

Evans Wins in 46.3, Then Disqualified

LOS ANGELES (Special To The Mercury) — San Jose City College sensation Lee Evans won the open 440 against a star-studded field in the Coliseum Relays here tonight in 46.3 and then was disqualified.

Judges ruled that Evans ran on the line and slightly out of his lane, the ninth, coming off the final turn.

Evans, who set a national junior college record of 46.2 last Saturday, ran the first 220 in 23.4 and was five yards in front of Jim Bankhead of Southern Methodist at the finish. Bankhead was ruled the official winner in 46.7.

Evans will have a chance for revenge against many of the same runners in the open 440 at the West Coast Relays at Fresno tonight.

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Sensational Jim Ryun, 19-year-old University of Kansas freshman, broke the American record for the two-mile run, barely edging Jim Grelle in the feature race of the Coliseum Relays Friday night. Kipchoge Keino finished third.

Ryun, who took over the lead on the last lap, was timed in 8:25.2. Grelle, from Portland, Ore., had the same time, bettering the American record of 8:26.0 set by Bob Schul in Woodland Hills, Calif., August 29, 1964.

Keino, the colorful world record holder in the 3,000 and 5,000 meter runs, from Kenya in east Africa, set the pace and held the lead until about 120 yards from the finish.

He threw off his long - bill orange cap, his familiar stunt, and the crowd of 17,253 set up a roar.

But Ryun, who had stayed off the pace until the last lap, suddenly burst up to challenge and then passed Keino.

Grelle also charged up and it was a two-man race to the tape with the youngster barely winning.

Keino, running for the first time outdoors this year, was timed in 8:29.8.

Tracy Smith of the Pasadena Athletic Association was fourth and Dyrol Burleson, running unattached from Oregon, was fifth.

Bob Day of UCLA, who had run second to Keino for a mile

and a half, dropped out with a right leg cramp on the sixth lap.

Until the dramatic finish, the running order was mostly Keino, Day, Grelle, Burleson, and Ryun and Smith trading positions at the rear. There was never a great distance between any of the runners.

A four man team from the University of Southern California broke the world record in the two mile relay with a time of 7:17.4, clipping a full second off the old mark.

The old mark was set by Oklahoma State at 7:18.4 at Fresno, Calif., May 8, 1965.

Favored Texas finished second in 7:18.5—one-tenth second off the record — and Villanova was third in 7:18.8. Georgetown did not finish the race.

The Trojan team and individual times consisted of: John Link, 1:51.1, Bruce Bess, 1:49.7; Dave Buck, 1:48.8; Dennis Carr, 1:47.8.

World shot put record holder Randy Matson of Texas A&M discouraged his opposition with his first effort, a toss of 69-2½. Matson's world record is 70-7¼.

Javelin—1, John Tushaus, Ariz., 284-0. (American record. Old mark 282-3½ by Al Conello, USMC, June 5, 1959, Compton, Calif.) 2, Lennart Hedmark, 49'er TC, 253-2. 3, Bob Sbordone, 49'er TC, 252-3. 4, Dick Sleyb, UCLA, 249-6. 5, Larry Stuart, Sou. Cal. Striders, 248-5.

Mile walk—1, Ron Laird, New York AC, 6:29.8. 2, Don Denoon, Sou. Cal. Striders, 6:31.3. 3, Larry Young, Sou. Cal. Striders, 6:48.4. 4, Larry Walker, Matador TC, 6:48.8. 5, Bob Bowman, Sou. Cal. Striders, no time.

300 meter steeplechase—1, Ray Barrus, Brigham Young U., 8:52.6. 2, Bob Price, California, 9:05.4. 3, Ray Hughes, Sou. Cal. Striders, 9:06.4. 4, Mike Manley, Quantico Marines, 9:11.4.

120 high hurdles—1, Roy Hicks, Texas Southern, 13.8.2, Arnaldo Bristol, Tex. Sou. 13.9. 3, Ron Copeland, UCLA, 14.1. 4, Walt Butler, Pasadena AA, 14.1.

100—1, Jimmy Hines, Aex. Sou., 9.7. 2, Lennox Miller, USC Frosh, 9.8. 3, Larry Dunn, Sou. Cal. Striders, 9.8. 4, Harold Busby, UCLA Frosh, 9.9.

440—1, Jim Bankhead, Sou. Methodist, 46.7. 2, Jim Sullivan, U. Ariz., 47.6. 3, Rupert Hollett, USC Frosh, 47.6. 4, Ron Freeman, Ariz. St. Frosh, 47.7. (Lee Evans, San Jose CC, finished 1st in 46.3, disqualified, running out of lane.)

Mile—1, John Camien, Emporia, Kan., 4:04.3. 2, Charles Christmas, Abilene Christian, 4:05.3. 3, Tex Nelson, Sou. Cal. Striders, 4:05.4. 4, Pat Traynor, 49er TC, 4:07.1.

2 mile relay — 1, Southern California (John Link, 1:51.1, Bruce Bess, 1:49.7, Dave Buck, 1:48.8, Dennis Carr, 1:47.8), 7:17.4 (new world record, old mark Oklahoma State, 7:18.4, set at Fresno, Calif., May 18, 1965) 2, University of Texas, 7:18.5. 3, Villanova, 7:18.8. 4, no fourth.

220—Dunn, Sou. Cal. Striders, 21.2. 2, Miller, USC Frosh, 21.2. 3, Busby, UCLA Frosh, 21.2. 4, Gilbert Smith, Tex A&M, 21.3.

440 yard relay—1, Tex. Sou. C. (Bristol, Hicks, Clyde Duncan, Hines), 40.0. 2, UCLA, 40.3. 3, Stanford, 40.6. 4, Sou. Meth. U., 41.6.

Shot put—1, Randy Matson, Tex. A&M, 69-2½; 2, Neil Steinhauer, U. Oregon, 64-6. 3, Parry O'Brien, Pasadena AA, 64-2¾. 4, Dave Davis, Pasadena AA, 61-3.

High jump—1, Otis Burrell, U. Nevada, 7-0. 2, Ed Caruthers, U. Arizona, 6-10¼. 3, John Dobroth, SC Striders, 6-10¼. 4, tie, Greg Heet, USC, Lloyd Higgins, Pasadena AA, 6-8.

Long jump—1, Rainer Stenius, Los Angeles St., 26-3. 2, Ralph Boston, SC Striders, 26-1. 3, Gayle Hopkins, Pasadena AA, 25-11½. 4, Wellesley Clayton, 4934 TC, 25-2¼.