

# PCC SPIKEMEN TOP BIG TEN, 77 TO 54

EUGENE, Or., June 19 (AP)—Southern California's Trojans led the Pacific Coast Conference to its second straight track victory over the Big Ten tonight, 77½ to 54½.

Jack Davis, SC's fleet hurdler, set the pace, winning both the high and low hurdles and running on the winning shuttle hurdle relay team. He wound up with 11½ points, high man for the meet.

## Mathias, Laz Star

Bob Mathias, the national and Olympic decathlon champion from Stanford, and Don Laz, the Illinois pole vaulter, turned in the best individual performances.

Laz set a meet record of 14ft. 8 13/16in. in the pole vault, after other competitors dropped out at 14ft. Laz tried for 15ft. but brushed the bar off.

Mathias won the discus with a toss of 173ft. 4in. to set a meet record.

George Brown of UCLA, like Davis, was a double winner. Brown captured the broad jump with a leap of 23ft. 11in. and won the 220-yard dash in 22s. flat.

## Boosts Lead

An estimated 6500 spectators watched, the largest crowd ever at a track meet in Oregon. It was held on the University of Oregon's Hayward Field, where no less than 12 field records were broken.

The victory gave the Westerners a 7-4 lead in the annual meets, mostly because of five straight wins achieved before World War II.

Laz and Davis were selected by coaches of the rival teams as the most valuable men on the two squads.

One of the meet's big surprises was the Big Ten's mile

sweep. Len Truex of Ohio State edged NCAA Champ Warren Druetzler of Michigan State in 4m. 17.4s. as SC's Jim Newcomb faltered badly on the last lap and went unplaced.

Michigan's Don McEwen ran away from the field in the two-mile, hitting the tape in 9m. 13.8s Bobby Work of UCLA won the 100 in 10.1s., the sprint and hurdle marks being hampered because the athletes were bucking a five-mile head wind.

**440-YARD RELAY:** 1—Big Ten (Joe Gonzales, Illinois; Len Sykes, Iowa; Gary Scott, Iowa; Jesse Thomas, Mich. State). 41.7s.

**MILE:** 1—Len Truex (Ohio State); 2—Warren Druetzler (Michigan State); 3—John Alter (Michigan State). 4m. 17.4s.

**480-YARD SHUTTLE RELAY:** 1—Pacific Coast Conference (Art Barnard, SC; Darrell Kretz, Stanford; Pete Steward, Washington; Jack Davis, SC). 1m. 9.9s. (Big Ten was disqualified because first hurdler Jesse Thomas, Mich. State, ran around one hurdle).

**HIGH JUMP:** 1—George Widenfeldt (Washington). 6ft. 6in.; 2—Danny Miller (Oregon State), 6ft. 5in.; 3—Tie between Eric Roberts (Washington State), Jim Harter (Indiana), 6ft. 4in.

**120-YARD HIGH HURDLES:** 1—Jack Davis (SC); 2—Art Barnard (SC); 3—Bob Hocker (Purdue). 14.4s.

**SHOT-PUT:** 1—Parry O'Brien (SC). 53ft. 4½in.; 2—Jess Swope (SC). 51ft. 7¼in.; 3—Bob Carey (Mich. State). 51ft. 5½in.

**440:** 1—Cirilo McSween (Illinois); 2—Leroy Collins (Wisconsin); 3—John Bradley (SC). 48.5s.

**100:** 1—Bob Work (UCLA); 2—Al Mejia (SC); 3—Rod Richard (UCLA). 10.1s.

**880:** 1—Stacy Siders (Illinois); 2—Len Truex (Ohio State); 3—Glem Eischen (Wash. State). 1m. 54.2s.

**220:** 1—George Brown (UCLA); 2—Mejia (SC); 3—Work (UCLA). 22s.

**DISCUS THROW:** 1—Bob Mathias (Stanford), 173ft. 4in.; 2—Clifton Anderson (Indiana), 165ft. 3½in.; 3—Duane Taylor (Idaho), 156ft. 1½in. (New meet record; old mark 172ft. 8¾in., by Fortune Gordien, Minnesota, 1947.)

**TWO-MILE:** 1—Don McEwen (Michigan); 2—Jim Kepford (Mich. State); 3—Gray Berg (SC). 9m. 13.8s.

**BROAD JUMP:** 1—George Brown (UCLA). 23ft. 11in.; 2—Ron Soble (Michigan). 22ft. 10¾in.; 3—Ken Stainfield (Calif.). 22ft. 9¾in.

**220 LOW HURDLES:** 1—Davis (SC); 2—Art Barnard (SC); 3—Dave Martin (Indiana). 23.4s.

**POLE VAULT:** 1—Don Laz (Illinois). 14ft. 8½in.; 2—Tie between Lyle Dickey (Oregon State) and Dick Coleman (Illinois). 14ft. (New meet record; old record 14ft. 6in., Bill Sefton, Earle Meadows, SC, 1937.)

**MILE RELAY:** 1—Pacific Coast Conference (Sam Nicholson, SC; John Bradley, SC; Verle Sorgen, SC; and Don Miller, Idaho). 3m. 16.7s.

**FINAL SCORE:** Pacific Coast Conference, 77½; Big Ten, 54½.