



**HUSKER QUARTET** . . . This foursome could contribute some mighty valuable points to the Husker cause in the conference indoor meet this weekend. They are—left to right: Dan Tolman,



hurdles; Lenny Kehl, pole vault and relay; Lowell Neilson, shot; Irving Thode, broad jump and high jump.



# Huskers Picked To Capture Big Seven Track Crown

## BIG-7 DUAL TRACK MEET RECORDS

	Won	Lost
Missouri	3	0
Oklahoma	2	0
Nebraska	4	2
Colorado	2	1
Kansas State	1	1
Iowa State	1	2
Kansas	0	3

## BY KNOX JONES

(Special to The Daily Nebraskan)  
Nebraska's Cornhuskers, Missouri's Tigers and Oklahoma's Sooners will battle down the line for the Big-Seven indoor track title at Kansas City this weekend in what may be the closest finish in conference history. Nebraska is a slight pre-meet favorite on The Daily Nebraskan's annual dope sheet.

The sheet shows the Huskers totaling 44½ points to Missouri's 43½ and Oklahoma's 40½ but any thing can happen on the tricky Kansas City boards.

Missouri was an odds-on favorite to sweep the conference crown before the loss of Byron Clark, star sprinter, who pulled a muscle against Kansas last week, dented the Tigers a telling



**HOHL JONES** . . . the Nebraska hope in the 880 and mile runs in the Big Seven Track carnival in Kansas City.

blow. Without Clark, who would score sure points in the 880 yard dash, the Missouri twin-clads will have to stretch to win.

While the big three are fighting for first place, Kansas State, Kansas and Colorado will fight it out for fourth, fifth and sixth. Kansas, last year's champion, lost both Bob DeVinney and Jack Greenwood through the injury route and with them all chances of a repeat title.

Nebraska too is hampered by the loss of top men. Lee Moore, who turned in a 4:18.9 mile on the Kansas City track last winter is not eligible and Wendy Cole, the Husker's top hurdler, has been hampered by a muscle strain and will not compete in the high.

The Husker's chances to win the meet rest on the willingness and ability of many of the boys to double up and run several races, the most crucial events being the high and low hurdles and the broad jump.

## More Points for Cooper

Don Cooper, the best pole vaulter in conference history, could certainly gain dash points should he consent to run the 60. Hobe Jones, Lincoln sophomore, Ken Jacobs, Minden junior, Gene Yelkin, Franklin junior, and Leonard Kehl are others that will be called upon to double and must come through to insure a Cornhusker victory.

One aspect of the meet that may hamper the Huskers is the fact that four of Nebraska's top point-getters are sophomores and the Kansas City board track often throws the new men off stride, particularly in the dashes, hurdles and field events. Picking the places in the Kansas City carnival is like trying to find a needle in a hay stack as your reporter is trying to foresee the entries of each team, trying to pick which men will double in which events and how well they will do after the first race is under their belt.

Vergil Severns, K-State high-jumper, may not compete in the meet as he is currently touring South America with an American team and may not be able to arrange his schedule to get away for the weekend.

We've tried to be unbiased in our thoughts and Nebraska still comes out on top—hmm! The dope sheet is as follows:



**TIGER ACE** . . . Bill McGuire will be favored to breeze to a victory in the mile and add important points for Missouri in the other distance races.

**60 Yard Dash**  
Record: 36.2 by Don Campbell, Colorado, 1949; Byron Clark, Missouri, 1950.  
Returning place-winners: 1—Clark (M), 2—Carter (M), 3—Raso (C).  
Best reported times this year: 36.1—Raso (C); 36.2—Cox (O), 3—Baker (KS), 4—Sobocinski (O), 5—Carter (M).

**440 Yard Dash**  
Record: 2:49.3 by William Lyda, Oklahoma, 1942.  
Returning place-winners: 1—Meader (O), 2—Jones (N), 3—Baker (KS), 4—Schutzel (K).  
Best reported times this year: 3:01—Meader (O); 3:03—Jones (N); 3:07—Baker (KS); 3:09—Vanet (M); 3:13—Schutzel (K).  
Probable place-winners: 1—Meader (O), 2—Cox (O), 3—Baker (KS), 4—Schutzel (K), 5—Vanet (M).

**880 Yard Run**  
Record: 1:54.8 by Pat Bowers, Kansas, 1950.  
Returning place-winners: 5—Dinsmore (K).  
Best reported times this year: 1:57.3—Jones (N); 1:57.4—Gallup (M); 1:57.6—Crabtree (O); 2:00.6—Jacobs (N); 2:00.8—Schmiedel (N); 2:00.9—Brother (S).  
Probable place-winners: 1—Jones (N), 2—Gallup (M), 3—Crabtree (O), 4—Jacobs (N), 5—Dinsmore (K).

**One Mile Run**  
Record: 4:17.2 by William McGuire, Missouri, 1949; Robert Karnes, Kansas, 1950.  
Returning place-winners: 4—McGuire (M), 5—Abel (K).  
Best reported times this year: 4:17.3—McGuire (M); 4:29.1—Abel (K); 4:29.2—Wilkinson (O); 4:29.3—Jacobs (N); 4:29.2—Semper (K); 4:27.7—Yelkin (N); 4:29.9—Jones (N).

**Probable place-winners:** 1—McGuire (M), 2—Abel (K), 3—Jacobs (N), 4—Jones (N), 5—Semper (K).  
Record: 9:26.4 by Herbert Semper, Kansas, 1950.  
Returning place-winners: 1—Semper (K).  
Best reported times this year: 9:15.4—Semper (K); 9:26.7—Fox (M); McGuire (M); 10:00.0—Abel (K); 10:04.0—Jacobs (N); 10:09.4—Kroner (N); 10:21.0—Couper (C).  
Probable place-winners: 1—Semper (K), 2—Fox (M), 3—McGuire (M), 4—Abel (K), 5—Palmquist (K).

**60 Yard Low Hurdles**  
Record: 36.8 by Madill Gartiser, Missouri, 1948.  
Returning place-winners: 1—Hodel (O), 2—Greenwood (K).  
Best reported times this year: 36.9—Carter (M), Cole (N); 37.0—Greenwood (K); 37.1—Baker (N); Tolman (N); Henner (M); Smith (O); 37.7—Feader (M).  
Probable place-winners: 1—Hodel (O), 2—Baker (N), 3—Tolman (N), 4—Renner (M), 5—Baker (N).

**60 Yard High Hurdles**  
Record: 37.4 by Madill Gartiser, Missouri, 1948; Mervin Hodel, Colorado, 1950.  
Returning place-winners: 2—DeVinney (K), 3—Bardot (M), 4—Greenwood (K).  
Best reported times this year: 37.4—Hodel (O); 37.5—Greenwood (K); Bardot (M); 37.6—Baker (N); Tolman (N); Henner (M); Smith (O); 37.7—Feader (M).  
Probable place-winners: 1—Hodel (O), 2—Bardot (M), 3—Tolman (N), 4—Renner (M), 5—Baker (N).

**Mile Relay**  
Record: 3:22.1 by Missouri (Vanet, Phillips, Schuster, Ashby, 1948).  
Returning place-winners: 1—Oklahoma, 2—Kansas, 3—Nebraska, 4—Missouri, 5—Iowa State.  
Best reported times this year: 3:27.7—Oklahoma; 3:28.2—Missouri; 3:28.5—Nebraska; 3:28.8—Kansas State; 3:41.1—Colorado.  
Probable place-winners: 1—Oklahoma, 2—Missouri, 3—Nebraska, 4—Kansas State, 5—Kansas.

**Shot Put**  
Record: 52 feet 4½ inches by Rollin Prather, Kansas State, 1948.  
Returning place-winners: 5—Brusca (M).  
Best reported marks this year: 50-11½—Maye (O); 49-6—Tanner (O); 48-3—Robertson (IS); 48-4—Brusca (M); 46-3½—Graham (O); 45-11—Orlman (N); 45-7—Gard (IS).  
Probable place-winners: 1—Maye (O); 2—Tanner (O); 3—Robertson (IS); 4—Brusca (M); 5—Graham (O).

**Pole Vault**  
Record: 11 feet 11½ inches by William Carroll, Oklahoma, 1950.  
Returning place-winners: 2—Cooper (N), 1—Kehl (N).  
Best reported marks this year: 14-5½—Cooper (N); 13-5—Kehl (N); 13-4—Lemon (O); 12-4—Floyd (K); Stegerson (K); Nunn (KS); Lindsay (C); 12-4—Wilke (IS).  
Probable place-winners: 1—Cooper (N), 2—Kehl (N), 3—Lemon (O), Floyd (K), Nunn (KS).

**Broad Jump**  
Record: 24 feet 1½ inches by Norman Pedersen, Iowa State, 1948.  
Returning place-winners: 1—Hodkins (KS), 4—Bucher (M), 5—Stovall (M).  
Best reported marks this year: 24-1½—Hodkins (KS); 23-8½—Thode (N); 23-5—Smith (O); 22-1½—Beersline (N); 22-1—Stovall (M); 22-11—Cox (O); 22-3½—Catalano (C).  
Probable place-winners: 1—Hodkins (KS), 2—Thode (N), 3—Smith (O), 4—Beersline (N), 5—Stovall (M).

**High Jump**  
Record: 6 feet 8½ inches by Tom Seefeld, Kansas, 1949.  
Returning place-winners: 1—Severns (KS), Gordon (M), 2—Melsner (O).  
Best reported marks this year: 6-8½—Melsner (N); 6-8½—Gordon (M); 6-8½—Severns (KS); 6-4½—Jones (O); 6-3½—Gold (O); 6-3½—Launins (M); 6-2½—Churhill (O); 6-1—Thode (O).  
Probable place-winners: 1—Severns (KS), 2—Melsner (N), Gold (O), Jones (O), Gordon (M). (If Severns is unable to return from South America, tie the four for first and the Thode (N), Leuter (M) and Churchill (O) for fifth.)

**Delts Drop Kappa Sigma**  
Delta Tau Delta wrapped up second place in league II Monday by handing Kappa Sigma a 30-38 defeat. A second quarter spurge netted the win for the Delts.

## Composite Big-Seven Dope Sheet

	NU	MU	OU	KS	KU	CU	IS
60 yard dash	1	6	3	..	6	..	..
440 yard dash	1	10	3	2	..	..	..
880 yard run	8	4	3	..	1	..	..
Mile run	5	6	..	..	5	..	..
Two mile run	7	..	..	..	9	..	..
Low hurdles	6	9	1	..	..	..	..
High hurdles	4	6	..	..	..	6	..
Mile relay	3	4	6	2	1	..	..
Shot put	2	7	..	..	4	3	..
Pole vault	10	..	2	2	2	..	..
Broad jump	6	1	3	6	..	..	..
High jump	2½	2½	2½	6	..	2½	3
Totals	44½	43½	40½	22	20	18½	3



**LEE ALEXANDER** . . . Husker hope in the 60-yard dash will be facing his stiffest competition of the year in the Big Seven carnival in Kansas City. He will also run one leg of the all-important mile relay.

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## Sig Eps Rock Top DU's; Alpha Sigs, Dental Frosh Win

By Buck Ulin  
Marlin Downey  
Delta Upsilon, after finally gaining the top rung in the "B" team ratings, was knocked off Tuesday by the previously seventh-rated Sig Eps.

The Sig Eps took the lead at the half and were never seriously threatened as they breezed to a 41-33 victory. The DU's had a short first quarter lead, but under the steady pressure of the smooth working Sig Eps, they soon fell behind. The DU's missed their big chance when they cracked under a fourth quarter Sig Ep stall. Ted Kraft of the winners, and Bill Alexander of the DU's matched scoring honors with 16 each.

Phillips 33 cracked a stubborn City Y team with a red-hot third-quarter scoring spurge. The final whistle gave the 33's a hard-fought 44-33 win.

**Clark Leads**  
Bob Clark with 14, and Lynn Christianson with 13, paced the Phillips 33 attack. Dale Ostermann and Carlos Hanson led the Y with nine and eight, respectively.

The Dorm A Comets won their second game of the year over the Pill Rollers by a score of 37-31. The Comets jumped to an early 14-5 lead, but the Pill Rollers started moving after the half and threatened the rest of the way. John Prien with 14, and Don Switzer with 10, spearheaded the winners. Maurice Russell and Hank Denies of the losers gathered seven each.

Alpha Sigma Phi had little trouble with Delta Theta Phi, winding up on the long end of a 35-12 count. Paul Siegmund and

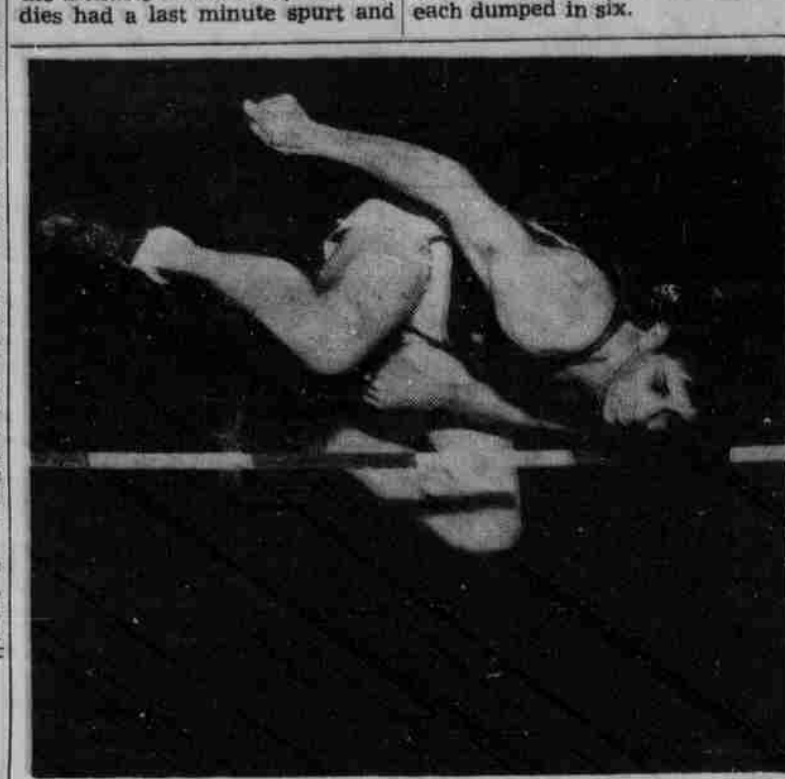
## Aggie Cagers Edge Theta Xi

Farm House and Theta Xi hooked up in a real battle Saturday that saw the Farm House cagers roaring from behind to win that cage contest, 28-27.

Theta Xi led practically all the way until the final moments. They held a 18-8 first quarter lead and still maintained that margin going into the final frame but then the Aggies took over.

Laose and Bale scored eight and six for TX while Sandy and Radin topped the Aggies with nine and six, respectively.

narrowed the margin to 19-18. Individual scoring honors went to John Edstrom who flipped in 10 markers for the losers. O'Connor and Liedenich of the winners each dumped in six.



**DICK MEISSNER** . . . holder of the All-time Husker high jump .. mark, can be counted upon to furnish counters in that event.

## Elimination Tournament For TT Club

By Marshall Kuehner

The Table Tennis club is planning a tournament to be held in the Union ballroom the nights of Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 12, 13, and 14. The purpose of the tournament is to pick the three men to represent the University of Nebraska in the Big Seven Table Tennis Tournament. This tournament is slated for April 6 and 7 at the University of Kansas.

Jack Cohen, university club president, announced that a round robin tournament will be the method of selecting the top three men. Sixteen players will battle it out for these three positions. They include the members of the Table Tennis club and the ranking all-University players as determined by the recent championship tournament.

Eight men will play on Monday, March 12 and eight men will play on Tuesday, March 13. The top three men from each of these playoffs will then meet on Wednesday, March 14. These six players will go through another round robin elimination and the three men winning the most games will earn the right to make the Lawrence trip.

Those scheduled to play on Monday night are:

Jack Cohen  
Bill Pratt  
M. Sohljoo  
Carl Farnbach  
Allen Tully  
Ed Schindler  
Burt Robinson  
Bob Hook

Jeff Dalton  
Wally Reed  
Paul Robson  
Gene Yost  
Don Thackeray  
Herb Lemon  
John O'Neal  
Stewart Tully

Those playing Tuesday night:

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Ed Schindler  
Burt Robinson  
Bob Hook

Those playing Wednesday night:

Allen Tully  
Ed Schindler  
Burt Robinson  
Bob Hook

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