MICHIGAN STATE COLLEGE

FINAL RESULTS

Fifth Annual National Collegiate Athletic Association Varsity Cross Country Championships and Seventeenth Annual Central Collegiate Conference Varsity Cross Country Run at Michigan State College, East Lansing, Saturday, November 21, 1942.

Place	Name	Team	Time	Team Place
1	Oliver H. Hunter III	Notre Dame '43	20:18.0	1
2	Earl Mitchell	Indiana 144	20:49.0	2
3	LeRoy C. Schwartzkopf	Yale 144	20:54.0	
4	Robert C. Nichols	Rhode Island '43	21:00.0	3
	Norman Gordon	Penn State '43	21:07.0	3 4
5	Clarence L. Dunn	Illinois *44	21:11.0	
7	Curtis C. Stone	Penn State 144	21:12.0	5
7 8	John Twomey	Western Illinois '45	21:13.0	
9	Gerald Karver	Penn State '45	21:15.0	7
10	Charles A. Labatka	Indiana '44	21:15.1	7 8
11	William J. Scott	Michigan State '43	21:16.0	9
12	Thomas Judge	Indiana '45	21:23.0	10
13	McClain Smith	Penn State 144	21:23.1	11
14	Virgil S. Alston	Miami 143	21:25.0	12
15	Paul Kendall	Indiana 143	21:28.0	13
16	Anthony J. Maloney	Notre Dame '43	21:30.0	14
17	Charles J. Duesler	Purdue 144	21:31.0	15
18	Lawrence Barrett	Rhode Island 143	21:36.0	16
19	John J. Doherty	Rhode Island '43	21:38.0	17
20	Ralph B. Monroe	Michigan State 143	21:38.5	18
21	***	Michigan State 143	21:40.0	19
22	Jerry M. Page Donald K. Gladding	Illinois '45	21:42.0	20
23	Arthur O'Sullivan	Rhode Island '43	21:45.0	21
24		Rhode Island '43	21:49.0	22
	Kenneth G. Taylor Emanuel Furtado	Rhode Island 145	21:58.0	23
25 26		Indiana 145	22:01.0	24
	Charles Tolbert	Indiana '45 Indiana '43	22:07.0	25
27 28	Harry Price	Illinois '44	22:07.0	26
	Robert C. Seib	Cornell 144	22:10.0	27
29 70	Howard Orms	Purdue 144	22:13.0	28
30 23	Kenneth L. Lynch		22:16.0	20
31 30	William Rhett	Mississippi State 144		29
32 33	Howard Horne	Penn State 145	22:17.0 22:18.0	29
33	David R. Griffith	Drake University 143		Z ()
34 35	Roy K. Niemeyer	Michigan State 145	22:20.1	30
35 36	Paul Wagner	Butler '45	22:20.5	77
36	George B. Hubler	Miami '44	22:22.1	31 30
37 30	Maurice L. Horski	Michigan State : 44	22:23.0	32
38 30	James R. Ashwell	Purdue 145	22:27.0	33 21
39 1.0	Glen O. Schmakel	Miami 145	22:27.5	34
40	Clark McClure	Indiana 145	22:31.0	35
41	Dave Clutterham	Cornell '44	22:34.0	36
42	Robert Archer	Michigan Normal '43	22:36.0	77
43	Robert H. Ousley	Miami ! l+l+	22:37.0	37
44	Robert Campbell	Illinois '44	22:38.0	<u>3</u> 8
45	Frank Conforti	Notre Dame '43	22:45.0	39
46	Robert Blayney	Miami 143	22:52.0	40
47	Fred H. Kinder	Purdue '43	22:54.0	41
48	Joseph Beach	Penn State '45	22:55.0	42
49	Edward D. Seward	Purdue 145	22:57.0	43
50	Walter Brehmer	Notre Dame '44	23:09.0	<u> </u>

Place	Name	Team	Time	Team Place
51	Arthur Wood	Illinois '43	23:13.0	45
52	Rufus Williams	Penn State '45	23:15.0	46
53	Robert Crowley	Notre Dame '45	23:30.0	47
54	Paul Hansen	Michigan Normal 143	23:31.5	
55	Wallace Marshall	Western Michigan 43	23:34.0	
56	Marvin D. Fraser	Michigan State '45	23:42.5	48
57	Harry Batey	Cornell '44	24:02.0	49
58	William Barringer	Cornell 145	24:19.0	50
59	Lloyd Smock	Western Michigan 145	24:24.5	
60	William Kelly	Notre Dame '44	24:29.5	51
61	William G. Hershiser	Michigan State 145	24:36.0	52
62	King Dunbar	Miami '45	24:38.0	53
63	Donald Kassilke	Cornell 45	24:43.0	54

Note: Abner T. Pearce, Mississippi State '45, did not finish.

Length of Course: Four miles.

Course and Meet Record: 20:18.0 by Oliver H. Hunter III, Notre Dame 143, 1943. The former Course and Meet Record was 20:32.3 by Frederick L. Wilt, Indiana '43 established in 1942.

Course Conditions: Generally soft due to excessive rain Thursday and Friday. Weather: Cloudy. Cool. Temperature 390. Wind velocity: 10 m.p.h. (U.S. Weather Bureau.)

Medal Winners:

Gold: Oliver H. Hunter III, Notre Dame '43; Earl Mitchell, Indiana '44; LeRoy C. Schwartzkopf, Yale '44; Robert C. Nichols, Rhode Island '43; Norman Gordon, Penn State '43.

Silver: Clarence L. Dunn, Illinois 144; Curtis C. Stone, Penn State 144; John Twomey, Western Illinois '45; Gerald Karver, Penn State '45; Charles A. Labstka, Indiana 144.

Bronze: William J. Scott, Michigan State 143; Thomas Judge, Indiana 145; McClain Smith, Penn State 44; Virgil S. Alston, Miami 43; Paul Kendall, Indiana '43.

Team Scores:

Indiana University	2-8-10-13-24-(25)-(35) 57
Pennsylvania State College	4-6-7-11-29-(42)-(46) 57
3 - Rhode Island State College	3-16-17-21-22-(23) 79
4 - Michigan State College	9-18-19-30-32-(48)-(52) 108
5 - University of Illinois	5-20-26-38-45
6 - University of Notre Dame	1-14-39-44-47-(51) 145
7 - Miami University	12-31-34-37-40-(53) 154
8 - Purdue University	15-28-33-41-43 160
9 - Cornell College	27-36-49-50-54

Time of Leader at points on the course:

1 mile point - 4:49 by Earl Mitchell, Indiana. $1\frac{1}{2}$ mile point - 7:15 by Mitchell.

2½ mile point - 12:35 by Oliver Hunter, Notre Dame.

Meet Statistics:

There were contestants in the meet representing colleges located in nine states ranging from Iowa in the West to Rhode Island and Connecticut in the East, and Mississippi in the South. Colleges located in Connecticut, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Michigan, Mississippi, Ohio, Pennsylvania, and Rhode Island were represented by starters.

Number of colleges competing complete teams	19
Total number of colleges competing	16
Total number of contestants starting	64
Total number of contestants finishing	 63

The National Collegiate Cross Country Coaches Association passed by unanimous vote a motion that a recommendation be forwarded to the officials of the National Collegiate Athletic Association that Michigan State College again be asked to act as host for the N.C.A.A. Cross Country Championships on Monday, November 22, 1943, at 12:10 P.M.

Officers of the National Collegiate Cross Country Coaches Association for the year 1942-43 are as follows:

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Hermon E. Phillips, Purdue University - - - - President
George L. Rider, Miami University - - - - Vice President
Lauren P. Brown, Michigan State College - - - Secretary
Paul K. Scott, Cornell College - - - - - Treasurer
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The Cross Country coaches took a definite stand on the place of "running" in the national physical hardening program. The following resolution was adopted by unanimous vote:

The National Collegiate Cross Country Coaches Association points out that running is a basic conditioner for all sport activities and is especially timely for all war conditioning activities. It is our recommendation that Cross Country and distance running and hiking be made more use of by high schools and colleges and all other groups in their physical hardening courses.