

Troy Spike Stock Soars With Another Easy Win

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S.C.'s fast rising track stock went up several more notches yesterday as Coach Dean Cromwell's charges rolled up a 98 $\frac{3}{4}$ -31 $\frac{1}{2}$ triumph over the combined Fresno State and Compton Junior College forces at Boyard Field, thus setting the stage for their "big meet" against California at Berkeley next week.

The Bears shaded U.C.L.A., 68-62, yesterday to remain with the Trojans as the only major collegiate undefeated teams in the State.

While Troy has consistently figured to outscore California, yesterday's marks just about made it a foregone conclusion.

Gray Surprises

With top sprinter Eddie Grosse out with an injured foot, Gordon Gray came through to annex the dashes in 10s. and 22.8s., both the best of his career.

Ineligible until yesterday, Letterman Chuck Page wafted the javelin 172ft. 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ in., a creditable distance even if it netted only third place. The event was won by Veteran Doug Miller at 189ft. 11in., and the latter had one heave over the 200-foot mark on which he crow-hopped a couple of inches.

Other S.C. stars were right on their feet, too. Burly Earl Audet set the only dual meet record when he put the shot 50ft. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ in., bettering Earl Merritt's former mark of 50ft. 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.

Freshmen Star Again

Those flying freshmen, Al Lawrence and Roland Sink, each turned in another pair of victories. Lawrence proved high-point man by winning the high hurdles in 14.8s., the 140-yard lows in 15s. and garnering second in the broad jump with a single leap—an even 23ft.

Sink breezed over the mile course in 4m. 23.5s. and then

pranced the two-mile in 10m. 24s., the "Little Trojan" loafing in both runs. National Junior A.A.U. Champ Edsel Curry bettered 23ft. in the broad jump for the first time this season in consistent style. All his five hops were over the mark, the best measuring 23ft. 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ in.

Iacono Victor

The expected highlight of the meet proved a dud when Trojan Paul Iacono waltzed away from Fresnan Joe Shropshire in the last 150 yards of the 880 to win by 35 yards. The time was 1m. 56.9s. Iacono also spotted Shropshire three yards in the final lap of the mile relay and beat him to the tape by a stride. He was clocked in 49.3s.

Javelin—Miller (S.C.) 189ft. 11in.; Pennema (C.J.C.) 173ft. 10in.; Page (S.C.) 172ft. 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.

Mile—Sink (S.C.) Maginoli (C.J.C.) Averitt (C.J.C.) Time, 4m. 23.5s.

440—Tackett (S.C.) Young (C.J.C.)

Morley (S.C.) Time, 52s.

100—Gray (S.C.) Curry (S.C.) Moore (C.J.C.) Time, 10s.

High hurdles—Lawrence (S.C.) Cathcart (C.J.C.) Morris (S.C.) Time, 14.8s.

Shot-put—Audet (S.C.) 50ft. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.;

Pickard (S.C.) 43ft. 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ in.; McLendon (S.C.) 41ft. 7in.; (New meet record.)

Old record set by Merritt (S.C.) 50ft. 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ in., 1942.

880—Iacono (S.C.) Shropshire (F.S.)

Calvert (C.J.C.) Time, 1m. 56.9s.

Pole vault—Larson (S.C.) 12ft. 6in.;

Carlson (F.S.) 11ft. 6in.; no third.

High jump—Crum (S.C.) 5ft. 8in.; tie

for second among Geerlings (S.C.) Samuelson (S.C.) and Carlson (F.S.) 5ft. 6in.

Two-mile—Sink (S.C.) Everett (C.J.C.)

Switzer (S.C.) Time, 10m. 24s.

Broad jump—Curry (S.C.) 23ft. 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ in.;

Lawrence (S.C.) 23ft.; Crum (S.C.) 22 ft. 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.

140-yard low hurdles—Lawrence (S.C.)

Morris (S.C.) Cathcart (C.J.C.) Time, 15s.

220—Gray (S.C.) Young (C.J.C.) Moore (C.J.C.) Time, 22.8s.

Discus—Ralls (S.C.) 135ft. 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.; Miller (S.C.) 128ft. 6in.; Daniels (F.S.) 127ft. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.

Mile relay—S.C. (Barry, Wakeling, Tackett, Iacono.) Time, 3m. 27s.

Final score—S.C., 98 2-3; Fresno State-Compton J.C., 31 1-3.

Schott in 19th Win

NEW YORK, April 29. (AP)—Freddie Schott, 207, of Akron, O., scored his 19th straight victory tonight when he punched out an eight-round decision over Bill Grand, 175, of Orange, N.J.