

# S.C. Freshmen Also Score Easy Win

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Two tireless distance runners hogged the limelight at the Coliseum yesterday afternoon as varsity and frosh teams of Southern California trampled their cross-town rivals, the U.C.L.A. Bruins, in a pair of track and field meets.

Troy's varsity aggregation swept four events to pile up a 91-to-40 triumph, while the S.C. freshmen went their big brothers one better by drubbing the Bruin babes, 96 to 35.

Paul Van Alstine ran the fastest two-mile negotiated by a collegian on the Coast this year, to bring Harry Trotter's Westwood team one of five first places in the varsity meet. The smooth-running Bruin distance star traveled eight laps in 9m. 38.4s., beating Mike Portanova of S.C. by dint of hard pounding over the last 220 yards.

## TORRANCE TYPHOON

Louis Zamperini, Trojan freshman who went to Berlin with Uncle Sam's cinder squad last summer, flew over the mile route in 4m. 18.3s. This time eclipses anything done by a collegian on the western horizon this year and presages great things for the Torrance boy in years to come.

Three meet records fell in the varsity competition and three were tied. Van Alstine's exceptional effort erased the old two-mile standard of 9m. 56.7s., set by Ned Jensen of S.C. last year.

Jerry Gracin, only recently turned from Trojan basketball to track, cleared 6ft. 4in. in the high jump, thereby blotting out the old mark of 6ft. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. established last year by Spicer of Troy.

## HANSEN SETS MARK

Owen Hansen, mighty weight man of S.C., shoved the shot 49ft. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ in., to eclipse his former record of 47ft. 9 19-100in., set two years ago.

The records tied were 9.8s. by Adrian Talley in the 100, 21.4s., by Clark Crane in the furlong, both Trojans, and 23.8s. by Tom Berkeley of Westwood in the low hurdles.

Victory may have been costly to Southern California because George Boone, deadlocked in a three-way tie for first in the broad jump with Keith France and Don Skinner at 23ft. 5in., put everything he had into his final leap and cleared 24ft.  $\frac{1}{2}$ in., only to sprain his right knee. Whether Boone, who had to be administered smelling salts so painful was his injury, will recover for the Stanford meet, May 8, is problematical. And the way the Stanfords cleaned California yesterday Troy will need George.

## EXCITING FINISH

Van Alstine ran a splendid race to win the two-mile. He allowed the Trojans, Portanova and Yates, to lead until the last lap, when he jogged lightly to the front. Down the backstretch, however, Portanova, by dint of furious sprinting, regained the lead. The Bruin runner remained on Mike's trail, and then, coming off the last turn, cut loose with all his steam and won going away.

Zamperini had no competition

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in his frosh mile, and it was rather remarkable that he could make such sensational time without being pressed.

### VAULTING ACES REST

Southern California swept both varsity sprints, the shot put and pole vault, grabbing 9 points in the latter event even though neither Bill Sefton nor Earle Meadows competed.

Bruin firsts in addition to that by Van Alstine were scored by Capt. Bob Young in the 440, Bill Reitz in the javelin, Berkeley in the low hurdles and Trotter's baton passers in the relay, which found Young running away from Corley of S.C. on the final lap.

Varsity and frosh summaries:

Mile—Won by Jensen (S.C.) Nordli (U.C.L.A.) Tanner (S.C.) Time 4m. 25.2a.

100—Won by Talley (S.C.) Crane (S.C.) Boone (S.C.) Time. 9.8a.

440—Won by Young (U.C.L.A.) R. Olson (S.C.) Keifer (U.C.L.A.) Time, 48.1a.

High hurdles—Won by Staley (S.C.) L. Olson (S.C.) Berkeley (U.C.L.A.) Time, 14.9a.

Shot put—Won by Hansen (S.C.) 49ft. 5 1/2 in.; Miller (S.C.) 47ft. 7 1/2 in.; Fisher (S.C.) 46ft. 11 1/2 in.

High jump—Won by Gracia (S.C.) 6ft. 4 in.; Thurber (S.C.) 6ft. 2 in.; Berkeley (U.C.L.A.) 6ft. 1 in.

Javelin—Won by Reitz (U.C.L.A.) 188ft. 2 in.; McKenna (U.C.L.A.) 187ft. 4 in.; Ehrhorn (S.C.) 184ft. 9 in.

Two-mile—Won by Van Alstine (U.C.L.A.) Portanova (S.C.) Yates (S.C.) Time. 9m. 38.4a. (New Bruin record.)

880—Won by Roulac (S.C.) Taylor (U.C.L.A.) Tanner (S.C.) Time. 1m. 38.2a.

220—Won by Crane (S.C.) Jordan (S.C.) Talley (S.C.) Time. 21.4a.

Discus—Won by Gaspar (S.C.) 149ft. 7 in.; Wrotnowski (S.C.) 143ft. 10 1/2 in.; Tyre (U.C.L.A.) 138ft. 2 1/2 in.

Pole vault—Won by Howe (S.C.) 13ft.; Irwin (S.C.) 12ft. 6 in.; Sheffer (S.C.) 12ft. 6 in.

Low hurdles—Won by Berkeley (U.C.L.A.) Wilson (S.C.) Vickery (S.C.) Time, 23.8a.

Relay—Won by U.C.L.A. (Grimes, Careri, Keifer and Young.) Time. 3m. 16.1a.

Final score: U.S.C., 91; U.C.L.A., 40.

Broad jump—Won by Boone (S.C.) 24ft. 1/2 in.; France (U.C.L.A.) and Skinner (S.C.) tied for second, 23ft. 3 in.

### SUMMARY

Mile—Won by Zamperini (S.C.) Finch (S.C.) Nante (U.C.L.A.) 4m. 18.3a.

100—Won by Anderson (S.C.) McWhinney (S.C.) Turner (U.C.L.A.) Time, 10.2a.

440—Won by Horace Taylor (S.C.) Bradley (U.C.L.A.) Albright (S.C.) Time, 49.8a.

High hurdles—Won by Bledsoe (S.C.) Lacefield (U.C.L.A.) Herman Taylor (S.C.) Time, 15.1a.

Two-mile—Won by Preston (S.C.) Friel (S.C.) Johnson (U.C.L.A.) Time, 10m. 22 3/8a.

Pole vault—Won by Henderson (S.C.) 12ft. 6 in.; Steckel (S.C.) 12ft.; Nakaki (U.C.L.A.) 11ft. 6 in.

Shot-put—Won by Washington (U.C.L.A.) 46ft. 7 5/8 in.; Young (S.C.) 45ft. 4 1/2 in.; Banta (S.C.) 43ft. 4 in.

High Jump—Won by Rosenberg (S.C.) 6ft. 1 1/2 in.; Johnson, (S.C.) 6ft. 1 in.; Mallery (S.C.) 6ft.

Javelin—Won by Banta (S.C.) 167ft. 4 1/2 in.; Stonebraker (S.C.) 161ft. 10 5/8 in.; Benzell (U.C.L.A.) 154ft. 4 in.

Broad jump—Won by Turner (U.C.L.A.) 23ft. 3 in.; Masefield (U.C.L.A.) 23ft. 1 1/2 in.; Baker (S.C.) 21ft. 8 in.

Discus—Won by Coleman (S.C.) 146ft. 8 1/2 in.; Houser (S.C.) 122ft. 1 in.; Young (S.C.) 119ft. 8 1/2 in.

880—Won by McCabe (S.C.) DeLapp (S.C.) Bliss (U.C.L.A.) Time, 3m. 1.8a.

220—Won by Anderson (S.C.) McWhinney (S.C.) Mallen (S.C.) Time, 23.1a.

Low hurdles—Won by McBain (U.C.L.A.) Bledsoe (S.C.) Bernstein (S.C.) Time, 23.8a.

Relay—Won by U.C.L.A. Time, 3m. 23.3a.

Final score—U.S.C., 98; U.C.L.A., 35.