

## Kansas, K St. Lead In Big Eight Race

By Elmer Kral  
The Big 8 basketball season has started out according to form with the two Kansas teams in the lead as of today. However, after the mid-semester break, both teams should get a harder workout than they have been getting so far.

Kansas State is currently tied for first with their neighbor Kansas U. Nebraska, Colorado, and Oklahoma are tied for third, fourth and fifth respectively, while Iowa State, Missouri, and Oklahoma State hold up the rear with winless records.

**K-State 3-0**  
Kansas State has plenty of evidence to show that they are no flukes in racking up a 3-0 conference and 12-1 overall record. They are led by center Bob Boozer who has a 25 point average and Wally Frank with a 14 pt ave. Not only do the Wildcats have two men who can score consistently but they also have reserve strength. In addition to Boozer and Frank, the Cats have four guards who can score from the outside when the going gets tough under the baskets. This weekend the Wildcats travel to Missouri where they face Sparky Stalcup's "rough house five" Saturday night.

Moving over to Missouri, the Wildcats should find plenty of competition waiting for them. The Tigers, riding the crest of an eight game losing streak will also be looking for their first conference win. Although Stalcup's crew was beaten by Nebraska last Monday, some superior shooting from the outside was exhibited by sophomore guards

Joe Scott and Rich Pulliam. Most of Missouri's losses can be attributed to a leaky defense. The Tigers have allowed an average of 71 pts per game in three conference games, which is first in the league in that department. However, Missouri is third in the conference in scoring with a 63 pt ave.

### Sooner Fair

The Oklahoma Sooners, who were figured to provide most of the competition for Kansas State, have started out fairly well. The Sooners have beaten Missouri and Iowa State while losing to

Kansas State rather convincingly, 90-45 last Monday. Oklahoma and Nebraska are tied for second behind Missouri in giving up the most points to the opposition. Both teams have averaged 64 pts which is more than they have averaged offensively. Oklahoma's attack is led by Center Dennis Price and forward Del Heidebrecht. The remainder of the team is sophomore dominated.

Oklahoma State has a dismal start. The Cowboys have lost three conference games due to an anemic scoring punch. The main scoring threat for Coach Henry Iba has been Arlen Clark, the only returning veteran this year. Iba's charges have displayed an adequate defense and as the season progresses the Cowboys expect to aid Clark in the scoring department. This weekend the O-Staters will suspend workouts until final exams are ended. On January 24, the Cowboys will meet Oklahoma in a regionally televised game.

Phi Delta Theta racked up 78½ points to cop the fraternity intramural indoor track meet. Gus II compiled 58 points to emerge victors in the independent class.

Nels Kjeldson sparked the Phi Delt onslaught which 17 points, and Dick Stucky was high for Gus II with 18½. Kjeldson picked up a first in 60-yard high hurdles with a time of 7.9 seconds, a second in the 60-yard low hurdles, a tie for first in the high jump at 5' 8", and a sixth in the 440-yard dash.

### Dick Stucky

Stucky copped a fourth in the one lap run, a fourth in the 440-yard dash, a second in the high jump, a second in the broad jump, and ran legs on both of the winning Gus II relays, the 4 lap relay and the one mile relay.

Other top performers in the fraternity class were:

LeRoy Keane, Bill McQuiston, and Max Waldo. Keane, who took individual honors with 25 points, captured three first places. He sped through the one lap run in the fine time of 28.1, stepped through the 440-yard dash in 52.7, and skimmed over the 60-yard low hurdles in record time of 7.3 to account for all 25 of Cornhusker Co-op's points.

Bill McQuiston took first in the 880-yard run in 1:15.6, second in the 440-yard dash, first in the broad jump at 20' 2½", and ran legs on both of the Theta Xi relay teams.

### Waldo Gets 17

Max Waldo picked up 17 points for the AGR's on a second in the 60-yard high hurdles, a tie for first in the high jump, and a second in the pole vault.

Standouts for the independents were: Richard Kier and Larry Brockhaus. Kier, high point man for both classes with 26, coppered firsts in three events and a second in one. He ran the 880 in 2:02.5, the mile in 4:40.2, broad jumped 20' 2½", and pulled a second in the 440-yard dash. He was responsible for all of Benton's points.

Brockhaus slammed both hurdles and placed second in the one lap run. He stepped over the highs in 8.2 seconds and skimmed over the lows

## Phi Delt, Gus II Cop Intramural Frat, Independent Track Titles

By Tom Davies

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### 60 YD Dash

One of the closest races of the evening came in the 60-yard dash. Robert Cross, Nebraska high school record holder in the 440-yard dash, nipped Paul D'Amico in the last yard to win in 6.5 seconds. In the preliminaries, D'Amico barely beat Cross in the much faster time of 6.3 seconds. D'Amico later set a record in the one lap run with a time of 28.2, and Cross won the 440-yard dash in 52.7.

Other top performances

came from Gary D'Angelo of Sigma Chi who pole vaulted 12 feet, Allen Wellman of Gus II who threw the shot 52'4", the Delta Upsilon 4 lap relay, made up of Pat Clare, Don Smidt, Jim Killinger, and Lane McClure, which turned in a 2:01.0, and the Sigma Chi one mile relay team, made up of Gary D'Angelo, Byron Owens, Jerry Vap, Frank Morrison, that ran the race in a time of 3:56.3.

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