

Trojans Down Caltech; Find Discus Thrower

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Displaying plenty of the old fortitude known as guts, a dauntless Caltech track and field squad extended Coach Dean Cromwell's vaunted S.C. spikesters at Paddock Field, Pasadena, yesterday before succumbing, 74-57.

The Trojans' leading ironmen, Al Lawrence, Roland Sink and Eddie Grosse, contributed 30 points among them for the lion's share of the victory.

Discus Find

But it was a newcomer, Walt Ralls, a senior dentistry student, who brought the biggest smiles to Cromwell. With just two days of training, the former Compton J.C. athlete hurled the discus an even 140 feet, which is better than any Trojan has done the past two years.

Lawrence skipped the high hurdles in 15s. flat and then came back to skim over the lows in 23.8s., a new S.C. freshman record. The former mark has been held jointly by Clarence Berry, 1930, and Art Laret, 1938, at 24.6s.

Smooth-pacing Sink stepped off the mile in 4m. 31.7s. and toured the two laps in 2m. 2.8s. for easy wins while Grosse, normally a one-lap artist, zipped the 100 in 10s. flat and the furlong in 21.9s., both the fastest of his career.

It was Grosse who figured in a real spine-tingling anchor relay lap with Caltech's Stuart Bates.

Thrilling Relay

Although S.C. had clinched the meet, the Engineers battled all the way to eke out a three-inch victory in a spine-tingling mile relay. Caltech led all the first three legs and Anchorman Stuart Bates got off to a 12-yard lead over Grosse. The latter wasted no time in pulling abreast, however, catching his man the first 110 yards.

But here Bates fought him off

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and forced Grosse to take the turn on the outside lane. Coming into the stretch Grosse forged ahead and held a yard advantage until the closing strides, when Bates suddenly catapulted his tired body across the finish line first. Grosse was clocked in 49.9s.

Mile—Sink (S.C.) Gill (C.T.) Jackson (C.T.) 4m. 31.7s.

440—Kuhns (C.T.) Bates (C.T.) Morley (S.C.) 51.9s.

100—Grosse (S.C.) Hoffman (S.C.) Carter (C.T.) 10s.

High jump—Pastoriza (C.T.) 5ft. 10in.; tie between Crum (S.C.) and Ford (S.C.) 5ft. 8in.

Pole vault—Larson (S.C.) 12ft.; tie between Kim (C.T.) and Carter (C.T.) 11ft.

120 high hurdles—Lawrence (S.C.) Morris (S.C.) Harris (S.C.) 15s.

Shot-put—Audet (S.C.) 49ft. 4in.; Tillman (C.T.) 45ft. 5½in.; Yates (C.T.) 45ft. 2½in.

880—Sink (S.C.) Wagner (C.T.) Tackett (S.C.) 2m. 2.8s.

220—Grosse (S.C.) Hoffman (S.C.) Carter (C.T.) 21.9s.

Two-mile—Howe (C.T.) Gill (C.T.) Fulton (C.T.) 10m. 19.8s.

220 low hurdles—Lawrence (S.C.) Morris (S.C.) Adams (C.T.) 23.8s. (New S.C. freshman record. Old mark 24.6s., held by Clarence Berry, 1930, and Art Laret, 1938.)

Broad jump—Curry (S.C.) 22ft. 8½in.; Crum (S.C.) 21ft. 9in.; Hoffman (S.C.) 21ft. 3in.

Javelin—Wilhelm (C.T.) 158ft. 6¾in.; Morris (S.C.) 149ft.; Robinson (C.T.) 148ft.

Discus—Ralls (S.C.) 140ft.; Tillman (C.T.) 128ft. 7in.; Yates (C.T.) 124ft. 9in.

Final score: S.C., 74; Caltech, 57.