

LUVALLE GAINS EIGHTEEN YARDS ON ANCHOR LAP

U.C.L.A. Timed at 3m. 15s.

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FRESNO, May 12. (Exclusive)—

Thanks to a thundering finish by slim-limbed Jimmy LuValle, U.C. L.A.'s quartet of quarter-milers climaxed the eighth annual Fresno relay meet here tonight by beating the favored Trojan team in the much-discussed mile relay race. The time of 3m. 15s. flat was something of a disappointment to the crowd of 9000 fans who had been led to believe that Stanford's world record of 3m. 12.6s., established on this same oval three years ago, was in grave danger of being shattered by either Trojans or Bruins.

The race itself, however, left nothing to be desired from the spectators' standpoint, providing enough thrills to satisfy the nuttiest of track followers who are the last word when sports bugs are being mentioned.

Due to a terrible pass from Sinclair Lott, who ran the third lap for the Bruins, Luvalle was faced with the heart-breaking handicap of starting no less than 14 yards behind John McCarthy, running the final 440 for the favored Trojans. It looked like curtains for U.C.L.A.'s chances as the stout-limbed McCarthy raced away around the first curve and down the back stretch.

FOUR YARDS AHEAD

But as they went into the final turn Luvalle turned on the heat in his most approved fashion and McCarthy, who has always showed a woeful lack of power at the finish, faded completely as he heard Jimmy's thundering footsteps at his heels. Luvalle came roaring off the final curve wide open, passed the wilting McCarthy and raced on to the tape a winner by four yards in the fastest time ever recorded by a Bruin relay team.

LuValle was clocked in 47.3s. for the final lap. Jimmy Miller, Ray Vejar and Sinclair Lott had raced on practically even terms with Ed Ablowich, Al Fitch and Harry Tompkins of the Trojans for the first three laps. Lott was only a yard behind Tompkins as they passed their batons to LuValle and McCarthy, but there was some slip between the two Bruins and McCarthy sped away with the aforementioned lead, but lacked the great finishing spirit which has always characterized the fleet Bruin.

All this is being written at 10:15 p.m. tonight, the meet is still going on, competition being unfinished in the junior college division. But the Trojans of Southern California successfully defended their team championship for the sixth straight season by scoring 63 points. Stanford was second with 46, Fresno State third with 34 and California fourth with 27.

Records were cracked in half a dozen events, but no world marks

BRUIN RELAY TEAM CONQUERS TROJANS

fell, Walter Marty tried three times to clear 6ft. 10in., but the great Fresno State jumper knocked the bar off on each attempt. He had gone 6ft. 8in. with great ease.

The calm night air of this town was shattered by a chorus of booging along about 9 o'clock when it was officially announced that Bob Kiesel of the University of California had won the open 100-yard dash in 9.6s. after having turned his heat during the afternoon in 9.5s.

The unseemly guffaw noises were not for Kiesel but for the officials, who boasted one if ever an erroneous decision was made. Lou Salvato of San Jose State College was really the winner of the race, beating the favored Kiesel by a good foot. Seated right on the finish line from a vantage point well up in the stands, I had a perfect view of the finish and how the judges could have figured Kiesel the victor is beyond comprehension. Salvato, who got an amazing start, will get a chance to prove his great ability during the N.C.A.A. meet in Los Angeles next month.

Parsons of the Trojans was third in the race tonight, Reel of Occidental fourth and Abbott of S.C. fifth. Draper did not run and Don Plumb of Pomona was eliminated during the afternoon trials.

Immediately following the open hundred there was an exhibition century featuring George Anderson, fleet California freshman, and Talley of South Gate. Anderson, a very powerful runner, negotiated the century in 9.4s., to tie the official world record. His effort cannot go into the books, however, as he was running only an exhibition this evening.

BEN WINS EASY

Ben Eastman, former Stanford middle distance star, appeared in an exhibition half-mile race and won all by himself in 1m. 51.5s. Ross Bush of the S.C. frosh and Johnny Wall of S.F.U. ran against Ben, but could not give him much competition. Wall beat Bush by inches, thirty yards behind Eastman. Ben's time bettered the present official world record of 1m. 51.5s. held by Dr. Otto Peltzer, but this means little, inasmuch as Eastman's application for a previous race in 1m. 50.9s. is sure to be ratified.

Corny Johnson of Compton Jaycee cleared 4ft. 57-8in. to win the high in his division, thus erasing the old mark of 4ft. 21-4in. made by Moore of Los Angeles Jaycee last year.

At a late hour it was finally discovered that Herschel Smith's Compton Junior College squad had won the jaycee title by scoring 36 points. Modesto Jaycee was second with 23 and Los Angeles third with 21.

Bill Sefton of the Trojan Junior College kept several hundred fans in their seats long after all other events had been completed. He cleared 13ft. 11in. in the pole vault and then made three unsuccessful attempts to scale 14ft. 1in. His efforts far eclipsed those of the Class A vaulters, this division being won by Jack Rand of San Diego State at 13ft. 6in.

Morris (Mushy) Pollock, a product of the Junior Pentathlon, showed a lot of class in winning the Jaycee century in 9.6s., to tie the record for that division created by Frank Wyckoff in 1929. Dean of San Mateo gave Pollock a great race all the way, losing only by a whisker.

Al Olson, of the Trojans, leaped 24ft. 10 1/2 in. in the afternoon and this effort stood up to give him first place when the finals were held tonight. Clark of California suffered his first defeat of the year, clearing 24ft. 5 1/2 in. for second honors. Crawford of S.C. also bettered 24ft. with a leap four inches beyond this mark. Curtis McFadden, who won the event with a leap of 24ft. 3in. against Stanford a week ago, was fourth, half an inch less than 24ft.

Compton's four half-milers, Lawrence, Gil Rice and Zampareni, had little trouble winning the junior college two-mile relay. The time was 8m. 6.9s.

BEARS WIN

California's half-milers made good the prediction of Brick Morse, Bear booster, and won the university two-mile relay with plenty to spare. Brace, Reynolds, Moore and

Hickerson turned the trick. Monroe, McMunn and Baker kept pace with the Bears in fair fashion until the next to last lap when the fourth Trojan man, Winn, started thirty yards behind Hickerson. Estel Johnson was ready to run the final 800 for Troy, but Dean Cromwell switched men at the last minute. Elroy Robinson, pride of Fresno State, made up something like thirty yards on Winn to take second place and was unofficially timed in 1m. 53.2s. for the 800. The time of 7m. 53.5s. was below the new record promised by Morse and did not approach the West Coast Relay mark of 7m. 48.3s. set by the Trojans three years ago.

Sam Klopstock, Stanford's great short-jegged hurdling ace, gained revenge on Bob Lyon of S.C. for the victory scored by the Trojans in the highs a week ago. Not only did Klopstock win the 120-yard event tonight but he set a new relay meet record of 14.4 seconds, the fastest time ever run on the Pacific Coast. Gus Meier of Stanford held the old mark here jointly with Kastner of Fresno State and Meeks of Occidental. They all did 14.5 seconds.

Lyon lost only by inches in a great race and it was first erroneously announced that he had been disqualified and Coe of California given second honors. An hour after the event had been run the decision was reversed, giving the Trojan second.

Dunn and Lyman put on their act again in the discus, but reversed positions, Slinger winning with a throw of 153 feet. Carpenter of the Trojans was third.

TARTARS WIN

Due to two furious furlongs by Jackson and Johnson, two fleet colored boys, Compton won the Jaycee 800-yard relay and set a new record of 1m. 27.8s. as against the old mark of 1m. 28.8s. created by Sacramento last season. Clark Crane and Holmes were the other Compton runners.

The Trojans started the program by winning the opening event for the evening, the medley relay. Johnny McCarthy led off and gave Estel Johnson a twenty-yard advantage after the first 440, with Leek of California and Donlon of U.C.L.A. fighting side by side for second place. John was timed in 46s. flat.

Johnson added ten yards to this margin in the next 800 and sent Ferris Webster away with plenty to spare over Beverly Keim and Bob Raftery, running for the Bruins and Bears. Keim had plenty of stuff and set out after Webster in a hurry. They ran three-quarters of a mile and the doughty little U.C.L.A. kid made up the entire difference, running the distance in about 3m. 3s., phenomenal time.

A slightly better pass sent Francis Benavidez away one yard ahead of Dave Henry of the Bruins, with Bob Fowler of California one-fourth lap to the rear because Raftery faded badly. Henry stayed right behind Benny for the first three laps and the crowd cheered their efforts to the echo. Dave went after Benny on the back stretch of the final lap, passed him and took a two-yard lead. But Benny had something left, bided his time until the final turn and then came prancing down the straightaway to pass Henry and win by a shade more than two yards.

It was a great race and Benavidez was timed in 4m. 22.5s. Troy's winning time for the full race was 10m. 15.9s., which started the evening very satisfactorily with a new West Coast Relays record, the old mark of 10m. 22.3s. having been set by another Trojan team last year. The present quartet came close to beating the world's intercollegiate mark of 10m. 14s., set last season by Manhattan College.

BROWN WINS

Capt. Brown of the Fullerton Junior College team was next to hog the limelight, winning the Jaycee high hurdles with a tremendous burst of speed in 14.7s. This equaled the relay record set by Harker of Los Angeles Jaycee two years ago.

Right after this event results of the shot put came in and the natives got a chance to cheer for another new record was established by John Lyman, Stanford's great weight man, who shoved the iron nugget 53ft.

10 3-18in. This shattered the record of 51ft. 11 5-8in. hung up by Herman Brix of the L.A.A.C. in 1929. Lyman has done better this year, but the Fresno fans got a big kick out of John's toss, almost two feet beyond the old mark. Slinger Dunn of Stanford reversed the decision Hippo Harper, of Troy, gained over him a week ago by grabbing second tonight with a toss of 51ft. 3 1/2 in. Harper barely missed 50ft.

Four Trojan sprinters had things all their own way in the 400-yard relay, Foy Draper, Lorry Osborn, Jim Abbott and Charley Parsons finishing twenty yards ahead of San Jose State, which trimmed Stanford for second. The time was 41.1s., well behind Troy's own world record of 40.8s. set here three years ago.

S.C.'s hurdlers, Strother, Berry, Guip and Lyons, added another victory in the shuttle relay, turning the distance in 1m. 3s. There was only one other team, Fresno State, entered.

INTERCOLLEGIATE CLASS

Medley relay—Won by Southern California (McCarthy, Johnson, Webster and Benavidez); second, U.C.L.A.; third, California; fourth, Fresno State. Time, 10:13.5. (Old West Coast record, 10:22.3 by U.S.C., 1923.)

120-yard high hurdles—Won by Klopstock, Stanford; second, Lyon, Southern California; third, Coe, California; fourth, Ward, Fresno. Time, 14.4s. (Old relay record 14.5s. by Kastner, Fresno; Meier, Stanford, and Meek, Occidental.)

Two-mile relay—Won by California (Brace, Moore, Reynolds and Moore); second, Fresno State; third, Southern California. Time, 7:53.5.

400-yard relay—Won by Southern California; second, San Jose State; third, Stanford; fourth, Fresno. Time, 41.1s. (Winning team—Draper, Osborn, Abbott and Parsons.)

Javelin throw—Won by Mottram, Stanford (216ft. 11 1/2 in.); second, Bain, U.C.L.A. (202ft. 5 1/2 in.); third, White, Fresno (192ft. 7 1/2 in.); fourth, Johnson, San Francisco State (188ft. 3 1/2 in.)

Special 100-yard dash—Won by Anderson, (Fresno, California); second, Taylor, South Gate High School, unattached. Time, 9.6s. (Kosale recognized world's record set in 1921 by Frank Wyckoff.)

100-yard dash—Won by Kiesel, California; second, Salvato, San Jose; third, Parsons, Southern California; fourth, Reel, Occidental. Time, 9.6s.

Discus—Won by Dunn, Stanford (533ft. 6in.); second, Lyman, Stanford (460ft. 10in.); third, Carpenter, Southern California (443ft. 7in.); fourth, Butler, Stanford (421ft. 8 1/2 in.)

800-yard jump—Won by Olson, Southern California (24ft. 10 1/2 in.); second, Clark, California (24ft. 5 1/2 in.); third, Crawford, Southern California (24ft. 4in.); fourth, McFadden, Southern California (23ft. 11 1/2 in.)

Special 800-yard relay—Won by Lyman, Stanford (4:10.3-3:40.1); second, Dunn, Stanford (4:10.3-3:40.1); third, Harker, Southern California (4:07.1-3:40.1); fourth, Allen, San Francisco State (4:07.1-3:40.1)

High jump—Won by Mercer, Fresno State (4ft. 8 1/2 in.); tie for second between Branson and Kety, both of Southern California, and Smith, Stanford, at 4ft. 3in.

400-yard shuttle relay—Won by Southern California (Strother, Guip, Berry and Lyons); second, Fresno. Time, 1m. 3s.

Special 800-yard run—Won by Ben Eastman, Olympic Club; second, Wall, University of San Francisco (freshman); third, Bush, Southern California (freshman). Time, 1m. 51.5s.

One-mile relay—Won by University of California at Los Angeles (Miller, Volar, Lott, LuValle); second, Southern California; third, Fresno State; fourth, Stanford. Time, 5m. 55s.

800-yard relay—Won by Stanford (Blackman, Thomas, Williams, Willson); second, Fresno State; third, San Jose. Time, 1m. 28.1s. (U.S.C. disqualified, overran passing race.)

JAYCEE CLASS

Two-mile relay—Won by Compton (Yates, Rice, Zampareni, Gill); second, San Mateo; third, Los Angeles; fourth, Riverside. Time, 8m. 6.9s.

800-yard relay—Won by Compton (Crane, Holmes, Jackson, Johnson); second, Los Angeles; third, San Mateo; fourth, Sacramento. Time, 1m. 27.8s.

120-yard high hurdles—Won by Brown, Fullerton; second, Moore, Sacramento; third, Bennett, Pasadena; fourth, Wright, Los Angeles. Time, 14.7s.

Shot put—Won by Hanson, Modesto (40ft. 1in.); second, Wall, Redding (40ft. 6 1/2 in.); third, Hastings, Riverside (40ft. 3in.); fourth, Levy, San Mateo (40ft. 3 1/2 in.)

100-yard dash—Won by Pollock, Riverside; second, Dean, San Mateo; third, Snyder, Los Angeles; fourth, Crane, Compton. Time, 9.6s.

Discus—Won by Parks, Compton (440ft. 6in.); second, King, San Mateo (437ft. 11in.); third, Levy, San Mateo (429ft. 4 1/2 in.); fourth, Haskes, Los Angeles (426ft. 11in.)

One-mile relay—Won by Modesto (Jameson, Weirbauser, Hubbard, Cox); second, Los Angeles; third, Bakersfield; fourth, Glendale. Time, 3m. 23.2s.