

Irvine's Serna Wins 10,000

FRESNO (AP)—Ralph Serna of UC Irvine pulled away from San Diego State's Brian Hunsaker in the last 200 yards to win a close 10,000-meter run Friday in the 10th annual Pacific Coast Athletic Assn. track and field championships.

Another Irvine athlete, Ed Ahlmeyer, set a PCAA record in winning the 3,000-meter steeplechase in 8:44.7. Bill St. John of San Diego State, who set the old mark of 8:54.4 last year, was second in 8:52.96.

San Jose State's Ron Livers won the triple jump for the fourth year in a row with a meet-record 54-2½.

FINALS

3,000 STEEPLECHASE—1. Ahlmeyer (UCI), 8:44.7 (meet record, old mark 8:54.4, Bill St. John, San Diego State, 1977); 2. St. John (SDS), 8:52.9; 3. Kelly (US), 8:56.3; 4. LeBold (UCSB), 9:05.8; 5. Reimo (SJS), 9:00.6.

10,000—Serna (UCI), 30:13.1; 2. Hunsaker (SDS), 30:18.1; 3. Langford (FS), 30:59.8; 4. McCandless (LBS), 31:04.1; 5. Schriver (UCI), 31:14.3.

POLE VAULT—1. Woopse (SJS), 17-0¾ (meet record, old mark 17-0, Steve Smith, Long Beach State, 1972; Dan Ripley, San Jose State, 1975; Jim Knab, Long Beach State, 1976; Don Baird, Long Beach State, 1977); 2. tie between Lawry (LBS) and Pfaffenberger (FS), 16-0¼; 4. Wilson (LBS), 16-0¼; 5. Bockmiller (SJS), 16-0¼.

TRIPLE JUMP—1. Livers (SJS), 54-2½ (meet record, old mark 53-10¼, Ron Livers, San Jose State, 1977); 2. Taylor (LBS), 53-8; 3. Halcomb (LBS), 51-4¼; 4. Zizzo (FS), 49-9¼; 5. Reed (UCI), 49-8½.

HAMMER—1. Briski (SDS), 195-2 (meet record, old mark 194-10, Mike Giroux, Fresno State, 1974); 2. Kells (SJS), 186-11; 3. P. Fuller (LBS), 186-4; 4. D. Fuller (LBS), 185-7; 5. Schrader (UCI), 178-11.

DISCUS—1. Binley (UCI), 180-9; 2. D. Fuller (LBS), 177-6; 3. Endler (FS), 174-6; 4. Harkness (US), 170-2; 5. Feuerbach (SJS), 169-5.

TEAM SCORES (first day)—Long Beach State 23½, UC Irvine 21, San Jose State 19, San Diego State 14, Fresno State 11½, Utah State 7, UC Santa Barbara 2.

PRELIMINARIES

100 (Heat 1)—1. Grace (LBS), 10.66; 2. Kirtman (SJS), 10.71; 3. tie between Kruee (SDS) and Berry (LBS), 10.72. (Heat 2)—1. King (UCI), 10.48; 2. Jackson (LBS), 10.55; 3. Cole (SJS), 10.61; 4. Pipersburg (LBS), 10.67.

200 (Heat 1)—1. King (UCI), 20.73 (meet record, old mark 20.8, Harold Williams, San Diego State, 1976); 2. Jackson (LBS), 21.08; 3. Cooper (SJS), 21.18; 4. Blaisdell (US), 21.60. (Heat 2)—1. Kruee (SDS), 21.14; 2. Carley (FS), 21.26; 3. Pipersburg (LBS), 21.39; 4. Newell (SDS), 21.50.

400 (Heat 1)—1. Beasley (LBS), 46.93; 2. Conaway (LBS), 47.97; 3. Foster (SJS), 49.28. (Heat 2)—1. Rochee (SJS), 47.04; 2. Bowle (UCI), 47.20; 3. Cox (LBS), 47.48. (Heat 3)—1. McGee (UCI), 46.94; 2. Saunders (LBS), 47.13; 3. Desmet (SJS), 48.22.

800 (Heat 1)—1. Scott (UCI), 1:50.1; 2. McGee (LBS), 1:51.4; 3. Uggboro (US), 1:41.7; 4. Kelley (LBS), 1:52.1. (Heat 2)—1. Donohue (SDS), 1:51.7; 2. Shannon (UCI), 1:52.1; 3. Huffman (LBS), 1:52.2; 4. Albrecht (SJS), 1:52.3.

400M (Heat 1)—1. Hicks (SDS), 52.70; 2. Lizardi (LBS), 54.44; 3. Lowe (FS), 55.57; 4. Thompson (FS), 63.14. (Heat 2)—1. Finley (SJS), 52.30; 2. Easter (FS), 53.33; 3. Starmer (UCSB), 53.83; 4. Hircnak (US), 53.96.

QUALIFIERS—Long Beach State 13, San Diego State and San Jose State 8, UC Irvine 6.