

C. U. Barely Beaten by Sho'men For Mason-Dixon Second Spot

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Johns Hopkins won the Mason-Dixon Conference track championship yesterday at Catholic University Stadium, but a doughty band of Washington College athletes generated most of the excitement by nosing out Catholic U. by a half-point for second place.

The Blue Jays won only three events—javelin, pole vault and 440-yard dash—but scored heavily in field events to amass a total of 50 9/10 points. Washington was next with 36 to 35 1/2 for C. U. Other scores in order were: Randolph-Macon, 26 7/10; Roanoke, 21 1/2; Loyola, 16; American U., 13; Hampden-Sydney, 10 7/10; Lynchburg, 6 1/2; Gallaudet, 5 1/2; Bridgewater, 2.

Russ Johnson of Catholic U. and George Bales of Hampden-Sydney leaped 6 feet 1/2 inch in the high jump, adding a half-inch to the former record, and Larry Brandenburg of Washington hit the tape in 2 minutes 1.9 seconds to tie the 880 mark. Stretch-running Brandenburg's victory was one of the four first places picked up by the surprising Shoremen in their rush to overtake the Cardinals.

The clincher for Washington was Joe Schuman's decisive victory in the 220-yard low hurdles. Gene Wood of Lynchburg, favorite in the event who was eliminated Friday when he tripped and fell, ran second to Loyola's Walt Smyth in the 120-yard high hurdles.

Al Smith of Roanoke gave the 1,500 fans another thrill in the mile run when he lost a shoe about 600 yards from the finish, after being spiked, but continued on to victory in his stocking-foot.

Lone double-winner of the day was Catholic's Johnny Rudd, who defeated both defending champions in the sprints. Les Chowning of

Hampden-Sydney, last year's century champ, was fifth as Rudd finished a yard ahead of American U.'s Al Nencioni. The A. U. runner, defending 220 titleholder, was beaten by almost two yards in that event.

Shot put: 1—Blizzard (Wash.), 40 feet 5 1/2 inches; 2—Dozier (J. H.), 40 feet 3 inches; 3—Andrae (J. H.), 40 feet 2 1/2 inches; 4—Hirsch (J. H.), 38 feet 10 inches; 5—Lockhart (G.), 37 feet 9 1/2 inches.

Javelin: 1—Lassahn (J. H.), 176 feet 8 inches; 2—Atkins (R. M.), 170 feet 10 3/4 inches; 3—Brockway (R. M.), 168 feet 1 1/2 inches; 4—Denis (G.), 158 feet 6 1/2 inches; 5—Driver (H. S.), 153 feet 7 3/4 inches.

1-mile run: 1—Smith (R.); 2—Troxel (J. H.); 3—Donoghue (C. U.); 4—Schaffner (A. U.); 5—Doyle (C. U.). Time, 4:35.7.

440-yard dash: 1—Schwartz (J. H.); 2—Brandburgh (W.); 3—Jackson (C. U.); 4—Sterne (J. H.); 5—Groffe (C. U.). Time, 0:50.8.

100-yard dash: 1—Rudd (C. U.); 2—Nencioni (A. U.); 3—Fagg (R.); 4—Brunk (Loyola); 5—Chowning (H. S.). Time, 0:10.1.

120-yard high hurdles: 1—Smyth (Loyola); 2—Wood (Lynchburg); 3—Drewer (R. M.); 4—Browning (C. U.); 5—Rosebro (R.). Time, 0:16.2.

High jump: 1—Tie between Johnson (C. U.) and Bales (H. S.); 3—Tie between Garber (R. M.); Schumacher (G.); Lacy (H. S.); Massey (J. H.) and Weighart (J. H.). Height, 6 ft. 1/2 in. (New record. Old record, 6 ft., held by Douglas (Del.) and Stevens (G.), 1940.)

Discus: 1—Consolo (C. U.), 131 feet 3 1/4 inches, new record. Old mark, 130 feet 10 1/2 inches, Rosenthal (J. H.) 1941. 2—Blizzard (W.), 125 feet 1/2 inch; 3—Andrae (J. H.), 124 feet; 4—Bodkin (B.), 122 feet 9 1/4 inches; 5—Scrivener (B. M.), 120 feet 2 1/4 inches.

880-yard run: 1—Brandenburg (W.); 2—McCarty (R.); 3—Donoghue (C. U.); 4—Jackson (C. U.); no fifth place. Time, 2:01.9 (tied record). (Earl Grim of Johns Hopkins disqualified for interference.)

220-yard dash: 1—Rudd (C. U.); 2—Nencioni (A. U.); 3—Schwartz (J. H.); 4—Hubbard (W.); 5—Penso (A. U.). Time, 0:22.

Pole vault: 1—Weighart (J. H.), 11 feet 10 inches; 2—tie for second between Garber (R. M.), Brown (J. H.), Williams (R.) and Evans (Lynchburg), 11 feet 6 inches.

2-mile run: 1—Bowie (W.); 2—Davenport (R.); 3—Troxel (J. H.); 4—Simonson (W.); 5—Brown (Loyola). Time, 10:19.3.

220-yard low hurdles: 1—Schuman (W.); 2—Smyth (Loyola); 3—Drewer (R. M.); 4—Rosebro (B.); 5—Maskell (Loyola). Time, 0:26.1.

Broad jump: 1—Gathright (R. M.), 21 feet 3 1/2 inches; 2—Garber (R. M.), 20 feet 6 inches; 3—Bales (H. S.), 20 feet 5 3/4 inches; 4—Weighart (J. H.), 20 feet 4 1/2 inches; 5—Moody (C. U.), 19 feet 11 3/4 inches.