

Records Fall As Tartars Win Conference

Smashing three conference records and tying one, the Visalia Junior college last night ran away with the Central California Junior college conference track and field meet held in the Visalia bowl by rolling up 69 1-3 points to 37½ points for Reedley, the closest opponent.

Reedley was closely followed by Bakersfield with 31½, and Taft, 24½. Coalinga chalked up 1¼, while Santa Maria and Porterville were only able to garner one point each.

The three new records set by the Tartars came in the mile run, two-mile run, and the 220-yard dash. In the first two, lanky Jack Roberts of Exeter showed his heels to the pack in both races. He won the mile event in the fast time of 4:30.9 seconds, and clicked off the eight-lap grind in 10:09.3 to knock 16 seconds off the old record held by Gonzales of Visalia.

Little Richie Browning, who in addition to clipping a tenth of a second off his 220-yard dash record of 21.8, won the 100-yard dash, 220-yard low hurdles, and took second spot in the broad jump. The diminutive Visalian was high-point man for the meet. Stanton tied the 120-yard high hurdle record at 15.3 seconds.

Other Records Fall

In addition to the three new records set by the Tartar tracksters, Horn of Reedley, Rossetto of Bakersfield, and the Taft relay team placed new records in the conference books. Horn won the 440-yard dash in the fast time of 50.4

seconds, lowering the old mark by four-tenth of a second.

In the pole vault Rossetto soared to new heights by vaulting 12 feet 10 3-4 inches. The present record is 12 feet 1 inch.

The Taft relay team, anchored by Watts, second place winner in the 440-yard dash, won over Bakersfield in an exciting finish to set a new mark of 3:28 7

From the opening gun of the mile run, the Visalia track and field aggregation served notice that they were out to take the title. The Tartars placed first in seven events, and won points in 13 out of the 15 events held.

Miss Kathleen Elliott of Woodlake, who had been recently elected queen of the Visalia Junior College spring formal, presented Coach Carpenter with the conference cup. Miss Elliott also presented the winners' medals at the victory stand.

Meet Summary

Mile—Won by Roberts (V); second, Moss (V); third, Seymore (T); fourth, Lebrecht (V). Time, 4:30.9. New record.

440-yd. run—Won by Horn (R); second, Watts (T); third, Cutter (V); fourth, Green (V). Time, :50.4. New record.

100-yd. dash—Won by Browning (V); second, Merzoian (V); third, Eller (R); fourth, Boornazian (R). Time, :9.9.

120-yd. high hurdles—Won by Stanton (L); second, Shellhamer (B); third, Nielson (V); fourth, Clausen (B). Time :15.3. Ties record.

880-yd. run—Won by Horn (R); second, Prunty (T); third, Lane (B); fourth, Jones (SM). Time, 2:03.0.

220-yd. dash—Won by Browning (V); second, Eller (R); third, Curry (V); fourth, Boornazian (B). Time, :21.7. New record.

Two-mile—Won by Roberts (V); second, Moss (V); third, Allen (R); fourth, Reynolds (C). Time, 10:09.3. New record.

220-yd. low hurdles—Won by Browning (V); second, Minor (V); third, Merzoian (V); fourth, Nielson (V). Time, :24.2.

Relay—Won by Taft; second, Bakersfield; third, Visalia; fourth, Reedley. Time, 3:28.7. New record.

Pole vault—Won by Rosetto (B); second, Hester (R); tie for third between Westrup (R), and Archibald (T). Height, 12 ft. 10 3-4 in. New record.

Shot put—won by James (V); second, Macon (B); third, Hemovitz (B); fourth, Shetanian (R). Distance, 42 ft. 10 1/2 in.

High jump—Tie for first between Saak (T), Brase (R), and McLees (V); tie for fourth between Arndt (T), Ketcher (R), Bruce (C), and Benjamin (B). Height, 6 ft.

Javelin—Won by Ferdinandson (R); second, Mitchell (T); third, Shetanian (R); fourth, Johnson (P). Distance, 163 ft., 5 in.

Discus—Won by Bradford (B); second, Handley (V); third, Rossetto (B); fourth, Pinkham (R). Distance, 134 ft., 8 in.

Broad jump—Won by Shellhamer (B); second, Browning (V); third, Hiebert (T); fourth, Hale (T). Distance, 22 ft. 1 3-4 in.