

HIGH SCHOOL TRACK & FIELD

STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Preliminaries

At Cerritos College

Heat Winners Plus next 5 Fastest Qualify for Finals Except in 1,600

BOYS

100 METERS

HEAT 1—1. Bridgewater (LA Washington), 10.71 (wind 2.13 m.p.s. against); 2. Burroughs (San Jose Independence), 10.90. Nonqualifiers included: 5. Nottoli (Paraclete), 11.17; 6. Keglger (San Diego), 11.20.

HEAT 2—1. Smith (San Francisco Mission), 10.84 (wind 2.69 m.p.s. against). Nonqualifiers included: 2. Green (LB Poly), 11.00; 3. 4. Martin (Chatsworth), 11.16; 6. Toro (South Pasadena), 11.36.

HEAT 3—1. Stringer (Vacaville), 10.76 (wind 2.40 m.p.s. against); 2. Miller (San Francisco Riordan), 10.91; 3. Moody (Chula Vista), 10.95. Nonqualifiers included: 4. Denkins (Carson), 11.11; 5. Smith (Riverside Ramona), 11.17.

HEAT 4—1. Laynes (Oakland), 10.67 (wind 1.30 m.p.s. against); 2. Conway (Hawthorne), 10.76; 4. Burks (LA Washington), 10.96. Nonqualifiers: 7. Reyes (Escondido Orange Glen), 11.13.

200 METERS

HEAT ONE—1. Burroughs (San Jose Silver Creek), 21.39 (wind 1.16 m.p.s. aiding); 2. White (Crespi), 21.52. Nonqualifiers included: 4. Martin (Chatsworth), 21.89; 6. Weber (San Diego), 22.04; 7. Mitchell (Mayfair), 22.70.

HEAT 2—1. Watts (Woodland Hills Taft), 21.00 (wind .53 m.p.s. aiding); 2. Smith (San Francisco Mission), 21.36. Nonqualifiers included: 4. Baker (Cerritos), 21.80.

HEAT 3—1. Bridgewater (LA Washington), 20.90 (wind 1.11 m.p.s. aiding); 2. Stringer (Vacaville), 21.48. Nonqualifiers included: 5. Green (LB Poly), 22.07. Stevenson (San Diego Morse), did not run.

HEAT 4—1. Conway (Hawthorne), 21.32 (wind .31 m.p.s. aiding); 2. Laynes (Oakland), 21.53; 3. Jones (Fresno Hoover), 21.65. Nonqualifiers included: 6. Nelson (San Diego Mira Mesa), 22.11; DeVeaux (Narbonne), did not start.

400 METERS

HEAT 1—1. Hannah (Hawthorne), 47.82. Nonqualifiers included: 2. Pratt (Crenshaw), 48.68; 4. Reed (Santa Fe Springs Santa Fe), 49.89; Wright (Oakland), did not run.

HEAT 2—1. Borquez (Alemany), 49.20. Nonqualifiers included: 4. Walner (LA Jolla), 50.03; Watts (Woodland Hills Taft), did not run.

HEAT 3—1. Webster (Morningside), 47.58; Bryant (Dorsey), 48.06; Flewellen (San Francisco Riordan), 48.38. Nonqualifiers included: 5. Lavergne (San Diego Madison), 49.51.

HEAT 4—1. Jones (Fresno Hoover), 47.56; 2. Stevenson (San Diego Morse), 47.56; 3. Jones (LA Washington), 48.43; 4. Newsom (Albany), 48.53. Nonqualifiers included: 6. Stone (Arroyo Grande), 49.51.

400-METER RELAY

HEAT 1—1. LA Washington, 41.52. Nonqualifiers included: 2. San Jose Independence, 41.67.

HEAT 2—Vacaville, 41.58; 2. San Diego Morse, 41.62; 3. Woodland Hills Taft, 41.65. Nonqualifiers included: 4. Morningside, 41.93.

HEAT 3—Tulare, 41.51. Nonqualifiers included: 2. Eisenhower, 41.66; 3. Dorsey, 41.86; 5. Spring Valley Mt. Miguel, 42.21.

HEAT 4—1. Oakland, 41.14; 2. LB Poly, 41.40; 3. Fontana, 41.50; 4. Lemore, 41.64. Nonqualifiers included: 5. Carson, 42.40.

1,600-METER RELAY

HEAT 1—1. Hawthorne, 3:12.70; 2. Oakland, 3:15.55; 3. Spring Valley Mt. Miguel, 3:16.11. Nonqualifiers included—5. Carson, 3:21.84.

HEAT 2—1. LA Washington, 3:16.21. Nonqualifiers included—2. Muir, 3:16.61; 5. San Diego Morse, 3:18.93.

HEAT 3—1. LB Poly, 3:15.23; 2. Crenshaw, 3:15.93; 3. San Jose Silver Creek, 3:16.33. Nonqualifiers included—5. San Diego Patrick Henry, 3:21.83.

HEAT 4—1. Morningside, 3:15.18; Eisenhower, 3:16.51. Nonqualifiers included: 4. Reseda, 3:24.99; San Jose Independence, disqualified for running out of zone.

LONG JUMP

Gildersleve (Sacramento Grant), 24-5½w (23-2 legal best); Martin (Chatsworth), 22-9¼; Prince (Union City Logan), 23-6; Baker (Cerritos), 23-3¾w (22-11); Stewart (Oroville), 22-10¾; Reyes (Escondido Orange Glen), 22-9¼; McKelvey (San Jose Independence), 22-9¼w (21-7); Robinson (Fresno Washington), 22-8½; Railey (Oakland), 22-6½.

Nonqualifiers included: 11. Cisneros (Los Alamitos), 22-6w (22-0); 13. Willis (Spring Valley Mt. Miguel), 22-3; 16. Watson (LA Washington), 22-0½; 17. Williams (Crenshaw), 22-0; 18. Green (Van Nuys), 21-10; 20. Neben (Orange Lutheran), 21-9½; 21. Hugson (Pomona), 21-9¼; 24. Ivey (Edgewood), 21-8¾w (21-0).

DISCUS

Carter (Huntington Beach Edison), 186-2; Wirtz (San Jose Leland), 181-9; Fuller (El Monte Arroyo), 177-11; Stevens (Bakersfield), 172-10; Carter (Sacramento Junior), 169-8; Ford (Orangevale Casa Roble), 168-6; Jenkins (Saugus), 168-2; Stubblefield (Taft), 167-2; Gallagher (Palm Desert), 166-6.

Nonqualifiers included: 12. Milby (Cleveland), 164-1; 15. Hirschler (Lompoc), 162-3; 20. Murray (Lakeside El Capitan), 146-10; 21. McDowell (San Diego Mission Bay), 145-10; 24. Vaifana (LA Banning), 121-0; 25. J. Sanchez (Garfield), 114-11; 26. R. Sanchez (Garfield), 105-9.

HIGH JUMP

Betton (Antelope Valley), Keane (Concord De La Salle), Pickett (Clovis), Thompson (Berkeley St. Mary's), Wilson (Sherman Oaks Notre Dame), Wilson (Charter Oak), Short (Santa Fe), Sprattling (Salinas), all 6-7; Barronman (Bakersfield

HEAT 4—Bertell (Mission Viejo), 24.89. Nonqualifiers included—4. McAllister (Locke), 25.67; 5. Monogan (San Diego Serra), 25.75.

400 METERS

HEAT 1—1. Dooley (Angels Camp Bret Harte), 54.54; 2. Stewart (Duarte), 56.38. Nonqualifiers included: 3. Whitmore (Compton), 57.72; 4. Delgado (San Diego University), 58.19.

HEAT 2—1. Alvarenda (San Jose Archbishop Mitty), 55.34; 2. Rolfe (Dorsey), 55.40; 3. Henderson (Alhambra), 56.10; 4. Titer (Cottonwood West Valley), 57.41. Nonqualifiers included: 6. Tucker (San Diego Serra), 59.21.

HEAT 3—1. R. Mack (Mountain View St. Francis), 55.22; 2. Marvin (Hawthorne), 55.24. Nonqualifiers included: 3. Jackson (Crenshaw), 57.76.

HEAT 4—1. Irick (Apple Valley), 56.31. Nonqualifiers included: 3. Daher (Chula Vista Castle Park), 58.57; Garcia (Manual Arts), did not start.

800 METERS

HEAT 1—1. Clark (Walnut Creek Las Lomas), 2:13.70; 2. Kennerson (Hawthorne), 2:20.13; 3. Garcia (Manual Arts), 2:15.18. Nonqualifiers included: 4. Moses (Morningside), 2:15.87.

HEAT 2—McAllister (Locke), 2:15.29. Nonqualifiers included: 2. Westby (Del Mar Torrey Pines), 2:15.83; 3. Toney (Atascadero), 2:16.10.

HEAT 3—1. Handy (San Jose Archbishop Mitty), 2:13.72; 2. Sansom (Gloria), 2:13.73; 3. Hand (Fairbrook), 2:13.98. Nonqualifiers included: 6. Smith (LA Banning), 2:19.86.

HEAT 4—1. Roldan (Visalia Mt. Whitney), 2:12.95; 2. Bache (San Diego University), 2:13.26. Nonqualifiers included: 3. Lowery (Norco), 2:17.03; 4. Mayo (Los Angeles), 2:18.64.

1,600 METERS

HEAT 1—1. Bryat (Hesperia), 4:57.00 (4:39.0 for 1,500 meters); 2. Bowie (Woodside), 4:59.38 (4:40.03); 3. Jerri Martin (San Pedro), 5:01.01 (4:42.61); 4. Robbins (Hesperia), 5:03.19 (4:43.3). Nonqualifiers included: 5. Drossin (Agoura), 5:05.16 (4:44.0); 8. Porter (LA Jolla), 5:08.10 (4:54.8); 11. Hunter (Locke), 5:18.60 (4:59.9).

HEAT 2—1. Jorgensen (Vista Rancho Buena Vista), 4:56.26 (4:35.3 for 1,500 meters); 2. Williams (El Monte Mountain View), 4:58.61 (4:38.8); 3. Craven (Camarillo), 5:00.61 (4:42.4); 4. Beth Bartholomew (Sunnyvale Fremont), 5:01.18 (4:42.6); 5. Martinez (Bakersfield Foothill), 5:02.41. Nonqualifiers included: 10. A. Guidi (El Camino Real), 5:10.06 (4:49.0); 13. Keim (Escondido San Pasqual), 4:35.40; 14. Cazares (South Gate), 4:54.64.

100-METER LOW HURDLES

HEAT 1—Sanchez (San Jose Santa Teresa), 13.91w (3.34 m.p.s.); 2. Davenport (Locke), 13.91; 3. Hale (Riverside Poly), 14.28.

HEAT 2—1. Edmonds (Hawthorne), 14.21 (wind 1.50 m.p.s. aiding); 2. Polley (Forestville El Moleno), 14.34; 3. Swift (Eisenhower), 14.38. Nonqualifiers included:

(San Francisco Riordan), 48.38. Nonqualifiers included: 1. Lavergne (San Diego Madison), 49.51.

HEAT 4—1. Jones (Fresno Hoover), 47.56; 2. Stevenson (San Diego Morse), 47.56; 3. Jones (LA Washington), 48.43; 4. Newsom (Albany), 48.53. Nonqualifiers included: 6. Stone (Arroyo Grande), 49.51.

800 METERS

HEAT 1—Senior (Spring Valley Valley Mt. Miguel), 1:52.30; 2. Smoot (Vacaville), 1:53.97. Nonqualifiers included: 4. Mata (LA Roosevelt), 1:54.59; 5. Collins (Hemet), 1:55.80.

HEAT 2—1. Smith (Redlands), 1:52.76; 2. Derrick Miller (Sacramento Johnson), 1:52.77; 3. Frelitz (LA Washington), 1:53.34.

HEAT 3—Luna (Vacaville), 1:54.48. Nonqualifiers included: 2. Cabral (Belmont), 1:54.76; 3. Montes (Noagles), 1:54.77; 4. Carrow (Esperanza), 1:54.79; 5. Smith (San Diego Patrick Henry), 1:55.94.

HEAT 4—1. Amendt (San Jose Lick), 1:52.66; 2. Johnson (Piedmont), 1:52.74; 3. Bateman (Crescenta Valley), 1:53.40. Nonqualifiers included: 4. Rodriguez (Fallbrook), 1:56.26; 5. Garrett (Reseda), 1:57.66.

1,600 METERS

HEAT 1—Candaale (Carpinteria), 4:00.19 (3:57.3 for 1,500 meters); 2. Georings (Newport Harbor), 4:12.97 (3:57.9); 3. Robbins (Corona del Mar), 4:14.18 (3:58.1); 4. Zirkelbach (Concord), 4:14.49 (3:58.3); 5. Bellamy (Hayward Moreau), 4:14.50 (3:58.5); 6. Rivera Lodi Toki, 4:17.89 (4:00.3). Nonqualifiers included: 10. Gaona (Belmont), 4:25.42 (4:08.1); 12. Jordan (Venice), 4:34.71; Tadese (San Diego Crawford), did not run.

HEAT 2—1. Williams (West Sacramento River City), 4:15.48 (4:01.8); 2. Hernandez (Fremont Mission San Jose), 4:16.43 (4:01.9); 3. O'Neill (Escondido San Pasqual), 4:17.66 (4:02.6). Nonqualifiers included: 4. Ochs (San Luis Obispo Mission), 4:18.71 (4:03.6); 4. Biddle (San Diego Mt. Carmel), 4:20.89; 8. Scheiger (Granada Hills), 4:26.55; 9. DeLuna (South Gate), 4:27/58; Devine (Saugus), false start.

110-METER HIGH HURDLES

HEAT 1. Keiting (Crespi), 14.46 (wind 1.07 m.p.s. aiding); 2. Thompson (Cerritos), 14.52. Nonqualifiers included: 5. Lacy (Gardena), 14.85; 6. Chula Vista Castle Park), 15.17.

HEAT 2—1. Henry (Arroyo Grande), 14.29 (wind .43 m.p.s. aiding); 2. Barron (Crenshaw), 14.46; 3. Prudenti (Napa Justin-Siena), 15.51. Others included: 7. Uriell (San Diego Mt. Carmel), 15.37.

HEAT 3—1. Gildersleeve (Sacramento Grant), 14.38 (wind 1.52 m.p.s. aiding); 2. Gordon (Daly City Jefferson), 14.38. Nonqualifiers included: 3. Kallick (Marina), 14.57; 5. Campbell (Garfield), 14.93.

HEAT 4—1. Uribe (San Bruno Capuchino), 14.34 (wind 1.51 m.p.s. aiding); 2. Addison (Chatsworth), 14.44. Nonqualifiers included: 3. Lynch (Mater Dei), 14.61; 4. Burton (San Diego Mt. Carmel), 14.74.

300-METER INT. HURDLES

HEAT 1—1. Montgomery (San Jose Independence), 37.67; 2. Farmer (Fresno Clovis West), 38.22. Nonqualifiers included: 5. Monroe (San Diego Patrick Henry), 38.96; 6. Lafner (Crespi), 38.97; 7. Lacy (Gardena), 39.79.

HEAT 2—1. Barry (Concord Ygnacio Valley), 37.22. Nonqualifiers included—2. McCulloch (LB Poly), 38.57; 3. Barron (Crenshaw), 38.62; 5. Burton (Spring Valley Mt. Miguel), 39.39.

HEAT 3—1. Stones (Spring Valley Mt. Miguel), 36.99; 2. Uribe (San Bruno Capuchino), 37.70; 3. Wright (Oakland), 37.73. Nonqualifiers included: 5. Judge (Narbonne), 39.43.

HEAT 4—1. Dallas (Pasadena), 37.71; 2. Gildersleeve (Sacramento Johnson), 38.06; 3. Hale (Garden Grove), 38.06. Nonqualifiers included—Addison (Chatsworth), disqualified.

(Garfield), 114-14; 26. Sanchez (Garfield), 105-9.

HIGH JUMP

Betton (Antelope Valley), Keane (Concord De La Salle), Pickett (Covis), Thompson (Berkeley St. Mary's), Cogan (Sherman Oaks Notre Dame), Wilson (Charter Oak), Short (Santa Fe), Sprattling (Salinas), all 6-7; Barrowman (Bakersfield North), 6-6.

Nonqualifiers included—Buchanan (San Marcos), 6-6; Bowling (Canoga Park), Peter (Chula Vista Bonita Vista), Pryce (Mission Viejo), 6-4; Cannon (Vista), Watson (LA Washington), 6-2; Ross (Canoga Park), no height (6-2); Mauldin (San Fernando), did not jump.

POLE VAULT

Richards (San Marcos), Lehman (Encinitas San Diego), Cano (Manteca, Henson (Newport Harbor), Noel (Newport Harbor), Guevara (Fresno Clovis West), Lanini (Gonzales), all 14-4; Cranney (San Marcos), Lewis (Coalinga), 14-0.

Nonqualifiers included—Sheets (Woodland Hills Taft), 14-0; Jung (Chatsworth), Sonderegger (Venice), Juarez (Apple Valley), Lotterer (Escondido San Pasqual), Parker (Sherman Oaks Notre Dame), Bettinger (Chatsworth), no height.

TRIPLE JUMP

Scott (Citrus Heights Mesa Verde), 50-6; Carson (San Diegolo), 50-5½; Huff (La Jolla), 49-4; McGill (Escondido Orange Glen), 48-11½; Rogers (Sacramento Johnson), 48-6½; Smith (Woodland Hills Taft), 48-6½; Benjamin (Tulare), 48-3¾; Rogers (Baldwin Park), 48-3; Pricne (Union City Logan), 48-0¼.

Nonqualifiers included—12. Wilkerson (Reseda), 47-1¾; 13. Stokes (Banning), 46-1¾; 15. Martin (Chatsworth), 46-4; 19. Shelton (Duarte), 45-1¾; 20. Scott (LB Wilson), 44-¾.

SHOTPUT

Carter (Huntington Beach Edison), 64-0½; Hicks (Hollister San Benito), 62-3¼; Noon (Fallbrook), 62-3; Fuller (El Monte Arroyo), 59-2½; Cater (Sacramento Jesuit), 56-10¼; Wohlford (San Jose Gunderson), 56-6; Bailey (LB Wilson), 56-2½; Johnson (Atwater), 55-7½; Miller (Fresno Clovis West), 55-4¾.

Nonqualifiers included—10. Hillberg (Lakeside El Capitan), 54-7½; 11. Flynn (Huntington Beach Edison), 54-1½; 13. Mendoza (South Gate), 53-10; 14. Milby (Cleveland), 52-11; 16. Lee (Ventura), 52-6½; 20. Ale (Carson), 52-2; 22-Gray (Lakeside Granite Hills), 51-0½; 23. Carabajal (Franklin), 48-4½.

GIRLS

100 METERS

HEAT 1—1. Burnham (Rio Mesa), 11.86 (wind 1.06 m.p.s. against). Nonqualifiers included: 2. Vines (Santa Barbara San Marcos), 12.46; 5. Williams (Dorsey), 12.89; Thompson (San Diego Morse), did not start.

HEAT 2—1. Miller (Muir), 12.08 (wind 1.66 m.p.s. against). Nonqualifiers included: 3. Epps (San Diego Patrick Henry), 12.61; 4. Prevost (San Fernando), 12.71.

HEAT 3—1. Cain (Hueneme), 12.00 (wind 1.01 m.p.s. against); 2. Lee (Fresno Washington), 12.31; 3. Williams (Vallejo), 12.33. Nonqualifiers included: 7. Howard (San Fernando), 13.05.

HEAT 4—1. Wheeler (Hawthorne), 12.13 (wind 34 m.p.s. against); 2. Hamilton (Locke), 12.44; Coleman (Belmont Carlmont), 12.45; 4. Kimmy (San Diego University City), 12.45.

200 METERS

HEAT 1—1. Cain (Hueneme), 23.98; 2. Hamilton (Locke), 24.98.

HEAT 2—1. Burnham (Rio Mesa), 23.98; 2. Williams (Vallejo), 24.41; 3. Rolfe (Dorsey), 24.80; 4. Lee (Fresno Washington), 25.07. Nonqualifiers included—5. Epps (San Diego Patrick Henry), 25.29.

HEAT 3—1. Miller (Muir), 23.97; 2. Murelius (Alhambra), 24.98. Nonqualifiers included—6. De Jesus (Mt. Carmel), 25.96; 7. Prevost (San Fernando), 25.97.

100-METER LOW HURDLES

HEAT 1—Sanchez (San Jose Santa Teresa), 13.91w (3.34 m.p.s.); 2. Davenport (Locke), 13.91; 3. Hale (Riverside Poly), 14.28.

HEAT 2—1. Edmonds (Hawthorne), 14.21 (wind 1.50 m.p.s. aiding); 2. Polley (Forestville El Moleno), 14.34; 3. Swift (Eisenhower), 14.38. Nonqualifiers included: 4. Turner (Lakeside El Capitan), 6. Turner (Narbonne), 15.39.

HEAT 3—1. DeCoux (Oakland Bishop O'Dowd), 13.97 (wind 1.48 m.p.s. aiding); 2. Lipscomb (Santa Monica), 14.09. Nonqualifiers included: 5. Dill (Poway), 15.23; 7. Burnside (Westchester), 16.09.

HEAT 4—1. Swift (Benicia), 14.42 (wind 19 m.p.s. against). Nonqualifiers included: 2. Weatherford (Locke), 14.43; 3. Kerho (Mission Viejo), 14.51; 4. Stark (Escondido San Pasqual), 15.30.

300-METER LOW HURDLES

To be run today at 10 a.m.

400-METER RELAY

HEAT 1—Hawthorne, 47.03. Nonqualifiers included: 2. Cajon, 48.41; 4. Crenshaw, 49.07.

HEAT 2—1. Muir, 47.50; Lockie, 47.67; 3. San Jose Archbishop Mitty, 48.25; 4. San Diego Serra, 49.14.

HEAT 3—1. Mountain View St. Francis, 47.04; 2. Rio Mesa, 47.35; 3. San Diego Morse, 48.08. Nonqualifiers included: 4. San Fernando, 48.76.

HEAT 4—1. Dorsey, 47.69; 2. Esperanza, 48.22. Nonqualifiers included: 6. San Diego University City, 49.67.

1,600 RELAY

HEAT 1—1. Corona del Mar, 3:49.46; 2. Locke, 3:49.46; 3. Archbishop Mitty, 3:51.10.

HEAT 2—1. Hawthorne, 3:50.59; 2. Muir, 3:53.90. Nonqualifiers included—4. El Capitan, 3:57.98.

HEAT 3—1. Pomona, 3:51.72; 2. Dorsey, 3:53.14. Nonqualifiers included—3. San Pasqual, 3:59.13.

HEAT 4—Mountain View St. Francis, 3:48.62; 2. Woodbridge, 3:52.67. Nonqualifiers included—3. SD Morse, 3:56.65; 6. San Fernando, 4:03.69.

HIGH JUMP

Prince (Paradise), Willis (Fresno Clovis West), Crigin (Maraleste), Mills (Campbell Hall), Damon (Redlands), Patrick (San Diego Serra), Clarke (El Camino Real), Mertes (Chatsworth), Barker (Colfax), all 5-6. Nonqualifiers included: Stewart (Sherman Oaks Notre Dame), Matthews (Dos Pueblos), 5-4; Parker (Lakeside Granite Hills), Jeremiah (LA Fremont), Means (Van Nuys), 5-2.

LONG JUMP

Conner (Barstow), 19-5¾; Smith (Montclair), 18-7½; Aubert (Milpitas), 19-7½; Bittner (Rio Mesa), 18-2; Coleman (Belmont Carlmont), 18-1¾; Christian (Dorsey), 17-11¾; Rhoades (Woodland), 17-10¾; Clarke (El Camino Real), 17-8½; Nash (Ontario), 17-7½.

Nonqualifiers included: 10. Tully (Torrance), 17-7¼; 12. Griffin (Woodland Hills Taft), 17-5½; 18. Leath (San Diego Morse), 16-9¾; 19. Lyons (Palisades), 16-9¼; 26. Epps (San Diego Patrick Henry), 15-7; Johnson (San Diego Patrick Henry), no fair jumps.

DISCUS

Dumble (Bakersfield), 156-0; Weis (Bakersfield), 154-8; Peters (Palo Alto Gunn), 149-11; McKinnon (Yreka), 148-4; Franke (Anahem Canyon), 145-6; Ruiz (Los Gatos), 144-1; Williams (Nogales), 140-10; Cambellin (Piesantoon Amador Valley), 139-6; Hughes (Escondido Orange Glen), 135-7.

Nonqualifiers included: 13. Malchowski (Hesperia), 128-8; 18. Shaffer (Carpinteria), 120-0; 19. Patterson (La Mesa Helix), 119-10; 20. Roberts (Don Lugo), 119-4; 21. Hake (LA Wilson), 119-1; 22. Fowikes (Oceanside), 117-9.

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Boy's Results

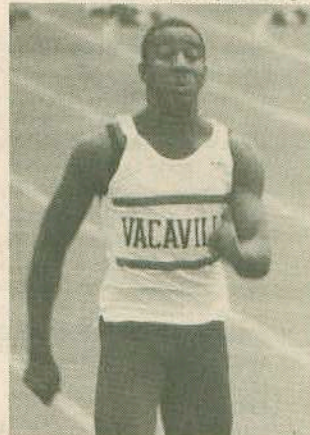
By DOUG SPECK

100 Meters:

About half way through Saturday evening's State Finals things were becoming very interesting. A number of team championship form sheets had been tossed in the trash, with California's outstanding 1988 group of male sprinters in this event having a lot to do with who would pick up the big team trophy at the end of the night. Brian Bridgewater (Washington, LA), Benari Burroughs (Independence, San Jose), Curtis Conway (Hawthorne), Jeff Laynes (Oakland), and Tony Miller (Riordan, San Francisco) could all rightfully claim spots among the top dozen speedsters in the nation based upon last year's performances and their races thus far this spring. Interestingly, in this event, none of them would be the winner! Brian Bridgewater was proving to be the best LA Section sprinter, cranking 10.28w and 20.53 Section Semi bests, then comfortably handling Quincy Watts (Taft, Woodland Hills), felt to be the nation's top sprinter entering the season, over 200m at 20.89-21.14 in the LA Finals. Watts, with 10.30 and 20.50 1987 sprint bests, decided on a 200-400 double after a mid-season hamstring strain, thus giving up the chance to be the first ever Golden State sprinter to win three straight 100 yard or 100 meter championships in this meet. Bur-

roughs buoyed the team hopes of Coach Stan Dowell's Independence crew with a 10.42-21.10 Section sprint double, with Conway and Laynes never more than an arm's length behind the winner in big races this season. The Qualifying formula to move on to the Finals this year would be that the Heat Winners would automatically move on, and then the next qualifiers to fill out the nine finalists would come based to-

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DARREN STRINGER

tally upon times. The heat leader needed to win to be assured a spot into the finals and everyone else had to run hard. There was not much easy cruising in qualifying in this Meet. On Friday Bridgewater handily took Burroughs in Heat 1, running into a 2.13 meter per second headwind, 10.71-10.90, with Barry Smith (Mission, San Francisco) finally emerging after a 1987 summer of fine running, in which he had 10.84-21.22 sprint bests, to take Heat 2 in 10.84 (wind -2.69 mps). Darren Stringer (Vacaville) looked strong in Heat 3, racing 10.76 (wind -2.40) over Tony Miller (10.91), who limped

immediately after the race ended. Laynes looked very good in handling Conway 10.67-10.76 (-1.30 mps) in Heat 4.

At 6:55 p.m. on Saturday the finalists lined up. All eyes were basically on the outside half of the track, where Laynes was in Lane 5, Bridgewater 6, Conway 7, and Burroughs in 8. After the group was set in their blocks they were called up as the recall starter removed a wrist watch that Barry Smith had worn to the line.

With the wind turning out to be -2.37 mps in their faces the group was off cleanly the next time. No one in the field is noted as a spectacular starter, and all were within a half meter in the first ten. While everyone kept waiting for one of those on the outer half of the track to explode to victory, over in Lane 4 Darren Stringer of Vacaville suddenly had gained close to a full meter at the 75 meter mark and gave up none of that margin on into the tape, winning at 10.78. Conway held off the outside half of the track group with a 10.85 for 2nd, with Smith 3rd at 10.86. Stringer had put together a fine season thus far, with wins in Northern Meets, but was fifth in his venture south at Arcadia, where his 10.69 had him only .08 out of first. Noted as one of the best running backs in the country in football, the circumstances here with the tough Prelim racing on Friday and emotions surrounding these events were probably like the middle of the fourth quarter in a tough game with that twenty-fifth carry of the ball. Conway, who will be one of the nation's elite prep quarterbacks next fall, is used to the same tough type of circumstances. One could have won a lot of money in the stands picking Stringer in the finals.

Finals

1 Darren Stringer (Vacaville)	10.78
2 Curtis Conway (Hawthorne)	10.85
3 Barry Smith (Mission)	10.86
4 Jeff Laynes (Oakland)	10.86

5 Bryan Bridgewater (Wash)	10.90
6 Tony Miller (Riordan)	10.99
7 Donovan Burks (Washing)	11.01
8 Kiyoshi Moody (Castle Prk)	11.02
9 Benari Burroughs (Indep)	11.14

Heat #1: (Wind -2.13) 1. Bryan Bridgewater (Washington, LA) 10.71, 2. Benari Burroughs (Independence) 10.90, 3. Aaron Turner (Pittsburg) 11.02, 4. Ed Stewart (Oroville) 11.16, 5. David Nottoli (Paraclete) 11.17, 6. Jim Kegler (San Diego) 11.20. **Heat #2 (Wind -2.69)** 1. Barry Smith (Mission) 10.84, 2. Andre Green (Long Bch Poly) 11.00, 3. Dwayne Owens (Foothill) 11.13, 4. Ron Martin (Chatsworth) 11.16, 5. Leslie Haymon (Edison) 11.19, 6. John Toro (So. Pasadena) 11.36. **Heat #3 (Wind -2.40)** 1. Darren Stringer (Vacaville) 10.76, 2. Tony Miller (Riordan) 10.91, 3. Kiyoshi Moody (Castle Park) 10.95, 4. Daniel Dinkins (Carson) 11.11, 5. Rondo Smith (Ramona) 11.17, 6. Derrick Loftis (Hanford) 11.26, 7. Tim Green (Acalanes) 11.27. **Heat #4 (Wind -1.30)** 1. Jeff Laynes (Oakland) 10.67, 2. Curtis Conway (Hawthorne) 10.76, 3. Donovan Burks (Washington) 10.96, 4. Ron Harris (Valley Christian) 11.03, 5. James Robinson (Clear Lake) 11.04, 6. Michael Lewis (Tracy) 11.12, 7. Glen Reyes (Orange Glen) 11.13.

200 Meters:

There was a dual interest in this race. This was another match-up of Brian Bridgewater (Washington, LA) and Quincy Watts (Taft, Woodland Hills) and the continuing team struggle of Hawthorne, Oakland, and others went on. Watts had scratched the 100 in LA City competition after a mid-season hamstring strain, and concentrated on the 200-400 double. In the City Semi's Quincy had doubled in 20.67 and 46.67 and it was assumed he was back in fine style. Meanwhile, Brian Bridgewater was rolling, clocking 10.28w and 20.53 (#7 All-Time U.S. Prep) in that same Meet. Their showdown in the LA City Finals at 200 was a classic, with Bridgewater's moderate physical stature allowing him to blast the

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turn and gain a two meter margin that Watts could not dent on the home stretch in a 20.89-21.14 race. Watts Scratched out of the 400 here, and many stated it was with the intention of gaining revenge over Bridgewater over 200m. The main actors from the 100 would also be in attendance here.

Benari Burroughs (Independence) 21.39 (wind +1.16 mps), Watts 21.00 (+0.53), Bridgewater 20.90 (+0.11), and Curtis Conway (Hawthorne) 21.36 (+0.31 mps) were heat winners.

There was more anticipation in the stands for this race than any other this weekend. In the Finals Burroughs was in Lane 3, Conway in 4, Bridgewater 5, and Watts in 6. The rap on Watts is that he does not really run the turn hard enough, but he showed a decided change in philosophy from the gun here, blasting out of the blocks and having two feet on Bridgewater as the duo passed the 100 meter starting line (in 10.8).

Over the next 50 meters Brian eased past Watts, but never had his lead stretch past a foot as the Washington star stretched his string of victories in the event over Quincy to two at 21.00-21.02 (wind -1.91 mps). Watts indicated that his hamstring did bother him a bit this weekend, and it is obvious that thus far this season he has not really regained that totally explosive gear that sent him past opponents at the end of his races in 1987.

Finals)

1 Bryan Bridgewater (Washi)	21.00
2 Quincy Watts (Taft)	21.02
3 Curtis Conway (Hawthorne)	21.30
4 Darren Stringer (Vacaville)	21.47
5 Barry Smith (Mission)	21.59
6 Benari Burroughs (Indepen)	21.60
7 Jeff Laynes (Oakland)	21.69
8 Russell White (Crespi)	22.11

Heat #1: 1. Benari Burroughs (Independence) 21.39, 2. Russell White (Crespi) 21.52, 3. Darrel King (Ygnacio Valley) 21.73, 4. Ron Martin (Chatsworth) 21.89, 5. Marvin Kenion (St. Patrick's) 22.02, 6. Jim Kesler (San Diego) 22.04, 7. Erik Mitchell (Mayfair) 22.70. **Heat #2:** 1. Quincy Watts (Taft) 21.00, 2. Barry Smith (Mission) 21.36, 3. Michael Lewis (Tracy) 21.73, 4. Derrick Baker (Cerritos) 21.80, 5. Fred Lee (Big Valley) 22.06, 6. Tim Green (Acalanes) 22.39. **Heat #3:** 1. Bryan Bridgewater (Washington) 20.90, 2. Darren Stringer (Vacaville) 21.48, 3. Bonzell Jenkins (Silver Creek) 21.93, 4. Marvin Samuels (Livermore) 22.02, 5. Andre Green (Long Bch Poly) 22.07. **Heat #4:** 1. Curtis Conway (Hawthorne) 21.32, 2.

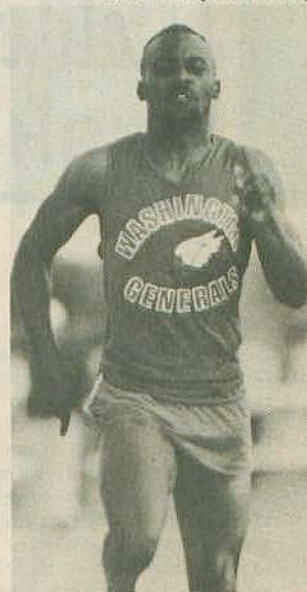
Jeff Laynes (Oakland) 21.53, 3. Frank Jones (Hoover) 21.65, 4. Aaron Turner (Pittsburg) 21.75, 5. Ron Harris (Valley Christian) 21.76, 6. Bobby Nelson (Mira Mesa) 22.11.

400 Meters:

Quincy Watts (Taft, Woodland Hills) had raced the easiest ever looking prep 47.38 in winning the LA City affair while conserving his energy for a showdown later in the Meet with Bryan Bridgewater over 200m. Unfortunately, he scratched from the 400m event here, leaving the race pretty much in the hands of Hawthorne's Travis Hannah, who had seemed to recover pretty completely from a Penn Relays hamstring pull to win the Southern Section affair at 47.06. Others who threatened were Ferric Webster (Morningside, Inglewood) (47.41), San Diego Section Champion Michael Stevenson (Morse) (47.22), and Central Section winner Frank Jones (Hoover, Fresno) (47.87). Webster had come from out of nowhere to put together a fine string of Section races, with Stevenson particularly impressive, running with a relaxed and powerful stride at top speed.

Hannah cruised to an eight meter win in Heat 1 at 47.82, Webster looked good in a 47.58 Heat 3 run, with Jones edging Stevenson in the last heat at 47.28-47.56. Stevenson had stated that he felt he could have given Hannah a better run at Arcadia, where Travis handled him 46.84-47.23, if he had been able to key off the Hawthorne runner, who had a lane inside of him there. Here, Webster was in Lane 4, Jones in 5, Stevenson in 6, and Travis in 7 (Mike had his wish). Hannah exhibits a confidence unknown in High School one-lappers, with his career full of situations seemingly impossible to recover from, yet each time the latest of Coach Kye Courtney's supers has blazed a finishing sprint that leaves viewers simply amazed. His most amazing 1988 effort had been on the anchor at Arcadia against South Oak Cliff High of Dallas, where he started 8 meters down, let the lead stretch to 12 meters by 200m (passed by Travis in 22.5), then proceeded to blast the final 100m in a gear that no other prep has to finish in 45.5 and win the race for his team by 5 meters. There was no one in this field in Travis's League. In the

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BRYAN BRIDGEWATER
200

Finals Travis was simply a part of the pack through 200m, with the Hawthorne athlete passing that point in a leisurely 23.5. It was during the third 100m segment that he decided to go to work, racing 11.5 (that's 46.0 pace) to move right to the front of the pack (35.0 at 300m), then finish in 12.2 down the stretch at 47.20 comfortably ahead of the field. Stevenson, who looked as if he could run much faster during efforts earlier in the year closed right at the end for second (47.54) over Webster (47.65).

Finals

1 Travis Hannah (Hawthorne)	47.20
2 Michael Stevenson (Morse)	47.54
3 Ferric Webster (Mornings)	47.65
4 Frank Jones (Hoover)	47.99
5 Beng Bryant (Dorsey)	48.03
6 Brian Flewellen (Riordan)	48.48
7 Dingan Newson (Albany)	48.61
8 Tony Borguez (Alemany)	48.91
9 Simon Jones (Washington)	49.49

Heat #1: 1. Travis Hannah (Hawthorne) 47.82, 2. Kevin Pratt (Crenshaw) 48.68, 3. Scott Bryan (Placer) 49.45, 4. Steve Reed (Santa Fe Springs) 49.89, 5. Anngelo Sablo (James Logan) 49.93, 6. Aarne Kela (Reedley) 51.61. **Heat #2:** 1. Tony Borguez (Alemany) 49.20, 2. Dan Earls (Acalanes) 49.39, 3. James Williams (Hogan) 49.84, 4. Jerry Walker (La Jolla) 50.03, 5. Jim Galba (Anderson) 50.19. **Heat #3:** 1. Ferric Webster (Morningside) 47.58, 2. Beng Bryant (Dorsey) 48.06, 3. Brian Flewellen (Riordan) 48.38, 4. Chris Pride (Grant) 49.00, 5. Ken Lavergne (Madison) 49.51, 6. Andy Sample (Antioch) 49.84, 7. Jason Wilbourn (Redwood) 51.37.

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TRAVIS HANNAH--400

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MARK SENIOR --800

800 Meters:

This was really an exciting event, with a number of people from all over the state

running between 1:51.7 and 1:53.5 as the qualifications moved towards the State Meet. Joe Amendt (Lick, San Jose) had come south to beat everyone at Arcadia, Gordon Johnson (Piedmont) looked super in winning at Mt. SAC, Mark Senior (Mt. Miguel, Spring Valley) had shocked with a 1:53.09 in the morning open meet at Arcadia (and went on to a 1:51.77 San Diego Section win), and Scott Smoot (Vacaville) had surprised with 1:51.9 along the way. There were others close for back-up. It was going to be a fun one to watch!

With the winners only and next best times onto the finals, people came to run in the Heats. Sub-1:52.0 runners Scott Smoot (Vacaville) and Mark Senior (Mt. Miguel) met in Heat 1. Senior led through 400m at 54.2, Smoot at 600m in 1:23.4, with Mark battling by with 50 meters to go to win 1:52.30-1:52.97. Derrick Miller (Johnson, Sacramento) ran a hard third 200m through a 1:23.8 600m in Heat 2, with Eric Smith (Redlands) just edging by at the tape 1:52.76-1:52.77. Heat 3 had only winner Luis Luna (Vacaville) qualify, as his 28.8 final 200m won at 1:54.48. Joe Amendt (Lick) led through 54.8 (400m)-1:23.8 (600m) splits, then uncorked a 13.8 final 100m to win heat 4 at 1:52.66 over Gordon Johnson (Piedmont) (1:52.74).

Nine sub 1:53.5 800m runners toed the line for the Finals on Saturday. The racers were called off the line once as Gordon Johnson had the finer points of one turn starting lines re-explained to him. Darius Frelix (Washington, LA) was running for important team points, and when the race did get off he did not lose anyone through 25.0 and 52.9 first lap splits. At 600m (1:21.6) Darius was joined right at the front by Johnson, Eric Smith, and Mark Senior. Through 700m (1:36.7) it seemed Frelix, Johnson, or Smith would be the winner, with Senior insistent on a spot on the pole behind that trio. Amazingly, down the homestretch the powerful San Diegan decided on a straight line to pass that trio ahead of him, tightroping down the inner edge of Lane 1 while passing all those ahead of him on the inside to emerge victorious in 1:51.37 to 1:51.69 (Johnson) and 1:51.96 (Frelix). It was a very exciting race by a fine field that kind of had you thinking an extraordinary twist would take it for the eventual victor.

Finals

- 1 Mark Senior (Mt. Miguel) 1:51.37
- 2 Gordon Johnson (Piedmt) 1:51.69
- 3 Darius Frelix (Washington) 1:51.96
- 4 Joe Amendt (James Lick) 1:52.35
- 5 Eric Smith (Redlands) 1:53.13
- 6 Derrick Miller (Hiram Johns) 1:53.55
- 7 Scott Smoot (Vacaville) 1:54.85
- 8 Morgan Bateman (CresVly) 1:55.09
- 9 Luis Luna (Vacaville) 1:55.70

Heat #1: 1. Mark Senior (Mt. Miguel) 1:52.30, 2. Scott Smoot (Vacaville) 1:52.97, 3. Craig Magness (Santa Teresa) 1:53.56, 4. Robert Mata (Roosevelt) 1:54.59, 5. Troy Collins (Hemet) 1:55.80, 6. Jeff Sorkness (Santa Rosa) 1:56.83, 7. Steve Dirkse (So. Bakersfield) 2:04.57.

Heat #2: 1. Eric Smith (Redlands) 1:52.76, 2. Derrick Miller (Hiram Johnson) 1:52.77, 3. Darius Frelix (Washington) 1:53.34, 4. Herman Vera (St. Francis) 1:54.04, 5. Keith Guillory (McLane) 1:54.70, 6. Wesley Dawan (Oakland) 2:00.23.

Heat #3: 1. Luis Luna (Vacaville) 1:54.48, 2. George Cabral (Belmont) 1:54.76, 3. Edgar Montes (Nogales) 1:54.77, 4. John Carrow (Esperanza) 1:54.79, 5. Phil Smith (Patrick Henry) 1:55.94, 6. Leon Rountree (Bishop O'Dowd) 1:57.12, 7. Vanos Paulos (Roosevelt) 2:00.46.

Heat #4: 1. Joe Amendt (James Lick) 1:52.66, 2. Gordon Johnson (Piedmont) 1:52.74, 3. Morgan Bateman (Crescenta Valley) 1:53.40, 4. Jorge Rodriguez (Fallbrook) 1:56.26, 5. S. Garrett (Reseda) 1:57.66, 6. Garry Martin (Oroville) 1:58.09, 7. Michael Smith (Galileo) 2:03.01.

1600 Meters:

The 1600 Meters was an event that gained some momentum as the season went along, with six statewide under 4:12.0 entering this Meet, and a number of other around 4:15 with the potential to go much lower. The real tragedy of the season was the academic ineligibility of Ian Alsen (Granada Hills), who had looked so super in handling the Western U.S.'s best in a big Arcadia double at 4:09.67 (1600m with 58.2 final 400m) and 8:59.54 (3200m 28.5 final 200m). Interest seemed to center around the Southern Section stars against improving Reggie Williams (River City, West Sacramento), who had improved to 4:10.40 and 8:59.7, and had some very impressive doubles. Reggie had actually come closest of any Californian to Alsen at Arcadia, pushing him in the 3200 while recording a 9:00.66 there for second.

Jim Geerlings (Newport Harbor) had won the Southern Section Finals at 4:09.54 over Joe Devine (Saugus) 4:10.40, Jim Robbins (Coroona del Mar) 4:10.74, soph Coley Candaele (Carpinteria) 4:11.53, and Brian

Ochs (Mission College Prep, San Luis Obispo) 4:12.63. Candaele was particularly interesting, as he was the Quarterback on a Section Finals Small School Football power, and possesses 49.5 relay one lap speed. He is as talented as anyone ever seen in the greater Southern California area.

The South made its dominance known in Heat 1 on Friday, as Steve Zirkelbach (Concord) joined Geerlings to lead through 1200m at 3:12.0 before Candaele led the Southern Section charge, winning in 4:11.91 (Geerlings 2nd at 4:12.97 with Robbins 3rd at 4:14.18). Off the quick tempo six from this first heat made the Finals. Heat 2 lost its pace setter



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**REGGIE WILLIAMS
1600 & 3200**

when Joe Devine false started out of the race. The troops here lollied through Brian Ochs' 64.2-2:10.4-3:15.0 splits before getting serious. Reggie Williams won at 4:15.48, with only two others moving on from this race.

Williams was obviously very serious about a 1600-3200 double, with the

1600 at 6:20 p.m. and the 3200 at 7:50 p.m. on Saturday. He would prove more than able to the task for the first half of the evening. Talented San Pasqual (Escondido) junior Frances O'Neill handled the pacing chores the first lap and a half (30.1 200m-61.1 400m-1:32.9 600m) with Williams right on his shoulder. At 750 meters Reggie took the lead and the pace slipped to its slowest half lap thus far, 32.8 for a 2:05.7 at 800m. It was during the third lap that Williams made it tough on people, racing 200 number 5 in 31.6 (2:37.3 1000m) and pulling 5 meters away from Candaele who led everyone else by 5 meters. By the 1200m gun at 3:08.8 (last 200 in 31.5 and 3rd lap in 63.1) the Sac Joaquin Section star had 12 meters on the field, and he moved away to a 15 meter lead by 1400m with a 30.4 half lap. Reggie passed the 1500m at 3:54.4 with a 2.2 second lead and sailed on in an easy winner at 4:08.78 (the #2 time nationally this year). Back two and one half seconds Geerlings edged Candaele for 2nd 4:11.28-4:11.57. It did not appear that Reggie purposefully held anything back for the 3200.

Finals

- 1 Reggie Williams (River City) 4:08.78
- 2 Jim Geerlings (NewHarbor) 4:11.28
- 3 Coley Candaele (Carpinta) 4:11.57
- 4 Francis O'Neill (San Pasq) 4:13.83
- 5 Steve Zirkelbach (Concord) 4:14.31
- 6 Dennis Hernandez (MisSJ) 4:17.04
- 7 Louis Rivera (Tokay) 4:20.27
- 8 Jim Robbins (Cor del Mar) 4:23.17
- 9 Eric Bellamy (Moreau) 4:29.47

Heat #1: 1. Coley Candaele (Carpinteria) 4:11.91, 2. Jim Geerlings (Newport Harbor) 4:12.97, 3. Jim Robbins (Corona del Mar) 4:14.18, 4. Steve Zirkelbach (Concord) 4:14.49, 5. Eric Bellamy (Moreau) 4:15.40, 6. Louis Rivera (Tokay) 4:17.89, 7. Max Guardiola (Tulare) 4:21.11, 8. Quiche Rubalcava (Bellarmine) 4:24.26, 9. Jose Vasquez (Hanford) 4:24.84, 10. Natividad Gacna (Belmont) 4:25.42, 11. Matt Ringer (Homestead) 4:30.38, 12. Danny Jordan (Venice) 4:34.71. **Heat #2:** 1. Reggie Williams (River City) 4:15.48, 2. Dennis Hernandez (Mission San Jose) 4:16.43, 3. Francis O'Neill (San Pasqual) 4:17.66, 4. Brian Ochs (Mission Prep) 4:18.71, 5. Dino Oliviera (Sonora) 4:18.79, 6. Clay Biddle (Mt. Carmel) 4:20.89, 7. Eric Axtell (St. Francis) 4:21.20, 8. Joel Scheiger (Granada Hills) 4:26.55, 9. Abelardo De Luna (South Gate) 4:27.58, 10. Alvaro Luna (Corning) 4:27.71, 11. Greg Crosley (Monte Vista) 4:28.33, 12. Bobby Rodriguez (McLane) N.T., 13. Manuel Perez (Oakland) N.T.

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3200 Meters:

The 3200 would be the same situation as the 1600, with Reggie Williams matched up against the Southern Section's best, where Scott Hempel (Walnut) 9:01.56, David Scudamore (Palos Verdes) 9:02.38, Eddie Lavelle (Corona del Mar) 9:02.90, Jose Rodriguez (Santa Ana Valley) 9:03.06, and Shannon Winkelman (Marina, Huntington Beach) 9:03.57 all had strong big meet credentials. Hempel, Winkelman, and Scudamore had been within six seconds of a fresh Williams at Arcadia, so it was not going to be an easy double attempt for Reggie.

After a 2:14.3 split at 800m in the Finals Scudamore handled the pace setting for the next lap and a half, crossing the 1200m point at 3:24.8. Williams took the lead at three and a half laps and controlled it through the mile at 4:32.7 (67.9 fourth lap). Continuing to up the ante through lap number five, Reggie added 32.7 and 33.8 half lap segments (66.5-5:39.1 2000m point) that only Hempel, Winkelman, and Scudamore could stay with. Only Hempel and Scudamore were still with the West Sacramentan through a 70.9 lap (6:50.0 at 6 laps), with Williams two meters up on Hempel at the start of the final go-round at 7:58.1. Hempel remained close, but it was over the final half lap (which he covered in 29.4) that Reggie really sensed home and pulled away to a 2.2 second victory at 8:59.61-9:01.84. Reggie thus joins California prep legends Rich Kembell (DeLaSalle, Concord-1974) and Roman Gomez (Belmont, LA 1984-1985) who pulled off the Mile-Two Mile or 1600m-3200m double. We are inclined to doubt that Reggie has taken running as seriously as either of those two had up to this stage in his life, as his involvement with other sports during his prep career (basketball, etc) has left him with a lot of background to gain and improvement possibilities in college.

Finals

1 Reggie Williams (River City)	8:59.61
2 Scott Hempel (Walnut)	9:01.84
3 Jimmy Rodriguez (San AVI)	9:10.10
4 Shannon Winkelman (Mar)	9:11.87
5 David Scudamore (Pal Ver)	9:11.88
6 Ed Lavelle (Corona del Mar)	9:12.53
7 Jason Salber (Univ City)	9:13.74
8 Goshu Tadese (Crawford)	9:18.59
9 Steve Zirkelbach (Concord)	9:18.77

10 Hector Ortiz (Grestimba)	9:19.68
11 Kevin Holbrook (Vacaville)	9:21.01
12 Richard Nunez (Golden Wt)	9:23.13
13 Robert Mata (Roosevelt)	9:23.91
14 Craig Lawson (Gran Hills)	9:27.18
15 Juan Romero (Arvin)	9:28.88
16 Rob Scott (San Ramon)	9:29.10
17 Matt Johanson (Castro ey)	9:29.49
18 Brian Schilling (Palo Alto)	9:30.79

110 Meter High Hurdles:

This was an event where some solid stars fell by the wayside near the end of the season. The nation's number two returnee in the event and 1987 State runner-up, Ron Copeland (Dorsey, LA) had recorded a 13.95 in finishing second to the 13.70 National Leader of Michael Bates (Amphitheater, Tucson, Arizona) in the Arcadia Meet. Unfortunately, Ron suffered a fatigue fracture of the lower leg and had to bow out during LA City competition. John Montgomery (Independence, San Jose) had run 13.8 late this season, but false started out of his Section Meet. In that duo, junior William Henry (Arroyo Grande), who had taken the Southern Section 2A title at 14.11 became a favorite on the stopwatch.

Henry had the quickest qualifying time on Friday, a 14.29 (wind +0.43 mps) in his Heat 2 win. Diatori Gildersleeve (Grant, Sacramento) was a narrow Heat 3 victor, with both he and Chris Gordon (Jefferson, Daly City) recording 14.38 (+1.52 mps) clockings. Zack Urbe (Capuchino, San Bruno) took Bryan Addison (Chatsworth) 14.34-14.44 (+1.51 mps) in Heat 4. The finals were interesting, with a quizzical twist attached to the winner's race. This was really a pretty evenly matched field, and so for half of the Saturday evening's finals run no one was dominant. However, halfway through the event, Darrel Thompson (Cerritos), who had drawn Lane 1, made a big move over two hurdles that had him edge ahead by a meter, a margin he held until the tape. Immediately after the finish the red flag went up in Lane 1. One guess was that Thompson, probably never drawing the pole lane as one of Southern California's top hurdlers, had dragged a leg around instead of over the hurdle. The official result sheet even had Zack Urbe listed 1st (then scribbled out and the #2 writ-

ten alongside) at 14.33 and William Henry 2nd (scribbled out and the #3 written alongside his place) at 14.33. Thompson's spot on the sheet had a message scribbled out and the number 1 at 14.25 was put above the space in the position for space and mark. It is assumed he was originally disqualified and then reinstated as the winner.

Finals

1 Darrell Thompson (Cerritos)	14.25
2 Zack Urbe (Capuchino)	14.33
3 William Henry (Arroyo Gra)	14.33
4 Diatori Gildersleeve (Grant)	14.35
5 John Prudenti (Siena)	14.49
6 Chris Gordon (Jefferson)	14.61
7 Bryan Addison (Chatsworth)	14.63
8 Sylvester Barron (Crensh)	14.64
9 Eric Keiting (Crespi)	14.76

Heat #1: 1. Eric Keiting (Crespi) 14.46, 2. Darrell Thompson (Cerritos) 14.52, 3. Eddie Carbin (Washington) 14.62, 4. Harley North (Gridley) 14.83, 5. Aaron Lacy (Gardena) 14.85, 6. Andrew Moreno (Castle Park) 15.17, 7. Martin Greer (Silver Creek) 15.18. Heat #2: 1. William Henry (Arroyo Grande) 14.29, 2. Sylvester Barron (Crenshaw) 14.46, 3. John Prudenti (Siena) 14.51, 4. Dennis Reading (Fortuna) 14.63, 5. Marcus MacFarland (Castlemont) 14.64, 6. Jim Farmer (Clovis West) 14.82, 7. Steve Uriell (Mt. Miguel) 15.37. Heat #3: 1. Diatori Gildersleeve (Grant) 14.38, 2. Chris Gordon (Jefferson) 14.38, 3. Marc Kallick (Marina) 14.57, 4. Zuri Hector (Washington) 14.92, 5. Aaron Campbell (Garfield) 14.93, 6. Mike Pollard (Clovis West) 15.27, 7. Matthew Wachowicz (DeLaSalle) 15.37. Heat #4: 1. Zack Urbe (Capuchino) 14.34, 2. Bryan Addison (Chatsworth) 14.44, 3. George Lynch (Mater Dei) 14.61, 4. Dave Burton (Mt. Carmel) 14.74, 5. Mitch Ingram (Modesto) 14.76, 6. Rex Speer (Terra Linda) 15.18, 7. Derrick Edmond (Roosevelt) 15.41.

300 Meter Intermediate Hurdles:

John Montgomery (Independence, San Jose) had been a little upset after his false start disqualification in his Section Meet and run 36.60 in the Central Coast Finals, so he was the overwhelming favorite (he was fourth last year at State and the nation's #3 returnee at 37.38). It turned out that he would have to run, however.

Montgomery (37.67), John Barry (Ygnacio Valley) 37.72, Kevin Jones (Mt. Miguel, Spring Valley) 36.99, and Kevin Dallas (Pasadena) 37.71 were Heat winners. Jones, who had run a then State-leading 37.88 in the

Arcadia Morning Open Meet and won the San Diego Section looked especially good in his run.

Montgomery really knows this event. Running tall and powerful, he exhibits a very disciplined step pattern that should take him on through the full lap event in college in fine style. Stepping down at 6.2-4.0-3.9-4.1-(23.8 at 200m) through the first half lap John entered the straighta-



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DARRELL THOMPSON 110 HH

way with a slight lead. A very excited pack was just behind, with spectators knowing enough about the possible position changes with a possible stride to never leave focus from this event. It was Jones who closed strongest of anyone in the race, bursting from the pack at the middle of the home stretch and off the last barrier moving right up to, but not past, Montgomery, with the phototimer a real necessity in this event. With 4.4-4.3-4.6 and a 1.3 run-in it turned out that Montgomery had held Jones off 36.43-36.44, with John's winning mark the one National Leader to come out of the Men's side of the Meet this year. Back in third Nate Wright helped Oakland's team points with a 37.08

Finals

1 John Montgomery (Independence)	36.43
2 Kevin Jones (Mt. Miguel)	36.44

3 Nate Wright (Oakland)	37.08
4 Diatori Gildersleeve (Grant)	37.17
5 John Barry (Ygnacio Valley)	37.25
6 Anthony Hale (Garden Gre)	37.37
7 Zack Uribe (Capuchino)	37.97
8 Jim Farmer (Clovis West)	38.27
9 Kevin Dallas (Pasadena)	38.32

Heat #1: 1. John Montgomery (Independence) 37.67, 2. Jim Farmer (Clovis West) 38.22, 3. Dennis Reading (Fortuna) 38.61, 4. Harley North (Gridley) 38.81, 5. Dexter Monroe (Patrick Henry) 38.96, 6. Dave Lefner (Crespi) 38.97, 7. Aaron Lacy (Gardena) 39.79. **Heat #2:** 1. John Barry (Ygnacio Valley) 37.72, 2. Tony McCullough (Long Bch Poly) 38.57, 3. Sylvester Barron (Crenshaw) 38.62, 4. Dion Phillips (Silver Creek) 39.38, 5. Dave Burton (Mt. Miguel) 39.39, 6. Terry Werdal (Garces Memorial) 39.68. **Heat #3:** 1. Kevin Jones (Mt. Miguel) 36.99, 2. Zack Uribe (Capuchino) 37.70, 3. Nate Wright (Oakland) 37.72, 4. Darren Hawkins (St. Mary's) 38.43, 5. Jeff Judge (Narbonne) 39.43, 6. Ray Johnson (Armijo) 40.32, 7. Mike Pollard (Clovis West) 41.74. **Heat #4:** 1. Kevin Dallas (Pasadena) 37.71, 2. Diatori Gildersleeve (Grant) 38.06, 3. Anthony Hale (Garden Grove) 38.07, 4. Phil Hadley (McAteer) 40.39.

400 M Relay:

This first event on Saturday's program was one that contained most of the squads that would be significant in the team scoring, with the always tough Hawthorne squad on the sideline after League false-start problems. Washington (LA), anchored by Brian Bridgewater (9.7 with a flying start for his leg), ran down the leading Independence (San Jose) team 41.52-41.67 in Friday's Heat 1. Vacaville 41.58 edged Morse (San Diego) 41.62 in Heat 2, with Quincy Watts (Taft, Woodland Hills) uncocking an anchor leg as impressive as ever seen at the prep level in the state with a 9.2 flying split that brought his team from way, way back to 3rd in 41.65. Central Section Champion Tulare cruised a well-balanced 41.51 Heat 3 win, with Oakland racing the day's quickest, a 41.14 win in the last qualifying race.

This was the First Men's running event on Saturday. The Southern favorite was Washington, but they put themselves out of it with a poor first baton pass. Right in the middle of the track, running a consistent race, was the quickest team from Friday, Oakland, who had a couple of meters when everyone blew in for the anchor pass, and David Laynes was not about to be run down. Oakland was an easy winner clocking

41.33, with Tulare 2nd in 41.62, Brian Bridgewater screamed the anchor for Washington, moving to 3rd at 41.97, with Watts and Taft way back in 7th at 42.33.

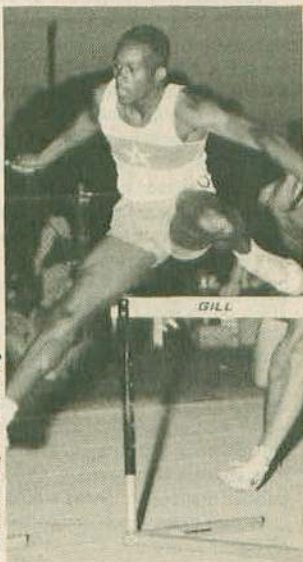
Finals

1 Oakland	41.33
2 Tulare	41.62
3 Washington (LA)	41.97
4 Long Beach Poly (L Bch)	41.98
5 Morse (San Diego)	42.14
6 Vacaville	42.21
7 Taft	42.33
8 Lemoore	42.60

Heat #1: 1. Washington (LA) 41.52, 2. Independence (San Jose) 41.67, 3. Cerritos 41.97, 4. Richmond 42.83, 5. Casa Roble 43.51, 6. Oceanside 43.52. **Heat #2:** 1. Vacaville 41.58, 2. Morse (San Diego) 41.62, 3. Taft (LA) 41.65, 4. Morningside 41.66, 5. Riordan 41.92, 6. Pittsburg 41.93. **Heat #3:** 1. Tulare 41.51, 2. Eisenhower 41.66, 3. Dorsey (LA) 41.86, 4. Ygnacio Valley 41.90, 5. Mount Miguel 42.21, 6. Yerba Buena 43.00, 7. Bella Vista 43.77. **Heat #4:** 1. Oakland 41.14, 2. Long Beach Poly 41.40, 3. Fontana 41.50, 4. Lemoore 41.64, 5. Carson 42.40, 5. Carson 42.40, 6. Pleasant Valley 42.88, 7. Moreau 43.34.

1600 M Relay:

With five consecutive California State Championships this event is the property of the Hawthorne High School team and Coach Kye Courtney. In the Press Box they call it the



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"Head Coach's Relay" for Courtney, as his program revolves around the people who are asked to run the four lap baton race for that team.

The Cougars led qualifying with their 3:12.70 Heat 1 win. Washington (LA) nipped Muir 3:16.21-3:16.61 in the 2nd trial, Long Beach Poly won over Crenshaw (LA) 3:15.23-3:15.93 in the Third Heat, with Independence (San Jose) shockingly disqualified for a lane violation in third Heat 4 win at 3:14.60 (to sink their title hopes), and Morningside (Inglewood) 3:15.18 top from that race after the ruling.

At the end of Saturday evening the Men's team struggle had gone through a lot of ebbs and flows, ups and downs, but simply boiled down to who would win this event. Hawthorne and Washington (LA) were tied with 24 points going into this race, and Oakland had 22. You guess who the favorites were here? Washington does really have some fine people, with Darius Frelix (1:51.96 800m), Donovan Burks (10:58-21.37), Simon Jones (48.00 400m) and Brian Bridgewater (10.28w-20.56) having the potential to run with anyone in the nation. Oakland is led by Nate Wright and David Laynes. However, with the entire Hawthorne dynasty built around this race, with pride in speed built around the ability to run one lap hard, the Cougars ran like the wind. Chris Alexander opened up for Hawthorne at 48.6, with Curtis Conway racing away from the field during a 46.5 second carry. Ismael Delpino was 49.1 while way out in front during the third leg, with Hannah blasting the final 150 meters during a 46.3 anchor carry that had the team come in at 3:10.46 (#2 nationally behind a 3:09.8 run by South Oak Cliff of Dallas, Texas in their State Meet). Washington was disqualified for too many steps on the line during the first leg (Brian Bridgewater had anchored them in 47.3 at 3:14.7), with Oakland dropping the baton while running the event and finishing in 8th. Oh, by the way, Alexander and Delpino are sophs and Conway is a junior for Hawthorne. The string could very well continue in 1989.

Finals

1 Hawthorne	3:10.46
2 Crenshaw	3:15.31
3 Long Beach Poly	3:16.08
4 Morningside	3:16.69
5 Mount Miguel	3:17.61

6 Silver Creek	3:18.74
7 Eisenhower	3:19.30
8 Oakland	3:23.77

Heat #1: 1. Hawthorne 3:12.70, 2. Oakland 3:15.55, 3. Mount Miguel 3:16.11, 4. Hiram Johnson 3:20.80, 5. Carson 3:21.84, 6. Hanford 3:22.15, 7. Fortuna 3:22.21. **Heat #2:** 1. Washington 3:16.21, 2. Muir 3:16.61, 3. Vacaville 3:17.66, 4. Acalanes 3:18.53, 5. Morse 3:18.93, 6. Lemoore 3:21.87, 7. Los Altos 3:23.18. **Heat #3:** 1. Long Beach Poly 3:15.23, 2. Crenshaw 3:15.93, 3. Silver Creek 3:16.33, 4. Ygnacio Valley 3:18.60, 5. Patrick Henry 3:21.83, 6. Elk Grove 3:22.60, 7. Anderson 3:28.21. **Heat #4:** 1. Morningside 3:15.18, 2. Eisenhower 3:16.51, 3. James Logan 3:23.37, 4. Reseda 3:24.99, 5. McAteer 3:33.23.

High Jump:

First year track athlete Reggie Betton (Antelope Valley, Lancaster) had burst forth in April with a 7-2 win at Arcadia, then dominated the event in the South. He had included a good attempt at 7-4 in the Southern Section State qualifying affair.

Casualties in Friday's qualifying here (it took 6-7 to move on to Saturday's Finals) were 6-9 LA City Champion Eddie Downing (Canoga Park), Tim Prince (Logan, Union City), a 7-footer from last year, and Colman Conroy (St. Ignatius, San Francisco) 6-10 3/4. In the Finals James Barrowman (North Bakersfield) and Gio Sprattling (Salinas) were the first to go out, failing at 6-6 after 6-4 clearances. Ed Cogan (Notre Dame, Sherman Oaks) was the only athlete among the others to require more than one attempt to make 6-6, clearing it on his second trial. Everyone passed 6-7. Mark Wilson (Charter Oak, Covina) 7-0 1/4 last summer as a 10th grader cleared 6-8 on his first jump, as did 6-10 3/4 leaper Craig Short (Santa Fe, Santa Fe Springs). It would make sense for Craig to wander over to the band room at Santa Fe, as Olympian Doug Nordquist heads that part of the school's program. Also over 6-8 on their first trial were Kevin Keane (De La Salle, Concord), and Reggie Betton. Ricky Pickett (Clovis), a 6-10 jumper, took three attempts to get over that 6-8 height, with Cogan and Kwame Thompson (St. Mary's, Berkeley) having three misses there. All decided to pass at 6-9, with the bar raised to 6-10. Keane and Betton cleared on their first attempt, while Pickett,

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Wilson, and Short all went out with three misses. The bar next went up to 7-0, with Betton continuing a fine season clearing on his first attempt. Keane missed three times, and Betton could not negotiate the next height of 7-2 this evening, thus continuing undefeated this season with his 7-0 win.

Finals

1 Reggie Betton (Antel Valley)	7-0
2 Kevin Keane (DeLaSalle)	6-10
3 (Tie) Craig Shore (SanFe Sp)	6-8
3 (Tie) Mark Wilson (Charter Oak)	6-8
5 Ricky Pickett (Clovis)	6-8
6 Kwame Thompson (St. Ma)	6-6
7 Ed Cogan (Notre Dame)	6-6
8 Gio Sprattling (Salinas)	6-4
9 James Barrowman (No Bak)	6-4

Finalists: 1. Reggie Betton (Antelope Valley) 6-7, 2. Kevin Keane (DeLaSalle) 6-7, 3. Ricky Pickett (Clovis) 6-7, 4. Kwame Thompson (St. Mary's) 6-7, 5. Ed Cogan (Notre Dame) 6-7, 6. Mark Wilson (Charter Oak) 6-7, 7. Craig Short (Santa Fe Springs) 6-7, 8. Gio Sprattling (Salinas) 6-7, 9. James Barrowman (No. Bakersfield) 6-8.

Pole Vault:

As usual, the Cerritos facility continues to be very, very difficult to Pole Vault at. The cross-wind blowing from west to east this weekend wrapped around either end of the massive West Stadium concrete bleachers and came onto the main field from both directions. Flags on the main field sometimes fly opposite directions, even though they may be only 50 meters apart. In an event where timing at the box depends upon some real precision in the activity leading up to that point-good luck. Regged decathlete Tom Richards (San Marcos, Santa Barbara) handled this facility as well as any recent prep vaulter during the latter part of his 1988 season.

Some big casualties went down in Friday's qualifying. No heighting (at 14-4) were Jay Bettinger (Chatsworth), 15-8 from the LA City Finals, Rick Lotterer (San Pasqual, Escondido) the San Diego Champion at 15-6, and (at 14-8) Tom Parker (Notre Dame, Sherman Oaks), at 16-9 one of the nation's best. It took 14-0 to make the field of nine finals, with 15 footers Eric Juarez (Apple Valley) and Greg Sheets (Taft, Woodland Hills) also non-qualifiers. Jeff Lewis (Coalinga) and Mike

Guevara (Clovis West, Fresno) tied for 8th in the Finals when they could clear no higher than 13-8 (Lewis went out at 14-2, with Guevara passing until 14-8, then missing 3 times). Jeff Cranney (San Marcos of San Diego) and Randy Lanini (Gonzalez) were 6th & 7th, respectively, at 14-2. Others over 14-2 (on their second attempts) were RW Henson, a 15-3 vaulter from Newport Harbor and 15-7 star Matt Lehman (San Dieguito, Escondido), with David Noel (Edison, Huntington Beach), who has a 16-4 best, and Paul Cano (Manteca), over on their third trials. Tom Richards was passing until 15-2. At that 15-2 barrier Henson cleared on his first attempt, with Lehman on his third to sort out the places after first. Richards sailed over 15-2 on his first attempt, 15-6 on his initial try (while Henson and Lehman missed three times), and 16-0 on his first. Tom finally missed three times at 16-7. Again, Richards' vaulting here during the last three weekends, where he

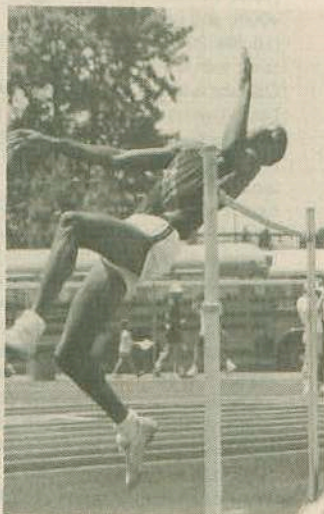


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REGGIE BETTON--HJ

cleared no lower than 16-0, was as fine any prep we can think of. Parker, it turned out, cleared 16-9 on Saturday competing in an Olympic Development Meet for the weekend's highest prep vaulting.

Finals

1 Tom Richards (San Marcos)	16-0
2 R.W. Henson (Newp Harb)	15-2
3 Matt Lehman (San Diego)	15-2
4 David Noel (Edison)	14-8
5 Paul Cano (Manteca)	14-8



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TOM RICHARDS--PV

6 Jeff Cranney (San Marcos)	14-2
7 Randy Lanini (Gonzalez)	14-2
8 Jeff Lewis (Coalinga)	13-8
8 Mike Guevara (Clovis West)	13-8

Finalists: 1. Tom Richards (San Marcos) 14-8, 2. Matt Lehman (San Dieguito) 14-4, 3. Paul Cano (Manteca) 14-4, 4. RW Henson (Newport Harbor) 14-4, 5. David Noel (Edison) 14-4, 6. Mike Guevara (Clovis West) 14-4, 7. Randy Lanini (Gonzalez) 14-4, 8. Jeff Cranney (San Marcos) 14-0, 9. Jeff Lewis (Coalinga) 14-0.

Long Jump:

Diatori Gildersleeve (Grant, Sacramento) had thrown out the gauntlet to this year's California Long Jumpers with a then nation-leading 24-5 1/4 win at Arcadia in April. By early June only Ken McKelvey (Independence, San Jose) had joined him out over 24 feet at 24-1w and 24-0 legal.

For some reason the Meet management this year had decided to allow three attempts for all competitors on Friday, then carry over those marks to Saturday in the Long Jump, Triple Jump, Shot Put, and Discus. Meet directions sent to schools indicated that Prelim Field Event performances would not carry over to Saturday's Finals, and that the Finalists would receive four finals attempts in the horizontal and throwing events. After protests to this system, it was decided that performances would carry over to the Finals competition on Saturday and that athletes would receive four attempts at that time. No one could ever remember such a system being used in the State Meet before. It was stated that athletes were told prior to the start of their

event on Friday which system was being used, but the confusion left a bad taste in many people's mouths. Time for athletes on the facility is certainly not an issue on Saturday, with only nine athletes in the Finals of any event. The Bakersfield Women's team won their share of the team State title (they split it with Rio Mesa) on Friday here. Melissa Weis and Dawn Dumble could have taken their Shot and Discus attempts on that Preliminary day, driven home to Bakersfield Saturday morning, and dared the competition to challenge their marks. This system took away from the drama of Saturday evening's Finals in the affected field events.

Anyway, in the Men's Long Jump, only one position in the top six changed when Friday's marks were carried over to Saturday. The State Meet is by nature an experience for High School athletes that really psychs them up. Typically the Men's Long Jump and Triple Jumps on Friday at this Cerritos facility, right in front of the crowd and the announcer, are experiences in which athletes really get fired up for big marks. Gildersleeve did lead Friday's qualifying with a 24-5 1/2w (wind .270 meters per second), with Ron Marin (Chatsworth) 23-9 1/4 (+0.82), Jerome Price (University City, San Diego) 23-6 (+0.07), and Derrick Baker (Cerritos) 23-3 3/4w (+2.46) the next three finalists. Eric Railey (Oakland) improved to 22-11 3/4 in Saturday's jumping to replace Ed Stewart (Oroville) 22-10 3/4 in 5th. This carrying over of marks kind of puts the leading athletes in a "go for broke" stance in the event as they have es-

established themselves with nothing really to lose during Saturday's Finals. It makes for more fouls and a different approach to the event than athletes, coaches, and spectators are used to. The entire Men's Long Jump event on Saturday took 40 minutes.

Finals

1 Diatori Gildersleeve (Grant)	24-5 1/2
2 Ron Martin (Chatsworth)	23-9 1/4
3 Jerome Price (Univ City)	23-6
4 Derrick Baker (Cerritos)	23-3 3/4
5 Eric Railey (Oakland)	22-11 3/4
6 Ed Stewart (Oroville)	22-10 3/4
7 Ken McKelvey (Independ)	22-10 1/2
8 Glen Reyes (Orange Glen)	22-9 1/4
9 Raymond Robinson (Washi)	22-8 1/2

Finalists: 1. Diatori Gildersleeve (Grant) 24-5 1/2w, 2. Ron Martin (Chatsworth) 23-9 1/4, 3. Jerome Price (University City) 23-6, 4. Derrick Baker (Cerritos) 23-3 3/4, 5. Ed Stewart (Oroville) 22-10 3/4, 6. Glen Reyes (Orange Glen) 22-9 1/4, 7. Ken McKelvey (Independence) 22-9 1/4, 8. Raymond Robinson (Washington) 22-8 1/2, 9. Eric Railey (Oakland) 22-6 1/2.

Triple Jump:

The Triple Jump was another competition that was decided basically during Friday's Preliminaries. Some people really came out of the woodwork during the last couple of weeks of the season to make this an interesting event. Tyrone Scott (Mesa Verde, Citrus Heights) had jumped 48-8 1/2 in 1987 and not traveled much to compete in 1988. In Sectional competitions he improved to 51-3w and 50-2 1/2 legal, with Diatori Gildersleeve (Grant, Sacramento) 50-11 3/4w (49-6 1/2 ok), and Tony Rogers (Johnson, Sacramento) 50-0 3/4w (48-9) also strong out of the Sac Joaquin Section. Lenny McGill (Escondido, Orange Glen) had improved to 49-8w (48-8), with Charles Huff (La Jolla) 49-7 3/4w (49-6) also out of the San Diego Section. Yomo Smith (Taft, Woodland Hills) started things early here in Friday's Prelims with a two foot improvement to 48-6 1/4 (wind +0.08 mps). Damon Carson (San Diego) rocketed to 50-5 1/2 (+0.77) in a later flight, with Scott leading all qualifiers with a 50-6 (+1.40) on his first effort. Huff was out to 49-4 (+1.20), McGill 48-11 1/2 (+0.55), and Rogers 48-6 1/4 (+0.67) to round out the top five going into the Finals. Rogers had a better second effort than Smith to this point in the battle for fifth. Mingo Hosey (Pasadena), the Southern Section Champion with a 49-6 best

had three fouls on Friday.

As in the Long Jump, the positions basically held the same from Friday, with Tim Prince (Logan, Union City), a talented all-around athlete the only big improver. Tim went 49-10 1/4 in his first effort on Saturday, and 49-11 3/4 on his second to leapfrog into 3rd place. Charles Huff was the only other athlete to improve on the second day, adding 1/2 inch to his fourth effort at 49-4 1/2. Most of the leaders were about two feet behind Friday's efforts on Saturday with the different slant on things offered by this year's placing formula.

Finals

1 Tyrone Scott (Mesa Verde)	50-6
2 Damon Carson (San Diego)	50-5 1/2
3 Tim Prince (James Logan)	49-11 3/4
4 Charles Huff (La Jolla)	49-4 1/2
5 Lenny McGill (Orange Glen)	48-11 1/2
6 Tony Rogers (Hiram John.)	48-6 1/4
7 Yomo Smith (Taft)	48-6 1/2
8 Ryan Benjamin (Tulare)	48-4 3/4
9 Charles Rogers (BaldwPk)	48-3

Finalists: 1. Tyrone Scott 50-6, 2. Damon Carson 50-5 1/2, 3. Charles Huff (La Jolla) 49-4, 4. Lenny McGill (Orange Glen) 48-11 1/2, 5. Tony Rogers (Hiram Johnson) 48-6 1/4, 6. Yomo Smith (Taft) 48-6 1/4, 7. Ryan Benjamin (Tulare) 48-4 3/4, 8. C. Rogers (Baldwin Park) 48-3, 9. Tim Prince (James Logan) 48-0 1/4.

Shot Put:

Three ended up over 62 feet in a good competition. Here, the top seven achieved their best marks in Friday's throwing. Sophomore Brent Noon led off Round 1 with a big 62-3. Favorite Kaleaph Carter (Edison, Huntington Beach) was out to 61-3 1/2 through the second round, with surprising junior Joe Hicks (San Benito, Hollister) taking the lead with a 62-3 1/4 in Round 3. Carter decided that this was enough, sending his final toss of Friday's Prelims out to 64-0 1/2 for a new yearly state lead and effectively sealing the victory. Rick Fuller (Arroyo, El Monte) was out to 59-2 1/2 on his opening toss for fourth.

On Saturday Carter had 62-7 1/2, 63-3, and 63-5 1/2 throws to complete a fine series for the weekend, but as indicated above, none of the top seven could better Friday's efforts.

Finals

1 Kaleaph Carter (Edison)	64-0 1/2
2 Joe Hicks (San Benito)	62-3 1/4
3 Brent Noon (Fallbrook)	62-3
4 Rick Fuller (Arroyo)	59-2 1/2
5 Chris Carter (Jesuit)	56-10 3/4

6 Mark Wohlford (Gunderson)	56-6
7 Joe Bailey (Wilson, Lg Bch)	56-2 1/2
8 Jason Miller (Clovis West)	56-0
9 Roger Johnson (Atwater)	55-7 1/2

Finalists: 1. Kaleaph Carter (Edison) 64-0 1/2, 2. Joe Hicks (San Benito) 62-3 1/4, 3. Brent Noon (Fallbrook) 62-3, 4. Rick Fuller (Arroyo) 59-2 1/2, 5. Chris Carter (Jesuit) 56-10 3/4, 6. Mark Wohlford (Gunderson) 56-6, 7. Joe Bailey (Wilson, Long Beach) 56-2 1/2, 8. Roger Johnson (Atwater) 55-7 1/2, 9. Jason Miller (Clovis West) 55-4 3/4.

Discus:

The new Discus facility (a ring



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poured on a grass field to the Southwest of the main stadium) will be a good one, as the athletes throw in a southwest direction that will have a nice quartering wind from the west. John Wirtz (Leland, San Jose) was the National Leader at 199-10 and had dominated the State this spring. Kaleaph Carter (Edison, Huntington Beach) had been really developing in the event over the final half of the season, and an eight foot personal improvement on throw number two on Friday put him ahead of Wirtz 186-2 to 181-9 at the end of that day.

On Saturday some pretty good winds came in from the West and the throws stayed up a bit longer. Five of the nine in the field had their best throw on the second day. Wirtz went right to work, improving to 184-3 on his first toss Saturday, 192-10 on #5

for the weekend, 192-2 on #6 and 185-2 on his final effort. Carter, with nothing to lose, had two more over 180 (181-7 on #5 and 180-9 on #6), but could not catch the San Jose athlete. Damiean Jenkins (Saugus) improved to 178-11 on Saturday for 3rd, Rick Fuller carried over a 177-11 from Friday for 4th, with John Gallagher (Palm Desert) at 173-6.

Finals

1 John Wirtz (Leland)	192-10
2 Kaleaph Carter (Edison)	186-2
3 Damiean Jenkins (Saugus)	178-11
4 Rick Fuller (Arroyo)	177-11
5 John Gallagher (Palm Des)	173-6
6 Derrick Stevens (Bakersfi)	172-10
7 Jason Ford (Casa Roble)	169-9
8 Chris Carter (Jesuit)	169-8
9 Mike Stubblefield (Taft)	168-11

Finalists: 1. Kaleaph Carter (Edison) 186-2, 2. John Wirtz (Leland) 181-9, 3. Rick Fuller (Arroyo) 177-11, 4. Derrick Stevens (Bakersfield) 172-10, 5. Chris Carter (Jesuit) 169-8, 6. Jason Ford (Casa Roble) 168-6, 7. Damiean Jenkins (Saugus) 168-2, 8. Mike Stubblefield (Taft) 167-2, 9. John Gallagher (Palm Desert) 166-6.

Team Scoring:

Hawthorne High School picked up its fifth team State title in the Men's Division in the last six years. They added a Women's title, in 1986, in the only year since 1983 that they missed on the Men's side in those six years. So, one of Prep Sports most amazing dynasties continued at Cerritos this weekend. In a fairy tale ending it came down to the program's favorite event, the blend of talent, speed, determination, and conditioning that make up the 1600 meter relay. It was really no contest, as Hawthorne took that deciding baton event by over 35 meters.

Hawthorne finished with 34 points, a solid Washington squad was 2nd at 24, Kaleaph Carter-led Edison (Huntington Beach) tied with Oakland for third at 22, with River City (West Sacramento) and Reggie Williams' distance double equalling Mt. Miguel's (Spring Valley) 20 in a tie for 5th.

Finals

1 Hawthorne (SS)	34
2 Washington (LA)	24
3 Oakland (OK)	22
3 Edison (SS)	22
5 River City (SJ)	20
5 Mt. Miguel (SD)	20
7 Grant, Sacramento (SJ)	18
8 Newport Harbor (SS)	16
9 Vacaville (SJ)	15
10 Cerritos (SS)	14

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State Meet Notes:

One sad point was to see empty lanes in the State Meet Qualifying running events on Friday. With a move to give every section at least one participant here (the Oakland and San Francisco Section used to split one spot), the qualifying number of athletes from around the state was 28 (instead of 27 as in past years). The 27 athlete formula allowed three heats of nine, with the 28 number involving four heats of 7 in lane events. With giving each Oakland and San Francisco one guaranteed spot and simply adding one participant to each of the other eight Section's allotment for the meet here you could have 36 participants and run four heats of 9. This 36 number might be too many to run in one 3200 race. In many other states the event is run with the 18 or so fastest qualifiers in one race and those left in a second race, with times deciding placers (I think you can figure out where all the placers will come from). Again, it just does not seem right to keep deserving athletes out of this Meet when such a simple formula could fill up all the lanes.

Girl's Results

By
KEITH CONNING

100 Meters:

Junior Angela Burnham (Rio Mesa, Oxnard) entered the competition with the third best time in the nation (11.65).

Burnham won the 1986 state meet in 11.78. She had a hamstring injury last year.

Burnham, the Southern Section champion in 11.59 and the heat one winner in 11.86, defeated sophomore Inger Miller (Muir, Pasadena), the daughter of Dr. Lennox Miller, the former USC star and Jamaican Olympian, by .20--11.52 to 11.72.

Only one other girl has won the state meet 100 meters more than once. Sharon Ware (Berkeley) won in 1980 and 1981.

"She surprised all of us with how well she's running," said Dr. Miller, now a Pasadena dentist, to Steve Hunt of the *Star-News*. "We're very proud of her."

"I kind of stutter-stepped as I came out, but I'm happy," said Inger Miller.



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KALEAPH CARTER--SP

"She (Burnham) gets that first 10 yards on me. But next year..."

Burnham moved to number two in the nation. The national leader is Chryste Gaines (South Oak Cliff, Dallas, TX) at 11.50.

The state meet record of 11.42 was set by Sharon Ware (Berkeley) in 1980. The national record of 11.29 was set by Barbara Bell (Trimble Tech, Fort Worth, TX) in 1981.

Senior Simone Cain (Hueneme, Oxnard), the heat three winner in 12.00, placed third in 11.86, and senior Deedee Wheeler (Hawthorne), was fourth in 11.99. Thus, the Southern Section took the first four places.

Finals

1 Angela Burnham (Rio Me)	11.52
2 Inger Miller (Muir)	11.72
3 Simone Cain (Hueneme)	11.86
4 Deedee Wheeler (Hawthorne)	11.99
5 Chris Williams (Vallejo)	12.22
6 Sabrina Lee (Washington)	12.33
7 Angela Kinney (UnivCity)	12.39
8 Annette Coleman (Carlmnt)	12.40
9 Debra Hamilton (Locke)	12.50

Heat #1: 1. Angela Burnham (Rio Mesa) 11.86, 2. Charlotte Vines (San Marcos) 12.46, 3. Angela Davidson (Wasco) 12.49, 4. Kwani Stewart (Yuba City) 12.77, 5. Wendy William (Dorsey) 12.89, 6. Sahron Polley (El Molino) 12.85. Heat #2: 1. Inger Miller (Muir) 12.08, 2. Joslyn Mack (St. Francis) 12.60, 3. Sorii Epps (Patrick Henry) 12.61, 4. Nikywa Prevost (San Fernando) 12.71, 5. Mindi Putnam (Orland) 12.75, 6. Jenny Travis (Granada) 12.90, 7. Sonja Godfrey (Fremont) 12.97. Heat #3: 1. Simone

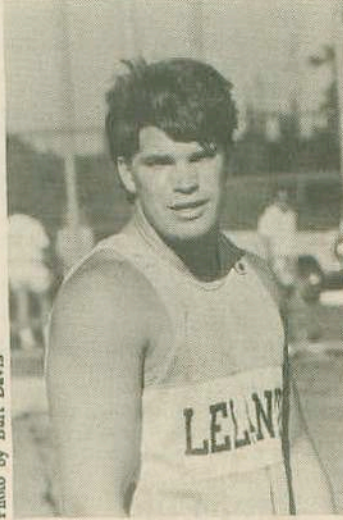


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Cain (Hueneme) 12.00, 2. Sabrina Lee (Washington) 12.31, 3. Chris Williams (Vallejo) 12.33, 4. Octavia Dumas (Mt. Pleasant) 12.60, 5. Yolanda Burton (McAt-
eer) 12.68, 6. Angela Evans (Richmond) 13.03, 7. Felicia Howard (San Fernando) 13.05. Heat #4: 1. Deedee Wheeler (Hawthorne) 12.13, 2. Debra Hamilton (Locke) 12.44, 3. Annette Coleman (Carlmnt) 12.45, 4. Angela Kinney (University City) 12.45, 5. Nitra Young (Tulare) 12.55, 6. Felicia Jones (St. Elizabeth) 12.62, 7. Cindy Hill (Tokay) 12.95.

200 Meters:

Junior Angela Burnham (Rio Mesa, Oxnard) entered the state meet with the third fastest time in the nation (23.58).

Last year junior Angela Rolfe (Dorsey, Los Angeles) had placed third in 24.28 and senior Simone Cain (Hueneme, Oxnard) had placed sixth in 24.88.

Burnham, second in the Southern Section in 23.66 and the heat two winner in 23.98, defeated Cain, the Southern Section champion in 23.65

and heat one winner in 23.98, by .14--23.45 to 23.59.

Burnham moved to number two in the nation. The national leader is Chryste Gaines (South Oak Cliff, Dallas, TX) at 23.13(y).

"I was nervous for the 200," said Burnham to Scott Howard-Cooper of the *Los Angeles Times*. "Most of the time, I'll get in the blocks, take a deep breath and go. But the gun went off and I was still nervous."

The state meet record of 23.14 was set by Sherri Howard (Kennedy, Granada Hills) in 1980. The national record of 23.0 was set by Wendy Vereen (Trenton, NJ) in 1983.

Sophomore Inger Miller (Muir, Pasadena), the heat three winner in 23.97, placed third in 23.73. Junior Chris Williams (Vallejo), second in heat two in 24.41, was fourth in 24.48.

Finals

1 Angela Burnham (Rio M)	23.45
2 Simone Cain (Hueneme)	23.59
3 Inger Miller (Muir)	23.73
4 Chris Williams (Vallejo)	24.48
5 Sheri Bertell (Mission Viejo)	24.93
6 Maria Murelius (Alhambra)	25.12
7 Sabrina Lee (Washington)	25.31
8 Debra Hamilton (Locke)	25.42
Heat #1: 1. Simone Cain (Hueneme) 23.98, 2. Debra Hamilton (Locke) 24.98, 3. Mindi Putnam (Orland) 25.35, 4. Sharon Polley (El Molino) 26.00, 5. Dalia Jones (Lincoln) 26.71, 6. Lania Brice (Tokay) 26.78. Heat #2: 1. Angela Burnham (Rio Mesa) 23.98, 2. Chris Williams (Vallejo) 24.41, 3. Angela Rolfe (Dorsey) 24.80, 4. Sabrina Lee (Washington) 25.07, 5. Sorii Epps (Patrick Henry) 25.29, 6. Stacey Alcott (Granada) 25.89. Heat #3: 1. Inger Miller (Muir) 23.97, 2. Maria Murelius (Alhambra) 24.98, 3. Annette Coleman (Carlmnt) 25.13, 4. Kerry Garcia (San Marin) 25.89, 5. Angela Davidson (Wasco) 25.99, 6. Vicki DeJesus (Mt. Carmel) 25.96, 7. Nikywa Prevost (San Fernando) 25.97. Heat #4: 1. Sheri Bertell (Mission Viejo) 24.89, 2. Tanya Dooley (Bret Harte) 25.26, 3. Liz Williams (Madera) 25.55, 4. Kimberly McAllister (Locke) 25.67, 5. Kelsey Monagan (Serra) 25.75, 6. Rachael Buckner (California) 26.03.	

400 Meters:

Sophomore Tanya Dooley (Bret Harte, Angels Camp) and junior Angela Rolfe (Dorsey, LA) entered the state meet with the second and third best times in the nation--53.95 and 54.17. The national leader is junior Carmelita Williams (Lincoln, East St. Louis, IL) at 53.25.

Three state meet finalists returned

from last year: Rolfe, the champion in 53.55, senior Andreen Alvarenga (Archbishop Mitty, San Jose), third in 54.75; and junior Roslyn Mack (St. Francis, Mt. View), fifth in 55.60.

Rolfe, the Southern Section champion in 54.17 and second in heat two in 55.40, defeated Dooley, the Sac-Joaquin Section champion in 53.97 and the heat one winner in 54.54, by .46--54.26 to 54.72.

Only two other athletes have won the 400 meters twice: Denean Howard (Kennedy, Granada Hills) in 1980 and 1982; and Choo Choo Knighten (Locke, LA) in 1984 and 1985.

"I hit a brick wall," said Dooley to Craig Massei of *The Stockton Record*.

"All of a sudden that wind hit me," Dolley said. "I didn't know what happened. I went 10 times slower. I tried to go faster, but I just couldn't."

"I just stayed within striking distance and made sure I had something left for the end," Rolfe said to Massei. "I gave it everything I had the last 150 meters. I had something to prove to myself."

"I guess I wanted it bad enough. I knew she (Dooley) would go out real fast. I was just hoping I could run her down."

"I knew when I looked at my watch that we were going to be in trouble down the backstretch (the coaches sat on the opposite side from the finish line)," said Bret Harte coach Jan Edwards. "She ran the last 200 yards in 30 seconds."

"I always try to go out fast," Dooley said. "I was going so good and then I got to that corner and I just couldn't hold it. I saw her go past me and that's when I panicked."

"But second place in the state still sounds pretty good. I still have two more years. I'm going to get her next year."

The state meet record and national record of 52.39 was set by Denean Howard (Kennedy, Granada Hills) in 1980.

Alvarenga, the heat two winner in 55.34, placed third in 55.14. Mack, the heat three winner in 55.22, placed fourth in 55.68. Junior Kesha Marvin (Hawthorne), second in heat three in 55.24, placed fifth in 55.92.

Finals

1 Angela Rolfe (Dorsey)	54.26
2 Tanya Dooley (Bret Harte)	54.72
3 Andreen Varenga (Architty)	55.14
4 Roslyn Mack (St. Francis)	55.68

5 Kesha Marvin (Hawthorne)	55.92
6 Tonya Irick (Apple Valley)	56.30
7 Jeanie Stewart (Duarte)	56.35
8 Jackie Henderson (Alham)	56.44

Heat #1: 1. Tanya Dooley (Bret Harte) 54.54, 2. Jeanie Stewart (Duarte) 56.38, 3. Berneithia Whitmore (Compton) 57.72, 4. Carmen Delgado (University) 58.19, 5. Dina Moore (Harbor) 58.86, 6. Cela Taylor (Encinal) 59.74. Heat #2: 1. Andreen Alvarenga (Mitty) 55.34, 2. Angela Rolfe (Dorsey) 55.40, 3. Jackie Henderson (Alhambra) 56.10, 4. Nicole Teter (West Valley) 57.4, 5. Stacey Alcott (Granada) 59.16, 6. Carla Tucker (Serra) 59.21, 7. Trichelle Dawson (Lincoln) 59.35. Heat #3: 1. Roslyn Mack (St. Francis) 55.22, 2. Kesha Marvin (Hawthorne) 55.24, 3. Latril Jackson (Crenshaw) 57.76, 4. Heidi Robertson (No. Bakersfield) 58.58, 5. Tanisha Robinson (El Cerrito) 59.20, 6. Vivian Banks (Skyline) 59.76. Heat #4: 1. Tonya Irick (Apple Valley) 56.31, 2. Shirley Terrell (Vallejo) 58.25, 3. Yazmin Daher (Castle Park) 58.57, 4. Erin McLaughlin (Alhambra) 59.34, 5. Edwina Ammonds (Roosevelt) 59.50, 6. Maryann Clark (Gali-



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ANGELA BURNHAM -- 100 & 200

leo) 63.59.

800 Meters:

Kristi Bache (University, San Diego) entered the state meet with the second fastest 1,500 meter time in the nation at 4:31.01.

Three finalists from last year returned: junior Kimberly McAllister (Locke, LA), first in 2:12.92; senior Kristine Hand (Fallbrook), second in 2:13.52; and senior Courtney Clark (Las Lomas, Walnut Creek), eighth in 2:14.95.

Junior Kathi Roldan (Mt. Whitney, Visalia), the Central Section champion in 2:13.41 and winner of heat four in 2:12.95, defeated junior Tarsha Handy (Archbishop Mitty, San Jose), the Central Coast Section champion in 2:15.60 by .49--2:12.11 to 2:12.60. Roldan turned in the fastest time in the Central Section this year and fourth on the all-time list.

"I didn't have any idea how far behind they were--I just never know," said Roldan to Mary Ellen Driscoll of *The Fresno Bee*, one of only two female reporters in the main press box. "It (the win) didn't really soak in until we started crossing over to the



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ANGELA ROLFE--400

medal ceremony."

The state meet record of 2:04.91 was set by Trena Hull (Compton) in 1984. The national record of 2:04.5 was set by Joetta Clark (Columbia, Maplewood, NJ) in 1980.

Hand placed third in 2:12.71, Clark placed fourth in 2:13.21, and McAllister was fifth in 2:14.49.

"I thought I could win it (at the turn), but everybody started passing me, Clark said to Darrell Moody of the *Contra Costa Times*. "They kind of got away from me."

"I'm happy to get this far. I didn't get psyched out this year. I'm glad it's over. I'm looking forward to going to Cal."

Bache, second in heat four in 2:13.26, placed sixth in 2:14.69.

Finals

1 Kathi Roldan (Mt. Whitney)	2:12.11
2 Tarsha Handy (Mitty)	2:12.60
3 Kristine Hand (Fallbrook)	2:12.71
4 Courtney Clark (Las Lomas)	2:13.21
5 Kimberly McAllister (Locke)	2:14.49
6 Kristi Bache (University)	2:14.69
7 Rhonda Kennerson (Hawt)	2:17.89
8 Andrea Sansom (Glendora)	2:18.03
9 Sharette Garcia (Mani Arts)	2:22.67

Heat #1: 1. Courtney Clark (Las Lomas) 2:13.70, 2. Rhonda Kennerson (Hawthorne) 2:15.13, 3. Sharette Garcia (Mani Arts) 2:15.18, 4. Althea Moses (Morningside) 2:15.87, 5. Diane Walker (Golden Sierra) 2:21.46, 6. Katrina Jacobs (Oakland) 2:34.12. Heat #2: 1. Kimberly McAllister (Locke) 2:15.29, 2. Gina Westby (Torrey Pines) 2:15.83, 3. Kim Toney (Atascadero) 2:16.10, 4. Becky Spies (Livermore) 2:16.21, 5. Genevieve Farnady (Los Gatos) 2:17.33, 6. Carrie Luis (Escalon) 2:22.78, 7. Christy Oliveira (West Valley) 2:29.19. Heat #3: 1. Tarsha Handy (Mitty) 2:13.72, 2. Andrea Sansom (Glendora) 2:13.73, 3. Kristine Hand (Fallbrook) 2:13.98, 4. Whitney Wyatt (Bakersfield) 2:18.17, 5. Mona Pena (Washington) 2:18.84, 6. LeMonica Smith (Banning) 2:19.86, 7. Rosanna Sansone (Marin Catholic) 2:21.55. Heat #4: 1. Kathi Roldan (Mt. Whitney) 2:12.95, 2. Kristi Bache (University) 2:13.26, 3. Persephone Lowery (Norco) 2:17.03, 4. Camille Mayo (Los Angeles) 2:18.64, 5. Gabby McKenzie (Dixon) 2:19.18, 6. Alisa Jones (Redwood) 2:20.97.

1,600 Meters:

Four state meet finalists from last year returned: junior Kira Jorgensen (Vista), first in 4:45.98; senior Robbyn Bryant (Hesperia), second in 4:46.59; senior Tracey Williams (Mt. View, El Monte), fourth in 4:54.52; and sophomore Beth Bartholomew (Fremont, Sunnyvale) eighth in 5:02.90.

Jorgensen (Rancho Buena Vista, Vista), the San Diego Section champion in 4:56.11 and the winner of heat two in 4:56.26, defeated Bryant, the Southern Section champion in 4:53.00 and the winner of heat one in 4:57.00, for the second straight year-- 4:49.54 to 4:51.78.

CIF STATE MEET

Only three athletes have won the 1600 title more than once before Jorgensen: Linda Goen (North, Bakersfield) in 1977 and 1979; Polly Plumer (University, Irvine) in 1980, 1981, and 1982; and Shannon Clark (Mt. View) in 1984 and 1985.

"Everybody pulled out of the 1600 to concentrate on the 3200," said Jorgensen to Steve Brand of *The San Diego Union*. "That was tough on me—I felt like the Lone Ranger out there.

"I couldn't do what Racey did—run a 63 for the first 400. In fact, I couldn't run a 63 for a 400 period. That's beyond what I'd ever want to do. But that's what she had to do, it's the only way she could beat me."

The state meet record and national record of 4:39.92 was set by Polly Plumer (Irvine) in 1982.

Senior Janet Bowie (Woodside), second in heat one in 4:59.38, placed third in 4:52.70. Williams, second in heat two in 4:58.61, was fourth in 4:55.82. Bartholomew, fourth in heat two in 5:01.18, was fifth in 4:59.84.

Finals

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| 1 Kira Jorgensen (RanBuVista) | 4:49.54 |
| 2 Robbyn Bryant (Hesperia) | 4:51.78 |
| 3 Janet Bowie (Woodside) | 4:52.70 |
| 4 Tracey Williams (Mt. View) | 4:55.82 |
| 5 Beth Bartholomew (Fremt) | 4:59.84 |
| 6 Jerri Martin (San Pedro) | 5:02.45 |
| 7 Jessica Craven (Camarillo) | 5:06.07 |
| 8 Nicole Robbins (Hesperia) | 5:09.63 |
| 9 Mary Martinez (Foothill) | 5:13.72 |

Heat #1: 1. Robbyn Bryant 4:57.00, 2. Janet Bowie 4:59.38, 3. Jerri Martin 5:01.01, 4. Nicole Robbins 5:03.19, 5. Deena Drossin 5:05.16, 6. Michelle Ferguson 5:08.10, 7. Heather Eller 5:10.31, 8. Kristin Porter 5:14.06, 9. Christy Oliveira 5:16.39, 10. Ann Kuphalt 5:18.26, 11. Rosetta Hunter 5:18.50, 12. Sheila Burke 5:20.16, 13. Tonya Russell 5:31.12, 14. Tsuga Sesfah 5:52.59. Heat #2: 1. Kira Jorgensen 4:56.26, 2. Tracey Williams (Mt. View) 4:58.61, 3. Jessica Craven (Camarillo) 5:00.61, 4. Beth Bartholomew (Fremont) 5:01.18, 5. Mary Martinez (Foothill) 5:02.41, 6. Dana Bjornsen (Campolindo) 5:03.34, 7. Evie Barry (Santa Teresa) 5:08.23, 8. Melissa Pardini (Northgate) 5:09.01, 9. Mary Lopez (Madera) 5:09.72, 10. Alexandra Guidi (El Camino Real) 5:10.06, 11. Jennifer Homan (Nevada Union) 5:23.80, 12. Lisa Lopez (Baiboa) 5:34.52, 13. Michelle Keim (San Pasqual) 5:35.40, 14. Rosa Cazares (South Gate) 5:42.62.

3200 Meters:

Sophomore Karen Hecox (South Hills, Covina) entered the state meet

with the third fastest mile time in the nation (4:52.60).

Five state meet finalists from last year returned: junior Kira Jorgensen (Vista), second in 10:30.08; junior Reyna Cervantes (Montebello), third in 10:30.72; Hecox, fourth in 10:31.95; senior Katy McCandless (Castilleja, Palo Alto), fifth in 10:32.77; and senior Tracey Williams (Mt. View, El Monte), sixth in 10:33.85.

Hecox, second in the Southern Section in 10:40.37, defeated Cervantes, the Southern Section champion in 10:33.91, by 2.66—10:16.14 to 10:18.80. Hecox and Cervantes came through 3000 meters in 9:42.0 and 9:42.3, the top two times in the nation.

The state meet record of 10:04.2 was set by CVory Schubert (Del Mar, San Jose) in 1983. The national record of 10:03.7 was set by Erin Keogh (McLean, Langley, VA) in 1987.

McCandless placed third in 10:25.14.

Hecox, Cervantes, and McCandless turned in the top three times in the nation.

Jorgensen (Rancho Buena Vista, Vista), with only an hour and twenty minutes rest from her 1600 victory, was fourth in 10:25.55. Senior Jennifer Ashe (Leland, San Jose) was fifth in 10:31.33, junior Jaime Park (Santa Barbara) was sixth in 10:48.77, and senior Nicole Houle (Hesperia) was seventh in 10:54.37. Williams did not run.

Finals

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| 1 Karen Hecox (S Hills, Cov) | 10:16.14 |
| 2 Reyna Cervantes (Montebo) | 10:18.80 |
| 3 Katy McCandless (Castill) | 10:25.14 |
| 4 Kira Jorgensen (RanBuVist) | 10:25.55 |
| 5 Jennifer Ashe (Leland) | 10:31.33 |
| 6 Jaime Park (Santa Barbara) | 10:48.77 |
| 7 Nicole Houle (Hesperia) | 10:54.37 |
| 8 Ann Kuphalt (Bella Vista) | 10:56.95 |
| 9 Mary Lopez (Madera) | 11:01.60 |
| 10 Rachel Lewis (SanCata) | 11:01.96 |
| 11 Jerri Martin (San Pedro) | 11:04.33 |
| 12 Dana Bjornsen (Campoli) | 11:05.67 |
| 13 Tina Gorbet (Lassen) | 11:07.92 |
| 14 Michelle Ferguson (Piner) | 11:07.93 |
| 15 Martha Segura (Lincoln) | 11:12.86 |

100 Meter Hurdles:

Senior Michelle DeCoux (Bishop O'Dowd, Oakland), the North Coast Section champion at 13.9 and the winner of heat three in 13.97, defeated freshman Keri Sanchez (Santa Teresa, San Jose), the Central

Coast Section champion in 13.98 and the winner of heat one in 13.90 wind-aided, by .08—13.91 to 13.99.

"It really hasn't hit me yet," DeCoux said to Eldredge McCreedy of *The Tribune*. "I thought she (LaTanya Davenport of Locke, LA) was ahead of me until she hit it (the hurdle)."

The state meet record of 13.34 was set by Janeene Vickers (Pomona) in 1987. The national record of



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KATHI ROLDAN--800

13.2 was set by Tanya Davis (Sterling, Houston, TX) in 1985.

Sophomore Felice Lipscomb (Santa Monica), second in heat three in 14.09, placed third in 14.04. Senior Lisa Hale (Riverside Poly), third in heat one in 14.24 wind-aided, placed fourth in 14.32.

Junior LaTanya Davenport (Locke, LA) placed second in heat one in 13.91 wind-aided. Senior Sharon Edmonds (Hawthorne) won heat two in 14.21.

The wind readings on the heats varied from a high of +3.34 mps aiding the runners in heat one to a negative wind of -0.18 mps into the faces of the runners in heat four. Three runners qualified for the final from heat one, but only one runner qualified in heat four. Is this justice?

According to *Track and Field News' Little Gold Book*, a wind of 3.3 aids a runner by .25. A wind of -0.1 hinders a runner by .01, and a -0.2 wind has an effect of .02. Thus, .25 should be added on to the times in heat one, and .018 subtracted from the times in heat four. Should the effect of the wind be taken into account when de-

termining the qualifiers for the finals?

If these two heats had been adjusted for the effect of the wind, then senior Regina Weatherford (Locke, LA) would have made the finals, but Lisa Hale (Riverside Poly) would not have qualified.

Finals

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| 1 Michelle DeCoux (O'Dowd) | 13.91 |
| 2 Keri Sanchez (Santa Ter) | 13.99 |



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KIRA JORGENSEN -- 1600

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| 3 Felice Lipscomb (SanMon) | 14.04 |
| 4 Lisa Hale (Riverside Poly) | 14.32 |
| 5 LaTanya Davenport (Locke) | 14.33 |
| 6 Sharon Polley (El Molino) | 14.55 |
| 7 Sharon Swift (Eisenhower) | 14.57 |
| 8 Andrea Swift (Bonica) | 14.82 |
| 9 Sharon Edmonds (Hawth) | 15.04 |

Heat #1: 1. Keri Sanchez (Santa Teresa) 13.90, 2. LaTanya Davenport (Locke) 13.91, 3. Lisa Hale (Riverside Poly) 14.24, 4. Bridget Taylor (James Logan) 14.68, 5. Kathi Roldan (Mt. Whitney) 14.86, 6. Nicole Redmon (Hogan) 15.00, 7. Traci Ciapponi (Chico) 15.32. Heat #2: 1. Sharon Edmonds (Hawthorne) 14.21, 2. Sharon Polley (El Molino) 14.34, 3. Sharon Swift (Eisenhower) 14.38, 4. Lisa Tumans (El Capitan) 15.24, 5. Shelley Duttar (Clovis) 15.28, 6. Tasha Turner (Narbonne) 15.39. Heat #3: 1. Michelle DeCoux (Bishop O'Dowd) 13.97, 2. Felice Lipscomb (Santa Monica) 14.09, 3. Kim Young (Madera) 14.51, 4. Ada Aiser (Sequoia) 14.90, 5. Kim Dill (Poway) 15.23, 6. Michelle Silva (Valley) 15.34, 7. Andrea Burnside (Westchester) 16.09. Heat #4: 1. Andrea Swift (Bonica) 14.42, 2. Regina Weatherford (Locke) 14.43, 3. Suzanne Keaho (Mission Viejo) 14.51, 4. Cathy Stark (San Pasqual) 15.30, 5. Lisa Fisher (Gunn) 15.32, 6. Lasha Pierce (Oakland) 15.49, 7. Kelli Keen (Washington) 17.32.

300 Meter Hurdles:

Senior Regina Weatherford (Locke, LA) and freshman Keri Sanchez (Santa Teresa, San Jose) entered the state meet with the first and third fastest times in the nation—42.78 and 42.96.

After running three of the four heats

Section record of 44.06 set by Debbie Budwig (Clovis West, Fresno) in 1984.

"I had nightmares all Friday night," said Young to Driscoll. "This (Cerritos) was the same place I fell as a freshman, on the fifth hurdle. And I hit my knee last night so I was a little worried about it.

"Last night, when I heard about the hurdles, I wanted to cry. I wanted to trash my track career right then and there.

"Today, we were lining up for the hurdles and I heard the people from Hoover, Clovis West, even Bakersfield going, 'Go, Kim, c'mon.' Then I felt great."

Senior Ada Alger (Sequoia, Redwood City) placed second in heat three in 44.00.

Finals	
1 Michelle DeCoux (O'Dowd)	42.16
2 Keri Sanchez (Santa Teresa)	43.15
3 Kim Young (Madera)	43.75
4 Ada Alger (Sequoia)	44.29
5 Danielle Reaves (Esperanza)	44.43
6 Sharon Edmonds (Hawthorn)	44.52
7 Stacy Thompson (Morse)	44.70
8 Iliana Mazingo (Hawthorne)	45.49

Heat #1: 1. Danielle Reaves (Esperanza) 44.82, 2. Stacy Thompson (Morse) 44.89, 3. Vickey Allegri (Harbor) 45.08, 4. Regina Weatherford (Locke) 46.74, 5. Christy Boyd (Foothill) 47.26, 6. D'Guia Woods (Castlemont) 48.17. Heat #2: 1. Keri Sanchez (Santa Teresa) 44.04, 2. Iliana Mazingo (Hawthorne) 44.90, 3. Andrea Swift (Bonicia) 45.92, 4. Jennifer Sperling (Clovis West) 46.30, 5. Stacy Mikelson (Placer) 47.80, 6. Chrystal Lewis (Dorsey) N.T. Heat #3: 1. Michelle DeCoux (Bishop O'Dowd) 42.78, 2. Aba Alger (Sequoia) 44.00, 3. Kim Young (Madera) 44.02, 4. Cindy Byrne (Canyon, Canyon Co.) 44.82, 5. Marissa Wilkerson (Vanden) 45.96, 6. Glenda Whipple (Etna) 47.24, 7. Jane Kim (Taft) 47.31. Heat #4: 1. Sharon Edmonds (Hawthorne) 44.85, 2. Shanee Somerville (Palm Springs) 45.45, 3. Cassandra Tyson (Mt. Carmel) 45.50, 4. Amanda Dias (Manteca) 47.27, 5. Lori Hokerson (Clayton Valley) 48.57, 6. Larriane Tatman (Foothill) 50.76.

400 M Relay:

Hawthorne entered the state meet with the second fastest time in the nation at 46.73. The national leader is Carter (Dallas) at 46.24 (y).

Hawthorne, the Southern Section champion in 46.73 and winner of heat one in 47.03, defeated St. Francis (Mt. View), the Central Coast Section champion in 47.43 and the winner of heat three in 47.07, by .04-

-47.10 to 47.14.

Hawthorne has won the state meet five times out of 15 meets.

The state meet and national record of 45.11 was set by Hawthorne in 1985.

Muir (Pasadena), the winner of heat two in 47.50, placed third in 47.42. Rio Mesa (Oxnard), second in heat three in 47.35, was fourth in 47.64. Locke (Los Angeles), second in heat two in 47.67, was fifth in 47.96.

Morse (San Diego) placed third in heat three in 48.08.

Finals	
1 Hawthorne	47.10
2 St. Francis	47.14
3 Muir (Pasadena)	47.42
4 Rio Mesa (Oxnard)	47.64
5 Locke (LA)	47.96
6 Dorsey (LA)	48.32
7 Esperanza	48.63
8 Archbishop Mitty	48.85
9 Morse (San Diego)	48.87

Heat #1: 1. Hawthorne 47.03, 2. Cajon 48.41, 3. Washington 48.54, 4. Crenshaw 49.07, 5. Tokay 49.42, 6. Bishop O'Dowd 49.58, 7. McAteer 50.38. Heat #2: 1. Muir 47.50, 2. Locke 47.67, 3. Archbishop Mitty 48.25, 4. Serra 49.14, 5. Hoover 50.07, 6. Richmond 50.13, 7. Orland 51.56. Heat #3: 1. St. Francis 47.07, 2. Rio Mesa 47.35, 3. Morse 48.08, 4. San Fernando 48.76, 5. James Logan 49.57, 6. Oakland 49.82, 7. Lincoln 50.66. Heat #4: 1. Dorsey 47.69, 2. Esperanza 48.22, 3. Bakersfield 48.27, 4. Independence 49.15, 5. Vallejo 49.34, 6. University City 49.67, 7. Northgate 50.52.

1600 M Relay:

Locke (Los Angeles) entered the state meet with the third best time in the nation at 3:47.14 (y).

Hawthorne, the Southern Section champion in 3:49.83 and winner of heat two in 3:50.59, defeated Locke (Los Angeles), the Los Angeles Section champion in 3:48.55 and second in heat one in 3:49.46, by .87--3:47.32 to 3:48.19.

The State Meet and National Record of 3:37.69 was set by Muir (Pasadena) in 1985.

Corona del Mar (Newport Beach), the winner of heat one in 3:49.46, placed third in 3:48.28. St. Francis (Mt. View), the winner of heat four in 3:48.62, was fourth in 3:49.06. Muir (Pasadena), second in heat two in 3:53.90, was fifth in 3:50.41. Woodbridge (Irvine), second in heat four in 3:52.67, was sixth in 3:52.80. Archbishop Mitty (San Jose), third in heat one in 3:51.10, was seventh in 3:53.44.

Dorsey (Los Angeles) placed second in heat three in 3:53.14.

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1 Hawthorne	3:47.32
2 Locke	3:48.19
3 Corona Del Mar	3:48.28
4 St. Francis	3:49.06
5 Muir	3:50.41
6 Woodbridge (Irvine)	3:52.60
7 Archbishop Mitty	3:53.44
8 Dorsey	3:54.92
9 Pomona	3:55.45

Heat #1: 1. Corona del Mar 3:49.46, 2. Locke 3:49.46, 3. Archbishop Mitty 3:51.10, 4. Kennedy (Fremont) 3:57.51, 5. Lowell 4:17.80. Heat #2: 1. Hawthorne 3:50.59, 2. Muir 3:53.90, 3. Bishop O'Dowd 3:54.43, 4. El Capitan 3:57.98, 5. Clovis 3:59.50, 6. Bret Harte 4:10.52. Heat #3: 1. Pomona 3:51.72, 2. Dorsey 3:53.14, 3. San Pasqual 3:59.13, 4. Independence 4:01.27, 5. Northgate 4:03.24, 6. Bakersfield 4:09.65. Heat #4: 1. St. Francis 3:48.62, 2. Woodbridge 3:52.67, 3. Morse 3:56.65, 4. Davis 4:02.05, 5. James Logan 4:03.09, 6. San Fernando 4:03.69, 7. West Valley 4:04.52.

High Jump:



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MICHELLE DECoux 100HH & 300IH

Senior Celia Willis (Clovis West, Fresno) entered the state meet with the best high jump in the nation at 6-0.

Three state meet finalists from last year returned: senior Lynn Patrick (Serra, San Diego), first at 5-10;



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KAREN HECOX--3200

on Friday it was discovered that the seventh flight of hurdles was placed incorrectly. Thus, all the trial heats were moved to Saturday morning at 10:00.

Weatherford, the Los Angeles Section champion in 42.89, finished fourth in heat one and failed to qualify for the finals.

Senior Michelle DeCoux (Bishop O'Dowd, Oakland), the North Coast Section champion at 43.00 and the winner of heat three in 42.78, defeated freshman Keri Sanchez (Santa Teresa, San Jose), the Central Coast Section champion in 43.23 and the winner of heat two in 44.04, by .99--42.16 to 43.15. DeCoux's time is the best in the nation this year. DeCoux and Burnham were the only double winners among the girls.

The state and national freshman record of 43.08 was set by Janeene Vickers (Pomona) in 1984.

The state meet record and national record of 40.18 was set by Leslie Maxie (Mills, Millbrae) in 1984.

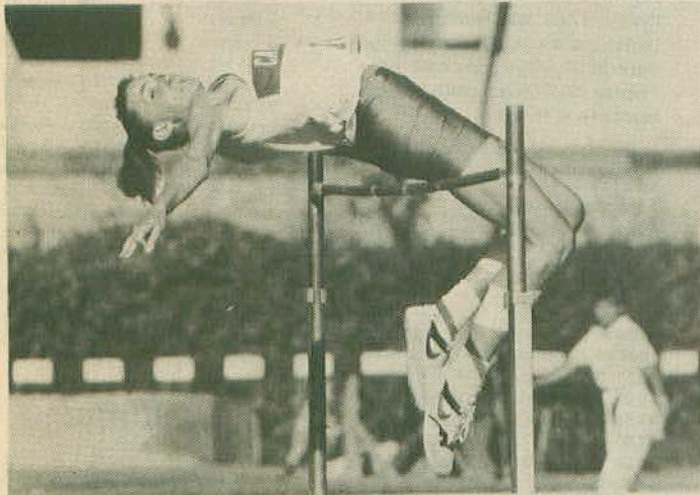
Junior Kim Young (Madera), third in heat three in 44.02, placed third in 43.75. Young broke the Central

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senior Mary Prince (Paradise), sixth at 5-8; and Willis, ninth at 5-6.

Sophomore Crissy Mills (Campbell Hall, North Hollywood), second in the Southern Section at 5-6, defeated Patrick, the San Diego Section champion at 5-4, on the basis of

1 Crissy Mills (Campbell Hall)	5-10
2 Lynn Patrick (Serra)	5-10
3 Marilyn Gragin (Miraleste)	5-8
3 Celia Willis (Clovis West)	5-8
5 Karol Damon (Redlands)	5-8
6 Lori Mertes (Chatsworth)	5-6
6 Natalie Barker (Colfax)	5-6
8 Mary Prince (Paradise)	5-4



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CRISSY MILLS--HJ

fewer misses at 5-10. The state meet program incorrectly listed Mills as a junior. Campbell Hall has an enrollment of only 300 students.

"I can't believe it, everything was perfect," Mills said to Johannes Tesselaaar of the *Daily News*. "Nothing bothered me.

"Now I'll just have to do it again next year and the next year."

The state meet record and national record of 6-2 3/4 was set by Latrese Johnson (Clovis) in 1985.

Mills took eight jumps in the competition, while Patrick took 18! Junior Marilyn Gragin (Miraleste, Rancho Palos Verdes) tied for third at 5-8 with Willis.

"I didn't expect third," said Gragin to Phil Collin of the *Daily Breeze*. "I was just hoping to come in last. Yesterday I was just hoping to make it, so finishing third was a surprise."

"I'm not disappointed," said Willis to Driscoll. "When I was jumping I felt OK. Now that I'm done, I feel like I've been hit by a truck."

Senior Karol Damon (Redlands), the Southern Section champion at 5-6, placed fifth at 5-8. Prince placed eighth at 5-4.

Finals

9 Melanie Clarke (El Camino)	5-4
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Finalists: 1. Melanie Clarke (El Camino Real) 5-6, 2. Lori Mertes (Chatsworth) 5-6, 3. Natalie Barker (Colfax) 5-6, 4. Lynn Patrick (Serra) 5-6, 5. Karol Damon (Redlands) 5-6, 6. Crissy Mills (Campbell Hall) 5-6, 7. Marilyn Gragin (Miraleste) 5-6, 8. Celia Willis (Clovis West) 5-6, 9. Mary Prince (Paradise) 5-6.

Long Jump:

Senior Tonya Conner (Barstow), second in the Southern Section at 18-2 1/2, won with her third jump on Friday of 19-5 3/4. The marks in the trials carried over to the finals. The jumpers were given three jumps on Friday and four jumps on Saturday. Conner's series: 18-6, 19-0 1/4, 19-5 3/4, 18-11, 18-9 1/2, 18-11, 17-8 3/4.

The state meet record of 20-9 3/4 was set by Wendy Brown (Woodside) in 1984. The national record of 22-1 3/4 was set by Kathy McMillan (Hoke County, Raeford, NC) in 1976.

Sophomore Nicole Smith (Montclair Prep, Van Nuys), the Southern Section champion at 18-6, placed second at 19-0 with her final jump on Saturday. Smith's series: ---, 18-7 1/2, 18-7 1/4, 18-5 1/2, 18-2 1/2, 18-8 1/2, 19-0.

If only the marks on Saturday had counted, then Smith would have defeated Conner.

"My goal at the start of the year was to get here," Smith said to Johannes Tesselaaar of the *Daily News*. "Then I wanted to get in the top five. Finishing second is like winning to me."

Finals

1 Tonya Conner (Barstow)	19-5 3/4
2 Nicole Smith (Montclair)	19-0
3 Marlo Aubert (Milpitas)	18-7 1/2
4 Mary Bittner (Rio Mesa)	18-2
5 Annette Coleman (Carli)	18-1 3/4
6 April Nash (Ontario)	18-0 1/2
7 Lynette Christian (Dorsey)	17-11 3/4
8 Stephanie Rhoades (Woo)	17-10 3/4
9 Melanie Clarke (El CamiRI)	17-10

Finalists: 1. Tonya Conner (Barstow) 19-5 3/4, 2. Nicole Smith (Montclair) 18-7 1/2, 3. Marlo Aubert (Milpitas) 18-7 1/2, 4. Mary Bittner (Rio Mesa) 18-2, 5. Annette Coleman (Carlmont) 18-1 3/4, 6. Lynette Christian (Dorsey) 17-11 3/4, 7. Stephanie Rhoades (Woodland) 17-10 3/4, 8. Melanie Clarke (El Camino Real) 17-8 1/2, 9. April Nash (Ontario) 17-7 1/2.

Triple Jump:

Two state meet finalists returned from last year: senior Tonya Conner (Barstow), sixth at 38-5 1/2; and senior Lafrania West (Grossmont, La Mesa), seventh at 38-1 1/2.

Senior Althea Moses (Morningside, Inglewood), the Southern Section at 39-5 1/4, defeated West, the San Diego Section champion at 39-7, by one inch--40-9 3/4 to 40-8 3/4.

It marked the first time that a girl from Southern California had won the triple jump at the state meet. Wendy Brown (Woodside) won three times: 1982, 1983, and 1984; Sheila Hudson (Rio Linda), who won the NCAA championship for California on June 4 at 45-8, won in 1985; Felicia Harris (San Lorenzo) won in 1986; and Kim Lassair (Northgate, Walnut Creek) won in 1987.

"I felt very strong and confident," Moses said to Phil Collin of the *Daily Breeze*. "I just wanted to work my phases right and not give up anything.

"I was hitting that (foul) board right in the middle. I knew I had to do it. This was it."

The state meet record and national record of 42-10 1/2 was set by Wendy Brown (Woodside) in 1984.

Moses' series: 39-4 1/2, 38-0 1/2, 39-11 3/4, S, 39-3 3/4, 40-9 3/4, 40-5. West's series: S, 40-8 3/4, 37-9 1/4, 38-10, 40-8 3/4, 38-9 1/4, 40-0 1/4. Freshman Keri Sanchez (Santa

Teresa, San Jose) placed third at 39-9 1/2. Senior Stacy Thompson (Morse, San Diego) was fourth at 39-1. Senior Rochelle Johnson (Henry, San Diego) was fifth at 38-7. Conner, the long jump winner, placed sixth at 38-6. Sophomore Lisa Fager (Mission Viejo) was seventh at 38-4.

Finals

1 Althea Moses (Morningside)	40-9 3/4
2 Lafrania West (Grossmont)	40-8 3/4
3 Keri Sanchez (Santa Ter)	39-9 1/2
4 Stacy Thompson (Morse)	39-1
5 Rochelle Johnson (P Henry)	38-7
6 Tonya Conner (Barstow)	38-6
7 Margie Gillis (Burbank)	37-8 1/4
8 Stephanie Rhoades (Wdnd)	37-5 1/4
9 Lisa Fager (Mission Viejo)	38-4

Finalists: 1. Lafrania West (Grossmont) 40-8 3/4, 2. Althea Moses (Morningside) 39-11 3/4, 3. Keri Sanchez (Santa Teresa) 39-8 1/2, 4. Stacy Thompson (Morse) 39-1, 5. Rochelle Johnson (Patrick Henry) 38-7, 6. Tonya Conner (Barstow) 38-6, 7. Lisa Fager (Mission Viejo) 38-4, 8. Margie Gillis (Burbank) 37-8 3/4, 9. Stephanie Rhoades (Woodland) 37-5 1/4.

Shot Put:

Three state meet finalists from last year returned: senior Jenni Whelchel (Agoura), first at 43-9 1/2; sophomore Dawn Dumble (Bakersfield), second at 43-0 1/2; and senior Heidee Ruiz (Los Gatos), third at 42-4.



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DAWN DUMBLE--SP

Dumble, the Central Section champion at 46-7 1/4, defeated Ruiz, the Central Coast Section champion at 42-6, by over three feet--48-2 1/2 to

44-9 1/2. Dumble's mark is the second best in the nation this year. The national leader is Christy Ward (North Valley, Grants Pass, OR) at 48-7.

The state meet record and national record of 53-7 3/4 was set by Natalie Kaaiawahia (Fullerton) in 1983.

Dumble's series: ---, 45-3 1/2, 48-2 1/2, 43-0 3/4, ---, ---, ---. Ruiz's series: 42-3, 43-7 1/2, 43-0 1/4, 42-9 1/4, 44-9 1/2, ---, 41-10 1/2. Senior Melanie Jones (Long Beach Poly) placed third at 44-4. Whelchel, the Southern Section champion at 42-9 1/4, was fourth at 43-2 1/4. Senior Laura Hughes (Orange Glen, Escondido) was fifth at 43-1 1/2.

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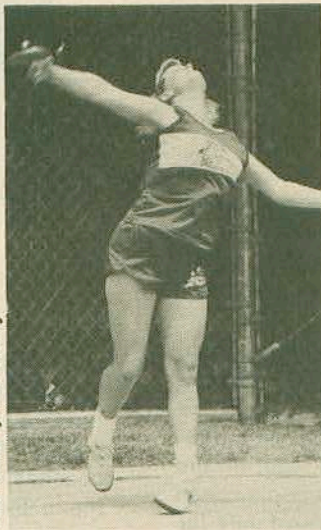
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| 1 Dawn Dumble (Bakersfield) | 48-2 1/2 |
| 2 Heidee Ruiz (Los Gatos) | 44-9 1/2 |
| 3 Melanie Jones (Lg Bch Ply) | 44-4 |
| 4 Jenni Whelchel (Agoura) | 43-2 1/4 |
| 5 Laura Hughes (Or GlEsco) | 43-1 1/2 |
| 6 Angie Arrinston (Palmdale) | 42-0 1/2 |
| 7 Erica Moore (Ramona) | 41-3 3/4 |
| 8 Tanisha Huddleston (Mer) | 40-11 1/4 |
| 9 Donna McKinnon (Yreka) | 40-10 3/4 |
- Finalists: 1. Dawn Dumble (Bakersfield) 48-2 1/2, 2. Heidee Ruiz (Los Gatos) 43-7 1/2, 3. Jenni Whelchel (Agoura) 43-2 1/4, 4. Melanie Jones (Long Beach Poly) 42-3, 5. Angie Arrinston (Palmdale) 41-10, 6. Erica Moore (Ramona) 41-3 3/4, 7. Laura Hughes (Orange Glen) 41-3 1/2, 8. Tanisha Huddleston (Merced) 40-11 1/4, 9. Donna McKinnon (Yreka) 40-10 3/4.

Discus:

It was like old home week as six of nine finalists from last year returned. That's an astonishing 66-0 2/3%! All of them are underclasswomen! Returnees included: sophomore Dawn Dumble (Bakersfield), who set a national freshman class record last year of 157-7 and won the state championship at 145-9; junior Jenny Peters (Gunn, Palo Alto), third at 138-5; junior Allison Franke (Canyon, Anaheim), fourth at 135-1; sophomore Melissa Weis (Bakersfield), fifth at 132-8; sophomore Reneeka Williams (Nogales, La Puente), sixth at 128-4; and junior Debbie Cembellin (Amador Valley, Pleasanton), eighth at 119-2.

Weis entered the state meet with the second best throw in the nation at 160-11. The national sophomore class record of 162-10 was set by Natalie Kaaiawahia (Fullerton) in 1981.

Weis, the Central Section champion at 155-6, defeated fellow sophomore Dawn Dumble (Bakersfield),



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MELISSA WEIS--DT

second in the Central Section at 148-1, by three feet, seven inches--159-7 to 156-0--on her final throw.

The state meet record of 172-11 was set by Leslie Deniz (Gridley) in 1980. The national record of 176-4 was set by Cindy Johnson (Chandler, AZ) in 1982.

Weis' series: 151-4, 154-8, ---, F, 145-6, 151-11, 159-7. Dumble's series: ---, 150-8, 156-0, 123-3, 140-11, 129-9, F. Peters placed third at 154-8. Senior Donna McKinnon (Yreka) was fourth at 149-0. Williams was fifth at 147-2. Franke, the Southern Section champion at 158-4, was sixth at 145-6. Senior Heidee Ruiz (Los Gatos), second in the shot put, placed seventh at 144-1. Cembellin was eighth at 139-6.

Finals

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| 1 Melissa Weis (Bakersfield) | 159-7 |
| 2 Dawn Dumble (Bakersfield) | 156-0 |
| 3 Jenny Peters (Gunn) | 154-8 |
| 4 Donna McKinnon (Yreka) | 141-0 |
| 5 Reneeka Williams (Nogal) | 147-2 |
| 6 Allison Franke (Canyon) | 145-6 |
| 7 Heidee Ruiz (Los Gatos) | 144-1 |
| 8 Debbie Cembellin (Am Vily) | 139-6 |
| 9 Laura Hughes (Orange Gl) | 135-7 |
- Finalists: 1. Dawn Dumble (Bakersfield) 156-0, 2. Melissa Weis (Bakersfield) 154-8, 3. Jenny Peters (Gunn) 149-11, 4. Donna McKinnon (Yreka) 148-3, 5. Allison Franke (Canyon (Anaheim) 145-6, 6. Heidee Ruiz (Los Gatos) 144-1, 7. Reneeka Williams (Nogales) 140-18, 8. Debbie Cembellin (Amador Valley) 139-6, 9. Laura Hughes (Orange Glen) 135-7.

Team Scoring:

Bakersfield of the Central Section and Rio Mesa (Oxnard) of the Southern Section tied for first place with 28 points. It was the first time in the history of the state meet for girls (the first one was in 1974) that there has been a tie for the team championship. There have been eight ties in the history of boys' competition from 1915 to the present. Hawthorne of the Southern Section placed third with 27 points. Only one point separated the first three teams.

1 Bakersfield	28
1 Rio Mesa	28
3 Hawthorne	27
4 Muir	22
4 Santa Teresa	22
6 Bishop O'Dowd	20
7 St. Francis	16
8 Locke	14
8 Rancho Buena Vista	14
8 Archbishop Mitty	14
8 Hueneme	14



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KERI SANCHEZ (left) & MICHELLE DECOUX

