

Records Fall at Pasadena

Eight Collegians, Five Prepsters Set New Games Marks

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Thirteen meet records hit the dust yesterday as the pick of the Southland cinder crop drew the curtain on the track and field season at Paddock Field in the third annual Pasadena games.

The mighty Trojans of S.C., who but for the war would have been in Milwaukee last night notching their 10th straight N.C.A.A. crown, waltzed off with the open division title with 61 points. The San Diego Marines nudged Caltech for the second spot, 22 to 21.

Aided more than somewhat by George Beaman's double sprint victories, Los Angeles Polytechnic emerged victorious in the bitterly contested high school class with 14 markers. Glendale High was second at 10 $\frac{1}{4}$. Fremont tallied 10 and Inglewood, C.I.F. champions, made 9 $\frac{1}{4}$.

Collegians On Top

Present and past collegiate stars accounted for eight of the new marks while the prepsters contributed the other five. Sgt. Jack Powell of the Santa Ana Air Base once more bettered his unofficial world's 880-yard walk time when he heel-and-toed the two laps in 2m. 56.2s. as against his former best of 3m. 2s.

Probably the two outstanding performances of the afternoon were made by servicemen from San Diego. Grant Denmark, ex-Long Beach Jaysee and Stanford star, now a San Diego marine, spun the discus 154ft. 1in. for a record and Hal Johnson, San Diego Naval Air Station, cleared the high jump bar at 6ft. 5in. for another.

Lawrence Stars

Al Lawrence closed out his brilliant S.C. freshman year in grand style. He registered 15 points in four events, just beating Jack Kaiser of the San Diego marines, who turned in 13. Lawrence won the high hurdles in

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15s., set a new games record and Troy yearling mark in the low hurdles of 23.7s., hopped 23ft. 7 1/2 in. for second in the broad jump and tied for second in the pole vault at 12ft. 6 in.

Kaiser also won two events, the javelin at 178ft. 2 1/2 in. and pole vault, 13ft., and was runner-up in the high sticks. The former Fullerton Jaycee ironman ran into trouble in the high jump when three contestants made 6ft. 3 in., shutting him out.

The other records made in open competition were by Roland Sink, S.C., mile in 4m. 30.7s.; James Keating, S.D. marines, servicemen's 100 in 10.3s.; Paul Jacobs, S.C., 880 in 1m. 57.1s., and Tom Quinn, Camp Kearney, two mile in 9m. 41.5s. The famed Joe McCluskey, many times national steeplechase champ from Fordham, ran second in the eight-lapper, finishing some 30 yards behind.

Vault Mark Set

Del Smith, the high-sailing little redhead from Glendale, failed in his attempt to break the national interscholastic pole vault standard of 13ft. 9 1/2 in. but did get over 13ft. 4 1/2 in. for a games mark.

Highest eye-lifter in the prep department was the 880-yard victory of Bill Dorado, Garfield, who sped the distance in 2m. 1.3s., another record.

Jeff Lawson, city 440 king from North Hollywood, established a new one-lap standard at 51.6s. Record performances were also credited to Darrell Kreitz, who skipped over the high hurdles in 15.2s., and Jack Shine, who nabbed the prep high leaping honors at 6ft. 1 1/2 in.

Open Events

1500—Sink (S.C.) Camp Kearney (Calif.) 4m. 30.7s. New games record. Old mark, 4m. 31.8s. set by Sink, L.A.C.C., 1943.

400—James (S.C.) Bishop (S.D.N.A.S.) 59.5s. (Calif.) 59.5s.

Servicemen's 100—Keating (S.D. Marines) Harris (S.D.N.A.S.) Trotter (S.D. Marines) 10.3s. (New games record. Old mark, 10.5s. set by Gordon, Santa Barbara Marines, 1943.)

800-yd.—Dorado (S.C.) 2m. 1.3s. (New S.D. Marines) 4th. 8th. Tolman (Calif.) 2m. 1.3s.

100—Carter (Calif.) Gross (S.C.) Carr (S.C.) 10s.

High jump—Pavel (S.A.A.S.) Meier (Calif.) Berlin (Camp Kohler) 5m. 36.7s. (New unofficial world record. Old mark, 5m. 3s. set by Pavel in 1943.)

High hurdles—Lawrence (S.C.) Kaiser (S.D. Marines) Lightner (S.N.A.S.) 15s. 880—Gross (S.C.) Williams (Calif.) Wagner (S.C.) 1m. 57.1s. (New games record. Old mark 1m. 58.1s. set by Wagner, S.C., 1943.)

100—Carter (Calif.) Gross (S.C.) Keating (S.D. Marines) 10.3s.

200 low hurdles—Lawrence (S.C.) Meier (S.C.) Bishop (S.D.N.A.S.) 22.7s. (New games record. Old mark 24.8s. set by Ed Dillon, More Days, 1943. also new S.C. track record. Old mark 23.8s. set by Lawrence, 1943.)

Broad jump—Carr (S.C.) 23ft. 7 1/2 in. Lawrence (S.C.) 23ft. 7 1/2 in. Oram (S.C.) 21ft. 8 1/2 in.

Two mile — Quinn (Camp Kearney) McCluskey (unattached) Hamers (Garfield) 9m. 41.5s. (New games record. Old record set by Harold Le Moore Air Base, 9m. 50.8s. in 1943.)

800—Dorado (Garfield) 2m. 1.3s. Tolman (Calif.) 2m. 1.3s. (New games record. Old mark set by Dorado, March Field, 1943. 2m. 1.4s. Tolman's low new Calif. record.)

Pole vault—Kaiser (S.D. Marines) 13ft. 4 1/2 in. (New record between Lawrence (S.C.) and Larry (S.C.) 13ft. 6 in.)

Shot—12lb.—S.C. (Bryan, Tackell, Lewis, O'Brien) Calif. Van Ness, 3m. 22.7s.

Javelin—Kaiser (S.D. Marines) 178ft. 2 1/2 in. Page (S.C.) 160ft. 2 1/2 in. Fenema (Camp J.C.) 140ft. 3 1/2 in.

High jump—Quinn (S.D.N.A.S.) 6ft. 1 1/2 in. Dorado (S.D.) 6ft. 4 1/2 in. Walden (U.S.) 6ft. 3 1/2 in.

Final scores—S.C. 41; San Diego Marines, 20; Calif. 10; San Diego Naval Air Station, 8; Camp Kearney, 8; American Legion Hall, 3; Camp J.C., 1; San Diego Naval Training Station, 1.

HIGH SCHOOL, CLASS A

1500—Carr (Calif.) Meier (Frank) Jackson (No. Hollywood) 4m. 41.5s.

400—Lawson (No. Hollywood) Kuhn (San Diego) Fall (L.A.) 51.6s. (New games record. Old mark set by Arnold, No. Hollywood, 1943.)

100 (first race)—Crocker (South Gate) vs. Yessier (Frank) and Maxwell (No. Hollywood) 10.3s. (Second race)—Berman (L.A. Poly) French (L.A.) DeWesse (Calif.) 10.3s.

High hurdles (first race)—Fright (Van Ness) Gering (Calif. Poly) Piles (Beverly Hills) 15.2s. (Second race)—Kraus (Van Ness) Manning (S.D. Marines) Henderson (Van Ness) 15.2s. (New games record. Old mark 15.4s. set by Hunt, Manual Arts, 1943.)

800—Dorado (Garfield) 2m. 1.3s. de la Torre (L.A. Poly) 2m. 1.3s. (New games record. Old mark 2m. 3s. set by Walden, Fall, 1943.)

100—Berman (L.A. Poly) French (L.A.) DeWesse (Calif.) 10.3s.

Shot—12lb.—Bower (El Monte) 44ft. 11 in. Artukovich (Belmont) 44ft. 2 1/2 in. Marsden (Cannon Park) 44ft. 4 1/2 in.

High jump—Shine (South Gate) 6ft. 1 1/2 in. Finley (L.A. Jordan) 6ft. 1 1/2 in. Matthews (Alhambra) 6ft. 1 1/2 in. (New games record. Old mark 6ft. 1 1/2 in. set by Bower, Pac. J.C. and Ory, 1943.)

Pole vault — Smith (Glendale) 13ft. 4 1/2 in. Beckman (Calif.) 13ft. 6 in. (set for third season Finley (L.A. Jordan) Fairchild (Orr) West (Calif.) and Berry (Calif.) 13ft. (New games record. Old mark 13ft. 10 1/2 in. set by Lohr, Canyon, 1943.)

200 low hurdles (first race)—Frazier (Van Ness) Chavis (More) 22.7s. (Van.) 24.8s. (Second race)—Horsing (S.D. Hoover) Foster (Calif.) Henderson (Van.) 24.8s.

400-yard relay—Frazier (More), Bala, Nevada (Belmont) Glendale Hoover, Beverly Hills, 43.7s.

800-yard relay (first race)—Frazier (More), Bala, Tackell, Yessier (L.A. Poly), Alhambra, 1m. 31.6s. (Second race)—South Gate, Beverly Hills, Inglewood, 1m. 31s. (Van Ness was not available.)

Broad jump—Maize (Glendale) 23ft. 7 1/2 in. Mann (L.A. Poly) 23ft. 7 1/2 in. Hayes (Chaffee) 21ft. 8 1/2 in.

Final scores — L.A. Polytechnic, 14; Glendale, 10 1/2; Fremont, 10; Inglewood, 5 1/2; South Gate, 5; San Diego Hoover, 5; North Hollywood, 5; Los Angeles, 5; Garfield, 4; Colton, 3; El Monte, 3; More, 2; Van Ness, 2; Beverly Hills, 2; L.A. Jordan, 1 1/2; Belmont, 1; Franklin, 1; L.A. Poly, 1; Glendale Hoover, 1; Alhambra, 1; Cannon Park, 1; Van Ness, 1; Chaffee, 1.