

Voiles Hurls Spear 246-9 for Record

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UCLA stunned SC with clean sweeps in both sprints but the Trojans fought back to take the deciding mile relay and beat the Bruins in track and field for the 25th consecutive time yesterday before 12,674 Coliseum fans.

The final score was 68-63, closest in the history of the competition between the two schools starting in 1934.

David James, ailing Bruin sprinter who hadn't been in competition since March 30 and was discounted in all pre-meet guessing, proved not to be ailing at all and led a UCLA sweep of the 100. He also finished second in the 220 behind Russ Ellis as the Bruins again were one-two-three.

Dope Upset

Almost all newspaper figuring had SC clinching the meet before the relay. But the reversal of form in the sprints, where the Bruins scored 18 points instead of the expected 12 or 14, brought it down to the relay.

But here the tired Bruins weren't up to the task and SC romped off with a handy decision in 3:13.9 despite Ellis' anchor lap of 46.4 for UCLA. The Bruins were hurt when Bob Thompson suffered a muscle cramp warming up for the 880 and Willard Penn had to take his place in the relay.

Penn shot out ahead of SC's Murray Cockburn at the start but then tied up badly in the stretch and Cockburn beat him by 15 yards. Stan King of UCLA and Chuck Kirkby of SC remained in about the same relative positions but Sid Wing picked up another 15 yards on Bob Seaman in the third lap.

Thus Ellis was left with a

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came up with a proposal for a new park that was simply 30-yard deficit as he faced Tom Anderson in the anchor lap and it was too much.

Seaman had previously run the mile and 880 and Ellis the 440 and 220.

The meet's outstanding mark came in the javelin where SC's Bob Voiles cracked the NCAA record by hurling the spear 246ft. 9in., 8 inches past Les Bitner's mark for Kansas. Voiles had uncorked one of 227ft. on his first toss and all his other efforts were past that.

This was one of two meet records set in the varsity division, the other coming in the 880. Frosh cracked three marks in their meet, won by the Trobables, 88-42, with SC Yearling Dave Davis raising his national frosh shot-put record to 56ft. 4 1/2 in., better than Don Vick's winning varsity mark for UCLA.

Disappointing Mile

The heralded mile run finished as expected but in disappointing time as Wing was unable to give Bob Seaman a race of it.

SC sent Marshall Clark out as a pace setter but he was so far ahead no one paid any attention to him. John Seaman stayed with Wing in the second lap, holding the rail, and through the backstretch was able to keep the Trojan veteran in the second lane by sprinting with him whenever Wing attempted to pass.

This drew some boos from the excited throng but had the effect of sapping Wing's strength as he permitted the Bruin sophomore to outmaneuver him.

Seaman Coasts Home

Wing finally got around John and was just ahead of the closing Bob Seaman at the 880, where they were timed in 2:04.3. Bob went ahead in the third lap, with a 3:10.8 time for 1320, and then coasted home for a 4:11.6 victory as Wing slowed down for a 66-second last lap and a 4:16.7 clocking.

Bob Seaman attempted to double in the 880 run 50 minutes later but was beaten by Anderson, who had a flashy 1:50.2 clocking, a meet and SC record. The SC soph from Van Nuys chopped a full second off Kirkby's Trojan record.

Anderson dashed out to the lead, holding it throughout after being timed in 55.9 at 440. Bob Seaman was immediately boxed by Trojans Kirkby and Wes McLeod and stayed there for some 500 yards.

This brought hearty booing from the Bruin supporters.

'Didn't Mind'

"I really didn't mind at first," Bob said later, "because I wanted to stay with them. But then Anderson got too far ahead."

Seaman was unable to get between the Trojans and finally went out to lane 4 to pass them. It was too late to catch Anderson. Seaman had a fine 1:50.6 mark in second, Kirkby was 1:51.5 in third and John Seaman nearly caught Kirkby with by far his best mark, a 1:51.6 in fourth.

SC's Larry Gilbert, principal Troy sprint hope, beat only one man, a teammate, in the 100, and trailed the field in the 220. C. R. Roberts was the closest Trojan in the 100 and Ramon Lopez was fourth in the 220.

Rafer Falls Off

Rafer Johnson, who scored 18 points in this meet a year ago, had a second and third in the dashes and a third in the javelin yesterday.

The Bruins did better than predicted in the hurdles, with Ken Thompson upsetting Bob Lawson in the lows with a fine 23.1 mark, his best ever. This was a big event for UCLA, coming late

in the meet as it did, and made sure the relay would be the decider. Thompson, a soph, was State low-hurdle champ for Centennial.

Saturday brings the Fresno Relays, with all local hands participating.

VARSITY

SHOT-PUT—1. Vick (UCLA), 56ft. 4 1/2 in.; 2. Martin (SC), 54ft. 4 1/2 in.; 3. Bronson (SC), 53ft. 1 1/2 in.

HIGH JUMP—1. Tie between Torrence and Dyer (UCLA), 6ft. 6 1/2 in.; 3. Banton (UCLA), 6ft. 3 1/2 in.

MILE—1. Seaman (UCLA), 4:11.6; 2. Wing (SC), 4:16.3; 3. Shankland (SC), 4:18.7.

440—1. Ellis (UCLA), 47.7; 2. Lopez (SC), 48.1; 3. Cockburn (SC), 48.4.

100—1. James (UCLA), 9.7; 2. Johnson (UCLA), 9.9; 3. Myers (UCLA), 10.

BROAD JUMP—1. Roberts (SC), 24ft. 9 1/2 in.; 2. Knaub (UCLA), 24ft. 1 in.; 3. Lawson (SC), 23ft. 3 1/2 in.

POLE VAULT—1. Morris (SC), 14ft. 6 in.; 2. Tie between Bullard (SC) and Hren (SC), 14ft. 2 in.

JAVELIN—1. Voiles (SC), 246ft. 9 in.; 2. Malulis (SC), 213ft. 9 in.; 3. Johnson (UCLA), 209ft. 3 in. (New meet record, old mark 24ft. 1 1/2 in. Voiles; 1935 New NCAA record, old mark 246ft. 1 in. Bitner, Kansas, 1935.)

880—1. Anderson (SC), 1:50.2; 2. Bob Seaman (UCLA), 1:50.6; 3. Kirkby (SC), 1:51.5. (New meet record, old mark 1:51.2, Kirkby, 1936.)

220—1. Ellis (UCLA), 21.3; 2. James (UCLA), 21.8; 3. Johnson (UCLA), 21.8.

120 HIGH HURDLES—1. Lawson (SC), 14.3; 2. Thompson (UCLA), 14.7; 3. Luster (UCLA), 14.7.

TWO-MILE—1. Trux (SC), 9:20.4; 2. Robertson (SC), 9:21.9; 3. Rodriguez (UCLA), 9:24.4.

220 LOW HURDLES—1. Thompson (UCLA), 23.1; 2. Lawson (SC), 23.3; 3. Luster (UCLA), 23.4.

DISCUS—1. Babka (SC), 173ft. 9 1/2 in.; 2. Vick (UCLA), 163ft. 6 in.; 3. Sean (SC), 160ft. 2 1/2 in.

MILE RELAY—1. SC (Cockburn, 48.6; Kirkby, 48.2; Wing, 48.5; Anderson, 48.8), 3:13.3; 2. UCLA (Pann, 50.7; Kings, 48.5; Seaman, 49.9; Ellis, 46.4), 3:18.8.

FINAL SCORE—SC, 68; UCLA, 63.

FRESHMEN

POLE VAULT—1. Reese (SC), 2. Brixey (UCLA); 3. Chandler (UCLA), 13ft. 3 1/2 in.

SHOT-PUT—1. Davis (SC), 2. Albany (UCLA); 3. Kuhns (SC), 56ft. 1 in. (New meet record; old mark, 54ft. 7 in. Vick (UCLA), 1934. New national freshman record; old mark, 56ft. 2 in., Davis, 1937.)

HIGH JUMP—1. Ehrhrcerasingam (UCLA); 2. Tie between Kuhns (SC) and Miller (SC), 6ft. 2 1/2 in.

BROAD JUMP—1. Lindsay (SC); 2. Waldron (SC); 3. Faldner (UCLA), 24ft. 2 1/2 in. (New meet record; old mark, 23ft. 10 1/2 in., Skinner, SC, 1933.)

JAVELIN—1. Reese (SC); 2. Avellar (UCLA); 3. McCrady (UCLA), 189ft. 4 1/2 in.

MILE—1. Lemons (SC); 2. Holland (UCLA); 3. Riding (UCLA), 4:20.8.

440—1. Smith (UCLA), 2. Wallis (SC); 3. Gunn (UCLA), 47.9 (New meet record; old mark, 48.9, Lopez, SC, 1936.)

100—1. Lindsay (SC); 2. Johnson (UCLA), 1. Bennett (SC), 10.2.

HIGH HURDLES—1. Waldron (SC); 2. McConnell (SC); 3. Avellar (UCLA), 15.

880—1. Catterer (SC); 2. Holland (UCLA); 3. Nelson (UCLA), 1:36.6.

DISCUS—1. Nelson (SC); 2. Albany (UCLA); 3. Brixey (UCLA), 144ft. 7 1/2 in.

220—1. Smith (SC); 2. Johnson (UCLA); 3. Lindsay (SC), 21.8.

TWO-MILE—1. King (UCLA); 2. Dolan (SC), No third, 10:34.8.

LOW HURDLES—1. Waldron (SC); 2. Holman (SC); 3. McConnell (SC), 24.6.

MILE RELAY—1. SC (Wells, Irons, Lemons, T. Smith), 3:21.1.

FINAL FRESHMAN SCORE—SC, 28; UCLA, 42.