

46<sup>th</sup> IC4A Indoor Championships  
Madison Square Garden, New York, NY  
March 4, 1967

New York, N. Y. , Mar. 4--Led by Dave Patrick, Villanova's deep, strong, and fast corps of middle- and long-distance men literally ran away with the 46th IC4A indoor team championships. It was the last track meet ever to be held in the third version of Madison Square Garden. Villanova scored 36 points to 18 for runner-up Army.

"I'm dead," said Patrick after bringing home Jumbo Elliott's Wildcats second to Manhattan in the two-mile relay with a 1:51.7 anchor leg, his fourth race in less than 10½ hours. Earlier, he had run a mile heat in 4:11.9, anchored the relay with a 1:53.8 in the heats, and won the mile in 4:09.4, having to run the last quarter in 56.7 to hold off Bob Zieminski of Georgetown. "I'm dead," said Patrick, "but we won."

Even without the blond junior's contributions, Villanova had enough to win their eighth team title in 11 years. Charles Messenger (Patrick's high school classmate) and Tom Donnelly each won his section of the two-mile, Messenger in 8:58.8 and Donnelly in 9:01.0, to finish 1-2 in the overall standings of a race that saw a dozen men break 9:10. Sophomore Erv Hall won the 60-yard high hurdles easily in 7.4 (7.3 in his semi), and Villanova's non-doubling quarter-milers took the mile relay in 3:19.2. Vaultor Vince Bizzarro, although upset by Peter Chen of American U (both at 15'6"), chipped in four points for second, and Frank Murphy took third in the mile behind Patrick.

Tensest race of the night was the 1000. With 10 heats and the six fastest times to qualify, Jim Wich of Brown threw down the gauntlet by running a personal best of 2:10.3 in the second heat. Eventually it took 2:11.4 or better to make the final, and three sub-2:10 men didn't--Greg Camp of Army (2:09.1), Jack Endrikat of Princeton (2:09.4) and Byron Dyce of NYU (2:09.6). Even without Zieminski and Rick Urbina, sick with a virus, the final looked formidable. But normal front-running Jim Groark of Fordham never got a chance to grab the lead from his sixth lane starting spot, and a 58.0 first quarter turned the race into a waiting game. With 1¼ laps to go, Pete Farrell of Notre Dame jumped the field and opened up a five-yard gap. Brian Hernon, Fordham's Met champion, tried to follow but was boxed, and by the time he found running room Farrell was uncatchable. The time was a slow 2:12.5.

Time qualifications in the 600 also had a notable casualty, as co-favorite Bill Bruckel of Cornell just missed with 1:12.6. In the final, Mark Young of Yale just outlasted Tom Albright of Colgate in 1:11.5. Other winners included Jim Lee of Maryland in the 60 (6.2) and Cal Hill of Yale in the long jump (24'8¾"). Elijah Miller of Rutgers took the high jump at 6'9" on a countback from Ed Mulvihill of Manhattan and Wayne Gustafson of Cornell. Gustafson appeared to have cleared 6'10" but jarred the standard and saw the crossbar fall from 30 feet away.

Things-to-come department: In the non-scoring freshman medley race, Art Dulong led Holy Cross to a meet record with a 4:05.9 anchor mile with splits of 58.7, 2:02.4, 3:04.2, 4:05.9.

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HJ, Miller (Rutgers) 6'9"; 2. tie, Mulvihill (Manhattan) and Gustafson (Cor) 6'9". PV, Chen (American) 15'6"; 2. Bizzarro (Vill) 15'6". LJ, Hill (Yale) 24'8 $\frac{3}{4}$ "; 2. Jones (Yale) 24'3"; 3. Palkie (Navy) 24'1 $\frac{1}{4}$ ". SP, Allen (St John's) 55'9". 35Wt, Graham (Army) 60'9 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 2. Weberbauer (Manhattan) 59'9 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 3. Yuen (Conn) 59'6"; 4. Fraus (Cor) 58'10 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 5. Hart (Army) 58'4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

MileR, Villanova 3:19.2. 2MileR, Manhattan 7:35.8 (Kivlan 1:52.7, Kearney 1:52.1); 2. Villanova 7:39.0 (Patrick 1:51.7); 3. St John's 7:41.1. Heats: II-1. Harvard 7:38.4; 2. Villanova 7:40.2; 3. Manhattan 7:41.2.

Team Scores: 1. Villanova 36; 2. Army 18; 3. Notre Dame 17; 4. Yale 14; 5. St. John's 13; 6. Manhattan 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; 7. Maryland 12; 8. Cornell 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; 9. Rutgers 11; 10. Harvard 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ .

New York, N. Y., March 4--His iron-man efforts weren't completely necessary, but Dave Patrick proved he is durable by packing four races into a 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ -hour period and sending Villanova on its way to the IC4A indoor championship. Even without Patrick, Villanova's 36 points would have easily outdistanced second-place Army (18) for the team title

Patrick, a hero to Madison Square Garden track fans, lost none of his prestige as he scored a conservative 4:09.4 mile victory and finished his long day by putting a 1:51.7 anchor leg on Villanova's runner-up two-mile relay. Earlier, Dave had gone through 4:11.9 and 1:53.8 qualifying races for the two events. His reaction to the grueling schedule: "I'm dead . . . but we won." Wins by Erv Hall in the high hurdles, Charles Messenger in the two-mile, and the mile relay team clinched Villanova's eighth team crown in 11 years.

Art Dulong of Holy Cross clicked off a 4:05.9 mile while anchoring his team to a freshman distance medley record.

Other highlights: 1000, Pete Farrell (N Dame) 2:12.5. Heats: II-1. Jim Wich (Brown) 2:10.3 (1:52.4 at 880). IV-1. Farrell 2:11.0. V-1. Jim Groark (Ford) 2:10.8. VI-1. Brian Hernon (Ford) 2:10.4. 2Mile, Charles Messenger (Vill) 8:59.8. 60HH, Erv Hall (Vill) 7.4. LJ, Cal Hill (Yale) 24'8 $\frac{3}{4}$ ". 35Wt, John Graham (Army) 60'9 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". MileR, Villanova 3:19.2. 2MileR, Manhattan 7:35.8; 2. Villanova 7:39.0.

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