Owls In Kansas Relays After Big Victory At LSU

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The Rice varsity won the LSU Relays in Baton Rouge last Saturday with relative ease when the tracksters defeated 5 of Louisiana’s best track teams.

First place trophies went to Ronny Conner who strided the 220 in 21.7 seconds, to Jimmy Ellington turning in a 47.2 in the 440, and to John Moss who ran a 1:52.7 in the half-mile.

George Stroup set a new school record when he placed first in the two mile with a time of 9:19.9, and Tommy Moore’s strong finish in the 440 hurdles was another Owl victory.

The Owls rounded out a superior performance by winning both relay events. The mile relay team of John Moss, Bob Thompson, Fred Cloud, and Ellington ran an excellent 3:11.1, and the sprint relay team of Cloud, Conner, Ellington, and Jimmy Epps cooperated for a 41.0 clocking.