

Phi Gamma Delta Wins IM Honors

Fijis Upset Sigma Chi To Take 'A' Basketball Crown

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The intramural basketball playoffs finished Tuesday night in high style, typifying intramural play this year. In the important A playoffs, the Phi Gamma Delta quintet turned in a mild upset by trimming previously unbeaten Sigma Chi, 24-21.

In the B team playoffs, Sigma Alpha Epsilon did away with a hard fighting Phi Delta Theta outfit to cop honors in their class.

In the consolation games, the Beta Theta Pi five knocked off Delta Upsilon 35-26, to take third in the A competition, while Alpha Tau Omega slapped down a rugged Theta Xi team, 39-28 in the B consolation game.

Always Ahead.

The Phi Gams, in turning in one of their finest performances of the year, were ahead all the way as they pressed their way to a repeat championship. Not until the last 30 seconds of the game were the Sigma Chi boys able to overhaul the alert Fijis. McWilliams took the ball at mid court and dribbled in about three feet and let loose the shot that looked like it would send the game into overtime.

However, in the last 40 seconds Captain Jim Meyers drove in for a well-placed set-up to ice the game for the Phi Gams. A free throw a second before had put the Fijis in the lead and with Myers' bucket the game was no longer a contest.

The game started out slowly, for both teams were cold the first half, including Jim McWilliams, the Sig Chi star who had scored 41 points in two earlier play-off games. The half ended with the Phi Gams on top, 14-9.

Free Throws.

All the Sig Chi points with the exception of two, came on free throws in the first stanza. The second half saw a repetition of the first as the Phi Gams beat off the constant efforts of a spirited Sigma Chi team. Whithead, the towering center for Sigma Chi, was continually bottled up under the basket all during the game. He did get loose for a pair of baskets in the second half, but they were quickly matched by the alert Myers.

With two minutes to go, the score was 21-16 in favor of Phi Gamma Delta. In the last two minutes the Sigma Chi five looked like the team of a few nights before as they counted three times to tie at 21-all with a half-minute remaining.

The Phi Gams showed a well planned defense as they held McWilliams to six points, a figure far below his average par. Myers of the winners was the big scoring threat all evening as he pushed through 11 points to lead all scorers. Beside leading the scoring column, he played a beautiful floor game for the repeating champions.

Box score:

Phi Gamma Delta	Sigma Chi
Myers 4 3 2	Jameson 0 1 4
Long 1 2 3	Buckley 0 3 3
Eisenhart 0 4 0	Whitehead 2 3 4
Fox 0 1 2	Regier 0 1 1
Wolfe 0 0 3	Neidfeet 0 1 2
Hughes 0 0 3	Phillips 1 0 4
Farner 1 2 4	
Totals 6 12 17	Totals 6 9 20

In the consolation game for third place honors, Beta Theta Pi, clipped Delta Upsilon by a score of 35-26. The Betas led all the way, as Roland Emmett spear-headed the attack.

The Betas, who had beaten a strong Phi Delta Theta outfit in the first round of the playoffs, and then lost by one point to Phi Gamma Delta the next night, were not to be denied as they played heads-up ball all the way.

Delta Upsilon, winner of League three in regular season play, had the speed to win but lacked the ability to hit the hoop as their shots rolled around and out.

Lawson, Emmett Score.

In contrast, the Betas sifted through the D.U. defense time and again for sure set-ups that put the ball game in their win column. Lawson was the star for the Delta Upsilon game as he

collected a total of 10 points. Emmett grabbed the same number for the winners.

The win gave third place in the final standings to the fast Beta Theta Pi quintet, a team that missed the finals by one point.

Box score:

Beta Theta Pi	Delta Upsilon
Emmett 3 4 2	Ackerman 4 2 2
Hamilton 0 1 1	D. Kratz 0 0 4
Parris 1 1 4	K. Kratz 0 2 3
Duncan 2 4 2	Cooper 2 0 1
Johnson 2 1 1	Goodwin 0 0 1
Hyland 2 2 1	Pettis 0 0 2
Berger 1 0 1	Lawson 4 2 5
Totals 11 13 12	Totals 10 8 18

The B team finals which were held early in the evening, resulted in a pair of well played games. In the main event, Sigma Alpha Epsilon pounced on Phi Delta Theta to walk off with the B team championship. The final score was 32-21 for the Sig Alpha five.

From the time the Sig Alphas broke the silence of the coliseum with a basket at the two-minute mark, they were in control of the ball. The Phi Deltas fought back hard but at no time could they catch the fast breaking Sig Alphas. The half time score was 12-9 with Phi Delta Theta trailing.

In the last half, the Phi Deltas at times looked good enough to catch the never-waiting Sigma Alpha Epsilon five. With five minutes remaining in the game, the Sig Alpha advantage had mounted to ten points, the score being 29-19.

Partington Shines.

The winners missed few chances, as was not the case with the Phi Deltas. Joe Partington again played a nice floor game, as he hit the scoring column for eight points. Ancrom and Gary tied for scoring honors in the Sigma Alpha Epsilon cause with eight apiece.

Box score:

Sig. A. Eps.	Phi. D. Th.
Ancrom 3 2 2	Partington 3 2 1
Cleveland 1 2 1	Moore 1 0 1
Gary 3 2 1	Buckley 0 0 0
McCluhan 2 1 2	Williams 2 0 4
Hawkins 2 1 4	Charon 1 0 0
Burgess 0 0 2	Potter 0 1 2
Lawrence 0 0 0	Stanley 0 0 1
Reed 0 0 0	Livingston 1 1 3
Taylor 0 0 0	
Totals 12 8 12	Totals 8 5 12

In the other B team contest Alpha Tau Omega stayed out in front of a good Theta Xi team to win third place honors in the B team standings.

The game which ended 35-29 in favor of ATO, belonged to ATO all the way as they controlled more than their share of the rebounds. The Theta Xi boys didn't know what the word quit meant as they pressed hard right until the final seconds of play.

However, they were just a little out of their class, as the ATO hit about everything they threw at the basket. The first half ended with ATO safely out in front 17-9. From there on they played the game in their own style with the losers threatening only once when they came up to within three points of the pace setter.

McKee of ATO set somewhat of a record as he sent eight straight gift tosses through the nets in a row. He led all scorers with a total of 12. Binder managed to pot eight for Theta Xi.

Box score:

Al. T. Om.	Theta Xi
Whelan 0 2 4	Binder 3 2 2
Johnson 0 2 2	McCracken 3 1 5
Gullop 4 2 1	Toranzo 1 1 1
Hunt 4 0 1	Schuppak 2 3 3
Hargrave 0 0 0	Hill 2 0 5
McKee 7 8 2	Robak 0 0 2
Jacupke 2 0 0	Neuman 0 0 1
Johnson 0 0 1	
Totals 12 14 15	Totals 11 7 19



Husker Swimming Team Eyes Conference Meet at Iowa State

Records for the Big Six meet (20-yard pool):

300-yard medley relay: 3:12.7 by Iowa State, 1942.
200-yard free style: 2:21.5 by Stover, Kansas State, 1940.
60-yard free style: :29.5 by Adams, Iowa State, 1940.
100-yard free style: :34.1 by Adams, Iowa State, 1940.
150-yard back stroke: 1:46.1 by Oldfield, Nebraska, 1942.
200-yard breast stroke: 2:33.4 by Surber, Oklahoma, 1940.
440-yard free style: 5:19.6 by Stover, Kansas State, 1940.
100-yard free style relay: 3:52.5, Iowa State, 1940.

The first renewal of the Big Six swimming championships since 1942 will take place this week end at Iowa State College in Ames.

When the firing is all over, it is likely that the only one conference swimmer record will remain untouched, and even it may possibly go by the boards. The 1947 swimmers have shown little respect for the old marks. Only the :29.5 mark for the 60-yard free style set by Roger Adams of Iowa State in 1940 has not been touched this year. Marvin Grimm of Nebraska has a 30:4 mark with Leitt of Kansas State holding a :30.5 time to rank as the only men with even a remote chance of smashing that mark.

Grimm also has been under the :54.1 mark for the 100-yard free style. He will have to face the great Cyclone frog, Roger Watts, in this event. Both men have bettered :54 to make the event a tossup. Watts has also bettered both the 220 and 440 marks and appears certain to erase the old marks. Smoky Stover, record holder from Kansas State, and Burns of Oklahoma are the big threats to Watts.

All four Big Six members who have watched their 400-yard free style relay teams better the present mark—a sure guarantee of a new mark either Friday in the preliminaries or Saturday in the finals. Iowa State has been under the 300-yard medley record in each of its seven meets.

Husker Entries.

Coach Hollie Lepley announced the Cornhusker entries for the conference test as follows: Back stroke: Les Oldfield, Don Meyers, Andrew Miller. Breast stroke: Conrad King, Barton Greenberg. Divers: Roger Moore, Richard Bell, Billy Case, Philip Sprague. Distance free style: Bill Burr, Dean Porter. Sprint free style: Marvin Grimm, Dick Draper, Jack Campbell, Perry Branch.

Les Oldfield, Nebraskan who holds the conference backstroke record, will be on hand but is figured to give up both his championship and his record. Doug Robison, Cyclone captain, is favored over Oldfield.

Marvin Grimm, freshman free styler from Wilber, has been the leading point getter for the Cornhuskers thru the dual meet season. Grimm holds the Nebraska varsity record in both the 50 and 100 yard free style events. His :24 second performance in the 50 lowered the mark of :24.1 set in 1939 by Adams of Iowa State. Grimm clipped a full second off the 100-yard mark of :55 held by Nebraskan Bill Edwards since

1937 and is undefeated in that event thru the current season.

King a Threat.

In the breast stroke a pair of Cyclone freshmen and the veteran Husker Conrad King form the threat to the 2:33.4 mark set by Surber of Oklahoma in 1940. Dick Neilsen and Ed Howes have been at the record all season while King came within a second of it in his last meet.

The Cornhusker mermen have won five contests while losing four. Victories include two wins over Kansas State and one each over Colorado, Oklahoma, and DeLoit. Minnesota, Iowa U and Iowa State have administered the Huskers' four defeats, two of them coming at the hands of Iowa State.

Farm House '5' Drubs AGR Crew For Ag Cage Title

Farm House A team wrapped up the Ag intramural championship title last night by trouncing the AGR A team 37 to 24. Farm House led from the opening whistle and was never seriously threatened throughout the game.

Gard sparked the victors with 16 points and some outstanding floor play. Brownlee of Farm House contributed 13 points to tie for second scoring spot with Bergmeier of the AGR's. AGR B team edged out Farm House B 20 to 19 in the preliminary tilt.

Sooners Begin Spring Sports Slate This Week

NORMAN, Okla.—Three University of Oklahoma spring sports teams will be in competition soon.

Coach Jack Baer's Oklahoma baseball team, Big Six defending champs and winners of 17 to 20

games last year, meet Texas Christian University here twice March 14 and 15.

Coach John Jacobs' Sooner track team engages the Denton, Tex., Teachers in a dual outdoor meet March 15 at Denton. Coach Walter Mead's Sooner tennis team clashes with the Durant, Okla., Teachers March 14 at Durant.

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Rory Calhoun's first starring role will be in Pine-Thomas' "Adventure Island," a color picture adapted from Robert Louis Stevenson's "Ebb Tide." Rhonda Fleming is his leading lady in the Paramount release.

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