

Rood Awakening

By MICK ROOD

Actually, for those non-believers in the crowd, Daily Nebraskans do make good eating. Encouraged by compliments of last Thursday's Missouri prediction, I've been eating my words just as I hoped I would have to.

Unfortunately, the second correction of the misprinted guess did not make the deadline. It was to read 129-0 for Nebraska, 9-2 or 12-9. Munch, munch, munch.

Happily, the worst prediction was accompanied by the best Husker showing in the Devaney Era. And there were many games to compare the Tiger devastation to. The Kansas victory in 1962, the post-assassination day win over Oklahoma or the Wisconsin victory in 1965.

On another, more pleasant topic, do you want to see New Orleans in January? Of course your feelings don't amount to a hill of Rood predictions, but if given a chance, the Nebraska team may well favor a trip to that city for a repeat against supposed foe, Alabama. The whole bowl setup might be compared to political elections—the teams being the candidates and the bowl victory being election to office.

Candidates stump the country with far-flung schedules to convince voters, bowl committee members. Polls rate the rivals with varying efficiency until primary time rolls around (the Monday after the ninth game in football's case.)

As in politics, football team spokesmen remain very noncommittal as to whether they are going to play at all. Some good candidates (Notre Dame, for instance), won't play unless the No. 1 office is going to be decided.

Our campaign manager, Sports Information Director Don Bryant, must pour lavish praise on his candidate and yet remain discreet. He or party chairman Devaney cannot reveal whether the candidate has the delegates (bowl committee) in his pocket.

Finally, the delegates caucus and select a candidate. He must be balanced, passing and rushing. He must have mass appeal. He must have a good TV appearance. It helps to have support in the polls. It helps to have a good campaign record (bowl record).

As the candidate nears election (bowl) time, he campaigns hard on his home ground and then journeys to the far reaches of his jurisdiction (like maybe Brownsville, Texas) to campaign (workout).

Sometimes the candidate is accused of spending too much money and of practicing patronage (starting jobs), but he always counters by saying, "Look at all the money I have brought into our district. I put our area on the map."

Finally, comes election night. There are parades and complete TV coverage. (Maybe the computers will guess bowl outcomes this year as well as elections. Several weeks this year they would have broken down trying.)

Football, like political campaigns, is the American Way—whatever the hell that is.

Next is Kansas. The Jayhawks have been able to give Nebraska tense times two out of the last three years. A key interception turned the 1963 tide by a 23-9 score and Gale Sayers kneed a pass out of his hands to make a 14-7 margin stand up in 1964.

Last year, the task was easier. In a game not dissimilar from the 40-16 win Lawrence in 1962, the Huskers out-lined the Jayhawks 42-6.

History seems to show an early blitz will make things easy over Kansas. This season's NU performance backs that up.

I see it—munch, munch—NEBRASKA 28 KANSAS 0.

Intramurals

Football Results Wednesday, Nov. 2

W Cornhuskers vs. Delta Sigma Pi A
Sigma Chi B 26, Sigma Alpha Epsilon B6
Abel VI 12, Abel IV 8
Abel VII 1, Abel I 0 (forfeit)
Abel II 7, Abel III 0
Burners I, Navy 0 (forfeit)

Devine Flips Ball To Sports Editor

What are you gonna tell them, after they've seen Nebraska crush your football team, 35-0? Coach Dan Devine of Missouri opened his Sunday night television show over a St. Louis station with a thin smile, and this greeting: "Welcome to the Bob Broeg Show."

Broeg, sports editor of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, has been co-host on the weekly show for the past two years.

Football Schedule Friday, Nov. 4 City Campus E Delta Tau Delta A vs. Sigma Chi A W Dirty Old Men vs. Mousers East Campus E Alpha Gamma Rho A vs. FarmHouse A C Beta Sigma Psi B vs. Alpha Gamma Rho B

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Triangle Wins Tennis

A total of 32 teams and 120 participants competed in the recently completed intramural singles tennis tournament.

The tournament team winner was Triangle with a total of 80 points. Second was Phi Gamma Delta with 70 points and third was Phi Delta Theta with 56 points.

The All-University individual champion was Triangle's Bill Roberts.

FLIGHT WINNERS
1st Flight Bill Roberts Triangle
2nd Flight Bob Harburt Phi Delta Theta
3rd Flight Tom Wiese Beta Theta Phi
4th Flight Tim Ash Phi Gamma Delta
5th Flight Pat Ash Phi Gamma Delta
6th Flight Dick Hall Beta Theta Phi
TEAM POINTS FORFEITS
Triangle 80 0
Phi Gamma Delta 70 4
Phi Delta Theta 56 2
Beta Theta Phi 50 2
Scabs 41 1
Abel VII 40 3
Theta XI 38 3
Carson 30 0
Abel I 30 0
Ginn 27 1
Ag Men 21 0
Delta Upsilon 20 1
Delta Tau Delta 20 1
Pike 14 1
Abel X 10 0
Brown Palace 10 0
Penn 10 0
Acacia 10 0

Van Galder Bonanza Nears Big 8 Record

The oldest Big Eight Conference football record still possible to break is in serious jeopardy this week after Iowa State's Tim Van Galder hit a passing bonanza last week, moving to within 347 yards of Paul Christman's career throwing standard.

Van Galder spun a web around 242 aerial yards against Oklahoma State, the best single game effort in the Conference this year, to put his career passing total at 2,793. Just 346 more will tie Christman's total of 3,139 for Missouri in 1938-39-40.

Van Galder has three more games to go, meaning he will have to average 116 a game to become No. 1. That is 30 yards a game under his seven-game 1966 pace—he has hit for 1,021, which gives him the Conference's best this week. Last week's leader, Bob Churchich of Nebraska, now has 873.

The passing outburst also pushed Van Galder by another Big Eight milestone—3,000 career total yards. The Spider's three-year total now stands at 3,015, making him the ninth man in league history to hit the 3,000 level. On the season, his total offense figure stands at 1,085, over 250 more than Oklahoma's Bob Warmack (832).

For Van Galder, the 242 game was his fourth over

220 yards, putting him in a class by himself, too. Three of his efforts—the 242, plus 293 against Kansas State and 255 against New Mexico last year, are listed among the 10 best Conference single-game totals.

A quick comparison with Christman, who had two 200-plus games during his three seasons, shows that Van Galder holds a career per-game edge of 111.5 to 101. Christman, however, averaged almost seven yards a pass, while Van Galder is a yard under that figure. Christman was also more accurate, hitting 45 per cent of his throws with the "fatter" ball. Van Galder connects 43 per cent of the time.

Almost certain to become a record breaker before Van Galder, however, is his primary target, Eppie Barney, who has now caught 35 this year. This leaves him just three short of another Iowa Stater's career record, the 79 receptions mark held by Jim Doran (1948-50). Ten more catches would also give Barney the season record of 44 currently held by Missouri's Hal Burnine.

Barney caught six more Saturday for 107 yards as he retrieved his receiving-yardage lead while holding command in total receptions. His 35 for the year equals his 1965 production.

LEADING PASSERS
Comp. Att. Pct. Yds. Int. Net Gain TD
Player and School
Tim Van Galder (Iowa State) 79 161 472 12 1021 3
Bob Churchich (Nebraska) 72 131 549 6 873 3
Bob Warmack (Oklahoma) 62 77 545 3 606 3
Bill Nussak (Kansas State) 55 69 417 6 413 1
Bernie McCall (Colorado) 50 61 459 7 367 6
Gary Kombruk (Missouri) 29 63 239 7 355 6
Dan Kelly (Colorado) 26 54 481 5 348 2
Vic Castillo (Kansas State) 28 61 444 6 296 0
Ronnie Johnson (Oklahoma State) 31 74 419 3 296 1

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Frosh Shift NU Lineup For Kansas

Injuries have caused some reshuffling of the Nebraska freshman squad that meets Kansas at Lawrence's Memorial Stadium at 2:30 p.m. today.

Fullback Phil Vassar, of Uniontown, Pa., who is sidelined with an injury, will be replaced by Lincoln Pius X graduate Kim Wheeler. Dave McGhee of Flint, Mich., is another change in the frosh line-up.

McGhee has been moved to defensive middle guard by Coach John Melton. McGhee, who weighs near 275 pounds, will replace Larry Clark of Oshkosh, Wis.

Coach Melton, asked about the team's attitude after last week's 13-12 loss to Missouri, said, "Their spirit is all right. They realize what has to be done." What the team has to be done is to win their second game of the season. The first was a 40-13 drubbing of Kansas State in Lincoln.

Romjue, Walter Pace IM Golfers

Milt Romjue of Beta Theta Pi and Chuck Walter, Brown Palace tied for the championship of the intramural golf tournament which ended last Sunday.

Romjue and Walter each shot a low three round total of 219. Kim Tyler, an independent, was next in line with a 222 total and third was Franklin Rose of Gus III with 224.

A total of 126 golfers entered the tournament but only 20 played the required three rounds.

Individual Standings
Milt Romjue, Beta Theta Pi 219
Chuck Walter, Brown Palace 219
Kim Tyler, Independent 222
Franklin Rose, Gus III 224
John Alencenbin, Phi Delta Theta 228
Tom Pratt, Phi Delta Theta 231
John Brownlee, Beta Theta Pi 233
Ron DeJelson, Phi Gamma Delta 237
Mac McConnell, Phi Gamma Delta 237
Jim Lenz, Triangle 239
Bob Baldwin, Independent 239
Tom Hassel, Phi Gamma Delta 241
Bob Brown, Beta Theta Pi 241
Tom O'Hara, Phi Delta Theta 243
Dan Gatto, Phi Delta Theta 243
John Bell, Settlec 244
Russ Eisenhart, Chi Phi 245
Dick Fontane, Phi Gamma Delta 246
Gary Volk, Beta Theta Pi 249
Larry Mowery, Delta Upsilon 253
FINAL TEAM STANDINGS
Beta Theta Pi 4 men 945
Phi Delta Theta 4 men 845
Phi Gamma Delta 4 men 853
Brown Palace 1 man 219
Gus III 1 man 224
Triangle 1 man 239
Settlec 1 man 244
Chi Phi 1 man 245
Delta Upsilon 1 man 253

SI Honors Abel

George P. Abel of Lincoln is among the ex-collegiate football players who are this year honored by their alma maters with nominations for Sports Illustrated's Silver Anniversary All-America Awards.



Defensive end Langston Coleman has green light for Nebraska-Kansas game.

KU To Pose Pass Threat For Traveling Huskers?

By Bob Flasnick Sports Editor

Husker coach Bob Devaney said Thursday that Kansas might go to the air in their attempt to derail Nebraska in the Jayhawk's Homecoming Game Saturday.

"They might try to go to a wide open type of game and throw the ball around," said Devaney. The Husker mentor noted that quarterback Bill Fenton has been moved up to direct the Jayhawk attack.

"Fenton is a good passer," said Devaney. "I know last year when he played quarterback he threw the ball quite a bit."

The little 155-pounder filled in for Bob Skahan in the 1965 season when Skahan was injured. He completed 34 passes for 500 yards during the year. Now that Skahan is again injured and out for the season, Fenton has again been called on to direct the Jayhawks. He is getting the nod over Omaha's Dave Buda for Saturday's game.

If Kansas is able to generate an effective air game it will be something new for them. They have completed 39 of 93 passes so far this year for 490 yards. Their opponents have hit 79 of 134 attempts for 949 yards against a weak Jayhawk pass defense.

Saturday's contest will be the 25th appearance for Nebraska at a Kansas Homecoming. KU grads probably wish the school would find someone else to play when they migrate back to the Lawrence campus as Nebraska holds a one-sided 20-3-1 margin in the past frays.

The only Jayhawk homecoming victories against Nebraska were 29-7 in 1958; 27-7 in 1948 and 20-0 in 1944. Devaney said Langston Coleman will be on hand Saturday as Nebraska tries to stretch their winning margin the defensive right end was running lame at mid-week but got the green light after Wednesday's practice. Coleman so far this year has made 13 tackles and has 21 assists along with one fumble recovery.

Devaney said he was more than happy with the team's comeback win at Colorado and their 35-0 pasting of Missouri, but he doesn't want his team to stand still. "We hope they can keep improving," he said. "As a team goes along the desire of the coaching staff is always for them to get better. Very seldom does a team stand still—they either get better or they get worse."

Injured Ron Kirkland and Dennis Richnaffsky will again be out of action this week according to Devaney. He said they should be ready for Oklahoma State November 12th.

The Huskers will headquarters at the Town House Hotel in Kansas City, Kan. They will leave by plane Friday at 7:30 p.m. and will bus from Kansas City to Lawrence Saturday morning.

PROBABLE STARTERS
Nebraska Defense
LE Dennis Morrison
LT Jerry Patton
RG Wayne Mervan
RT Carey Suth
RE Langston Coleman
LLB Lynn Sembeck
RLB Rick Coleman
LCB Mary Mueller
RCB Kaye Carstens
LS Dennis Thoresen
LTB Larry Wachholtz
Kansas Defense
LE Bruce Peterson
LT Larry Barnett
MG Bill Wohlford
RT Larry Berber
RE John Zook
RG Harold Montgomery
LT Heily Kammermeier
QB Bill Fenton
RB Dan Shanklin
HB Rick Abernathy
RH Junior Higgins
S Tommy Ball
FB Bill Hunt

Game Time: 1:30 p.m., Central Standard Time. Radio Stations: Nebraska stations carrying the game will be KFAB, Omaha; KLIN (and network), Lincoln; KFOR (and network), Lincoln.

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