

# Re Marks

by Mark Gordon  
Sports Editor

Lincoln may be the heartland of Cornhusker football enthusiasm, and there will probably be 65,000 football-hungry spectators on the 10th Street mansion but Saturday's game hardly excites the imagination.

Inside, eagerly anticipating Nebraska's second game of the infant season with an unknown University of Utah team, most fans are trying to secure enough funds to jump on a plane to either South Bend, Ind., Minneapolis or Champaign, Ill.

WITH THE national spotlights on both Oklahoma's meeting with Notre Dame; O. J. Simpson and his playmates from Southern California's game with Minnesota's defending Big Ten co-champions; and regional attention on darkhorse Kansas' battle with the University of Illinois, Saturday's Nebraska-Utah contest is relegated to second-class status.

The Redskins will not prove to be the pushover Nebraska fans are anticipating, but we don't feel they will dish out the trouble last week's WAC squad from Wyoming handed Nebraska.

Besides Saturday's 2 p.m. Memorial Stadium encounter, all Big Eight teams are in action. After splitting last week's two-game slate, let's try this Saturday's games, which may prove to be the closest contests all season.

**NOTRE DAME OVER OKLAHOMA** — Even with quarterback Bob Warmack, probably the finest OU passer, and backs Steve Owens and Eddie Hinton, OU will fall to the Irish at South Bend. OU has undoubtedly the toughest non-conference team in the nation, but without All-American middle guard Granville Liggins to aid the defense, the home crowd, signal-caller Terry Hanratty and end Jim Seymour, Notre Dame will triumph.

**KANSAS OVER ILLINOIS** — The Big Eight's darkhorse led by brilliant passer Bobby Douglass should win in the Land of Lincoln.

**MISSOURI OVER KENTUCKY** — The Tigers regain the victory habit at Lexington.

**COLORADO OVER OREGON** — The Buffs, with a strong Bob Anderson at the controls, will down their western invaders.

**KANSAS STATE OVER COLORADO STATE** — Opening in its sparkling 35,000 seat stadium the Wildcats will hand coach Vince Gibson a win like they did last fall over the Westerners, but can the streak continue? K-State lost all their matches after last fall's opening win over Colorado State.

**ARKANSAS OVER OKLAHOMA STATE** — The Razorbacks should prevail at Little Rock, although quarterback Ronnie Johnson and power-driving fullback Jack Reynolds will give them all they can handle.

**ARIZONA OVER IOWA STATE** — We missed last week with a spirited Ames crew, but they are biting more than they can chew with a speedy, tough Arizona crew. If quarterback John Warder finds the range like he did in last week's convincing 28-10 victory over Buffalo, it could be a 2-0 slate for the Cyclones.

**FIRST LETTER** — Believe it or not, we finally received a letter from a reader. This note comes from Frank Schmehl, and we agree wholeheartedly with his comments. Thanks for your observations, Frank. Remember all letters, subject to editing, will be printed.

"Appreciated your Remarks in Wednesday's paper. I also note that you commented on several flaws that were present and indicated the passing game needs a definite boost. While I agree with this, the facts are that without adequate, consistent, sustained blocking you don't have a chance at a good passing attack."

For some reason no one wishes to criticize the blocking in last week's game. Perhaps it is not fair to compare the Huskers with the pros, but did you happen to see the Bears-Redskins game on TV Sunday? Sonny Jurgenson did an excellent job of passing — BUT, he had all the time in the world to do it!

Get out your stopwatch sometime and count the number of seconds that a good pro passer has in which to select his man and make his throw. It will amaze you!

Protection is the word, man. If Husker backs would only maintain contact after the initial block, we might get somewhere. Patrick would have shown up much better if the blocks were better, but this is not to take anything away from Ernie Sigler — he was wonderful."

Interested Faculty Member,  
Francis L. Schmehl

**BASEBALL EVENTS** — Although we failed to receive replies from disgruntled baseball fans after we said that last week's sports fans, if given a choice, would rather see a football game than a baseball match, baseball certainly found itself in the spotlight this week. With two no-hitters in a row by St. Louis and San Francisco in National League action at Candlestick Park in San Francisco, baseball is showing that even with both pennant races completed, the national past-time can still do something constructive during its lengthy season.

**UNUSUAL GIMMICK** — Wasn't that clever to run a little horse with a sign proclaiming him as "Cowboy Joe" around the Memorial Stadium track after each Wyoming score last week? Why can't Nebraska do something like that — maybe run a little pig around the Stadium and give all those unbiased (?) gentlemen from Sports Illustrated a real slow "God-Fearing Farmer" to write about rather than their usual snide comments about Nebraska's size and speed or lack of it.

# Rogers' boot ranks as 3rd best in league

By Randy York  
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Quicker than a stewardess can spill a cup of coffee, football season is off the launching pad. And ulcer season has been officially proclaimed. Paul Rogers saw to that.

For those still wondering, Rogers' 51-yard game-winning field goal against Wyoming ranks as the fourth longest three-pointer in Big Eight conference history. Just think what Rogers' toe might do the rest of the season?

Nebraska's dip to fifth place in the Big Eight race last year, prompted Coach Bob Devaney to recall, "Really, I think the best three games we played all last year were Oklahoma (14-21), Colorado (16-21), and Missouri (7-10) and we lost them all."

Devaney continued, "I

believe we took all we wanted to take off them last year," Mr. Rogers undoubtedly agrees.

Somewhat encouraging in the tussle with the Cowboys was one fumble by those usually-fumbling Huskers. At that rate, NU would have 10 at the end of the regular season. The 1967 Cornhusker edition piled up 39 fumbles — the figure could be sliced by four times if the present pace continues. Nebraska dropped four games in '67, managing to lose the ball at the most inopportune times.

It wasn't expressed, but probably one of the most discouraging elements in NU's seasonal opener was the absence of Wayne Meylan. Middle guard was a quiet place last Saturday as no solo tackles were credited to that position.

## Be A Sport . . .

Glenn Patterson, starting offensive tackle on the Huskers' right side, hails from Worland, Wyo. Patterson praised the stingy Pokes' defense, labeling it as comparable to last year's Missouri outfit. "They pursued so well," he said, "and stunted all the time, sort of like Southern teams do."

"It was a sweet one to win all right," Patterson concluded. "I can go home next summer and hold my head up." A quick glance at Utah's roster reveals no native Nebraskans.

Nebraska and Utah meet for the first time Saturday, but don't be surprised if the game has a Big Eight flavor.

Bill Meek, new head coach for the Utes, was at the helm of Kansas State's Wildcats from 1950-54.

Jim LaRue, defensive coordinator for the Redskins, assisted Meek during his tenure at K-State. Dick Scesniak should be familiar to Big Eight fans. Utah's new offensive line coach was an All-Conference guard for Iowa State in 1962. He has served as an assistant to Dan Devine at Missouri and to the Cyclones' Clay Stapleton.

Hopscoch — hot weather or not, it was an automatic sweating session for the Wyoming game. Whether it was the temperature or not, it still sold stuff, according

to Concessions Director Bill Fisher, who reported a record sale for cold drinks.

Husker fans downed 56,609 soft drinks while consuming 10,000 hot dogs, 6,000 bags of peanuts, and 5,000 bags of pop corn. Program sales hit an all-time record high of 18,000.

A Devaney quip about the Wyoming heart-stopper: "I'd like to give all the credit to my assistant coaches. They worked hard all week . . . In fact, all I did was work a little with that kid from Rock Rapids, Iowa . . ."

Yes, Rogers is the guy from Rock Rapids. Devaney continued, "Paul and I didn't plan on such a long kick, however. When I sent him in the game he asked where the ball was and I told him it was on the 24." Rogers said, "Heck, coach, I can kick 'em from there any time."

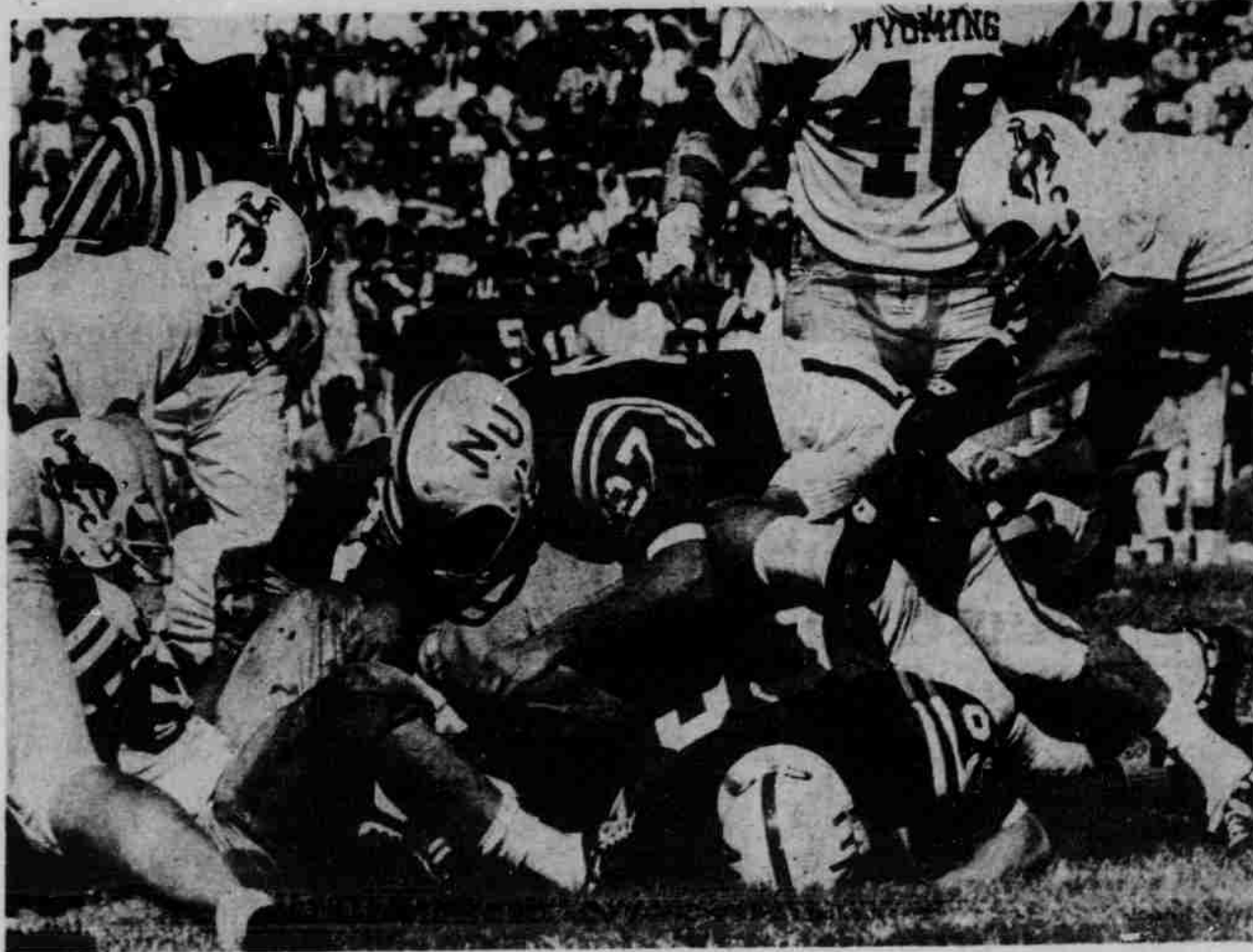
The high-octane sting of NU's second string backs have moved out three of the starting backs who ran out

of gas a week ago. For Utah it's Sigler for Patrick, Gree for Orduña and Ziegler for Frost. Bob Best will start left safety for injured Jim Hawkins.

Utah's starting ends, Gar Kerl and Norm McBride, are rated as two of the strongest in the Western Athletic Conference this year. Both are products of Fremont High School in Oakland, Calif. Prime recruiting territory for the Utes would have to be the California ranks. Twenty-nine Californians are listed on the roster.

Look magazine predicts a 9-2 season for Nebraska at a 12th-place national ranking. Included in the forecast is Husker conquest of Clemson in the Gator Bowl. Wyoming was rated 20th while Minnesota next week's NU foe after Utah, was given the eighth slot.

Things are starting fast for Utah. Nebraskans are a hot lot to convince. Heck, we've defeated so far.



Nebraska and Wyoming players engage in a wild scramble during last Saturday's game with the Wyoming Cowboys. The Huskers have another encounter with Utah at 2 p.m. Saturday at Memorial Stadium.

## Intramural director looks for more football fields

University intramural football begins another campaign Monday with the possibility that B teams will be formed after a previous announcement had eliminated them.

University Intramural Director Joel Meier said this week that the intramural department was still attempting to find additional fields somewhere in Lincoln to enable the B squads to play their regular fall football schedule.

"WE MIGHT be able to get the area that we used last year at Woods Park," he said in adding that the intramural department was working with the Dean of Student Affairs' office to obtain playing space. The Woods Park location at

33rd and O Streets provided eight flag football fields for last season, but the land was obtained through the cooperation of the Lincoln Parks and Recreation Department, which only loaned the space to the University for last season.

Besides using three fields on east campus, the intramural program will also use one field on Vine Street behind Abel Hall for flag football, but the Abel Field hardly fits the category of an ideal playing area, Meier said.

Meier said that at a meeting held last spring, University officials decided to

level the area behind Abel Hall and install floodlights to enable night games to be scheduled.

"But now telephone poles are in the ground, there are big tire ruts and sink holes and no lights are there," Meier said, adding that the area was declared too dangerous for football games last week by University Public Health Engineer Ed Simpson.

"I have serious reservations if we can even finish the season in time before the snow cancels our games," he said, "if that happens, we will postpone the playoffs until next spring."

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Kansas vs Illinois	Kansas	Kansas	Kansas	Kansas	Kansas
Missouri vs Kentucky	Missouri	Kentucky	Missouri	Missouri	Missouri
Nebraska vs Utah	Nebraska	Nebraska	Nebraska	Nebraska	Nebraska
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Oklahoma vs Notre Dame	Notre Dame	Notre Dame	Oklahoma	Notre Dame	Oklahoma
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Varsity: "With Six You Get Egg Roll", 1:21, 3:27, 5:23, 7:28, 9:45.

State: "Chubasco", 1:20, 3:27, 5:27, 7:34, 9:41.

Joy: "Where Angels Go", 7:28, 9:28.

Stuart: "The Secret Life of an American Wife", 1:18, 3:18, 5:15, 7:20 & 9:25.

Nebraska: "Salt and Pepper", 1:00, 3:05, 5:06, 7:09, 9:12.

5th & O: "Attack on the Coast", 8:00; "Hang 'em High", 9:40; "The Patsy", 11:35.

West 8: Cartoon 7:45; "Mrs. Brown, You've Got a Lovely Daughter", 7:52; "Battle Beneath the Earth", 9:27; "Sgt. Ryker", 11:24.

Starview: Cartoon, 7:45; "Minuteman", 7:52, 11:59; "The Young, the Evil and the Savage", 9:11; "House of 1,000 Dolls", 10:54.

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Indian Hills: "2001", 8:00.