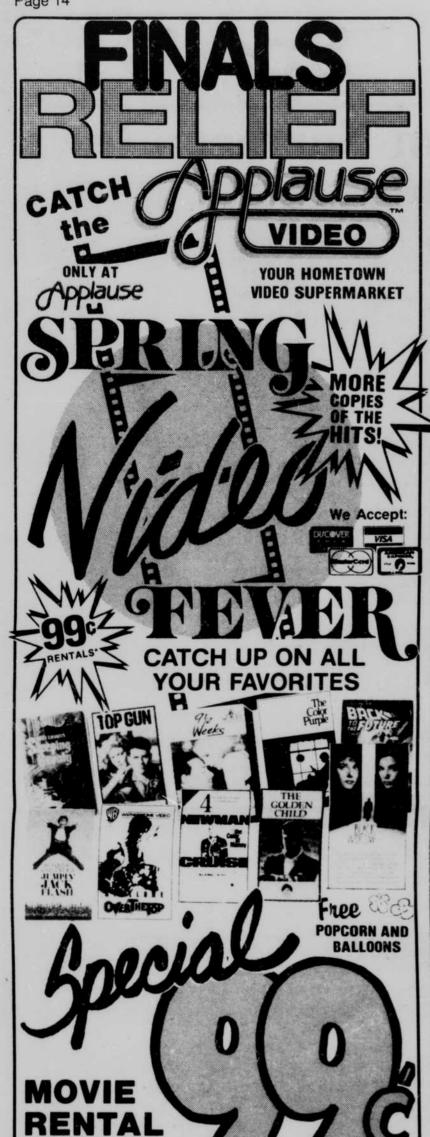
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## Thursday, April 28, 1988 Daily Nebraskan Nebraska softball coach says rivalry with Creighton builds up game in state

**By Mike Kluck** Staff Reporter

The Nebraska and Creighton softball teams will get a chance to renew old acquaintances when they play each other today in a doubleheader

in Omaha. The 28-14 Cornhuskers have faced Creighton three times this season. Nebraska defeated the 28-13 Bluejays 5-0 at



San Jose, Calif., but lost in Lincoln 4-2 and 2-1.

Husker coach Ron Wolforth said the competition between the two schools is good for Nebraska and gives the players a chance to meet each other.

natural rivalry," Wolforth said. "It regional game. really enhances softball in Nebraska and is good for the state. It is really a good situation."

Wolforth said the rivalry is aided by both teams' national rankings. The Huskers are ranked No. 19 in the nation and Creighton No. 13.

"The next two games will be very "We need to go up to the plate and big games for us," Wolforth said. take good cuts and attack the ball," "They're a good team, but not a top- Ogrodowicz said. five team. This is a team we need to

tense the rivalry is between the two currently hitting .352. schools and how important the next "She is one of the better hitters we six games are for Nebraska. The have seen, but not the best," Wolforth end

Ogrodowicz said if the Huskers her. beat Creighton, it might give them a "Creighton and Nebraska have a chance to host a College World Series 4:30 p.m. today at Dill Field.

"These games are very impor-tant," Ogrodowicz said. "Right now I am playing each game like it is my last game, because it may well be our last."

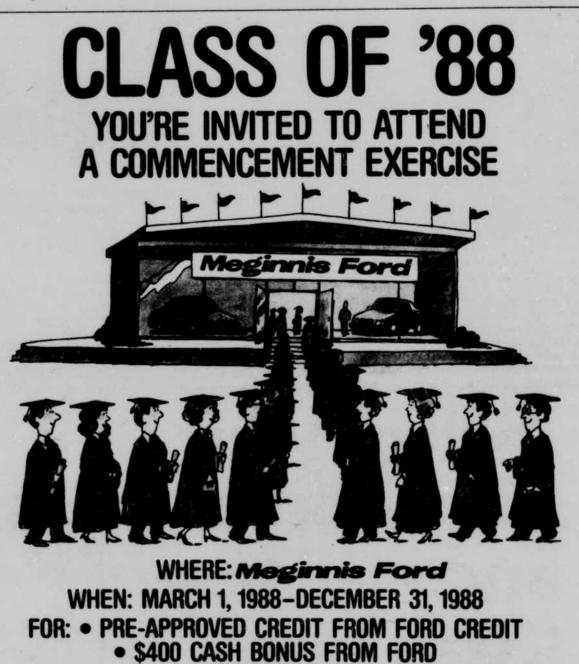
Ogrodowicz said it will be tough to beat the Bluejays in Omaha.

"We need to go up to the plate and

Wolforth said the Huskers must hit beat for an opportunity to play in the well and play good defense to be College World Series." successful. He said Nebraska must Nebraska senior outfielder Margie also stop Creighton's pitcher/first Ogrodowicz said she knows how in- baseman Jody Schwartz. Schwartz is

Huskers will play two games against said. "We need to keep people off both Kansas and Missouri this week- bases in front of her. We need to get in a position where we can pitch tough to

The doubleheader will begin at



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