

Cubberley's Coffron Runs 9.9 in Century

While the other six schools in the SPAL were engaged in the Sequoia District Meet, Palo Alto and Cubberley held their "district meet" on the latter's track yesterday, with Cubberley's Yim Coffron the standout performer.

Coffron won the 100 in 9.9, the 220 in 23.2 and anchored Cubberley to a speedy 1:31.5 in the half mile relay.

Serra's Ray Fragulia turned in a 4:31 mile as the Pads finished sixth in the Westmoor Invitational yesterday, and Menlo School had few bright spots in losing 65-46 to host California School for the Deaf in the only other prep action yesterday.

Cubberley 65, Palo Alto 49

HIGH LIGHTS: A disputed finish in the quarter-mile at Cubberley found the host's Nate Handy getting credit for the win in 52.7, with Paly's Doug Hileman given second. Almost everyone, including the rival coaches, though Hileman won, so the official decision will be determined by movies, which were taken of all finishes.

Jim Eshelman won the pole vault at 13-6 for the Cougars.
120 HH—Schneider (C) 15.1; 880—Hoyt (C) 2:02.1; 100—Coffron (C) 9.9; 440—Handy (C) 52.7; 180 LH—Reed (P) 21.0; 220—Coffron (C) 23.2; Mile—Furst (C) 4:43.6; 880 Relay—Cubberley (Eshelman, Kmetovic, Handy, Coffron) 1:31.6; SP—Edwards (P) 53-3½; Discus—Sanders (P) 153-6; BJ—Barnes (P) 22-9½; HJ—Kentera (C) 6-0; PV—Eshelman (C) 13.6.

SCORE: Cubberley 65, Palo Alto 48

CLASS B SCORE: Cubberley 67, Palo Alto 46.

CLASS C SCORE: Cubberley 48, Palo Alto 20

VARSITY

Serra winners and placers:
880—3. Scalmanini 2:00.0; 100—5. tie Stephens; 440—1. O'Connor 51.5; Mile—Fragulia 4:31.0; 880 Relay—5. O'Connor, Stephens, Wootan, Sullivan; SP—3. Turkovich 51-5; Discus—5. Sweeney.

SCORE: Terranova 43½, Westmoor 32½, Jefferson 32, South San Francisco 30, Rioridan 25½, Serra 18½, Oceana 12½, El Camino 1.

CLASS B

Serra winners:
SP—Peterson 116-4; BJ—Del Pogetto 19-9.

SCORE: Jefferson 59, Serra 31, Terranova 29, Westmoor 19, Oceana 18, Rioridan 16, El Camino 13, South San Francisco 9.

CSD 65, Menlo School 46

HIGH LIGHTS: Minus a "cinch" three firsts from sprinter and team captain Jack McNary, who was ill yesterday, the Acorns dropped a highly disorganized meet at Berkeley.

One turn of the track was badly damaged by rain and another proton was soaked when a sprinkler was left on overnight. No lanes were marked and some finish lines were at an angle, costing Menlo at least one lightweight race, according to Acorn Coach Jim Arnold.

In addition, Arnold reported, CSD ran the events out of order, with some runners not getting adequate rest between races.

VARSITY

Menlo placers:
120—3. Hornby; 880—2. Patton; 100—2. Coates; 440—2. Patton; 180 LH—3. Phinizy; 220—1. Coates 24.5, 2. Harriman; Mile—2. Perry, 3. Segerstrom; SP—2. Jarro 41-11; 3. Mouradick; Discus—1. Mouradick 123-6, 3. Worthington; BJ—3. Hornby; HJ—1. Perry 5-4, O'Brien, Hornby; PV—2. Huston.

SCORE: California School for the Deaf 65, Menlo School 46.

CLASS B

70—HH—Harwood 10.9; 75—Beal 8.6; 440 Relay—Menlo (Harwood, Howard, Parker, Beal) 50.0; SP—Provo 42-10½; Discus—Provo 112-1; BJ—Harwood 17-8; PV—Cooke 8-6.

SCORE: California School for the Deaf 63½, Menlo School 45½.



Close win for Cougar sprinter

John Coffron of Cubberley High School runs 9.9 to nip John Alexander of Palo Alto in the 100-yard dash. Larry Hamilton (right) was third. Cubberley won the meet 65-48.

Cubberley defeats Palo Alto in track

Dave Furst, Don Hoyt and Nate Handy of Cubberley High School beat Palo Alto High School in the three events the Vikings usually win to lead the Cougars to a 65-48 track win in the "city championship" meet at Cubberley Friday afternoon.

Furst scored the most remarkable win when he nipped Paly's Paul Bates by a step in the mile. Seldom do the distance-conscious Vikings ever lose a race at that length.

Another major upset came in the 440 where Handy beat Doug Hileman of Palo Alto in a photo finish. And photo is really the word for that one.

Almost everyone but the judges thought that Hileman won. Maybe he did. A review of movies will determine the official winner next week.

Hoyt's win in the half mile can hardly be classified as an upset. He pulled away to win in a race that is shorter than he usual

The heralded dual between Cubberley's Jim Eshelman and Paly's Dick Barkley in the pole vault never happened.

Barkley bought a new fibre-glass pole for the battle but it cracked on his very first vault.

Eshelman went on to clear 13 feet and 13-6 with ease after Barkley went out at 12-6.

Little Jim missed on his first two attempts at 14 feet but cleared on the third attempt. Unfortunately, he brushed the bar with his arm on the way down and knocked it off.

Vike football players accounted for 15 points in the weight events as Jeff Edwards led a 1-2-3 sweep of the shot put and Jeff Sanders won the discus.

Tim Barnes, who ruined Cubberley in football, produced an upset when he nipped Cubberley's Jack Gray in the broad jump.

Barnes soared 22-9½ to beat a pair of 22-8 jumps by Gray.

SKYLINE 52½, DEL VALLEY 51½

Palo Alto still had a chance to win the meet in the final event—the 880-yard relay. But a Cougar quartet of Eshelman, Handy, Tom Kmetovic and Coffron made sure of the Cubberley win by blazing to a 1:31.6 clocking.

The results:

Cubberley 65, Palo Alto 48

120-YARD HIGH HURDLES — Schneider (C), Weed (P), Smith (C), 15.1

880-YARD RUN—Hoyt (C), Milligan (P), Ishyama (P), 2:02.1.

100-YARD DASH—J. Coffron (C), Alexander (P), Hamilton (P), 9.9.

440-YARD DASH—Handy (C), Hileman (P), Birthwhistle (C), 52.2.

180-YARD LOW HURDLES—Weed (P), Eshelman (C), Smith (C), 21.0.

220-YARD DASH—J. Coffron (C), Alexander (P), Barkley (P), 23.2.

MILE — Furst (C), Bates (P), Grobstein (P), 4:43.6.

POLE VAULT — Eshelman (C), Weiwicz (C), Barkley (P), 13-6.

Discus — Sanders (P), Kmetovic (C), Goldblatt (P), 153-6.

SHOT-PUT—Edwards (P), Sanders (P), Wilmer (P), 53-3½.

HIGH JUMP—Kentera (C), Guest (C), Moody (C), 6-0.

BROAD JUMP—Barnes (P), Gray (C), Birthwhistle (C), 22-9½.

Relay—Cubberley, 1:31.6.

CLASS B

Cubberley 67, Palo Alto 46

70 HIGH HURDLES—(P) 9.9 Hurst (P), Trexel (P); 660—Jacobs (C) 1:31.1, Smith (C), Jeffery (P); 75—Upton (C) 8.0, Minor (P), Nozaki (C); 330—Eng (C) 37.9, Levy (P), Pollack (P); 120 LH—Tammany (P) 14.8, Rainey (C), Smith (C); 150—Upton (C) 15.6, Eng (C), Minor (P); 1320—Thompson (P) 3:32.6, Lockhart (C), Wilson (C); Relay—Cubberley (Eng, Upton, Nozaki, Rainey) 46.9.

SHOT-PUT—Davis (C) 47-9, Littell (P), Fisher (C); Discus—Littell (P) 129-9, Davis (C), Perry (P); High Jump—Weis (C) 5-4, Locke (C), Levy (P); Broad Jump—Locke (C) 20-1, Mathis (P), Eng (C); PV—Loring (P) 11-0, LoForti (C), Neal (C).

CLASS C

Cubberley 48, Palo Alto 29

660—Winkleman (C) 1:33.2, Nelson (C), Clausen (C); 75—Kaikee (P) 8.3, Stowe (P), Aringali (C); 120 LH—Guenther (C) 15.0, Weber (C), Muir (P); 330—Schonborn (P) 40.8, Bondurant (C), Abarca (C); 150—Stowe (P) 16.1, Kaikee (P), Tringali (C); Relay—Cubberley 48.0. HJ—Nelson (C) 4-10; Halderman (P), Stowe (P); SP—Guenther (C) 46-10, Bondurant (C) Bailey (C); BJ—Piccone (C) 20-1½, Schonborn (P) Mathews (C).