

40<sup>th</sup> IC4A Indoor Championships  
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New York City, March 11 — Just as in 1960, Villanova and Yale battled it out right down to the final event for the 1961 IC4A indoor team title, but this time it was Bob Giegengack's Elis who took home the big, gold trophy, edging the Wildcats from Villanova, 30-29.

Villanova, sparked by the unexpected 1-2 shot put sweep by sophomore William Joe and junior Gerry Donini, plus eight sprint points from Frank Budd and Paul Drayton, needed only a fourth-place finish from its defending champion mile relay team. But Bob Raemore, going all out to win the event, shoved Manhattan anchor man Ron Green while trying to pass him on the inside. Raemore eventually wound up third behind Dick Edmunds' winning 47.7 anchor leg for Princeton, but Villanova's joy turned to sorrow when a disqualification was announced.

A few minutes later, Yale clinched the meet when the high jump produced a four-way tie for second, giving the Elis' Sam Streibert and Bill Flippin five points, enough for a one-point final margin.

Yale's captain, Jim Stack, contributed his usual five points by winning the 600 for the third straight year over a tough field. Stack led the qualifiers in 1:10.9, and came back with a 1:10.6 final that left Jim Wedderburn and Larry St. Clair six and nine yards back, respectively.

Other Yale standouts were Tom Carroll, who defended his 1,000 crown in 2:10.7, Bob Mack, who led all the way to capture the two mile easily, and iron man Jay Luck, who ran nine races in taking second in the hurdles and fourth in the dash.

Budd, also a repeat winner, tied John Haines' 6.1 meet record as he led Bob Brown and Drayton into the dash tape.

The only meet record was set in the 35-pound weight throw where Jud Sage, who first topped 60' only two weeks previously, broke John Lawlor's year-old mark by four inches with a 63'4 $\frac{1}{4}$ " performance. In the high jump, John Thomas, jumping off a left ankle injured in the hurdles earlier in the day-long meet, won the event with a good clearance at 6'6", then retired after two bad misses at 6'8".

60, Budd (Villa) 6.1; 2. Brown (Penn St), 3. Drayton (Villa), 4. Luck (Yale), 5. Zeilman (Dartmouth).

600, Stack (Yale) 1:10.6, 2. Wedderburn (NYU) 1:11.5, 3. St. Clair (Man) 1:11.8; 4. Courtney (Man) 1:12.4, 5. Christensen (Boston U) 1:13.3.

1,000, Carroll (Yale) 2:10.7; 2. Evans (Man) 2:11.2, 3. Reilly (Georgetown) 2:11.2, 4. Tomeo (Fordham) 2:11.8, 5. Howard (Harv) 2:13.8.

Mile, Paranya (Wesleyan) 4:15.6, 2. Moorhead (Penn St) 4:15.9, 3. Norman (Penn St) 4:16.2, 4. Freeman (Boston U) 4:16.2; 5. Groom (Cornell) 4:16.5.

2 Mile, Mack (Yale) 9:08.6, 2. Young (Mich. St) 9:13.7, 3. Laris (Dartmouth) 9:14.8, 4. Traynor (Villa) 9:15.4, 5. Dempsey (Notre Dame) 9:21.0.

60HH, Pras (Villa) 7.4, 2. Luck; 3. Flippin (Yale), 4. Ebers (Dartmouth), 5. Hammack (Villa).

BJ, O'Brien (Man) 24', 2. Akpata (Mich. St) 23'10", 3. Thomas (Wesleyan) 23'8 $\frac{1}{2}$ ", 4. Thorell (Navy) 23'3 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 5. Vamos (Pitt).

HJ, Thomas (Boston U) 6'6"; 2. tie, Streibert (Yale), Flippin, Campbell (Penn St) and Wettstone (Penn St) 6'4".

PV, Murray (Cornell) 14'6"; 2. tie, Verbick (Marquette) and Mitchell (Princeton) 14', 4. tie, Terry (Notre Dame), Rector (Navy) and Andrews (Yale) 13'8".

SP, Joe (Villa) 54'8 $\frac{1}{4}$ ", 2. Donini (Villa) 54'3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ", 3. Kohler (Fordham) 54', 4. Brown (Navy) 53'11", 5. Clements (Army) 53'7 $\frac{3}{4}$ ".

35 lb. WT, Sage (Navy) 63'4 $\frac{1}{4}$ "; 2. Doten (Harv) 61'1 $\frac{3}{4}$ "; 3. Bailey (Harv) 59'7 $\frac{1}{2}$ ", 4. Beasley (Tufts) 56'11", 5. Schenker (Cornell) 56'2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

MileR, Princeton (Edmunds 47.7) 3:20.2, 2. St. John's 3:20.3, 3. Manhattan 3:21.2; 4. NYU 3:24.5; 5. Georgetown 3:25.1. (Villanova finished third but disqualified for pushing).

2 MileR, Holy Cross 7:43.5, 2. Villanova 7:44.4; 3. Manhattan 7:50.7, 4. Army 7:56.3; 5. NYU 7:59.0.

Team Scores: Yale 30, Villanova 29, Manhattan 20, Penn State 16, Navy 10.

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NEW YORK, March 12 (AP) A disqualification cost Villanova its second straight IC4A indoor track and field championship but it appeared to be a dead issue today.

Jumbo Jim Elliott, the Wildcat coach, shrugged off the incident that enabled Yale to squeak through to the team title with 30 points last night in Madison Square Garden. Villanova wound up with 29.

"I have been coaching for 26 years, and I've never complained about a decision yet," said Elliott. "Im not going to start now.

"I saw seven or eight fouls through the meet, but personally I don't think they should be called unless they are obviously deliberate."

The foul in question came up during the two-mile relay

in which Villanova finished third only to be disqualified. Had the infraction not been called, the Wildcats would have had the title.

Bob Raemore, the Villanova anchor man, and Ron Green of Manhattan were running neck-and-neck. Raemore tried to rush past Green and hit him.

John Woodruff, the old Olympic champion from Pitt, acting as an inspector on the turn, called the foul.

"Matter of fact," said Chief Inspector Frank V. Hussey of Boston College, "Eddie O'Toole, another inspector, also called it. I had no choice but to record it."

The Yale big six—the six men on whom Giegengack was depending for most of his points—all came through. Tom Carroll won the 1000 in 2:10.7;

Jim Stack took the 600 in 1:10.6 and Bob Mack captured the 2-mile in 9:08.6.

John Thomas won the high jump with a 6-6 leap, his worst winning performance in many a moon. But he hurt his left ankle slightly running in the hurdles (in which he was eliminated in the semifinals) and that had something to do with it.

Only one meet record was set. That was a 63-4¼ toss by Henry (Jud) Sage of Navy in the weight throw. It erased the 63¼ mark set last year by John Lawlor of Boston College.

Manhattan was third in the team scoring race with 20 points, followed by Penn State with 16 and Navy with 10.