

Missouri an Easy Winner in Valley Conference Contest at Des Moines

Nebraska Relay Teams Break Old Records—Five Other Marks Smashed

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Des Moines, Ia., May 25.—Flirting with world inter-collegiate records and setting new Missouri valley marks to shoot at, the Missouri university aggregation with 60½ points almost tripled the points made by their nearest competitor in the fifth annual track meet of the Missouri valley conference this afternoon on Drake stadium.

Nebraska pulled into second place with 21 1-3 points by winning the two relay events, the only firsts taken by the Cornhuskers during the meet. Kansas was unable to win a first but piled up 18 1-3 points with seconds and thirds, closely pushed by Ames with 17 2-3 points.

While the meet was the fastest ever staged, it was the most one sided. Missouri was never in danger. The high hurdles were turned for a record of 15 2-5, just a fifth of a second slower than the world's mark, by Nicholson of Missouri and Bermond, his team mate, stepped the half in 1:57 flat, two and one-fifth seconds slower than the world's intercollegiate mark.

The New Records.

The records broken were: The mile, high hurdles, half mile, mile relay, half mile relay, discus and high jump.

The standing of the colleges: Missouri 60½; Nebraska, 21 1-3; Kansas, 18 1-6; Ames 17 2-3; Coe 15 1-6; Drake, 10 1-6; Washington, 9; Grinnell, 3½; Morningside, 5½; Des Moines 3; Simpson 2.

Summary:

Mile run—Farquhar (Ames) first; Anderson (Nebraska) second; Osborne (Simpson) third; Hyerson (Kansas) fourth. Time 4:22 2-5. Old record, 4:26.

100-yard dash—Wilson (Coe) first; Stuckey (Kansas) second; Stahl (Drake) third. Time :10 flat.

120-yard hurdles—Nicholson (Missouri) first; Hazen (Kansas) second; Stuckard (Coe) third; Perry (Kansas) fourth. Time :15 2-5.

440-yard dash—Bermond (Missouri) first; Stahl (Drake) second; Beaver (Nebraska) third; Knobel (Missouri) fourth. Time :51.

220-yard hurdle—Kirksey (Missouri) first; Stucard (Ames) second; Thatcher (Missouri) third; Simons (Drake) fourth. Time :25 4-5.

Discus throw—Thatcher (Missouri) first; Vincent (Ames) second; Anderson (Missouri) third; Simons (Drake) fourth. Distance 125 feet 5 3-4 inches. Old record 126 feet, 4 inches.

220-yard dash—Wilson (Coe), Christmas (Nebraska), Kirksey (Missouri), Stuckey (Kansas). Time 22 1-5.

Half mile—Bermond (Missouri), Montgomery (Morningside), McGowan (Nebraska and Manning (Ames) tied for third. Time 1:57. New conference record. Two and one-fifth seconds slower than world intercollegiate record.

Mile relay—Nebraska, Washington, Ames, Missouri. Time 3:27 3-5. Old record 3:27 4-5.

Shot-put—Thatcher (Missouri), Holbert (Morningside), and Hopper (Ames) tied for second; Nelson (Washington). Distance 39 feet 11-5 inches.

Running broad jump—Nicholson, (Missouri), Wilson (Kansas), Balr, Grinnell), Woodbury, (Kansas). Distance 20 feet, 11½ inches.

Two-mile run—Wickham (Missouri), Duryea (Des Moines), Moss, (Missouri), Patterson (Kansas). Time 9:55 1-5.

Pole vault—Lambert (Washington), Glass (Ames), and Talbor (Missouri), tied for second; Roe (Drake), Smith (Ames), Reavis (Nebraska), Russell (Nebraska), Cramer (Kansas) and Zerink (Coe), tied for third. Height, 11 feet, 4 inches.

Half-mile relay—Nebraska, Drake, Ames. Time 1:32 1-5. New record.

Runing high jump—Nicholson (Missouri), French (Kansas), Hastings (Nebraska), and Jones (Grinnell), tied for third. Height, 5 feet 11 3-4 inches.