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MARY DECKER and NICOLE SABAITE exchange ideas during the USA-USSR dual meet in Minsk. (Zigurds Mezavilks photo).

US SENIORS WIN 2, LOSE 2

The USA took on four opponents in 25 days and ended up with a 500% average, winning over the Italians and the Africans and losing to the West Germans and the Soviet Union. As is always the case in such competitions, there were some great performances and some which people might like to forget. Probably the oldest team the Americans have ever sent into international competition, 17 of the 27 were 20 or over, the three "old ladies" being 26 year old Martha Watson and Mattline Render and 33 year old Willy White. Mary Decker, at 14, was the youngest - although she aged a year before her return and became 15 in Africa.

Three American records were set in the four competitions. First to collect a new mark was Francie Larrieu who sped to a 9:16.0 clocking over 3000 meters against the West Germans. This broke the old record of 9:42.6 set by Tena Anex last year at Canton. Kathy Gibbons was also under the old mark with a time of 9:28.2s. Two more American records were set in the competition against the Soviet Union. Martha Watson finally took sole possession of the long jump record with a winning leap of 21'7, and Gale Fitzgerald took the pentathlon mark with 4326 points breaking her own record of 4305. Watson and White shared the old long jump mark at 21'6, Watson getting her share of the mark last year while White originally set the record 'way back in 1964.

As any college coach can verify, you can't win meets without sprinters, and this team was no exception. Our two top 100 runners on the tour, Watson and Lawson, found things most difficult with Lawson injured and Watson trying to concentrate on her jumping. Jackie Thompson and Theresa Montgomery were pressed into service although both are primarily furlong runners and they filled the bill satisfactorily. Thompson won over the Italians and the Africans at the short distance and took the 200 over the Germans (with a personal best) and the Italians. (Note:-Complete results of the African meet, the second day of competition, have not been received.) Joining our sprinters as less than sensational were our quartermilers who won only one of the meets and that by 17 year old Chris A'Harrah - with a PB of 53.9 against the Italians. Combine this weakness in sprints and quarter and you end up in the hole not only in those three events, but in the two relays as well.

Mary Decker showed well, losing only against the Germans and had a PB at Munich of 2:02.4 as well as galloping a 53.9 400 in an Invitational meet in Innsbruck. Wendy Koenig ran well, turning in a 2:03.0 in Munich, but never defeated Decker. Larrieu and Gibbons failed to win a single 1500 (no results from Africa) and Patty Johnson went unbeaten in all the hurdle races, running what is apparently her limit at 13.2-13.3 in most contests.

Except for Watson, who was unbeaten in the long jump, and Maren Seidler, who won at least two of the competitions in the shot and had her season best against the Russians, the field events failed to excite anyone. The high jumpers managed to get minimum points in all European meets except against the Italians, the discus throwers did make the minimum always and except against Italy, the javelin throwers joined them. The relay teams, both 4x100 and 4x400, won only over the Italians although against the Germans the 4x400 team ran 3:33.6 - an average of 53.4 which isn't bad since we don't have anyone who can run that fast!

WEST GERMANY 85, USA 50 at Munich, July 11-12

Tallying minimum points in the 100, 400, 800, high jump, discus and javelin plus losing both relays proved too much of a handicap for the rest of the American team to overcome and the West Germans scored a surprisingly easy 85-50 triumph in

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FIVE WORLD RECORDS: STECHER 10.8 & 22.1

Headed by East Germany's Renate Stecher, who bettered the 100 and 200 meter records, the world's female athletes have broken five global marks since the last issue of WIFW went to press. Other records broken were the 100m hurdles, the one mile and the discus.

Stecher turned in a fantastic 10.8 over 100m and 22.1 for 200m at the East German Championships. The sprinting here was without doubt the greatest the world has ever seen for 11.1 was good for only 6th in the 100 and 22.8 got you no better than 4th in the 200. There is some controversy over the two marks, however. The IAAF rules state if electronic timing is also used, it (electric timing) must be considered as the official time. In Stecher's case, her winning electronic marks were 11.07 and 22.38 which convert to 11.1 and 22.4.

At the same meet, Annelie Ehrhardt clipped over the 100m hurdles in 12.3 to break the mark of 12.5 she held along with Australia's Pam Kilborn. The electronic problem enters in Ehrhardt's performance being accepted also.

Italy's Paola Pigni took the mile record to under 4:30 at Viareggio on August 8 when she broke the tape in 4:29.5s. The old mark of 4:34.9 was set just last month by Canada's GLENDA REISER.

For the third time this year, Russia's Faina Melnik bettered the world discus record. In May she tossed the implement 221'3, then improved to 221'8 and finally to 221'9.

FLASH! THREE MORE WORLD RECORDS

Over the weekend of August 11/12, three more world records were set. On August 11 at Warsaw, Danuta Piecyk sped the 400 meter hurdles in 56.7, breaking the mark of 57.4 set earlier this year by Austria's Maria Sykora. On August 12 at Sofia, a team of Svetla Zlatava, Tomova, Tonka Petrova and Stefka Yordanova averaged 2:02.15 for a new world mark at 4x800 in 8:08.6, breaking the old world mark by more than eight seconds held by West Germany at 8:16.8. Also at Sofia, Burglinde Polak of East Germany improved Mary Peters' (Great Britain) record for the pentathlon from 4801 to 4831. No individual event marks available at this time.

## REEL TALK

During this lull in the track year, now is a good time to send to WITFW your revised Club Records for our annual Contest. Events to be scored for the January 1974 contest will be: 100, 200, 400, 800, 1500, 100H, 400H, HJ, LJ, SP, DT and JT. Send either your metric marks or linear marks - no wind-aided marks, please.

Letter from Pete Pozzoli, editor of the WITFW Yearbook who states, "Yearbook is very badly delayed by printing troubles and is unlikely to be out until September". For those who have ordered the book, let it be known the mailing envelopes are all addressed and ready to go - as soon as the books arrive from England, they will be mailed immediately to you.

WITFW feels it is doing some good in working toward a correct list of American and World records. In last month's issue we printed a letter from Eli Gagich, Women's Records Chairman, relative to application procedures. We have written Rich McArthur, Marsha Smelkinson and others in an attempt to get the complex problem straightened out. Nothing but great cooperation from all of them. Marsha sent copies to, among others, Dan Ferris and here is his reply:

"The 52.2 performance of Kathy Hammond for 440y (ed: would be a new world record) at Champaign, Illinois, in 1972, was accepted as an American and All-Comers record. (To date) there has not been a world's record application (submitted by the meet personnel) and because of this, it was not submitted to the IAAF.

"Madeline Manning's 880y world's equalling performance of 2:02.0 was never applied for despite the fact that we wrote several times to the director of the meet and also to the chairman of the Records Committee of the Middle Atlantic Association, who informed us that he had turned the application over to Tony Hinton. Mr. Hinton claimed that the application was turned back to Bert Lancaster and our letter to Lancaster is without reply.

"Another world's record equalling performance of 3:38.7 in the 4x440 at Durham, North Carolina, 1971, has not been applied for as a world's record performance because we have never been able to obtain the application (from the meet director). I understand the blank has been filled out by Ollan Cassell and it lacked one signature. It was turned over to Al Buehler, coach at Duke University, who mislaid it and was unable to find it. Additional blanks were sent to Roy Walker, the Director of the Meet and he promised to obtain the necessary signatures and return it promptly. Up to this date, it has not been received.

## VINCE REEL, Editor

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"If the AAU Rules on records was fully carried out, we would not have this trouble. The rule requires that every meet list on its program an Official Recorder of Records. He is not to have any other duties so that he can be free to obtain the necessary signatures on the official application forms. After a meet is over, everyone forgets about following up on records. I wish you would make reference to this rule, as it seems a shame to deprive athletes of records merely because the meet officials have failed to comply with the rules."

From Marsha Smelkinson comes the explanation of why the list of printed records in the AAU Handbook and, for example, WITFW differ. "The official list of records, (which is the list which must be printed in an official Handbook or Guide), reflects those records which were certified and approved by the National AAU Women's T&F Records Committee. Also, the world records are those which are listed and approved by the IAAF."

The average coach/athlete does not fully realize and/or understand to problems associated with having a record accepted. Mr. Ferris hits the nail right on the head with his remarks about an "Official Recorder of Records" for each meet. This official is a MUST for it is certainly true that when the meet is finished, the locating of those individuals who must sign record applications is an almost impossible task.

## EUROPEAN CUP RESULTS

All of Europe is looking forward to the European Junior Championships and the European Cup. In the European Cup competition, each nation enters just one individual in each event and two or three top teams advance to the semi finals from which the nations are advanced to the final next month. From the preliminary round the following outstanding results were recorded:

Sittard, August 5: West Germany 60, Great Britain 57, France 50, Netherlands 39, Yugoslavia 38, Czechoslovakia 28. 100, 1-Annegret Richter (WG) 11.7, 2 Andrea Lynch (GB) 11.8, 3-Sylvianne Telliez (Fra) 11.9; 200, 1-Telliez 24.4...4-Lynch 25.4; 400, 1-Erika Weinstein (WG) 54.4; 800, 1-Hildegard Falck (WG) 2:04.7, 2-Vera Nikolic (Yug) 2:05.5; 1500, Tittel (WG) 4:16.7; 100mH, Judy Vernon (GB) 13.7; 4x100/4x400, WG 44.0/3:39.3; HJ, Marie-Christine Wartel (Fra) 6'1 1/4, 2-(tie) Mundingier (WG) & Lawton (GB) & Karbanova (Cz) 5 10%; LJ, Focic (Yug) 19'11 1/2... 6-Suranova (Cz) 18'10; SP, Fibingerova (Cz) 63'3 1/2; DT, Westermann (WG) 203'1; JT, Urbancic (Yug) 193'5.

Bucharest, August 5: East Germany 76, Rumania 54, Hungary 53 1/2, Italy 43, Switzerland 24, Norway 22 1/2. 100, 1-Stecher (EG) 11.4, 2-Molinari (Ita) 11.7; 200, Kandarr (EG) 22.8...3-Balogh (Hun) 23.7; 400, Zehrt (EG) 51.8; 800, Rost (EG) 2:04.8...3-Silai (Rum) 2:05.6; 1500, 1-Hoffmeister (EG) 4:12.0, 2-Pignini (It) 4:12.3; 100mH, Ehrhardt (EG) 12.7; 400R/1600R, EG 43.4/3:31.5; HJ, 1-Witschas (EG) 6'1 1/2, 2-Simeoni (It) 5'11 1/2; LJ, Viscopoleanu (Rum) 21'2; SP, Lange (EG) 59'4 1/4; DT, Menis (Rum) 216'5; JT, Fuchs (EG) 178'1.

Warsaw, August 4: USSR 63, Bulgaria 56, Poland 55 1/2, Finland 36 1/2, Sweden 33, Austria 26. 100, 1-Mona-Lisa (Strandvall) Pursiainen (F) 11.19, 2-Szewinska (Pol) 11.34, 3-Besfamilnaya (SU) 11.47; 200, 1-Szewinska 23.02, 2-Pursiainen 23.03; 400, Kolesnikova (SU) 51.53, 2-Tomova (Bul) 52.03...5 1/2 53.09; 800, 1-Zlateva (Bul) 1:59.3, 2-Skowronska (Pol) 2:00.8; 1500, 1-Bragina (SU) 4:10.9, 2-Petrova (Bul) 4:11.8, 3-Knutsson (Swe) 4:11.8; 100mH, Rabsztyn (Pol) 13.27; 400R/1600R, USSR 43.76/3:28.3, Bul 3:28.8, 3-Pol 3:28.8; HJ, 1-Blagoyeva (Bul) 6'3 1/2, 2-Gusenbauer (Aut) 6'2 1/4; LJ, 1-Tuula Rauyanen (Fin) 21'7 1/4, 2-Angelova (Bul) 21'2 1/4; SP, 1-Christova (Bul) 63'8 1/2, 2-Ivanova (SU) 61'11 1/4; DT, Melnik (SU) 215'3; JT, 1-Jaworska (Pol) 202'7, 2-Janko (Aut) 196'0, 3-Ozolina (SU) 195'8.

## ISRAEL CHAMPIONSHIPS from Abraham Green

Wingate, Israel, June 23/23:-Four double winners led the assault on the record books as Israel staged its National Championships. Esther (Schackamurov) Rot bettered national marks in winning the two sprints in 11.5 and 23.7, Aviva Balas won the 400/800, Rachel Leiserowitch the two hurdles and Mira Bulva the shot and discus.

RESULTS: 100/200, Esther Rot 11.5/23.7 (+0.5/-0.3); 400/800, Aviva Balas 56.8/2:11.4; 1500, Hadas Yisre'eli 4:52.1; 100mH/200mH, Rachel Leiserowitch 16.5/31.4 (Rec); HJ, Orit Abramowitch 1.65/5'5; LJ, Tova Fink 5.44/17'10 1/4; SP/DT, Mira Bulva 12.58/41'3 1/4-37.02/121'5; JT, Clara Flom 42.12/138'2.



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## USA WINS 2 (Continued)

the first competition for the Senior team.

Bright spots included Jackie Thompson's PB in winning the 200 in 23.1 and Francie Larrieu's American record over 3000m. Martha Watson won the long jump with a fine 21'5 leap and Mar- en Seidler took an upset win with a 50'11 toss in the shot.

In the feature race, the 800, both Mary Decker and Wendy Koenig allowed the German pair to slip past them on the inside which might have made a difference in this very close finish. Koenig led through the 200 in 31 seconds and the two Americans were practically even at the halfway point in 61. Koenig had a slight advantage at 600m in 1:34.5, but world-record holder/Olympic champion Hildegard Falck scored a win with a fine kick down the home straight and the two Americans were also passed by Gisela Ellenberg in a race that saw Koenig finish last in 2:03.0!

100, 1-Richter (WG) 11.5, 2-Schittenhelm (WG) 11.5, 3-Watson 11.6, 4-Lawson 11.6, 5-Helten (WG) 11.6; 200, 1-Thompson 23.1, 2-Kroniger (WG) 23.6, 3-Helten (WG) 23.8, 4-Montgomery 23.9, 5-Govdke (WG) 24.0, 6-Keller (Swi) 24.8; 400, 1-Wilden (WG) 52.7, 2-Weinstein (WG) 53.1, 3-Frese (WG) 53.2, 4-Leiser (Swi) 53.6, 5-Hammond 54.2, 6-A'Harrah 54.9; 800, 1-Falck (WG) 2:01.4, 2-Ellenberger (WG) 2:02.0, 3-Decker 2:02.4, 4-Koenig 2:03.0; 1500, 1-Tittel (WG) 4:13.4, 2-Larrieu, no time, 3-Merten (WG), nt, 4-Gibbons, nt; 3000m, 1-Larrieu 9:16.0 (American record), 2-Ranz (WG) 9:20.2, 3-Gibbons 9:28.2, 4-Merten (WG) 9:31.6; 100mH, 1-Johnson 13.3, 2-Antenen (Swi), 3-Nolte (WG), 4-Meierholz (WG) 5-Lansky - no times available; 4x100, 1-WG (Schittenhelm-Helten-Richter-Kroniger) 43.3, 2-USA (Watson-Render-Thompson-Lawson) 43.7, 3-Switzerland 47.3; 4x400, 1-WG (Weinstein-Frese-Wilden-Falck) 3:29.5, 2-USA (A'Harrah-Sapenter-Fitzgerald-Hammond) 3:33.6; HJ, 1-Muendiger (WG) 5'10½, 2-Gartner (WG) 5'10½, 3-Meyfarth (WG) 5'10½, 4-Moller 5'7, 5-Bischang (Swi) 5'7, 6-Graeber (Swi) 5'7, 7-Wilson 5'5; LJ, 1-Watson 21'5, 2-Antenen (Swi), 3-Rosendahl (WG), 4-Trocha (WG), 5-White (USA), no marks available; SP, 1-Seidler 50'11, 2-Berendonk (WG), 3-Kofink (WG), 4-Wood, no marks available; DT, 1-Westerman (WG) 191'5, 2-Berendonk (WG) 186'8, 3-Pfister (Swi) 171'7, 4-Ruehlow (WG) 170'7, 5-Turner 149'8, 6-Driscoll 146'10; JT, 1-Koloska (WG) 186'5, 2-Peters (WG) 173'3, 3-Pickle 164'7, 4-Broemel (WG) 154'6, 5-Langevain 153'9, 6-Ulrich (Swi) 148'11. (Note: West Germany and Switzerland were also engaged in a dual meet with three entries per side allowed; America was not scoring against Switzerland; that is why in some events more than two entries are listed for WG, but only two could score against the USA).

### USA 84, ITALY 49 at Turin, July 17-18

Winning every event except the 1500, high jump and discus, the USA had no trouble defeating a weak Italian team 84-49 in beautiful Turin. Jackie Thompson had a good day winning both sprints in 11.5 and 23.3, Chris A'Harrah, running in the outside lane, won the 400 with her personal best at 53.9, Decker and Koenig outkicked Paola Pigni to win the 800 and both relay teams won with ease.

100, 1-Thompson 11.5, 2-Molinari (I) 11.5, 3-Montgomery 11.5, 4-Bolognes (I) 12.0; 200, 1-Thompson 23.3, 2-Nappi (I) 23.8, 3-Caril (I) 24.2, 4-Fitzgerald 24.3; 400, 1-A'Harrah 53.9, 2-Hammond 54.9, 3-Govoni (I) 55.0, 4-Bolnoli (I) 55.5; 800, 1-Decker 2:03.9, 2-Koenig 2:04.6, 3-Pigni (I) 2:04.7, 4-Dorio (I) 2:05.9; 1500, 1-Pigni (I) 4:09.0, 2-Larrieu 4:13.0, 3-Gibbons 4:22.0, 4-Gargano (I) 4:27.0; 100mH, 1-Johnson 13.2, 2-Lansky 13.7, 3-Ongar (I) 13.8, 4-Battaglia (I) 14.0; 4x100, 1-USA (Watson-Montgomery-Thompson-Lawson) 44.3, Italy disqualified, dropped baton; 4x400, 1-USA (A'Harrah-Shafer-Sapenter-Hammond) 3:37.8, 2-Italy 3:43.0; HJ, 1-Simeoni (I) 5'10½, 2-Moller 5'8, 3-Frederick 5'5, 4-Casadel (I) 5'3; LJ, 1-Watson 20'0½, 2-White 19'11½, 3-Chersoni (I) 19'0½, 4-Martinelli (I) 18'6; SP, 1-Seidler 51'0½, 2-Wood 47'4½, 3-Petrucci (I) 47'4½, 4-Nistri (I) 46'0; DT, 1-Scaglia (I) 164'0, 2-Calcini (I) 159'3, 3-Driscoll 153'5, 4-Turner 141'8; JT, 1-Pickle 164'3, 2-Langevain 163'7, 3-Martini 146'6, 4-Amici (I) 142'1.

### SOVIET UNION 95, USA 51 at Minsk, July 23-24

Very little seemed to go right for the American girls in Minsk - on the track. The first day of the competition, the Soviets scored 1-2 in EVERY event piling up a 53-20 score that made ultimate victory, or even a close competition, impossible. The lack of top sprinters was most noticeable in this competition as Soviet dashwoman Besfamilnaya, a good but not great sprinter, won both dashes while the American quartermilers

and 1500m runners did a complete el foldo. Led by ancient Elvira Ozolina, born 1939, who won the javelin at 209'10, the Soviet field event crew mopped up on every event except the long jump where Martha Watson won impressively with her new American record. Contrary to Martha's series at Irvine where she was over 21 feet on every attempt, she had only one jump beyond 21 feet in Minsk - but it was far enough, 21'7, and the record now belongs to her.

Mary Decker scored her finest win of the tour when she defeated Olympic silver medalist Nicole Sabaite in 2:02.9 to 2:03.2s. In spite of setting a new American record, Gale Fitzgerald still finished in third position, nearly 400 points behind the winner.

100, 1-Besfamilnaya (SU) 11.4, 2-Mitrokhina (SU) 11.6, 3-Thompson 11.7, 4-Watson 11.8; 200, 1-Besfamilnaya (SU) 23.5, 2-Thompson 23.5, 3-Sidorova (SU) 23.6, 4-Montgomery 24.5; 400, 1-Kolesnikova (SU) 51.9, 2-Kulchikova (SU) 53.2, 3-Sapenter 54.0, 4-Hammond 55.3; 800, 1-Decker 2:02.9, 2-Sabaite (SU) 2:03.2, 3-Skyrina (SU) 2:04.2, 4-Koenig 2:07.0; 1500, 1-Bragina (SU) 4:13.7, 2-Pangelova (SU) 4:14.4, 3-Larrieu 4:22.3, 4-Gibbons 4:40.4; 100mH, 1-Johnson 13.3, 2-Khitrina (SU) 13.7, 3-Lansky 13.9, 4-Kononova (SU) 14.2; 4x100, 1-USSR (Sidorova-Maslokova-Besfamilnaya-Mitrokhina) 43.7, 2-USA (Watson-Render-Thompson-Lawson) 44.2; 4x400, 1-USSR (Kolesnikova-Kulitchikova-Barkane-Zuskova) 3:32.8, 2-USA (A'Harrah-Shafer-Sapenter-Hammond) 3:37.8; HJ, 1-Filatova (SU) 6'0½, 2-Lazaryeva (SU) 5'11, 3-Wilson 5'7½, 4-Moller 5'7½; LJ, 1-Watson 21'7, 2-Iotova (SU) 21'3, 3-Pogrebysk (SU) 20'¾, 4-White 20'1½; SP, 1-Chizhova (SU) 64'9¼, 2-Korablyova (SU) 60'4½, 3-Seidler 52'1, 4-Wood 47'10; DT, 1-Melnik (SU) 219'11, 2-Seragova (SU) 189'11, 3-Driscoll 153'0, 4-Turner 149'4; JT, 1-Ozolina (SU) 209'11, 2-Korolyova (SU) 194'3, 3-Pickle 167'1, 4-Langevain 160'5.

Innsbruck, Austria, July 20: 400m, 1-Sapenter 52.7, 2-Decker 53.9; 100mH, Johnson 13.5; HJ, Gusenbauer (Aut) 6'2½.

### USA 90, AFRICA 45 at Dakar, Senegal, August 3-4

Incomplete results (no second day summaries) nevertheless show the American women to maintain their superiority over the African distaff runners and jumpers and throwers. The US scored 1-2 sweeps in most of the running events, but still managed to lose the discus.

100, 1-Thompson 11.6, 2-Lawson 11.6, 3-Asiedua (Ghana) 11.8, 4-Ewusie (Nigeria) 12.3; 400, 1-Sapenter 53.4, 2-Hammond 55.1, 3-Chemabwai (Kenya) 56.3, 4-Opoku (Nig) 57.8; 800, 1-Decker 2:05.8, 2-Koenig 2:07.3, 3-Owelva (Africa) 2:16.3, 4-Anyakun (Kenya) 2:24.4; 100mH, 1-Johnson 13.5, 2-Oshikova (Nig) 13.8, 3-Lansky 14.0, 4-Edet (Nig) 14.7; 4x100, 1-USA (Render-Montgomery-Thompson-Lawson) 44.9, 2-Africa 46.1; DT, 1-Hart (Ghana) 149'10, 2-Driscoll 148'8, 3-Turner 138'7, 4-Ceotich (Ghana) 116'3; HJ, 1-Moller 5'9, 2-Wilson 5'6½, 3-Pshikoya (Nig) 5'6½, 4-Aghagna (Nig) 5'4¼.

### USA-Africa Second day results

200, 1-Thompson 23.4, 2-Montgomery 24.4; 1500, 1-Larrieu 4:24.3, 2-Gibbons 4:28.3; LJ, 1-Oshikova (Nig) 21'1¼, 2-White 20'8½; SP, 1-Seidler 51'¾, 2-Wood 49'1¼; JT, 1-Pickle 160'10, 2-Langevain 156'8; 4x400, USA 3:40.5.



## BERLIN INTERNATIONAL MEET

Berlin, East Germany, July 31: 100, 1-Stecher (EG) 11.1, 2-Szewinska (Pol) 11.2, 3-Kanda r (EG) 11.3...5-Besfamilnaya (SU) 11.5; 800, 1-Hoffmeister (EG) 2:01.2, 2-Rost (EG) 2:01.6, 3-Gerassimova (SU) 2:02.4, 4-Bragina (SU) 2:03.5; 100mH, 1-Ehrardt (EG) 12.6; HJ, 1-Kirst (Schmidt) (EG), 6'2, 2-Witschas (EG) 6'2, 3-Gildemeister (EG) 6'1¼, 4-Ioan (Rum) 6'0; LJ, 1-Albertus (EG) 21'6½, 2-Schmalfeld (EG) 21'5, 3-Olfert (EG) 21'4½; SP, Lange (EG) 61'6¼; DT, Melnik (SU) 219'8; JT, Fuchs (EG) 209'7, 2-Toeten (EG) 193'0, 3-Janko (Aut) 191'8.

## JUNIORS WIN 2, LOSE 1

The first-ever touring US Junior Team set a great example for US teams to come as they scored wins over West Germany 80-66 and Poland 76-51, losing only to the Soviet Union by a narrow three point margin, 74-71.

The team was led by quartermilers Kathy Weston and Carol Hudson and javelin throwers Karin Smith and Susan Armstrong who finished 1-2 in all three dual meets. All but Armstrong set personal bests during the tour with Weston, who lives in Reno but competes for Will's Spikettes in California, turning in a 53.8 lap, Hudson 54.4 and Smith throwing the javelin for victory against the Soviets 182'2.

The American relay teams went undefeated as did Robin Campbell in the 800 and Rosalyn Bryant in the 200.

All was not bright, however, as the US long jumpers ended up not even scoring the lowest possible points finishing 3-4 in the first two meets and 3rd only in the Soviet competition. Lynette Mitchell and Debbie Rivera had troubles in the discus with only one throw over 140 feet during the tour. One wonders why Susie Snider, with a mark of 158'2, was not pressed into service in this event.

In addition to PB's by Weston, Hudson and Smith, personal bests were turned in by Doreen Ennis in the 1500 with a mark of 4:29.7 against the Germans and then 4:27.5 against the Poles, (Ennis ran only 5:13.2 in the mile in 1972, the equivalent of a 4:52.0 1500m); Susie Snider and Mitchell in the shot at 48'9 and 45'8 and Lisa Kinimaka with 3405 points in the pentathlon.

### USA 80, WEST GERMANY 66 at Heidenheim, July 14

100, 1-Schenten (WG) 12.0, 2-Randolph 12.0, 3-Matt (WG) 12.1, 4-Clay 12.1; 200, 1-Bryant 24.3, 2-Abare 24.4, 3-Sping-south (WG) 24.7, 4-Melerholz (WG) 24.7; 400, 1-Weston 53.8, 2-Hudson 54.4, 3-Jennen (WG) 56.3, 4-Barth (WG) 56.4; 800, 1-Campbell 2:08.8, 2-Siegal (WG) 2:09.1, 3-Brown 2:09.4, 4-Berens (WG) 2:13.0; 1500, 1-Claugus 4:25.2, 2-Ennis 4:29.7, 3-Riehl (WG) 4:35.3, 4-Kreuz (WG) 4:59.4; 100mH, 1-Roedel (WG) 14.0, 2-Neal 14.2, 3-Sprengel (WG) 14.4, 4-Krug 14.8; 4x100R, 1-US (Clay-Randolph-Bryant-Abare) 49.4, 2-WG, nt; HJ, 1-Hetz-ze (WG) 5'9¾, 2-Wolf (WG) 5'8, 3-Gilbert 5'7, 4-Huntley 5'7; LJ, 1-Schwerdtfeger (WG) 19'8¾, 2-Lempkamp (WG) 19'6¾, 3-Schofield 18'11½, 4-Windle 18'10½; SP, 1-Snider 46'0¼, 2-Hef-ling (WG) 44'9¾, 3-Albrecht (WG) 43'1, 4-Mitchell, nm; DT, 1-Werth (WG) 140'11, 2-Mitchell 136'5, 3-Rivera 131'7, 4-Ellers (WG) 131'6; JT, 1-Smith 167'9, 2-Armstrong 159'7, 3-Peachmann (WG) 150'6, 4-Thyssen (WG) 142'5; Pent, 1-McMillin 3907, 2-Weigef (WG) 3749, 3-Kralkiewicz (WG) 3743, 4-Kinimaka 3112.

### USA 76, POLAND 57 at Warsaw, July 20/21

100, 1-Randolph 11.7, 2-Pawlowska (P) 11.8, 3-Clay 12.0, 4-Lenard (P) 12.3; 200, 1-Bryant 24.1, 2-Abare 24.4, 3-Siewier-ska (P) 24.9, 4-Lenart (P) 25.9; 400, 1-Weston 54.3, 2-Hudson 55.3, 3-Zaleska (P) 55.7, 4-Jacniacka (P) 57.1; 800, 1-Camp-bell 2:06.5, 2-Brown 2:07.8, 3-Jacniacka (P) 2:08.8, 4-Farar (P) 2:10.3; 1500, 1-Januchia (P) 4:20.6, 2-Claugus 4:24.6, 3-Ennis 4:27.5, 4-Duplaska (P) 4:32.2; 100mH, 1-Nowakowska (P) 13.9, 2-Neal 13.9, 3-Krug 14.2, 4-Andruszczyszyn (P) 14.4; 4x100, 1-USA (Clay-Randolph-Bryant-Abare) 45.8, 2-Poland was disqualified; 4x400, 1-USA (Weston-Roberson-Campbell-Hudson) 3:38.1, 2-Poland 3:42.4; HJ, 1-Huntley 5'10, 2-Gilbert 5'8½, 3-Fornal (P) 5'4¾, 4-Wisniewska (P) 5'2¾; LJ, 1-Nowakowska (P) 19'8½, 2-Jarzab (P) 19'2, 3-Windle 18'8, 4-Schofield 18'5¾; SP, 1-Razyiska (P) 50'1½, 2-Harbrzyk (P) 48'3, 3-Snider 46'10¼, 4-Mitchell 44'10¼; DT, 1-Graizerek (P) 175'0, 2-Cymer (P) 171'2, 3-Mitchell 137'0, 4-Rivera 135'9; JT, 1-Smith 170'5, 2-Armstrong 163'0, 3-Jablonska (P) 153'0, 4-Grecká (P) 153'0.

### USSR 74, USA 71 at Odessa, July 27/28

100, 1-Konoratyeva (SU) 12.3, 2-Randolph 12.4, 3-Matveyva (SU) 12.5, 4-Bryant 12.6; 200, 1-Bryant 24.6, 2-Kondatyeva (SU) 24.8, 3-Matveyva (SU) 25.0, 4-Abare 25.6; 400, 1-Weston 54.4, 2-Hudson 54.5, 3-Bystrova (SU) 56.1, 4-Denissoya (SU) 56.5; 800, 1-Campbell 2:06.3, 2-Brown 2:07.2, 3-Zabozhka (SU) 2:07.7, 4-Averina (SU) 2:09.6; 1500, 1-Gladkich (SU) 4:27.2, 2-Claugus 4:27.4, 3-Ennis 4:28.2, 4-Avramova (SU) 4:30.6; 100mH, 1-Krug 14.2, 2-Karnayeva (SU) 14.3, 3-Neal 14.4, 4-Margulna (SU) 14.6; HJ, 1-Oskolol (SU) 5'9¾, 2-Huntley 5'9¾, 3-Akramenko (SU) 5'7¾, 4-Gilbert 5'6¾; LJ, 1-Bushuyeva (SU) 20'0¾, 2-Petrova (SU) 19'11¾, 3-Schofield 17'9, Windle, no fair jumps; SP, 1-Abashidze (SU) 51'8, 2-Kukhfina (SU) 51'3¾, 3-Snider 48'9, 4-Mitchell 45'8; DT, 1-Glazova (SU) 175'9, 2-Urakoya (SU) 168'4, 3-Mitchell 143'6, 4-Rivera 134'2; JT, 1-Smith 182'2, 2-Armstrong 164'7, 3-Ints (SU) 163'11, 4-Khusai-nova (SU) 163'6; 4x100, 1-USA (Clay-Randolph-Bryant-Abare) 45.8, 2-USSR 46.3; 4x400, 1-USA (Weston-Roberson-Campbell-Hudson) 3:38.4, 2-USSR 3:46.6.



EILEEN CLAUGUS, leading US Junior 1500m runner, who ran a 4:24.6 in the meet against Poland. (Doug Schwab photo.)

## THREE WORLD RECORDS AT GDR CHAMPIONSHIPS

Dresden, East Germany, August 20/22:-Three world records were set as the East Germans conducted their National Championships here. Renate Stecher, double gold medal winner at the Munich Olympics, took the 100m down to 10.8 and the 200m to 22.1 and Annelie Ehrhardt lowered the 100m hurdles mark to 12.3s.

As great as those marks are, the real story is the marks turned in by the other finishers in these three races - plus, of course, the usual assortment of outstanding performances in all the other events. In the 100, for example, 11.1 could get no better than 6th and 22.8 was good for only 4th in the 200! 21'0 was good for fifth in the long jump, 190' would pick up only fourth in the discus, 5'10 was good for fifth in the high jump and 194'10 couldn't win the javelin. Monica Zehrt had a fine 51.6 effort in the 400 and Gunhilde Hoffmeister turned in a fine double with a 2:02.5 800 and 4:13.5 1500.

RESULTS: 100m, (-1.8), 1-Stecher 10.8 (10.9s), WR, 2-Kandarr (Vogt) 11.0 (11.0h), 3-Selmigkeit 11.1 (11.0h), 4-Heinich 11.1, 5-Meyer 11.1, 6-D. Maletzki 11.1, 7-Strophal 11.2, 8-Ehrhardt 11.3, 9-Struppert 11.5 (11.3s) - without a question, the greatest sprint race ever run! 200, (+1.6), 1-Stecher 22.1 WR, 2-Maletzki 22.3, 3-Kandarr 22.4, 4-Strophal 22.8; 400, 1-Zehrt 51.6, 2-Kuhne 52.1, 3-Anton 52.5, 4-Dietsch 52.8, 5-Siebach 52.8; 1500, 1-Hoffmeister 4:13.5, 2-Kellerman-Munk 4:14.9, 3-Hansen 4:16.7; LJ, 1-Schmalfeld 22'2¼, 2-Albertus 21'8¼w, 3-Olfert 21'6¼w, 4-Pollak 21'2, 5-Thon 21'0w; SP, 1-Lange 59'3, 2-Grenier 59'0¼, 3-Loewe 58'10; DT, 1-Hinzmann 208'5, 2-Engel 193'9, 3-Schla k 191'4; 800, 1-Hoffmeister 2:02.5, 2-Schiller 2:03.8, 3-Wobig 2:04.8; 100mH (No wind reading) 1-Ehrhardt 12.3 WR, 2-Krumpholz 12.9, 3-Schalle 13.1; HJ, 1-Witschas 6'1½, 2-Kirst-Schmidt 6'1½, 3-G. Krause and Kalliwoda tied at 5'11¼; JT, 1-Fuchs 204'1, 2-Todten 194'10, 3-Kargel 185'7; 4x100, 1-Jena 44.0, 2-Dynamo Berlin 44.5, 3-Magdeburg 44.8, 4-Halle 44.8; 4x400, Dynamo Berlin 3:33.1, 2-Neubrandeburg 3:37.7.

# LETTERS

## FERNANDO RODIL-VIVAS, Puerto Rico

"Great Balls of Fire! Vince - we are in 1973 NOT 1850. Talk to the postal authorities! Printed matter, etc., to Puerto Rico and the Caribbean area should be sent to Miami, Florida - then it would get here quick! Get a map to the Foggies - show them the area - explain to them that Anglo-saxon and Latin civilization started here early after 1508 and we deserve a better postal system. We are not SAVAGES in loin cloth! Is this clear?"

## PETE POZZOLI, England

"Thanks for the July issue of WTFW and it's good to see the fine standard of this magazine maintained month after month - the Championships Report was wizard reading!

"May I differ with you on one remark in the Pacific Conference Games report, namely "The key to Australia's victory was the three sprint races where they outscored the USA 23-3"... ..whatever way you score it, the reason the USA lost was because the AAU, women's section, just could not apparently care less about the meeting.

"My reason for saying that is simply that although the meet was on your own doorstep, your Association filled just 13 of the 22 individual spots on the programme. No USA girl was in either the discus or high jump; only one in the javelin, shot, hurdles, 1500 and 400. What an appalling indictment on the "who cares" attitude of your top responsible officials.

"Little New Zealand, with a total population roughly that of Los Angeles, travelled ten thousand miles to fill 14 team places; Australia came from far away and filled 17 of their allotted 22 possible places; even Japan, not noted for particularly outstanding women T&F performers, was interested enough to fill 18 of their 22 places. But the USA could only be bothered to put 13 performers on the ground. Just check the Championships results and fill in the gaps with available performers and you will see the USA could have won the meet with considerable ease if only your top officials had organized a full team.

"No nation in Europe, however weak they may be, would dream of entering an international match with half a team. If you are unable to take part in international competition without your best available performers, it would be better for your own face not to take part at all. Toronto went to a lot of trouble and expense to put on these Games - to turn up there with 13 performers to fill 22 places would seem to be a gratuitous insult to those hardworking organizers.

"I appreciate the USA are relative newcomers to the field of international women's T&F. Nonetheless, I feel it is time your 'big brass of T&F' realised international athletics is not for fun. Whether we like it or not, the fact remains that international sportsmen and sportswomen are in essence ambassadors or soldiers of their country.

"We may deplore the atmosphere which now surrounds and the prestige which now attends performance in international sports. But to deplore a thing is not the same as refusing to recognize it exists. If you wish to take part in international sport in the present age, you must accept its implications. One of them is that you do not, at this level, represent yourself falsely, you are not Marilyn Bedworthy disporting her charms! You are the United States of America in the eyes of the world. Unless, therefore, you are intent on sabotaging the USA, you either make it with your top best or you decline to make it at all. You do not turn up with second raters or half a team to make a laughing stock of your country and earn the contempt of onlookers. In international sport in our time there is only one object: TO WIN. You either come to win or you stay at home. But please do not continue to turn up with what we experts know is a poor apology for your best talent. We are getting a little tired of your alibi that "you only beat us because our best athletes were not along"; the opinion is growing that the old American 'will to win' is a thing of the past, the opinion is growing that you no longer have the guts, you no longer have what it takes, you no longer care maybe the Limey rotten strain is coming out, you are beginning to become good losers instead of blood and guts winners. Oh for a Doug MacArthur or a George Patton to take charge of your women's T&F!"

## TIM DONAGHUE, New Jersey

"I was most interested in Bill Peck's editorial from the "Startling Line" publication which you printed in the July issue of WTFW. I checked very carefully with results of the European competitions and found that for the most part, the International Selection Committee, (or whatever it is called), took the first two Americans in each event. The only really questionable choice for the European tour in my mind would be Brenda Nichols on the Junior team. Nichols placed only fourth in her 440y HEAT and 5th in the semi-final and was eliminated. I would like to ask the Committee how they selected Nichols for the tour.

"For the Pacific Conference Games, all selections appeared to be ok with one exception: why did the Committee select two long jumpers and no high jumpers or discus throwers?"

"The REAL political selections, as far as I can tell, came about when the Satellite teams were chosen for Canada. On this team, there were some VERY strange persons if, as the Committee had advertised, the selections were based on performances in the National Championships. I point out the following selectees and ask the Committee to provide their reasons for choosing these individuals: 1) Pat Hawkins. Hawkins was 5th in her heat of the 100 and was eliminated. She was 7th in her heat of the 220 and was eliminated. She was a finalist in the 100m hurdles, but finished last, even behind Chi Cheng who, according to the race description, was trying to stop after pulling over the 6th or 7th hurdle. 2) Gwen Norman. Norman was eliminated in the first round of the 440. 3) Shirley Williams. I can not find any Shirley Williams in the results. I find a Helen Williams, entered in the 100, but she did not run.

"I would like an explanation of the selection of these 3 athletes. Also, how was Mamie Rallins chosen when she did not finish - the men left Rod Milburn off their team when he finished fifth in the Nationals.

"Yours for honesty -"

## FLOYD HIGHFILL, New Mexico

"I have (seen) the results of the USA-Russian dual meet in Minsk. It is hard for me to believe that this is the same US women's team that has defeated the Russians indoors the last two years. To what can we attribute this veritable collapse outdoors?"

"From the athletes I am sure we will hear how badly they were treated on their month-long, free-gratis tour of Europe and Russia; how they were kept from 'doing their thing' by greedy, exploitative coaches, chaparones, managers and other officials; and how the brown water, shabby hotels, poor plane schedules and oppressive curfews shattered their concentration and made 55 second quarter milers out of Olympic bronze medalists and caused discus throwers to forget which hand they threw with.

"The team managers and coaches will tell us how young and inexperienced the team is, how most of our best athletes chose to remain at home, how the score didn't really show how close the competition was, and how hard it was to 'keep the girls away from the boys'.

"As for me, I think I hear the distinct call of a flock of Great American Turkeys emanating from Minsk!"

## EARL HACKETT, New Orleans

"Any idea why a high jumper wasn't taken to the Pacific Games? They could have placed (or even won) and would have given one of the younger also-rans at Irvine a bit of international competition. Was it lack of funds?"

## RICK ALLRED, Alabama

"This magazine is worth its weight in gold! It's the next best thing to being right there at the meet. Newspapers, (especially in the south and in Alabama), have very little to offer on track and field. I'd be lost without this wonderful magazine."

## LETTER FROM JIM FERRIS, Honolulu

"A number of articles have surfaced about couples who have 'split' because the woman became 'famous' or workouts simply could not be worked out between them. My wife Leah and I happen to be one of the dozens (probably hundreds) of running couples who apparently have made the adjustment and believe me, there are some! We have been married eleven years and in that time, we've managed to race every other weekend. Races take place at Women's Meets, Men's Meets and, thank goodness for the RRC, where we can go to races and start together.

"What makes us slightly unusual is that Leah was a silver medalist in the Pan Am Games 800m (1963), twice US indoor champion and once US outdoor champion. I've always been a plodder who loved road races and entered as many as possible with slightly average success. Outside influences such as reporters, so-called friends and critics are the ones who apply the pressure to couples like us. But I am not submitting this to expound people who criticize, but to emphasize how great it is being a 'running family'.

"Our Sunday mornings are 15 mile runs together and the great feeling of well being that follows. After work each day when most people are trying to digest their dinner and discuss the problems and highlights of the day, we are discussing it between repeat 220's or 8 miles in a park.

"Weekend races mean deciding who is King (or Queen) of the house. In our house it depends on who has the best chance to get a PR. Leah holds every Hawaiian AAU record from 880 at 2:11 to the marathon in 3 hours 33 minutes. During the spring I help cook, clean and take the pressure off her training. Fall and winter I train for longer races (which she runs in as well) so I give a few orders.

"Ask any running couple and they'll tell you there is no such phrase as "that's your job" or "I'm too tired". Running couples know the agony of intervals, 20 mile runs in the rain and having to suffer through questions at parties like "Who can run faster". Therefore, they are more tolerant.

"Many people do not realize (except running couples) the sacrifices that must be made in order for the couple to train together every day, twice a day on weekends and maybe more.

"The people who are competing against their spouse for recognition should stop and think about how much more rewarding it is to be proud of one another regardless of who excels."

## BRITISH CHAMPIONSHIPS

Crystal Palace, London, July 20/21: Many 'no shows' due to illness, plus "miserable weather" caused the annual WAAA Championships to register slightly less than their usual amount of outstanding marks. The WAAA competition, unlike most on the continent, is open to all comers and foreign athletes walked off with three individual titles. Inger Knutsson of Sweden set a new world junior best when she won the 3000 m in 9:08.0 for the top mark on the track. Austria's Ilona Gusenbauer, WEFW world athlete of the year in 1971, took the HJ over Barbara (Inkpen) Lawton with a hop of 6'0".

RESULTS: 100m (-0.3) Andrea Lynch 11.7; 200m (-2.4) Helen Golden 24.2; 400, Janet Roscoe 53.8; 800, Mary Tracey (Ireland) 2:03.4, 2-Sue Haden (NZ) 2:03.8; 1500, Joan Allison 4:15.7; 3000m, 1-Inger Knutsson (Swe) 9:08.0, 2-Joyce Smith 9:11.6; 100mH (-3.3), 1-Judy Vernon 14.0, 2-Mary Peters 14.4; 400mH, Chris Howell 61.4; HJ, 1-Ilona Gusenbauer (Austria) 6'0", 2-Barbara Lawton 5'11½; LJ, Myra Nimmo 20'9¼; SP, Brenda Bedford 48'7½, 2-Mary Peters 47'6½; DT, Rosemary Payne 185'0; JT, Sue Corbett 176'9 (Defending champion Pru French failed to qualify).

## GUADALUPE GAMES from Yves Pinard

Capesterre, Guadalupe, May 19/20: Athletes from France, Martinica, Guadalupe, French Guyana, Puerto Rico, USA, Canada and Jamaica competed in the Invitational Guadalupe Games with US sprinter Theresa Montgomery winning both dashes, the 200m in 23.5, a personal record.

100, 1-Montgomery (USA) 11.7, 2-Sulter (Mar) 11.7, 3-Golletto (Fra) 11.9; B-race, 1-Bacoul (Mar) 12.4, Rosalyn Bryant (USA) 12.4; 200, 1-Montgomery 23.5, 2-Sulter 23.8, 3-Loverock (Can) 24.4; in heats, Montgomery 24.0, Goletto 24.1, Bryant 24.7; 400, 1-Besson (Fra) 57.2; 800, 1-Besson 2:12.3; HJ, Vankiekebelt (Can) 1.70/5'7; LJ, Vankiekebelt 5.70/18'8½; SP, Bertimon (Guad) 15.52/50'11, 2-Creantor (Guad) 14.65/48'0, 3-Vankiekebelt 12.52/41'1; DT, Bertimon 37.92/124'5; 4x100, Martinique 47.7.

## OPERATION FOR CHI



CHI CHENG  
(Photo by Rocky Bunch)

CHI CHENG has returned to the Republic of China where she underwent an operation in mid-August to alleviate the pain in her right hip. This is the same operation which was necessary in 1972 on her left side in which some 9" of muscle was removed from the tensia facinata requiring 52 days of hospitalization. Over the past three months, the pain has grown so severe and was constantly present whether she was sitting, walking or running that the operation was decided upon. It is not known at this time if she will be able to run again or not. The purpose of the operation is the relief of pain.

## SPANISH CHAMPIONSHIPS from Alfonso Posada

Barcelona, Spain, July 13/15: Josefina Salgado established herself as the top woman athlete of Spain for 1973 as she won the 400 and 800 meter runs at the Spanish Championships on the Tartan track. Josefina established a new national record in the 400 at 54.1s. Earlier in the year, she had set a new NR over 200m in 24.6s.

RESULTS: 100, Pilar Fanlo 12.2; 200, Begona Lozano 25.9; 400/800, Josefina Salgado 54.1/2:11.4; 1500, Carmen Valero 4:32.5; 100mH, Maria Jose Martinez 15.4; HJ, Sagrario Aguado 1.66/5'5¼; LJ, Carolina Nolten 5.75/18'10½; SP, Ana Maria Molina 13.07/42'10½; DT, Dulce Lopez 37.18/121'11; JT, Rosa Maria Fernandez 39.82/130'7. Other records set during 1973 in addition to Salgado's 220m; 100mH, Maria Jose Martinez 14.6; LJ, Isabel Montana 5.92/19'5.

## WEST GERMAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Berlin, West Germany, July 20/21: Track and field in West Germany, home of the 1972 Olympic Games, has taken a definite drop-off in this post-Olympic year. None of the winning performances was rated as outstanding and most were simply in the "normal" class.

RESULTS: 100 (+0.6), 1-Schittenhelm 11.45, 2-Richter 11.49, 3-Kroniger 11.68; 200 (+4.9), 1-Kroniger 23.26w, 2-Richter 23.32w, 3-Wilden 23.46w; 400, 1-Wilden 52.72, 2-Weinstein 53.13, 3-Frese 53.78; 800, 1-Falck 2:05.85, 2-Skov 2:07.57; 1500, 1-Tittel 4:27.45, 2-Schenk 4:30.53; 3000, 1-Merten 9:23.0, 2-Ranz 9:23.8; 100H (+0.9), 1-Nolte 13.60, 2-Scherb 13.62; HJ, 1-Meyfarth 6'0, 2-Gartner 5'11¼; LJ, 1-Trocha 21'1½, 2-Rosendahl 20'6, 3-Eppinger 20'2½; SP, 1-Berendonk 51'9, 2-Westermann 51'1; DT, 1-Westermann 195'6, 2-Berendonk 193'0; JT, 1-Koloska 187'5, 2-Peters 169'9; 4x100, OSC Berlin 45.16.

## POLAND WHIPS FRANCE 82-53

Paris, France, July 7/8: Two good sprint wins by Poland's 1968 Olympic 200m Olympic champion, Irena Szewinska, sparked Poland to an 82-53 victory over host France in an international dual meet. Szewinska clocked 11.3 and 22.9 in beating Sylvianne Telliez in the two dashes. Wartel, who wasn't even in the top 50 for 1972, set a new French record when she leaped over 6'0" to win the high jump.

RESULTS: 200, (+0.50), 1-Szewinska (P) 22.0, 2-Telliez (F) 23.3; 400, Kacperczyk (P) 53.3; 800, 1-Katolik (P) 2:02.0, 2-Thomas (F) 2:03.9; LJ, Ducas (F) 20'8½; SP, Chewinska (P) 59'6¼; DT, Nadolna (P) 181'4; 4x100, 1-Poland 44.0, 2-France 44.2; 100 (+1.20), 1-Szewinska 11.3, 2-Telliez 11.4; 1500, 1-Dubois (F) 4:27.5; 100mH (+1.20), 1-Rabsztyń (P) 13.0, 2-Nowak (P) 13.0; HJ, Wartel (F) 6'0½ (Rec); JT, 1-Gryziecka (P) 196'3, 2-Jaworska (P) 190'2; 4x400, 1-Poland 3:35.2, 2-France 3:36.8.

## CENTRAL AMERICAN & CARIBBEAN CHMPS from Karen MacHarg

Maracaibo, Venezuela, July 26/29:-Venezuela hosted the Fourth Central American and Caribbean Championships and saw the visiting athletes from Cuba take top honors. Olympic 100 bronze medalist Silvia Chivas won both sprints in 11.4 and a wind-aided 23.5. Only Andrea Bruce of Jamaica in the high jump and distance runners Charlotte Bradley (800 in 2:05.8) and Enriquitta Navas (1500 in 4:26.3) managed to break the Cuban monopoly on first places. Aurelia Penton, Cuba, was surprisingly pushed back to fourth in the 800 but won the 400 in a good 53.5 as the Atoms TC Lorna Forde (Barbados) finished 3rd with a lifetime best of 54.9s.

RESULTS: 100, Heat #1, (1-Silvia Chivas (Cuba) 11.6, 2-Marcia Trotman (Barbados) 11.9, 3-Maurina Maduro (Netherlands Antilles) 12.1; Heat 2, 1-Carmen Valdez (Cuba) 11.5, 2-Lijnch Grace (NA) 12.1; Heat 3, 1-Debbie Jones (Bermuda) 11.9, 2-Laura Pierre (Trinidad & Tobago) 12.1, 3-Elsa Antunez (Ven) 12.2; Final (+1.68), 1-Chivas 11.4, 2-Valdes 11.6, 3-Pierre 11.9, (Equals meet record set by Fulgencia Romay, Cuba, 1971); 200, Heat 1 (+1.90), 1-Ruth Williams (Jam) 24.1, 2-Asuncion Acosta (Cuba) 24.1, 3-Laura Pierre (TT) 24.4; Heat 2 (+4.1) 1-Silvia Chivas (Cuba) 23.8w, 2-Lorna Forde (Bar) 24.1w, 3-Debbie Jones (Ber) 24.4w; Heat 3 (+5.35), 1-Elsa Antunez (Ven) 24.3w, 2-Barbara Bishop (Bar) 24.5w, 3-Grace Lijnch (NA) 24.5w; Final, (+5.35), 1-Chivas 23.5w, 2-Acosta 23.9w, 3-Williams 23.9w; 400, Heat 1, 1-Asuncion Acosta (Cuba) 55.2, 2-Isabel de La Cruz (Dominican Republic) 56.8, 3-Barbara Bishop (Bar) 57.9, 4-Ruth Williams (Jam) 59.6; Heat 2, 1-Aurelia Penton (Cuba) 56.2, 2-Ruth Alexander (TT) 57.0, 3-Lorna Forde (Bar) 57.5, 4-Patricia Meighan (Guatemala) 59.1; Final, 1-Penton 53.5, 2-Acosta 53.7, 3-Forde 54.9, 4-Alexander 55.7 (Equals meet record set by Marilyn Neufville, Jamaica, 1971); 800, 1-Charlotte Bradley (Mexico) 2:05.8 (Record), 2-Isabel de La Cruz (DR) 2:06.9, 3-Enriquitta Navas (M) 2:07.7, 4-Aurelia Penton (Cuba) 2:09.1; 1500, 1-Enriquitta Navas (M) 4:26.3 (Record), 2-Charlotte Bradley (M) 4:35.1, 3-Melquise Fronseca (Cuba) 4:37.3, 4-Isabel de La Cruz (DR) 4:40.3; 100mH, (+3.87) 1-Marlene Elejalde (Cuba) 13.9w, 2-Andrea Bruce (Jam) 14.4w, 3-Mercedes Roman (M) 14.4w; 200mH, 1-Marlene Elejalde (Cuba) 28.0w (+4.5), 2-Raquel Martinez (Cuba) 29.1w, 3-Alix Castillo (Ven) 30.7w; HJ, 1-Andrea Bruce (Jam) 1.71/5'7 $\frac{1}{4}$ ", 2-Marina Rodriguez (Cuba) 1.69/5'6 $\frac{1}{2}$ ", 3-Angela Carbonell (Cuba) 1.67/5'5 $\frac{1}{4}$ "; LJ, 1-Marcia Garvey (Cuba) 6.04/19'9 $\frac{1}{4}$ ", 2-Ana Alexander (Cuba) 6.02/19'9", 3-Ana Maquillin (Colombia) 5.46/17'11"; SP, 1-Hilda Ramirez (Cuba) 14.28/46'10 $\frac{1}{4}$ " (meet record, old mark 46'9" by Carmen Romero, Cuba, 1971), 2-Celeste QuindeLan (Cuba) 14.02/46'0", 3-Patricia Andrews (Ven) 12.88/42'3"; DT, 1-Carmen Romero (Cuba), 2-Cristine Betancourt (Cuba), 3-Patricia Andrews (Ven) - no marks available; JT, 1-Tomasa Nunez (Cuba) 51.62/169'4", 2-Milagros Bayard (Cuba) 47.04/154'4", 3-Gladys Gonzales (Ven) 45.52/149'4"; Pentathlon, 1-Lucia Duquet (Cuba) 3807 (14.6/25'2 $\frac{1}{4}$ "/5'7 $\frac{1}{4}$ "/19'1 $\frac{1}{2}$ "/25.8), 2-Mercedes Roman (Mex) 3729, 3-Angela Carbonell (Cuba) 3629; 4x100, 1-Cuba (Elejalde, Romay, Valdes, Chivas) 45.9, 2-Jamaica 48.4, 3-Netherlands Antilles 48.6; 4x400, 1-Cuba (Penton, Acosta, Cabrejas, Truste) 3:42.1, 2-Barbados 3:51.0, 3-Mexico 3:56.9.

Coming up: Venezuela National Championships at Barquisime-to in August; the South American Championships in Santiago, Chile, at the end of October; the Central American and Caribbean Games in Ponce, Dominican Republic, next July.

## PORTUGAL RESULTS from Alfonso Posada

Lisbon, Portugal, July 14/15: (Tartan track), 100/200, Angelica Manaca 12.0 (Rec)/25.7; 400, Manuela Alves 57.1; 800, Filomena Visira 2:12.9; 1500, Conceicao Candeias 4:47.2; 100mH, Lucrecia Cumba 15.0; HJ, Maurilia Carcalho 1.51/4'11 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; LJ, Helena Relvas 5.62/18'5 $\frac{1}{4}$ "; SP/DT, Adilia Silverio 14.22/46'7 $\frac{1}{4}$ "/40.92/134'3"; JT, Fatima Pinto 38.30/125'8".

## CONNECTICUT AAU CHAMPIONSHIPS

Greenwich, Conn, June 2:-Senior Women's 5 kilometer race walking championship: 1-Carol Sicillano (Gateway TC) 31:36.6, 2-Liz Kiskan (GTC) 32:18.9, 3-Judy Salkoski (GTC) 33:34.4. Invitational 5k race walk, June 2: 1-Ellen Minkow (Un) 30:48.2, 2-Laurie Entis (Un) 33:34.5.

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# HIGH SCHOOL TRACK RICHARD EDE, Editor

Before we get too far into this article, I want to make an apology. Somewhere between pen and printer the Connecticut State meet results got lost two months ago and finally turned up. John Contoulis, (from Connecticut, not New Jersey), who coaches Fitch Sr. HS sent the results: The meet, with 298 athletes from 51 schools competing, was held June 2. Host North Haven HS ran away with the team honors over runner-up Fitch. New State records were set in the 100 (11.3 by sophomore Judy Fontaine of Norwich in the heats), 220 (25.7 by Fontaine), mile (5:25.2, Jan Merrill, Waterford), long jump (17'3, Alyce Cognetta, N. Haven), 4x110 (50.7 by Fitch in the semis), and javelin (150'5 by Dottie Richardson who also ran on Fitch's relay team). Fontaine won the 100 final in 11.6 while Merrill also won the 880 in 2:22.0. Mary Jean Lupp (N. Haven) won the 80yH in 11.5 (and took a 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> in the LJ and HJ respectively). Freshman Amy Davis of Bacon Academy also bettered the old State record in the long jump with 17' 1/2 and took second in the HJ at 5'1 behind winner Denise Campbell (Brian McMahon) who won at 5'2. Fitch pulled most of their points from the field with Mary Pereschino winning the shot (39'1/4) and placing second in the discus (114'4) behind Anne Lindsey's 115'0. Anne is from Avon. Cara Richardson going 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> in the disc and shot, and Belinda Fields with 6<sup>th</sup> in the discus. Lindsay was the only girl in the top six of the discus not on the two leading teams as Barbara Bayus of N. Haven placed 5<sup>th</sup>. Other winning marks: 440-60.6, Mary Clarke (NH); 880yMedR-1:56.3, N.H.

The State of WASHINGTON held a prep invitational this year. Beginning in 1974, there will be a sanctioned State meet for large schools (over 500) and a separate meet for small schools. In this year's prep meet, five State records were broken. Julie Rowe from Meadowdale HS sends the results. The State marks set included the 70 (8.15 by Miller of Hudson Bay which is better than the 8.19 by Dennise Anderson of Shoreline in the prelims); 220 (25.2 by Lisa Johnson of Hale); high jump (5'5/4 by Nancy Fondren of Shoreline); long jump (18'4/4 by Sharon Walker of Everett who also had a leap of 18'4/4 in the prelims); and the discus (125'8 by Debbie Buse of Everett). There were several other outstanding marks which did not set records: Mitzi McMillin of West Seattle, who made the Junior international tour this summer, won the 80yH in 10.3, took second in the LJ at 18'0/4 and fourth in the HJ at 5'2. The high jump was one of the deepest quality events in the meet with Walker following her record leap in the long jump with a second place 5'3, and Cheryl Dickerson (Kamiakin) third at 5'3. Johnson joined Hale's mile relay team in a 4:17.8 win, and won the 100 in an excellent 11.0, half a second ahead of her nearest competitor. The 880 relay showed two teams under 1:50 as Garfield edged Lakes, 1:49.5 to 1:49.9. Lelia Mattinez of Ingraham won the shot at 41'3/4 over Candy Votova (Mariner) at 41'0/4. Other marks: javelin 124'5 by Cindy Musgrove (Long); 880, 2:25.8, Linda Goff (Olympia); 440, 59.6, Anderson (Shoreline); mile, 5:38.9, Lori O'Neil (Everett).

Sam Giambelluca sends a list of MISSOURI results compiled from regional meets: 100, 11.4, Brooks (Mexico); 220, 26.8, Webber (Ste. Genevieve); 440, 64.4, Anderson (Oregon); 880, 2:35.1, Miller (Mexico); mile, 5:59.5, Crandall (Canton); 80yH, 10.9, Land (Webb City); 440yR, 52.6, Kansas City South-east; 880yR (medley ?) 1:52.1, KCS; SP, 39'10/2, Fehlker (Arnold Fox); HJ, 5'2, Smith (KC Lincoln); DT, 98'1/2, Doby (Bowling Green); LJ, 16'8/2, Smith (KCL); softball throw, 212'8, Lewis (KCS).

Alison Eachus sends the results from William Penn HS in Philadelphia. "William Penn let itself be known around the State in its first year of an official track team. The team entered every meet it could find - most of which were 440y relays added to a boy's meet. Our 440 relay team set meet records in every meet they attended, including the Penn Relays". Wm. Penn placed second in the Roberts Invitational, second in the State College Invitational, and won the Philadelphia City Meet. Their best 440 relay, with Bailey, Cuthbert, Rivers and Seay is 49.7, but were always under 50 seconds with Thomas in place of Cuthbert who is actually a distance runner with bests of 2:17.0 and 5:24.0 in the 880 and mile. With Richardson, (the school shot and discus record-holder) replacing Seay, the 4x220 quartette has run 1:49.6 and the 880y medley team with the same personnel as the 440 team, has turned in a 1:50.6. P. Helms (Pat Helms?) gives Penn an excellent sprint prospect with her marks of 6.2 and 58.5 over 50 and 440 yards. Thomas has a 17'0 long jump to her credit.

This section is a bit short this month as is natural during the summer vacation period. Please forward your State records for track and all cross country news and results. I am now at a new address: Rich Ede, 627 N. Indian Hill Blvd., Claremont, California, 91711.

## SOUTHERN AAU CHAMPIONSHIPS

New Orleans, Louisiana, June 16:-A 19'1 long jump by Helen Williams and a 5'6 high jump in the 14/17 division by Susan Hackett were the high spots of the Southern AAU Championships held in wet weather on the LSU track.

RESULTS: Women's Division: 100, Bernadine Givens (Dryades) 11.4; Mile/2M, Alicia Sabi (Crescent City) 5:16.6/11:46.8; HJ, Susan Hackett (D) 5'2; LJ, Helen Williams (Alcorn) 19'1 - no wind info; SP/JT, Lurline Struppeck (Istrouma TC) 33'8/126'0. 14-17 Division: 100, 1-Mary LeBlanc (CC) 11.2, 2-Carrie Sherman (West Riverside) 11.3; 880, Diane Hull (CC) 2:27.9; 80yH, Betty Spencer (Nugent) 11.0; 440yR/880yMedR, CCTC 49.4/1:51.6; HJ/LJ, Susan Hackett (Dry) 5'6/18'0; JT, Mary Gray (Dry) 118'3. 12-13 Division: 50/100/220, Wanda Nicholson (Dry) 6.3/11.8/26.9; HJ, Clara Scott (Dry) 4'8. 10-11 Division: 50/220, Rhonda Jenkins (SD) 6.7/28.4; 100/HJ, Lana Zimmerman (Harvey) 12/8/4'4.

## SEAAU CHAMPS & JR OLYMPICS

Florence, Alabama, June 16: Marilyn Haynes of Blountville, Tennessee, leaped over 5'4 to turn in the best mark of the SEA AAU Championships and Junior Olympics on the all weather track at Bradshaw High School.

Senior Division: 100, Debra Fuqua (Florence) 11.3; 220/440, Cecil Carter (Millington, Tn) 26.5/61.5; HJ, Marilyn Haynes (Blountville, Tn) 5'4, 2-Carla Tart (Manchester, Tn) 5'2; 100 mH (30"), Sharon Kirk (Mohawk, Tn) 15.1. Intermediate Division: 100/220, Teresa Baugh (Nashville) 11.2/26.1; 880, Chris Skinner (Nashville) 2:27.8; HJ/LJ, Sally Clunan (Nashville) 4'10/16'8/4. Junior Division: 100, Sylvia Turner (Florence) 11.7; 220/440, Margaret Groos (Nashville) 27.5/60.2; LJ, Bonnie James (Crystal, Fl) 17'7/2.

## SPAAU JR OLYMPICS

Huntington Beach, California, June 30: Kathy Keys, Blue Angels, upset Theresa San Augustine in the 440 and La Tany Dawkins was a triple winner in the 9/Under division with a new national mark in the 220 at 28.8 to highlight the SPAAU Junior Olympics on the all weather track at Golden West College.

16/17 Division: 100, 1-Gail Butler (LATC) 11.0, 2-Rosetta Birt (LATC) 11.4; 220, 1-Butler 25.6, 2-Birt 25.6; 880/Mile, Kathy Jewell (LBC) 2:19.8/5:18.8; LJ, Alice Tolbert (LBC) 16'8/2; HJ, Jenny Walt (LBC) 5'2; 100mH, Butler 14.4; 400mH, Diane Dellinger (LBC) 46.8; MW, Sue Brodock (SURRE) 7:51.5; 440yR/880yMedR, LBC 50.9/1:58.7. 14/15 Division: 100, Donna McFall (OC) 11.7; 220, Kathy Keys (BA) 25.2; 440, Keys 56.5, 2-Theresa San Augustine (LBC) 58.1; 880, Karen Aleccia (OC) 2:15.9; Mile, Doreen Assuma (SURRE) 5:27.8; 2M, Assuma 11:40.4; 100mH, Melinda Peterson (LATC) 15.6; 300mH, San Augustine 46.7; LJ, Chris O'Brien (LV) 16'11; HJ, Brenda Little (IMM) 5'0; SP/DT, Emily Dole (IMM) 43'11/122'7; JT, Connie Gassen (CCS) 114'11; 440yR/880yMedR, LBC 50.7/1:51.8.

12/13 Division: 200yH, Karen Ueda (LBC) 30.6; 100, Kim Moran (LATC) 11.8; 880, Karen Parish (Un) 2:23.3; Mile, Laurie Jewell (LBC) 5:24.2; HJ, Candice Zbierench (IMM) 4'9/2; LJ, Moran 16'0; SP/DT, Bea Hunt (SURRE) 39'3/107'5; 440yR, LBC 53. 10/11 Division: 50yH, Erin Pike (IMM) 8.3; 100/220, Tanya Willis (OC) 12.1/27.7; 440, Jenny Townsend (LBC) 67.1; 880, Corrine Nunez (SURRE) 2:30.4; Mile, 1-Donna Sanchez (SURRE) 5:23.4, 2-Mari Gibbs (LATC) 5:24.5, 3-Jenny Lutzhoff (EVT) 6:26.5; LJ, Janette Windle (Un) 15'1/4; SP, Jackie Malson (OC) 35'4; 440yR/880yMedR, Orange Coast 58.3/2:10.5. 9/Under Division: 100/220/440, LaTanya Dawkins (LAJ) 12.9/28.8/69.5; 880, 1-Kristi Wilson (BA) 2:32.2, 2-Carol Lantry (BA) 2:33.6; 440yR/880yR, Blue Angels 62.1/2:13.1.

## NATIONAL AGE GROUP INVITATIONAL

Irvine, California, June 24:-Calvin Brown master-minded his annual age group extravaganza, officially titled the SPAAAU Age Group Invitational, on the fast UC Irvine track following the women's and girl's National Championships and the result was excellent marks and excellent competition. LaTanya Dawkins, LA Jets, scored the only triple triumph of the competition when she won the 9/Under 100, 220 and 440, winning the 220 by more than a one second margin the the 440 by more than FOUR seconds.

Lisa Sherrill of the Atoms set a new National record while winning the 10/11 440, crossing the finish line in 59.2, one-half second under the old mark of 59.7 set in 1970 by Sports Internationals Tanya Bryant.

Kathy Weston, Wills Spikettes, scored a mild upset by downing Mary Decker in the 14/15 440, 55. to 56.1 and Pam Blackburn of Palo Alto upset Sue Hackett of the Dryades YMCA in the high jump. Sports United won the team titles in both the 12/13 and the 14/15 Divisions.

Winners and other good performances: 14/15 Division: 100, (Tie) Isabelle Hartford (Dryades) and Denise Roberson (LMM) 10.8w; 220, Roberson 24.3 (Wind +0.7); 440, Kathy Weston (WS) 55.7, 2-Mary Decker (BA) 56.1; 880, Lynn Hollins (SURRE) 2:12.6; Mile, 1-Robin Perry (Ambler OC) 5:05.9, 2-Kathy Adams (WS) 5:05.9, 3-Estella Guina (SJC) 5:07.4; 2M, 1-Ellen Hart (Un) 11:12.1; MW, Sheila Thomsen (Oxnard) 7:59.4; 100mH (30'') Cheryl Poirier (FFTC) 14.2; 300mH (30'') Effie Jordan (SURRE) 45.3; 440yR, Mt View Striders 48.6; 880yMedR, Blue Angels 1:47.4; MileR, SURRE 3:57.2; 2MR, Blue Angels 9:27.4; HJ, Pam Blackburn (PA) 5'6; LJ, Toni Griffin (LJTC) 18'9w; SP (8#) Emily Dole (LMM) 43'11w; DT, Kim Travers (Mt Lebanon) 130'1; JT, Kelly Fuiks (Cactus Wrens) 141'6; Scores, 1-SURRE 52, 2-LMM 45, 3-Blue Angels 38.

12/13 Division: 100, Laurie Blanchard (WSJTC) 10.9w (Wind +3.0); 220, Marien Johnson (MHFC) 25.1w (+2.8); 440, Sherry-Lynn Brown (CCTC) 57.7; 880, Alice Trumbly (CR) 2:19.4; Mile, Cathy Gill (DCD) 5:15.3; MW, Christine Sakelarios (RCF) 8:37.2; 80mH, Cheryl Martin (Travelers AC) 12.8w (+3.2); 200mH, Sonya Hardy (BC) 28.5w (+2.7); 440yR, Mickey's Missiles 49.4; 880yMedR, Columbus Community TC 1:49.4; MileR, SC Cheetahs 4:05.1; HJ, Anne Gilliland (DCD) 5'4; LJ, Kim Moran (LATC) 17'0w (+2.9); SP (6#)/DT, Bea Hunt (SURRE) 39'3w/104'0; JT, Lisa Van Benthem (LJTC) 111'0; Scores, 1-SURRE 42, 2-LJTC 36, 3-DCD 25w, 4-Mesa TC 24, 5-CCTC 22, 6-MM 21, 7-LATC & SJC 19.

10/11 Division: 100/220, Vicki Gunn (CCTC) 11.7w/26.7; 440, Lisa Sherrill (Atoms) 59.2 NR; 880, Kristine Taylor (SL) 2:24.4; Mile, Sandy Beach (AlBOC) 5:16.6; MW, Joyce Brodock (SURRE) 9:05.2; 50yH, Erin Pike (LMM) 7.8; 440yR, Orange Coast Girls TC 54.1; 880yMedR, Albuquerque OC 2:01.7; HJ, Mary Sedall (AOC) 4'8; LJ, Joyce Bowie (SBC) 16'1w (+2.4); SP (6#) Jackie Nelson (LC) 35'4w

9/Under Division: 100/220/440, LaTanya Dawkins (LAJ) 12.6w/29.3w/66.1; 880Carol Lantry (BA) 2:30.7; 440yR/880yR, Denver Flyers 58.8/2:11.5; HJ, Cezabbe Fritz (Un) 4'2; LJ, Lisa Nesbit (Un) 14'0w (+1.2).

## MICHIGAN AGE GROUP CHAMPIONSHIPS

Midland, Michigan, July 7:-The Michigan State Age Group Championship was completely dominated by the Fleet Feet TC which swept all four age group divisions. Only in the 10/11 division was the result in doubt until near the end. In the other three divisions, the FFTC won by between 48 to 70 points.

14/15 Division: 100mH (+5.0), Jocelyn Skelly (FF) 15.0w; 300mH, Skelly 49.9; 100, Josie Hobbs (Detroit Striders) 11.5w; HJ, Anita Lee (Motor City) 5'0; LJ, Ella Willis (Lipke TC) 16'7w; SP (8#), Jane Pierce (Rich) 37'10. 12/13 Division: 100/220, Lynn Richmond (DS) 11.2w/26.8; Mile, Mary Palmer (DS) 5:19.8; 880, Terri Brooks (Rich) 2:25.1. 10/11 Division: 100/220, Stephanie Clemons (DS) 11.9w/27.7w; 880, Janet Smartt (DS) 2:33.3. 9/Under Division: 440, Michell Smartt (DS) 69.1; 880 Kathy Skelly (FF) 2:43.7.

## CONNECTICUT JR OLYMPICS

Groton, Conn, July 8: SP, Mary Persechino 38'11w (weight not known); HJ, Amy Davis 5'0; LJ/100/440, Judy Fontaine 17'6w/11.3/59.0.

## 1500m IN 5:14 BY 8 YEAR OLD

Columbus, Ohio, June 30:-Eight year old Laura Craven of the Ohio TC, sped to a 5:14.0 clocking over 1500 meters for a world age record to highlight the Third Annual Ohio Track Club Invitational. Craven's time, equal to a 5:35 mile, breaks the old mark of 5:38.1 set in 1969 by Renee Quigley in California.

RESULTS: Women's Division: 100, J. Gill (Panther TC) 10.8 (no wind reading); 880, 1-Joy Jarvis (Kettering) 2:20.9, 2-Brenda Webb (KS) 2:21.9; Mile, Webb 5:25.2; 100mH, M. Lieser (KS) 15.5; 400mH, M. Henry (KS) 66.2; MileR, Kettering 4:01.3; DT/SP, A. Heckleman (FIR) 121'0/37'2w; HJ, L. M uer (Mound TC) 5'2; LJ, L. Yurdakol (Bellbrook TC) 18'5. 14/15 Division: 100/220, J. Jones (PTC) 11.3/26.1; 440, Oldham (Clev) 60.6; 880 Scardina (KS) 2:27.0; 100mH/300mH, Duffy (OhioTC) 15.4/47.6; 440yR/880yR, Panther TC 51.5/1:48.6; HJ, 1-Hughes (Golden Angels) 4'10.

12/13 Division: 100/220, Browning (Springfield TC) 11.5/26.1; 440, Eickholt (GA) 61.6; 880, C. Craven (OTC) 2:25.9; 1500, Cline (GA) 5:07.0; 200mH, Bloomfield (MtLebTC) 31.0; 440yR, Springfield 51.5; 880yR, OhioTC 1:51.2; LJ/HJ, Bayer (CCTC) 15'2w/5'2; DT, Radeck (ML) 93'4w. 10/11 Division: 220, D vis (Spr) 28.3; 440, Fudge (Spr) 66.7; 1500, Shanton (OTC) 5:42.4; HJ, Nielson (KD) 4'6. 9/Under Division: 100, Wormsley (ML) 13.1; 220, Browning (Spr) 29.5; 1500, Laura Craven (OTC) 5:14.0 (World age best).

## DEBBIE VETTER 62.3 400mH

Balwin Wallace College, Ohio, July 7:-Despite the great performances of the Vetter sister, the Blue Ribbon TC of Wickliffe, Ohio, failed to win the Lake Erie Association AAU title, losing to the Cleveland TC 164-108.

The Vetter name appeared in almost every event as they won five events and picked up a second and a third - and undoubtedly galloped some relay legs in addition. Debbie Vetter had the finest mark of the competition when she ran the 400m hurdles in a fine 62.3, the fourth best ever by an American. She also won the high jump and was second in the furlong. Sister Diane won the 100m hurdles and the mile and was third in the high jump for a MOST unusual combination, and other sister Janis won the 440 in a good 57.4s. But their heorics were to no avail as the depth of the Cleveland team overpowered them.

RESULTS: 100mH, Diane Vetter (BRTC) 17.1; 400mH, Debbie Vetter (BRTC) 62.3; 100y, Deborah Payne (Cleveland TC) 11.5; 220, Payne 26.6; 440, Janis Vetter (BRTC) 57.4; 880, Diane Schauburg (Comets) 2:26.3; Mile, Diane Vetter (BRTC) 5:22.3; 440yR, CTC 50.4; 880yMedR, BRTC 1:52.1; MileR, BRTC 4:18.1; HJ, Debbie Vetter 5'2; LJ, Vanetta Peterson (CTC) 17'3; 8#SP, Michelle Stevens (CTC) 34'5; Scores, 1-CTC 164, 2-BRTC 108, 3-Comets 85, 4-Stark Generals 48, 5-West Side TC 28, 6-Wadsworth AC 12.

## CENTRAL AAU JR OLYMPICS from Dave Miller

Peoria, Illinois, July 8:-The Central AAU Girl's Junior Olympics attracted 800 individual entries and was the best meet ever due to expanded events and better facilities than in past years. Many exceptional marks were recorded as ten meet records were broken, three tied, and 14 set in events never before held.

In the 16/17 Division, Ditra Henry of the Murchettes had the sprints to herself, winning with 11.0 and 25.1, perhaps signifying a return to good form after an injury plagued season. Andra Olson, also of the Murchettes, reeled off a good 880 in 2:18.6, and Sheila Yurkshat of MDYF got excited enough to throw the shot 38'6w.

The 14/15 Division was led by the efforts of Trudi Rebsamen with a good 440 time of 57.5 and a 220 victory in 25.2. Valerie Milan of the Murchettes turned in a creditable 11.0 victory in the 100, and 14 year old Chris Rassel had a good 14.8 hurdle win. Carla Lange of Moline was a newcomer to the scene with a good 15.0 hurdles and up-and-coming Beth Johnson, also of Moline, had an 11.3 100 and a 17'11 long jump. Moline's new coach, Donna Schulenberg, is doing some good things with that team. Debbie Gust of MDYF also was impressive with a 5'4 victory in the high jump, beating out Peoria's Sheri Moore and her 5'3.

The 12/13 Division was highlighted by Laurie Blanchard's 11.1 100 and Debi Kilhoffers double of 7.0 in the 50y hurdles and a 17'9 long jump.

## OHIO SUMMER MEETS

Blue Ribbon Invitational, July 14: 400mH/HJ, Debbie Vetter (BRTC) 62.8/5'2; 100/220, Eleanor Mahal (Univ.Toronto) 10.9/24.6; 880, Janis Vetter (BRTC) 2:18.0; Mile, Anita Scandurra (Suffolk AC) 5:08.7; MileR, BRTC 4:04.6; LJ, Gaylene Barber (Murchettes) 18'0"; SP, 1-Cindy Rinehardt (Concord AC) 47'11½, 2-Debbie Barker (Lakers AC) 39'3¾; DT, Rinehardt 147'7; Scores, 1-BRTC and Cleveland TC 78, 3-Murchettes 52.

Lake Erie AAU Age Group Championships, July 21: 9/Under Division: 880/LJ, Anne Vargo (Cleveland Heights Comets) 2:37.4/13'2. 12/13 Division: 100, 1-Gail Christofferson (Westside COTC) 11.5, 2-Patty Gavelda (BRTC) 11.8; SP/DT/JT, Debbie Williams (BRTC) 37'7/94'6½/100'6; HJ/LJ, Isabelle Bayer (Cleveland TC) 5'1/16'4½. 14/15 Division: 100, Coletta Lux (WTC) 11.8; 880, Deanne Schaumberg (CHC) 2:25.3; LJ, Sheri Kladis (CTC) 16'2½.

Lake Erie AAU Women's Championships, Baldwin-Wallace College, July 28:-Once again the Blue Ribbon TC and the Cleveland TC tied in team points with 152 each, but it was certainly not the fault of the Vetter sisters that the Blue Ribbon squad was not sole champions. The Vetters' accomplished the following: Debbie won the 100mH, 400mH, mile run and was second in the high jump; Janis won the 440 and 880; Diane won the two mile and the high jump and was second in the 880!

100mH/400mH/Mile, Debbie Vetter (BRTC) 16.2/62.8/5:14.0; 100/220, Debbie Payne (CTC) 12.0/27.1; 440/880, Janis Vatter (BRTC) 57.2/2:16.3; Two mile/HJ, Diane Vetter (BRTC) 12:04.8/5'0 LJ, Mary Ayers (CTC) 17'5½.

## REINHOUTD TOSSES SHOT 50'10

At the end of June, a new name appeared on the US lists for 1973 - Cindy Reinhoudt of Fredonia, New York. Reinhoudt tossed the shot 48'6¼ in the Niagara AAU Development meet in Tonawanda. In mid July, Cindy recorded the second-best US mark for the year with a put of 50'10, a mark which would have earned her a trip to Russia had she taken part in the National Championships.

Who is Cindy Reinhoudt? From the archives of nearly a decade ago, we find Cindy Wyatt, a weight athlete idle for almost 10 years, now married to world record holder in weight lifting, Don Reinhoudt. Welcome back. Perhaps her return will add some spice to the shot event for the USA.

## REGION 3 JR OLYMPICS

Manchester, Tennessee, July 14:-Results of Region III Junior Olympic competition: 100mH (30"), Sharon Kirk 15.1; 880, Chris Skinner 2:24.1; 100/220, Alma Jones (S.Carolina) 11.0/25.0; 440, Barri Swindell (North Car) 58.8; Mile, Kathy Taylor (NC) 5:28.0; LJ, Scooter DeLorme (SC) 17'4½; HJ, Carla Tart 5'1, 2-Marilyn Haynes 5'0; SP (8#) Deborah Freeman (NC) 38'2½; DT, Lynn Cruickshank (NC) 106'5.

## GULF JR OLYMPICS

Houston, Texas, July 10/11: Renee Moore of Worthing ripped off a 55.3 quarter as the highlight of the Gulf Association Junior Olympic meet. Nedra Simpson of Worthing, was a triple winner in the midget division winning the 50 (6.2), 100 (11.6) and 440 (59.5) dashes. Other results included:

Junior Division: 100/220, Terri Hayes (Worthing) 11.4/27.3; Intermediate Division: 100, Robin Williams (Ryan) 11.3; 220/440, Renee Moore (Worthing) 26.3/55.3, 2-Renelda England (Astrobelles) 57.7. Senior Division: 100mH (30"), Bobbi Kacz (Alvin) 15.6; 100, Rose Stout (Worthing) 11.2; 440, Candice Glover (A) 59.0; HJ, Katy Hays (Katy) 5'1½.

## SUGARLOAF SUMMER MEETS

Amherst, Mass:-The Sugarloaf Mountain AC is staging a series of summer meets. Best result to date is Louise Halle's toss of 155'4 in the javelin. Other good marks:

June 14: 1500m Steeplechase, Charlotte Lettis (SMAC) 5:29; June 21: 880, Kathy Kelly (SMAC) 2:19.9; July 5: DT, Cindy Lyman 113'7; July 12: JT, Louise Halle (LibAC) 155'4; DT, Halle 110'11.

## 54.5 440 BY SHERRY JAMES

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, July 14:-Sherry James of the Traveler's AC, zipped to a speedy 54.5 clocking over 440 yards to spice the Region 2 Junior Olympic Championships on the University of Pittsburgh oval. Another fine mark was turned in by Cheryl Butler who long jumped 19'11½ (no wind information). The Sears Old-Newsboys Relays was held in conjunction with the Junior Olympic competition.

RESULTS (Junior Olympics): 100mH, 1-Rozie Anderson 14.3 (30" hurdles), 2-Cheryl Poirier 14.4, 3-Del Crump 14.8; 100, Jackie Taylor 11.0; 220, Tina Leatherman 25.0; 440, 1-Sherry James 54.5, 2-Sue Roehm 57.1, 3-Jackie Daniels 57.3; 880, Betty Cuthbert 2:15.4; LJ, Cheryl Butler 19'11½, 2-Tonengee Bell 18 5; HJ, Karen Krichko 5'5; 8#SP, Kim Travers 40'4½.

RESLAYS: Women's Division: MileR, Padukies 4:06.7; 2MR, Latrobe TC 10:31.0; SP/DT, Kim Travers (Mt.Leb) 38'2/119'11. 14/15 Division: MileR, Jets TC 4:20.1; LJ, Patty Rojko (Virginians TC) 16'8; SP/DT, Kim Travers 40'11/120'7. 12/13 Division: 2MR, Mt. Lebanon 10:44.2; LJ, Addie Bass (Springfield) 15'5; DT, Judi Radevic (ML) 89'8¼; JT, Gina Piatt (ML) 95'10½; MileR, Mt.Lebanon 4:21.7. 10/11 Division: MileR, Springfield 4:38.6; 2MR, Padukies 10:50.0, 2-Springfield 10:52.4. 9/Under Division: MileR/2MR, Padukies 4:50.0/11:56.6.

## NATIONAL 5k RACEWALK

Boulder, Colorado, July 21:-Sue Brodock, Sports United RR of California, won the National 5 kilometer racewalk, setting a new American record of 27:39.9. Seventeen competitors took part at the mile high altitude.

RESULTS: 1-Sue Brodock (SURR) 27:39.9 (Times at 1m-8:30, 2m-17:27, 3m-26:42), 2-Ellen Minkow (Un, NY) 28:02.3, 3-Esther Marquez (SURR) 28:20.1, 4-Cindy Arbelvide (Un, Cal) 28:47.4, 5-Cristy Dotseth (MDYF) 28:52.6. 10/11 One Mile: Michelle Wood (ColPacers) 10:38.4. 12/13 One Mile: 1-Linda Ontko (Ozark TC) 8:51.1.

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RESULTS: 100, Heat 1 (-3.66), 1-Wendy Brown (NZ) 11.7, 2-Rochelle Davis (USA) 11.8, 3-Patty Loverock (Can) 12.1; Heat 2 (-4.5) 1-Denise Robertson (Aus) 12.0; Heat 3 (-2.04), 1-Marg Bailey (Can) 12.0, 2-Shirley Williams (USA) 12.1. Final, (-3.1) 1-Robertson 11.8, 2-Davis 11.9, 3-Bailey 11.9, 4-Brown 11.9....7-Williams 12.2; 200, Heat 1 (-2.68), 1-Robertson 24.3, 2-Davis 24.6; Heat 2 (-2.74), 1-Anne Mackie (Can) 24.6, 2-Pam Greene (USA) 25.2; Heat 3 (-2.8), 1-Marilyn Neufville (Jam) 24.6, 2-Maeoper West (USA) 24.9; Heat 4 (-0.42) 1-Brown 23.9, 2-Alta Wessels (South Africa) 24.8; Final, (+1.43), 1-Robertson 23.5, 2-Brown 23.9, 3-Neufville 24.1, 4-Davis 24.2, ...7-Greene 24.9; 400m, Heat 1, 1-Brenda Walsh (Can) 54.1, 2-Neufville 54.2...4-Maeoper West 56.0; Heat 2, 1-Charlene Rendina (Aus) 53.6, 2-Anne Mackie (Can) 54.2, 3-Cheryl Toussaint (USA) 54.4; Heat 3, 1-Judith Canty (Aus) 53.7, 2-Gwen Norman (USA) 55.1; Final, 1-Rendina 52.4, 2-Canty 52.6, 3-Walsh 53.9, 4-Norman 54.1, 5-Mackie 54.2, 6-Neufville 54.5; 800m, 1-Rendina 2:03.6, 2-Susan Haden (NZ) 2:05.7, 3-Lorraine Moller (NZ) 2:05.9, 4-Maureen Crowley (Can) 2:06.1, 5-Nobuko Kawano (Jap) 2:06.2, 6-Cheryl Toussaint (USA) 2:07.0; Mile, 1-Glenda Reiser (Can) 4:34.9 (WR), 2-Thelma Wright (Can) 4:39.1, 3-Ann Marie Davies (Can) 4:39.8, 4-Susan Haden (NZ) 4:41.9, 5-Ann Smith (NZ) 4:43.7...9-Barbara Lawson (USA) 4:57.8, (Reiser clocked

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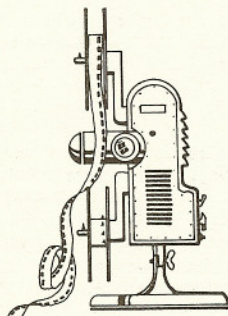
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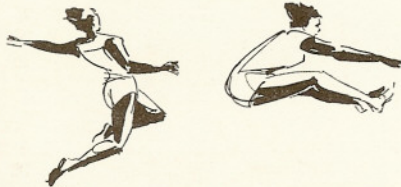
Saskatoon, Canada, July 3:-Canadian track and field stars won every event except the 400 meter dash in the Pacific Conference Games Satellite Meet here today. Athletes from Australia, New Zealand, Canada and the USA joined the Canadians in the meet with the absence of American athletes one of the meet's most prominent features.

RESULTS: (No wind gauge), 100m, 1-Denise Robertson (Can) 11.7, 2-Marjorie Bailey (Can) 11.7, 3-Rochelle Davis (USA) 11.8; 200m, 1-Robertson 23.8, 2-Wendy Brown (NZ) 23.9, 3-Shirley Williams (USA) 24.4; 400m, 1-Charlene Rendina (Aus) 54.4, 2-Shirley Williams (USA) 56.1, 3-Maeoper West (USA) 57.1; 800m, 1-Brenda Walsh (Can) 2:06.1, 2-Lorraine Moller (NZ) 2:07.1, 3-Rendina 2:07.3...also Barbara Lawson (USA) 2:10.2; 4x100 relay, 1-USA-Vancouver (West-Williams-Davis-Crowley) 46.3, 2-Australia-New Zealand 46.7; LJ, 1-Brenda Eisler (Can) 20'8 $\frac{3}{4}$ , 2-Hiroko Yamashita (Jap) 20'6 $\frac{1}{2}$ , 3-Penny May (Can) 19'10 $\frac{1}{4}$ ; SP 1-Diane Jones (Can) 51'0 $\frac{1}{4}$ , 2-Kayoko Hayashi (Jap) 48'9, 3-Valerie Young (NZ) 48'4 $\frac{1}{4}$ ; HJ, 1-Patty Wilson (Can) 5'5 $\frac{1}{4}$ , 2-Jenifer Symon (Can) 5'4 $\frac{1}{4}$ , no third; JT, 1-Val Peterson (Can) 163'0, 2-Symon 145'10, 3-Diane Jacobsen (Can) 138'2.

## MONTREAL SATELLITE MEET

Montreal, Canada, July 4:-The Desmarreau Stadium was the site for the Federation of Quebec Satellite Meet on US Independence Day. Australian Judith Canty, a very busy runner these past few days, won the 400 in 53.0 while New Zealand's Susan Haden upset Glenda Reiser of Canada over 1000m. In the 100m, Pam Greene suffered a muscle cramp near the end of the race.

RESULTS: 100m (No wind reading) 1-Patty Loverock (Can) 11.6, 2-Pam Greene (USA) 11.8, 3-Gail Wooten (NZ) 12.0; 400m, 1-Judith Canty (Aus) 53.0, 2-Joyce Sadowick (Can) 53.7, 3-Cheryl Toussaint (USA) 53.8...6-Gwen Norman (USA) 54.5; 1000, 1-Susan Haden (NZ) 2:40.1, 2-Glenda Reiser (Can) 2:41.4, 3-Angela Cook (Aus) 2:45.9; 100mH (No wind reading), 1-Wendy Taylor (Can) 13.3, 2-Gaye Dell (Aus) 13.8, 3-Elizabeth Dammon (Can) 13.9, 4-Mamie Rallins (USA) 13.9, 5-Toshimi Hayashida (Jap) 13.9; 4x100R, 1-USA (Hawkins, Norman, Rallins, Toussaint) 46.2, 2-Japan 47.7, NZ disqualified; LJ, 1-Vicki Betts (USA) 19'9, 2-Sumie Awara (Jap) 19'3 $\frac{1}{2}$ , 3-Kathleen Otto (NZ) 19'1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; HJ, 1-Louise Hanna (Can) 5'9 $\frac{1}{4}$ , 2-Anne Fillion (Can) 5'8 $\frac{1}{4}$ , 3-Mikiko Yono (Jap) 5'7; DT, 1-Carmen Ionescu (Can/Rum) 177'8, 2-Jean Roberts (Aus) 164'10, 3-Jane Haist (Can) 163'7; JT, 1-Meko Takasaka (Jap) 163'0, 2-Louise Beland (Can) 152'3, 3-Catherine Vanderknobb (Can) 142'8.



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Only four Americans have ever held world records in field events: Nan Gindele had the javelin record at 153'4 back in 1932 and Jean Shirley and Mildred Didrickson had the high jump record at 5'5, also in 1932 - and then in 1956, Mildred McDaniel took the HJ record to 5'9 $\frac{1}{4}$ ....Louise (Gerrish) Halle is now recovered from knee surgery which she underwent last year and recently threw a cautious 155'4. Watch out for her in 1974....The 200m at Ottawa after the Pacific Conference Games, (won by Sadowick of Canada in 23.2), was aided by a 4.3mps wind....On the Irish list for 1973 is 12.1 for 100m by Maeve Kyle and 12.1 by Shauna Kyle. Maeve is 44 while Shauna is 18 - mother and daughter....Region II Chairman, long time AAU official and friend of athletes, C. C. Jackson died of a heart attack on May 7. "CC" was largely responsible for the growth of women's track in the Region II area.

Bil Gilbert has retired from coaching....Charlyce Remington and Toni St. Pierre, both listed in the All America Meet results as hailing from Iowa, actually come from Lebanon, Nebraska and Hopkins, Minnesota....Add/change "Best Sisters" marks: 400m, 51.9 Mable and 53.4 Williamae Ferguson....More names I like: Crickett Cupid from Pennsylvania, Sandy Beach from New Mexico and Melody Lavender....Debbie Heald, former world record holder for the indoor mile, is now a patient of Dr. George Rhoden - a former Olympic 400m champion (1952) and has had minor surgery on both feet and hopes to start running again in September.

New Mexico starts its long distance season on September 15 with a one hour run in Albuquerque, site of the National Championships next November....Swedish distance star Inger Knutsson is 18, stands 5'6 $\frac{1}{2}$  and weighs only 99 pounds. If you think Mary Decker is skinny at 5'0 and 96 pounds - well! ....In the USA Championships, 106 girls entered the 400mH, 55 in the girl's division and 51 in the women's. But at the English Championships, only 5 entries were in for that event and they threaten to cancel it from the program unless more interest is shown....Speaking of the US Nationals, any girl wishing a picture of herself on the award stand should contact Nick Ruzzi, 1864 West Ash Ave, Fullerton, Calif. Cost is \$2 for 5x7, \$3 for 8x10....WTFW is deeply indebted to Zigurds Mezavilks of "Sport" in Riga, Russia, for sending us complete results of the USA-USSR competition along with a series of fine photos of the meet and athletes.

....At the Maccabiah Games in Tel-Aviv, (complete results next issue), Wilma van Gool of the Netherlands beat Esther (Shachamorov) Rot(h) in the 100m with both clocking 11.7 and the next day Roth, not feeling well, ran an easy 13.9 100m hurdles, went to the doctor that evening and learned she was pregnant - which will keep her out of the Asian Championships in Manila next November....Dr. John Davis announces the Junior National XC Championships will be held on November 17 in Overland Park, Kansas....The Long Beach Comets recently spent a week in Hawaii and can do nothing but rave over the treatment they received from their hosts including beach parties, outrigger canoeing and fantastic food - plus competition in the Hawaiian Junior Olympics...15 year old Louise Ritter of the Red Oak TC, Texas, recently high jumped 5'8 $\frac{1}{4}$  in the State meet at Denton. This is close to the world age best of 5'10 $\frac{1}{4}$  by Olympic champion Ulrike Meyfarth....

Adidas, the world's largest sport shoe producer, is celebrating its 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary this year. Adi Dassler, who began producing sport shoes in 1920, is still the guiding genius of the Company. Known as "The Boss" by his family and the workers, he has led the company with 140 patents and applications for patents. Chi and I were privileged to spend a week in the home of "The Boss" and his family in 1970 and we can verify they are ordinary folk as you and I in spite of their success. We wish them and "The Boss" congratulations on the last 25 years and happiness for the next 25....The age best for high jump for 14 year olds is listed in the 1972 WTFW Yearbook as 5'7 by Sylvia Kandziore of GDR, but Gibson of England has been over 5'8 $\frac{1}{4}$ , Cindy Gilbert 5'9 $\frac{1}{4}$  and Susan Hackett 5'9 $\frac{1}{4}$ ....Irene Piotrowski, Canada's greatest-ever sprinter, is moving to California....Judy Fontaine won three events at the Regional Jr. Olympics, winning the 100 in 10.9, the 440 in 58.6 and the long jump with 17'4 $\frac{1}{4}$ ....Have been trying to get information concerning Guy Anthony of Hollywood who has delighted all the girls and women in California this year with his picture taking and generosity. Mr. Anthony takes beautiful colored slides, makes 8x10 colored prints and hands them out to the girls literally by the hundreds. And all work is first class. We hope to have some information on Mr. Anthony in a future issue.

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