

HUSKER HIGHLIGHTS

By George Miller

The 17th annual Big Six track and field championships will be held in Lincoln Saturday will undoubtedly be the last one-day affair for loop athletes. Due to interference with final exams at some schools the meet directors were forced to crowd all of the activity into one day—not quite an ideal situation since preliminaries will be held in all events except the mile, two mile, mile relay, high jump and pole vault.

This situation will serve to further protect all Big Six records, most of which are beyond danger without any assistance from the program of events. William Newblock's high jump mark of 6 feet 9 3/4 inches, established by the Oklahoma athlete in 1933, is the only record which has been eclipsed by conference performers who will appear Saturday.

High jumpers Tom Scofield of Kansas, Dwayne Feekin of Iowa State and L. D. Howe of Missouri have turned in better heights in competition, but may not be able to erase record Saturday.

George Veekner, former athletic director at Iowa State, has been named honorary referee for the meet, while Lee Webb, head of the Nebraska high school activity association will handle the actual refereeing duties.

Other officials include Ed Higginbotham as starter, and Chili Armstrong as clerk of the course and official scorer. Timers are Lou Means, head of the student physical welfare department, Pop Klein, Rev. D. B. O'Connor, Bill Nicholas and H. W. Garrett.

Nebraska has won the team championship nine times during the 17 years that the Big Six has recognized an outdoor track champion. Kansas is the only other conference member that has more than two championships, the Jayhawks winning in 1930, '31 and '34.

Just about the only certainty concerning Saturday's meet is the fact that Iowa State will be un-

able to retain the crown which they have held for the past two years. Navy transfers have weakened the Cyclone squad and Coach George Brettnall's thinclads will be forced to uncork some surprise performers if they are to make it three wins in a row.

Pre-meet forecasting points to Kansas as the probable winner, but Coach Ed Weir's University of Nebraska squad will have plenty to say about the final outcome of the meet. Altho the Huskers lack balance, being extremely potent in the middle distance and distance events and weak in jumps and sprints, a dog-eat-dog struggle between other teams may allow the Scarlet team to climb back onto the throne they last held in 1942.

The list of previous champions:

- 1929—Nebraska
- 1930—Kansas
- 1931—Kansas
- 1932—Nebraska
- 1933—Nebraska
- 1934—Kansas
- 1935—Oklahoma
- 1936—Nebraska
- 1937—Nebraska
- 1938—Missouri
- 1939—Nebraska
- 1940—Nebraska
- 1941—Nebraska
- 1942—Nebraska
- 1943—Missouri
- 1944—Iowa State
- 1945—Iowa State

An examination of marks turned in by loop athletes this spring discloses that the Big Six is subpar in all weight events except the javelin throw. Shot put and discus men have been unable to approach performances of pre-war days and any prediction as to the outcome of these weight events Saturday is nothing more than a guess.

Nebraska's Ned Nutzman has a shot put toss of 47 feet 5 inches to his credit. He registered this mark during the indoor championships at Kansas City, however, since then he has been unable to come near this effort.

Individual performances may not be outstanding, but fans will stay to the end for the team race promises to be one of the closest in recent years.

PhiGams Take IM Golf Title; Greenwood Low

Independent contestants made a clean sweep of both team and individual laurels in the intramural spring golf tourney held at the Pioneer golf course Sunday. Scott Greenwood turned in an eighteen hole score of 75 for the day's best card, Fiji Kenny Adams' 77 earned him the runner-up slot.

The team championship, determined by the aggregate scores of four golfers, also went to the independents. The best scores from their 12 man group totaled 328, ten points lower than the second place Phi Gamma Delta team. The Phi Gams were awarded first place Jack Best points as the top fraternity team.

Team	Jack Best Points
Independent (328)	130
Phi Gamma Delta (338)	105
Delta Upsilon (339)	85
Sigma Nu (343)	79
Alpha Tau Omega	55
Kappa Sigma & Delta Tau Delta	40
Phi Delta Theta	30
Sigma Phi Epsilon	30
Sigma Alpha Epsilon	30

(Three teams did not have enough men to qualify, or did not finish).

Help Wanted
Athletic Director Ad Lewandowski has issued a call for men to report today at 4 p. m. at the east stadium to aid in getting the stands ready for the Big Six track meet Saturday. Workers will receive a nominal wage for their efforts.

ATOs Nip Phi Gams To Win Track Honors

TEAM STANDINGS

Alpha Tau Omega 44 5/6
Phi Gamma Delta 39
Delta Upsilon 27 1/3
Phi Delta Theta 23
Cornhusker 21
Brown Palace 16 2/3
Beta Theta Pi 11
Lilies 7
Sigma Alpha Epsilon 5
Independents 4
Pioneer 3 1/2

Alpha Tau Omega scored heavily in the relays to take first place in the intramural track meet which was concluded Wednesday afternoon at Memorial stadium. The Taus collected 44 5/6 points to edge out Phi Gamma Delta which finished with 39 counters.

Phi Gam Jim Meyers took individual honors, winning the pole vault and broad jump and tying for first in the 120 yard low

hurdles.

880 yard relay: Won by Alpha Tau Omega (Powell, Harse, Edline, Hendrichson); tie for second between Phi Delta and Beta Theta Pi; fourth, Sigma Alpha Epsilon. Time 1:42.
1000 yard run: Won by Jacobsen, Cornhusker Coop; second, Easter, Beta Theta Pi; third, Houston, Phi Delta Theta; fourth, Howard, Lilies. Time 2:39.5.
Discus: Won by Lebsack, Phi Delta Theta; second, D. Schleiger, Phi Gamma Delta; third, Bridge, Alpha Tau Omega; fourth, DeBoldt, Independent. Distance 118 feet.

120 yard low hurdles: Tie for first between Meyers, Phi Gamma Delta and Jacobsen, Cornhusker Coop; third, Hemmingsen, Delta Upsilon; fourth, Binder, Brown Palace. Time 1:6.2.

High jump: Tie for first between Barry, Alpha Tau Omega; Schneider, Delta Upsilon; and Phillips, Brown Palace; fourth, Huxley, Navy. Height: 5 feet 8 inches.
Pole vault: Won by Meyers, Phi Gamma Delta; tie for second between Sloan, Alpha Tau Omega and Holmes, Independent; tie for fourth between Copple, Phi Gamma Delta and Fischer, Independent. Height 11 feet 8 inches.

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League Bigwigs Begin Meetings In Lincoln Today

Big Six coaches, faculty representatives, athletic directors and business managers will convene today in the first sessions of meetings for each group which will be held at the Cornhusker Hotel in conjunction with the conference track and field championships.

The groups will reassemble at 9:00 a. m. Friday morning to wind up their business. Today's meetings begin at 2:00.

Conference athletic directors who will be present for the meetings in addition to A. J. Lewandowski of Nebraska are Louis Menze of Iowa State, Mike Ahearn of Kansas State, Ernie Quigley of Kansas, Don Faurot of Missouri and L. E. "Jap" Haskell of Oklahoma.

Kailey-Cressman Face Cady-Devoe In Tennis Finals

Ken Kailey and Jack Cressman, Beta Theta Pi, face the Phi Delta Theta combination of Steve Devoe and Jack Cady in the finals of the all-university tennis doubles tourney Friday.

Cady and Devoe dropped the other Beta team, Roy Farris and Keith Johnson, in the semifinals of their bracket to earn the finals slot. Kailey and Cressman bested Mills-Swift, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, in their semifinal, 6-4, 16-14.

Kailey-Cressman topped the other Phi Delt aggregation of Fisher and Farnsworth in the quarterfinals, so the final will settle not only the tourney championship, but decide the winner in the Beta-Phi Delt house rivalry.

A physician, by use of ultraviolet light, now can determine within seconds, in advance of usual signs, whether a patient is dead.

INTRAMURALS

The IM horseshoe singles tourney, in progress for several weeks, has finally been narrowed down to eight bracket winners. The leading shoe slingers are Independents Stu Minnick and Ray DeBoldt; Bob Korte, Phi Gam; George Townsend, Beta; Don Erb, Phi Gam; Kenny Hoffman, SAE; Glen Blinde, Beta Sig; and Ashley, Phi Delt.

These men meet in final play-off is this week to determine the university king in 'back-of-the-barn croquet.'

The new softball schedule, revised to form a playoff series, is printed below. The top teams have been matched and bracketed in an elimination tourney so that by the end of Friday's games all places in the final softball standings will have been determined.

Thursday
(All Games at 5:10)
Phi Delta Theta vs. Cornhusker Coop.
Alpha Gamma Rho vs. Beta Sigma Psi.
Phi Kappa Psi vs. Sigma Nu.
Beta Theta Pi vs. Pioneer Coop.
Naval Sluggers vs. Lilies.

Friday
AGR-Beta Sig winner vs. Phi Delt-Cornhusker winner (1st and 2nd).
AGA-Beta Sig loser vs. Phi Delt-Cornhusker loser (3rd and 4th).
Phi Gamma Delta vs. Alpha Tau Omega (5th and 6th).

Softball results
Cornhusker Coop 1, Sigma Chi 0.
Phi Delta 5, Delta Upsilon 2.
Alpha Gamma Rho 2, Kappa and Delta Tau Delta 1.

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