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EUGENE, Ore. (4)—Sophomore Henry Rono ran the fastest steeple-chase ever recorded in the United States in leading Washington State to an 85-78 victory over Oregon Saturday in a battle of collegiate track and field powers.

Kono, a Kenyan who set a world record at 5,000 meters a week ago, ran the steeplechase in 8:14.8, far ahead of second-place Don Clary of Oregon at 8:46.2. The world record is 8:08 by Anders Garderud of Sweden.

Still, the Cougars needed to win the mile relay, the final event, to clinch the victory. Washington State won in 3:16.4, Oregon finished in 3:22.5.

Oregon had pulled within two points, 80-78, when Alberto Salazar held off Washington State's Joel Cheriyot and Joshue Kimeto to win the 5,000 meters in 13:37.3.

The pole vault probably was the event that hurt the Ducks most. Oregon's Tom Hintnaus, who has cleared 17 feet this season, passed on all heights up to 16 feet, then missed three timee at that height. Washington State's Brian Worden won at 16-6 and teammate Ian Goodman was second at 16 feet.

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100—1. Morehead (Tennessee St.), 11.2: 2. Pettus (Tennessee), 11.9: 3. Wechsier (Indianapolis Chevites), 120. 400—1. Forde (Atoms T.C.), 53.5: 2. Blake (Tenn. 5t.), 53.8: 3. Cummings (Atoms T.C.), 55.6, 800—1. Forde (Atoms T.C.), 200.3: 2. Blake (Tenn. 5t.), 207.3: 3. Jones (Atoms T.C.), 207.3: 4. Blake (Tenn. 5t.), 207.3: 3. Jones (Atoms T.C.), 207.3: 4. Jones (Atoms T.C.), 207.3: 1. 2. Schaefer (Eastern Kentucky), 927.6: 3. Campbell (Texas), 938.7: 4. Martiary (Bryan T.C.), 948.4.

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San Jose (87), UC trvine (57);
UC trvine (135), Occidental (9);
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at UC trvine
100-1, Washington (5.15), 10.4; 2. Kirtman (5.1),
106. 200—Cooper (5.15), 213. 400—McGee (UCI),
480, 800—1, Scoti (UCI), 1522; 2. Shannon (UCI),
1524, 1530—1, Scoti (UCI), 355, 12, Serna (UCI),
355,6; 3. Koningh (UCI), 356,4; 5,000—1, Danlets
(UCI), 1423,2; 2. Ahimeyer (UCI), 1425,6; 3. Serna
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San Diego St. (68) at
Long Beach St. (74)
100—1. Jackson (LBS), 102w; 2.Berry (LBS), 162w; 3. Kruter (SSS), 103w; 400—Beasiey (LBS), 47.3. 800—1. Donohue (SDS), 151.22. Ledet (LBS), 47.3. 800—1. Donohue (SDS), 151.22. Ledet (LBS), 162.3. John (SDS), 142.7. 10HH —1. Hicks (SDS), 142.7. John (SDS), 142.7. Armous (SDS), 142.4. 400 RELAY—5 an Diego St. 415. MILE RELAY—1. San Diego St. 3118.2. Long Beach St. 312.4. Hj.—1. Franz (LBS), 6-8. Lj—1. Armour (SDS), 27.4. 2. Taylor (LBS), 27.4. 2. Wilson (LBS), 27.4. 2. Wilson (LBS), 27.4. 2. Wilson (LBS), 27.4. 2. Wilson (LBS), 27.4. 2. Jr.—1. D. Foller (LBS), 27.2. Fuller (LBS), 27.2. Jr.—Booth (LBS), 213-1. STEEPLECHASE —5. John (SDS), 213.5. HT—1. P. Fuller (LBS), 18.5-7.2. D. Fuller (LBS), 188-7.2. D. Fuller (LBS), 188