

# Mountain States Conference Championships

Salt Lake City, Utah, May 27-28, 1955

**TEAM SCORES**—Brigham Young University 85½, Montana U 31, New Mexico U 28, Utah U 28, Utah State Agricultural College 22, Wyoming U 14, Denver U 7½, Colorado A&M 8.

**100 YARDS**—Brant (M) 9.5, Anderson (B), Smith (US), Lee (N), Yates (U):

**200 YARDS**—Brant (M) 21.4, Lee (N), Smith (US), Parker (N), Anderson (B):

**400 YARDS**—Brown (U) 49.0, Anderson (US), Crittenden (B), DeHart (B), Page (U):

**800 YARDS**—Finlinson (B) 1:55.5, P. Anderson (B), O. Anderson (B), Miller (U), Furr (U);

**MILE**—Elder (W) 4:20.4, Johnson (U), James (M), Brooks (N), McAllister (U);

**TWO MILES**—James (B) 9:32.8, Sackshewshy (C), Bok Suk (B), Morris (U), Behunin (U);

**HIGH HURDLES**—Hirschi (B) 14.7, Lee (N), Burr (U), Moore (U), Shalla (C);

**LOW HURDLES**—Lee (N) 23.5, Brown (US), Huff (U), Hirschi (B), Yates (U).

**HIGH JUMP**—Clark (U) 6-6, tie among Roe (M), Gourley (B), and Spainhower (U), tie between DeField (D), and Johnson (B);

**BROAD JUMP**—Rushing (W) 3-9¼, Wilkes (B), Brooks (B), Pearce (B), Stout (N);

**POLE VAULT**—Chatterly (U) 3-6, Murphy (N), tie among Robinson (D), Vaughn (C), Norris (N);

**SHOT PUT**—Ross (D) 51-6¾, Roberson (B), Bazant (N), Black (M), Loomis (W);

**DISCUS**—Sheriff (M) 145-8, Howes (U), Smith (B), Rowland (M), Moore (W);

**JAVELIN**—Norton (B) 225.5, Higgins (B), Loosli (U), Lundquist (M), Blanch (B).

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Crittenden), 3:19.8, Montana, USAAC, Wyoming, Utah. Dept

The summary:

Shot put—Larry Ross, Denver; Marv Roberson, BYU; Stan Bazant, New Mexico; Jim Black, Montana; Gene Loomis, Wyoming. Dist.—51 ft. 6 $\frac{3}{4}$  in. (New record. Old record held by Ross Morris, Utah State, 1951 at 50 ft. 1 $\frac{1}{4}$  inches).

Mile run—Jim Elder, Wyo.; Bruce Johnson, Utah; Don James, Montana; Jim Brooks, New Mexico; John McAllister, Utah. Time—4:20.4.

440 yard dash—Cordell Brown, Utah State; Doug Anderson, Utah State; Jim Crittenden, BYU; Guy DeHart, BYU; Don Page, Colo. A&M. Time—49.0.

100 yard dash—Don Brant, Montana; Harry Anderson, BYU; Ezra Smith, USAC; Bobby Lee, New Mexico; Bob Yates, Utah. Time—9.5. (Ties conference record held by Alex Burl, Colo. A&M, set in 1952).

**HIGH JUMP**—Cal Clark, Utah; three way tie for second among Tom Roe, Montana; John Gourley, BYU, and Doug Spainhower, BYU; tie for fifth between Larry DeField, Denver and Don Johnson, BYU. Height—6 ft. 6 in.

High hurdles—Willard Hirschi, BYU; Oliver Lee, New Mexico; Tom Burr, BYU; Mike Moore, Utah; Gordon Shalla, Colo. A&M. Time—14.7.

880 yard run—Arlin Finlinson, BLU; Paul Anderson, BYU; Oscar Anderson, BYU; Cliff Miller, Utah; Paul Furr, Utah. Time—1:55.5.

Javelin throw—Harold Norton, BYU; Charles Higgins, BYU; Gary Loosli, Utah; Ron Lundquist, Montana; Claude Blanch, BYU. Distance—225.5 feet. (New record. Old record set by Charles Higgins, BYU, Friday in Utah stadium trials at 220 feet).

220 yard dash—Don Brant, Montana; Bobby Lee, New Mexico; Ezra Smith, USAC; Lynn Parker, New Mexico; Harry Anderson, BYU. Time—21.4.

Two mile run—Sherald James, BYU; Jack Sackshewshy, Colo. A&M; Shim Bok Suk, BYU; Mike Morris, Utah; Roy Behunin, Utah. Time—9:32.8. (Ties record held by Sherald James, BYU, set in 1954).

Broad jump—John Rushing, Wyoming; Mel Wilkes, BYU; Ben Brooks, BYU; Raynor Pearce, BYU; Gordon Stout, New Mexico. Dist.—23 ft. 9 $\frac{1}{4}$  in.

Low hurdles—Oliver Lee, New Mexico; Cordell Brown, USAC; Tom Burr, BYU; Willard Hirschi, BYU; Bob Yates, Utah. Time—23.5.

**POLE VAULT**—Lewis Chatterly, BYU; Joe Murphy, New Mexico; tie for third between John Robinson, Denver; Cal Vaughn, Colo. A&M and Chester Norris, New Mexico. Height—13 ft. 6 in.

Discus throw—Dave Sheriff, Montana; Dean Howes, Utah; Gordon Smith, BYU; Jim Rowland, Montana; Ken Moore, Wyoming. Dist.—145.8 feet.

Mile relay—BYU (Arlin Finlinson, Paul Anderson, Guy DeHart, Jim Crittenden); Montana; USAC; Wyoming; Utah. Time—3:19.8. (New record. Old record held by Montana's Floyd Smith, Marv Reynolds, Don Archibald and Leon Connor at 3:20.5 set in 1953).

Final score: Brigham Young University 85 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; Montana 31; New Mexico 29; Utah 23; Utah State 22; Wyoming 14; Colorado A&M 8; Denver 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ .