

HUSKER WARRIORS ON LONG JOURNEY

Band and Rooters Will Cheer Their Gladiators Against Oregon Aggies.

ALSO MEET NOTRE DAME

By JAMES E. LAWRENCE.

Lincoln, Oct. 14.—(Special).—The Husker football squad, twenty strong, accompanied by Head Coach Dr. E. J. Stewart, Assistant Coach Dick Rutherford, Athletic Manager Guy E. Reed, the university cadet band and some forty rooters, leave next Tuesday night on the longest jaunt ever taken by a Nebraska football team. The Huskers will go to Portland, Ore., to meet the Oregon Aggies there next Saturday afternoon.

With the Oregon Aggies recognized as the greatest eleven on the Pacific coast, the game bears an important re-act on comparative standings in intercollegiate football. With the battle against the Notre Dame eleven on Nebraska field on next Monday night it will give the Huskers an opportunity to secure a comparison with the best teams in the country.

Traveling by special train, the Huskers will leave here at 10:30 next Tuesday night and will arrive in Portland late Friday afternoon, with nearly a full day's rest before the big battle. Stops will be made twice a day on the trip to give the squad a chance to unlimber and run formations. On the trip home the Husker warriors are going to get an opportunity to see a little bit of the country, with stops at two of the more important scenic spots along the route.

Coach's Opinion.

Coach Stewart, who for five years was coach of the Oregon Aggies and who arranged the game with Nebraska before he was called to take charge of statistics here, looks for an exceedingly grilling battle. He declares that the Oregon Aggies have men on the squad this year who would be welcomed on any team in the country, and the 3-to-0 defeat by a professional eleven on the coast two weeks ago, composed entirely of stars from the bigger universities of the country, indicates that the Huskers are up against the real thing.

The Nebraska men are undecided on who to take on the trip. It was conceded that these men would get a place, however, Captain Tim Corey, Shaw and Wilder, tackles, Riddell, Goupalik and Maloney, ends; E. Kozlitz, Dale and W. Kostitz, guards; Cameron and Moser, centers; Cook, Gardner, Rhodes, Dobson, Doyle and Carey, backfield men.

Dr. Stewart will also pick the best first year player to accompany the squad and the rooters believe the prize lies between Munn, Ward and Kellogg. Owen, the university track squad, will be taken along as equipment man and Rawson White of Omaha will be baggage man.

Enthusiasm Rife.

Before the squad leaves Tuesday a monster mass meeting is planned at the depot, with a big torchlight parade to the Union Pacific station. The old chariot of bygone days will be dragged forth and the team hauled to the depot in style.

Nebraska will face five veterans on the Oregon Aggie team who are highly rated by Dr. Stewart. They include Captain Bisset, Quarterback Reardon, Halfbacks Anderson and Conn and Fullback Newman. Newman is also an expert in goal kicking and a dangerous man in place kicking.

The Huskers expect to meet a surprising open field style of play on the coast and are being drilled to especially meet it. The Oregon Aggies are heavy, but fast, and had gotten the forward pass down to a science.

Line is Fine.

Nebraska's line is in splendid shape for the hardest game, but the backfield is still giving concern. It lacks the speed and dash which Stewart desires and still shows unfamiliarity with the new style of play introduced by the coach.

Assistant Coach Dick Rutherford and Captain James Campbell called the Husker basketball squad together Thursday for the first work of the season. Sixty men reported for practice.

Rutherford, Shields and Hugg, veterans of last year's team, are unavailable, leaving three places to fill. Captain Campbell, Thiesen and Jimmie Gardner are the letter men available this year, but will not report until after the football season closes. Paul Flothow of the Omaha high school five appears to be a good varsity prospect and Johnny Collins, the old South Omaha high school star, also looks up strong.

Practice will be held three times a week until after the football season, when it will start daily.

Coaches Satisfied With Army Team's Playing Thus Far

New York, Oct. 14.—Those who watched West Point in its first game of the season, the Lebanon Valley contest, are inclined to overlook the cadets' small margin of victory and find the general play of the eleven satisfactory. The Army team this season is without the services of several veterans, including Neyland and Britton, ends; Weland, captain and tackle last season; O'Hare at guard, and Hoge, Mitchell and Coffin in the backfield. The coaches are none too confident that all these vacant places can be filled properly. The plebes have several good men, but they are green; there is a lot for them to learn. Vidal, however, showed his promise in the game, and other promising candidates are Nile, Pulsifer and Kimball in the backfield, and Gunther, Williamson and Shracer on the line.

There is a lot of work to be done, a tough schedule to face, and the outcome of the season is regarded by the coaches as entirely problematical. Those coaches, however, are certainly qualified for any task that may be set before them; in fact, it is regarded as one of the strongest coaching staffs in the country.

Lieutenant Charles Daly is the head coach and head backfield coach; Captain Ernest Graves, head line coach, while his assistants are Lieutenants

OPEN SEASON ON MANAGERS IS ON

Several Major League Pilots Are Tagged for Ax and Others Expected to Q. it.

RUMORS RUN HOT IN "OH"

Several major league pilots are tagged for the ax and other big time generals will resign before another season rolls around, if Mrs. Rumor is peddling the right dope.

In view of the Chicago fans' conclusion that "Pants" Rowland can't win a pennant with a \$1,000,000 aggregation, such as the White Sox are supposed to be, and that Joe Tinker has failed to get anywhere with the Cubs, the chances are that both pilots will be given the gate.

It is true that the Cubs have shown very little of the winning stuff under Tinker, but at the same time it is considered improbable that the outfit would have done any better under another manager. Another angle to the in-bad situation is the remembrance of his desertion of the National league for the Reds. This said that more than one National league magnate is still sore at Sir Joseph for his hurdling act. If this be true, the said magnates undoubtedly will seek to it that the exit for Joe is marked in letters six feet high.

In Rowland's case conditions are different. He is blamed for the backsliding of the White Sox after they had grabbed the topmost rung of the American league pennant ladder. The White Sox are credited with possessing pastimes of as high class as any to be found on the big league map. Yet the team has not arrived after being picked as the right number for the last two seasons. So it seems that Rowland's trouble lies in his failure to make a championship team out of championship timber.

Jones Holds On.

In St. Louis Fielder Jones has been proclaimed the Moses to lead the Browns out of the wilderness. Unless all signs fail Fielder will direct the Browns again next year and will have under his care a full-grown, regular big yard outfit.

What's on the minds of the Cardinals' owners is a mystery. They're not talking. Perhaps Miller Huggins may again lead the Cards and then again perhaps he may not. In some quarters it is whispered that the Cards are to be renovated and rebuilt from pilot to bat boy.

Among the other major league clubs in the west there are no outward and visible signs at present to indicate any managerial changes in prospect at Cleveland, Cincinnati, Detroit or Pittsburgh.

Among the eastern clubs it is regarded as a pretty safe bet that new managers will take charge of the New York Giants and the Boston Red Sox. There is also believed to exist a remote possibility that the Braves will fight for the 1917 pennant under the guiding hand of a new pilot. Although it has been denied by all concerned, some of the wise ones still persist that President Haughton will resign and allow Manager George Stallings to tackle the job of president of the Braves. Should this dope run true, Fred Mitchell is most likely to be given the managerial berth vacated by Stallings.

Carrigan Will Retire.

Manager Bill Carrigan has repeatedly declared of late that he is through with the game and proposes in future to devote his whole time to his grocery business in Lewiston, Me. Bill avers that his outside business interests have grown to such proportions that it will no longer be possible for him to remain in base ball. Should he make good his threat to retire it will be a hard blow for the Red Sox. They might select a leader from among Jack Barry, Heinie Wagner or Patsy Donovan, the Buffalo hero, but there's a heap of difference between trying out a new manager and having an old one, like the dependable Bill, at the helm.

Owners of the New York National league club declare that McGraw will continue to manage the team, notwithstanding the big rumpus during the last New York-Brooklyn series, when Mr. McGraw is said to have accused his Giants of having struck a streak of yellow in them as wide as the Yellow Sea. But despite the declarations of the club owners, the Gotham fans have Joan "parcel-posted" for parts unknown. The majority of them believe that McGraw will never again boss the Giants. His contract expires this year and he is said to have flattered off to pilot other teams. This year after that "bawling out" in Brooklyn, the Giants and John would be likely to get along together about as harmoniously as a fox terrier and a strange cat.

Aggies Make Downs.

It was during the third quarter that the Aggies for the first time made first downs. Nebraska played rather desultory football in this period.

In the fourth quarter the Cornhuskers made their second rush down the field, but this one proved futile when Gardner and Cook could not gain the yard between the ball and the goal line.

Jimmy Gardner, Caley, Cook and Rhodes carried the ball most of the time. Gardner and Caley were the most consistent ground gainers. Riddell played a good game at end and Corey and Shaw showed midseason form at the tackle positions. Moser was a bit uncertain in his passing at center.

Wells was the most consistent performer for the Aggies. Randells, who has made something of a name for himself, and Barnes showed the Husker defense too much for them.

For the most part the Cornhusker stuck to straight foot ball with off-tackle plays a favorite. Only two or three forward passes were attempted and no trick plays or trick formations.

Nebraska Central Beats Grand Island by Touchdown

Central City, Neb., Oct. 14.—(Special Telegram).—Nebraska Central college won its second game of the season from the Grand Island college yesterday, 7 to 0. From the time Grand Island booted the pigskin from the west gate at the start of the game to the end when Central City held the ball on the visitors' ten-yard line, it was a close, hard-fought game. The one touchdown was made by Clark Grieve on one of Grand Island's fumble punts by a neat pickup on Central City's twenty-five-yard line, and a long run down the field. The kicked goal made the only other points registered during the game.

Central City plays York college here next Friday.

Loses Chance for American Golf Title

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Mrs. William A. Gavin, the clever English woman golfer, who holds the eastern woman's title, was put out of the running for the national title on the links of the Belmont Springs Country club. Mrs. Gavin was defeated by Mrs. C. C. Auchinloss of Riping Koch, whose tournament experience has been limited, by 2 up and 1 to play. Mrs. Gavin was considered one of the favorites for the title, together with Miss Alexia Stirling, the young Atlanta woman.

Battling Nelson Is to Become the Most Beautiful Man

Chicago, Oct. 14.—Battling Nelson, once a rough and rude looking pugilist, is regenerating himself into a "Greater Batt Nelson," beautiful, polished, elegant. He has started to build himself anew, and to accomplish this he has engaged a staff consisting of a beauty doctor, a social tutor, a mentor of deportment and a dancing instructor. When the job is finished he is going to Denver to electrify Fay King, the girl cartoonist, who was once Mrs. Nelson, and then—well, who knows what might happen.

STEWART'S MEN WIN BY TWO TOUCHDOWNS

Jack says he will employ the same measures Omaha and Lincoln did. Perhaps the St. Joseph magnate has the right dope. But he says that St. Joseph, in company with Denver, Sioux City, Wichita and Topeka, rejected the salary limit. And in that five are the two highest-priced clubs in the league. Two of 'em had much larger salary lists than either Omaha or Lincoln.

Jack also says, according to the St. Joseph prints, "the three best towns in the league are not to be dictated to by two of the poorest towns on the circuit." Figure it out for yourself, we haven't the heart to say it.

That Holland was also somewhat displeased with the re-election of Zehrung as president of the league is manifested by the following interview he gave out upon his arrival in St. Joseph from the recent meeting of the league:

"The fact that Zehrung is to run the league's affairs this year is service of notice that there will be no change. We have had an agreement on salary limit which was violated without punishment or penalty, and the result was that those clubs who violated topped the league. Without an agreement for the coming year the lid is off and the sky is the limit so far as I am concerned. If Rourke and Hanlon are going to do the dictation and act as the mouthpieces of the league and do as they wish, then I am going out and get players if it costs the limit. I am disgusted and tired of getting the worst of it. I am going to give St. Joseph a top notch team next year. I have trailed because the league's ruling would not permit me to spend above the amount expended and I had to compete with teams whose owners openly violated the agreement. Isbell and Jones feel just as I do. Somebody may go broke when it is all over, but the fans will see a fight while it lasts."

Holland says the meeting broke up in a storm and Hanlon and Rourke controlled its rulings. A number of experienced base ball men were offered as a compromise, but all were refused and Zehrung's re-election went through according to slate.

It looks like the fur will fly in the Western this winter and the stove league ought to enjoy a prosperous season.

Forward Pass Used By Packers on Blair

Blair, Neb., Oct. 14.—(Special Telegram).—South High school of Omaha defeated the local high school team here this afternoon at foot ball, 14 to 7. Many business houses closed for the afternoon to see the game.

Coach Vitquain's athletes fought to the last for victory and gained consistently during the last half when the visiting line was filled with substitutes. Underwood, right half for the local squad, distinguished himself by racing thirty-five yards for a touchdown in the fourth quarter, after he had intercepted a short pass. Underwood also played the stellar game for Blair.

The visitors gained many yards by the forward pass route. Emigh and Hunter, two substitute halfbacks, hit the line for long, consistent gains all during the first half. Joe Dworak went in in the last half and carried about the entire team on his shoulders when charging the line. Captain Graham, end; Jimmie Nestor, fullback, and Corr, at left end, starred for South High.

The summary and score: BLAIR—SOUTH HIGH—Carson.....L.R.R..... Graham starter.....L.T.T..... Curtis Underwood.....R.H.R.H..... Emigh Mead.....L.C.C..... Peterson Gornith.....R.G.L.G..... Caldwell Henningson.....R.T.L.T..... Hugel Steiner.....R.E.L.E..... Corr Farnburg.....L.B.L.B..... Steer Hudson.....L.H.B.L.H.B..... Hunter Underwood.....R.H.B.L.H.B..... Emigh Holmes.....F.P.F.P..... Nestor

Substitutes: Burgess for Henningson; Wolf for Hudson; Hudson, Dworak for Hunter. Touchdowns: Underwood, Graham, Dworak. Goals kicked: Nestor, Emigh. Time of quarters: 15 minutes. Umpire: Rahn, Omaha.

Superba Crew Splits World Series Melon

New York, Oct. 14.—Each of the twenty-four players on the Brooklyn National base ball team who was entitled to a share of the world's series receipts, received a check for \$2,715.40 yesterday. The amount divided among the players was \$65,170.98. Wilbert Robinson, manager of the Brooklyn, and Le McCarty, catcher for the New York Nationals, who until recently was a member of the Brooklyn team, were included in the distribution.

Nap Rucker, who pitched the final innings of Wednesday's game for Brooklyn, announced that his base ball career is over. His arm, he said, continues to pain him when he pitches and he has decided to retire.

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Omaha at Shenandoah.

Shenandoah, Ia., Oct. 14.—(Special).—An Omaha football eleven will invade Shenandoah territory for a game this year. The Commercial High will meet Shenandoah on the local gridiron October 21. Croton is next on the schedule. Shenandoah opened the season by defeating Red Oak 18 to 8.

FIGHTS MAR IN BLUFFS

Each and Player Have Omaha Player Knockout Kick.

PHILIPPS GAME, 7 TO 0

High invaded the Bluffs and took the long score.

About several fist fights, Dudley showed his youth and several new stunts during the game that did not fit the foot ball code. To the first quarter, had been coaching his sidelines, made several references to Ijman Phillips playing, Phillips Dudley, protesting within the rules.

much ado, declared and knocked Phillips ball was soon under minutes elapsed before resumed.

done by his tutor, Philip Philbin, the cheer leader. After the game had been settled down to see

crosses line. took the ball across the end of the game and start of the first quarter. Council Bluffs on the offensive during the game, Omaha taking five-yard, but losing it the second quarter it thing, with Omaha the field, but not push it across, the ball on the one-yard line, the necessary punch lacking.

Omaha played the game clean throughout, but the questionable foot ball produced by the Bluffs team proved too much of a handicap. During the third quarter Smith, right half for Omaha, was laid out when Lowery kicked him in the back of the head in plain view of many of the spectators.

Bluffs Kicks to Safety.

Omaha took the ball to Council Bluffs' one-yard line, but did not take it across, according to the officials. Council Bluffs took the ball on downs and punted out of danger and the game ended with the ball in the center of the field.

OMAHA COUNCIL BLUFFS

Pearson.....L.E..... Mahoney Pannier.....L.T..... Joseph Peterson.....L.G..... Starr Krogh.....L.C..... Morrison Palmer.....R.Q..... Tinsley Phillips.....R.T..... Bluff Shepherd.....R.E..... Lowery Morarty.....L.H..... McJee Harper.....R.H..... Hall Smith.....R.H..... Clark Maxwell.....L.B..... Lemen

Substitutes: Omaha, Comp for Smith; Smith for Comp; Peterson for Pearson; Peterson for Harper; Scott for Peterson; Kelle for Hall.

Touchdown: Harper. Goal after touchdown: Smith. Officials: Niles of Creighton; referee: Burford; R.H. Craighead, umpire; Siory Ochs, head linesman. Time of quarters: Fifteen minutes.

Pender Defeats Wayne High.

Pender, Neb., Oct. 14.—(Special Telegram).—The Pender High school foot ball eleven defeated the Wayne team here today by a score of 17 to 6. Wayne made only one and Pender had no trouble in smothering their line or circling their ends.

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