

Young Sets American 5,000 Meter Record

BAKERSFIELD — George Young, 34-year-old Arizona schoolteacher, set an American record in the 5,000 meters Saturday night, covering the distance in 13:32.2 in the Bakersfield Track Dedication Classic.

The old record was 13:33.8, set by Gerry Lindgren in 1968.

Frank Shorter of the Florida Track Club, the National AAU champion, was second in 13:34.9, followed by teammate Jack Bachelor in 13:37.2.

UCLA won the mile relay in 3:05.5, fastest time in the world this year. John Smith blazed the third leg in 44.6 and Wayne Collett anchored in 45.5.

JAVELIN — 1. Schmidt (U.S. Army), 252-6; 2. Lyngsted (U.S. Army), 245-10; 3. Kaveny (California TC), 231-9.

SWEDISH RELAY — 1. U.S. Army (Blaisdale, 400 meters; Haynes, 100; Bates, 200; Newhouse, 300), 1:51.7; 2. Stockton TC, 1:54.7; 3. UCLA, 1:55.2.

LONG JUMP — 1. Coleman (U.S. Army), 24-2/4; 2. Royster (Northern California TC), 24-1/4; 3. Vaughn (Striders), 23-11.

SHOT PUT — 1. Wilhelm (U.S. Army), 64-5/4; 2. Samsam (Athens TC), 62-9/8; 3. Tollefson (Pacific Coast Club), 58-9.

1,000 METERS — 1. Michael (Stockton TC), 2:23.8; 2. Lemaster (U.S. Army), 2:24.9; 3. Swenson (U.S. Army), 2:25.4.

5,000 METERS — 1. Young (unat), 13:32.2 (American record, old mark 13:33.8, Gerry Lindgren, Washington State, 1968); 2. Shorter (Florida TC), 13:35.0; 3. Bachelor (Florida TC), 13:37.2.

1200M — 1. White (Striders), 13.7; 2. Babb (USC), 13.8; 3. Coffman (USC), 14.0.

100 (Race 1) — 1. Bright (U.S. Army), 9.7; 2. Robinson (UCLA), 9.7; 3. Monsegue (Striders), 9.8.

100 (Race 2) — 1. Miller (Striders), 9.5; 2. C. Smith (California TC), 9.5; 3. Welch (UCLA), 9.6.

TRIPLE JUMP — 1. Butts (UCLA), 51-5 1/4; 2. McClellan (Air Force), 51-0 1/2; 3. Greenwater (Air Force), 50-6 1/4.

300 METERS — 1. Kemp (Striders), 32.1 (American record, old mark 32.8, Jim Kemp, U.S. Army, 1968); 2. Turner (Steters TC), 33.0; 3. Scott (California TC), 34.0.

400 RELAY — 1. U.S. Army (Harris, White, Wright, Vaughn), 39.9; 2. UCLA, 40.0; 3. Air Force, 41.3.

600 METERS — 1. Brown (California), 1:16.2 (American record, old mark 1:16.5, Tom Farrell, U.S. Army, 1968); 2. Mitchell (San Diego TC), 1:18.3; 3. Lily (unat), 1:18.5.

HIGH JUMP — 1. Dobroth (Pacific Coast Club), 6-10; 2. Clark (California TC), 6-10; 3. Hailey (California TC), 6-8.

400M — 1. Williams (San Diego TC), 50.7; 2. Johnson (Pacific Coast Club), 50.9; 3. Whitney (Striders), 51.5.

2,000 METERS — 1. LaBenz (Pacific Coast Club), 5:12.6; 2. Savage (Santa Barbara AC), 5:13.0; 3. Hitchcock (Kansas State), 5:13.0.

DISCUS — 1. Silvester (Spanish Fork, Utah), 203-11; 2. Kohler (Strikers), 195-6; 3. Vollmer (U.S. Army), 194-8.

MILE RELAY — 1. UCLA (Echols 48.5, Edmonson 48.9, Smith 44.6, Collett 45.5), 3:05.5; 2. Pacific Coast Club (Frey 46.8, Musika 46.5, Eibel 46.3, Van Hofwegen 47.3), 3:06.9; 3. U.S. Army, 3:14.8.

POLE VAULT — Tie between Carter (U.S. Army) and Smith (Pacific Coast Club), 16-6; 3. Tracaneli (UCLA), 16-6.

POLE VAULT (Exhibition) — Seagren (Striders), 17-0.

HIGH SCHOOL MILE RELAY — 1. West Bakersfield (Glover 49.3, Andrews 50.4, Foster 49.5, Boen 48.2), 3:17.4; 2. Bakersfield, 3:20.6.