

Olympic Club Captures Title

LAAC Spikesters Second in Junior AAU Classic

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FRESNO, June 24—The Winged-O athletes of the San Francisco Olympic Club captured the Junior National AAU Track and Field Championships before 3000 faithful fans at Ratcliffe Stadium here tonight, but it took the final and 21st event on the program to decide the team title.

This was the 10,000-meter run, combined junior and senior championship which was won by Fred Wilt of the New York A.C., running for honors in the senior championships of the morrow in the new record time of 31m. 5.7s.

Victory Margin

By placing second, third and fourth in the junior and of the 10,000-meters, the Olympic Club won the team title with 121 $\frac{3}{4}$ points against 107 $\frac{1}{4}$. The LAAC had held a 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ -point edge going into this, the final event.

One junior record was broken and another was tied during the long parade of events, with Bill Larson of the Olympic Club supplying the new mark when he cleared 14ft. in the pole vault.

The record-equaling performance was turned in by Charles Slade of the Long Branch A.C. in New Jersey, when he stretched his powerful legs to capture the 400-meter dash in 47.3s.

Larson, a former Stanford performer, shaded the old record posted in 1943 by Irving Moore at 13ft. 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. Slade was hard pushed in the 400 meters to tie the mark set by Frank Kaiser of Sacramento JC back in 1942.

The team leaders were: San Francisco Olympic Club, 121 $\frac{3}{4}$; Los Angeles A.C. 107 $\frac{1}{4}$; Morgan State College, 34; Chicago CYO, 33; Circle A.C. Los Angeles, 25 $\frac{1}{4}$; Stockton Eagles, 25 $\frac{1}{4}$; New York Pioneer Club, 25.

Other Double Winners

The San Francisco team, augmented by star Stanford, California and San Jose State athletes, picked up four first places and plenty of points along the way, with Woody Linn, rotund San Jose State star, contributing 20 points with victories in the discus throw and the 56-pound weight toss.

There were two other double winners during the evening. They were Jim Urquhart of Wisconsin, who doubled up in the 1500-meter and 5000-meter runs, and Robert Tyler, Morgan State College sprinter from Baltimore, who took the 100-meter in 19.4s., and the 200-meter in 21s. flat.

The tightest race of the evening came in the 110-meter high hurdles when Billy Anderson, the Compton College star competing for the Circle A.C., nipped Bill Fleming of Notre Dame at the tape after an elbow-to-elbow con-

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test in 14.3s., one-tenth off the record.

In the final analysis, the weight events gave the Olympic Club the bulk of their points. In addition to Linn's 20, it picked up 18 more in the hammer throw. The Winged O boys won four events.

100 METERS

First heat (four qualify)—Robert Tyler (Oregon State Col., Baltimore), Jerome Bille (unattached, Denver U.), James Caffery (CFO, Chicago), Bob Watanabe (unattached, Los Angeles), 16.2s.

Second heat (four qualify)—Bille Anderson (Circle AC, Los Angeles), Henry Dearing (Oswego U., Kan.), Ed Tompsett (Northwestern U.), John Bradley (LAAC), 16.2s.

Finals—Tyler by 1 yard, Bille, Tompsett, Dearing, Bradley, Caffery, 16.2s.

HAMMER THROW

Thomas Richmond (unattached, Kentucky), 121 ft., 1921; Wm. Hal. Williams (I.P. Olympic Club), 141 ft., 1922; Woodruff Linn (I.P. Olympic Club), 141 ft., 1923; George Kay (I.P. Olympic Club), 170 ft., 1924; Dale Sperry (unattached, Fresno), 170 ft., 1925; Kenneth Peach (LAAC), 170 ft., 1926.

400 METERS

First heat (four qualify)—Charles Shade (Long Branch Shore AC, New Jersey), George Adrian (LAAC), Richard Malocco (New York Pioneer Club), Paul Arnet (unattached, California), 48.2s.

Second heat (four qualify)—Hugh Malocco (New York Pioneer Club), James La Beach (Morgan State Col., Baltimore), John Cox (Ipsal, San Diego (LAAC), 48.2s.

Finals—Shade by 2 yards, H. Malocco, Cox, LaBeach, Adrian, Hugh, 47.2s. (This meet record set by Frank Kater, Sacramento JC, 1922.)

DISCUS

Woods Linn (I.P. Olympic Club), 194 ft., 1921; Robert Solomon (Washington AC, New Jersey), 192 ft., 1922; Sam Ince (Telare High Club), 192 ft., 1923; George Kay (I.P. Olympic Club), 192 ft., 1924; Jim Allen (Colorado U.), 141 ft., 1925; Darrow Hanner (San Antonio AC, Texas), 137 ft., 1926.

110-METER HIGH HURDLES

Bille Anderson (Circle AC, Los Angeles) by 2 inches, William Fleming (Oswego U.), Arthur Bernard (LAAC), Steve Martin (I.P. Olympic Club), James Mitchell (unattached, Ann Arbor, Mich.), James Nelson (Minnesota), 14.2s.

HIGH JUMP

Tie for first among Richard Bronckath (LAAC), Joe Pace (LAAC), Edwin Young (Circle AC, Los Angeles), John Steinman (Bradley U.) and Charles Holden (San Antonio AC, Texas), 6 ft., 1926; tie for sixth between Norman Woods (Circle AC, Los Angeles) and Don Smith (I.P. Olympic Club), 5 ft., 1926.

SHOT-PUT

John Selwig (LAAC), 32 ft., 1921; Jess Swann (LAAC), 32 ft., 1922; George Kay (I.P. Olympic Club), 31 ft., 1923; Jim Allen (Colorado U.), 30 ft., 1924; Darrow Hanner (San Antonio AC, Texas), 27 ft., 1925; Kenneth Peach (LAAC), 27 ft., 1926.

1500 METERS

James Trechart (Wisconsin) by 2 yards, Frank Green (Indiana), William Conrad (CFO, Chicago), Julius Tober (Brown U.), Kenneth Dixon (Morgan State College, Baltimore), Paul T. Sotogata Jr. (Wilson Washburn Club, Long Beach), 20.2s.

500-METER WALK

Leo Benarath (I.P. Olympic Club) by 150 yards, Ross Fling Ross (unattached, Boulder, Colo.), Jack Powell (LAAC), George Meyers (unattached, Palo Alto), Arner Gustafson (unattached, Stockton), Phil C. Moore (unattached, Palo Alto), 14s., 42s.

POLE VAULT

Bill Larson (I.P. Olympic Club), 14 ft., 1921; Jack Kavan (LAAC), 12 ft., 1922; tie for third among Bill Jensen (I.P. Olympic Club), Hugh Keller (LAAC), Dale Senger (Stockton High, Calif.), and David Miller (unattached, Palmdale, Wash.), 12 ft., 1923; new meet record, old mark 10 ft., 10 1/2 in., set by Irvine Moon, Piedmont, Cal., in 1923.)

500-METER STEEPCHASE

Walter Bachm (I.P. Olympic Club) by 20 yards; Ed Montfield (LAAC), Charles Kichstein (unattached, Stockton), Derland Short (Caruthers High School, Calif.), R. J. Mckeage (unattached, Stockton), no sixth, 10s., 24.2s.

200 METERS

First heat (four qualify)—Robert Tyler (Oregon State Col., Baltimore), Ed Tompsett (Northwestern), Henry Dearing (Oswego U.), John Bradley (LAAC), 21s.

Second heat (four qualify)—Arthur Brown (Ipsal), James Caffery (CFO, Chicago), Claron Clark (N.Y. Pioneer Club), Fred Thompson (Circle AC, Los Angeles), 21.2s.

BROAD JUMP

Harbert Hooping (Kansas State), 24 ft., 1921; Jerry Bille (unattached, Denver U.), 24 ft., 1922; George Brown (Circle AC, Los Angeles), 24 ft., 1923; tie for fourth between Meredith Gordine (N.Y. Pioneer Club) and Edward Taylor (Western Michigan College), 23 ft., 1924; Red Grant (unattached, California), 23 ft., 1925.

JAVELIN

Ralph Rojance (unattached, Smithfield, Conn.), 212 ft., 1921; Ed Morales (LAAC), 212 ft., 1922; Jack Todd (Colorado U.), 200 ft., 1923; William Atkinson (Florida U.), 190 ft., 1924; Robert Kirk (North Carolina U.), 187 ft., 1925; Paul Bennett (LAAC), 187 ft., 1926.

500 METERS

Paul Boers (Kansas U.) by 4 yards, William Brown (Oregon State Col., Baltimore), Wally Wilson (LAAC), Don Malinowski (Michigan State), Henry Arner (CFO, Chicago), E. V. Howard (San Antonio AC, Texas), 10.2s.

500 METERS

James Trechart (Wisconsin) by 40 yards, George Pizzanora (Colorado U.), Don Kitz (Minnesota), Wm. Fred King (LAAC), 24 ft., Richard Cole (El Toro Marine), Robert Mandy (unattached, Stockton), 12s., 22.1s.

1000 METERS

Tie Twaner (Indiana), Far Blair (I.P. Olympic Club), Don Seaman (I.P. Olympic Club), Dick Viera (I.P. Olympic Club), Robert Coles (Circle AC, Los Angeles), Jack Wells (LAAC), 12s., 22.2s.

Final scores—San Francisco Olympic Club, 12 1/2; Los Angeles Athletic Club, 10 1/2; Morgan State College, Baltimore, 7; National Youth Organization, Chicago, 5; Circle Athletic Club, Los Angeles, 2 1/2; Stockton High, 2 1/2; New York Pioneer Club, 2.

University of Wisconsin, 20; Colorado University, 20; Rose Institute, 18; San Antonio AC, 13; Long Branch Shore AC, N.J., 10; Kansas State, 10; Kansas University, 10; University of Iowa, 10; Indiana University, 8; State College, 8; Northwestern, 8; Coloma (Kan.) University, 8; Wabash (N.J.) AC, 8; Denver University, 8; Minnesota, 7; Bradley University, 5; Telare (Cal.) High Club, 4; Brown University, 4; Carthage (Cal.) High School, 4; University of Florida, 4; Michigan State, 4; Western Michigan College, 3; Wilson High (Stockton) Club, Long Beach, Cal., 2; El Toro Marine, 2; North Carolina, 2.

SENIOR CLUBS

(Only one race scheduled)

1500 meters—Fred Wils. (New York AC), Robert Black (Orange Island State), Thomas Quinn (New York AC), Vic Fawcett (Ipsal), Far Blair (I.P. Olympic Club), William Reed (unattached, Stockton), 15s., 37.2s. (New AAU record. Old mark, 15s., 42s., set by Don Lamb, Indiana University, in 1925.)