating

Then, with the crowd still cheering continuously, Baack stepped dangerously close to Al Maxey's sophomore scor-

the 1958-59 season. At 1:42 the lanky, unassuming young man from Indiana split the cords and tied the record, while sending the

ing record of 384 points in

Hare, who replaced Lantz, mid-court Hare waved Baack things, like civil rights. to the basket, took a couple dribbles and hit Baack with

The record breaking shot ball rimmed away.

Would he get another

With :47 seconds to go in

As the 5500 stood and waited, record.

With the score 82-62, Baack tleneck shirt. departed, 26 points to his COLLEGE SKIING IS "the the bench, weary from his skis and poles-while on to p

it was. Slow at the start, in- plus store. creasing in momentum with each game until Nebraska IN sport, according to SKI burst onto the Big Eight scene Magazine. Give it a try—if at the conference tourney, going into the finals before falling to Kansas. crowd which had stood for

College Skiing

Everyone on campus from the fraternity sweetheart queen to the physics major has heard the "Happiness is" sayings

SKI Magazine has now come along and defined what College Skiing is . . . for the educated skier and propec-

tive ski buff. In its current issue-which is devoted primarily to col-lege skiing and includes an is-sue - within - an - issue by the Harvard Lampoon-SKI feels it has culled some of the best off-beat answers to the "College Skiing is . . ." question.

COLLEGE SKIING IS taking advantage of any situabrought the ball up the court tion, and keeping your good on the following series. At behavior for the bigger

COLLEGE SKIING IS the Ohio State freshman who took off for the winter quarter in order to become a folk singwas no good, but Baack had ing ski bum; then took off the been fouled. The leading free spring quarter to become a thrower in the Big Eight ski bum; then took off the stepped to line, fired, and the summer quarter to become a

COLLEGE SKIING IS the southern girl who had never seen snow before she took her the contest Baack again was first ski week; eloped with fouled. You dont excape twice the ski school director and from free throw accuracy like never again crossed the Mason-Dixon Line.

COLLEGE SKIING IS the the tired Baack sent home girl who wears a pearl chokjust one, but two free er with her lowcut dresses to throws and erased a Husker a formal dance to cover the tan line created by her tur-

credit. He was met by his fel- look" from the knees downlow Huskers as he reached the most expensive boots, effort, but smiling.

And that's the kind of year tion from the local army sur-

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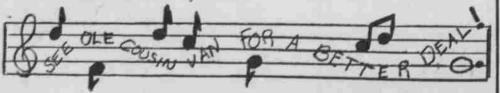
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