

# It's a Breeze for USC on Windy Day, 99-55

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It was Husky weather all right, something you might expect off the Puget Sound, but otherwise very little went Washington's way Saturday as USC swept to a 99-55 victory in a Pacific 8 dual meet at the Coliseum.

You sort of figured it wasn't Washington's day when before the meet a pole vault standard blew over and conked Husky vaulter Kirk Bryde on the head.

Bryde was found to be all right after they took him to the USC infirmary and he decided to stay in the competition. But when he tried for what would have been the winning height of 15-0 — you guessed it—his pole broke in half.

The wind, one of the worst in Coliseum history for a track meet, destroyed any hopes for top marks except in the discus where Troy's Joe Antunovich set a lifetime record of 197-5, best college throw in the nation this year.

## Previous Best

"I'm really happy to get it in the Coliseum," said the 23-year-old New Zealander, "because you don't get many good marks here. My best previous throw in the Coliseum was 188 feet."

Antunovich, 6-3 and 255, has added 10 pounds this year after undergoing an operation for a hernia which restricted his weight lifting last year.

"I aggravated the injury before the NCAA meet," he said. "I really thought I had a chance to win because I had thrown 197 in practice but I couldn't throw at all in Des Moines. That's the meet I really want to win this year."

Antunovich roomed last summer with ex-Trojan shot putter Dave Murphy and he says, "Dave really helped me mentally. He's as knowledgeable in the weights as anybody I've ever known."

Still, Antunovich likes his new roommate better. She's the former Kathy Snyder, Joe's bride of a month, who can't lose when her husband throws against the Bruins, May 8. She's a graduate student at UCLA.

Joe himself is a B student in architecture, and he said, "I'm surprised I

did as well as I did today, because I've been averaging only six hours sleep working on a project in architecture."

If the wind had blown any harder Saturday, he could have started another project — drawing plans for a new Coliseum.

## Track Notes

There was no wind gauge, so it's anybody's guess if any marks were wind-aided. "It was blowing every which way," said Trojan coach Vern Wolfe. "At the head of the pole vault runway you might have the wind with you and then halfway down find it against you." . . . Washington sprinter Bob Ballard scratched because of a leg strain. . . In the 100, they let Washington's Ben Johnson get away with a rolling start and he just did hold off Troy's Willie Deckard. Deckard pulled out of the 220 because of an upset stomach. . . Other Trojans who scratched were miler Steve Crane (cold) and high jumper Larry Hollins (sore knee).

Washington coach Ken Shannon, whose Huskies lost to Oregon, 85-60, last week, rates the Ducks the team to beat in the Pacific 8 meet. "I'd say Oregon, UCLA and USC in that order," said Shannon. He wouldn't pick the winner of next week's Oregon-UCLA meet but said, "I think Oregon is going to have to improve in the sprints or they'll be in trouble." . . . Antunovich rates Fred DeBernardi of Texas (El Paso) as his toughest competition in the NCAA. . . Next Saturday the Trojans meet Sanford in Palo Alto. The summary:

**LONG JUMP**—1, Hines (USC), 25-2½ (meet record, old mark, 24-6, Phil Shinnick, Washington, 1963); 2, Birkinshaw (W), 23-7½; 3, H. Jackson (USC), 23-3½.

**POLE VAULT**—1, Cryder (USC), 14-6; 2, Bryde (W), 14-4; 3, Cochran (USC), 14-4.

**SHOT PUT**—1, Lane (USC), 41-4; 2, Colich (USC), 37-3; 3, Buehler (USC), 34-11.

**JAVELIN**—1, Feldmann (W), 251-4 (meet record, old mark, 243-1½, Larry Smart, USC, 1963); 2, Libben (USC), 211-5; 3, Hall (USC), 185-8.

**3,000-METER STEEPLECHASE** — 1, Jones (USC), 9:25.8; 2, Chamin (W), 9:32.3; 3, Brandon (W), 9:45.0.

**400 RELAY**—1, USC (M. Jackson, Brown, Hines, Deckard), 41.3 (meet record, old mark, 41.5, USC, 1960); 2, Washington, 41.2.

**MILE**—1, Johnson (W), 4:08.8; 2, Carr (USC), 4:09.7; 3, Mesmer (W), 4:14.1.

**1200H**—1, Babb (USC), 14.3; 2, Seymour (W), 14.3; 3, Coffman (USC), 14.0.

**HIGH JUMP**—1, Shields (W), 6-6; 2, Owens (USC), 6-4; 3, Harris (W), 6-4.

**TRIPLE JUMP**—1, H. Jackson (USC), 50-1½ (meet record, old mark, 49-0½, Waribeka West, Washington, 1963); 2, Todd (USC), 48-8½; 3, Hines (USC), 47-2.

**440**—1, Garrison (USC), 48.0; 2, Brown (USC), 47.0; 3, Christensen (W), 47.1.

**DISCUS**—1, Antunovich (USC), 197-5 (meet record, old mark, 190-7, Gary Carlson, USC, 1967); 2, Craig (W), 167-9; 3, Walker (W), 165-2.

**800**—1, Johnson (W), 9.7 (equals meet record, Lennox Miller, USC, 1967); 2, Deckard (USC) 9.7; 3, Lavery (W), 9.9.

**880**—1, Carr (USC), 1:34.3; 2, Burns (USC), 1:34.7; 3, Jones (USC), 1:34.8.

**440H**—1, Savers (W), 52.4; 2, H. Jackson (USC), 52.7; 3, Coffman (USC), 53.7.

**320**—1, Garrison (USC), 29.8; 2, Lavery (W), 29.3; 3, M. Jackson (USC), 29.7.

**THREE MILE** — 1, Johnson (W), 13:53.8; 2, Muth (USC), 13:29.8; 3, Anderson (W), 14:22.2.

**MILE RELAY**—1, USC (Pollard, 32.2; Burks, 48.7; Hines, 47.7; Brown, 48.4), 2:17.2; 2, Washington, 3:17.4.

**FINAL SCORE**—USC 99, Washington 55.

Attendance—1,813.