

# Spartans Nip Lion Thinclads in Last Event

## Mile Relay Loss Costs State Win

By DENNIS KNECHT

Penn State and Michigan State fought a tight track battle right down to the last event in Saturday's dual meet at Beaver Field. But it just wasn't the Lions' day.

The score was tied at 63 after 14 events had been completed and only the mile relay remained to the winner.

When it was all over, Spartan John Parker had crossed the finish line 1.3 seconds before Mike Miller and Michigan State had won the meet, 68-63.

It was a disappointing loss for the Lions, who produced some fine individual performances. Gerry Norman emerged with the meet's finest run, beating the Spartans' captain and 1961 Big Ten indoor two-mile champion, Gerald Young, by 150 yards in both runners' specialty, the two-mile.

**NORMAN STARTED** out with an early lead, turning the first quarter-mile in 64 seconds but Young took over near the end of the third lap. Norman increased his margin, finishing with a time of 9:13.2. Young was clocked in 9:33.2.

Immediately after Norman's victory, it was announced that he had been invited to compete in the Los Angeles Coliseum Relays, May 18. Norman will compete in the 5000-meter run.

Steve Moorhead and Howie Deardorff also were outstanding, tying for first place in the mile and 880. They finished the half-mile in the fast time of 1:52.5 and the mile in 4:16. "They were tremendous," Werner said.

**RON BEARD** and **Ciro Risoldi** tied for first place in the pole vault with Michigan State's Jerry Dehenau at 13'6". Each vaulter missed three chances at 14', but on the fourth try, after the competition was over, Beard and Risoldi cleared the height.

"It's too bad we don't get four tries at the bar," Beard said after the meet.

Fourteen feet is the Penn State



—Collegian Photo by Ken Franklin

**GEORGE CASEY** CLEARS the high jump bar at 6'5" to tie for first place with teammate Jerry Wettstone in Saturday's meet with Michigan State. The height was only one inch below the Penn State outdoor record and was the highest Casey has ever jumped.

record, which Beard has already provided thrills for the packed stands at Beaver Field. Parker tied this spring. Werner is confident that both vaulters will soon be clearing the present record.

George Casey was a big surprise for the Lions, tying Jerry Wettstone for first place in the high jump. The winning height was 6'5", only 1" below the school outdoor record, and the highest Casey has ever jumped.

Lions Bob Grantham and George Barnhill had bad luck in the hurdles events. Grantham fell going over the third barrier in the 120-yard high hurdles event, giving the Spartans a clean sweep. In the 220-lows, Barnhill fell and Grantham, who was leading most of the way, dropped to second at the finish.

Herm Johnson was outstanding for Michigan State, winning the 120 high hurdles, the 220 lows, taking second in the discus and running the third leg on the Spartan's winning mile relay team.

**MICHIGAN STATE** runners, Parker and Sherm Lewis, also



**STEVE MOORHEAD** LEADS the field during the mile run, with teammate Howie Deardorff close behind. They tied for first place in 4:16. Behind the State distance stars is Michigan State's Roger Humbarger, who finished third.

## NBA Packers Name Lane GM

CHICAGO (AP) — Frank Lane, on the sidelines for nearly a year after being fired by the Kansas City A's, got back into sports yesterday—as general manager of the year-old Chicago Packers of the National Basketball Association.

The 66-year-old grandfatherly Dave Trager for one year at an undisclosed sum. His job, as it has been previously in baseball, is to put the click into the turnstiles and mold a winning team.

Basketball isn't anything new to the bouncy Lane, who for 20 years was a Big Ten cage official prior to World War II. But when he returned from service, he started cutting capers in baseball that may never be matched. He was a man of a few hundred trades with a thud last June.

He never settled too long in one place. He had three years to go on a contract as president of the American Association when he became general manager of the Chicago White Sox in 1948.

He pulled the Sox up by their boot straps with his knack of promotion and trades. But he and the club's vice president, Chuck Comiskey, could not see eye-to-eye. The rift was climaxed in 1955 after Comiskey chided Lane for an outburst against an umpire, leading to a \$500 fine of Lane by Commissioner Ford Frick.

Lane left the Sox with five years remaining on his contract. He went to the St. Louis Cardinals and left with one year to go on that pact. Then he hooked up with Cleveland, leaving with two years still remaining. The next stop was Kansas City, where he and owner Chuck Finley fell out

## MAJOR LEAGUES

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
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St. Louis	15	.682	3
Pittsburgh	14	.609	4 1/2
a-Los Angeles	15	.600	4 1/2
Philadelphia	11	.524	6 1/2
Cincinnati	12	.500	7
Milwaukee	10	.417	9
a-Houston	9	.409	9
Chicago	6	.240	13 1/2
New York	4	.200	13

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
New York	14	.687	—
Cleveland	12	.600	1 1/2
Minnesota	14	.583	1 1/2
Los Angeles	11	.540	2 1/2
Chicago	13	.520	3
Boston	11	.500	3 1/2
Kansas City	12	.462	4 1/2
Baltimore	10	.455	4 1/2
Detroit	9	.450	4 1/2
Washington	4	.200	9 1/2

**Today's Games**  
 San Francisco, Marichal (4-2) at St. Louis, Jackson (3-2) N.  
 Los Angeles, Koufax (4-2) at Houston, Woodeshick (2-1) or Johnson (0-4) N.  
 Philadelphia, Mahaffey (2-3) at Cincinnati, O'Toole (2-3) N.  
 New York, Hook (1-1) or Craig (1-3) at Chicago, Cardwell (0-4) or Ellsworth (2-3).  
 Pittsburgh, Francis (1-3) at Milwaukee, Piche (1-0) N.

**Today's Games**  
 Boston, Monbouquette (2-2) at New York, Ford (2-1) N.  
 Detroit, Moss (2-3) at Los Angeles, Grba (1-0) N.  
 Cleveland, Donovan (4-0) at Minnesota, Kaat (1-3) N.  
 Kansas City, Rakow (3-1) at Baltimore, Pappas (2-1) N.  
 Chicago, Buxhardt (4-1) at Washington, Rudolph (0-0) N.

**Track Events**  
 100—Lewis, Michigan State; 2. Ford, Michigan State; 3. Popp, Penn State, :09.6  
 220—1. Ford, Michigan State; 2. Lewis, Michigan State; 3. Parker, Michigan State, :21.1  
 440—1. Parker, Michigan State; 2. Horning, Michigan State; 3. Miller, Penn State, :48.2  
 880—1. Tie between Deardorff and Moorhead, Penn State; 2. Sattlo, Michigan State, 1:52.5  
 Mile Run—1. Tie between Moorhead and Deardorff, Penn State; 3. Humbarger, Michigan State, 4:16  
 2-Mile Run—1. Norman, Penn State; 2. Young, Michigan State; 3. Ward, Michigan State, 9:13.2  
 120 High Hurdles—1. H. Johnson, Michigan State; 2. Peckham, Michigan State; 3. Cole, Michigan State, :14.5  
 220 Low Hurdles—1. H. Johnson, Michigan State; 2. Grantham, Penn State; 3. Peckham, Michigan State, :23.2  
 Mile Relay—1. Michigan State (Lewis, Horning, H. Johnson, Parker); 2. Penn State, 3:21.5  
**Field Events**  
 Shot Put—1. Urbanik, Penn State; 2. Mutchler, Michigan State; 3. Grantham, Penn State, 60 feet 1 inch.  
 Javelin—1. Walker, Penn State; 2. Risoldi, Penn State; 3. Andrie, Michigan State, 190 feet 3 1/2 inches.  
 Broad Jump—1. Lewis, Michigan State; 2. Parker, Michigan State; 3. Grantham, Penn State, 23 feet 2 1/4 inches.  
 High Jump—1. Tie between Wettstone and Casey, Penn State; 2. Tie between W. Johnson and Berry, Michigan State, 6 feet 5 inches.  
 Pole Vault—1. Tie between Risoldi and Beard, Penn State, and Dehenau, Michigan State, 13 feet 3 inches.  
 Discus—1. Courtney, Penn State; 2. H. Johnson, Michigan State; 3. Walker, Penn State, 129 feet 2 inches.



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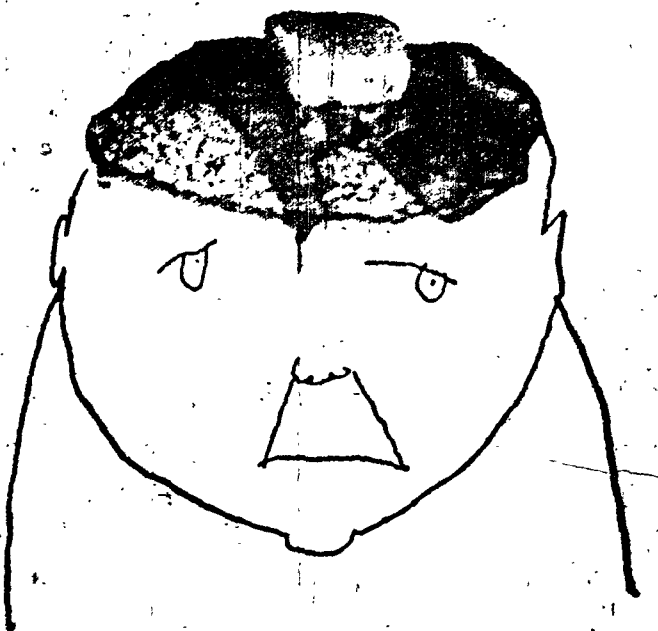
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