

# Trojans in Easy Victory

## Warren Smith and Hubie Kerns Set New Meet Records

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For the 19th time in slightly more than two years, Cornelius Warmerdam scaled the 15-foot mark in the pole vault at Memorial Coliseum yesterday, but his skyscraping effort was without benefit of clergy.

The vault by this greatest field athlete in all sport's history was strictly unofficial because he previously had failed to scale 14ft. 6in. in three attempts. He went on from there to try 15ft. 6in.—just out of curiosity—but flicked the crossbar off on each try.

### FEATURES MEET

This performance marked the annual triangular track and field meet between the Olympic Club of San Francisco, Southern California and U.C.L.A., into which were sandwiched dual meets between the three and the annual Trojan-Bruin frosh competition.

Despite the fact that Coach Dean Cromwell scrambled his star performers around like a bowl of stew, they swept everything. In the triangular test Southern California's national champions chalked up 55 points, which was more than double what the other two teams took.

The Olympic Club was second with 25 and the Bruins third with 15. The Trojans scored 108 points to 23 over U.C.L.A. in the dual classification and 100 to 29 over the Olympic Club. The Bruins, however, beat the Olympic Club 75 to 55. The Trojan frosh completed the sweep by beating the Bruin yearlings, 82 to 48.

### RECORDS SET

Three meet marks fell before the Mighty Men of Troy. Warren Smith powered his way through the half-mile in 1m. 55.9s. to clip .6 of a second off his own record posted a year ago.

Hubie Kerns, without the slightest bit of outside competition, breezed through the furlong sprint in 20.9s. as Troy swept the event. This was .3s. faster than Barney Willis ran the distance in 1940 for Troy.

The third record came in the mile relay, where Coach Cromwell's son Marshall teamed with Kerns, John Wachtler and Cliff Bourland for a swift 3m. 13s. That was 3.6 seconds beyond the Trojan figures posted two years previously.

### TOOK IT EASY

The boys hardly could be accused of trying, since Bourland, at anchor, finished a good 150 yards ahead of John Mumaw, last runner for the Bruins. The club finalist was half a lap in the rear.

An anticipated record in the two-mile failed to materialize when Norman (Red) Bright of the Olympic Club was unable to furnish any competition to Leroy Weed of S.C. Weed lapped several of the starters and came home under full head of steam better than 200 yards in front of his man in 9m. 15s. Louise Zamperini holds the meet mark at 9m. 12.8s.

The only upset of moment came in the high jump, where Searles Tally of Troy leaped 6ft. 6½ in., which was two inches better than his teammate and usual

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victor, Gil Greene, could negotiate yesterday.

## ALL BUT TWO

Southern California won 13 out of the 15 first places, missing only in the discus and pole vault.

Speaking of the vault, it was a year ago that Warmerdam failed to clear 15ft. in an official try in this same meet, when he went out at 14ft. 6in. Like yes-

terday, he came back to negotiate the height. His only other miss of 15 came in San Francisco during an indoor meet, when he turned in a 14ft. 11½in. performance.

High Jump—Tally (S.C.) 6ft. 6¼in.; Greene (S.C.) 6ft. 4¾in.; Shostaff (U.C.L.A.) 6ft. 2¾in.

Shot-put—Merritt (S.C.) 50ft. 10¾in.; Thomas (S.C.) 50ft. 3¾in.; Montgomery (S.C.) 50ft. 2¾in.

Javelin—Pettigrew (S.C.) 185ft. 7in.; Mottram (O.C.) 181ft. 5½in.; Johnson (S.C.) 178ft. 1in.

Mile run—Lane (S.C.) Perry (U.C.L.A.) Norstrand (U.C.L.A.) Time, 4m. 31.4s.

440—Wachtler (S.C.) Thomas (S.C.) Callis (S.C.) Time, 48.5s.

100—Trout (S.C.) Callanan (S.C.) Kaiser (U.C.L.A.) Time, 9.9s.

Broad jump—Bleeker (S.C.) 24ft. ¼in.; Corbett (O.C.) 23ft. 11¾in.; Wren (S.C.) 23ft. 7¼in.

Pole vault—Warmerdam (O.C.) 14ft.; Maggard (U.C.L.A.) 13ft. 6in.; Schaefer (S.C.) 13ft.

High hurdles—Blewener (S.C.) Moore (O.C.) Whitney (O.C.) Time, 15.1s.

Discus—Fox (O.C.) 159ft. 11¾in.; Merritt (S.C.) 149ft. 7¼in.; Thompson (S.C.) 141ft. 5in.

880—Smith (S.C.) LeGar (S.C.) Boyd (U.C.L.A.) Time, 1m. 55.9s. (New meet record. Former mark, 1m. 56.5s., Smith, 1941.)

220—Kerns (S.C.) Crank (S.C.) Callanan (S.C.) Time, 20.9s. (New meet record. Former mark, 21.2s., Barney Willis, S.C., 1940.)

Two-mile run—Weed (S.C.) Bright (O.C.) Miller (U.C.L.A.) Time, 9m. 17s.

Low hurdles—Browning (S.C.) Smith (S.C.) Duke (U.C.L.A.) Time, 23.4s.

Mile relay—S.C. (Cromwell, Wachtler, Kerns, Bourland.) U.C.L.A., Olympic Club. Time, 3m. 15s. (New meet record. Old mark, 3m. 18.6s., in 1940 by S.C.)

Final triangular score—S.C., 95; Olympic Club, 25; U.C.L.A., 15.

Dual meet scores—S.C., 108; U.C.L.A., 23; S.C., 100; Olympic Club, 29; U.C.L.A., 75; Olympic Club, 55.

## FRESHMAN SUMMARY

High Jump—Hunter (U.C.L.A.) Lightner (U.C.L.A.) Miller (U.C.L.A.) Height, 5ft. 8in.

Pole vault—Hunter (U.C.L.A.) Miller (U.C.L.A.) no third. Height, 11ft.

Discus—Pappas (S.C.) Kavich (U.C.L.A.) Wolf (S.C.) Distance, 123ft. 4¼in.

Shot-put—Wolf (S.C.) Kavich (U.C.L.A.) Bague (U.C.L.A.) Distance, 42ft. 9¼in.

Javelin—Moffitt (S.C.) Hummel (S.C.) English (S.C.) Distance, 172ft. 7¼in.

Broad jump—Curry (S.C.) Miller (U.C.L.A.) Hunter (U.C.L.A.) Distance, 22ft. 5¼in.

Mile—Serfas (S.C.) Brown (U.C.L.A.) Dean (U.C.L.A.) Time, 4m. 40.6s.

440—Johnson (S.C.) Melton (U.C.L.A.) Traugher (U.C.L.A.) Time, 49.1s.

100—Mayo (S.C.) Peetz (U.C.L.A.) Kavich (U.C.L.A.) Time, 9.9s.

High hurdles—Jackson (S.C.) Barry (S.C.) Burk (U.C.L.A.) Time, 16.1s.

880—Iacano (S.C.) Moody (S.C.) Licker (U.C.L.A.) Time, 2m. 4s.

220—Mayo (S.C.) Peetz (U.C.L.A.) Anderson (C.) Time, 21.7s.

Two-mile—Serfas (S.C.) Harmel (S.C.) Wilhite (U.C.L.A.) Time, 10m. 50.2s.

Low hurdles—Barry (S.C.) Eaby (S.C.) Lighter (U.C.L.A.) Time, 24.7s.

Mile relay—S.C. (Moody, Iacano, Anderson, Johnson.) Time, 3m. 25.6s.

Final score—S.C. Frosh, 82; U.C.L.A. Frosh, 47.