

Unofficial World Record Progression up to 31 Dec 1892

High Jump – professionals

Mark [m]	Mark [ft'in]	Name (Nation) born	Venue	Date
1.676u	5'6	Mr. Greenhow (GBR)	<i>Cumbria</i>	around 1800
1.880u	6'2	Arthur Ingleby (GBR) 94		1813 – 1823
1.854u	6'1	Adam Wilson (GBR) 02		1820 – 1828
1.575	5'2	Adam Wilson (GBR) 02	Innerleithen	26 Sep 1827
1.600	5'3	Thomas Anderson (GBR)	Innerleithen	24 Jul 1829
1.600	5'3	John Pattison (GBR) 19	Mount Bengier	6 May 1837
1.676	5'6	Richard Chapman (GBR) 07	Greystoke	6 Sep 1837
1.676	5'6	Richard Armstrong (GBR)	Dalkeith	5 Aug 1839
1.753	5'9	Mark Shearman (GBR) 17	Dumfries	19 Oct 1839
1.803	5'11	John Forrest (GBR) 11	Staveley	21 Aug 1840
1.8u	about 6'	William Tivendale (GBR)	Askham	27 Aug 1852
1.829u	6'0	T. Emerson (GBR)	Warcop	29 Jun 1854
1.803	5'11	Edward Vardy (GBR) 37	Alnwick	23 Aug 1859
1.803	5'11	Donald Dinnie (GBR) 37	Turriff	14 Sep 1860
1.854u	6'1	Peter Brazeau (CAN) 44	Buffalo, NY	11 Jul 1865
1.803	5'11	Andrew Milne (GBR) 39	Forfar	4 Aug 1865
1.803	5'11	Andrew Milne (GBR) 39	Alloa	9 Aug 1865
1.803	5'11	Samuel Muir (GBR) 41	Grangemouth	15 Sep 1865
1.803	5'11	Thomas Russell (GBR) 45	Grangemouth	15 Sep 1865
1.803	5'11	Andrew Milne (GBR) 39	Birnam	25 Aug 1870
1.803	5'11	Hugh Andrews (GBR) 52	Wishaw	23 Jul 1874
1.803	5'11	F.T.H. Dickson (GBR)	Morpeth	15 Aug 1874
1.803	5'11	Thomas McDougall (GBR) 53	Galashiels	22 Jul 1876
1.829	6'0	Hugh Andrews (GBR) 52	Crofthead	25 Aug 1876
1.829u	6'0	P. Byrne (AUS)	Ipswich, Qld	18 Mar 1878
1.829u	6'0	J.H. Stewart (AUS)	Ipswich, Qld	18 Mar 1878
1.829	6'0	Edward Johnson (CAN) 53	Lucknow, Ont	10 Sep 1879
1.854	6'1	Hugh Andrews (GBR) 52	Alva	12 Aug 1880
1.854	6'1	D.M. Sullivan (USA)	Sheboygan, MI	5 Jul 1886
1.880ww	6'2	John Fitzpatrick (USA)	Boston, MA	16 Aug 1887
1.880ww	6'2	John Fitzpatrick (USA)	North Attleboro, MA	25 May 1888
1.930ww	6'4	John Fitzpatrick (USA)	Boston, MA	30 Jul 1888
1.949ww	6'4¾	John Fitzpatrick (USA)	Boston, MA	25 Jul 1889
1.956ww	6'5	John Fitzpatrick (USA)	Boston, MA	13 Aug 1889
1.956ww	6'5	Thomas Kearney (USA)	Boston, MA	13 Aug 1889
1.981ww	6'6	John Fitzpatrick (USA)	Boston, MA	13 Aug 1889
1.994ww	6'6½	John Fitzpatrick (USA)	Boston, MA	13 Aug 1889
1.892	6'2½	Michael Conroy (AUS) 66	Melbourne, Vic	17 Mar 1891
1.956	6'5	Michael Conroy (AUS) 66	Melbourne, Vic	26 Dec 1891
1.969i	6'5½	Joe Darby (GBR) 61	Wolverhampton	5 Feb 1892

u = uncertain

ww = with weights

I = indoors

High Jump – amateurs

Mark [m]	Mark [ft'in]	Name (Nation) born	Venue	Date
1.778u	5'10	Mr. Harper (USA)	New Haven, CT	1845
1.448	4'9	Mr. Goodison (IRL)	Dublin	5 Feb 1846
1.597		Mr. Weigand (GER)	Chemnitz	9 Jul 1848
1.675	5'6	Francis Temple (GBR) 32	Woolwich	21 Sep 1850
1.727	5'8	Mr. Lang (GBR)	Addiscombe	16 Apr 1852
1.727	5'8	John Roupell (GBR) 45	Cambridge	5 Mar 1866
1.753	5'9	Thomas Little (GBR) 45	Welham Green	23 Mar 1866
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1.778i	5'10	Robert Mayor (GBR) 48	Liverpool	4 Feb 1867
1.753	5'9	Charles Green (GBR) 46	Cambridge	1 Apr 1867
1.753	5'9	Thomas Little (GBR) 45	Cambridge	1 Apr 1867
1.753	5'9	Thomas Little (GBR) 45	Welham Green	12 Apr 1867
1.778	5'10	Hugh Miller (GBR) 43	Liverpool	28 Mar 1868
1.778i	5'10	John Duckworth (GBR) 44	Preston	15 Dec 1869
1.778	5'10	James Bland (IRL) 50	Sneem	15 Aug 1870
1.784	5'10¼	Thomas Davin (IRL) 51	Dublin	7 Jul 1873
1.84u		Ferdinand Hueppe (GER)	Berlin	1873
1.803	5'11	Marshall Brooks (GBR) 55	London (LB)	30 Mar 1874
1.803	5'11	Michael Glazebrook (GBR) 53	London (LB)	22 Mar 1875
1.832	6'0⅝	Marshall Brooks (GBR) 55	Oxford	17 Mar 1876
1.892	6'2½	Marshall Brooks (GBR) 55	London (LB)	7 Apr 1876
1.899	6'2¾	Patrick Davin (IRL) 57	Carrick-on-Suir	5 Jul 1880
1.911	6'3¼	William Byrd Page (USA) 66	Stourbridge	15 Aug 1887
1.911	6'3¼	William Byrd Page (USA) 66	Philadelphia, PA	7 Oct 1887
1.930	6'4	William Byrd Page (USA) 66	Philadelphia, PA	7 Oct 1887
1.965sb?	6'5⅜	George Rowdon (GBR) 64	Haytor Camp	6 Aug 1890
1.937	6'4¼	Michael Sweeney (USA) 72	New York, NY	8 Oct 1892

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u = uncertain

sb = springboard