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## Elated Oklahomans Eye Huskers' Hides

### Bruised Sooners Prevail by 13 to 3 Despite Antics of Mizzou's Lane

Big Eight Standings

By Wally Provost Memorial Stadium, Columbia, Mo.—"What's the good word?" an Oklahoma player

shouted. "Beat Nebraska," his teammates responded.

The Sooners, many of them showing facial bruises and body discolorations, chattered happily as they squirmed out of their gear. Like Nebraska's Cornhusk-

ers two weeks earlier, they were pleased to get out alive. Not until sophomore Larry Shields swept right end for a touchdown with 33 seconds remaining, was Oklahoma assured of victory over Mis-

Souri.
Oklahoma's final margin
Saturday was 13 to 3 com-

pared to Nebraska's squeeze of 13 to 12.

The Sooner triumph propelled them into a head-to-head Big Eight title scrap with Nebraska this Saturday in Lincoln.

"We're going to be in our worst shape of the season," Coach Bud Wilkinson remarked in what may prove to be a bona fide lament.

Fullback Jim Grisham was withheld from the final quarter because of a sore ankle.

Halfback Jackie Cowan, another r e g u l a r, was benched early in the second half with a leg injury.
Other ailments may be re-

vealed in a squad check today, for this was a hard-slamming contest during which several combatants were knocked out and numerous others on both

teams limped off the field. However, Grisham and his colleagues sang no sad songs. "We'll be up for Nebraska,"

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#### Prep, Tech, BT Gain 2 Each—

## O'Brien, McCane, Webster Land All-State Back Posts

The World-Herald 1963 All-State Team Position, Player, School-Wt. Ht. Age Clas

End-Marty Jacobson, Lincoln Northeast 168 6-0 17 Senior Bnd—Walter Gullie, Omaha South .... 170 5-10 17 Senior Tackle—Ken Pelan, Omaha Tech .... 195 6-0 17 Senior Tackle—Tom Robbins, Boys Town ... 200 6-1 17 Senior Guard—John Smolen, Creighton Prep ... 175 5-9 17 Senior Guard—Wayne Johnson, Omaha North .. 205 5-9 17 Senior Center-L. Argersinger, Omaha Benson. 206 6-2 17 Senior Back—John Sanders, Grand Island ..... 182 6-2 17 Senior Back—Byron McCane, Boys Town ..... 190 6-0 17 Senior Back-Jim O'Brien, Creighton Prep .... 165 5-9 16 Junior Back-Les Webster, Omaha Tech ..... 187 6-0 17 Senior

By Gregg McBride

Eootball Team has a strong metropolitan flavor.

Nine players from Omaha and one from Lincoln domi- Island into the league's Eastnate the team. John Sanders ern Division title—and almost of Grand Island is the one won it all.

year" out in the state. This Turn to Page 8, Column 3.

situation likely will be corrected next season if reports The World-Herald's Ne-braska High School All-State Western and Central Nebraska pan out.

Sanders, the best back of the Big Ten, pitched Grand

Jones (D)

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Sayers (0U)

line in the second quarter and

every situation possible in ball 7:41 in a fourth-quarter football was offered 65 hundrive ending on Drake's 21dred fans Saturday as the University of Omaha ended Of all a 7-2 season with a 34-to-29 scored, the one after Omaha's conquest of Drake. gallant goal line stand must

most blitzed off the field in season. the first 20 minutes, only to drive back for a 28-to-7 advantage after three quarters.

The clock showed 3:03 to play in the third quarter when Fullback Wayne Backes was

final 15 minutes had every one in a tizzy, although Omaha's superiority was greater capable of causing a safety.

Lincoln teams finished in the nine touchdowns, completed While the well-matched rifooted. first eight places of the Top Ten.

This swing toward the east This swing t during the nine-touchdown Rocket Roger Sayers on the scored the winning touchdown

Omaha U. 34

on its one in the third. The Les Moines, Ia. - Almost Omahans also controlled the

Of all the touchdowns onquest of Drake.

Fans saw the Omahans alrank as the greatest of the

Drake's 22-point rally the thrown back to the six-inch spot. Behind by 21-to-7 at the

> Quarterback Carl Meyers, who called such a perfect game that pressbox tenants were commenting all afternoon, caught the Bulldogs flat-

Marchi (□)

# Jacobson (OSU) Griesse (N)

The proverbial hole for a truck . . . except it's Willie Ross in the driver's seat and Ron Griesse and John Dervin striking out after blocks.

## Sayers Scores 3 as Omaha

By Maurice Shadle World-Herald Sports Staff Member

reaches of Nebraska.

This heavy Metro domination is unusual. But it is not striprising since Omaha and Lincoln teams finished in the

#### Win Over Cyclones **Ends Futility**

Ames, Ia. (UPI) - Kansas State broke a 26-game Big Eight Conference losing streak Saturday by upsetting Iowa State, 21 to 10, with two touchdowns in the last 41/2 minutes.

It was the first conference victory for Coach Doug Weav er in his four years at K-State and ended the longest drouth in conference history.

The Wildcats, who had lost seven straight games since their season opener, surprised the Cyclones with a rugged defense and a steady offense which finally produced.

This swing toward the east is partly due to the population explosion in the area which has given the larger schools additional talent.

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K-State struck again as Iowa State was marching at mid-

A pass from Iowa State Quarterback Larry Switzer bounced off the shoulder of Cyclone Fullback Tom Vaughn and into the arms of Wildcat Ena Denby Blackwell, who raced down the sidelines 41 yards before he was shoved out of bounds on the Iowa State nine.

Two plays later, Fullback Willis Crenshaw bulled over from the two to ice the game. Kansas State had scored

first, driving 52 yards in seven plays early in the second period. Senior Quarterback Larry Corrigan scampered around left end for seven yards and went across standing up. Jerry Cook converted.

Iowa State then took the kick-off and marched to the Wildcat eight-yard line, but K-State held and Dick Limerick tied a conference season record by booting a 25-yard field goal.

It was his fifth of the season, tying a Big Eight record set by Ben Grosse of Kansas

Late in the third period, the Cyclones marched 80 yards in 10 plays with Dave Hoover hurrying through the middle for nine yards and a

ouchdown for a 10-to-7 lead. The victory was Kansas State's first in the conference since it defeated Nebraska, 29

# yers Scores 3 as Omaha Stops Drake Rally, 34-29 Upsets ISU Nebraska Escapes Mean Pokes, 20-16

By Gregg McBride

Lewis Field, Stillwater, Okla.-Nebraska used a lackadaisical 20-to-16 victory over Oklahoma State Saturday to set the stage for an all-out championship battle with

Oklahoma in Lincoln next week end. The Cornhuskers chose the Stiliwater backdrop as the setting for their worst performance of the campaign.

It was fortunate for the Scarlet that the final road foe was a determined but undermanned Oklahoma State squad, now 1-7.

The Cowpokes-unable to suit up more than 31 players (one a field goal specialist), five less than the Nebraska traveling squad—surprised by forcing the Huskers to extend themselves throughout.

An 11-point half-time cushion which Nebraska managed to swell to 17 after three quarters was badly needed as the Scarlet withstood a two-touchdown fourth quarter surge by Oklahoma State.

#### Concern

A slim crowd helped to 17,500 by a half dozen bands including the 140-piece Nebraska unit watched.

The Saturday log for the Huskers indicates a return of Quarterback Dennis Claridge and Fullback Rudy Johnson, both

Air Bugaboo As usual, it was the vulnerability of the

There also is concern over the possi-bility the Huskers may be without Bob

Hohn, one of their speed merchants. Hohn injured a knee on the first play Saturday. John Kirby was the victim of a

mild concussion in the second quarter.

Kirby is expected to be ready for the Sooners, Hohn is doubtful.

Although Oklahoma State never really seriously threatened, the Cowpokes did

maneuver a comeback to force Nebraska

to use the last 59 seconds to run out the

handle Oklahoma U.

aerial defense which distressed Nebraska. With Mike Miller, the league's leading Jack Jacobson his favorite target, the 'Pokes amassed 165 yards through the

air.
The clever Jacobson had the Kirby-less Nebraska secondary chasing shadows as he grabbed nine short pitches for 105

Except when End Larry Tomlinson tagged him and later when Bob Brown Turn to Page 4, Column 7

#### Any One for Aspirin?—

## Huskers Pay Heavy Victory Price

By Tom Allan World-Herald Staff Member Lewis Field, Stillwater, Okla.—They'd won but the

Huskers were a subdued lot in the lockerroom after escaping with a 20-to-16 victory over fired-up Oklahoma State.

The victory had a price tag that was possibly more

than the already injury depleted Huskers could afford with the big one with Oklahoma on tap this week. Scatback Bob Hohn

limped in wincing in pain with an ice bag strapped to his right knee. He'd injured it on the opening kick-off and sat out the remainder of the game in sweat pants. First unit Tackle Larry Kramer was nursing bruised

Willie Ross's bad shoulder ached and a leg charleyhorse hurt him.

Somber

Co-Captain John Kirby stoutly maintained he was okay but he sat out the rest of the game after suf-fering a mild concussion in the second quarter.

With three other main-stays left at home to lick their wounds-Quarterback Dennis Claridge, Fullback Rudy Johnson and Tackle

#### Whew!

Neb-O.S. Time

7-0 McNulty smashed from the
two on ninth play of fifty-five
yard drive. Theisen kicked ...

7-3 Durkee kicked 30-yard field goal
when \$3-yard drive bogged
4-3 Dwale better the play
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Third Durater

Monte Kiffin-there was no

wonder Husker Coach Bob Devaney was in a somber mood. "I'm darned glad it's over.

If we had had to play a little longer, it might have been a rong said Devaney. been a long ride home,'

Work

Big Bob Brown, who had

taken over as team captain when Kirby was removed, perhaps expressed the sentiment of the players best. He shouted:

"Fellas, we've got a lot of work to do this week." Devaney said:

"We certainly have a lot of work to do. The question is what to do. I'm afraid there is not too much we can do except hope we heal up physically and mentally.

He said his men have gone through "some real tough ball games and are real tired and banged up. Devaney added:

"Every kid we have out is questionable for Oklahoma. It's quite a question on Denny (Claridge) and Rudy Johnson and I can't see Hohn in there. Kiffin might—but."

#### No Alibis

Saturday, Halfback Kent McCloughan played his usual role although suffering from a touch of the flu. A couple of others were

reported to have had upset

But there were no alibis.

Moger sayers, who haunted Drake with three touchdown gallops ... bursts through line for first-half gain.

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