

# NU Thinclads Win Fourth

## Roots Grabs Third Spot Among Javelin Tossers

By Jan Sack

Nebraska's cindermen won their fourth dual meet when they downed Colorado, 73-57, as Al Roots and Al Wellman hit career highs in the javelin and shot put respectively.

With his toss of 240-11 Roots ranks third in the nation taking the position away from Dick Clark of Colorado who only threw the spear 222-4. The mark also set a new meet record.

Wellman's toss of 54-7 1/4 in the shot established him as a stronger contender in the Big Eight. The mark set a new meet record. Larry Reiners of Nebraska placed third in the shot put with a 51-5 throw.

Wellman came back to score a double win as he placed first in the discus with a toss of 154-6. Reiners was second with 151-4 1/2 and Leon Janovy third for the Huskers with a 141-2.

Pole vaulters Don Meyers of Colorado and Jim Kraft of Nebraska failed to break the jinx and tied for first in the event with a 13-6 effort.

**Bufs Sweep High Jump**  
The Bufs scored a clean sweep in the high jump as Bill Wells won at 6-0. In the broad jump Meyers won with a leap of 23-5. Bob Knaub tied for second and third with Toomey at 22-5.

Sophomore Fred Wilke set a meet record in the 220-yard low hurdles as he skimmed the timbers in :24.1.

The other meet record was set in the 440 when Jim Heath, outstanding soph for the Bufs, toured the oval in :47.8. Dick Hoelscher of Nebraska placed second.

Steve Pfister won the 100-yard dash in :10.1. Toomey placed second and Knaub third. In the 220 Heath placed first in :21.4 and Pfister and Knaub placed second and third respectively.

The Huskers won the 120 high hurdles with Fasano winning in :14.8 and Wilke coming in second. In the 800 Chuck Bucheit of Colorado won in 1:57.6. Bill Kenney placed second for the Huskers.

**Stevens Doubles**  
Nebraska sophomore Ray Stevens won the mile in 4:51.7 and the two-mile in 10:44.4. Paul Nielsen and Clarence Scott placed second and third in the mile. Nielsen also placed second in the two-mile.

100-yard dash—1. Steve Pfister, N. 2. Bill Toomey, Colo. 3. Robert Knaub, N. 1:02.1.  
220-yard dash—1. Jim Heath, Colo. 2.

Pfister, N. 3. Knaub, N. 3:14.  
400-yard dash—1. Fasano, Colo. 2. Dick Hoelscher, N. 3. Bill Knaub, Colo. 1:17.8 (Meet record, old record :48.2 by Carlson, Colo., 1958.)  
800-yard run—1. Chuck Bucheit, Colo. 2. Bill Kenney, N. 3. Dick Toomey, Colo. 1:57.6.  
1 mile run—1. Ray Stevens, N. 2. Paul Nielsen, N. 3. Clarence Scott, N. 4:51.7.  
2-mile run—1. Stevens, N. 2. Nielsen, N. 3. Jim Mustain, Colo. 10:44.4.  
120-yard high hurdles—1. Bill Fasano, N. 2. Fred Wilke, N. 3. Bill Well, Colo. :24.1.  
220-yard low hurdles—1. Wilke, N. 2. Bill Toomey, Colo. 3. Lefroy Kenne, N. 2:41. (Meet record; old record :24.3 by Hiltman, Colo., 1952.)  
400-yard relay—1. Colorado (Knaub, D. Toomey, B. Toomey, Heath), 2:12.8.  
Pole vault—1-2 (tie), Don Meyers, Colo. and Jim Kraft, N. 13-feet, 6-inches (no third place).  
High jump—1. Bill Wells, Colo. 6 feet 0 (tie), Bill Metzger, Colo., and Meyers, Colo., 5-0.  
Broad jump—1. Meyers, Colo., 23 feet 5 (tie), 2. Bill Toomey, Colo., and Knaub, N., 22-2.  
Shot put—1. Al Wellman, N., 54 feet 7 1/4 inches, 2. Bob Crumbracker, Colo., 52-9 1/2, 3. Larry Reiners, N., 51-6. (Meet record; old record 50-9 1/2 by Tanner, Colo., 1953.)  
Discus—1. Wellman, N., 154 feet, 6 inches, 2. Reiners, N., 151-4 1/2, 3. Leon Janovy, N., 141-2.  
Javelin—1. Al Roots, N., 240 feet, 11 inches, 2. Dick Clark, Colo., 222-4, 3. Bill Toomey, Colo., 199-3. (Meet record; old record 222-5 1/2 by Clark, Colo., 1950.)



—Jenning Not Satisfied—

## Reds Pummel Whites, 36-6, In Final Spring Scrimmage

By Hal Brown

Nebraska's gridders went through their final scrimmage Saturday before the All-Sports Day battle with the alumni coming up Saturday at 2 p.m. in Memorial Stadium.

Although individuals such as Thunder Thornton, Ron Meade, Ron Gilbreath, Willie Ross and Bill Comstock stood out in their respective back-

fields, Husker coach Bill Jennings was not pleased with the offensive showing Saturday.

Jennings sent his charges through 15 minutes of wind sprints following the regular scrimmage won by the Reds, 36-6, and then ordered more contact work with the Red units working against the White defenses.

"I guess you could say I was disappointed with our offense today," Jennings said after the two and one-half hour drill. "We have certainly looked better."

Jennings picked out Ron Gilbreath as being one of the more impressive performers of the morning workout. "Ron was hitting his receivers real good," Jennings said. The Sidney sophomore connected with nine of 24 attempts and had three intercepted. Several of his incomplete passes were directly in the hands of receivers, but they failed to grasp the pigskin.

**On Both Teams**  
Jennings shifted Gilbreath from the White unit to the Red squad in the final minutes of the scrimmage and Gilbreath missed on two pass attempts.

Ron Meade was the most successful of the quarterbacks, hitting on seven of 10 attempts with one interception for the Red team. John Faiman found the range on only one of nine with one interception.

Thornton led the ball carriers with 131 yards on 16 carries for a 13.1 average. Comstock and Ross also showed prowess as ball carriers.

Ross thrilled the 300 fans by sidestepping and threading

his way for 37 yards through the Red defense early in the game. Comstock broke loose on the second play of the game and romped 43 yards for a score.

The Red team was made up of what Jennings calls his top 22 with possibly two or three exceptions.

Thornton set up Comstock's TD romp with a 27-yard run on the first play of the game.

Thornton raced 12 yards for the second Red score after Don Purcell set up the scoring play by intercepting one of Gilbreath's aeriels.

The Whites scored their only TD early in the second quarter with Ross plunging over from the four after setting it up with his brilliant 37-yard dash.

Thornton ripped loose for 24 yards and the third Red tally and Meade made it 24-6 with a 43-yard touchdown strike to Dick Callahan as the third quarter ended.

Thornton then scored on another 12-yarder and Meade uncorked a pass to Chuck Doepeke that went 78 yards for a TD to end the scoring.

**Punters in Action**  
Nebraska used its punting game for the first time this Spring with Don Purcell booting for the Reds and Archie Cobb kicking for the White unit.

Purcell's first punt went for only 16 yards, but then the Husker Redhead got off boots of 55, 45 and 40 yards. Cobb took up where he left off last fall with kicks of 46, 58, 36 and 51 yards. His 58-yarder rolled out of bounds on the Red eight-yard line.

Jennings plans to hold workouts Monday and Wednesday, giving the players Friday off before the clash with the Alumni Saturday.

## Alum Game To Highlight Sports Action

The alumni-varsity football battle will highlight All-Sports Day activities for the coming weekend.

The gridiron play will begin in the Stadium at 2 p.m. Saturday. Tennis and Baseball will also be featured sports in the annual All-Sports Day affairs.

Kansas State netters will face the Husker tennis team at 9:30 a.m. Saturday to begin the day's action.

The Nebraska baseball team will face Oklahoma at 10:30 a.m. on the Husker diamond in the third game of a three-game series Saturday.

The baseballers will play a doubleheader at 1:30 p.m. Friday.

The track team travels to Oklahoma for a meet Friday and the golf team goes to Iowa State for a match Saturday.

The Husker tennis squad will travel to Omaha Thursday to meet Creighton in the only other athletic action of the week.

## NU '9' Loses To Kansas

Nebraska dropped its ninth conference game against three wins as Kansas pulled out a 4-3 extra-inning win Saturday at Lawrence.

Nebraska was coasting along with a 7-0 lead behind the shutout pitching of Tom Ernst in the fourth inning of the nightcap when the game was called because of darkness.

Friday's scheduled doubleheader was washed out and Saturday's twinbill was delayed by wet grounds.

The first game of Saturday's doubleheader went into extra innings when Nebraska failed to score with a bases-loaded situation and none out in the top of the seventh. Jayhawk hurler Tom Holler drove in the winning run in the eighth inning when he singled following John Manning's double.

Jan Wall started for the Huskers and was relieved by Ernie Bonistall in the seventh. Nebraska outhit the Jayhawks, 5-4, as the two teams commited nine errors, four by Nebraska.

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### HUSKER STRONGMAN

Husker weight star Al Wellman demonstrates the technique which set a new meet shotput record against Colorado this weekend with a heave of 54-7 1/4 feet. Wellman, native of DeSmet, S.D., also holds the varsity record in the discus with a toss of 164-10 feet.

## Football Recruit Stars On NU Track Team

Al Wellman came to Nebraska on a football scholarship but his top performances have been with the track team. He holds two Nebraska records.

The 6-3, 220-pounder from DeSmet, S.D., set a Nebraska record three weeks ago with the discus with a toss of 164 feet 10 inches. This was accomplished in a triangular with Drake and the Air Force Academy. Wellman placed second in the Drake Relays with a toss of 163-7.

Al's toss of 158-3 1/2 stood as a high school record in South Dakota until a year ago. He was an all-state choice in both football and basketball in high school.

Wellman saw little action in track as a freshman at Nebraska. An elbow operation the winter of his freshman year sidelined him for the indoor season.

In addition to the discus record, Wellman holds the indoor shot put mark at 53 feet 1 1/4 inches. This was set during the Big Eight Championships this year.

An example of Wellman's desire to contribute was shown in the 1959 NCAA Championships in Lincoln in 1959.

He missed by 15 inches of placing in the nationals in the hammer throw.

"I had never seen a hammer prior to that meet," Wellman said.

Al was a quarterback in high school but was converted to a tackle at Nebraska. He lettered in his sophomore and senior years in football.

He has devoted his basketball talents to the intramural scene here. He has been a top scorer for three years.

Wellman is a vocational agriculture major and carries a 6-plus average in his studies. He plans to teach after serving a stint with Uncle Sam.

## Williamson Is Golf Leader

Bud Williamson Jr. led the Husker golfers as they defeated Kansas and lost to Kansas State over the weekend.

Williamson shot six birdies and a two-under-par 70 on the Hillcrest Country Club Course Saturday to win the match's medalist honors, but the Kansas State golfers were able to outscore the Huskers 10 1/2-4 1/2 to win the meet.

Ned Nolte, Jerry Overgaard and Fred Sukup all won their matches to score nine points and defeat Kansas, 9-6.

Ned Nolte tied Mike Herbel at 78 in the Kansas State match for the only other Nebraska score.

The win and loss gives the Huskers a 9-5 record.

## Cyclones Drop Husker Netters

The Husker tennis team added another loss to its string as it went down in defeat to Iowa State, 7-0, in Saturday's match at Ames.

Iowa State's Tuck Vosberg won the No. 1 singles match over Dave Wohlfarth, 8-6, 6-1, to start the Cyclones toward the blanking they gave the Husker netters.

Jack Craft, mid-season starter, was defeated by Bob Sloy of Iowa State, 6-2, 8-6, in the third match of the meet.

Wohlfarth and Craft lost their doubles match, 6-3, 6-2, to Vosberg and Tom Line of Iowa State.

Line also won his singles match from Husker Jack

Lausterer. Tom Johnson and Bill Lewis lost singles matches in the meet and Lausterer and Johnson dropped their doubles match in the only three set play of the afternoon with 5-7, 6-4, 6-8 sets.

Friday's match at Drake was called off because of rain. The Huskers and Drake were tied 1-1 when the match was called.

## Grid Officials Chosen

Officials for the All-Sports Day football game Saturday will be Bill Jennings, referee; M. G. Volz, umpire; Cliff Squires, judge; Cecil Walker, linesman; Rob Reynolds, back judge.

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