

Lumberjacks End ISU Reign

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Northern Arizona, a Big Sky Conference newcomer, literally snatched victory from the hands of Idaho State Saturday to win the league's 1971 track and field title at Dornblaser Stadium.

A scoring error originally gave Idaho State a 74-73 lead over the Lumberjacks and an eighth straight Big Sky crown.

Shortly after gleeful team members had dumped ISU Coach Bob Beeten in the steeplechase pond, their crown was snatched away from them when an error was discovered in placing of javelin finalists.

The first correction gave NAU a three-point spread over the Bengals, but when everything was rechecked, the margin was 71-70.

"One point's as good as a million," said an elated NAU Coach Leo Haberkamp, who was next to take a dip in the pond.

Montana, with some excellent performances, grabbed third place with 60 points, with Boise State fourth at 31, Montana State fifth at 25, Weber State sixth at 19, and Idaho last with 12.

Idaho State freshman sprinter Carl Lawson stole the Saturday night show, zipping to conference and stadium records of 9.3 seconds in the 100-yard dash and 20.6 in the 220. He also put on a tremendous come-from-behind effort to give Idaho State first in the 440-yard relay after Montana was disqualified on its initial exchange.

In all, seven league and seven

stadium marks were shattered, including four each by Lawson and Northern Arizona's machine-gun distance runner Richard Sliney.

Sliney, in addition to his steeplechase mark of Friday night, set stadium and conference marks of 13:55.0 in the three mile. He, teammates Dave Tocheri in second and Dan Sauers in fourth, and Montana's Wade Jacobsen in third, all broke the old league mark of 14:21 in the event and the stadium record of 14:25.6.

Jacobsen led for the first eight laps of the race, but Sliney overtook him in the ninth lap and Tocheri in the final go-around. It was Jacobsen's best time (14:13.3) by 10 seconds.

Greg Smithy of Idaho state demolished league (15-3½) and stadium (14-6) pole vault marks by going 16-0 Saturday. He said afterward that his best has been 16-0½ indoors prior to the Big Sky meet.

Three men also broke the old conference mile mark, and four busted the stadium standard in the same event. NAU's Richard Selby won in 4:10.7, teammate Steve Cross was next in 4:11.0, and Montana State's Jim Robbins took third in 4:11.9. Fourth belonged to Tocheri in 4:12.2.

The old league record of 4:12.0 by Montana's Doug Brown stood since 1965. Ray Velez of Montana had the stadium mark of 4:13.3.

In the 880, more than one man broke the old marks of 1:52.9. First went surprisingly to Idaho's Jim Ferguson in 1:51.9, and Grizzly Dick Miller, a sopho-

more, blazed to second in 1:52.5. Third and fourth winners Herb Glassen and Alex Vlaszonek of Boise State also busted the old marks with 1:52.7.

Montana Coach Harley Lewis, looking at the outcome, was particularly pleased with the efforts of Miller and Jacobsen, and also had good words for his high hurdle group, which finished first, third and fourth.

First went to Barry Mortenson in :14.6 and third to Rick Kendall in :14.8. Both are sophomores. Frosh Jon Williamson got fourth in :14.9.

Montana also got third (Steve Hopkins) and fourth (Bill Codd) in the 440, second (Dick Koontz) and fifth (Larry Keltner) in the intermediate hurdles, fifth (Lee Urbanik) in the pole vault and second in the mile relay.

Also placing Saturday were Glenn Chaffey (second) and Many Kigame (third) in the triple jump.

Mark Doane, as expected,

took first in the shot, put for Montana. Keith Kerbel finished third in the 220.

The results:

440-yard relay — 1. ISU, (Shell, Wharton, Schank, Lawson), 4:14. 2. NAU, 4:15. 3. BSC, 4:19. 4. MSU, 4:27. WSC, 4:39.

Mile run — 1. Richard Selby, NAU, 4:10.7 (New record, old record 4:12.0, 1965, Brown, Montana). 2. Steve Cross, NAU, 4:11.0. 3. Jim Robbins, MSU, 4:11.9. 4. Dave Tocheri, NAU, 4:12.2. 5. Nelson Karuga, ISU, 4:15.2.

120-yard high hurdles — 1. Barry Mortenson, Montana, :14.6. 2. Richard Spainhower, WSC, :14.7. 3. Rick Kendall, Montana, :14.8. 4. Jon Williamson, Montana, :14.9. 5. Charles Varner, BSC, :15.0.

440-yard dash — 1. Jim Thomas, ISU, 48.6. 2. Jim Wharton, ISU, 48.8. 3. Steve Hopkins, Montana, 49.2. 2. Bill Codd, Montana, 49.3. 5. Blake Knoll, ISU, 49.4.

100-yard dash — Carl Lawson, ISU, 9.3 (New record, old record 9.4, Willie Jones, Montana, 1967-68). 2. Rustie Van, NAU, 9.8. 3. Jim Gutkison, MSU, 9.9. 4. Greg Shell, ISU, 9.9. 5. Ken Moore, BSC, 9.9.

300-yard run — 1. Jim Ferguson, Idaho, 1:31.8 (New record, old record Mick Harrington, Montana, 1:32.9, 1969). 2. Dick Miller, Montana, 1:32.5. 3. Herb Glassen, ISU, 1:32.7. 4. Alex Vlaszonek, BSC, 1:32.7. 5. Pat Hale, ISU, 1:53.2.

440-yard hurdles — 1. Jim Wharton, ISU, 53.0. 2. Dick Koontz, Montana, 53.3. 3. Rick Hubert, ISU, 53.2. 4. Jerry Collins, Idaho, 54.8. 5. Larry Keltner, Montana, 55.2.

Shotput — 1. Mark Doane, Montana,

55-3. 2. Frank Reilly, WSC, 52.3. 3. Ken Monroe, ISU, 51.4. 4. Ron Redfield, NAU, 49.4. 5. Mike McNabb, NAU, 49.2.

Javelin — 1. Brad Fern, WSC, 218.9. 2. Gary Tyler, Idaho, 202.4. 3. John Cochran, NAU, 196.3. 4. Werner Klotzer, WSC, 196.5. 5. Gay Ashby, WSC, 196.1.

Pole vault — 1. Greg Smithy, ISU, 16.1 (New record, old record, VerNon WSC, 15-3½, 1968). 2. Brad Wiedenbach, BSC, 14.6. 3. Bob Lehman, NAU, 14.6. 4. Howard Gardner, MSU, 14.0. 5. Lee Urbanik, Montana, 13.4.

Triple jump — 1. Gerry Bell, BSC, 46.2. 2. Glen Chaffey, Montana, 46.0. 3. Monastets Kidgame, Montana, 44-10½. 4. Jim Gutkison, MSU, 44-8½. 5. Rich Charlson, MSU, 44.4.

220-yard dash — 1. Carl Lawson, ISU, 20.4 (New record, old record by Willie Jones, Montana, 20.7, 1968). 2. Ken Moore, BSC, 21.5. 3. Keith Kerbel, Montana, 21.8. 4. Greg Shell, ISU, 21.8. 5. Rustie Van, NAU, 21.9.

Three-mile run — 1. Richard Sliney, NAU, 13:50.0 (New record, old record by Doug Brown, Montana, 14:21.0, 1965). 2. Dave Tocheri, NAU, 14:11.2. 3. Wade Jacobsen, Montana, 14:13.1. 4. Dan Sauers, NAU, 14:15.0. 5. Tony Rodriguez, ISU, 14:35.5.

Mile relay — 1. ISU, (Shell, Wharton, Schank, Thomas), 3:15.8. 2. Montana, 3:16.6. BSC, 3:17.4. 4. MSU, 3:20.5. 5. NAU, 3:20.5.

High jump — 1. Eric Moore, NAU, 6-4. 2. Mike Shell, BSC, 6-4. 3. Scott Koetzer, MSU, 6-2. 4. Bernard Shell, ISU, 6-2. 5. Brant Stringham, WSC, 6-0.

TEAM SCORES

Northern Arizona 71, Idaho State 70, Montana 60, Boise State 31, Montana State 25, Weber State 16, and Idaho 12.

MISSOULA (AP) — Here are the results of Friday's competition in the Big Sky Conference Track and Field Championships in Missoula.

FINALS

Discus — 1, Mike McNabb, NAU, 159-9. 2, Rob Andrew, Montana, 149-3. 3, George Wright, MSU, 149-2. 4, Steve Ralston, Montana, 149-0. 5, Craig Byington, ISU, 148-1.

Long jump — 1, John Green, NAU, 23-9½. 2, Jim Gunlikson, MSU, 23-6½. 3, Jim Pardee, ISU, 22-7½. 4, Glen Chaffey, Montana, 22-4. 5, Warren Fisher, NAU, 22-2½.

Steeplechase — 1, Richard Sliney, NAU, 9:08.2. (New record, old record 9:24.6, 1969, Rodriguez, ISU). 2, Tony Rodriguez, ISU, 9:12.6. 3, Dan Sauers, NAU, 9:26.1. 4, George Cook, Montana, 9:34.6. 5, Boyd Collins, Montana, 9:41.7.

QUALIFYING

100-yard dash — 1, Carl Lawson, ISU, :9.6. 2, Mike Schwanenberger, NAU, :9.9. 3, Jim Gunlikson, MSU, :9.9. 4, Greg Shell, ISU, :9.9. 5, Ken Moore, BSU, :10.0. 6, Rosie Van, NAU, :10.0. 7, Keith Kerbel, Montana, :10.0. 8, Bill Nebel, Montana, :10.4.

220-yard dash — 1, Carl Lawson, ISU, :21.7. 2, Ken Moore, BSC, :22.0. 3, Greg Shell, ISU, :22.0. 4, Keith Kerbel, Montana, :22.0. 5, Jim Gunlikson, MSU, :22.4. 6, Bill Zins, Montana, :22.5. 7, Rosie Van, NAU, :22.6. 8, Dick Schroeder, MSU, :22.8.

440-yard hurdles — 1, Jerry Collins, Idaho, :55.2. 2, Jim Wharton, ISU, :55.2. 3, Dick Koontz, Montana, :55.3. 4, Blake Knoll, ISU, :55.3. 5, Randy Neilson WSC, :55.3. 6, Larry Keltner, Montana, :55.7. 7, Rick Hulbert, ISU, :55.8. 8, Charles Varner, BSC, :60.1.

880-yard dash — 1, Richard Selby, NAU, 1:53.1. 2, Jim Ferguson, Idaho, 1:54.0. 3, Herb Glassen, BWC, 1:54.4. 4, Steve Cross, NAU, 1:54.5. 5, Ron Waters, ISU, 1:54.5. 6, Dick Miller, Montana, 1:54.9. 7, Alex Ulaszonex, BSC, 1:55.0. 8, Pat Hale, ISU, 1:55.2.

440-yard dash — 1, Jim Thomas, ISU, :49.5. 2, Jim Wharton, ISU, :49.7. 3, Steve Hopkins, Montana, :49.7. 4, Blake Knoll, ISU, :49.7. 5, Jerry Collins, Idaho, :49.8. 6, Bill Codd, Montana, :49.9. 7, Doug Ward BSC, :50.0. 8, Dick Shroeder, MSU, 50.1.