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Date 27 July 1924

Status Olympic

Location Stade Olympique de Colombes, Colombes


Participants 43 from 11 countries

Format One round.

The event had 43 competitors from 11 nations, who faced a single jumping course, which was so difficult that no rider went clear. The course was 1,060 metres long, with obstacles up to 1.40 m in height, all to be completed in a time limit at a speed of 400 m/min. The gold went to Swiss rider Alphonse Gemuseus, riding Lucette, with six faults, also finishing the course in the fifth fastest time of 2:24.4, although time was only used as a tie-breaker. Finishing second was the defending Olympic champion Tommaso Lequio di Assaba of Italy, who had 8¾ faults in a relatively slow time of 2:42.0. Both riders would return to the Olympics in 1928 but neither would win a medal. Lequio di Assaba also competed in the three-day event in 1924 and would do so again in 1928. He rode Trebecco in jumping at all three Olympics, one of the first two horses to appear at three Olympic Games, along with Nigra, who also competed from 1920-28 for American riders. The bronze medal was won by Poland's Adam Królikiewicz on Picador in his only Olympic appearance.

Pos	Competitor(s)	NOC	Horse	Faults	Time	
1	Alphonse Gemuseus	 SUI	<i>Lucette</i>	6.00	2:24.4	Gold
2	Tommaso Lequio di Assaba	 ITA	<i>Trebecco</i>	8.75	2:42.0	Silver
3	Adam Królikiewicz	 POL	<i>Picador</i>	10.00	2:38.4	Bronze
4	Philip Bowden-Smith	 GBR	<i>Billy Boy</i>	10.50	2:41.4	
5	Aníbal de Almeida	 POR	<i>Reginald</i>	12.00	2:28.8	
6	Åke Thelning	 SWE	<i>Loke</i>	12.00	2:30.4	
7	Axel Stähle	 SWE	<i>Cecil</i>	12.25	2:40.0	

Pos	Competitor(s)	NOC	Horse	Faults	Time
8	Nicolas LeRoy	 BEL	<i>Vif Argent</i>	14.75	2:42.2
9	José Álvarez	 ESP	<i>Acabado</i>	18.00	2:31.0
10	Karol von Rómmel	 POL	<i>Faworyt</i>	18.00	2:38.2
11	Åge Lundström	 SWE	<i>Anvers</i>	18.00	2:38.4
12	Hélder Martins	 POR	<i>Avro</i>	19.00	2:31.4
13	Jacques Misonne	 BEL	<i>Torino</i>	19.50	3:05.4
14	Werner Stuber	 SUI	<i>Girandole</i>	20.00	2:32.4
15	Leone Valle	 ITA	<i>Sbruffo</i>	20.00	2:36.6
16	Nemesio Martínez	 ESP	<i>Zapatillero</i>	22.00	2:17.2
17	José Mouzinho de Albuquerque	 POR	<i>Hetrugo</i>	22.00	2:21.0
18	Gaston Mesmaekers	 BEL	<i>As de Pique</i>	22.75	2:50.0
19	Georg von Braun	 SWE	<i>Diana</i>	23.50	2:45.6
20	Hans Bühler	 SUI	<i>Sailor Boy</i>	24.00	2:20.0
21	Henri von der Weid	 SUI	<i>Admiral</i>	24.00	2:39.8
22	Jean Breuls van Tiecken	 BEL	<i>Acrobate</i>	24.00	2:44.4
23	Rudolf Popler	 TCH	<i>Eldorado</i>	24.50	2:45.8
24	Capel Bruncker	 GBR	<i>Peter</i>	25.50	2:45.0
25	John Barry	 USA	<i>Nigra</i>	27.25	2:40.0
26	Alessandro Alvisi	 ITA	<i>Grey Fox</i>	28.75	2:42.4
27	Geoffrey Brooke	 GBR	<i>Daddy Long Legs</i>	29.75	3:02.6
28	Zdzisław Dziadulski	 POL	<i>Zefer</i>	30.50	2:49.4
29	Sloan Doak	 USA	<i>Joffre</i>	32.00	2:23.0
30	José Navarro	 ESP	<i>Grande Couronne</i>	33.75	3:02.4

Pos	Competitor(s)	NOC	Horse	Faults	Time	
31	Luís de Meneses	 POR	<i>Profond</i>	36.00	2:17.2	
32	Kazimierz Szosland	 POL	<i>Jacek</i>	39.25	3:20.0	
33	Pierre Clavé	 FRA	<i>Le Trouvère</i>	41.00	3:23.0	
34	Oldřich Buchar	 TCH	<i>Esperanto</i>	45.00	2:37.6	
AC	Keith Hervey	 GBR	<i>Wanton</i>	–	–	DNF
AC	Michel Bignon	 FRA	<i>The Doctor</i>	–	–	DNF
AC	Théophile Carbon	 FRA	<i>Incas</i>	–	–	DNF
AC	Henri de Royer-Dupré	 FRA	<i>Rosette XIV</i>	–	–	DNF
AC	Emanuele, Count Di Pralormo	 ITA	<i>Sido</i>	–	–	DNF
AC	Emilio López	 ESP	<i>Modiran</i>	–	–	DNF
AC	Josef Rabas	 TCH	<i>Arab</i>	–	–	DNF
AC	Frederic Bontecou	 USA	<i>Ballymacshane</i>	–	–	DNF
AC	Vernon Padgett	 USA	<i>Little Canada</i>	–	–	DNF

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At the 1964 Olympics, the Olympic flame was lit by Yoshinori Sakai, an athlete who was born on 6 August 1945 in Hiroshima - the day the atomic bomb destroyed that city.

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