# Osborne upset with uproar over conversion try 

## By Tad Stryker

Head Coach Tom Osborne said at practice Monday that it was too bad that such an uproar arose over what turned out to be a hotly-contested two-point conversion attempt against Kansas Saturday.

If the Jayhawks were going to berate him for his decision, he said, perhaps he should voice a concern of his own.
"You hear all the complaining abou why we went for two," he said, "but haven't seen or heard anything about them piling on Jeff Quinn (on the two-point attempt); or their punching him or twisting his ankle on that play."

Quinn looked no worse for wear at prac-
tice Monday, though. Other Huskers, some of whom played at half-speed Saturday were healed or healing also.
"I'd say we're in pretty good shape heading into the Oklahoma State game, Osborne said.
Todd Brown, slowed by a charley horse sustained against the Jayhawks, left practice early. Dave Rimington, who sprained his ankle Saturday, was bothered also. Os borne said they would both probably prac questionable of the , with Brown the more questionable of the two.
He said cornerbacks Andy Means and Ric Lindquist had done an excellent job against Kansas, considering that their running ability had been slowed by knee and
ankle injuries, respectively. "They were both pretty nervous about that (playing hurt) last week," Osborne said. "I'm hopeful they'll both be at full speed this week."

Sophomore linebackers Steve Damkroger and Steve McWhirter were promoted to the blackshirt level Monday. Damkroger was the Huskers' nominee for Big Eight defensive player of the week. He had 10 solo tackles and one assist. Damkroger and McWhirter replace Brent Williams and Kim Baker at the starting spots.

Osborne said he, like many others, is surprised at Oklahoma State's winless
"Last year, they were winning all their close games," he said, "but this year they haven't been able to. Their games with West Texas State and Washington were both games they could have won. Also, last week's Missouri game was close until the 30-7. Oklahoma State hung in there until they had to throw to get back into the game and ended up getting intercepted a game and ended up getting intercepted a
Cowboy quarterback John Doerner has missed the last few games with a leg injury, but Osborne said he thought he played some in the Missouri game.
"I would imagine Doerner will be back," he said. "We're anticipating that he

## Student says crew activity is time well spent

## By Inta Rizijs

A senior engineering student went out for crew to participate in the disciplined program of exercise. That was three years ago. Now Tim Hedberg's attitude about crew has changed.
"I got into it more than I thought I would," Hedberg said. He said that a couple of times when he wanted to quit but stayed because of improved organization within the team. Another reason for continuing with crew is the friendships he has made.
"I'm older than most of the people on crew. It helped me meet a lot of younger people," Hedberg said. He said me meen't view the other crew members as being younger, though.
"We're all on the same level," Hedberg said.
Hedberg graduated from Lincoln Southeast High School in 1968 and went on to college for the next $21 / 2$ years. After realizing that school wasn't what he wanted at the time, he spent the next years traveling and working construction. Germany and Hawaii were a couple of the places he traveled to.
Hedberg has been doing construction work since high school. His father was in construction also.

Hedberg decided that a degree in construction management would bring in more money and came back to UNL Once he graduates, he hopes to own a construction company or possibly start a new one.
His plans immediately after college, though, include taking time off and seeing his friends, then going to work, he said.

Along with school and crew, Hedberg works 10 hours a week. He enjoys playing basketball and softball but said he was too busy to have any other hobbies.

Hedberg said the hardest part about crew was running. "I never ran before, and that's hard on me," he said.

Hedberg's original reason for joining crew hasn't been swept aside. He finds the workouts hard, but worthwhile
"I'm getting in shape and it makes me feel good," he said. Hedberg hopes to continue working out after he graduates. The only obstacle he sees to exercising once crew is finished is motivation.
"I'd like to think that I would keep on doing it (work ing out), but it's hard for me to get motivated,"Hedberg

Crew has been a big part of Hedberg's college life. He said that as each year goes by, he gets more involved with the program. But, he manages this by placing school in his top priority.
"School comes first, then crew," Hedberg said
Hedberg doesn't plan on forgetting about crew when he leaves UNL, either.

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