

Trojans Good Mudders, Edge Stanford, 73-72

LOS ALTOS (AP) — Southern California won the mile relay, the final event of a rain-sogged, wind-swept dual track and field meet with Stanford Saturday, and with the victory edged the host Indians 73-72.

Stanford had asked to postpone the meet to Sunday but USC said it had to return to Los Angeles by Saturday night. The meet then was shifted from Stanford to the nearby Foothill College field.

Made the Difference

In the shuffle, two Stanford hop, step and jump men left, thinking the meet was Sunday. One of them, Sheridan Downey, has done 47 ft., 7½ in. in the event.

Stanford won the event without Downey, Steve Cortright jumping 47-1. But USC took both second and third off jumps of 42-9¼ by Max Johnson and 40-9¾ by Carlos De La Rosa. Stanford, with Downey figured in, had been favored to take first and second or first and third and that would have given the Indians their first dual meet victory over the Trojans in 27 starts going back to 1933.

A Tough One

Stanford coach Payton Jordan, who is an ex-Trojan sprinter, would say only, "It was a tough one to lose."

Going into the mile relay, Stanford led 72-68. As the relay started, the first two

Trojans, Dick Cortese and John Talsky, built up a five-yard lead after 880 yards.

Stanford's Rich Chesarek, running against Brian Polkinghorne, cut the margin to three yards on the third lap.

Over the final 440 Stanford's Kenny Emanuel caught USC's Rex Cawley on the last turn but Cawley kicked back in front to win by 8 yd. The time was 3:16.7.

14.1 for Pierce

The weather conditions played havoc with expected times and distances except in the 120-yd. high hurdles where Trojan Bob Pierce was clocked in 14.1.

Stanford swept the mile with Harry McCalla winning in 4:09 flat. Harlan Andrews was second and Robin Ruble third.

During the mile it rained buckets but about halfway through the meet the rain stopped although the wind continued blowing.

An estimated crowd of 1000 braved the elements along with the competitors.

Summaries:

440-YD. RELAY—Stanford (Breschini, McIntyre, Frische and Questad), 41.6.

MILE—1. McCalla (S); 2. Andrews (S); 3. Ruble (S), 4:09.0.

440—1. Cawley (USC); 2. Hogan (USC); 3. Emanuels (S), 48.5.

100—1. Cortese (USC); 2. Frische (S); 3. Questad (S), 9.7.

120-YD. HIGH HURDLES — 1. Pierce (USC); 2. Polkinghorne (USC); 3. Cortright (S), 14.1.

880—1. Miltz (S); 2. Pratt (S); 3. Lile (USC), 1:52.2.

220—1. Cortese (USC); 2. Questad (S); 3. Frische (S), 31.9.

330-YD. INTERMEDIATE HURDLES — 1. Cawley (USC); 2. Cortright (S); 3. Polkinghorne (USC), 37.4.

TWO-MILE RUN—1. Marin (USC); 2. McCalla (S); 3. Kirkland (S), 8:57.

MILE RELAY—1. USC (Cortese, Talsky, Polkinghorne, Cawley), 3:16.7; 2. Stanford.

HIGH JUMP—1. Hoyt (USC), 6-4 $\frac{1}{4}$; 2. Fleckenstein (USC), 6-2 $\frac{1}{4}$; 3. Fontius (S), 6-2 $\frac{1}{4}$.

BROAD JUMP—1. Moore (S), 22-6 $\frac{1}{4}$; 2. Johnson (USC), 22-6 $\frac{1}{4}$; 3. De La Rosa (USC), 22-1 $\frac{1}{4}$.

POLE VAULT—1. White (S), 14-6; 2. Tie between Flanagan (USC) and Hein (USC), 14-0.

TRIPLE JUMP—1. Cortright (S), 47-1 $\frac{1}{2}$; 2. Johnson (USC), 43-9 $\frac{1}{2}$; 3. De La Rosa (USC), 43-9 $\frac{1}{2}$.

SHOT PUT—1. Chappel (S), 55-7; 2. Arch (S), 54-6; 3. Wynn (USC), 54-5 $\frac{1}{2}$.

DISCUS—1. Wall (S), 170-6; 2. Rowe (USC), 157-9 $\frac{1}{2}$; 3. Abt (USC), 148-10.

JAVELIN—1. Short (USC), 213-0; 2. Gilstrap (S), 173-6; 3. Glimmer (S), 165-4.