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Nebraska men's tennis coach

matches of the day, at No. 1 and No. 5 singles.

Maizey owned Malcomb Keegan at No. 3 with

need to finalize our lineup," McDermott said. "Right now, I'm comfortable, but some things

rado comes to Lincoln. Nebraska will travel to

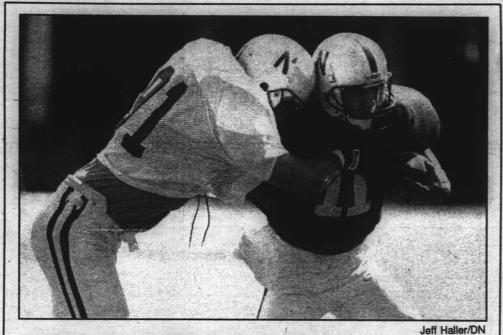
Stillwater, Okla., to face Oklahoma State on

Saturday and then to Norman, Okla., against

may still change at the No. 3 and No. 4 spots.' The Big Eight Conference schedule gets under way for the Huskers Friday when Colo-

"With conference play starting next week, we

Against Southwest Missouri, Davis and freshman Thomas Wheat lost the only two Husker



Nebraska quarterback Matt Turman tries to elude the grasp of linebacker Ryan Terwilliger during Saturday's scrimmage. Turman rushed six times for 14 yards and passed for 63 yards.

Scrimmage

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they would, but they didn't score a lot of points."

After Frost's 5-yard touchdown run, redshirt freshman fullback Joel Makovicka, younger brother of senior fullback Jeff Makovicka, scored from a yard out. "Joel really played well," Osborne said.

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got on base with a bunt single.

After Viola struck out, Nebraska picked up five consecutive base hits.

In that inning, Blackwood helped her cause by knocking in two runs. Blackwood went 3 for 4 with three RBIs at the plate.

When I'm having a hard time at the plate, I think about what I did wrong batting and it takes away from my pitching," Blackwood said.

"He's going to be a heck of a player. We're really pleased with those guys.

Billy Legate scored the final touchdown on a 1-yard run late in the scrimmage. Osborne said he was concerned about

Nebraska's kicking game after the Huskers were without their top three kickers - two due to injury and Darin Erstad to baseball.

Nebraska missed both extra points it attempted and missed the only two field goals it attempted Saturday.

The Huskers closed out the scoring when Echo-Hawk hit a two-run home run in the seventh.

Revelle said she was glad her team could close out a hard weekend with a win-a win in a weekend series, in which Nebraska had a

chance to win all four games. But Revelle said she would settle for the split.

"I felt that three of the four games were just dogfights," Revelle said. "You come in hoping you can get a sweep, but with the teams being so equal, I am happy with a split."

Does Your Heart Good.



Two wins are tune up for men's tennis team

By Clay Short taff Reporter

In what Nebraska coach Kerry McDermott called the best performance of the season, the men's tennis team stunned Creighton 9-0 Friday. Southwest Missouri State fell victim to the Cornhuskers 5-2 earlier in the day.

The two wins doubled the amount of success that the Huskers scarcely found on their tour of Texas the week before. On the Texas trip, Nebraska won just one match of six.

"This was our strongest play of the year," McDermott said. "It will help build our confidence before we start conference play next week.

The Huskers' 9-0 sweep was their first shutout of the season, and included an impressive 6-4, 7-5 win by No. 1 singles player Andy Davis over Creighton's Brian Keny. Davis was outsized and sometimes overpowered by the much-taller Keny, but never relinquished the lead during the 1 1/2-hour-long match.

Adrian Maizey dominated Luis Peon at the No. 3 singles position with a 6-0, 6-2 win. Maizey and Davis combined in the No. 1 doubles competition, winning 8-2.

Husker tennis loss to Colorado seen as step to team improvement

By Tony West Staff Reporter

Nebraska women's tennis coach Scott Jacobson said despite his team's 7-2 loss to Colorado on Sunday, the match could provide the platform for the team's improvement.

Even though we lost ... I think every time you step on the court in a competitive match, you become a better player," Jacobson said.

Jacobson said that if not for a few key points, the match could have just as easily been 5-4. The 7-2 loss to Colorado was not the score

Jacobson said he would like to have seen, but the team's focus was more on the things it could control.

"We didn't play as well as we really wanted to today, but that's something you really can't possibly meet up control," he said. "I think we played hard but I Eight Champion think that Colorado was a better program than on April 21-23.

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Oklahoma on Sunday.

But the most important thing was that the team was within reach of a victory, Jacobson said.

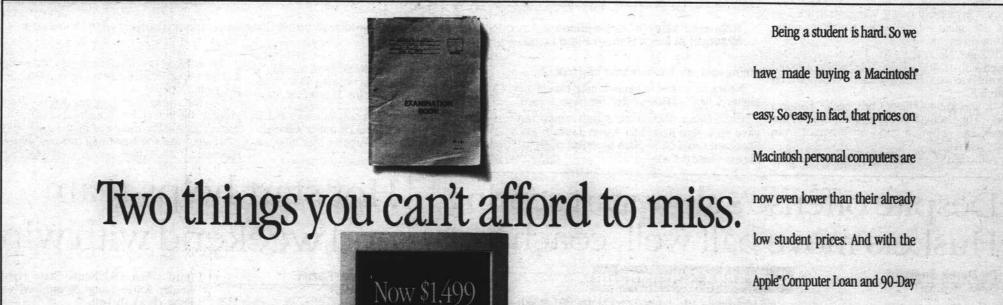
The next competition for the team will be Saturday when it travels to Stillwater, Okla., to go against Oklahoma State.

'I think we are progressing," Jacobson said. "And hopefully, this will give us more confidence going into next week."

And Jacobson said that he believed his team could build off of the match, even with the result ending up in a loss.

"I've got a very competitive group," he said. "We just need to stay positive and focused. It's a long season.'

Jacobson said that the team could also very possibly meet up with Colorado again at the Big Eight Championships in Oklahoma City, Okla.,



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