

Paddock Equals Two Records

FRANCE VICTOR OF MEET, BUT CHAMPION SPRINTER IS STAR

Californian Makes Great Hit With Thousands Who Thronged Paris Stadium When He Ties 100 and 200 Meter Marks

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PARIS, May 6.—France today was declared the winner of the International Students' Athletic meet, held at the new Forte Doree stadium, in which athletes representing colleges and universities of thirteen other countries competed. The French students rolled up a total of 107 points as against 80 points for Italy and 70 for Czecho-Slovakia.

Charles Paddock, California sprinter, was the only American competitor. By all odds, he was the individual star of the meet. During the four days of his participation, he broke one world's sprinting record and equalled four other records, three of them his own. In addition to records broken or equalled during the past week, Paddock today equalled his own record in the 100 and 200-meter dashes, negotiating the distances respectively in 10 2-5 and 20 1-5s. In an exhibition race, Paddock also equalled his 100-yard dash record—9 3-5s.

LARGE ENTRY LIST

France's victory in the meet was due more to her much larger number of entries than to the heavy winning of any individual athlete. Since six places counted in the making up of the general classification, France, by having several participants in each event, was able to accumulate seconds, thirds, fourths, fifths and sixths, which counted greatly in her favor in the final addition of points.

Although Czecho-Slovakia had only nine entrants, that country was able to take third place largely through the effort of Mille ivo, who won first in the shot-put and discus and was placed in a number of other events. Italy had seventeen entrants.

The publicity given Paddock's participation resulted in bringing out several thousand persons to witness the finals today. The new stadium was nearly full and hundreds elung around the railing surrounding the field. When not running, Paddock spent most of his time signing autographs for aspir-

ing young French athletes, who watched every move the American sprinter made while on the track.

Before going on the field today, Paddock made a statement to the press, in explanation of his position in participating in the games here, and expressed the hope that regardless of his own case, the American amateur organizations would get together and win next year's Olympic games. He said it should not have been his place to decide whether he should run in this meet.

"That should have been the duty of the International Students' Association, of which the American collegiate body is a member, and to which my university belongs," said Paddock. "In good faith, I was invited and in good faith I have competed. My eligibility is a question for the collegiate organization and the Amateur Athletic Union to settle. Whatever that decision may be, I desire that it may bring about definite co-operation among all the athletic bodies of my country so that America may have a glorious success in the Paris Olympic games."

EIGHT COLLEGES TO COMPETE IN MEET

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

NEW YORK, May 6.—Eight college teams carrying the colors of Yale, Princeton, Cornell, Harvard, Norwich, Pennsylvania, Virginia, M.I. and U.S. Military Academy will meet in the first annual tournament at Governors' Island, N. Y., May 3, 4, 5, 8, 10, 12 and 16. It will be a lose and out affair. One

game will be played on the polo field at Fort Hamilton, Bay Ridge, Brooklyn, where the teams will be quartered.

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