

# 1956 Kansas Relays Summary

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## University Class

### Quarter Mile Relay

1. Texas (George Schneider, Jerry Prewit, Robert Whilden, Frank Daugherty) :40.1; 2. Baylor (Bob Herod, Clyde Hart, Ray Vickery, Del Shofner) :40.2; 3. Rice (Richard Store, Richard Bowen, Harold Griffith, Wesley Hight) :41.4; 4. Houston (Doyle Jones, Jim Bigham, Jerry Beck, Wilton Clement) :41.5. New Relays record. Old record :40.3 by Texas (Dean Smith, Jerry Prewit, Al Freiden, Charles Thomas) 1954 . . . New Intercollegiate record. Old record :40.2 by Texas (Dean Smith, Jerry Prewit, Al Freiden, Bobby Whilden) 1955 . . . New American record. Old record :40.2 by Texas (Dean Smith, Jerry Prewit, Al Freiden, Bobby Whilden) 1955 . . . New world record. Old record :40.2 by Texas (Dean Smith, Jerry Prewit, Al Freiden, Bobby Whilden) 1955.

### Half Mile Relay

1. Baylor (Herod, Hart, Vickery, Shofner) 1:24.6; 2. Oklahoma A&M (Kim Ellis, Eddie Roberts, Jack Hays, J. W. Mashburn) 1:25.0; 3. Houston (Jones, Bigham, Clement, Beck) 1:26.9; 4. Kansas State (Bill Sartorius, Bobby Jones, Dolan McDaniel, Marvin Chiles) 1:27.7. New Kansas Relays record. Old record 1:25.2, Iowa (Owen, Briggs, Dooley, Nelson) 1935; and Texas (Smith, Person, Brownhill, Thomas) 1952.

### Mile Relay

1. Oklahoma A&M (Hays, R. L. Mayer, Fred Schermerhorn, Mashburn) 3:12.0; 2. Texas (Lavern Voigt, Ralph Rosenberg, Jimmy Holt, Jon Totz) 3:12.8; 3. Baylor (Troy Moody, Ken Dunlap, Ron Fatheree, Allen Mayne) 3:13.2; 4. Kansas (Larry Stroup, Ray Wyatt, Louis Stroup, Larry Frisbie) 3:14.7.

### Two Mile Relay

1. Texas (Holt, Don Pitner, Hulen Hale, Robert Hanson) 7:41.1; 2. Oklahoma (Fred Conder, David Smith, Dick Dudley, Charles Folsom); 3. Missouri (Morris McQuinn, Ronald Smith, Harold Beard, Keith Bacon). Iowa won in record time of 7:40.5 but was disqualified.

### Four Mile Relay

1. Kansas (Jan Howell, Jerry McNeal, Hal Long, Al Frame) 17:44.4; 2. Arkansas (Earl Bond, Richard Henthorne, Ed Carey, Bill Ross); 3. Missouri (Tom Fort, Duane Kelly, Bacon, Beard). (Only three teams ran.)

### Distance Medley

1. Iowa (Gastonia Finch, Tom Ecker, Caesar Smith, Ted Wheeler); 2. Kansas (Dick Blair, Lowell Janzen, Bernie Gay, Frame); 3. Texas (Schneider, Hanson, Hale, Walter McNew); 4. Colorado (Charles Smith, John Schlichter, Bob Greenfield, Jim Funk). Time—10:13.1.

### Sprint Medley

1. Rice (Don Pucek, Bowen, Griffin, Dale Spence); 2. Oklahoma (Bill Pritchett, Jim Denton, Jim McSarrow, Johnny Dahl); 3. S.M.U. (Don Morton, A. C. Bartek, A. D. Bartek, David Weaver); 4. Colorado (Smith, Jack Bessire, Larry Chace, Greenfield). 3:24.0.

## College Class

### Half Mile Relay

1. Louisiana Tech (Bruce Lenoir, Billy Bond, Bob Jantz, Russ Rainbolt) 1:27.0; 2. Pittsburg State (Melvin Coates, Leroy Pitts,

Dave Suenram, Bob Wooton) 1:27.2; 3. University of Omaha (Floyd Hunter, Merrill Gee, Bob Barnes, Bill Barnes) 1:27.3; 4. Emporia State (Harold Thompson, Bill Davis, Joe Rossillon, George Gibbs) 1:27.5.

### Mile Relay

1. Philander Smith (Allan Moore, Herbert Elliot, Kenneth Alberga, Ronald Horsham) 3:18.6; 2. Oklahoma Baptist (Burch Oglesby, Glen Stone, Jay Chance, Dick Shunatona) 3:20.2; 3. Emporia State (Audry Calloway, Arnie Dunn, Bill Dickey, Bill Tidwell) 3:21.0; 4. Loyola University (Max Muckowicz, Dick Lahart, Jack Egan, Pete Wall) 3:21.3.

### Two Mile Relay

1. Howard Payne (Allen Tipps, Louie Hayes, Don Shepard, Les Fambrough); 2. Philander Smith (Moore, Elliott, Baron Duncan, Aubrey Dexter); 3. Loyola University (Pete Fox, Lou Kujawinski, Bob Sadler, Brian Shutts); 4. Fort Hays State (Bob McVickers, Bob Samples, Don Feist, Jim Nieman). Time—7:41.6. New record. Old record by Abilene Christian in 1940 (Ray Rushing, Elmer Womack, Horace Templeton, Joe Beadles) 7:48.4.

### Sprint Medley

1. Philander Smith (Moore, Morsham, Keith Young, Dexter) 3:29.3; 2. Southwest Mo. State (George Simpson, Paul Schaeffer, Bob Anderson, Terry McNece) 3:30.1; 3. Pittsburg State (Suenram, Pitts, Wooton, Lee Crawford) 3:30.7; 4. Louisiana Tech (Bob Jantz, Jim Lenoir, Bond, Bob Dunbar) 3:32.2.

### Distance Medley

1. Emporia State (Calloway, Lawrence Jones, Dunn, Tidwell); 2. Howard Payne (Tipps, Fambrough, Hayes, Shepard); 3. Oklahoma Baptist (Shunatona, Wayne Gee, Paul Wood, Logan Wright); 4. Compton College (Paul Valrie, Bob Harrison, Les Bleamaster, Mike Yeager). Time—10:18.4.

### College Invitation Sprint Medley Relay

1. Missouri Valley (Bill Smith, Ken Asbury, Jim Garner, Bob Clark); 2. Ottawa; 3. Baker; 4. College of Emporia. Time—3:35.0. New Kansas Relays record. Old record 3:36.7, Baker (Kramer, Timmons, Findlay, Williams) 1940; and Drury (Kiefer, Farnham, Overby, Moore) 1950.

### Junior College Sprint Medley

1. Coffeyville (McMabman, Clark, White, Ridgeway) 3:36.9; 2. Garden City, 3:40; 3. Dodge City, 3:41.1; 4. Parsons, 3:42.8.

## High School Class

### Kansas High School Mile Relay

1. Topeka (Errol Moore, Gabe Lopez, Willie Coleman, Larry Schneider); 2. Olathe; 3. Shawnee-Mission; 4. Russell. Time—3:26.

### Kansas City, Mo. High School 880 Relay

1. Southeast (Don Blaylock, Jim Stevens, Bob Ruff, Dick Herr); 2. Paseo; 3. Northeast; 4. Southwest. 1:31.6.

## Individual Events

### 100 yard dash

1. Robert Whilden, Texas; 2. Dick Blair, Kansas; 3. Ronald Horsham, Philander Smith; 4. Ralph Butler, Compton. Time—:09.4 (Ties record by Cy Leland, Texas Christian, 1930.)

### 120-yard High Hurdles

1. Les Stevens, Iowa; 2. Ronnie Pruitt, Houston; 3. Wesley Hight, Rice; 4. Eddie Ray Roberts, Oklahoma A&M. Time—:14.1.

### High Jump

1. Clarence Miller, S.M.U.; 2. Bob Cannon, Kansas; 3. Tom Kelly, Baylor; 4. Jim Stewart, Iowa State; 5. Bob Lang, Missouri. 6-4½.

### Broad Jump

1. Hank Philmon, Iowa State, 25-0; 2. Erwin Cook, Oklahoma, 24-6¼; 3. Blaine Hollinger, Kansas, 24-4½; 4. John Rushing, Wyoming, 24-½.

### Pole Vault

1. Jim Graham, Oklahoma A&M, 14-7; 2. Dick Utter, Emporia State, 14; 3. Stew Walker, Colorado; Gardner Van Dyke, Iowa; Dave Tams, Kansas; Dave Rogers, Minnesota; Hendrik Kruger, Oklahoma, 13-6.

### Shot Put

1. Bill Nieder, Kansas, 59-7¾ (New record set in preliminaries. Old record 58-¾, Chuck Fonville, Michigan, 1948); 2. Byrl Thompson, Minnesota, 52-5; 3. Al Oerter, Kansas, 52-3¾; 4. Bob Henry, Minnesota, 51-11¾. Exhibition, Parry O'Brien, 60-2½.

### Discus Throw

1. Al Oerter, Kansas, 170-2; 2. Bob Van Dee, Oklahoma, 163-6¼; 3. Byrl Thompson, Minnesota, 161-8¼; 4. Dale Yonkey, Minnesota, 155-3¾. Exhibition, Parry O'Brien, 176-9½.

### Javelin Throw

1. Les Bitner, Kansas, 214-6¾; 2. Jim Londerholm, Kansas, 213-5½; 3. John Parker, Kansas, 206-9¾; 4. Ken Yob, Colorado, 203-2¾.

## Special Events

### Glenn Cunningham 1500 Meter Run

1. Jim Terrill, Shepard Air Force Base; 2. Ed Morton, Arkansas; 3. Tom Skutka, Unattached; 4. Don Loadman, Unattached. 3:55.6.

### 400 Meter Hurdles

1. Gene O'Conner, Kansas State; 2. Willie Atterberry, Compton; 3. Roy Thompson, Rice; 4. Ray Russell, Kansas State. Time—:52.2. New Relays record. Old record :52.5 by Lee Yoder, Arkansas, 1952.

### 3000 Meter Steeplechase

1. Phil Coleman, Chicago Track Club; 2. Bruce Drummond, Unattached; 3. Ted Stryker, Shepard Air Force Base; 4. Bob Buchanan, Unattached. 9:26.3.

### Hop-Step-Jump

1. Kent Floerke, Kansas, 48-3¾; 2. Glenn Beerline, Unattached, 47-11¼; 3. Jack Smyth, Unattached, 47-3½; 4. Wilt Chamberlain, Unattached, 6-2½.

### High Jump (AAU Division)

1. Charles Dumas, Compton, 6-8¾; 2. Wilt Chamberlain, Unattached and Duane Smith, Unattached, 6-2½.

## Decathlon Summary

### Final Standings

1. Phil Mulkey, Wyoming	6393*
2. Lyman Frasier, Balt. Olympic Club	6030
3. Charles Manwarring, Okla. A&M	5701
4. Bob Clark, Iowa State	5600
5. Dale Saxton, Fort Bliss	5275
6. Bill Hawkins, Nebraska	4990
7. Bill Appleby, Wisconsin State	4460
8. Jerry Reiserer, Wichita	3387

\*New Relays record. Old record 6340, Jim Podoley, Central Mich., 1955.

	Mark	Pts.
<b>100 Meter Run</b>		
Manwarring	:11.3	800
Frasier	:11.3	800
Mulkey	:11.6	706
Reiserer	:11.7	678
Hawkins	:11.8	650
Clark	:11.8	650
Saxton	:12.1	574
Appleby	:12.2	550

<b>Broad Jump</b>		
Frasier	22'11 1/2"	782
Mulkey	22'5 1/2"	737
Appleby	21'7 1/4"	662
Manwarring	21'6 1/2"	656
Hawkins	21'6"	654
Saxton	20'4"	560
Reiserer	20'2"	547
Clark	19'8"	510

<b>Shot Put</b>		
Mulkey	45'9 7/8"	766
Clark	43'8 1/2"	702
Saxton	38'8 1/8"	562
Frasier	38'6 7/8"	560
Hawkins	37'1"	524
Manwarring	34'7 1/8"	463
Reiserer	31'7 1/2"	395
Appleby	30'11 1/8"	380

<b>High Jump</b>		
Clark	6'1 1/4"	845
Frasier	6'1 1/4"	845
Saxton	6'1 1/4"	845
Appleby	5'10 1/2"	758
Hawkins	5'10 1/2"	758
Mulkey	5'10 1/2"	758
Manwarring	5'10 1/2"	758
Reiserer	0'0"	000

<b>400 Meter Run</b>		
Manwarring	:50.9	779
Frasier	:51.0	772
Mulkey	:52.8	654
Hawkins	:53.7	600
Clark	:53.8	594
Saxton	:54.8	540
Reiserer	:55.3	515
Appleby	:56.3	465

<b>110 Meter High Hurdles</b>		
Hawkins	:15.0	813
Mulkey	:15.2	764
Clark	:15.3	740
Frasier	:15.3	740
Manwarring	:15.5	694
Saxton	:16.3	540
Appleby	:17.7	333
Reiserer scratched		

<b>Discus Throw</b>		
Saxton	124'6"	568
Mulkey	119'11 1/2"	533
Frasier	115'5 1/2"	499
Clark	155'2"	497
Reiserer	102'3 1/2"	402
Appleby	98'8 1/2"	379
Manwarring	88'6 1/4"	311
Hawkins	84'10"	286

<b>Pole Vault</b>		
Manwarring	13'6"	801
Mulkey	12'6"	650
Saxton	11'11 1/2"	572
Reiserer	11'5 1/2"	512
Appleby	11'1 3/4"	472
Clark	11'1 3/4"	472
Frasier	11'1 3/4"	472
Hawkins	10'2"	360

<b>Javelin Throw</b>		
Mulkey	163'2 3/4"	524
Saxton	161'5"	514
Clark	146'11 3/4"	434
Manwarring	137'4 3/4"	386
Hawkins	128'10"	345
Reiserer	127'5 1/2"	338
Appleby	120'3 1/2"	304
Frasier	106'2 3/4"	235

<b>1500 Meter Run</b>		
Frasier	4:51.1	325
Mulkey	4:54.3	301
Appleby	5:17.7	157
Clark	5:17.9	156
Manwarring	5:37.6	53
Reiserer, Saxton, and Hawkins	did not finish.	

### Triple-Crown Winners

<b>120-yard High hurdles:</b>	
Lee Sentman, Illinois, 1929 (:15.3); 1930 (:15.6), 1931 (:14.6)	
Sam Allen, Oklahoma Baptist, 1934 (:14.6); 1935 (:14.5); 1936 (:14.8)	
<b>100-yard Dash:</b>	
Thane Baker, Kansas State, 1951 (:10.0); 1952 (:09.5); 1953 (:10.0).	

<b>High jump:</b>	
Tom Poor, Kansas, 1923 (6-1 1/4); 1924 (6-4); 1925 (6-5 1/4)	
<b>Pole vault:</b>	
Earle McKown, Emporia State, 1923 (12-9); 1924 (13- 1/2); 1925 (13-2 7/8)	
Beebus Bryan, Texas, 1938 (13-11 3/4); 1939 (14-2); 1940 (13-3)*	

<b>Shot Put:</b>	
Hugh Rhea, Nebraska, 1930 (48-6); 1931 (49-2 1/8); 1932 (47- 1/8)	
Elmer Hackney, Kansas State, 1938 (50-4); 1939 (52-1 1/2); 1940 (49-5 1/4)	
Darrow Hooper, Texas A&M, 1951 (51-8 1/2), 1952 (53-9), 1953 (55-3 1/4).	

<b>Discus throw:</b>	
Darrow Hooper, Texas A&M, 1951 (145-5 1/2), 1952 (152-8 1/2), 1953 (163-2 1/4).	

<b>Glenn Cunningham Mile</b>	
Glenn Cunningham, Kansas, 1932 (4:02.5)**; 1933 (3:53.3)**; 1934 (4:12.7); 1936 (3:57.1)**; 1939 (4:29.2)	

\* tie with Dick Higgins, Missouri.  
\*\*1500 meters

### Most Outstanding Performers

#### 1948—Harrison Dillard, Baldwin-Wallace

Broke Kansas Relays' and world record with :13.6 performance in 120-yard high hurdles.

#### 1949—Bob Walters, Texas

Scored upset victory over classy field and set Relays record of 6-8 3/16 in high jump.

#### 1950—Bill Carroll, Oklahoma

Set Relays' record of 14-5 in pole vault.

#### 1951—Don Cooper, Nebraska

Set new Relays and National intercollegiate record of 15 1/8 in pole vault, becoming first collegian in history to reach that magic level outdoors.

#### 1952—Wes Santee, Kansas

Ran unofficial 4:11.6 Mile in anchor carry of Four-Mile relay, and unofficial 3:02.0 in 1320 leg of Distance Medley. Jayhawkers won both events.

#### 1953—Darrow Hooper, Texas A&M

Completed first twin triple-crown in Relays history by winning Shot Put in 55-3 1/2, second longest cast in meet annals; and Discus throw in 163-2 1/8, the third most lengthy peg on the Relays books.

#### 1954—Wes Santee, Kansas

Ran second-swiftest Mile in American history, up to that time, 4:03.1, to bag Glenn Cunningham feature. Overcame 90 yard deficit in anchor carry of Distance Medley with 4:12.6 to fire Jayhawkers to that title.

#### 1955—Dean Smith, Texas

Won wind-blown 100 in :09.4, anchored Longhorns to victory in 880 relay and led off for winning 440 baton team.

#### 1956—Bobby Whilden, Texas

Tied 26-year-old Relays 100-yard dash record at :09.4 and ran No. 3 leg on Longhorn 440 relay team which bettered world record at :40.1.

## Kansas Relays Highlights

### 1923

Kansas dominated its first Relays in Memorial stadium, sweeping the 440 and 880 yard relays, finishing second in the mile baton event and third in the two-mile. Merwin Graham and Tom Poor chipped in with individual victories for the Jayhawkers, Graham bagging the broad jump at 22'1 1/2" and Poor skinning over 6' 1/4" in the high jump. Erwin of Kansas State won his first of two 100-yard dash crowns in :10.1 on a sloppy track while McKown, Emporia Teachers' great pole vaulter, was gathering the first of his three straight titles at 12'9". Illinois Angier, American record holder in the javelin, bagged his specialty with a cast of 193'5". Frazier, Baylor's National AAU hurdles king, finished fourth in the 120-yard high, which Crawford of Iowa took in :15.5. Almost every event was run in a steady rain.

### 1924

Little Occidental college came out of California to make one of the most wholesale sweeps in Kansas Relays history. Coach Joe Pipal's gang slammed all four baton events in the college class, the 880, mile, two mile and medley and invaded the University division for a triumph in the quartermile.

All four of its wins in the college class went for records, snapping marks made in the first relays in 1923. The Californians toured the half in 1:31.5, the mile in 3:23.3, the two mile in 8:12.0 and the medley in 7:48.0.

### 1925

This Relays was one of the most eventful on record. Kansas and Illinois smashed world records in the 440 and 880 yard relays, McKown of Emporia Teachers pole vaulted to a new intercollegiate record of 13'2 7/8" and Schwarze of Wisconsin fired the shot 49'10 1/8" to erect a Relays mark which was to stand for eight years.

The Jayhawker quarter mile quartet of George Powers, Timluke Wongwai, Howard Rooney and Ray Fisher hung up :42-flat for their effort. Illinois blazed a 1:27 with Schoch, Yarnell, Hughes and Evans to win the 880.

The remainder of the University baton marks went by the boards also. Grinnell shattered the mile at 3:20.4, Iowa State became the first team to dip below 8 minutes in the two mile at 7:56.2; and Oregon State lowered the four mile standard to 18:07.8.

Ed Weir, Nebraska track and football great, smashed the 120-yard high hurdles mark with a :15-flat performance. Crawford of Iowa had won the first two meets in :15.5.

Another Cornhusker, Roland Locke, equalled the 100-yard dash mark in :10-flat.

### 1926

Big John Kuck, the Wilson, Kansas, behemoth, and Roland Locke, Nebraska's famed sprinter, shared honors at the fourth Relays. The massive Emporia Teachers weightman won the shot at 49'2 1/2" and set a javelin mark that survived for 11 years with a heave of 206'6 1/4". Kuck, who was coached by Bill Hargiss, later K.U. track and football tutor, went on to win the shot put at the 1928 Olympics with a pitch over 52 feet.

Locke equalled the world's record for the 100 yard dash with a steaming :09.6, but it was disallowed because of the wind.

Frank Potts, present Colorado track coach, then an Oklahoma pole vaulter, tied for first in that event with Wirsig of Nebraska and Carter of Kansas State at 12'11 1/8".

Occidental ran off with the half mile and mile titles in the college class relays.

### 1927

Notre Dame equalled the world's record for the quarter-mile relay with a blazing :41.6. This stood as a Kansas Relays mark for three years. Iowa took the half mile baton event in 1:28.3 when Kansas, which finished in front, was disqualified. The Hawkeyes also won the mile in 3:20.1, a tenth of a second off the record they had set the previous season.

Whitlock came all the way from Oregon State to win the javelin throw but his distance of 190'3" was the lowest on record up to that time.

### 1928

Jack Elder, Notre Dame's famous halfback, won the 100 yard dash in :10-flat.

Kansas won the quartermile relay in :42. and Missouri broke through for its first baton triumph by waltzing a 8:03 triumph in the two mile event. Oklahoma won the newly inaugurated distance medley in 10:37.2.

Howell of the Sooners set a new discus record with a fling of 141'9". Tom Churchill, also of O.U., won the first Relays decathlon with a total of 7384.85.

### 1929

Tom Churchill, Oklahoma's great all-round athlete, returned to snare his second successive decathlon crown, defeating the talented Oneida, Wilson "Buster" Charles of Haskell by 24 points on a score of 7422. Charles led until the last event in an afternoon of heavy rain.

Despite the downpour two records went down. George Otterness of Minnesota and Tom Warne, Northwestern, climbed over 13'4 1/4" to share the pole vault title while Beattie of Colorado Aggies was breaking Howell's discus standard at 146'9 1/2".

Jack Elder, who was destined to beat Army the following fall with his storied interception of a Chris Cagle pass, won his second 100 yard dash medal in :09.8.

Leas of Indiana whipped K.U.'s distance star, Poco Frazier, in the 3000 meters after trailing the Jayhawker until the final 220 yards.

### 1930

Cy Leland, Texas Christian's most famous speed king, smoked to a Kansas Relays record of :09.4 in the 100 yard dash, whipping such noted figures as Claude Bracey of Rice and Michigan's Eddie Tolan, in that order. This record still stands on the Kansas Relays books.

Tolan, who later won the 100 and 200 meters for the United States in the 1932 Olympics, anchored the Wolverines to a win in the 880 yard relay at 1:26.7, a tenth of a second above the record. His teammates were Seymour, Smith and Campbell.

Illinois set a new Relays record of :41-flat in the quartermile relay, a figure which also tied the world mark for that distance. Useman, Dickenson, Cave and Paterson were the Illini runners.

Indiana snapped the four mile record at 18:03.4 with Brocksmith, Kemp, Leas, and Clophorn while Marquette was establishing a new standard for the distance medley at 10:28.7 with Moyan, Sweeney, P. Walter and J. Walter.

Lee Sentman, lean lurdler from Illinois, won his second 120 yard high hurdles crown the first man to accomplish the feat since

Crawford's opening two victories. Hugh Rhea, Nebraska tackle, bested a field of other renowned footballers in the shot put at 48'6". K.U.'s Jim Bausch was second and Clarence Munn of Minnesota fourth.

The discus record was fractured for the third consecutive year when Kansas' Mutt Thornhill unfurled a throw of 153'7 1/4". Shaw of Wisconsin set a new ceiling of 6-63/10" on the high jump while Buster Charles was hanging up a new mark of 7543 in winning the decathlon.

### 1931

Six records went by the boards in one of the top Kansas carnivals of all-time. Jim Bausch, Kansas' brawny grinder-track performer, led the parade when he set a new Relays and American mark in the decathlon at 7846, surpassing the old record set by Ken Doherty in 1929.

Lee Sentman won his third 120-yard high hurdles championship for Illinois to become the first man in the history of the Mt. Oread Games to turn the trick. He beat such talented performers as Iowa State's Bob Hager and George Saling of Iowa in skimming home in :14.6. Saling won the Olympic title in the 110 meter highs the following year.

Ed Gordon, Iowa's great Negro broad jumper, established a mark still on the books with a leap of 25'4 3/8". He also won an Olympic laurel wreath the following season.

Illinois set a four mile relay standard that stood at 17:37.8 for 12 years.

Kansas set a new record for the 880 yard baton whirl at 1:26.5, clipping a tenth of a second off Nebraska's 1926 time. Clyde Coffman, another of the Jayhawkers fine all-around stars, interrupted his efforts in the pole vault to run the first leg of this race as well as the 440 relay. He then tied for first in the bamboo event with Lennington of Illinois at 13'6".

His teammates were Ralph Sickel, George Jones and Joe Klaner for the short race; Sickel, Bernie Gridley and Klaner for the record breaker.

Swift of Washington State won the 100 yard dash beating such top-fighters as Peyton Glass, Oklahoma A. & M., Sickel and Lee of Nebraska.

Frank Purma, an Ellsworth, Kansas, boy, won the discus throw for Illinois at 139'6 1/2". Glenn Dawson of Oklahoma won the 3000 meters at 8:53.5.

The crowd observed a minute of silence for Knute Rockne, killed in a plane crash near Emporia just the month before the relays. The great Notre Dame coach had refereed the 1925 Relays.

### 1932

Dr. Garfield Weede's Pittsburg Teachers ran off with most of the honors in the tenth Relays, sweeping every one of the four college class relay events. The Gorillas won the 880 in 1:28.7, the mile in 3:23.9, the two mile in 8:07.4, and the distance medley 10:43.5.

Thompton of Minnesota boiled to a :09.7 win in the century whipping Joe Klaner, of Kansas, who finished second. Iowa's George Saling clipped another Jayhawker, Ray Flick, in the 120 yard high hurdles in :14.7.

K.U.'s Glenn Cunningham won the first 1500 meters easily in 4:02.5. Brocksmith of Indiana, who was supposed to run against Glenn, dropped out to save himself for relay duty.