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MABLE FERGERSON, West Coast Jets, continues her winning ways breaking the tape in the 220 yard dash at the Mt. San Antonio Relays in 23.9s. In second at left is Marilyn Neufville, 23.9, with UCTC's Janet Brown fourth in 24.3s. (Chadez photo)

VAN STRAATEN 22.9 AT SA GAMES

By Lyle Sanderson

Pretoria, South Africa, April 5/6/7:-South Africa's major venture into multi-racial sport was a great success. Black and white athletes from South African and twenty other countries lived, trained and competed together without incident. The general feeling of individuals and the press was that the Games had a tremendous effect on the attitudes of the people. Mark Colley, writing in the Sunday Times of April 8 summed up the general feeling: "Here was a real blow to the heart of apartheid".

The quality and depth of performances by the South African athletes was impressive. They provided some first rate marks as well as competition.

Pilditch Stadium has a good 8-lane tartan track with tartan approaches for all jumping events. The altitude is 5100 feet plus. Timing by Omega was fully electronic but there was no explanation why times were not shown in the 100th in the results.

Weather entered into the program. On opening day, Thursday, April 5, it was 70° with wind up to 15mph usually against the sprints and jumps. On Friday it was hot and humid at 80° plus a shower late in the afternoon, and no wind. Saturday it rained all day, but no wind. The attendance figures were approximately 20000 on Thursday, 22000 on Friday and the same number for the final day - and all stayed through the rain until the end of the program.

Claudie Van Straaten was the only South African woman to win two titles. At age 18, she is one of the truly great sprint prospects in the world. Her start leaves much to be desired, but her relaxed power and her strength in the final stages more than compensates for what she gives up at the start. Her 22.9 in the rain is a world best for 18 year olds.

Hybre DeLange is an impressive 20 year old. Her 26.8 win in the 200m hurdles and 13.5 second place in the 100m hurdles both lowered South African records. A 5'8½ third in the high jump, (her best is 5'10), gave her a full set of medals.

Susan Hansen (nee Viljoen) lowered the South African 400m record to 53.1. Hester-Anna Coetzee showed very strong finishes in both the 400m (second in 53.6) and 800m, (third in 2:06.1), for a fine double with four races in three days.

Meta Antenen was the top foreign competitor with SA all comers records of 13.5 for the 100m hurdles and 21'1½ in the long jump. Liesel Westermann, West Germany, also took home two golds with a SA all comers record of 188'5 in the discus and a 50'2¼ shot put victory. Glenda Reiser, Canada, (1500 in 4:17.2) and Mary Tracey, Ireland, (800m in 2:05.3) traded wins. Ann Wilson, England, now a flopper, cleared 5'9¼ for her best-ever in winning the high jump. It was Austria's Eva Janko, however, who produced the top result of the foreign athletes with a 199'9 throw in the javelin to move to the #12 spot on the all-time list.

The list of losers reads like a 'who's-who' of women's track and field with Annegret Kroniger, Wilma van Gool, Ilja Keiser, Maria Sykora, Rita Wilden, Debbie Van Kiebel, Heide Rosendahl and Anna Koloska all going home without gold.

100 Meters. Heats (Against the wind). In Heat #1, Claudie Van Straaten came from well back at 60m to nip Annegret Kroniger while Wilma Van Gool could manage only 12.4 and did not qualify. In Heat #2, Ester (Shachamurov) Rot, Israel, looked good all the way in her first race since the Munich tragedy. Rita Wilden, GFR, was placed fifth by the judges, but was given new life when re-examination of the photo finish moved her to 4th.

WHERE'S WENDY - CHAPTER II

When we left Wendy (Koenig) last month, she was being hailed as a "martyr to the cause" after being ruled ineligible to participate in the National AAU Indoor Championships and because of that ineligibility was not chosen to compete for the USA in the dual meet against the Soviets in Richmond. According to administrative forces, rules are rules and must be applied equally to all souls. Sound reasoning and most praiseworthy. But now comes word from Roger Simpson, the Official AAU Statistician, who states "17 place winners were not certified by me, according to the rules, as having qualified to participate in the National Championships". Here is Roger Simpson's letter:

"I am enclosing copies of all the lists I submitted as certified qualifiers for the Indoor Nationals.

"I have only seen the final results of the meet. There were 17 place winners who do not appear on my lists. When the whole matter of the Statistician's job was discussed at the Convention, it was unanimously agreed that ALL competitors would have to be certified by me before their participation would be allowed in the Championships. I felt that this was being done in an attempt to remove "politics".

"It is, unfortunately, probably still as important to have the "right" coach as it has ever been.

"I would support the action of the (Games) Committee in the Koenig matter had the same action been applied to all in her situation. I do think rules and policies must be applied e-

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REEL TALK

The American All Comers record in the high jump, listed in last month's WITFW as 6'0½ by Debbie Brill of Canada, actually is 6'0½ set last year by Jamaica's Audrey Reid.

The record listed for the 880y medley (220-110-110-440) was 1:40.6 set by Sports International in 1972. Actually, this must be listed as an All Comers record as two of their runners, Annum of Ghana and Allwood of Jamaica, are not US citizens. The record reverts to the West Coast Jets at 1:41.5 but already this year Prairie View has run 1:40.6 to claim the mark.

One new American record has been set by Tennessee State in the 4x220 relay at 1:35.9, just 0.1 off the world mark.

Does This Sound Familiar?

"We have talked about communication many times in the past. Unfortunately, we still have a long way to go in this regard at a National level. Where is the policy for selection set down in a clear-cut manner that gives justice to athletes and allows them to know how to prepare for upcoming competitions and what requirements they must meet to qualify for teams? Until those in charge can come up with such a program they have failed us miserably.

"And what of the National Championships? At this time, just 11 days before the meet, there does not seem to be a single entry form available. I thought that such forms were supposed to be circulated 30 days in advance of the meet. Who is to blame for this and what have the people at the National Office been doing - having a sleep? I have read editorials from National Headquarters that say we must forget the past and look to a bright future. At this point the future looks darker than the past, if that is possible.

"We will lose to Russia, of course. We deserve to be thrashed because we are inept at even going about establishing a sound policy and have some sound guide lines for a change instead of a lot of confusion, passing the buck, and cheap power plays.

"It is now just 16 days before we meet the Russians. And how are we going to pick the team to compete in this meet? No one knows."

(No, that is not from a USA publication. It was taken from the "B. C. Track Monthly", February/March issue, 1973, a Canadian publication.

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Everyone Has Their Problems - Even in Australia

(From "The Sun", Sydney, Australia, February 26, 1973)

It took a lot of will power - but Raelene Boyle managed to avoid a clash with officials at the Victorian Championships at Olympic Park last Saturday.

The first sign of trouble came when Raelene grabbed the woolen "tape" when she went over the line on Saturday to win the 100 meters title.

A woman official warned Raelene that she risked disqualification if she broke the tape with her hands and not her body.

Later, when she again broke the tape with her hands in winning the 4x100 meters relay, the men officials warned Raelene. "They told me I risked disqualification if I did that in a race overseas," said the seething Raelene. "I know my rules as well as they, if not better, and there is no such rule in the international book." (Raelene has a fear of tapes ever since she was badly burned across the neck by such a tape.)

Yesterday in winning the 200m title in Australian record time (and the world best for 1973) at 22.8, Raelene again broke the tape with her hands - and she rolled up the wool and presented it to the meet referee, Mrs. Jean Gell.

Later the chairman of the men's council retrieved the wool, wound it neatly, attached a safety pin to it and presented it to Raelene.

As Raelene laughed and accepted her "trophy", the chairman said: "She is right, there is no rule that says you can't break the tape with your hands."

LETTER FROM FERNANDO RODIL, Puerto Rico

"I think that if the 100 Women's T&F Clubs listed in your Club Record Contest each took 10 subscriptions to your magazine, you could add another 1000 subscribers per month. Holy Zounds! - for a measley FIVE BUCKS they can see their names and records printed and read all about what happens in the rest of the USA and the world!!! It is less than what they pay for a head piece or a visit to a beauty parlor!!!"

LETTER FROM DICK BANK

"I note in the current issue that Brian Allen, among others, is still waiting to read my Munich Reflections on the women's events. Mel Watman, editor of Athletics Weekly, has written to ask if I intend to write same. I am flattered, to say the least. I found it very difficult to do the men's events, sending a few off at a time to those European publications which printed them. That is why they did not run in consecutive issues. I find I don't have the enthusiasm to write these articles as I have in the past and have to push myself to do them.

"I do not intend at this time to write this Munich Report but I thank those who have taken the time to inquire as to why it has not appeared. If I should have a change of heart, I question that at this late date people will still be interested in it. Again, I appreciate the opportunity that Women's Track & Field World has given me in providing a forum to express my thoughts and opinions."

LETTER FROM SYLVIA WASYLYK, Wilmington, Delaware

"I enjoy your magazine immensely - keep it up! How come for many meets you only list 1st and 2nd for one or two events or only first for some? Why not 1st and 2nd for every event?"

WITFW has established standards for each event in each division from 9/Under through Women. Inasmuch as this is not only a National magazine, but a world wide publication, we try and list only those results which are of top quality. It just isn't possible to list all the results we receive. We get many letters about this very subject. Some say we cover too much of the Age Group results. Others say we should cover more of the young runner's results. But we hope we are striking a happy medium as the policeman said when he raided a seance.



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SOUTH AFRICAN GAMES (Continued)

Heat #1:-1-Van Straaten (SA) 11.8, 2-Annegret Kroniger (GFR) 11.8, 3-Wessels (SA) 12.1, 4-Pretorius (SA) 12.2, 5-Wilma van Gool (Hol) 12.4, 6-Vilheua (SA) 12.5. Heat #2:-1-Esther Rot (Isr) 11.9, 2-Wessels (SA) 11.9, 3-Jacobs (SA) 11.9, 4-Rita Wilden (GFR) 12.1, 5-Rowlds (SA) 12.1, 6-Louw (SA) 12.4, 7-Grobler (SA) 12.5.

In the final, Ester Rot was out well until the 70m where she grasped the back of her thigh and dropped out with a muscle pull. Claudie Van Straaten came from well back to inch out the closest win of the meeting, (reportedly 1/1000 of a second) over Alta Wessels with Kroniger close as all three clocked 11.7s.

Final: 1-Van Straaten 11.7, 2-Wessels (SA) 11.7, 3-Kroniger (GFR) 11.7, 4-Jacobs (SA) 11.8, 5-Wilden 11.9, 6-U. Wessels (SA) 12.1. Rot did not finish.

200 Meters: Heat #1, 1-Rita Wilden (GFR) 24.2, 2-Claudie Van Straaten (SA) 24.3, 3-E. Weinstein (GFR) 24.6, 4-Lynnette Louw (SA) 24.7, 5-Ruanda Jacobs (SA) 24.8, 6-Amanda Pretorius (SA) 24.9. Heat #2, 1-Annegret Kroniger (GFR) 24.0, 2-Susan Hansen (SA) 24.4, 3-Alta Wessels (SA) 24.8, 4-Jean Fowlds (Rhodesia) 24.9, 5-Ursula Wessels (SA) 25.3.

In the final, Van Straaten seemed to fly around the bend as water splashed with every step, then showed relaxed power in the straight for a world age 18 best at 22.9. Electronic timing makes the time even more impressive.

Final: 1-Van Straaten 22.9, 2-Kroniger 23.5, 3-Wilden 23.6, 4-Hansen 23.9, 5-A. Wessels 23.9, 6-Weinstein 24.3.

400 Meters: Heat #1, 1-S. Hansen (SA) 53.8, 2-B. Hanekom (SA) 55.5, 3-S. Scheavers (SA) 56.2, 4-C. Wille (SA) 57.3, 5-A. Bester (SA) 57.7. Heat #2, 1-M. van der Merwe (SA) 55.5, 2-H. Contzee (SA) 55.7, 3-A. McEwan (SA) 56.7, 4-C. Menningke (SA) 57.8, 5-A. Ruckes (GFR) 61.1.

Susan Hansen went out fast in her heat for a 53.8, easing up. In the final she was well ahead with 40m to go and then tied up but held on to win in a SA record of 53.1. Hester-Anna Coetzee closed very fast for second place 53.6s. Final: 1-Hansen 53.1, 2-Coetzee 53.6, 3-vd Merwe 54.1, 4-Henekom 55.0, 5-Schroevers 55.9, 6-McEwan 56.1.

800 Meters: Heats. Hildegard Falk reportedly cried like a baby when the doctor would not allow her to compete due to a bad case of flu. Falk's scratch gave Glenda Reiser an easy heat for a front run 2:08.1s. Hester-Anna Coetzee again showed her strong finish in heat two for a 2:09.4 victory. Cecile Van Zyl led the third heat fast, but Ireland's Mary Tracey was too strong in the final straight. The fastest four times of the day came in this heat as Hendra Adendorff's 2:08.0 in 4th place failed to qualify.

Heat #1, 1-Reiser (Can) 2:08.1, 2-Marais (Aut) 2:09.6, 3-Hanekom (SA) 2:11.8, 4-Nadalert (Rhod) 2:12.4, 5-Bester (SA) 2:17.4. Heat #2, 1-Coetzee (SA) 2:09.4, 2-Sykora (Aut) 2:09.6, 3-Sheila Carey (GB) 2:10.1, 4-Muller (SA) 2:10.6, 5-van Zyl (SA) 2:10.6, 6-Malan (SA) 2:12.3. Heat #3, 1-Tracey (Ire) 2:06.3, 2-C. van Zyl (SA) 2:06.9, 3-Kruger (Hol) 2:07.5, 4-Adendorff (SA) 2:08.0, 5-Thiebaut (SA) 2:17.6, 6-de Jager (SA) 2:25.0.

In the final, van Zyl led through 200m in 29.2. Reiser took over with 500m to go and passed the 400 in 61.7 and the 600m in 1:34.0 with the field still bunched. The young Canadian led into the stretch but Mary Tracey, who had been in good position throughout the race, showed great power in the final 100m for the win. I got the impression that Mary would have been capable of the same kind of finish off even a much faster pace. Coetzee was again very strong in at the end. Ilja Keiser and Sheila Carey faded badly in the final 200m.

Final, 1-Tracey (Ire) 2:05.2, 2-Reiser (Can) 2:05.9, 3-Coetzee (SA) 2:06.1, 4-C. van Zyl (SA) 2:06.5, 5-Sykora (Aut) 2:07.3, 6-Marais (SA) 2:07.4.

An exhibition 800 was also run with Falk kicking over the final 200m for an easy win in 2:09.1s.

1500 Meters: The field went out hard and then slowed rapidly after the first 160 meters. Canada's Glenda Reiser went wide on the bend and took the lead at the 200m mark passed in 33.5s. She led through splits of 34.3 (67.8), 35.0, 34.7 (69.7), 34.3, 34.3 (68.6) 33.9 and 17.2. The third 400m of 68.6 broke contact with the field although Tracey's last 300m looked very strong. Glenda's 4:17.2 is a world altitude best and a South African all comers record.

Final, 1-Glenda Reiser (Can) 4:17.2, 2-Mary Tracey (Ire) 4:19.8, 3-C. van Zyl (SA) 4:22.5, 4-Ilja Keiser (Hol) 4:23.0, 5-S. van Zyl (SA) 4:25.6, 6-H. Adendorff (SA) 4:28.3, 7-S. Thiebaut (SA) 4:32.9, 8-B. Malan (SA) 4:34.4.

100m Hurdles: Heats - Ester Rot started well and looked good in a SA record 13.5 to win her heat. In the second heat, Antenen, Switzerland, was very strong winning in 13.6s.

Heat #1, 1-Rot (Israel) 13.5, 2-M. Joubert (SA) 13.9, 3-Ann Wilson (GB) 14.0, 4-A. van Deventer (SA) 14.1, 5-Diane Jones (Can) 14.7. Heat #2, 1-Meta Antenen (Swi) 13.6, 2-H. Delange (SA) 13.7, 3-R. van der Berg (SA) 14.3, 4-Debbie van Kiekebelt (Can) 14.3, 5-I. van Rensberg (SA) 14.4, 6-R. Schoeman (SA) 14.9.

Final - Injuries to Rot and van Kiekebelt reduced the field to six. Meta Antenen and Hybre De Lange hurled stride for stride with the Swiss girl just edging the South African at the tape. Electronic 13.5's on a very wet track is most impressive.

1-Antenen 13.5, 2-de Lange (SA) 13.5, 3-Joubert 13.9, 4-Wilson 14.1, 5-van der Berg (SA) 14.5, 6-van Deventer 14.5.

200m Hurdles: Hybre de Lange went 8 strides all the way for a SA record 26.8. She was smooth and powerful with no trouble alternating. 1-de Lange (SA) 26.8, 2-E. Weinstein (GFR) 27.5, 3-A. Boltman (SA) 27.7, 4-Maria Sykora (Aut) 27.8, 5-D. Davey (SA) 28.0, 6-R. van den Berg (SA) 28.7, 7-R. Schoeman (SA) 29.2s.

High Jump: Ann Wilson is now a flopper. Her 5'9" off only six strides was good for the win. Debbie Van Kiekebelt, Canada, cleared all her attempts up to 5'9" on her first try for second place at 5'8". Debbie suffered a slight muscle pull while warming up for 5'8" which kept her out of three other events. De Lange, Hendrina Pieters and Diane Jones also all cleared 5'8" for the next three places.

1-Ann Wilson (GB) 5'9", 2-van Kiekebelt (Can) 5'8", 3-H. de Lange (SA) 5'8", 4-Pieters (SA) 5'8", 5-Diane Jones (Can) 5'8", 6-Maria Sykora (Aut) 5'5".

Long Jump: The wet runway didn't hamper Meta Antenen as she soared 21'1" on her final attempt to hand Heide Rosendahl her second loss in four years. Antenen had two other jumps beyond Heide's 20'7". Diane Jones, Canada, jumped 19'4" for the bronze. Many observers felt that Meta cut the sand a good ten centimeters beyond the rake mark the officials measured from on her best effort.

1-Antenen (Swi) 21'1", 2-Rosendahl (GFR) 20'7", 3-Jones (Can) 19'4", 4-P. Coetzee (SA) 19'2", 5-M. Meyer (SA) 19'0", 6-L. Schmitt (SA) 18'10".

Shot Put: The wet circle cut the distances. Diane Jones put 49'5" to take the lead on her fifth throw, but Liesel Westermann came back with 50'2" for the victory.

1-Liesel Westermann (GFR) 50'2", 2-Diane Jones (Can) 49'5", 3-M. Viljoen (SA) 47'10", 4-M. van Heerden (Rho) 47'5", 5-R. Nel (SA) 45'7", 6-Rosemary Payne (GB) 43'4".

Discus Throw: Westermann spun the platter 187'2" on her first throw for a SA all comers record, then added more than a foot to that mark in the fifth round with 188'5". Rosemary Payne's third round 172'9" was good for second.

1-Westermann 188'5", 2-Payne 172'9", 3-R. Bosholt (SA) 169'5", 4-R. Nel (SA) 165'9", 5-S. Joubert (SA) 160'2", 6-M. Viljoen (SA) 150'9".

Javelin Throw: Eva Janko, Austria, sent out her first three throws beyond 191 feet. A foul and a throw of 168'5" preceded a final round 199'9"/60.88 personal best. This moves Eva to number 12 on the all-time list, just ahead of 1964 Olympic Games champion Mihaela Penes of Rumania. It was an excellent early season result. Ameli Koloska hit 184'4" with the others beyond 180 feet for a strong second place.

1-Janko (Austria) 199'9", 2-Koloska 184'4", 3-A. Maree (SA) 174'4", 4-R. du Randt (SA) 150'11", 5-Kraamwinkel (SA) 143'9", 6-E. Terblanche (SA) 139'5".

BEST 1972 MARKS PROC from Luigi Mengoni

100m	11.7	Ho Chu-feng	Peking	Apr 15
200m	24.4	Ho Chu-feng	Shanghai	Jul 22
400m	56.6	Li Dan	Peking	Apr 15
800m	2:12.9	Li Dan	Peking	Apr 15
1500m	4:38.2	Li Dan	Peking	May 28
100mH	14.2	Chang Yu-mei	Peking	Apr 15
HJ	1.79/5'10"	Wu Fu-shan	Nanking	Oct 14
LJ	6.30/20'8"	Kang Mueh-li	Shanghai	Sep 25
SP	15.10/49'6"	Kao Yu-kuei	Hsinshi	Nov 3
DT	52.24/171'4"	Kao Yu-kuei	Huhehot	Jun 4
JT	52.20/171'3"	Chou Mao-chia	Nanking	Oct 14

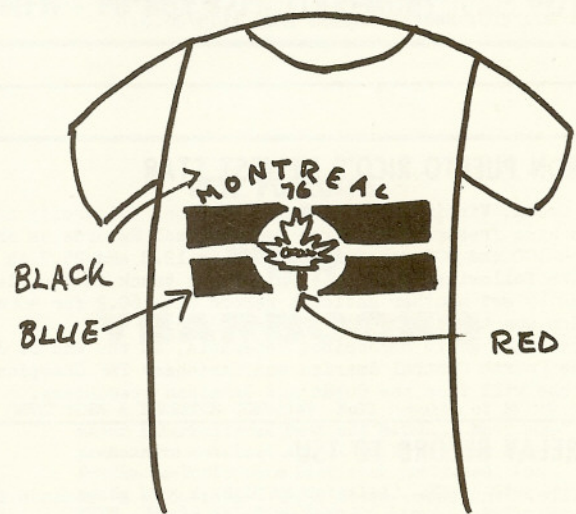
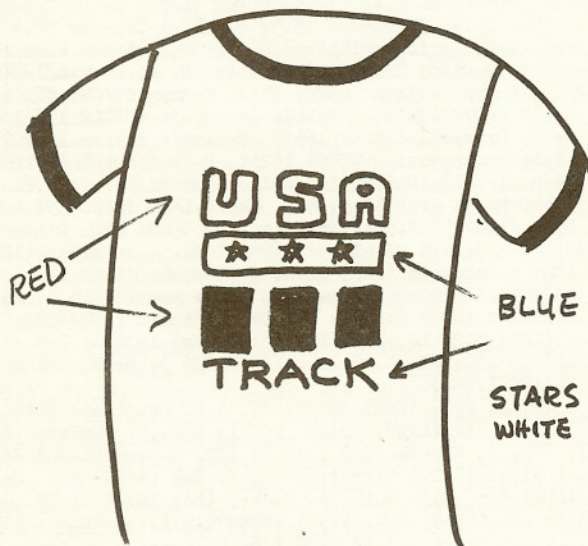
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US REPORT

JACKIE HANSEN WINS BOSTON MARATHON

Boston, Mass, April 16:-Californian Jackie Hansen broke the Eastern monopoly as she won the Boston marathon in a close finish with Nina Kuscsik of the Suffolk AC, 3:06:26 to 3:07:02. Jenny Taylor, Cambridge Sports Union, was third in 3:14:30. Other finishers were, 4-Kathy Switzer (Central Park AC) 3:20:30, 5-Sarah Mae Berman (CSU) 3:30:05, 6-Sigrid Nadon (Toledo Univ) 3:31:20, 7-Gerda Rfinke (West Germany) 3:31:30, 8-Merry Cushing (Sugarloaf AC) 3:36:06.

LONG DISTANCE RUNNING

New Bedford, Mass, March 11, 30K, 1-Cahrlotte Lettis (Sugarloaf AC) 1:55, 2-Jenny Taylor (Cambridge Sports Union) 2:10, 3-Merry Cushing (SAC) 2:24. Cambridge, Mass, April 1: 12m, 1-Jenny Taylor 1:14:16, 2-Sarah Mae Berman (CSU) 1:17:16, 3-Phyllis Olrich (CSU) 1:22:02, 4-Jan Greaney (Un) 1:33:29. Wellesley, Mass, April 8: 9.69m, 1-Sarah Mae Berman 67:38, 2-Debby Mueller 67:48.

OBIE WILLIAMS RELAYS

Houston, Texas, March 17:-As is usual in the State of Texas, good sprint and relay marks were the best events at the Sixth Annual Obie Williams Relays held at Jeppesen Stadium. Susan Armstrong had the best field event performance with a toss of 155'6 to win the javelin.

RESULTS: 440yR, Texas Southern 48.5; 100y, 1-Orien Brown (TSU) 10.7, 2-Debra Edwards (Houston Spikettes) 10.8; 440, Moore (HS) 58.1; 220, Edwards 24.3; MileR, Prarie View 3:52.6; 13/Under: 100/220, Nedra Simpson (HS) 11.5/26.8.

BULTRON PUERTO RICO'S NEWEST STAR

Saint Croix, Virgin Islands: Nerva Bultron, University of Puerto Rico freshman, bettered two National Records as she won the 100 and 200 meter races here in 12.0 and 25.7 on March 31. The following day at the University track in Rio Piedras, she easily set another national record with 60.2 for 400m and also won the 100/200 in 12.2 and 25.8.

Nerva will go to Maracaibo, Venezuela, at the end of July for the Fourth Central America and Caribbean T&F Championships. There she will face the Cuban and Jamaican speedsters.

880 RELAY RECORD TO TSU

Knoxville, Tennessee, April 13/14:-Averaging 24 seconds flat, the 4x220 relay team from Tennessee State set a new American record for the 880y relay and missed Australia's world mark by just 0.1 of a second. The team of Diane Hughes, Iris Davis, Pat Hunter and Theresa Montgomery will unfortunately probably not have another run at this distance this season and so must settle for the new American mark. The old record of 1:37.3 was also set at these Dogwood Relays by TSU in 1969 and three of the same girls made up the team. Montgomery replaces Debra Wedgeworth in the record books - but the new record will be more difficult to break.

Other highlights included a double win by Cheryl Toussaint in the 880/1500m and a 10.5 100y dash victory for Iris Davis.

RESULTS: 1500m, 1-Cheryl Toussaint (Atoms) 4:36.0, 2-Brenda Webb (Kettering) 4:39.6, 3-Paula Strack (K) 4:41.6, 4-Joy Jarvis (K) 4:49.2, 5-Ann Forshee (Michigammas) 5:00.6; 440, 1-Theresa Montgomery (TSU) 55.8, 2-Beth Warner (Ohio TC) 56.1, 3-Maeoper West (Un) 56.1, 4-Michelle McMillan (Atoms) 56.6, 5-Gale Fitzgerald (Atoms) 56.6, 6-Lorna Forde (Atoms) 56.7; LJ, 1-Fitzgerald 17'5"; HJ, 1-Fitzgerald 5'7, 2-Connie Peterson (Illini TC) 5'4; 880, 1-Toussaint 2:10.0, 2-Nancy Shafer (Canton TC) 2:11.6, 3-Warner 2:11.8, 4-Strack 2:17.8, 5-Webb 2:19.7, 6-Jarvis 2:22.3; 100, 1-Iris Davis (TSU) 10.5, 2-Montgomery 11.0, 3-Pat Henderson (TSU) 11.2, 4-Marjorie Grimmett (Motor City) 11.2, 5-Pat Hawkins (Atoms) 11.2, 6-Alfreda Daniels (MC) 11.2, (No wind reading); 880yR, 1-TSU 1:35.9, 2-Atoms "A" 1:37.0, 3-Atoms "B" 1:39.2, 4-Motor City 1:39.6.

AURORA INVITATIONAL

Compton, California, April 8:-The Aurora AC staged its Invitational on the Compton College field and the net result was more confusion than good performances. The Ferguson sisters sped to wins in the 100, 220 and 440 as Mable edged Martha Watson in the 100 in 10.8 and downed Marilyn Neufville in the 220 at 24.0 while Williamae won the quarter in 56.4s. Spotting the fact that the field was incorrectly marked, Neufville and Chi Cheng picked up two newcomers to track who were competing in their first AAU meet, and proceeded to win the 440y relay. Entered as the LATIC "C" team and placed on the outside lane, the two world record holders plus Gayle Butler and Jeannette Smiley edged the "A" team, anchored by Martha Watson simply because they had noted the number 2 and number 4 runners covered 125 yards and the 1 and 3 runners were limited to 75y each.

Kleinsasser won both the 880 and mile races with ease while Chi won the undetermined hurdles over Bobbette Krug. Their race, which followed the girl's 100m hurdles, ended up short as the officials suddenly removed one hurdle and moved to another finish line for the women's race.

To add insult to injury, the meet was running 1½ hours behind schedule and then the officials "took a break" and the meet finished three hours late.

RESULTS. Women's Division: 440yR, 1-LATIC "C" 47.3, 2-LATIC "A" 47.4, 3-South Coast TC 50.4, 4-LATIC "B" 50.5; 440, 1-Williamae Ferguson (WCJ) 56.4, 2-Clydine Crowder (LMM) 59.8, 3-Carol Burkland (LMM) 59.8; 880, 1-Ruth Kleinsasser (LATIC) 2:15.3, 2-Trina Hosmer (Falcon TC) 2:21.2; 100, 1-Mable Ferguson (WCJ) 10.8, 2-Martha Watson (LATIC) 10.8, 3-Rosetta Birt (LATIC) 11.0; 220, 1-Mable Ferguson 24.0, 2-Marilyn Neufville (LATIC) 24.5, 3-Williamae Ferguson 24.6, 4-Watson 25.3; Mile, Kleinsasser 5:08.5; Hurdles, 1-Chi Cheng (LATIC) 12.4, 2-Bobbette Krug (Un) 13.2, 3-Crowder 13.5; 400mH, 1-Crowder 66.4, 2-Dahli Ahmad (Palm Springs Fillies) 66.8; HJ, 1-Linda Hedmark (Un, Swe) 5'8, 2-Cindy Gilbert (Un) 5'4; LJ, Diane Windle (LA TC) 18'2", 2-Deanne Wilson (SCTC) 17'1, 3-Krug 17'0"; JT, 1-Kathy Schmidt (SCTC) 196'0, 2-Debbie Langevain (SCTC) 136'1; DT, 1-Monette Driscoll (LATIC) 164'5, 2-Debbie Rivera (SCTC) 145'1, 3-Debbie Langevain (SCTC) 142'1, 4-Teri Sabol (SCTC) 133'11; MedR, 1-LATIC (Chi-Butler-Smiley-Neufville) 1:47.6.

14/15: 440yR, IA Jets 48.5; 440, Janet Lake (LATIC) 58.4, 2-Yolanda Rich (IAJ) 58.7, 3-Stirewalt (OC) 59.2; 880, 1-Liz McDonald (LATIC) 2:20.1, 2-Aleccia (OC) 2:21.5, 3-DeCuir (LMM) 2:21.9; 100, 1-Roberson (IAJ) 11.2, 2-Thompson (IAJ) 11.4, 3-Ridley (IAJ) 11.5; 100mH, Miramontes (Blue Angels) 16.4; Mile Walk, S. Thomsen (OTC) 8:50.2; HJ, 1-S. Johnson (LMM) 5'2, 2-V. Oliver (LMM) 5'2; LJ, 1-D. Beckstrom (Un) 16'11", 2-G. Thompson (IAJ) 16'10"; JT, C. Gassen (CCS) 128'3; MedR, 1-IAJ 1:51.1, 2-LATIC 1:54.7.

12/13: SP, C. Pyle (CCS) 38'3"; JT, 1-K. Bramblett (LATIC) 95'5, 2-C. Stefanik (LATIC) 90'4. 10/11: 440, L. Danford (IA TC) 67.1; 880, T. Hughes (OC) 2:33.7; 220, J. era (LATIC) 28.0; Mile, Mari Gibbs (LATIC) 5:26.1; 50mH, J. Erb (LATIC) 8.4, 2-E. Pike (LMM) 8.5; Mile Walk, A. Hickey (BA) 10:15.0; LJ, Janette Windle (Un) 15'3, 2-C. Dlyel (Matm) 15'1. 9/Under: 100/220/440, L. Dawkins (IAJ) 13.2/30.1/69.6.

PRARIE VIEW RELAYS

Prarie View, Texas, March 31:-Prarie View won all three relays in good time to highlight the Annual Prarie View Relays.

RESULTS: 880yMedR, PV 1:43.2, 2-Alcorn A&M 1:49.4; 440yR, 1-PV 46.8, 2-Alcorn 48.3; MileR, 1-PV 3:56.5; 440, Mary Wallace (PV) 57.0; 100, 1-Carol Cumming (PV) 10.8, 2-Shirley Williams (PV) 10.9.

ALBUQUERQUE NOVICE MEET

Albuquerque, New Mexico, April 8:-The Albuquerque Olympette Club staged a Novice Meet here today and some unusual results spiced the competition. Carol Hudson, for example, won the 100 and the long jump; Lisa Chiavario took the discus.

Open: 100/LJ, Carol Hudson (AOC) 11.1w/17'2; 880, Susan Vigil (DCD) 2:23.0; 400mH, Lisa Gibbs (AOC) 67.0, 2-Laurie Gilliland (DCD) 67.0; DT, Lisa Chiavario (AOC) 90'3. 12/13: 100, Christine Brockhoff (ATC) 12.0w. 10/11: 440, Mary Lou Taylor (Un) 66.9.

US REPORT (Continued)

AMERICAN RECORD TO PV AT TEXAS RELAYS

Austin, Texas, April 14:-Prarie View College continued its fantastic relay running at the Annual Texas Relays and climaxed the day by setting a new American record for the sprint medley (220-110-110-440) relay with a clocking of 1:40.6 to break the West Coast Jets mark of 1:41.5 and equal the world best set by Sports International's mixed foursome last year. The Prarie View team of Carol Cummings, Mary Wallace, Shirley Williams and Debra Sapenter won by nearly five seconds over a good Dryades AC team who finished in 1:45.6.

In addition, the same foursome of Prarie View runners won the 440 relay in the nation's second best of the year 46.1, and with Taylor replacing Cummings recorded the USA's best mile relay time, winning in 3:46.8s. And to top it off, Cummings won the only other women's event, the open 100 in 10.7s.

RESULTS: 100y, 1-Carol Cummings (PV) 10.74, 2-Rochelle Davis (TWU) 10.76, 3-Orien Brown (TexSth) 10.77, 4-Audrey Reid (TWU) 10.80, 5-Shirley Williams (PV) 10.93, 6-Isabel Harford (Dryades AC) 10.95 (No wind reading); 440yR, 1-Prarie View 46.11, 2-Dryades 47.08, 3-Texas Women's University 47.11, 4-Texas Southern 47.24, 5-Alcorn A&M 47.83, 6-Texas TC 48.26; Mile Relay, 1-Prarie View 3:46.78, 2-Dryades 3:57.55, 3-Texas TC 3:58.41, 4-Houston Astro-belles 4:03.23, 5-TWU 4:03.86, 6-Alcorn A&M 4:04.96; Sprint Medley Relay, 1-Prarie View 1:40.63, 2-Dryades 1:45.55, 3-Texas Southern 1:46.24, 4-TWU 1:46.24, 5-Alcorn A&M 1:47.07, 6-Texas TC 1:47.38.

SAN JOSE INVITATIONAL

San Jose, California, April 15:-Eileen Claugus upset Francie Larrieu in the 3000m run to highlight the running of the San Jose Invitational. Pat Donnelly of the SLO Track Club had a good 14.1 in the 100m hurdles.

Women: SP, 1-Judy Lane (WS) 41'9½, 2-Lynn Cannon (SacRR) 40'¾...4-Cherrie Sherrard (SRR) 34'8¼; DT, Lane 123'4; JT, Cannon 168'7; 100mH, 1-Pat Donnelly (SLO) 14.1, 2-Deanne Carlsen (SRR) 14.5, 3-Sherrard 15.3; 400mH, Dale Phillips (SRR) 69.0; 100m, 1-Debbie Byfield (Berkeley TC) 11.8, 2-Creola Miller (Ravenswood) 11.9; 220y, 1-Byfield 24.4, 2-Janice Wiser (SLO) 24.4; 440, 1-Marie Nickson (BTC) 56.9, 2-Cindy Poor (SJC) 56.9; 880, 1-Nancy Mullen (SRR) 2:17.0, 2-Eileen Claugus (WS) 2:17.0; 1500m, 1-Vicky Eberly (SJC) 4:40.1, 2-Tina Anex (WS) 4:48.7; 3000m, 1-Claugus 9:30.8, 2-Larrieu (SJC) 9:52.5; Mile Walk, Diana Dimmick (SJC) 9:28.7; 440yR, 1-Ravenswood 47.9, 2-Berkeley TC 48.0; 880yMedR, Sac RR 1:50.6; Mile R, SJC 3:58.2.

14/15: 1500m, Kathy Adams (WS) 4:54.0, 2-Renee Nelson (Salinas) 4:54.1; Mile Walk, Joyce Maimer (WS) 8:52.4; 880yMedR, WS 1:51.8; LJ, Cathy Sulinsky (ML) 18'0; HJ, Kathy McQuillan (WS) 5'2; SP, Marie Garcia (Santa Cruz) 38'8½; JT, Sulinski 109'10; 100mH, Denise Rodgers (ML) 15.4; 300mH, Veri Davis (WS) 48.4; 100/220, Annette Robinson (BTC) 11.2/24.9; 440, Weston (WS) 57.5; 880, Rane Nelson (Sal) 2:23.3; 3000m, Kathy Adams (WS) 10:43.5. 12/13: LJ, Roberta Hodges (SJC) 16'10½; HJ, Shawhan (WS) 4'10; SP, Kuehl (Sal) 34'5; 200mH, Laura Wilson (ML) 30.4; 100/220, Heidi Hansen (SJC) 11.8/26.2; 440, Ann Slivkoff (SJC) 62.0; 880, Janet Burns (SJC) 2:26.3; Mile, 1-Ronell Powell (SJC) 5:25.0, 2-Jody Cobb (Sal) 5:26.2; Mile Walk, C. Sakelarios (Redwood City) 8:44.6.

GRACELAND RELAYS

Lamoni, Iowa, May 5:-Iowa State University's Cathy Newman and Sally Arthur from Nallwood were double winners while Graceland College's Linda Rowe picked up three gold medals in the 1973 Graceland Relays. Cathy won the long jump at 17'10 and the 100 in 11.9; Sally won the 880 in 2:26.9 and the mile in 5:36.5. Rowe won the shot with a 39'2½ mark, tossed the discus 139'4 and anchored Graceland's winning medley relay team which covered the mile in 4:24.3s.

Women's Division: 220, Ward (ISU) 27.8; Mile, Kathy Kuyk (Falcon TC) 5:24.1; JT, Frizzell (Parsons) 120'6. Girl's Division: Mile Walk, Eberle (Ozark TC) 9:11.8.

ILLINOIS DISTANCE RUNS

Champaign, Illinois, April 7: 8 Miles, Sandra Davis (IllTC) 63:08; 4 Mile, Diane Manauagh (Urbana Gazelles) 25:07, Sarah Brichford (UG) 28:10, Bambi Kelly (UG) 28:37, Nancy Thurman (UG) 29:22.

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GOOD SPRINTING AT SE AAU

Nashville, Tennessee, April 6:-Iris Davis and the Tennessee State relay teams grabbed the spot light at the Southeastern AAU Championships on the all weather track at TSU. Good weather made running a pleasure and the TSU relay squads took advantage of it as a team of Diane Hughes, Iris Davis, Pat Henderson and Theresa Montgomery clipped the one lap in 45.4, fastest in the US this year, and a medley squad of Hughes, Montgomery, Pat Hunter and Henderson had a good 1:46.8. Davis won the 100 in 10.6 as well as loping her heat in the same time.

RESULTS: Women's Division: 100mH, 1-Mamie Rallins (TSU) 13.9, 2-Gale Fitzgerald (Atoms) 14.5. (Special race: 1-Pat Hawkins (Atoms) 14.5, 2-Lorraine Tummings (Atoms) 14.6, 3-Rallins 14.8, 4-Carmen Brown (Atoms) 14.9). 100, 1-Iris Davis (TSU) 10.6, 2-Pat Henderson (TSU) 10.8, 3-Akfreda Daniels (Motor City) 11.0, 4-Veronica Harris (CA) 11.1; 220, 1-Theresa Montgomery (TSU) 24.1, 2-Fitzgerald 24.7 (24.6h), 3-Pam Greene (Mile High TC) 25.0 (24.4h); 440, 1-Rene DeSandies (Atoms) 57.4, 2-Judith Smith (TSU) 58.2...4-Pat Hawkins (Atoms) 61.2 (59.1h); 880, Judith Smith (TSU) 2:18.3, 2-Shelly Marshall (Atoms) 2:18.9; LJ, Fitzgerald 18'8½; Mile, Marshall 5:22.5; 440yR, 1-TSU 45.4, 2-MC 47.5; MedLR, 1-TSU 1:46.8, 2-Atoms 1:47.4. **Girl's Division:** 100, Marcia Cole (Male HS) 11.4; 440, Brenda Nichols (Atoms) 57.7, 2-Rene Evans (Atoms) 57.9; 80yH, Sharon Kirk (West Green) 10.9.

TSU DEVELOPMENT MEET

Nashville, Tennessee, April 7:-TSU should have quit while ahead. Good weather for the Southeastern AAU Championships on Friday, turned into rain and wind for the Development Meet on Saturday, the temperature of 72° for the first day falling to 47° on anchor day.

In spite of the disadvantages, some good performances took place. Theresa Montgomery sped to a 10.7 win in the 100, Connie Peterson hopped over 5'3 in the high jump, and the TSU relay teams, this time without the help of Iris Davis, had two more good marks.

RESULTS: Women's Division: 100mH, 1-Mamie Rallins (TSU) 14.3, 2-Lorraine Tummings (Atoms) 14.4, 3-Pat Hawkins (Atoms) 15.1 (14.5h), 4-Gale Fitzgerald (Atoms) 15.6 (14.9h); 100, 1-Theresa Montgomery (TSU) 10.7, 2-Pam Greene (MHFC) 11.1, 3-Veronica Harris (C) 11.3 (11.1h); 440, 1-Pat Hunter (TSU) 57.9; 440R/MedR, TSU 48.3/1:46.9, 2-Atoms 1:46.9. **Girl's:** LJ, Kim Schofield (Peoria TC) 18'1¼. Special Mile Run, 1-Cheryl Toussaint (Atoms) 5:04.0, 2-Paula Strack (Kettering) 5:09.9.

JANET BROWN OPENS WITH 10.4

Boulder, Colorado, April 14:-Janet Brown, heretofore always a bridesmaid in the US sprint world, served notice today that she will be hard to beat in 1973 as she opened her outdoor season with a sparkling 10.4 100y sprint at the 49th Annual Colorado Relays. Just a step behind was Pam Greene who was clocked in 10.5 a fantastic improvement for Pam who couldn't beat 11.1 in four races just a week earlier in Nashville.

Lucia Vaamonde won the other two women's events clocking a fine 14.4 in the 100m hurdles and winning the 440 easily in a lifetime best of 57.2s.

RESULTS: 100y, 1-Janet Brown (UCTC) 10.4, 2-Pam Greene (Mile High TC) 10.5, 3-Donna Washington (MHFC) 10.9, (wind 1.6mps); 100mH, 1-Lucia Vaamonde (UCTC) 14.4, 2-Desiree Gronwald (Boulder Cinderbellies) 14.9, 3-Jane Frederick (UCTC) 15.1; 440, 1-Vaamonde 57.2, 2-Heidi Davidson (UCTC) 58.6, 3-Jennifer Hughes (BC) 58.7.

KANSAS RELAYS

Lawrence, Kansas, April 21:-Two outstanding results came from the women's events at the Annual Kansas Relays as Rochelle Davis of Texas Women's University sped to a wind-aided 10.5 100y dash victory and Wendy Koenig had a fine 2:07.2 half mile win over Nancy Shafer.

100y, 1-Rochelle Davis (TWU) 10.5w, 2-Pam Greene (Mile Hi) 10.5w, 3-Janet Brown (UCTC) 10.6w; 880, 1-Wendy Koenig (TCG) 2:07.2, 2-Nancy Shafer (Canton TC) 2:10.0, 3-Barbara Lawson (YOG) 2:13.7, 4-Miki Hervey (Texas TC) 2:17.8.

LONG BEACH COMETS INVITATIONAL

Long Beach, California, April 15:-The Long Beach Comets staged their most successful Invitational in recent years on the dirt track at Wilson High School. A very close battle for team honors in the Women's Division was finally won by the Los Angeles TC with 97 points to 90 for visiting Mickey's Missiles. The feature race of the day, the 440 bringing together Marilyn Neufville and Wendy Koenig, fell flat as the Colorado runner was disqualified for two false starts although she was never warned or charged by the starter on the first miscue. Neufville had no trouble winning in a slow 57.8s. The combination of wind, slow track and late schedule did disaster to good performances, but the competition was keen.

Women: LJ, Renaye Bowen (MM) 19'0; JT, 1-Karin Smith (Un) 152'6, 2-Debbie Langevain (SCTC) 150'9, 3-Donna Dietrich (LJTC) 144'0, 4-Vicki Hallman (SDL) 138'8; 100mH, Chi Cheng (LATC) 14.5 - only runner to finish against 12mph wind; Two Mile, Cathy Buhlert (LomTC) 11:46.8; 400mH, 1-Wendy Koenig (TCG) 62.3, 2-Pia Haakason (LJTC) 63.4; 880, Ruth Kleinsasser (LATC) 2:12.9; 440, 1-Marilyn Neufville (LATC) 57.8, 2-Haakason 58.4; 440yR, 1-MM 47.7, 2-LATC 47.8; HJ, Cindy Gilbert (Un) 5'3; DT, 1-Monette Driscoll (LATC) 156'1, 2-Terry Sabol (SCTC) 134'0 and Debbie Langevain (SCTC) 134'0; Mile, 1-Judy Graham (LATC) 4:56.5, 2-Kleinsasser 5:08.2; Mile Walk, Jane Jaousek (SCC) 9:35.2; 100y, 1-Bowen (MM) 11.1 (10.8h), 2-Lorna Tinney (LJTC) 11.3 (11.1h) - Chi 11.1h, did not run final; 220, 1-Neufville 24.6, 2-Jackie Thompson (MM) 25.2, 3-Maurene Abare (MM) 25.8, 4-Koenig 25.8 - Chi 24.6h, did not run final.

14/17: HJ, 1-Chris Remmling (LJTC) 5'5, 2-Cathy Clarke (LJTC) 5'5; SP, 1-Kathy Devine (SDL) 40'6¼, 2-Emily Dole (LM) 40'4½; 100mH, Clarke 15.3; 400mH, Clydine Crowder (LMM) 64.9; DT, 1-Kelly Fuiks (CW) 118'6, 2-Dole 116'11; LJ, T. Griffin (LJTC) 17'7¼; 880, Karen Aleccia (OCGTC) 2:21.9; 100, Gail Douglas (LAJ) 11.3 (11.1h); 440, Theresa San Augustine (LBC) 57.7 (56.7h); 440yR, 1-LA Jets 49.0; 220, San Augustine 25.7 (25.5s); JT, Kelly Fuiks 145'8; Mile, 1-Mary Decker (BA) 4:52.6, 2-Suzanne DeCuir (LMM) 5:09.2, 3-Kathy Jewell (LBC) 5:09.9; 880yMedR, LA Jets 1:51.1; Mile Walk, Sue Brodock (SU RR) 8:00.9; MileR, 1-LBC 3:57.6, 2-SURR 4:01.6; 2MR, 1-Blue Angels 9:52.6, 2-SURR 10:19.2. Scores, 1-LBC 84, 2-LJTC 74, 3-SURR 73, 4-LMM 66. 12/13: Mile Walk, Becky Villalvazo (SURR) 8:57.2; DT, Bea Hunt (SURR) 98'3; 200mH, Connie Jackson (MesaTC) 29.6; HJ, 1-Debra Jones (SJV) 5'1, 2-Laurie Carman (SB) 5'1; JT, 1-Lisa VanBentham (LJTC) 115'5, 2-Raedean Rona (OCG) 112'7; 880, Becky Wolfinbarger (SCG) 2:22.6; 100, Jane Harding (LTC) 11.8; 220/440, Jan Fox (TCG) 26.4/58.8; 440yR, Mesa TC 50.3; LJ, Linda McQuarrie (LBC) 17'9½ - had series of 17'9¼-17'9¼-17'9½!; SP, Kelly Curran (TCG) 44'8½; Mile, Kathy Mintie (LMM) 5:10.7; 880yMedR, MM 1:55.0; Scores, 1-LJTC 59, 2-Mesa TC 53, 3-SURR 49 and SCC 49.

10/11: SP, Susan Springer (SV) 36'9¼; 50yH, Erin Pike (LM) 7.9; 440yR, West Vernon Jets 54.8; 880, 1-Penny Bridges (SU) 2:31.3, 2-Chris Stoiloff (LATC) 2:32.3; HJ, Lori Anderson (STC) 4'10; 440, 1-Corrine Nunez (SU) 65.5, 2-Debbie Kainz (SCC) 65.6; Mile, Donna Sanchez (SU) 5:29.5; 100/220, Debra Wilson (WVJ) 12.3 (12.2h)/28.0; Scores, 1-SURR 67, 2-WVJ 62. 9/Under: 880, Andrea Kirkhorn (LMM) 2:41.3; LJ, Signe Thompson (STC) 13'4½; 220, Latanya Dawkins (LAJ) 30.5; Scores, 1-West Vernon Jets 46, 2-Scottsdale TC 44, 3-Blue Angels 42.

DCD INVITATIONAL RELAYS

Albuquerque, New Mexico, April 14:-The Duke City Dashers held the First Relay Meet in New Mexico on the Wilson Stadium field and except for 20-40mph winds, the meet was a great success, a welcome change from the weekly standard meet.

Open Division: 400mH, Laurie Gilliland (DCD) 72.8; Mile, Sandy Balderston (DCD) 5:47.7; 3000m, Karen Crammond (AOC) 11:37.7; 440yR, Albuquerque OC 49.0; 880yR, 1-DCD 1:41.9, 2-AOC 1:42.7; MileR, 1-AOC 3:53.5, 2-DCD 3:57.4; TwoMR, 1-AOC 10:12.8, 2-AOC "B" 10:59.9; DT, AOC 301'0 (Barbara Butler 125'3); JT, Las Cruces Zephyrs 285'0¼; HJ, 1-AOC 15'8 (Katie Solon 5'4, Lisa Chiavario 5'4), 2-DCD 15'4; SP, AOC 95'0¼ (Butler 39'1¼); LJ, AOC 46'3¼. 12/13: 440yR, ArizTC 51.3; 880yR, 1-ATC 1:53.7; MileR, ATC 4:21.2; 2MR, DCD 10:14.8; HJ, DCD 14'6 (Ann Gilliland 5'0, Debbie Miller 5'0), 2-ATC 14'5 (Christine Brockhoff 5'5). 9/Under HJ, LaDonna Omori, ATC, 4'0).

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JULIE SHEA, 13, 4:55.1 MILE RECORD

Raleigh, North Carolina, April 25:-13 year old Julie Shea, daughter of a track coach, today set a new world age best for the mile run as she went through laps of 70.4, 2:26, 3:40.6 and 4:55.1s. The race, run on the North Carolina State track, was clocked by five AAU timers and bettered the old mark of 4:59 set by Debbie Roth of Oregon.

FLORIDA U TOPS STATE 69-56

Gainesville, Florida, April 21:-The University of Florida showed unexpected team strength in defeating the Florida State University women in their traditional annual battle by a score of 69-56. FSU's Peggy Reed took high point honors with wins in the 100, shot put and discus while Sharon Burgess had victories in the 880 and mile plus an exhibition two mile.

100/SP/DT, Peggy Reed (FSU) 12.2/36'2 1/4/110'6; 220, Leslie Smith (UF) 26.8; 440, Christie Stovall (UF) 62.2; 880/Mile/Ex2M, Sharon Burgess (FSU) 2:28.8/5:10.6/12:28.4; 100mH/200 mH, Carol Gauss (UF) 16.2/31.4; 440yR, UF 52.2; MileR, UF 4:50.0; JT, Susan Ray (FSU) 122'7; HJ, Nancy Lindblom (UF) 4'11; LJ, Joyce Dickinson (FSU) 16'3.

SCOTTSDALE TRACK CLASSIC

Scottsdale, Arizona, April 21:-Kelly Fuiks and Denise Gowdy were triple winners at the Scottsdale Track Classic as 305 athletes and 10 Clubs participated.

Open Division: 100mH/220, Linda Wright (ArizTC) 15.0/26.0; Mile Walk, 1-Sue Brodock (SURRE) 8:22.1, 2-Colleen Wiegert (Mesa TC) 9:26.4; 100, Mary Barnett (MTC) 11.4; 880, 1-Kathy Gibbons (GG) 2:17.5, 2-Anne Gallaher (PTC) 2:19.1; Mile, Kathy Gibbons 5:01.8; SP/DT/JT, Kelly Fuiks (CW) 37'3 1/4/112'1/137'8; HJ, Sylvia Wolf (CW) 5'0 1/2; scores, 1-MTC 255, 2-CW 91, 3-ATC 84. 14/15: 440yR/880yMedR/MR, Arizona TC 54.1/1:58.5/4:28.1; Mile Walk, Phyllis Trim (Pear's Peaches) 9:17.1; 100mH, Shelly Harris (CW) 15.7; 300mH/HJ, Jill South (PTC) 49.1/5'0 1/2; 100/220, Liz Van Houten (STC) 12.0/26.9; 440, Cindy Fredrickson (ATC) 61.5; 880, Marjorie Kaput (CTC) 2:30.0; Mile, Liz Dufour (ATC) 5:33.5; LJ, Gina Thorpe (CTC) 17'2; DT/JT, Donna Yarbrough (CTC) 98'11 1/2/113'1.

12/13: 440R/880yMedR, VOSTC 52.9/1:58.6; Mile Walk, 1-Becky Villavaza (SURRE) 9:37.5, 2-Karlene Waskow (SURRE) 9:45.0; 200mH/80mH, Renee Van Natta (STC) 30.4/12.9; 100, 1-Connie Jackson (MTC) 11.7, 2-Pam Secchiari (STC) 11.7; 220/440, Terri Harrell (MTC) 26.5/61.7; 880, Crystal Kartchner (MTC) 2:27.5; SP, Cindy Novack (ATC) 34'11 1/2; HJ, Cindy Mitchell (PC) 4'10 1/2; LJ, 1-Marina Chmelar (VOS) 16'8 1/2, 2-Pam Secchiari (STC) 16'8, 3-Sada McCoy (CTC) 16'7 1/2; DT, Kelly Richardson (CTC) 95'10 1/2; JT, Ellen Colleary (MTC) 102'5. 10/11: Mile Walk, Joyce Brodock (SURRE) 9:49.2; 50yH, Lori Anderson (STC) 8.3; 100/220/LJ, Denise Gowdy (MTC) 12.3/29.0/13'11 1/2; 440, Cynthia Rhodes (MTC) 66.7; Mile, Dawn Freeman (VOS) 5:37.7, 2-Pat Paul (STC) 5:39.2; HJ, Lori Anderson (STC) 4'6 1/2.

LAWSON 4:56.9 AT DRAKE RELAYS

Des Moines, Iowa, April 28:-Barbara Lawson, The Colorado Gold, won the feature women's race at the Annual Drake Relays when she pipped Brenda Webb in the mile, 4:56.9 to 4:57.1. Toni St. Pierre, Eisenhower High School of Bloomington, Minnesota, was a good third in 5:04.0, just edging Kettering's Joy Jarvis with a 5:04.4. The Iowa TC, with Mary Bruggeman zipping a 57.5 anchor leg, won the medley relay in 1:47.1 over Mayor Hatcher's YF of Gary, Indiana, 1:49.1. In the High School events, Debbie Carroll edged Faye Perkins in the 100 with both runner's clocked in 11.3 and Woodbine HS won the 440y relay in 50.0 flat.

METRO DEVELOPMENT

New York, NY, April 15: 12/13 100, 1-Kim Moore (PAL) 11.4, 2-Patsy James (PAL) 11.6; 220, Tesa Anderson (PAL) 27.6.

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MT. SAC RELAYS

Walnut, California, April 28/29:-The 15th Annual Mt. San Antonio Relays, held in usual Mt. SAC Relays weather - cold and more cold - produced some fine results and exciting races for the six thousand plus spectators who watched the Saturday portion of the meeting. Sunday, featuring only womens', masters and the final five events of the decathlon, brought out only the faithful parents and friends of the participants and one lone reporter.

Mable Ferguson won the 220 over a strong field as she came from behind over the final 60 yards to win narrowly over Marilyn Neufville, both runners clocked in 23.9s. Chi Cheng, running in lane four, had blasted past Ferguson and the rest of the field on the turn and looked like 1970 all over again, but tired in the stretch to finish third in 24.2, her best since 1970. Janet Brown, UCTC, holder of the nation's fastest 100y time to date (10.4) was fourth.

Neufville returned later to meet Wendy Koenig and Carol Hudson in the 440 and found the going tough over the last 50 yards and was nipped in the last stride by the Colorado girl, both stopping the watches in 54.8. Hudson had 55.9 for third while Debbie Roberson, running for the second time, (she beat Kathy Hammond in her first-ever 440 a few weeks ago), had too fast a first furlong and wound up at 57.9 in fourth.

As usual, the 12/13 880 had the crowd on its feet over the final 220 as Suzanne Keith, Becky Wolfenbarger and Kathy Mintie battled toe to toe with Mintie winning over Wolfenbarger in a fine 2:20.1 to 2:20.7 with Keith close by in 2:21.6s. Maybe someday meet directors will learn what races are crowd pleasers!

Running her best race since 1970, Chi Cheng annexed the 100m hurdles in 13.4 by a wide margin over Pat Donnelly (14.8) and Bobbette Krug (14.3). Daby Lansky was running in second spot, but fell over the 9th barrier.

After waiting all afternoon for the behemoths in the men's discus to finish their competition, Kathy Schmidt and Company finally got to throw the javelin in the dark and cold and the result was predicatable with Kathy getting off her poorest mark of the year, 184'5. Karin Smith was close behind at 171'7 and Donna Deitrich had her best throw of the year, 153'8.

Lucia Vaamonde won a poor long jump competition with 18'4½ and then proceeded to suffer a muscle pull in the open 440 which will keep her from competition for a few weeks. The HJ also failed to produce its expected glitter when no one could go higher than 5'6. Deane Wilson won it with Cindy Gilbert and Linda Hedmark, (who was looking forward to going back to Sweden in "just 17 hours"), third. Alice Pfaff and Jane Frederick could only get over 5'2.

Tiny Mary Decker won the mile over a strong field in the best mark of the year, 4:37.4s. She went to the lead soon after the gun and kept it all the way although challenged briefly over the fourth lap by Canada's Thelma Wright. Other topnotch runners in this race included Kathy Gibbons, Judy Graham and Margit Meier.

The Los Angeles Track Club won the final event of the afternoon when they took the mile relay with ease over the Albuquerque OC in 3:48.0s. Originally the LATC crew expected a tough race from the University of British Columbia foursome and the tough UCTC, but the Canadians failed to bring their top runners and Vaamonde's injury took the Coloradoans out of it and it was only a race until the third leg when Chi zipped off a 54.2 lap to make it easy for Marilyn Neufville to bring the baton home first.

Sue Brodock, Sports United Road Runners, continued her unbeaten ways as she annexed the 5000m walk in 26:29.0s.

SATURDAY RESULTS: 5000m walk, 1-Sue Brodock (SURRE) 26:29.0, 2-Dayna Gerth (SURRE) 27:54.3, 3-Esther Marquez (SURRE) 29:02.4, 4-Sheila Thompson (Oxnard TC) 29:33.1; 440, 1-Wendy Koenig (TCG) 54.8, 2-Marilyn Neufville (LATC) 54.8, 3-Carol Hudson (AOC) 55.9, 4-Debbie Roberson (LATC) 57.9, 5-Gail Turney 59.1; JT, 1-Kathy Schmidt (SCTC) 184'5, 2-Karen Smith (Un) 171'7, 3-Donna Deitrich (LJTC) 153'8, 4-Debbie Langevain (SCTC) 147'3, 5-Kelly Fuiks (Cactus Wrens) 144'4, 6-Diane Spangler (Un) 138'0; LJ, 1-Lucia Vaamonde (UCTC) 18'4½, 2-Diane Windle (LATC) 18'0¼; 220, 1-Mable Ferguson (WCJ) 23.9, 2-Neufville 23.9, 3-Chi Cheng (LATC) 24.2, 4-Janet Brown (UCTC) 24.3, 5-Janice Wiser (San Luis Obispo TC) 25.0, 6-Lorna Tinney (LJTC) nt; 12/13 880, 1-Kathy Mintie (IMM) 2:20.1, 2-Becky Wolfenbarger (SCC) 2:20.7, 3-Suzanne Keith (SURRE) 2:21.6, 4-Monique Gregoire (SCC) 2:25.2, 5-Tasch Hodgins (Canada) 2:25.7; HJ, 1-Deanne Wilson (SCTC) 5'6, 2-Cindy Gilbert (Un) 5'6, 3-Linda Hedmark (Un) 5'6, 4-Alice Pfaff (UCTC) and Jane Frederick (UC

TC) 5'2; 100mH, 1-Chi Cheng 13.4, 2-Bobbette Krug (Un) 14.3, 3-Pat Donnelly (SLOT) 14.8, 4-Wendy Koenig (TCG) 14.8, 5-Heidi Davidson (UCTC) 15.2; Mile Relay, 1-LATC (Roberson, Kleinsasser, Chi, Neufville) 3:48.0, 2-Albuquerque OC 3:51.1, 3-LB Comets 3:56.4, 4-SURRE 3:57.8, 5-Blue Angels 4:00.5s; Mile run, 1-Mary Decker (BA) 4:37.4, 2-Thelma Wright (Canada) 4:49.1, 3-Kathy Gibbons (Ariz) nt, 4-Judy Graham (LATC) 4:55.5, 5-Margit Meier (Canada) 4:59.0, 6-Ruth Kleinsasser (LATC) 5:00.2.

Walnut, California, April 29:-The Sunday portion of the Mt. San Antonio Relays saw fine competition in nearly every event as the Games Committee invited only the top athletes and eliminated heats and bulky entry lists. Probably the best of the women's events was the 880 which brought together an outstanding field including Thelma Wright, the Canadian Olympian, Judy Graham, Kathy Gibbons, Brigitta Larrson, Patty Cape, Wendy Koenig and Ruth Kleinsasser. Graham, Gibbons and Wright led most of the first lap, but in the third 220, Ruth Kleinsasser scorched a 31 second furlong and went into the lead with Wendy Koenig some 10 yards back at the 660 mark. Kleinsasser led into the home straight, but Koenig was not to be denied and poured it on to win in a good 2:08.7 while the 16 year old LATC star had her lifetime best in second at 2:10.7. Koenig came back to win the 400m hurdles in 61.7 over Clydine Crowder (63.1) and Dalal Ahmad (63.7), both lifetime bests.

Fresh from her win in the Boston Marathon, Jackie Hansen turned in a fine 10:45.2 two mile, with Nancy Ihrman and Debra Johnson also under the eleven minute mark. Carol Hudson continued her fine running as she trounced Theresa San Augustin in the 440 with 55.8 to 56.4s. Mable Ferguson maintained her unbeaten record as she scored easy wins in the two sprints at 10.7 and 24.5 and Jane Frederick, running once again after a nerve operation, came from behind over the last hurdle to nip Deby Lansky in the 100m event in 14.6s.

Mary Decker won the 14/15 half in 2:09.1 and her eligibility to compete in this Division after running in the Women's section the day before was evidently cleared. Kelly Fuiks won the discus and javelin and picked up a third in the shot.

Some outstanding marks were registered in the 12/13 Division. Kelly Curran of The Colorado Gold won the shot by more than six feet with a throw of 41'8 and the discus by an even larger margin at 107'1. Suzanna Keith scored an impressive win in the mile at 5:09.9, Laurie Carman high jumped 5'2 and Jan Fox sped the one lap in 58.3s.

It was more of the same in the 10/11 Division with the one mile run stealing the spotlight as Mari Gibbs and Chris Stoiloff, both of the LATC, tangled in a thrilling mile duel with Stoiloff, who was running her first mile of the year, winning in a fine 5:13.1s. All five placewinners produced lifetime bests in this race.

The same thing held true in the 9/Under 880 with the five placewinners all turning in lifetime bests with Carol Lantry winning in 2:36.9.

Hudson's 220 split in her 440 win was 27.0, while Koenig had 30.4 for the first half of her 400m hurdles.

RESULTS: Women's Division: 100mH, 1-Jane Frederick (UCTC) 14.6, 2-Deby Lansky (SLOT) 14.8, 3-Pat Donnelly (SLOT) 15.0; 220, 1-Mable Ferguson (WCJ) 24.5, 2-Debbie Roberson (LATC) 25.0; (Second section), Janice Wiser (SLOT) 24.8; 100, 1-M. Ferguson 10.7, 2-Janet Brown (UCTC) 10.8; (Second section) Rosetta Birt (LATC) 11.4; 440, 1-Carol Hudson (AOC) 55.8, 2-Theresa San Augustine (LBC) 56.4, 3-Cindy Roberge (Canada) 57.5; 2M, 1-Jackie Hansen (Un) 10:45.2, 2-Nancy Ihrman (Un) 10:53.1, 3-Debra Johnson (SURRE) 10:59.5; 400mH, 1-Koenig 61.7, 2-Clydine Crowder (LMM) 63.1, 3-Dalal Ahmad (PSF) 63.7, 4-Lisa Chiavario (AOC) 64.4; 880, 1-Koenig 2:08.7, 2-Ruth Kleinsasser (LATC) 2:10.7, 3-Thelma Wright (Canada) 2:12.4, 4-Brigitta Larrson (BA) 2:12.8, 5-Patty Cape (SCTC) 2:12.8, 6-Kathy Gibbons (GG), 7-Judy Graham (LATC); 440yR, LATC 47.7; JT, 1-Lynn Cannon (SacRR) 154'4, 2-Pat McNulty (Canada) 137'9; LJ, Martha Watson (LATC) 19'8; SP, 1-Jan Svendsen (SLOT) 45'10½, 2-Joan Pavelich (Can) 44'9, 3-Jane Frederick (UCTC) 41'2; Mile, 1-Suzanne DeCuir (LMM) 5:16.7, 2-Kathy Jewell (LBC) 5:17.2; DT, 1-Monette Driscoll (LATC) 153'2, 2-Pavelich (Can) 157'10, 3-Vivian Turner (LATC) 151'10, 4-Debbie Rivera (SCTC) 148'1, 5-Barbara Butler (AOC) 146'5.

14/15 Division: MileR, 1-AOC 4:03.5, 2-LATC 4:04.0; 300mH, 1-Effie Jordan (SURRE) 47.6, 2-Mary Lee Erickson (SCC) 47.8; 440yR, SC Cheetahs 51.2, 2-LJTC 51.5; DT, 1-Kelley Fuiks (CW) 113'3, 2-Emily Dole (LMM) 110'11; 440, 1-Lynn Hollis (SURRE) 57.7, 2-Lisa Gibbs (AOC) 58.1, 3-Julie Lake (LATC) 59.1; 220,

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MT. SAC RELAYS (Continued)

Kathy Keyes (BA) 26.2; LJ, 1-Toni Griffin (LJTC) 16'8", 2-Lisa Gibbs (AOC) 16'5"; 100, Jennifer Edmonds (Oxard) 12.2; SP, 1-Dole 43'0, 2-Maria La Ruz Gomez (Mexico) 37'8, 3-Fuiks 36'10; HJ, 1-Cathy Clarke (LJTC) 5'4, 2-Nancy Shallenberger (SBC) 5'2, 3-Chris Remmling (LJTC) 5'2; 880, 1-Mary Decker (BA) 2:09.1, 2-Lynn Hollis 2:15.2, 3-Cindy Ashby (AOC) 2:17.5; JT, 1-Fuiks 142'6, 2-Terry Blog (AOC) 115'11; Mile, 1-Cindy Rice (AOC) 5:17.3, 2-Sonia Gerth (SURRE) 5:22.7, 3-Sophie Rivera (SCC) 5:22.8, 4-Jan Meyer (LBC) 5:22.8; 100mH, 1-Cathy Clarke 14.8, 2-Erickson 15.7.

12/13 Division: 440, 1-Jan Fox (TCG) 58.3, 2-Jane Harding (Lomita) 60.8; JT, 1-Kelly Robertson (SCC) 123'9, 2-Loren Van Benthon (LJTC) 119'10, 3-Lisa Van Benthon (LJTC) 110'4....6, Lynne Van Benthon (LJTC) 97'0; 220, Teri Frye (Golden Valley) 26.3; HJ, 1-Lynn Carman (SBC) 5'2, 2-Juanita Barnett (SURRE) 5'0; 880yMedR, 1-SC Cheetahs 1:54.3, 2-LB Comets 1:54.4, 3-AOC 1:56.2; 440yR, LBC 52.9; Mile, 1-Suzanna Keith (SURRE) 5:09.9, 2-Becky Wolfenbarger (SCC) 5:20.1, 3-Monique Gregoire (SCC) 5:21.8; 80mH, Lori Krug (LJTC) 12.7; DT, 1-Kelly Curran (TCG) 107'1, 2-Cristi Pyle (CCS) 99'4; SP, Curran 41'8, 2-Bea Hunt (SURRE) 35'6"; LJ, Linda McQuarrie (LBC) 15'4".

10/11 Division: Mile, 1-Chris Stoiloff (LJTC) 5:13.1, 2-Mari Gibbs (LJTC) 5:19.5, 3-Michelle Waters (SURRE) 5:20.4, 4-Donna Sanchez (SURRE) 5:20.8; HJ, Candy Acres (SBC) 4'6; 50yH, Erin Pike (LMM) 8.1; 440yR, Orange Coast TC 56.3; 880, 1-Becky Howell (LJTC) 2:34.7, 2-Tracey Hughes (OCTC) 2:36.5; 440, 1-Debbie Kainz (SCC) 63.5, 2-Janet Ballard (WCJ) 64.7; LJ, Jannette Windle (Un) 15'0"; 880yMedR, SURRE 2:02.3.

9/Under Division: 880, 1-Carol Lantry (BA) 2:36.9, 2-Danielle Mojica (SCC) 2:37.4; 440yR, SCC 61.2; 440, Cimi Ruderman (SURRE) 72.4; 880yR, 1-BA 2:12.7, 2-WCJ 2:14.9.

PAA PENTATHLON

Millbrae, California, May 5: Women's Division: 1-Lisa Kinimaka 31.75, 2-Lori Anderson (Salinas) 224.0. 12/13, 1-Lynne Marchi (United San Juan) 276.1, 2-Roberta Hodges (SJC)

Millbrae, California, May 5: Women, 1-Lisa Kinimaki (SJC) 31.75, 2-Lori Anderson (Salinas) 224.0; 12/13, 1-Chris Shawhan (WS) 293.1, 2-Sandy DeVitt (Salinas) 289.4. 10/11 Triathlon, 1-Susan Springer (SV) 1477. 9/Under, 1-Jody Mark (OTC) 894. Special events: JT, 1-Lynn Cannon (Chico State) 149'4, 2-Linda Langford (ML) 137'1, 3-Kathy ulinski 127'11; DT, 1-Langford 143'5, 2-Ranee Kletchka (ML) 139'7.

REGION 1 DEVELOPMENT

West Point, New York, March 25: 14/Over: 100/220, Pat Helms (Clippers) 11.6/25.8; 880, 1-Betty Cuthbert (Padukies) 2:16.2, 2-Helms 2:16.8; Mile, Cuthbert 5:26.7; 400mH, Jan Chapman (Pad) 69.6; Mile Walk, Lorraine Crawley (Gateway TC) 9:08.9.

METRO DEVELOPMENT

Bronx, New York, May 6: 9/Under: LJ, Chevelle Hartridge (Mercury Striders) 12'11"; 12/13, 100, 1-Kim Moore (PAL) 11.5, 2-Rise Gist (PAL) 11.7, 3-Juanita Williams (PAL) 11.7; 220, 1-Moore 27.2; 440, Regina Coiro (Long Isl) 63.7; LJ, Williams 15'6; Women: 100/220, Denise Hampton (PAL) 11.0/26.5; 440yR, PAL 51.7.

BEST MOTHER/DAUGHTER LIST by Andrew Huxtable

Recently we ran Andrew Huxtable's latest statistical effort, a best list of sisters combination. Now he is working on a mother/daughter combination and to date has only four events covered. If you have knowledge of mother/daughter results in any event, please forward them to WTFW.

100m Maria Dollinger 11.8 and Brunhilde Hendrix 11.6
200m Maria Dollinger 24.9 and Brunhilde Hendrix 23.9
100mH Kave Shankey 15.1 and Shauna Kyle 15.3
HJ Marjorie Okell 1.57/5'1" and Pauline Harris 1.55/5'1"

WHERE'S WENDY (Continued)

qually or there is no reason for them.

"The AAU sent four (4) notices to all District Chairmen regarding entry procedures and the need for qualification. It was also printed on the entry blank. I therefore feel that only certified people should have been allowed to compete. I certainly have enough to do without adding meaningless work."

(Signed) Roger Simpson
AAU Statistician

Who were the 17 placewinners who, according to the Official Statistician, had not qualified to participate in the National Championships? 440-Hammond, Neufville (Hey, that's my athlete!), A'Harrah; 880-Toussaint, Campbell; Mile, Heald, Roth; Mile Walk-Olson, Entis, Bocci; 60yH-O'Neal, Neal; HJ-Wilson; LJ-Watson, McLain; SP-Svendson, Seidler. In addition, the following took part in the heats and were eliminated - they, too, were not on Mr. Simpson list of qualifiers: 60-Greene, Helms; 220-Stroy; 440-West, Scott, Hudson, Helms; 60yH-Krug, Halgrimson, Poirer and Carmen Brown.

Will we have this same problem for the Outdoor Nationals? It is time those in charge communicate with the coaches and athletes giving specific and explicit instructions. Note I say communicate with the "coaches and athletes" - not with the District Chairmen who may receive such information and sit on it without distributing it to those who are vitally concerned. Time is slipping past and the Nationals will soon be upon us. Let us know - what is the procedure. We want the best USA team possible for our International competition so let's not have anyone ruled out on a technicality.

So, who's to blame and how do you enter an athlete properly? I entered Neufville in the Indoor Championships, listed her 440 mark, where it was made, what the date was. Yet her entry was illegal. Who is responsible for getting the marks to the National Statistician? Surely not the coaches of the athletes for some coaches have been known to stretch marks a bit. Who is responsible? Is it the meet directors or is it the District Chairmen? Let's have the royal scoop from the administrators so things can be coordinated and we can get our best athletes entered legally into the National Championships this year and all the years to come.

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 10.6* Fran Sichtung (SEORE)
 10.7x Orien Brown (TexS)
 10.7x Chi Cheng (LATC)
 10.7 Theresa Montgomery (TSU)
 10.7x Carol Cumming (PraView)

220 Yards

23.4* Fran Sichtung (SEORE)
 23.9 Mable Ferguson (WCJ)
 23.9 Marilyn Neufville (LATC)
 24.1 Theresa Montgomery (TSU)
 24.2 Chi Cheng (LATC)
 24.3 Janice Wiser (SLOTC)
 24.3 Williamae Ferguson (WCJ)
 24.3 Debra Edwards (Houston)
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440 Yards

54.5 Marilyn Neufville (LATC)
 54.6 Debra Sapenter (Prarie View)
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2:07.2 Wendy Koenig (TOG)
 2:09.1 Mary Decker (BA) 14y
 2:10.0 Cheryl Toussaint (Atoms)
 2:10.0 Nancy Shafer (Canton TC)
 2:10.4 Birgitta Larsson (BA)
 2:10.7 Ruth Kleinsasser (LATC)
 2:11.8 Beth Warner (Ohio TC)
 2:12.8 Patty Cape (SCTC)
 2:13.3 Barbara Lawson (TOG)
 2:13.5 Judy Graham (LATC)
 2:13.6 Anne Gallaher (Phoenix TC)
 2:13.9 Jeanne Abare (MM)

1500 Meter Run

4:25.7 Mary Decker (BA) 14y
 4:29.9 Judy Graham (LATC)
 4:31.1 Barbara Lawson (UCTC)
 4:36.0 Cheryl Toussaint (Atoms)
 4:39.6 Brenda Webb (Kettering)
 4:40.1 Vicky Eberly (SJC)
 4:40.2 Nancy Ihrman (Phoenix TC)
 4:41.6 Paula Strack (Kettering)
 4:42.7 Eileen Claugus (WS)
 4:44.6 Carol Hudson (AOC)
 4:48.7 Tina Anex (WS)
 4:49.2 Joy Jarvis (Kettering)

One Mile Run

4:37.4 Mary Decker (BA)
 4:54.0 Kathy Gibbons (Glen Gauchos)
 4:55.1 Julie Shea (Un) 13y
 4:55.5 Judy Graham (LATC)
 5:00.2 Ruth Kleinsasser (LATC)
 5:04.0 Cheryl Toussaint (Atoms)
 5:07.2 Kathy Minte (LMM) 13y
 5:08.9 Vicki Clark (Cameron TC)
 5:09.2 Suzanne DeCuir (LMM)
 5:09.9 Paul Strack (Kettering)
 5:09.9 Kathy Jewell (LBC)
 5:09.9 Suzanna Keith (SURRE) 13y
 5:13.1 Chris Stoiloff (LATC) 11y
 5:13.7 Lisa Gilliland (DCD) 11y

3000 Meter Run

9:30.8 Eileen Claugus (WS)
 9:52.5 Francie Larriou (SJC)
 10:04.8 Amy Haberman (SJC)
 10:15.7 Tina Anex (WS)

100 Meter Hurdles

13.4 Chi Cheng (LATC)
 13.9 Mamie Rallins (TSU)
 14.1 Bobbette Krug (Un)
 14.1 Pat Donnelly (SLOTC)
 14.4 Pat Hawkins (Atoms)
 14.4 Lorraine Tumblings (Atoms)
 14.4 Lucia Vaamonde (UCTC)
 14.5 Gale Fitzgerald (Atoms)
 14.5 Carmen Brown (Atoms)
 14.5 Deanne Carlsen (SacRR)
 14.6 Jane Frederick (UCTC)
 14.6 Cathy Clarke (LJTC)
 14.8 Wendy Koenig (TOG)
 14.8 Deby Lansky (SLOTC)

400 Meter Hurdles

59.1 Wendy Koenig (TOG)
 63.1 Clydine Crowder (LMM)
 63.3 Heide Davidson (UCTC)
 63.4 Pia Haakason (LJTC)
 63.6 Anne Gallher (Phoenix TC)
 63.7 Dalal Ahmad (Pal Springs)
 64.4 Lori Poppy (Mesa TC)
 64.4 Lisa Chiavario (Alb OC)
 65.1 Ethis Hunter (Mt.View Striders)
 65.3 June Smith (SITC)

Two Mile Run

10:45.2 Jackie Hansen (Un)
 10:53.1 Nancy Ihrman (Phoenix TC)
 10:59.5 Debra Johnson (SURRE)
 11:04.6 Kathy Gibbons (GG)
 11:14.0 Doreen Assuma (SURRE)

Long Jump

19'11³/₄x Renaye Bowen (MM)
 19'8 Martha Watson (LATC)
 19'7⁷/₈* Fran Sichtung (SEORE)
 19'1¹/₄ Diane Windle (LATC)
 18'8¹/₂ Gale Fitzgerald (Atoms)

Shot Put

46'0¹/₂ Jan Svendsen (SLOTC)
 44'9¹/₂ Denise Wood (Un)
 43'0 Emily Dole (LMM)
 42'4 Desiree Gronwald (Boulder C)
 42'0 Kathy Devine (SDL)
 42'0 Judy Lane (WS)
 41'2 Jane Frederick (UCTC)
 40'10¹/₂ Bonnie Williamson (Flathead)
 40'10 Renee Kessler (Flathead)
 40'3³/₄ Lynn Cannon (SacRR)

High Jump

5'8¹/₂ Cindy Gilbert (Un)
 5'8¹/₂ Joni Huntley (Un)
 5'8 Audrey Reid (TexWU)
 5'8 Linda Hedmark (Un)
 5'7 Gale Fitzgerald (Atoms)
 5'6 Hackett (YWCA)
 5'6 DeAnne Wilson (SCTC)
 5'5 Kathy McQuillan (WS)
 5'5 Christine Brockhoff (ArizTC) 12y
 5'5 Chris Remmling (LJTC)
 5'5 Cathy Clarke (LJTC)

Discus Throw

164'7 Monette Driscoll (LATC)
 151'10 Debbie Langevain (SCTC)
 151'10 Vivian Turner (LATC)
 148'1 Debbie Rivera (SCTC)
 146'7 Terry Sabol (SCTC)
 146'6 Barbara Butler (AOC)
 145'10 Jan Scendsen (SLOTC)
 143'5 Linda Langford (ML)

Javelin Throw

205'6 Kathy Schmidt (SCTC)
 171'7 Karen Smith (Un)
 168'7 Lynn Cannon (SacRR)
 163'3 Barbara Friedrich (Shore AC)
 155'6 Susan Armstrong (Jones HS, Tex)
 155'3 Debbie Langevain (SCTC)
 153'8 Donna Dietrich (LJTC)
 151'5 Denise Sherrill (LATC)
 145'8 Kelly Fuiks (Cactus Wrens)
 143'10 Kathy Devinse (SDL)

4x110 Relay

45.4 Tennessee State University
 46.1 Prarie View
 47.1 Dryades TC, Texas
 47.1 Texas Women's University
 47.2 Texas Southern University
 47.3 Los Angeles TC
 47.5 Motor City TC
 47.6 Mickey's Missiles
 47.8 Alcorn A&M
 47.9 Ravenswood Juliettes
 47.9 Los Angeles Jets

4x220 Relay

1:35.9 Tennessee State University
 1:37.0 Atoms TC
 1:39.6 Motor City TC
 1:41.4 Berkeley TC
 1:41.9 Duke City Dashers
 1:42.7 Albuquerque OC

4x440 Relay

3:46.8 Prarie View
 3:48.0 Los Angeles TC
 3:51.1 Albuquerque OC
 3:55.4 Duke City Dashers
 3:56.4 Long Beach Comets
 3:57.6 Dryades TC, Texas
 3:57.8 Sports United RR
 3:58.2 San Jose Cinderbells
 3:58.4 Texas TC
 3:59.0 Wills Spikettes

Distance Medley (440-880 1320-Mile)

11:54.8 Los Angeles TC
 12:03.4 Wills Spikettes
 12:29.5 San Jose Cinderbells

4x880 Relay

9:30.4 Blue Angels
 9:33.2 Sports United RR
 9:52.4 San Jose Cinderbells

Pentathlon

3175 Lisa Kinimaka (San Jose Cinderbells)

4 x One Mile Relay

20:47.5 Wills Spikettes
 21:39.0 San Jose Cinderbells

Sprint Medley (220-110-110 440)

1:40.6 Prarie View
 1:44.2 West Coast Jets
 1:45.6 Dryades TC, Texas
 1:46.2 Texas Southern
 1:46.2 Texas Women's University
 1:46.8 Tennessee State University
 1:46.9 Atoms TC
 1:47.1 Alcorn A&M
 1:47.4 Texas TC

YORDANKA BLAGOYEVA

Interview with Yordanka Blagoyeva, indoor and outdoor world record holder in the high jump, taken from Der Leichtathlet, East Germany, for 5 April 1973. Courtesy of "Track and Field News".

Yordanka Blagoyeva, born 19 January 1947; 5'8½ and 139 pounds; teaches sports; married and has a son. Interview by Klaus Fiedler:

- Q: When were you actually the Bulgarian record holder for the first time?
- A: In 1965. At that time I jumped 1.69/5'6½. The first jump over 1.70/5'7 came two years later. From then on it went slowly forward for me; in 1969 I was over 1.80/5'10½ and in 1972 over 1.90/6'2½.
- Q: And when will 2.0m fall?
- A: I am no prophet. We will probably see the first woman's 2.0m jump before Montreal.
- Q: From Yordanka Blagoyeva?
- A: Why not? I have now found the correct combination of run-up, jump and straddle technique. The 2m entices me.
- Q: Who else do you think could jump 2m?
- A: Gusenbauer, Witschas, Kirst-Schmidt, Hubnerova - and possibly a few others.
- Q: You named only jumpers who use the straddle. Was that intentional?
- A: I have more confidence in straddle jumpers. They perform steadily. The flop jumpers are dependant on the situation. Of course it is possible one of them could do it - but personally, I don't believe it.
- Q: At 1.74/5'8½, you really are no giant among jumpers. Is that a disadvantage?
- A: Valeriy Brumel jumped 43cm/1'5" higher than his own height. Why shouldn't we women do as well? The height isn't always decisive. A lot of things are necessary to make a good jumper.
- Q: You performed so assuredly in Rotterdam, (at the European Indoor Championships). Weren't you interested in what the other jumpers were doing?
- A: Certainly it interested me, but I didn't let it affect me. I had my plan, and I followed it. From that came the certainty of my condition. I wanted to jump at least 1.90/6'2½ in Rotterdam. I turned myself on. And then turned it off...
- Q: Is it always so easy to do?
- A: Of course not. I believe that the world record in September gave me a lot of confidence. Now I enter a competition much more relaxed than I used to.
- Q: And what do you think about during the competition?
- A: You will laugh---often I think of eating. I like to cook and many times I think about things that I am going to cook.
- Q: Is there a potential Bulgarian to follow you?
- A: Happily the high jump for women is very popular. Perhaps there is a girl somewhere that will follow in my footsteps. Until then I want to keep on jumping. That two meters....

Body Height/Cleared Height differentials for the 1972 season. (By Elio Trifari)

Athlete	Body Height	Cleared Height	Dif.
Yordanka Blagoyeva (Bul)	1.74/5'8½	1.94/6'4½	7½"
Andrea Matay (Hun)	1.62/5'3¾	1.80/5'10¾	7"
Miloslava Huebnerova (CS)	1.69/5'6½	1.87/6'1½	7"
Rita Schmidt (GDR)	1.75/5'8¾	1.90/6'2¾	6"
Magdolna Komka (Hun)	1.70/5'7	1.85/6'0¾	6"
Michiko Inaoka (Jap)	1.62/5'3¾	1.76/5'9¾	5½"
Audrey Reid (Jam)	1.71/5'7¼	1.84/6'0¾	5¼"
Silvia Massen (Ita)	1.65/5'5	1.78/5'10	5¼"
Ilona Gusenbauer (Aut)	1.81/5'11¼	1.93/6'4	4¾"
Erika Rudolf (Hun)	1.73/5'8	1.84/6'0¾	4¾"
Maria Mracnova (CS)	1.72/5'7¾	1.83/6'0	4¾"
Ellen Mundinger (GFR)	1.71/5'7¼	1.82/5'11½	4¾"

(Note - Figures are scored metrically, hence the difference in inches measurements.)

ISRAEL MEET; ROT II.3

Tel Aviv, Israel, April 28:-Esther (Shachamurov) Rot won the 100 meters over a fine field here today with a personal best of 11.3 as she edged West Germany's Inge Helten (11.3) and Elfgerde Schittenhelm (11.6). Gisela Ellenberger, GFR, won the 800 over Ellen Tittle, 2:12.7 for both runners, and Liesel Westermann tossed the discus 178'5 to win her specialty.



YORDANKA BLAGOYEVA, Bulgaria, World Record Holder for both Indoor and Outdoor High Jump.

CANADIAN WARM-UP

Brantford, Canada, May 6: 100m, Marg MacGowan 12.1; 400, Nancy Dodd 57.9; 800m, Gail Moore 2:25.5; 3000m, Donna Churchill 10:14.2; 4x800mR, Scarboro Lions 9:38.8; 4x200mR, SL 1:42.0.

BRAGINA RUSSIA'S TOP ATHLETE from 'Sportsworld'

Little gymnast Olga Korbut may be the Olympic darling of the rest of the world, but inside the Soviet Union she is way down the list in post-Munich popularity.

Her teen-age pyrotechnics in the Munich floor exercises may have boosted gymnastics among the young in other parts of the world, but she is a distinct second to multi gold medalist Ludmilla Turischeva in that sport alone.

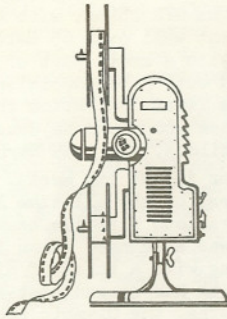
But when it comes to being heroines of the Soviet Union in Russian eyes, both Turischeva and Korbut are beaten out of sight by 29 year old Ludmilla Bragina, 1500m gold medalist who broke her own world record every time she ran in Munich. She is still receiving an average of 100 letters a day asking for details of her training and secrets of her competitive success.

Ludmilla appeals because she is not a glamour girl and holds out hope for those who enter athletics comparatively late in life. "I only began training properly when I was 21 and my example shows that it is never too late to start sport", she says. Never physically strong, she was often ill as a girl, but as an athlete she does not stint herself. "One must be able to take defeat, and struggle against failure, tiredness, opponents and the weather to do oneself justice."

"There is no training formula except to do it hard and regularly. My personal record is covering 13½ miles in a session and I run about 100 miles a week. But that would not suit everybody".

Although she was beaten in a world indoor mile by America's Francie Larrieu recently, Ludmilla did not consider it anything other than an early training spin.

Her sights are set higher; "My next target is the European Championships in 1974 - and, of course, I hope to be back at the Olympics in Montreal," she says.



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Major 1973 meets now confirmed include: Pacific Conference Games (Pan-Pacific Games) June 27-28, Toronto; Maccabiah Games, July 9-19, Israel; World Deaf Games, July 21-28, Malmo, Sweden; Central American and Caribbean Championships, July 25-29, Maracaibo, Venezuela; European Cup, September 8-9, Edinburgh; South American Championships, October, Santiago, Chile; Asian Championships, November 18-23, Manila....Fran (Auer) Sichtung, now at Southwestern Oregon Community College, has been making a big splash in publicity and in rankings with her performances as a member of the men's track team at the college. She already has marks of 10.2 (wind aided), 23.4, 19'7½ and a relay leg of 55.0s. She is not, however, the only or the first female to compete with a men's college team. Dalal Ahmad has been running hurdles for the College of the Desert for the past two years, Kathy Lawson runs for her University, Biola College has a girl half miler. Our Claremont-Mudd team ran against three women in dual meets this year....One of our all-time favorite people, Anne McKenzie of South Africa, won the 400m at Bellville recently in 60.5 - Anne is ~~not~~ 47....Add to 1972 USA List a 9:58.0 two mile relay by Sports International....Leah Ferris, one of the pioneers of women's distance running in the USA a decade ago, recently ran a 4:55.6 1500m and on March 4, 1973, was the first female finisher in the Honolulu marathon in 3:33:00.

More additions to 1972 US List: 100mH, Mamie Rallins 13.3, at Munich August 8....Add to World List, 100mH, 12.6 by Valeria Bufanu (Rum), at Poiana Brasov, August 19....To help a good cause and a fine person, send your contribution for expenses for Glenna Stephens to attend the World Deaf Games to USA Committee - WGD Fund (Glenna Stephens), 6349 Dorchester Ct, Carmichael, Cal, 95608. Must be received by June 15. In 1968, Glenna placed fifth in the WGD in the 800 in Yugoslavia and is, of course, much better and stronger now....The 1974 National Collegiate Championships will be held at Oregon State College....Add indoor marks, Sue Parks, 2:32.8 for 1000y at Detroit, March 24....The "World Record" for Barbara Lawson for the 1000y set at Boulder is now officially a "Yeoman's error", the blame taken by Lyle Knudson who admits to hitting the '2' instead of the '3' in Lawson's 2:35.1 (not 2:25.1) race....South African Heidi de Kock, 13 years, jumped 5'7¼ for a world age best on March 24....

Kelly is the name. At the Mt. SAC Relays, Kelly Fuiks won the 14/15 javelin and discus; Kelly Robertson won the 12/13

javelin and Kelly Curran won the 12/13 shot and discus.... Mary Peters' coach, "Buster" McShane was killed recently in a car accident....The Republic of China's Lee Chiu-Hsia, who set national records in both the 800 and 1500 at Munich, was hit with a hammer during a recent workout and has been hospitalized. The implement struck her on the hip and put her out of the Korean Games held in mid-May and possibly the Asian Championships in November....Teri Anderson is alive and busy in Kansas. She ran a 10:34.1 two mile indoors on February 17 at Manhattan. On March 4, she won the 1000y at the Big 8 Championships, left the city at ten in the evening, arrived in St. Louis at 3:30 in the morning, reported to the starting line for the Memorial Marathon at 6:30 AM and finished the marathon in 2:53:40 - just 180 seconds off Cheryl Bridges world record....

Liberty AC claims one of the 'tall ones' with Kathy Smith, their premiere 440 runner, stretching more than six feet into the ozone....Speaking of Liberty, Kathy Whitcomb has been accepted at University of Colorado for next year - more power to Lyle Knudson's squad....1968 Olympian Sharon Callahan has announced her engagement to John McKniff, former Claremont-Mudd high jumper. They will be married in August....England's Barbara Inkpen is now Barbara Lawton....Kathy Switzer now has completed a total of 19 marathons....Is that the record?... Effective in September 1973, the California high schools will permit girls to participate in ALL or ANY sport....Kathy Lawson reports she is enjoying her freshman year at the University of Massachusetts - and that her starts have improved!...Debbie Heald is still in a cast, still trying to cure the aches and pains of tendonitis....More indoor additions: For 500y, Theresa San Augustine ran 66.2 at San Diego....We were wrong in stating the 1973 WTFW Annual edition was the first to carry complete statistics - Luigi Mengoni reminds us that he provided these same stats for the 1970 issue....

We thought only the USA was full of "politics" and petty bickerings, but now we understand Canada has appointed a head coach for their women's team to the University Games in Moscow whose institution does not even have a women's team. Is it true Canada's voting power lies with the eastern bloc and there is a concerted attempt to keep western coaches off the teams?...Australia has already chosen its team for the Pacific Games. The team includes Raelene Boyle, Judith Canty, Angela Cook, Gaye Dell, Jane Keen, Erica Nixon, Jennifer Orr, Charlene Rendina, Petra Rivers, Denise Robertson, Jennifer Symon and Lynette Tillett - that javelin duel with Rivers and the USA's Kathy Schmidt should be a good one....

JAN POPPER REPORTS ON OLYMPIC DISCUS

Exactly twelve discus throwers made the qualifying standard of 55 meters/180'5 in the September 9 morning session, with British evt Rosemary Payne, an Olympic novice despite her age of 39, being the last one with a third round effort of 55.56/182'3. The Olympic record mark of 58.28/191'2 was almost equalled by Liesel Westermann in the very first throw of the competition, and then was shattered by Menis with 61.58/201'9 and bettered again by three other qualifiers: Tamara Danilova, Gabrielle Hinzmann and last but not least, Faina Melnik who managed it on her second try, the first being a very disappointing slip of 53.00/173'10.

Nevertheless, there were some sentimental disillusiones as five-time Olympian Olga Connolly, honored by bearing the USA flag in the Opening Ceremonies, tried hard, but unsuccessfully. Olga, a popular and not egotistic captain of the US woman's squad, involved herself in many off-track activities, including a stop-the-bombing petition and a constant pledge for bettering the training conditions of her teammates. Now she failed in the ring, doing 51.58/169'2, a foul and 50.76/166'0; but let us remember, that no other mother of four reached Olympic participation this time in any event under such limited training and free-time possibilities as the Melbourne champ had. Thank you, Olga.

In contrast to that qualification round, which lasted from 10:30 until 11:11, the September 10 final, the last field event of the Games, was a tiring affair. From 1500 to 1621, the discus throwers had to battle not only against each other, but also against a tricky wind, against an up-coming cold wave and against constant disturbing factors from other events. In fact, only for a short period, up to Westermann's first long, but foul throw, the public was fully aware of the goings on in the discus ring. After that, only peripheral attention was possible and this came in the pauses between the other eight final contests of the closing day.

One has to bear in mind that never before the 1972 season have more than two women bettered 60 meters/196'10 in the same competition. Therefore, with six throwers exceeding 60 meters as early as round three, in the very tough wind conditions and in the biggest competitive fight in four years, the standard was really sensational. In fact, a last round effort by the youngest finalist, Carmen Ionescu, born 28 July 1951, a Bucharest student coached by her father, increased the number to seven. Lia Manoliu's 58.50/191'11 exceeded her winning mark and Olympic record set at Mexico by 22cm/9", but was too short to ensure her a place among the best eight to move her into the final rounds.

Nearly everyone expected a three-way fight between Melnik, Menis and Westermann. The GFR champ, with a flash-like rotation, sent the implement well over 65 meters/213', but stepped over the ring edge with a small part of her shoe-point. Foul. And, as it turned out, a bad decision against Westermann. But then came the first indication that the favored trio weren't the only ones who could be dangerous in this big competition. Tamara Danilova, the 1969 European champ and

always a tough competitor in the big meets, whirled out a toss of 62.64/205'6. fifth best on the all-time list and a decimeter better than her previous lifetime best. Vassilka Stoyeva, whose body weight was announced as an improbable 105 kilo or 231 pounds, came along with a throw of 61.08/200'4. Black-haired Menis answered with her second best-ever throw - 64.28/210'10. In fifteen minutes, the Olympic record climbed almost three meters/10 feet. Although Melnik's next throw was rather disappointing, it was still over the 60m mark, 60.56/198'8.

In round two, Westerman did poorly, (by her standards) and was in danger now of being 9th and eliminated from the final. Stoyeva fouled a throw which was well beyond the 60m mark. Hinzmann climbed to 5th place with 59.14/194'0, Menis did only marginally farther this round, but Melnik went into action at over 61 meters - 61.32/201'2, which still left her only in third place. Round three saved Westermann, whose 62.18/204'0 surprisingly was her best of the entire afternoon. And Lyudmila Muravyeva, Soviet champ of the sixties, finally eliminated the defending champ, Manoliu, with her 59.00/193'7 effort. Her teammate, Danilova, added another bit to her initial improvement and looked now like a medal winner. But shortly after, Stoyeva exploded unpredictably with a long, long toss close to the 65 meter line - 64.10/210'7, a two-meter improvement of her record and a distance bettered only by the two "M's" in their best days. Menis was in the lead by a mere 8 cms/3", and so, after Hinzmann's significant 60.12/197'3 throw, everyone was eager to get at the leaders. Menis did "only" 60.88/199'9, but Melnik did even poorer - 57.96/190'2, and was now in fifth position.

Those who closely follow this event were understandably upset and confused. Of course, Faina Melnik's habit of being a very inconsistent thrower during each competition with her concentration on one or two big explosions was familiar to the experts, but the question mark in this battle was not the nerves or form of Faina, but the opposition. Where were the limits of the two Balkan-based challengers whose strength exceeded by far anyone known in the discus circle both in terms

DISCUS THROW RESULTS	Qual (Sept 9)		Final					
1-Faina Melnik (SU)	53.00	61.26	60.56	61.32	57.96	66.62	63.76	Foul
	173'10	200'11	198'8	201'2	190'2	218'7	205'11	
2-Argentina Menis (Rum)	61.58		64.28	59.82	60.88	65.06	63.78	64.90
	202'0		210'10	196'3	199'9	213'5	209'3	212'11
3-Vassilka Stoyeva (Bul)	Foul	55.26	61.08	Foul	64.20	62.24	64.34	62.10
		181'3	200'4		210'7	204'2	211'1	203'9
4-Tamara Danilova (SU)	60.34		62.64	58.14	62.86	61.16	Foul	Foul
	197'11		205'6	190'9	206'2	200'7		
5-Liesel Westermann (GFR)	58.26		Foul	57.04	62.18	61.66	Foul	Foul
	191'1			187'1	204'0	202'3		
6-Gabrielle Hinzmann (GDR)	59.80		57.52	59.14	60.12	61.08	61.72	60.22
	196'2		188'8	194'0	197'3	200'4	202'6	197'7
7-Carmen Ionescu (Rum)	Foul	57.82	58.80	58.76	57.06	59.08	Foul	60.42
		189'8	192'11	192'9	187'2	193'10		198'2
8-Lydmila Muravyeva (SU)	55.24		57.78	57.92	59.00	Foul	58.86	57.20
	181'2		189'6	190'0	193'7		193'1	187'8
9-Lia Manoliu (Rum)	55.88		58.18	58.50	Foul			
	183'4		190'10	191'11				
10-Svyetla Bozhkova (Bul)	54.52	56.42	56.50	56.72	Foul			
	178'10	185'1	185'4	186'1				
11-Brigitte Berendonk (GFR)	54.74	56.90	55.60	Foul	56.58			
	179'7	186'8	182'5		185'7			
12-Rosemary Payne (GB)	Foul	53.56	55.56	56.50	Foul	52.26		
		175'8	182'3	185'4		171'5		
Josephine dela Vina (Phi)	51.08	Foul	53.92					
	167'7		176'11					
Radostina Vasekova (Bul)	Foul	Foul	53.86					
			176'8					
Krystyna Nadolna (Pol)	Foul	47.42	52.52					
		155'7	172'3					
Olga Connolly (USA)	51.58	Foul	50.76					
	169'2		172'3					
Maggy Wauters (Bel)	49.62	Foul	Foul					
	162'9							

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of visual appearance and the tons of weight they handled so easily in the closely followed weight-lifting sessions prior to the Games. Thoughts of 70 meters/ 230' flashed through the minds of the experts. Could it happen now?

Well, Olympic contests are certainly not the best grounds for discus records is the usual accepted saying. But wait! Look what happens in round four. Westermann, Danilova and Hinzmann all threw solid 61 meters, Stoyeva again bested her pre-Games record with 62.24/204'2 and at 1555, Menis added almost a meter to her leading mark with a splendid 65.06/213'5. Remember, the world's first 65 meter throw was made a mere 14 weeks earlier. Then Faina stepped into the ring, recalling all of Kim Bukhantsev's advice to her during the long training sessions prior to the Games. Her effort resulted in an excellent delivery which this time overcame all the wind effects in the stadium completely. The discus came down far beyond Menis' Olympic record flag at 66.62/218'7, a mere 14cm under the world record, certifying Faina's fantastic fighting qualities. Melnik won it, moving from fifth place - the same position Ludvik Danek had before his winning effort in the men's event some days earlier. But Danek did it in the last round while here Melnik had to wait through two more rounds as her super opponents took dead aim at the now leading mark.

With her own last two tries clearly on the declining side, Melnik watched the fouls of Danilova and Westermann, the solid improvement of Hinzmann, and the all-out efforts of her nearest contenders from the Balkans intensively. The agricultural school graduate from Sofia and the mother of a son, Stoyeva, added to her best in round five, reaching 64.34/211'1, then settled down to a "mere" 62.10/203'9 on her last throw for an unexpected and joyously appreciated bronze medal. Menis fought excellently, driving for 63.78/209'3 on her fifth and 64.90/212'11 on her last attempt for an admirable six throw average of 63.12/207'1 - a distance bettered by only four other throwers in history - not four throwers with a better average, but only four throwers with solo throws beyond that distance.

All three conquerors smiled broadly and enjoyed a good atmosphere of relaxation, typical of the discus-throwing fraternity (or sorority), afterwards. Stoyeva received most pleasant words from Melnik and Menis as she was the surprise of the event. And for a moment, Menis spoke of the future: "Maybe next time..." And just a few weeks later, as a sort of consolation - she did get the world record. But for Olympic gold she must wait for Montreal.

KARIN BURNELEIT

Former world 1500m record holder Karin Burneleit, GDR, was for a long time only a spectator in track and field athletics. At the beginning she only practised in obligatory sports at school in Tollow, Wismar district, and later in Grevesmuhlen where she successfully concluded the 12-year extended secondary school. This was followed by her apprenticeship as a gardener, which she concluded by obtaining the skilled worker's certificate.

Then she started her university studies in Berlin and attended several general student sport training sessions. Her sports teacher at the university, Kurt Salk, also noted the plans Karin had in the field of sports. He registered her moderate performances attained in secondary school over 100 meters (14.8) and the long jump (14'9"). He also nodded assent when she said, "I would like to practice the long jump, I like it", but then he asked her to run a round on the sports ground, then to walk a round, then to run one again - altogether six rounds. Karin Burneleit, 20 years old at the time, did not stick to this instruction. She ran all six rounds without interruption. "That was decisive", Kurt Salk recounted later. "I was convinced she would become a middle-distance runner."

Karin completed her first 800 meter race in the winter of 1963 indoors. Shortly before her start, Kurt told her: "I have nominated you for the 800 meters. Here are the running shoes with spikes..." Karin was afraid like a young filly. "I am to run with spiked shoes? I have never worn any before. And over 800 meters..." She finished second in the race and her time was 2:27.0s.

Just the same, it took years until Karin lost her doubts and her inferiority complex and became self-confident in her performances. The breakthrough came at the 1968 European indoor championships in Madrid. There she won the 800m final in a manner which she likes till this day - immediately at the



start she took over the lead and defended this position to the finish.

In 1969 Karin Burneleit interrupted her training and competition program. She gave birth to a son. A year earlier, at the Olympic Games in Mexico, she was eliminated from the competition in the second round heat over 800 meters. Her old friend and trainer, Kurt Salk, voiced the opinion then: "Karin's future is in the 1500m run. At that distance she is best able to run away from any pursuers because she has perseverance and she can fight."

She fulfilled this vision in August of 1971 in the 1500 final at the European Championships. In a tactical and very clever race, and supported by her teammates Gunhild Hoffmeister and Regina Kleinau, she had the greatest reserve of strength at the end and won the title and the world record in the final spurt. "I was not tired at all when the race was over", she

"I was not tired at all when the race was over", she said afterwards: "Only when Gunhild came over to me and said that I had run the world record did I realize the speed we had actually made."

Karin Burneleit, Born 18 August 1943 in Gumbinnen; Height 5'5", weight 112 pounds, Occupation: Gardner, student of education. Honors: Participant 1968 Olympic Games in Mexico; winner 800m 1968 European Indoor Championships; 1971 European 1500m champion and world record-holder.

Annual Progression	800m	1500m
1964 (21)	2:16.5	x
1965 (22)	2:10.3	x
1966 (23)	2:07.3	x
1967 (24)	2:06.3	x
1968 (25)	2:03.3	x
1969 (26)	Interrupted	
1970 (27)	2:02.2	4:12.2
1971 (28)	2:00.9	4:09.6
1972 (29)	2:01.7	4:04.1



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HIGH SCHOOL TRACK RICHARD EDE, Editor

Probably the biggest news anywhere this month was a California Interscholastic Federation ruling allowing girls to compete on heretofore boys' teams in varsity sports. Azusa's Ruth Kleinsasser and Corona del Mar's Jennifer Walt have already announced plans to take their school up on it. Ruth ran a 2:14.0 half at the Arcadia Invitational and a 2:10.7 at the Mt. San Antonio Relays (to atone for a slowish half mentioned here last month), and Jennifer has jumped 5'6" this year.

Since the last issue, I have received several letters from coaches across the country wanting to know how their girls stack up with other "high school level" competitors. I hope that by publishing marks achieved in high school competition, rather than open AAU, (although there is a great deal of overlap) this column might serve to provide some relatively objective standards for comparison.

Southern California schools are heading toward the first-ever CIF (Southern Section) T&F Championships for girls on May 19 and 25, (in conjunction with the boys' championships). Although we go to press before the entry deadline, we do have a mixed bag of qualifying standards to report. Some of the standards sound a bit tough considering the number of schools with high-powered programs, (220-27.8, 80yH-12.5), while others seem designed to allow a rather large representation, (100-12.3, 880-2:45, 8#SP-30'), but the remainder seem representative of the state of the sport: 440-66.0, Mile-5:50, LJ-15'6", HJ-4'6", 4x110-54.0, Medley Relay 2:04. The results should make for interesting reading next month.

Results from two invitationals and a scattering of marks have come in from around California. The Arcadia Invitational, in addition to Kleinsasser's 880, also produced a series of fine marks. The 100 registered five girls with 11.6 or 11.7 clockings led by Jardon from Muir or Pasadena. In spite of placing two others in addition to the winner in the 100, Muir lost the 4x110 relay to Laguna Beach, 51.0 to 51.1. Ventura HS was well represented as Boatner and Lewis went 1-2 in the 440, (61.9, 62.8) and 2-3 in the 880, (2:24.5 and 2:26.1). The Farrell sisters from Ventura went 1-3 in the high jump at 5'1" and 5'0", split only by Arcadia's own Farrell at 5'0" - making for a most unusual result: 1-Farrell, 2-Farrell, 3-Farrell! Valencia's Ilertson threw 41'5" to win the shot by more than 8 feet. One of the most interesting runs of the evening was Alhambra's Mary Lee Erickson's 59.2 anchor on the medley, coming after the second and third runners collided and fell. Royal ran away with the race in 1:52.1. Four jumpers were over 16 feet in the long jump led by University's Czony at 16'9".

In the other Relay Carnival, the Chino Relays, Upland parlayed sprint speed to a relays title as host Chino won the combined boys' and girls' sweepstakes. Girls' runnerup Claremont dipped their fourth quartermiler under 65 but unfortunately the mile relay is not a recognized event. Ontario Christian HS boasts a great sprint squad led by Angela Wind, (12.1w hurdles).

Former high jump great (5'8") Sharon Callahan, forced into retirement by recurring knee problems, is keeping her hand in as assistant coach at La Serna HS. Some of her talent must have rubbed off as she has two jumpers over 5'0" consistently in Rosetta Birt (5'2") and Karen Amende (5'3"). Birt is also an 11.0 sprinter while Maureen Radcliffe has covered the half in 2:26.

Reports from outside California: From James Milligan, Council Rock Schools, Newton, Pennsylvania:

"Girl's track and field is a new and upcoming sport here in Bucks County, Pa. We do not have the large population to draw from like our neighbors in Philadelphia, but the interest is running high and the turnouts have been very good. We had 140 girls sign up for the spring season, not bad for a sport that is not "recognized". This is our second year of competition. As of this date girl's track still remains a do-it-yourself effort. The State of Pennsylvania has not yet taken girls track under its wing and locally we must fend for ourselves. We haven't reached the level of the Los Angeles Track Club or the Atoms, but at least we have produced an area of interest for young girls." (Despite running in the snow -Ed.) Mr. Milligan lists some excellent times: Junior LeeAnne Plessner (11.5, 27.5, 6.4), senior Chris Atkinson (16'4"), sophomore Betsy Belmont (63.5 indoors in her first-ever 440), sophomore Judy Fetterolf (93'6" discus).

From John Carroll, Lawrence HS, Falmouth, Mass:

"I would like to volunteer some information about our program in Falmouth. We have the following girls and their 1973 performances: Patti Barr, senior, 11.6/26.2/61.0; Michelle

Dufresne, sophomore, 7.2 (50yHO); Cindy Shepherd, junior, 59.2/2:21.9/5:22.0(i); Sue Nowak (senior) 103'6" (DT); 880Medley, 1:53.6. "We have a few other good girls in this state; Claudia Graham (Melrose HS) has run 5:20.4 and Kathy Whitcomb of Somerville HS ran 5:15.3 indoors. I am sure there must be others...Falmouth has won the State HS Girls' XC meet for the past two years and was New England AAU Women's team champion this year. We ended up 7th at the Jr. Nationals this year at Kettering, Ohio."

From Carl H. Phillips, Washington, DC: "The Annual Eastern HS Relays held three events for girls teams. Coolidge HS won two of the three races, with Roosevelt HS winning the other and placing second behind Coolidge in the other two. 440yR, Coolidge 51.3, Roosevelt 52.8; 880R, Coolidge 1:50.0, Roosevelt 1:50.2; 880 Medley, Roosevelt 1:53.9, (Brinkley 59.1).

"The Marc Jenkins Relays was another example of how women's track is pushed to the background when run in conjunction with men's events, (Ed note - see above CIF ruling for California). The top three teams were put in different heats. The 440, 880 and medley relays were run back to back as were the hurdles relay and the mile relay.

"An outstanding performance was turned in by Sandra Upshaw of Roosevelt. In the 440 relay, Sandra received the baton 5 yards behind Jackie Taylor, (6th in the Girl's national 100), and came within a half step of catching her. In the next event, Sandra ran 25.7 over 220 yards. Then she ran a 110 leg on the medley relay in the next event. Later on, she ran the third leg of the hurdles relay and finished with a lap in the mile relay. 440yR, Coolidge 52.3; 880yR, Coolidge 1:49.3; 880yMedR, Coolidge 1:55.2; shuttle hurdles (400y, 4 hurdles), Eastern 56.8; MileR, Coolidge 4:31.0s.

From Gerald Christensen, Thunderbolt TC, Kansas: "I am sure you will be interested to know the progress of the Kansas girls and some significant times and distances. The State has over 340 high school girls track teams out of a possible 410 high schools. Last year over 5000 girls competed in a state-wide program. Summer track is excellent with several track teams providing continued motivation. Lincoln HS, Mankato and Dighton High Schools have three of the primary sprinters in Leesa Wallace (10.9/25.5/57.8), Diane Grout (10.7 as a sophomore, third place winner in the USTFF 100), and Charmane Smith (11.0/25.3/58.8/18'5", a junior), respectively. Inman HS has Cheryl Freisen who jumped 4'6" indoors.

"Junior High track is equally big in Kansas with many girls competing".

From Rotary Relays, Manchester, Tennessee: "The 3rd Annual Rotary Relays were a tremendous success. Held on the all-weather track at Coffee County Stadium in Manchester, Tennessee, the third edition of the Relays attracted 50% more entries than last year. Seventeen senior high schools and fifteen junior high school were entered with a total participation of 317 girls. Six new meet records were established.

Changes in this year's format included the substitution of the 110y (100m) hurdles for the 80y hurdles and the inclusion of the mile run.

A unique feature continued to be the Team Decathlon wherein ten different girls from the same school compete in ten different events. Points are earned based on performance with the team compiling the highest number of points being the winner. Hillsboro HS of Nashville replaced David Lipscomb HS also of Nashville, as the Team Decathlon winner.

A team from Ringgold, Georgia, was entered in the Relays making this meet the first inter-state girl's track meet held in Tennessee. Best results included: 440yR, Hillsboro 52.4; Jr HS 440yR, New Providence 53.2; 110yH, Sherry Salley (Church Hill) 16.2; 50y, Deborah Young (Shelbyville) 6.5; 880, Chris Skinner (Hillsboro) 2:27.2; 220, Sally Clunan (Hillsboro) 27.4; Jr HS 440, Ann Rego (Du Pont) 63.7; DT, Janie Seat (Lipscomb) 105'6"; HJ, Laura Ward (H) 5'4" and Carla Tart (Manchester) 5'4".

From Myron Glass, Lourdes High School, Rochester, Minnesota:

"Girl's track and field in Minnesota has grown by leaps and bounds in the past four years. Public and private school meets have been held for the last three years. One of the stronger high school teams in the State is Rochester Lourdes. The Rochester team boasts four sprinters who have run under 12.2 in the 100y dash and have a strong 4x110 (53.3) and 4x 220 (1:52.6) relay teams. They also have three half milers who have run under 2:35. Carmen King is a State champion with a best time of 2:29.0s.

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Lourdes is also strong in the field events. Cathy Mueller and Marriane Wente have both cleared 5 feet in the high jump. Laurie Frey is giving the team strength in the shot by throwing the 8 pound ball over 33 feet.

Because track and field has been growing so fast in Minnesota, it can do nothing but continue to improve.

I liked Ruth Kleinsasser's answer when she was asked if she intended to take advantage of the new California ruling and compete for her high school's varsity cross country team. She said she certainly would run with the boys. For two reasons: first, the boy's race is a mile shorter than the AAU women's race and second, she could be number two on the high school team but only number five on her women's Club team.

Iowa HS Marks: Julie Olson, 220 24.8 (24.6hw), 100 11.1, 440 58.9; Vicki Schoer (sophomore) 220yH 29.5, 100mH 14.5.

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LATE NEWS

MAY DAY INVITATIONAL

Newberg, Oregon, May 5:-Fran Sichting, Southwestern Oregon Community College, was the only female competitor taking part in the May Day Invitational as six college teams participated. Fran was 4th in the 100 at 10.8, second in the 220 in 23.9, unplaced in the long jump with 19'1 and, according to reports, made up 10 yards on the anchor leg of the 440y relay to win it for her team in 45.2.

KING GAMES

Durham, North Carolina, May 12:-100y, 1-Iris Davis (TSU) 10.5, 2-Theresa Montgomery (TSU) 10.6, 3-Pat Johnson (Club Northwest) 10.6, 4-Mamie Rallins (TSU) 11.0; 440, 1-Robin Campbell (SITC) 54.5, 2-Montgomery 55.2, 3-Hunter (TSU) 56.6; 100mH, 1-Johnson 13.2, 2-Rallins 13.5, 3-Neal (Phil Hawks) 13.6. (No wind informatin; complete results next issue.)

VANCOUVER RELAYS

Vancouver, Canada, May 5:-The 25th Annual Vancouver Relays, held on the Brockton Oval, featured teams from Canada and the USA and produced some interesting results:

JT, 1-Laurie Kern (Kajacks) 145'2, 2-Joyce Hombel (Club Northwest) 142'6; DT, Lynette Matthews (Falcon TC) 142'2; 800 meters, 1-Maureen Crowley (Simon Fraser U) 2:10.5, 2-Thelma Wright (UBC) 2:10.5...4-Debbie Roth (OreTC) 2:13.7...7-Vicki Foltz (Falcon TC) 2:15.1; 200mH, Jill Pelland (VTC) 29.2; 4x400mR, Vancouver OC 3:57.1...3-Falcon TC 4:03.3; LJ, Penny May (UBC) 18'3/4; SP, Matthews 44'3/4; 100mH, L-Patty Johnson (CNU) 13.6, 2-Wendy Taylor (VOS) 14.4; 100m, 1-Marj Bailey (Kaj) 11.7, 2-Joyce Sadowick (SFU) 11.9, 3-Johnson 12.0; 4x800mR, 1-UBC 9:15.4...4-Falcon TC 9:46.4; 4x100R, SFU 48.0; HJ, Sharon Williams (VOC) 5'6.

TWU COLLEGIATE CHAMPS

Hayward, California, May 13:-Texas Women's University scored heavily in the sprints and relays to capture the 1973 Women's National Collegiate Track and Field Championships.

Sprinter Rocheille Davis clocked 10.6 to win the 100 and lead TWU to the title with 64 points. Davis placed second in the 220 behind Pam Greene as both runners clocked 24.7s.

For the third straight year, TWU and Cal State Hayward gobbled up the first two places in this meet. In 1971, TWU won with Hayward second. Last year it was the California team first and TWU second. This time TWU won it with 64 points and CSH was second with 40. Cal State Los Angeles was third with 28 points.

(Complete coverage in next issue.)

LAKEWOOD SPORTS CARNIVAL

Lakewood, California, May 5:-Highlights of the Lakewood Spartans Sports Carnival, (full results next issue): 100/LJ, Martha Watson (LATC) 10.9/20'7/4w; 880, Patty Cape (SCTC) 2:16.9; DT, Monette Driscoll (LATC) 157'5; SP, Jan Svendsen (SLOT) 45'10/4; JT, Kathy Schmidt (SCTC) 202'11; (Girl's), HJ, Sandy Goldsberry (LATC) 5'4; Mile, Mary Decker (BA) 4:52.9.

ORINDA INVITATIONAL

Orinda, California, April 28/29:-32 Clubs plus a team from British Columbia took part in the Eighth Annual Orinda Invitational.

Women's Division: 100m, 1-Patti Loverock (BC) 12.0, 2-Creola Miller (Ravenswood) 12.1, 3-Debbie Byfield (Berkeley TC) 12.2; 220m, 1-Marjorie Bailey (BC) 24.2, 2-Joyce Shaddwick (BC) 24.5, 3-Byfield 24.9, 4-Miller 25.0; 400m, 1-Cindy Poor (SJC) 56.0, 2-Kathy Weston (WS) 56.2; 800m, 1-Maureen Crowley (BC) 2:11.8, 2-Francie Larrieu (SJC) 2:16.7, 3-Eileen Claugus (WS) 2:18.8; 1500m, 1-Brenda Bachelor (BC) 4:39.5, 2-Vicky Eberly (SJC) 4:45.4, 3-Amy Haberman (SJC) 4:47.0, 4-Tina Anex (WS) 4:51.5; 3000m, 1-Claugus 9:47.6, 2-Anex 10:06.0, 3-Val Eberly (SJC) 10:14.4; 100mH, 1-Wendy Taylor (BC) 14.3, 2-Cherrie Sherrard (SacRR) 15.1; 400mH, Jill Pelland (BC) 66.4; Mile Walk, Welmer (WS) 9:00.2; 440yR, 1-BC 46.9, 2-Berkeley TC 48.1; 880yMedR, BTC 1:46.4, 2-BC 1:48.4; MileR, 1-BC 3:55.4; 2MR, WS 10:25.0; HJ, 1-Sharon Williams (BC) 5'7, 2-(tie) Beth McQuillan and Kathy Mc uillan (WS) 5'4; SP, 1-Iva Wright (Fresno Elans) 39'7/4, 2-Dottie Trimble (Un) 38'8/4; DT, 1-Linda Langford (ML) 145'4, 2-Renee Kletchka (ML) 144'3, 3-Wright 131'3; JT, 1-Laurie Kern (BC) 156'1, 2-Langford 131'3.

14/15: 100m, Viola Johnson (BTC) 12.7; 200m, Pam Medlund (BC) 26.0; 400m, Medlund 57.3; 800m, Ulla Hansen (BC) 2:21.5; 1500m, Hansen 5:03.0; 3000m, Pam Allen (Lassen) 10:14.7; 100m H, D. Davidson (Cordova Dusters) 16.2; 300mH, Lori Anderson (Salinas Valley) 49.1; Mile Walk, Joanna Zurieg (SJC) 9:56.7; 440yR, Millbrae Lions 51.2; 880yMedR, BC 1:52.6; MileR, SJC 4:15.0; 2MR, Millbrae 9:56.6; HJ, 1-Pam Blackburn (Palo Alto) 5'5, 2-Lise Kinamaka (SJC) 5'4; LJ, Brenda Robins (BC) 17'5/4; SP/DT, Debbie Haynes (Fresno Elans) 37'10/4/113'5; JT, Cathy Sulinski (ML) 115 0.

12/13: 100y, Yolanda Allen (ML) 11.9; 440, Lezil Peterson (Santa Cruzers) 60.1; 200mH, Kim Burgess (BTC) 30.5; Mile, Penny Reneau (Un) 5:28.7; Mile Walk, Chris Sakelarios (Redwood City Flyers) 8:25.5; 880yMedR, SJC 1:54.0; HJ, 1-Chris Shawhan (WS) 5'2, 2-Tammy Fraley (Hanford) 5'1; LJ, Arlene Sells (Salinas Valley) 16'3/4; SP, Marta Kuehl (SV) 35'3/4; DT/JT, Joyce Springer (SV) 93'5/91'5/4. 10/11: 100y, Rosilyne Smith (BTC) 12.0; 440, Nanett Rianda (SV) 63.0; 50yH, Susan Phillips (CD) 8.4; Mile, Marian Franklin (ML) 5:32.5; Mile Walk, Barbara Backes (ML) 9:51.7; 440yR, Richmond Lions 55.3; SP, Susan Springer (SV) 36'11/4. 9/Under: 100y, Vanessa Patrick (RL) 13.0; 440yR/880yR, Richmond Lions 59.4/2:15.7.

SOUTH AFRICA MARKS

Potchefstroom, April 21-23: 100/200, Van Straaten 11.4/23.0; 1500, Van Zyl 4:22.8; 100mH, Joubert 13.4 (Rec); HJ, Peters 5'7/4; DT, Nel 168'0; 400, Coetzee 52.7 (Rec); 800, Coetzee 2:05.9, Van Zyl 2:07.5; 200mH, de Lange 26.7 (Rec); LJ, P. Coetzee 19'8/4; JT, Maree 172'4; 4x400, South-Transvaal 3:42.8 (Record).

Johannesburg, April 27: 100/200, Van Straaten 11.6/23.1; 100mH, Joubert 13.6.

CHEETAHS INVITATIONAL

Walnut, California, May 13:-Incomplete results from the Cheetahs Invitational: (Complete results next issue): Mary Decker, Blue Angels, had an outstanding triple, winning the 880 in a lifetime best 2:07.8, the 440 in a lifetime best at 55.3 and a flight of the 220 in another lifetime best of 25.2; Chi Cheng won the 100m hurdles over Deby Lansky 13.6 to 14.3, won her heat in the 100 over Martha Watson in 10.8 and was leading the 100 final when her right leg gave way and she suffered either a muscle pull or in injury to the bone; Watson went on the win the 100 in 10.6 and also won the long jump at 19'3 and the 220 in a wind-aided 24.0, a lifetime best, over Renaye Bown and Jackie Thompson; Marilyn Neufville was a close third in the 100 at 10.9 and won the 400m hurdles in her first-ever try at that event in 63.5; Sue Brodock dipped under eight minutes in the mile walk, winning in 7:57.7; Jan Svendsen won the shot over Joan Paveloch 47'2/4 to 46'9 and then the two reversed places in the discus, Pavelich throwing 158'10 to 141'9 for Jan; Chris Remmling hopped over 5'6 in the girl's high jump and had three good tries at a new National Girl's record of 5'8/4; Kathy Schmidt threw the javelin 198'11 for another impressive performance.

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