

37th. SOUTHEASTERN CONFERENCE TRACK AND FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS
TOM BLACK TRACK ----- KNOXVILLE, TENNESSEE
May 16, 17, 1969

(artifacts)
70° Taster track

PRELIMINARIES

Shot Put (6 Qualified to finals)

Chip Kell (Tenn) 54-5. John Morton (Fla) 54-0. Tom Johnson (Ky) 53-3.
Van Polidoro (Ala) 52-11. Mike Gorham (Fla) 51-7. Robert Struppeck (LSU)
51-5.

NON-QUALIFIERS: John Courtney (Fla) 47-2. Rocky Heath (Aub) 51-0.
George Jensen (Tenn) 49-10. Barry Erwin (Auburn) 50-10. ~~Baron~~ Drew
Baron (Tenn) 50-1. Jim Brooks (Ala) 50-8.

Javelin (Qualify 6 to Finals)

Bill Skinner (Tenn) 250-7. Bruce Beal (Miss St.) 220-0. Barry Phillips
(Ala) 216-6. Woody Bozelle (Fla) 213-4. Kendal Dial (LSU) 207-8.
Mike Burton (Fla) 205-11.

NON-QUALIFIERS: Tom Bolig (Fla) 164-0. Thomas Rohland (Vandy) 160-2.
Steve Chisholm (Tenn) 162-6. Steve Greenbaum (Tenn) 152-2.

Skinner's mark broke SEC record set by Skinner in 1968, 238-4.

Long Jump (Qualify 6 and ties to finals)

Mike Burton (Fla) 23 - 2 $\frac{1}{4}$. Grover Howard (Fla) 22-7 $\frac{3}{4}$. Jack Marsh
(Aub) 22-6. Ronnie Morris (LSU) 22-6. Chris D' Orazio (Tenn) 22-5 $\frac{3}{4}$.

~~Ron Coleman (Fla) 22-3 $\frac{1}{4}$. Micky Jones (Aub) 22-3 $\frac{1}{4}$. Steve
Keltner (Tenn) 22-3 $\frac{1}{4}$. (These tied for 6th place)~~

NON-QUALIFIERS: Thomas Shearon (Vandy) 19-11 $\frac{1}{4}$. Woody Bozelle
(Fla) 22-2. Mike Brannon (Aub) 21-9 $\frac{1}{4}$. Tom Fisher (Tenn) 22-2 $\frac{1}{4}$.
David Roberts (Miss) 22-1 $\frac{1}{4}$. Tom Bolig (Fla) 20-8 $\frac{1}{2}$. J. B. Wilson
(Miss. St.) 21-8 $\frac{1}{4}$. David Parrish (Aub) 21-6. Jim Parr (Aub) 21-1 $\frac{3}{4}$.

120 High Hurdles (Qualify 4 from each heat to finals)

HEAT 1: ~~Bill High (Tenn) 13.8. Steve Keltner (Tenn) 13.9. Tom Huey
(Ala) 14.4. John Stenglien (Miss. St.) 14.6.~~

NON-QUALIFIERS: Wayne Vondenstein (LSU) 14.7. Jim DeVerry (Fla) 14.7
Stuart Jackson (Aub) 15.5.

HEAT 2: ~~Richmond Flowers (Tenn) 13.5. Bob Ball (Tenn) 14.0.
Don Chandler (Ga.) 14.2. Steve Richards
(Aub) 14.3.~~

NON-QUALIFIERS: Mike Patterson (Ala) 14.3. Joe Schiller (Fla.) 14.4.
Bob Matthews (Tenn) 14.9.

Flowers' mark broke record, 13.6, set by Flowers in 1968.

440 Dash (Qualify 4 to finals from each heat)

HEAT 1: Al Coffee (LSU) 46.1. Hardee McAlhaney (Tenn) 46.4. Dale Gibson (Miss. St.) 48.0. James Tuggle (Ga.) 48.1.
NON-QUALIFIERS: Fred Marjenhoff (Tenn) 48.8. Alvin Seale (Ala) 49.1. Jim Dyson (Fla) 49.4. Bruce Belcher (Ala) 50.5

HEAT 2: Gary Womble (Tenn) 47.4. Willard Keith (Ky) 48.0. Mike Bouche (LSU) 48.1. Bill Ballinger (Fla) 48.1
NON-QUALIFIERS: Rick Bowers (Tenn) 48.7. Greg Tack (Tenn) 48.8. Jeff Burnette (Ga) 49.1. Douglas Spencer (Ala) NT

Coffee's mark broke record, 46.4, set by Hardee McAlhaney (Tenn) in 1968.

100 Yard Dash (Qualify 3 to finals from each heat)

HEAT 1: Gary Wagner (Tenn) 9.4. Richmond Flowers (Tenn) 9.7. John Carter (LSU) ~~9.7~~ 9.7
NON-QUALIFIERS: Steve Bell (Ala) 9.7. Kenny Littlejohn (Fla) 9.9. Steve Richards (Aub) 9.9. Ernie Cope (Aub) 9.9. Bob Gallagher (Fla) 10.1.

HEAT 2: Rusty Hight (LSU) 9.6. Tommy Brown (Fla) 9.6. Dickie Chandler (Ala) 9.7.
NON-QUALIFIERS: Bill High (Tenn) 9.9. Robert Maxwell (Aub) 9.9. Billy Erb (Miss) 9.9. Gee Lee (Tenn) 9.9. Mark Whitmore (Fla) 10.1.

windy
HEAT 3: Carl Hight (LSU) 9.4. Roger Carson (Fla) 9.5. Bobby Baker (Aub) 9.6
NON-QUALIFIERS: Andy Bennett (Tenn) 9.8. Danny Parker (Ky) 9.9. Gary Roy (Ala) 9.9. Ricky Lenoir (Miss) 10.0. Phil Combest (Fla) 10.2

Times in first and third heats were ruled wind-aided and therefore no records are allowed. Record involved Tom Black Track ~~9.5~~ 9.5

880 Yard Run (Qualify 4 and fastest 5th from heats)

1:51.1

HEAT 1: Larry Kelly (Tenn) 1:51.1. Eamon O'Keefe (Fla) 1:52.1. Mike Wheatley (LSU) 1:51.2. Frank Betts (Fla) 1:52.7. Bob Halliburton (Tenn) 1:52.9
NON-QUALIFIERS: William Sanders (Vandy) 1:54.0. Jim Pratt (Aub) 1:54.8. Jeff Samuel (Ala) 1:55.1. Eddie Baxter (Ga) 2:04.0.

HEAT 2: James Craig (Tenn) 1:49.5. Bob Lang (Fla) 1:51.5. Butch Stewart (Tenn) 1:52.4. Ken Burnsed (Fla) 1:52.5.
NON-QUALIFIERS: Joe Joyce (Ala) 1:53.4. Rusty Brents (LSU) 1:53.4. Jim Crawford (Miss. St.) 1:56.0. John Kipp (Aub) 1:59.1. Richard Adams (Ky) ~~1:59.2~~ 1:59.2

Biscus (Qualify 6 to finals)

~~Les Rager (Tenn) 156-4. Robert Struppeck (LSU) 156-10.~~

John Morton (Fla) 168-4. John Casler (KY) 166-1. Richard Conley (Ky) 161-2.
Mark Lumpkin (LSU) 157-11. Robert Struppeck (LSU) 156-10. Les Rager (Tenn) 156-4.
NON-QUALIFIERS: Tom Carmichael (Tenn) 151-2. Barry Erwin (Aub) 154-3.
John Courtney (Fla) 145-10. Ted Stewart (Ala) 150-5. Wade Brantley (Ga.) 135-3.
Bob Romer (Fla) 141-0. Ricky Heath (Aub) 141-0.

440 Intermediate Hurdles (Qualify 4 from each heat to finals)

HEAT 1: Jerry Fannin (Fla) 51.9. Steve Keltner (Tenn) 53.0. Tom Huey (Ala) 53.7
Keith Roussel (LSU) 54.3.
NON-QUALIFIERS: Tim Oakes (Fla) 54.3. David Burner (Tenn) 55.1. Barry Lints
(ky) 55.4. Milton Bresler (Aub) Disqualified.

HEAT 2: C. J. Fowlkes (Fla) 53.3. Jim Cutler (Tenn) 53.9. Jack Voss (Tenn)
54.5. Larry Fenley (Ga) 55.0.
NON-QUALIFIERS: John Stenglien (Miss. St.) 57.4. David Warner (Tenn) 55.5.
Carter Beavins (Ky) 59.7. Mike Patterson (Ala) Disqualified.

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220 Yard Dash (Qualify 3 from each heat to finals)

HEAT 1: Carl Hight (LSU) 21.0. Roger Carson (Fla) 21.3. Wayne Whigham
(Tenn) 21.7.
NON-QUALIFIERS: Dickie Ghandler (Ala) 21.7. Ernie Cope (Aub) 22.2.
Don North (Vandy) 22.3. Willard Keith (Ky) 22.7. Kenny Littlejohn (Fla) 23.2

ok

HEAT 2: Gary Womble (Tenn) 20.9. Johnny Carter (LSU) 21.4. Robert Maxwell
(Aub) 21.6.
NON-QUALIFIERS: Steve Bell (Ala) 21.6. Donnie Graham (Tenn) 22.2. Ricky
Lenoir (Miss.) 22.3. Mark Whitmore (Fla) 22.3. Phil Combest (Fla) 23.6.
Mike Harrelson (Ga) disqualified.

ok

HEAT 3: Gary Wagner (Tenn) 21.0. Rusty Hight (LSU) 21.1. Tommy Brown (Fla) 21.4
NON-QUALIFIERS: Bobby Baker (Aub) 21.5. Gary Roy (Ala) 22.0. Donnie Fuller
(Aub) 22.2. Gee Lee (Tenn) 22.4. Scooter McCarron (LSU) 23.0. Danry Parker
(Ky) disqualified.

Hight's mark

Womble's mark broke SEC record 21.1, set by Jim Green, Ky., in 1968 and tied track record set
by Erv Hall, Villanova, in 1968. Womble broke Hight's records in the 2nd heat

Triple Jump (Qualify 6 to finals)

no

Jeff Gabel (Tenn) 49-1. Ron Coleman (Fla) 47-7 1/2. Chris D'Orazio (Tenn)
47-5 1/4. Jack Marsh (Aub) 47-5 1/4. Grover Howard (Fla) 47-3 1/4.
J. B. Wilson (Miss. St.) 47-1.
NON-QUALIFIERS: Mickey Jones (Aub) 46-3/4. Wayne Vondenstein (LSU) 45-9 3/4.
David Roberts (Miss) ND. Jim Parr (Aub) ND. Tom Bollig (Fla) 44- 4 1/2.
Ronnie Morris (LSU) 44-9 3/4. Mike Torbett (Tenn) ND. David Parrish (Aub) ND

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FINAL RESULTS

~~Handball~~

Javelin: Bill Skinner (Tenn) 265-9. Bruce Beal (Miss St) 220-9. ~~Bobby Williams~~
~~Kendal Diel (LSU) 219-8.~~ Barry Phillips (Ala) 216-6. Woody Bozelle (Fla) 214-11.

Skinner's mark bettered record 250-7 set by Skinner yesterday.

LONG JUMP: ^{ok} Mike Burton (Fla) 24-6. Jack Marsh (Aub) 23-11 1/4. Ronnie Morris
(LSU) 23-8 1/2. Chris D'Orazio (Tenn) 23-5 1/2. Steve Keltner (Tenn) 23-2.

440 RELAY: Tennessee (Gary Wagner, Gary Womble, Bill High, Richmond Flowers) 40.3
LSU (Rusty Hight, Mike Bouche, Johnny Carter, Carl Hight) 40.4
Auburn (Donnie Fuller, Bob Maxwell, Steve Richards, Bob Baker) 40.8
~~Alabama~~ Alabama (Dickie Chandler, Gary Roy, Steve Bell, Alvin Seale) 41.4.
Florida (Roger Carson, Joe Schiller, Jerry Fannin, Bob Gallagher) 41.5.

~~Shotput~~

SHOTPUT: Chip Kell (Tenn) 56-1/2. John Morton (Fla) 54-0. Van Polidoro (Ala) 53-5 3/4
Tom Johnson (Ky) 53-4 1/2. Robert Struppeck (LSU) 52-10 3/4.

MILE RUN: David Scire (Tenn) 4:04.9. Dickie Kleier (Tenn) 4:05.2. John Parker (Fla)
4:09.8. John Wolf (Ga) 4:10.2. Angelo Harris (Ala) 4:11.5

Scire's mark broke record 4:05.0 set by Bob Reddington, Tenn., 1966 and also broke
track record set by Ian Hamilton, (Villanova), 4:05.7 in 1968.

120 YD. HIGH HURDLE: ^(into 3) Richmond Flowers (Tenn) 13.5. Bill High (Tenn) 13.6.
Steve Keltner (Tenn) 14.0. Don Chandler (Ga) 14.1. Bobby Bell (Tenn) 14.2.

Flowers' mark tied record set yesterday by Flowers.

440 DASH: Al Coffee (LSU) 45.6. Gary Womble (Tenn) 45.8. Hardee McAlhany (Tenn) 46.1.
Mike Bouche (LSU) 47.4. Jimmy Tuggle (Ga.) 47.8.

Coffee's mark bettered record, 46.1, set by Coffee Friday.

100 YARD DASH: ^{ok} Gary Wagner (Tenn) 9.4. Carl Hight (LSU) 9.7. Bobby Baker (Aub) 9.7.
Rusty Hight (LSU) 9.8. Richmond Flowers (Tenn) 9.9.

Wagner's time bettered Tom Black Track record, 9.5, set by John Carlos, San Jose
State, April 19, 1969.

380 YARD RUN: James Craig (Tenn) 1:48.0. Barry Kelly (Tenn) 1:48.7. Bob
Lang (Fla) 1:48.7. Eamonn O'Keefe (Fla) 1:48.8. Mike Wheatley (LSU) 1:50.6.
bettered

Craig's time ~~was~~ SEC and Tom Black Track record, 1:48.5, set by Larry Kelly (Tenn)
in 1967.

440 INTERMEDIATE HURDLES: Gerald Fannin (Fla) 51.0. Steve Keltner (Tenn) 52.0
Clint Fowlkes (Fla) 52.6. Tom Husy (Ala) 52.6. Jim Cutler (Tenn) 53.1.

Fannin's time bettered SEC record 51.2 set by David Adkins of Ala. in 1966
and Tom Black Track record, 51.4 set by Andy Bell of American Univ. in 1968.

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FINAL RESULTS

ESTIMATED ATTENDANCE: 4000

^{OK}
TRIPLE JUMP: Jeff Gabel (Tenn) 49-5. Ron Coleman (Fla) 47-7 1/2. Jack Marsh (Aub) 47-5 1/4. Chris D'Orazio (Tenn) 47-5 1/4. Grover Howard (Fla) 47-3 1/4.

~~220 YARD DASH:~~

220 YARD DASH: Gary Wagner (Tenn) 21.0. Carl Hight (LSU) 21.1. Rusty Hight (LSU) 21.1. Gary Womble (Tenn) 21.3. Robert Maxwell (Aub) 21.3.

170-5
DISCUS: John Morton (Fla) ~~170-5~~. Mark Lumpkin (LSU) 166-9. John Casler (KY) 166-1. Richard Conley (Ky.) 161-2. Robert Struppeck (LSU) 156-10.

HIGH HUMP: Ronnie Jourdan (Fla) 7-0. Lonnie Hance (Tenn) 6-10. Jim York (Fla) 6-8. Karl Kremser (Tenn) 6-8. Barry Lints (Ky) 6-6.

Jourdan's mark bettered SEC record, 6-10 1/2, set by Randy Geyer, LSU, 1965 and Tom Black Track record 6-10 3/4 set by Karl Kremser in 1968.

THREE MILE RUN: Vick Nelson (KY) 14:13.0. Owen Self (Tenn) 14:18.8. Steve Nelson (Tenn) 14:31.8. Dave Fussell (Miss.) 14:40.26. Johnny Brown (Fla) 15:02.0.

ONE MILE RELAY: Tennessee (Rick Bowers, Larry Kelly, Gary Womble, Hardee McAlhaney), 3:09.5; LSU (Johnny Carter, Mike Bouchee, Carl Hight, Al Coffee) 3:12.0; Florida (Jeff Jerry Fannin, Bob Lang, Eamonn O'Keefe, Jim Dyson) 3:13.2; Mississippi State (Tommy Johnson, Charles Helm, Edward Lagnan, Dale Gibson) 3:14.1; Alabama (Mike Patterson, Joe Joyce, Jeff Samuel, Alvin Seale) 3:14.7.

coffee
45.6

Tennessee's time bettered SEC record 3:10.2 set by Tennessee (Gary Womble, Butch Stewart, Audrey Hardy, Hardee McAlhaney) in 1968.

POLE VAULT: Robert Sprung (Tenn) 16-6 3/4, Tie for second--David Mason (Tenn) and Sam Sutton (Ga) 15-0. Joe Don Jones (Miss. St.) 15-0, David Oliver (LSU) 15-0

Sprung's mark ~~mark~~ bettered SEC record and Tom Black record of 16-1 3/4 set by Steve Owens (Tenn) 1968.

FINAL TEAM TOTALS

1. Tennessee	118 1/2 (Bettered record 108(Tenn) 1968)
2. Florida	53
3. LSU	43
4. Auburn	14
Kentucky	14
6. Alabama	11
7. Georgia	8 1/2
8. Mississippi St.	8
9. Mississippi	2
10. Vanderbilt	0

Knoxville, Tenn., May 16-17 (from Art Jester)

weather 70° both days; rain lightly

100, Gary Wagner (Tenn) 9.4 wind okay; 2.

Heats I-1. Wagner 9.4w. III-1. Hight, Carl (LSU) 9.4w.

220t, Wagner 21.0 (wind ok); 2. C. Hight 21.1; 3. Rusty Hight 21.1.

Heats: all legal: I-1. C. Hight 21.0. II-1. Womble ~~20.9~~ 20.9. III-1. Wagner 21.0;
2. Rusty Hight 21.1.

440, Al Coffee (LSU) 45.6; 2. Womble 45.8; 3. Hardee McAlhaney 46.1; 4. Mike Bushsee 47.4
Heats: I-1. Coffee 46.1; 2. McAlhaney 46.4; 3. Wombel 47.4

Coffee had been hurt 46.2r; Womble improved a full second. McAlhaney one-tenth off his PR.

McAlahney started out fast. head lead early; Coffee got command of the race, by homestretch. McAlhaney died on home stretch. Womble never had the lead on Coffee.

880, James Craig (Tenn) 1:48.0; 2. Larry Kelly 1:48.7; 3. Bob Lang (Fla) 1:48.7; 4. Eamon O'Keefe (Fla) 1:48.8; 5. Mike Wheatley (LSU) 1:50.6.

Kelly took the lead, passed the 440 in 53.0, Craig stay ~~ed~~ with him, passed Kelly ~~out~~ at the first turn of the last lap. Kelly couldn't catch him, Craig too strong.

II 1:49.5, ~~K~~ Craig I-1. Kelley 1:51.1.

1 Mile, Dave Scerie (Tenn) 4:04.9; 2. Dickie Klier 4:05.2 (Tenn); 3.

17 men in the final; no heats

Scerie best-previous 4:09.2 indoors at Astrodome; outdoors 4:09.8 best. Klier best indoors 4:08.1; outdoors 4:09.5. Parker should have won with this

Klier leading, Scerie passed half in 2:01 (For Klier) and 3:05.0 for Klier. Scerie ~~coming~~ didn't pass Klier until the homestretch near the tape; close finish.

3 Mile, Vic Nelson (Ky) 14:13.0.

120HH (wind into 3 mph wind), Richmond Flowers 13.5; 2. Bill High 13.6; freshman; 3. Steve Keltner (Tenn) 14.0;

Heats: I-1. Bill High 13.8; 2. Steve Keltner 13.9. II-1/ Flowers 13.5; 2. Ball 14.0. wind okay on both.

Flowers and High w even both for three hurdles but High closed again toward the finish.

440IH, Jerry Fanin (Fla) 51.0; 2. Steve Keltner 52.0; Flowers did not run.

Heats: I-1. Fanin 51.9.

HJ, Ron Jourdan 7'0"; 2. Hance 6'10"; 4. Kremser 6'8" (hurt most of the spring). had bar moved to 7'2 $\frac{1}{4}$ " but missed thrice.

PV, Robert Sprung 16'6 $\frac{3}{4}$ " (missed thrice at 17'0"); rest at 15'0".

LJ, wind okay Mike Burton (Fla) 24'6". in finals.

TJ (final Jeff Gabel 49'5" (legal); 47'7 next (Gabel also had a legal mark on Fri. of 49'1" in prel)

SP, Chip Kell (Tenn) spring football until a week ago. 56'1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

268'7"
205'9"

2'

DT, John Morton (Fla) 170'5" (168'4" in prelims).

JT, Skinner 265'9" (prelims 250'7"; prelim arks do not stand up in finals)

440R, Tennessee (Gary Wagner, Womble, Bill High, Richard Flowers) 40.3. 2. LSU (R Hight, Mike Bouche, Johnny Carter, C. Hight) 40.4; 3. Auburn 40.8 (Donnie Fuller, Bob Maxwell, Steve Richards, Bob Baker).

~~MBAX~~ no heats.

MileR, Tennessee 3:09.5 (Rich Bowers 48.1, Kelly 46.9, Womble 48.5, McAhane 46.0); 2. LSU 3:12.0.

Coffee 45.6 for LSU.

attendance

Tennessee 118½; 2. Florida 53; 3. LSU 43; 4. tie, Auburn and Kentucky 14.; 6. Alabama 11; 7. Ga. 8½; 8. Mississippi 8; 9. Miss 2; 10. Vanderbilt 0.

4500 attendance on Saturday.

10 of 17 meet records broken. Greatest meet; 7 of the 10 went to Tennessee.

6th consecutive outdoor title for Tenn; 16 indoors, outdoors and cross country combined - ½ straight.

Bear Bryant offered Coach Rohe a big offer to go to Alabama.

Jesse Stuart (regional meet) May 9 at Glasgow Kentucky ~~58~~ 68'4".

Dickinson Penn St; Gabel, Jeff McElroy to Texas.