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**PREP FOOTBALL SPECIAL**

## 'U' Foes: Big Red, Big Spirit

**By JOHN WIERBUSCH**  
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LINCOLN, Neb. — The battle cry of the University of Nebraska — "Go Big Red!" — is emblazoned on billboards at the tops of buildings and desolate corn fields.

They children wear red blazers, bartenders are emblazoned in crimson and even Lincoln's most fashionable maternity shop features red as its color of the month.

Some 65,000 people will fill Memorial Stadium today when Minnesota collides with Nebraska and all but a small minority of them will be clothed in red.

Football has captured Lincoln, Omaha and environs.

Six years ago, Memorial Stadium seated barely over 50,000 and empty seats were commonplace. That was in the pre-Bob Devaney era.

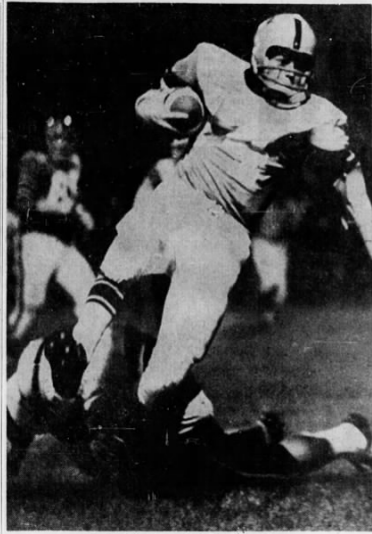
Nebraska has lost just five regular-season games in Devaney's tenure as coach and will not be an underdog today.

Nebraska sold 53,000 season tickets for Cornhusker games this season. Its school enrollment is slightly more than 18,000 and 17,000 students will be in attendance today.

Minnesota, by comparison, has more than 35,000 students, yet it sold fewer than 10,000 student season tickets.

"Bob Devaney has given this school something to be proud of on Saturday night," said Don Bryant, the Nebraska sports publicist. "We are so very proud."

**Gophers**  
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Carried Ball to Osseo 29 in Tigers' 14-0 Victory  
ST. CLOUD TECH'S PAT ARNOLD CAUGHT 20-YARD PASS

## SANTIAGO SET FOR SOX

# Just a Game? Kaat: Yes... No

**By TOM BIERIE**  
 Minneapolis Tribune Staff Writer

BOSTON, Mass.—Pitcher Jim Kaat will start in the Twins' crucial baseball game against Boston today.

"You try to tell yourself it's just another ball game, but you know it isn't," said the 27-year-old left-hander.

The first-place Twins will open a two-game series in Boston, holding a one-game edge over the Red Sox. If the Twins win today, Boston will be eliminated from the American League pennant race.

The starter will be Jim Lonergan, who was scheduled to open.

"I take a leisurely walk-out the day before pitch," Kaat said. "No throwing, no running."

"I eat a big dinner — steak and the whole bit — and go out the night before

I pitch, even to a movie. I just spend an easy night at home or in my hotel room, watch television and go to bed when I get tired.

"Eight hours sleep is all I ever need. I'm not a late-sleeper, never have been."

The breakfast before an afternoon game is a light one, according to Kaat.

This is the most difficult chore for the 6-foot-4, 230-pound Kaat. He's a tremendous eater. A two-week dinner is common for Jim.

"The body functions better physically when hungry," said Kaat.

"For breakfast on a pitching day I might have some eggs, toast and coffee. No milk, no ham, sausage or anything greasy. I'll eat about five hours before game time. For Sunday, I can catch up on my eating after the game and it tastes better if you win."

"Once you get to the ballpark, the mental buildup takes care of itself and once you throw the first ball, you forget about the importance of the game. You're too engrossed in trying to get the batter out in game situations to have any more nervous quaking."

Twins Trainer: The Twins practiced at the Met Field.

## Tigers, Angels Try Again For Twin Bill

DETROIT, Mich., (AP)—Detroit and California staged a second straight day by the weather in their bid to start a four-game series and help settle the World American League pennant race, are scheduled for a doubleheader today at 1:15 p.m. and another Twin bill at 12:30 p.m. Sunday.

They were rained out Thursday and stopped Friday by cold.

Pitching assignments have gone to Detroit's Mickey Lolich (15-13) and Earl Wilson (22-11), and the Angels' George Brunetti (11-10) and Jack Hamilton (9-6).

The Tigers trail Minnesota by one game and are .007 percentage points ahead of Boston, the other contender.

**Pennant possibilities:**  
**TWINS**  
 (Two games left, with Boston)  
 Wis 2 . . . . . 93 89 374  
 Wis 1 . . . . . 79 568  
 Wis 9 . . . . . 71 362  
**(Four games left, with California)**  
 Wis 4 . . . . . 92 272  
 Wis 5 . . . . . 82 79 284  
 Wis 1 . . . . . 80 72 288  
 Wis 6 . . . . . 73 248  
**BOSTON**  
**(Two games left, with Twins)**  
 Wis 2 . . . . . 82 70 268  
 Wis 3 . . . . . 71 561  
 Wis 8 . . . . . 80 72 288

## STOP LONG GAINER

# Park Edges Kennedy 13-7

**By NOLAN ZAVORAL**  
 Minneapolis Tribune Staff Writer

Kennedy kept jabbing at St. Louis Park Friday night, but never found the knockout punch. And host Park beat the No. 4-ranked high school team in the state 13-7.

Bruce Haug, "tip" back in Kennedy's formation, gained 140 yards in 25 carries. He often took pitch backs from quarterback Jim Clausen, and then exploded through the line, usually with tacklers dangling from each leg.

"We still stopped the real lions' gains," said Park coach Bob Roy. "They didn't get the breakaway run."

Haug had the longest Kennedy run—14 yards. A homecoming crowd watched him spearhead the final Kennedy thrust. With five minutes left in the game and Kennedy behind 13-7, Haug carried three times for 14 yards, putting the Eagles at the Park 33. But Kennedy eventually lost the ball on down.

Park grabbed a 7-0 lead in the second quarter. The drive began at the Park 14 and ended with quarterback Mike Lovell running five yards to a touchdown. Only two passes were thrown in the match, both complete.

"Our game plan was to prove we weren't just a passing club," Ray said. "Sure we passed a lot in our other

Team	W	L	Pct.
TWINS	89	69	.563
BOSTON	82	79	.543
CHICAGO	89	71	.556
CLEVELAND	82	73	.522
KANSAS CITY	72	85	.469
BALTIMORE	74	83	.465
BOSTON	74	85	.465
NEW YORK	70	90	.438
KANSAS CITY	62	97	.389

Team	W	L	Pct.
ST. LOUIS	90	69	.563
SAN FRANCISCO	88	70	.557
CHICAGO	86	72	.541
CLEVELAND	80	74	.513
PHILADELPHIA	81	77	.513
BOSTON	80	80	.500
ATLANTA	77	83	.481
NEW YORK	72	88	.450
CLEVELAND	69	92	.425
NEW YORK	60	100	.375

**Washburn Rips Cowboys 54-0**

**By NOLAN ZAVORAL**  
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Tom Brennan's afternoon or, never had time to fully begin in frustration and ended in pain as his West team was trounced 54-0 by Washburn Friday.

Brennan, a junior, was starting his first game at quarterback. The West offense had the ball only five plays in the first quarter as Washburn built a 21-0 lead.

Midway in the second quarter, trailing 27-0, Brennan called a pass. He faded back to his 36-yard line and tossed to a flanker deep in West territory.

The flanker caught the ball chest high, but dropped it after being tackled from behind Brennan, who had been tackled just as he released the ball, pounded his fists on the ground in frustration.

Brennan, also West's punter,

## No. 2 Ranked Tech Blasts Osseo 41-0

St. Cloud Tech's ferocious football Tigers, ranked as the No. 2 high school football team in the state, roared to a 41-0 victory over Osseo Friday night on Osseo's field for strip Osseo's consecutive 10 straight wins.

A capacity crowd of more than 5,000 persons watched Tech score almost at will in rolling up two touchdowns in each of the first three periods and a safety in the fourth.

The one-sided contest stemmed John Hansen, veteran Osseo coach. "I just can't believe it," he said. "We were outplayed in every department. I almost have to believe this is a different team than the one we played last season."

Hansen was referring to the fact that the two schools played to a 20-20 deadlock last season.

St. Cloud  
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## Senators Out Chisox From A.L. Title Race

CHICAGO, Ill. (AP)—The Washington Senators ousted Chicago from the American League pennant race Friday night by snapping the White Sox 1-0 behind the four-hit pitching of Phil Ortega and an unearned run in the first inning.

The White Sox, who lost a doubleheader at Kansas City Wednesday night, needed a sweep of the three-game series against Washington to stay alive in the hectic four-team scramble.

They now can win a maximum of 91 games and must finish behind either the Minnesota Twins or Boston Red Sox, who meet in a two-game set today and Sunday.

Minnesota and Boston each lost 69, the White Sox 71, and the winners of today's Minnesota-Boston

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FRASIER his team's efforts. Coach Don Nyland of Tech said he expected a much tougher contest and added that his team's performance was a 20-20 deadlock last season.

**CHICAGO BEARS PLAN NO WORKOUTS**

The Chicago Bears will arrive this afternoon for their game Sunday against the Minnesota Vikings, but will not work out in the Twin Cities.

After arrival coach George Halas and his squad will look over the Metropolitan Stadium field and then return to their Thunderbird Motel headquarters.

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