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Middle guard still perplexes Husker offense

Nebraska's offensive line Saturday faces the same problem that's troubled Nebraska's opponents during the past two seasons-how to block a good middle guard.

Barry Price, a pre-season All-American selection by Detroit Football News, is the Oklahoma State middle guard and has been compared to Nebraska's Rich Glover.

"We're not going to give Price any special defensive treatment at first," Coach Bob Devaney said Wednesday. 'We may have to adjust if that doesn't work."

Nebraska hasn't played against many middle guards the past two seasons.

"We haven't faced many teams that use a

defense like ours," Devaney said. "This is really something new to us. The only time our offense has worked against a middle guard has been during scrimmages."

Oklahoma State's defensive line has allowed 149 yards rushing a game. The Cowboy defensive secondary has given up only two touchdown passes the entire season. And both those touchdown passes were against Virginia Tech, the nation's leading passing team.

"Oklahoma State's defensive secondary has been real effective," Devaney said. 'We'll probably run into more zone coverage than we've seen the last couple weeks."

Devaney said the Cowboys use a four-deep zone coverage.

"This forces you into running different types of patterns," Devaney said, "but it doesn't reduce your chances of going for the long pass."

Oklahoma State's Darryl Stewart leads the team with four interceptions followed by Alvin Brown with three.

Phi Delts win, aim for No. 1

by Kim Ball

Phi Delta Phi established itself as the team to beat in the upcoming All-University flag football championships as it won the Independent Division by defeating the Bumpers last night. The Bumpers had knocked-off the defending champion Pro

Students Tuesday night.

Phi Delta Phi jumped to a 26-0 lead and then held off the

on-charging Bumpers, 38-28.

Little Tom Hays and speedy George Watson combined to throw five touchdown passes for Phi Delta Phi. Adrian Fiala and Watson each caught two scoring tosses.

Joe Armstrong and Fiala, both ex-Huskers, were defensive stalwarts as they batted down passes and pulled out Bumper flags all over the field. Fiala even returned an interception for

a touchdown. When asked about their prospects for winning the All-University championship, Fiala replied, "As Coach Devaney used to say; we can't look past our next game; we've

got to take them one at a time." Phi Delta Theta scored on the last play of the first half to break open a tight game enroute to a 30-13 victory over Delta Tau Delta in the Fraternity A Division championship.

With the Phi Delts leading 12-7, Phi Delt Paul Griego caught a touchdown pass from Tom Campbell on the final play of the first half.

The Phi Delt aerial combination of Bill Hamik to Dave Smith was good for two touchdowns.

In the most exciting game of the night, Sigma Phi Epsilon C edged Phi Gamma Delta B, 13-8, to win the B Division championship.

Sig Ep Dave Neil was the hero of the game as he made an interception which ended a Phi Gamma Delta drive on the Sig Ep two-yard line late in the fourth quarter.

Jim Richardson and Jim (Double) Ott were on the receiving of two Neil touchdown passes. Neil also threw to Richardson for an extra point to account for all of the Sig Ep scoring.

Gus II, with the score tied 12-12, made a third quarter goal line stand on the one-yard line and then went on to beat Gooding, 26-18, for the Dormitory championship.

Lowell Schardt of Gooding intercepted a Gary Rose pass and returned it to the one-yard line. But the Gus II defense stiffened and Gooding could not get the ball in the end zone. Quarterback Rose sparked Gus II, winner of 12 in a row, as

he threw for two touchdowns and an extra point. Tonight marks the beginning of a new tournament, the All-University championship. All teams playing last night, even though they lost, are in the All-University playoffs.

Games tonight:

6:30 gemes Phi Delta Theta (9-0) vs. Phi Gamma Delta B (8-1) Gus II (12-0) vs. Bumpers (8-1) Phi Delta Phi (10-0) vs. Gooding (8-3)

Sigma Phi Epsilon C (9-0) vs. Delta Tau Delta (8-1)

Nebraska quarterback David Humm is now the leading passer in the Big Eight Conference, Humm has completed 74 passes in 130 attempts for 1,227 yards and 11 touchdowns.

Nebraska's Rich Sanger leads the conference in punting with a 41.3-yard average. Sanger also leads in kick scoring with 45 points.

The Oklahoma State-Nebraska game will be featured on the NCAA highlights program Sunday at 11 a.m. on Channel 7.

Homecoming dance moved

The Homecoming dance scheduled for Friday has been moved from the Abel-Sandoz Cafeteria to the Military and Naval Science Gym, The Chancellors are playing from 9 p.m. to midnight. Admission is \$1.50 a person. Advance tickets are on sale in the Nebraska Union Wednesday through Friday.

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