

# Husker Track Team Outscores Oklahoma

BY GEORGE MILLER.

Nebraska track athletes and fans focused their attention on the Big Six indoor championships scheduled for Kansas City March 1 following the Huskers' well earned 58½ to 45½ win over the Oklahoma thinclads Saturday afternoon at the UN indoor layout.

A more-than-capacity crowd jammed into the east stadium arena and overflowed into the infield and outside the track into the stadium lobby to witness another Husker assault on dual meet and university records.

Little Bobby Ginn, a disappointing third in the much-heralded 880 with Kansas State on Wednesday, redeemed himself in great fashion with a scorching 1:57.7 in the halfmile against the Sooners. He also racked up a new dual meet standard in the mile run with a 4:30.2 clocking.

Ginn's 880 time wipes out Harold Kopf's short-lived record of 1:58.4, which the Lexington strider established three days ago, and also erases the dual meet mark of 1:58.5, held by Bill Lyda of OU.

Saturday it Kopf who set the pace while Ginn held back. Then in the last lap the Madison dynamo turned on the heat and whirled into the home stretch with a wide lead to shatter the existing record. Jim Martin, fast improving Benson freshman, pulled ahead of Kopf to grab second place as the Sooners were shut out in the event.

### Kinder Continues.

High jumper Monte Kinder continued his deadly work with dual meet records as he hurtled over the bar at 6 feet, 2 inches to overshadow the old mark of 5 feet, 10½ inches, held by Bill Weaver of Oklahoma.

Weaver was one of the competitors Saturday, but could do no better than a tie for third with Husker Dick Powers. The Sooner's freshman leaper, Bill Lambeth, wound up second with a jump of 6 feet.

A potent Nebraska mile relay quartet composed of Don Vollerton, Loyal Hurlbert, Harvey Stroud and Bill Conner easily outdistanced the Oklahoma team and in addition put a new relay mark of 3:29.4 into the record books. Nebraska's 1942 team held the previous best with a 3:32.5 compilation.

In the high hurdles, the veteran Ralph King stamped himself as a

### Nubbins Win

In the preliminary contest before the UN-Missouri game, the Husker Nubbins throttled the York College "B" team by a top-heavy 89 to 30 margin.

Thurman Wright led the winners with 15 points, while Bill Saler had 12 and Bob Allen 10. At the half the Nubbins sported a 52-16 lead.

## Bulletin

### BAPTIST FELLOWSHIP.

Members of the Baptist Student Fellowship will meet tonight at 5:30 at the Baptist student center. The Rev. Glenn Peterson, pastor of the Sheridan boulevard Baptist church will be the guest speaker.

### METHODIST GROUP.

The "Hub of Harmony" chorus will sing tonight at 8:30 at the St. Paul Methodist church following a fellowship lunch at 5:30. At 7 p. m. the five quest groups of the current session of the St. Paul University of Life group will meet.

### AG MEN'S CLUB.

Ag Men's Social club will hold a meeting Monday at 7 p. m. in the Ag Union.

### SIGMA TAU.

Members of Sigma Tau will have a dinner meeting followed by initiation Thursday at 6 p. m. in parlors A and B of the Union.

### LENTEN SERVICES.

The annual Lenten worship series at the Methodist student house will begin Tuesday morning at 7:15. The half-hour services will be held each Tuesday until Holy Week. The Rev. Harold Bryant will present the meditation at the opening service.

### NEWMAN CLUB.

There will be a general meeting of all members of the Newman club 8-day at 4:30 p. m. in rooms XYZ of the Union.

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LOST—Blue shell-rimmed glasses with pen in case. Near Sosh. Norma Jean Hock, 4-2418.

# KS Ace Shines But Nebraska Tankmen Best

Smoky Stover put on a brilliant one-man exhibition for the Kansas State swimming team, but his effort was not enough, as Coach Hollie Lepley's Husker mermen swamped the visitors 54 to 30 at the coliseum pool Saturday afternoon.

The Wildcat ace scored three firsts during the meet, winning the 220 and 440 freestyle events and taking the diving championship. Stover's contributions were the only first places the K-State swimmers could muster. His 220 time of 2:29 equalled the pool record set earlier this season by Phillips of Minnesota.

Marvin Grimm, Wilber ace, kept up his sprint pace by winning the 50 and 100 yard freestyle events as well as swimming a fast anchor leg on the Huskers' winning 440 yard relay quartet.

Other Nebraska winners were Les Oldfield in the backstroke, Conrad King in the breast stroke and the medley relay team composed of Oldfield, King and Dick Draper. Summary:

300 yard medley relay—Won by Nebraska (Les Oldfield, Conrad King, Dick Draper); second, Kansas State. Time 3:28.9.  
200 yard freestyle—Won by Smoky Stover (KS); second, Bill Burr (N); third, Dean Porter (N). Time 2:29. (Equals pool record.)  
50 yard freestyle—Won by Marvin Grimm (N); second, John Leidt (KS); third, Jack Campbell (N). Time :24.6.  
Diving—Won by Smoky Stover (KS); second, Roger Moore (N); third, Bill Case, (N). Winner's score 271.0.  
100 yard free style—Won by Marvin Grimm (N); second, Perry Branch (N); third, John Leidt (KS). Time :55.4.  
150 yard backstroke—Won by Les Oldfield (N); second, Don Meyer (N); third, James Orloff (KS). Time 1:54.9.  
200 yard breast stroke—Won by Conrad King (N); second, John McGill (KS); third, Bart Greenberg (N). Time 2:42.5.  
440 yard freestyle—Won by Smoky Stover (KS); second, Bill Burr (N); third, Dean Porter (N). Time 5:43.6.  
400 yard relay—Won by Nebraska (Perry Branch, Jack Campbell, Dick Draper, Marvin Grimm); second, Kansas State. Time 3:49.5.

Oklahoma; third, John Canaris, Oklahoma. Time 10:05.3.

Mile relay—Won by Nebraska (Don Vollerton, Royal Hurlbert, Harvey Stroud and Bill Connor); second, Oklahoma. Time 3:29.2. (New dual record, bettered old mark of 3:32.5 set by Nebraska in 1942.)

### FIELD.

Pole vault—Won by Don Cooper, Nebraska, 13 feet; second, Dick Miller, Nebraska, 12 feet 6 inches; third, Bill Carroll, Oklahoma, 11 feet 6 inches.

High jump—Won by Monte Kinder, 6 feet 2 inches; second, Bill Lambeth, Oklahoma, 6 feet; tie for third between Dick Powers, Nebraska, and B. Weaver, Oklahoma, 5 feet 11 inches. (New Oklahoma dual record, bettered old record of 5 feet 10½ inches by Weaver in 1946.)

Broad jump—Won by Jay Cornelison, Oklahoma, 21 feet 10 1/3 inches; second, Marvin McConnell, Oklahoma, 21 feet 3 3/4 inches; third, Dick Powers, Nebraska, 20 feet 4 1/2 inches.

Shot put—Won by Plato Andros, Oklahoma, 45 feet 2 inches; second, Dick Piderit, Nebraska, 45 feet 1/4 inch; third, Kenneth Hollins, Nebraska, 45 feet.



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# Scarlet Cage Force Fails to Halt Mizzou

Nebraska's one point halftime lead failed to stand up under a furious Missouri attack during the second half and the Huskers lost their seventh Big Six contest of the season to the Tigers by a score of 60 to 49, Saturday night at the Coliseum.

Through most of the first half and the first ten minutes of the second half, the Huskers held close, but two quick buckets by Bob Garwitz from far out and another two-point effort by Thornton Jenkins gave the visitors a lead they never lost.

Uncanny accuracy from the foul line during the second half played a large part in the Bengal's success. In the second half Coach Spary Stalcup's crew pitched in 13 foul shots without a miss. Fouls were numerous during the rough contest and the Tigers capitalized on their chances

making a total of 20 of 24 attempts.

Dan Pippin, Thornton Jenkins and John Rudolph paced the winners with 16, 15 and 14 points respectively. Rodney Cox came back into the game after being cut on the forehead in a first half collision, and took sering honors for the Huskers with 14 tallies.

Nebraska held a 28-27 lead at the end of the first half after a see-saw struggle in which both teams started slowly. But in the last half the Missouri reserve strength began to tell and the Scarlet hopes wilted.

By virtue of the loss Nebraska is now all by itself at the bottom of the conference race with two wins and seven losses. The Tigers still have a chance of tying pace-setting Oklahoma Sooners, providing the Sooners drop both remaining games while Missouri is scoring nothing but victories from here on.

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Event Summary		
Track.		
	NU	OU
60-yard dash	5	4
440-yard dash	8	1
880-yard run	9	0
Mile	6	4
Two-mile	0	0
60-yard high	6	3
60-yard low	1	8
Mile relay	5	3
Totals	40	28
Field.		
	NU	OU
Pole Vault	8	1
High Jump	5 1/2	3 3/4
Broad Jump	1	8
Shot put	4	5
Totals	18 1/2	17 1/4
Grand Total	58 1/2	45 1/4

definite threat for Big Six honors as he swept over the tall timbers in :07.6, the best time of his career. King's performance equalled the existing conference indoor mark but was one-tenth of a second shy of the dual meet record held by Husker Bill Smutz.

### Hutton Gone.

Despite the absence of Dick Hutton who deserted the track squad to get married, the Husker showing was encouraging. Al Thompson continued to score points in the 60-yard dash and low hurdles by placing second in each event.

Harvey Stroud and Loyal Hurlbert came up with potent finishing kicks in the 440 race and wiped out the early lead held by Landon Westbrook of Oklahoma. Stroud edged his Ord teammate at the finish line in the time of :50.8.

More encouragement came in the shot put. Although Dick Piderit did not win the event, he continued to improve his distance. Saturday the former Lincoln high weight man heaved the shot 48 feet, 1/4 inches, the best mark of his career. Plato Andros of Oklahoma won the event with a toss just two and one-quarter inches better than Piderit's effort.

The Husker stratosphere twins, Don Cooper and Dick Miller, copped the first two places in their pet event. Cooper won the pole vault with a height of 13 feet, while Miller dropped out of the running because of a bad back after clearing 12 feet, six inches.

Coach John Jacobs' Sooner distance aces swept the two-mile grind. Clarence Vicklund was a surprise winner in the good time of 10:05.3, as he showed his heels to teammates Lonny Chapman and John Canaris, defending conference indoor king.

Nebraska runners Don Morrison and Bob Tobin were far arrears, Tobin leading Morrison to the tape.

With Hutton absent, Oklahoma's defending indoor hurdle champ Jon Sharp won the 60-yard low event by a narrow margin from Husker Al Thompson.

The broad jump continued to bring grief to the Scarlet squad. The best Dick Powers could manage was a 20-foot, 4-inch leap, good for third place behind Jay Cornelison and Marwin McConnell of the OU outfit. Summary:

**TRACK.**  
Mile run—Won by Bob Ginn, Nebraska; second, Ray Burns, Oklahoma; third, Ben Slocum, Oklahoma. Time 4:30.2. (New dual record, bettered old mark of 4:32.4 set by Ginn in 1941.)  
880-yard run—Won by Bob Ginn, Nebraska; second, Jim Martin, Nebraska; third, Harold Kopf, Nebraska. Time 1:57.7. (New NU varsity indoor record, bettered old mark of 1:58.4 set by Kopf in 1947. Also new OU dual record, bettering old mark of 1:58.5 set by Bill Lyda, OU, 1942.)  
440-yard dash—Won by Harvey Stroud, Nebraska; second, Loyal Hurlbert, Nebraska; third, Landon Westbrook, Oklahoma. Time :50.9.  
60-yard dash—Won by Laddie Harp, Oklahoma; second, Alan Thompson, Nebraska; third, Don Cooper, Nebraska. Time :06.4.  
60-yard low hurdles—Won by John Sharp, Oklahoma; second, Alan Thompson, Nebraska; third, Hobe Gilstrap, Oklahoma. Time :07.1.  
60-yard high hurdles—Won by Ralph King, Nebraska; second, John Sharp, Oklahoma; third, Bob Berkshire, Nebraska. Time :07.6. (Equals Big Six indoor record.)  
Two-mile run—Won by Clarence Vicklund, Oklahoma; second, Lonny Chapman,

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