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Tom Jennings is a friend of mine. Has been one for many years. Bob Lafferty is also a friend. Likewise for Ollan Cassell and Dan Ferris. The latter three are guiding lights of the AAU track program and Jennings directs the careers of the Pacific Coast Club. Between the four of them, in a way unknown to me, they have kept my country's team against the Russians from being represented by the best possible performers. The rumors are that the problem was money for the National Championships. Certainly Jennings would not ask for more financial assistance than his PCC athletes deserved. Certainly the AAU would not discriminate against the PCC and allot the Jennings coached athletes less money than other athletes were receiving. But between them, they have managed to keep the USA from taking its best men and women to the Soviet Union and this is wrong. It is time an understanding is arrived at, equality for everyone. If the USA is beaten by a stronger team, so be it. My applause to the winners. But if we lose because we are not at our best, then that is wrong. I am proud of my country and of its athletes and representatives. Please keep me that way!

And speaking of equality, let's push for the acceptance of the suggestion by Whittier's letter-writing Don Callahan and ask the AAU to use its sanctioning powers to provide equal opportunities for men and women track athletes at both the indoor and outdoor meets. EVERY meet must have a sanction. If the meet directors apply for a sanction with a schedule similar to the Philadelphia Track Classic with 26 men's events and 3 womens events, the meet should not be sanctioned. If those who issue permission to stage a meet under AAU approval simply stated 15 men's events and 10 women's events or no sanction, this inequity would soon cease. We give the men the extra events inasmuch as they simply engage in activities which women do not, ie the pole vault, triple jump (although they even do that in Texas), plus the steeplechase, hammer, etc. outdoors. How about our National Chairman drafting such a rule for presentation at the next AAU Convention. Nothing will ever be accomplished as long as we sit back and continue to be pushed around. Where's that Legal Department?

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## REEL TALK (Continued)

We have received a great many inquiries relative to the condition of Chi Cheng. Will she run again or has she retired? We are deeply appreciative of your letters and your interest and we trust the following brief explanation will answer the questions asked about her. The operation in April of 1972 which removed 14 inches of the tensia fascinata put her out of the Olympics. The operation was a success, however, and she made an effort to compete last year, but unfortunately the same condition existed on her right side. In August of 1973 another operation removed $12^{\prime \prime}$ of the muscle from her right hip. She began running again in early December with no pain, but when we began to do intervals and pick up the pace in February, the pain returned. Inquiry from the medical profession resulted in learning that when the tensia is taken completely away it leaves the hip joint, (the great trochanter), with nothing to hold the hip bone in place and with such major surgery a year is usually required before the adjacent muscles have developed strong enough wo take over the duties assigned to the missing muscle. And so she has stopped training. Perhaps she will try again in late summer, but she does not know. She will be 30 years old in March and has virtually been out of competition for four years and coming back under these circumstances is tough. Very, very, very tough. Of course, that's what she is, so who can say. And that is the situation as of March 1974.

## 1976 MONTREAL OLYMPIC TIME SCHEDULE

| Friday, July 23 | Qual | Tuesday, July 27 - Rest |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1000 Long Jump |  | Wednesday July 28 |  |
| 1030 Javelin | Qual | Wednesday, July 28 |  |
| 1530 Long Jump | FTNAL | 1000 100m Hurdles | Qual |
| 1635800 | Heats | 1020 1100 1500 | Qual |
| Saturday, July 24 |  | 1400100 m Hurdles | Semi |
| 1100100 | Heats | 1400 High Jump | FINAL |
| 1500 Javelin | FTNAL | 1500200 | Semi |
| 1550800 | Semi | 1740200 | FINAL |
| 1610100 | 2nd Rnd | 1815400 | Semi |
| Sunday, July 25 |  | Thursday, July 29 |  |
| 0930 100mH | Pent | 1500 100m Hurdles | FINAL |
| 1030 Shot Put | Pent | 1500 Discus | FINAL |
| 1500400 | Heats | 15301500 | Semi |
| 1545100 | Semi | 1620400 | FINAL |
| 1600 High Jump | Pent |  |  |
| 1750100 | FINAL | $\frac{\text { Frıday, duly } 30}{1000} 4 \times 100$ | Heats |
| Monday, July 26 |  | 1000 Shot Put | Qual |
| 1000 High Jump | Qual | 1540 4x400 | Heats |
| 1030 Long Jump | Pent | 1640 4x100 | Semi |
| 1145200 | Heats | 17301500 | FINAL |
| 1545200 | 2nd Rnd |  |  |
| 1620400 | 2nd Rnd | Saturday, July 31 |  |
| 1750200 | Pent | 1640 Shot Put | FINAL |
| 1820800 | FINAL | 1730 4x100 | FINAL |

## LETTER FROM FLOYD STRAIN, Juneau, Alaska

"I have two young daughters who have been running track for several years now and it looks like they are doing pretty good as far as age group records are concerned. Our 4 year old, Kristi Strain, has best marks as follows: mile, 10:05 with these marks made on the way to that mile time, 1320 in $7: 31,880$ in $5: 01,660$ in $3: 44$ and 440 in 3:11. She was born May 17, 1969.
'The best records, however, look like they belong to our 2 year old, Kimberly Strain who was born January 19, 1971. She has a best in the mile of 13:07 with intermediate times of: 9:41 (1320), 6:62 (880, 4:45 (660) and 3:11 (440).
"Both girls made these marks on October 27, 1973. Times were recorded in Juneau in a Youth Development Meet sponsored by the Juneau Recreation Department. We are looking for Kim to be in the Olympics and a double winner in 1984 at age 13!
"Wle plan to be in California again next year (1974), so any meets you might suggest will be greatly appreciated.'
(Ed. Note:-Some years ago Floyd Strain was a hurdler for Occidental College. Perhaps this is the same person.)

## AUSTRALIA TOPS AT COMMONWEALTH GAMES

Christchurch, New Zealand, January 25/February 2:-Twenty three nations were represented in the women's division of the Tenth Commonwealth Games with the Australian contingent grabbing top honors, but not without a battle from both England and a surprising Canadian team. The Aussies picked up 12 medals including 5 gold and scored (based on 10-8-6-4-2-1) a total of 119 points. England picked up three golds and 93 points to just edge the fast-improving Canadians who gathered 4 golds and 91 points. Eleven nations scored in the top six places while 12 countries failed to score.

| Nation | Gold | Silver | Bronze | Total | Point Score |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1-Australia | 5 | 4 | 3 | 12 | 119 |
| 2-England | 3 | 4 | 2 | 9 | 93 |
| 3-Canada | 4 | 2 | 4 | 10 | 91 |
| $4-N e w$ Zealand | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 33 |
| 5-Nigeria | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 26 |
| 6-Scotland | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 25 |
| 7-Ghana | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 16 |
| $8-\mathrm{N}$. Ireland | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 14 |
| 9-Kenya | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 8 |
| 10-Wales | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 6 |
| 11-Jamaica | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |

Non-scoring competing nations: Barbados, Lesotho, Singapore, Mauritania, Malawi, Uganda, Tonga, Fiji, Bermuda, Tanzania, Malaysia and Grenada.
Most prolific of the medal winners was Australia's Raelene Boyle who took both sprints in 11.27 and 22.50 plus picking up a third gold as anchor on the $4 \times 100$ relay team. Only other double winner was Canada's unknown, unsung Jane Haist who scored upset wins in the shot and discus at 52'10\% and 182'2.

As for the busiest, hardest-working competitor, it was a tossup between Australia's Charlene Rendina and Nigeria's Modupe Oshikoya. Rendina won her heat in the 400 on January 25 th in 54.3, came back later in the same day to win her semifinal in 52.8 and next day placed third in the final at 52.1. The following day, she was back on the track with a $5^{\text {th }}$ place finish in her 800 heat in 2:07.2. Same day she won her semifinal heat in 2:03.8 and returned the next day to win the final with a new Commonwealth Games record of 2:01.1. That was not her swan song however, for she returned on the 2nd of February to anchor her $4 \times 400$ relay team to a third place finish and pick up her third medal of the Games.

Oshikoya began her marathon by taking the silver medal in the pentathlon on opening day. Her score of 4423 , just 22 points behind winner Mary Peters, saw her run the hurdles in 13.72, toss the shot $34 \cdot 3$, high jump 5 $8 \frac{1}{2}$, long jump 2114 and run the 200 in 24.15 s . On the 29th she was back on the field and qualified in fourth place in the long jump with 20'7, ran a heat in the 100 m hurdles and won it in 13.5, and then ran the semi-final hurdle race in 13.6 for second place. On the 3.st, she won the long jump at $21^{\prime} 21 / 2$ and was third in the 100 hurdles final in 13.69. Next day she anchored her $4 \times 100$ relay team to a third place finish in the qualifying heat and finished the following day by anchoring her relay team once again to sixth place in the final.

Those countries situated north of the equator were forced to take part in what is their "winter" season which made the performances all the more remarkable and noteworthy.
100 m dash: The big question was concerning the condition of defending champion Raelene Boyle who had been forced to miss the Australian trials because of an ailing Achilles. Boyle won her heat with ease and the challenge seemed to come from "winterized" Andrea Lynch of England who zipped to the fastest qualifying time of 11.4.

Heat \#l: (-0.5), I-Allwood (Jam) 11.7, 2-Ufomuko (Nig) 12.0, 3-Lannaman (Eng) 12.0, 4-Asiedua (Gha) 12.2, 5-Byobona (Uga) 12.4, 6-Salmond (Scot) 12.4; Heat \#2, (+0.6), 1-Lynch (Eng) $11.4,2$-Annum (Gha) 11.6, 3-W. Brown (NZ) 11.6, 4-A, McRitchie (Scot) 12.1, 5-McCurry (NI) 12.4, 6-Piongi (Tonga) 12.5, 7-Cavuka (Fiji) 12.7; Heat \#3 (+0.6), 1-Baiłey (Can) 11.7 , 2-Lamy (Aus) 11.7, 3-Golden (Scot) 11.9, 4-Robertson (NZ) 12.1, 5-Ewuzie (Nig) 12.3, 6-D. Jones (Bermuda) 12.3, 7Tago (Fiji) 13.1; Heat \#4, ( -0.3 ), 1-D. Robertson (Aus) 11.6, 2-Loverock (Can) 11.7, 3-Afriye (Gha) 11.9, 4-Wooten (NZ) 11.9, 5-Trotman (Barbados) 12.1, 6-Obi (Nig) 12.3, 7-Chezi (Tanzania) 12.4; Heat \#5 (+1.7), 1-Boyle (Aus) 11.5, 2-Kellond (Can) 11.9, 3-Hodges (Jam) 11.9, 4-Martin (Eng) 12.1, 5Kyomo (Tan) 12.3, 6-McClelland (NI) 12.3, 7-Tuineau (Tonga) 13.0.

## ATOMS RETAIN INDOOR TITLE From Luther Blake

New York, NY, February 22:-For the fourth consecutive year, the Atoms Track Club of Brooklyn won the National AAU Indoor track and field championship outscoring the eastern opponent, Sports International, 24-21 as controversy blighted the running of the $880 y$ medley relay.

But the women stole the show once again and the blasé track fans are beginning to take more and more notice of the feminine athletes. Meet records were set in the 880 and the high jump as Mary Decker held off Canada's Aby Hoffman in the twolap event to win by two-tenths of a second and Oregon's Joni Huntley was once again over the six foot mark in winning the high jump.

The controversy came in the medley as the third runner was rounding the final curve and a vaulter dropped his pole onto the track which caught Carmen Smith, the Atoms' runner, by surprise. Fortunately, Carmen is a world class hurdler and she cleared the barrier, but lost her balance and almost fell to the track. By the time she had straightened out, Sports International was ahead and stayed there until the finish. As the result was announced, the 12000 fans expressed their disaproval of the decision with 40 decible boos causing the officials to huddle once again and announce their decision to rerun the race. Sports International took their turn to object at this turn in affairs and Coach Brooks Johnson attempted to substitute a runner for the runoff. When they were not allowed to do this, they withdrew as did the other two teams and left only the Atoms on the track. At this point, the officials did an about-face and declared the event "No contest".

Many coaches and athletes were disturbed by the faulty seeding which seems to be an annual occurance at this meet in New York. Seeding at the indoor championships is highly more important than seeding at the outdoor meet for the simple reason that fewer competitors qualify for the succeeding rounds, i.e. the relays where only the first place team advances. A very bad situation existed in the 60y hurdles where Mamie Rallins, Pat Donnelly, Liz Darman of Canada and Carol Thomson were all placed together with two to be eliminated. If, as the Committee claims, seeding is done on performances made during the current season, the four heat leaders for the four heats should have been Patty Johnson 7.4, Pat Donnelly 7.7, Mamie Rallins 7.8 and LaVonne Neal 7.8 - with the probable substitution of Damman, with a 6.6 mark over $50 y$ which is equal to 7.6 for $60 y$, replacing the inconsistent Neal. Suffice it to say, you ended up with three of the top four performers in the same heat, Rallins and Damman both clocked the same time as the winner in the final, and Donnelly sat in the upper stands.

Whether you are pro-La Jolla TC or anti, you must admit the Club was the victim of bad seeding in both the short relays as they were eliminated with second places with performances that would have placed them second in the 640y relay final and third in the medley relay final.

Who did the seeding? On what basis? Who submitted the qualifying times to the Committee? Why is there any discrepancy? Was the National AAU Records Chairman consulted and did he verify the marks submitted by coaches? Seeding is a mathematical action and there should be no possible way it can be done wrong.
60 y Dash:-Two qualified from each of the three heats into the final and no great surprises occured although the second heat seemed to be overloaded with Watson, Montgomery, Lawson and Randolph all drawn together. Heat \#l, l-Renaye Bowen (WCJ) 6.8, 2-Pam Greene (CSU), 3-Veronica Harris (ChiSt); Heat \#2, 1-Martha Watson (Lakewood) 6.8, 2-Montgomery (TSU), 3-LawSon (IJTC), 4-Jackie Randolph (SITC); Heat \#3, 1-Mattline Render (NYPAL) 6.8, 2-Janet Brown (TWU), 3-Carmen Smith Brown (Atom).

The final, as are most $60 y$ sprints, was close as could be and was won by Theresa Montgomery over Martha Watson by an eye lash. The timing gives rise to question for it took the officials half an hour to decide on the winner via the photo finish picture, yet they announced a time difference of onetenth of a second!

FINAL: 1-Montgomery 6.7, 2-Watson 6.8, 3-Bowen 6.9, 4-Janet $\overline{\text { Brown }} 6.9,5$-Render 6.9, 6-Greene 7.0.
220y Dash: Three heats were run with the top four times advancing to the final. Unfortunately, two runners had identical times for the fourth spot, and so the final was split in two sections with the winner based on time. The La Jolla club suffered yet another blow when Janice Wiser was disqualified for running out of her lane. Heat \#1, l-Esther Stroy (SITC)

## COMMONWEALTH GAMES (Continued)

Two sparkling upsets were realized in the two semi-final heats of the 100 as both Australian favorites, Boyle and Robertson went down to defeat from the flying feet of Lynch and Annum. First four from each semi qualified for the final.

Semi-final \#1 (-0.5), 1-Annum 11.5, 2-Robertson (Aus) 11.5, 3-Bailey 11.7, 4-Lamy 11.7, 5-Ufomuko 11.9, 6-Wooten 11.9, 7Lannaman 11.9, 8-Hodges 12.0; Semi-final \#2 (0.0), l-Annum 11.4 , 2-Boyle 11.5, 3-Brown 11.6, 4-A11wood 11.6, 5-Loverock 11.7, 6-Afriye 11.9, 7-Golden 11.9, 8-Kellond 12.1.

Lynch was off fast in the final and led by a full meter by the halfway mark, but Boyle came back ever so slowly and just nipped the Englishwoman at the tape to retain her Commonwealth title - a truly remarkable fact when one realizes this veteran of the sprint world is still just 21 years old!

FINAL (+0.5), l-Raelene Boyle (Aus) 11.27, 2-Andrea Lynch (Eng) 11.31, 3-Denise Robertson (Aus) 11.50, 4-Alice Annum (Gha) 11.52, 5-Wendy Brown (NZ) 11.59, 6-Marjorie Bailey (Can) 11.66, 7-Rose Allwooe (Jam) 11.73, 8-Jennifer Lamy (Aus) 11.83.

200m Dash: Strange seeding brought Boyle, Annum and New Zealand's Wendy Brown all together in the same heat, but that was the only excitement as the heats were routine. Heat \#l (+2.3), 1-Murray (Eng) 24.0, 2-Asiedua (Gha) 24.4, 3-D. Jones (Ber) 24.7, 4-McCurry (NI) 24.7, 5-Mfumya (Tan) 25.7, 6-Manda (Malawi) 26.2, 7-Tuineau (Ton) 26.9, Allwood (Jam) did not finish; Heat \#2 (+0.9), 1-Boak (Aus) 23.6, 2-Hill (Eng) 24.0, 3-Trotman (Bar) 24.2, 4-MacGowan (Can) 24.4, 5-K. Robertson (NZ) 24.6, 6-Kyomo (Tan) 25.2, 7-Iongi (Ton) 25.7; Heat \#3 (+O.1), l-Boyle (Aus) 23.1, 2-Annum (Gha)23.4, 3-Brown (NZ) 23.8, 4-Lorna Forde (Bar) 24.1, 5-MacRitchie (Sco) 24.4, 6McClelland (NI) 25.1; Heat \#4 (+1.9), 1-D. Robertson (Aus) 23.1, 2-Loverock (Can) 23.6, 3-Williams (Jam) 23.7, 4-Afriye (Gha) 24.1, 5-Martin (Eng) 24.2, 6-Ewuzie (Nig) 24.4, 7-Cavuka (Fiji) 26.4; Heat \#5 (+0.1), 1-Bailey (Can) 23.5, 2-Golden (Sco) 23.9, 3-Wooten (NZ) 24.0, 4-Obi (Nig) 24.7, 5-Byobona (Uga) 24.7, 6-Machoba (Lesotho) 27.1.


RAELENE BOYLE, Australia, successfully defends her Commonweath Games 100m title with a close win over Eng1and's ANDREA LYNCH, 11.27 to 11.31 s . DENISE ROBERTSON, Australia, is third. ("Athletics Weekly" photo by Ed Lacey.)

The semi-finals brought about nothing unusual or exciting as the first four in each race advanced to the final. Semifinal \#1 (+0.2), l-D. Robertson 23.2, 2-Bailey 23.7, 3-Brown 23.8, 4-Williams 23.89, 5-Golden 23.93, 6-Hill 24.1, 7-Forde 24.2, 8-Asiedua 24.8; Semi-final \#2 (+0.4), 1-Annum 23.2, 3Boyle 23.3, 3-Boak 23.5, 4-Loverock 23.6, 5-Wooten 24.0, 6Murray 24.2, 7-Trotman 24.4, 8-Jones 24.7.

The final saw defending champion Raelene Boyle take complete command by the halfway point and equal the Commonwealth record and her personal best at 22.4. The first five finishers came in at two yard intervals.

FINAL (+0.6), l-Raelene Boyle (Aus) 22.50, 2-Denise Robert-
son(Aus) 22.7, 3-Alice Annum (Gha) 22.9, 4-Marjorie Bailey (Can) 23.1, 5-Ruth Williams (Jam) 23.39, 6-Wendy Browm (NZ) 23.44, 7-Robin Boak (Aus) 23.45, 8-Patti Loverock (Can) 23.8

400 m Dash: With four to qualify from each heat for the semifinals, the only casualty of this first round was Canada's Brenda Walsh who could muster up only a 56.1 effort.

Heat \#1, l-Bernard (Eng) 53.2, 2-Forde (Bar) 54.7, 3-Nail (Aus) 55.2, 4-Mbakwe (Nig) 55.4, 5-Walsh (Can) 56.1, 6-Molomo (Les) 63.0; Heat \#2, l-Roscoe (Eng) 54.0, 2-Canty (Aus) 54.1, 3-McMeekin (Sco) 55.0, 4-Chee Swee Lee (Sing) 56.2, 5-Mills (NZ) 57.5, 6-Valamootoo (Maur) 65.4; Heat \#3, 1-Rendina (Aus)
 (Nig) 55.9, 5-Eddy (Can) 57.6, 6-Manda (Malawi) 59.5; Heat \#4, 1-Saunders (Can) 53.0, 2-Hunt (NZ) 55.2, 3-Webster (Eng) 55.4, 4-Dourass (Wales) 55.8, 5-Opoku (Gha) 57.0, 6-Nwosu (Nig) 58.0.

Again the favorites performed as expected during the two semi-final races and all advanced to the final. Semi-final \#1, 1-Rendina 52.8, 2-Neufville 53.4, 3-Roscoe 53.5, 4-Canty $54.0,5-F o r d e ~ 54.4,6-J o s h u a ~ 54.7, ~ 7-G u k i l a u ~ 55.8, ~ W e b s t e r ~$ pulled a muscle and did not finish; Semi-final \#2, l-Saunders 52.2 , 2-Bernard 53.8, 3-Hunt 55.0, 4-Nail 55.2, 5-Mbakwe 55.7 6-McMeekin 55.7, 7-Dourass 56.1, (Chee Swee Lee did not run).

The final was a tight race between Saunders and Bernard as the English lass took out fast and Saunders took over down the final straight and battled Bernard to the tape, winning in a fine 51.67 to 51.94. Saunders, born in Jamaica, lived in England and now represents Canada, has improved dramatically over the past few seasons and now ranks as one of the top onelappers in the world. Bernard, also running "out of season", is a youngster with much ahead for future years.

FINAL, I-Yvonne Saunders (Can) 51.67, 2-Verona Bernard (Eng) 51.94, 3-Charlene Rendina (Aus) 52.08, 4-Jannette Roscoe (Eng) 53.18, 5-Judy Canty (Aus) 53.50, 6-Marilyn Neufville (Jam) 54.04, 7-Penny Hunt (NZ) 54.30, 8-Bethanie Nail (Aus) 54.54.

800 m Run: The three young Kenya runners were the featured runners in the heats with 14 year old Rosa Tata clocking 2:05.9, Sabina Chebichi, the 15 year old featured in last month's WITW article, who had a personal best of $2: 10.2$ winning the second heat in $2: 04.0$ and the third Kenyan, Elizabeth Chelimo leading her heat from start until the final yards and clocking 2:07.1s. Eliminated was the 1970 silver medalist Pat Lowe Cropper while defending champion Rosemary Wright was third in the first heat. The first five from each heat plus the fastest loser moved on to the semi-finals. Heat \#l, l-Moller (NZ) 2:05.8, 2-Tata (Ken) 2:05.9, 3-Wright (Scot) 2:06.3, 4-Mwanjala (Tan) 2:06.4, 5-Walsh (Can) 2:06.5, 6-Carey (Eng) 2:09.1 7-Lochhead (Wal) 2:09.8, Adomah (Gha) disqualified; Heat \#2, 1-Chebichi (Ken) 2:04.0, 2-Somervell (NZ) 2:04.6, 3-Allison (Eng) 2:05.0, 4-Ramsay (Aus) 2:06.0, 5-Coomber (Sco) 2:06.5, 6-Davis (Can) 2:08.7, 7-Chee Swee Lee (Sing) 2:10.2, 8-Ebukuyo (Nig) 2:13.9; Heat \#3, 1-Haden (NZ) 2:06.0, 2-Dourass 2:06.2, 3-Crowley (Can) 2:06.8, 4-Chelimo (Ken) 2:07.1, 5-Rendina (Aus) 2:07.2, 6-Cropper (Eng) 2:08.7, 7-Opoku (Gha) 2:15.5, 8-Malebatso (Lesotho) 2:27.2.

In the first semi, Sabina Chebichi stayed bahind as Canada's Maureen Crowley led past the 400 in 59.3 , but starting down the back straight of the second lap, Sabina put on a burst, swept past the 600 in 1:31 and held on the win in the same time as her heat, 2:04.0. Rendinda took command in the second semi passed the 400 in 59.8 and the 600 in $1: 32.6$ and picked up the pace to win in 2:03.8. Defending champion Rosemarie Wright was eliminated and the climactic final brought together three New Zealanders, two Kenyans, an Aussie: plus England and Canada. Semi-final \#l, l-Chebichi (Ken) 2:04.0, 2-Allison (Eng) 2:04.1, 3-Moller (NZ) 2:04.2, 4-Crowley (Can) 2:04.4, 5-Coomber (Sco) 2:05.9, 6-Ramsay (Aus) 2:06.1, 7-Walsh (Can) 2:08.6, 8-Dourass (Wal) 2:08.9; Semi-final \#2, 1-Rendina (Aus) 2:03.8, 2-Haden (NZ) 2:04.9, 3-Somervell (NZ) 2:05.2, 4-Tata (Ken) 2:05.6, 5-Wright (Sco) 2:05.7, 6-Chelimo (Ken) 2:07.3, 7-Mwanjala (Tan) 2:07.8, 8-Davis (Can) 2:09.2.

Canada's Maureen Crowley took off like a rocket and went past the 200 in 28 and the 400 in 57.7 , but with 300 m remaining, Rendina took the lead, passed the 600 in 1:29.5 and had to fight off New Zealander Sue Haden over the final 200m for victory in a new Games record of 2:01.1s. Haden established a new national mark at $2: 02.0$ in grabbing the silver. Chebichi made an effort to take the lead at the 600 mark, but could not match the power of the older runners and had to settle for third - but with yet another personal best, improving eight seconds at this competition to $2: 02.6$ which would be a new world age 15 record as the USA's Mary Decker has yet to run outdoors.

FIMAL, 1-Charlene Rendina (Aus) 2:01.1, 2-Sue Haden (NZ) a:02.0, 3-Sabina Chebichi (Ken) 2:02.6, 4-Joan Allison (Eng) 2:03.1, 5-Lorraine Moller (NZ) 2:03.6, 6-Maureen Crowley (Can) 2:05.3, 7-Shirley Somervell (NZ) 2:05.8, 8-Rosa Tata (Ken) 2:13.3.

1500m Run: Glenda Reiser, Canada, quickly became the one to beat as she swept through the first heat with ease, taking 8 seconds off the Games record with her 4:10.8 and passing the laps in 69 and 2:15. Questionable seeding saw the fifth place winner in the first heat turning in a time which was only a tenth of a second slower than the winning time of the second heat AND the fifth place time of the second heat FOUR SECONDS faster than the WINNER of the third heat. Hmmmm. Heat \#1,1Reiser (Can) 4:10.8, 2-Allison (Eng) 4:14.8, 3-Stewart (Scot) 4:15.3, 4-Garrett (NZ) 4:19.1, 5-Mwanjala (Tan) 4:19.6, 6Cheptum (Ken) 4:21.0; Heat \#2, 1-Orr (Aus) 4:19.5, 2-Potts (NZ) 4:19.6, 3-Chelimo (Ken) 4:20.6, 4-Braithwaite (Eng) 4:21.0, 5-Davis (Can) 4:21.1, 6-Adomah (Gha) 4:31.9, 7-Mamotte (Maur) 5:14.4; Heat \#3, 1-Vhebichi (Ken) 4:25.8, 2-Haden (NZ) 4:26.8, 3-Wright (Can) $4: 26.8,4$ (tie) Carey (Eng) and Lochhead (Wales) 4:26.9, 6-Ebukuyo (Nig) 4:38.4.

Reiser was the Queen for the 1500 meters and she quickly put her "subjects" in their place as she sped past the 400 m in 64 and the 800 in $2: 10.6$ with a 25 m lead. The 18 year old Canadian once again broke the Games record with a fine 4:07.8 clocking.

In the 1500m final of the 1970 Commonwealth Games, New Zealand's Sylvia Potts provided the most dramatic finish of the decade as she led practically to the tape, then fell with less than one meter to go and managed ninth place. This time, she finished no higher than 8 , but the same two second and third place winners of 1970 repeated. In 1970 they were known as Page and Fynn, but now they are Allson and Wright and their times improved 8.3 and 6.8 seconds respectively. Chebichi ran a fine $4: 18.6$ for a 15 year old and nabbed 5 th.

FINAL, l-Glenda Reiser (Can) 4:07.8, 2-Joan Allison (Eng) 4:1 $\overline{0.7}$, 3-Thelma Wright (Can) 4:12.3, 4-Mary Tewart (Scot) 4:14.7, 5-Sabina Chembichi (Ken) 4:18.6, 6-Anne Garrett (NZ) 4:21.1, 7-Jenny Orr (Aus) 4:22.5, 8-Sylvia Potts (NZ) 4:23.1, 9-E. Chelimo (Ken) 4:26.8, 10-Sue Haden (NZ) 4:27.8, 11-Sheila Carey (Eng) 4:29.6, 12-Lochhead (Wal) 4:29.9, Norine Braithwaite (Eng) did not finish.
loom Hurdles: Three heats were run to eliminate only one competitor with 17 runners entered and 16 advancing to the semifinals. Only Iongi of Tonga was eliminated. Heat \#l (+0.6), 1-Oshikoyá (Nig) 13.5, 2-Vernon (Eng) 13.8, 3-Moir (Aus) 13.9, 4-Miles (NZ) 14.1, 5-Wilson (Eng) 14.1, 6-Bruce (Gha) 14.9; Heat \#2 (+1.0), 1-Matthews (NZ) 13.7, 2-Jones (Aus) 13.8, 3Damman (Can) 14.0, 4-Honour (Eng) 14.2, 5-Tuisorisoi (Fiji) 14.8; Heat \#3, (+1.3), 1-Dell (Aus) 13.3, 2-Lothian (NZ) 14.0, 3-Peters (NI) 14.4, 4-Kyalisima (Uga) 14.5, 5-Taylor (Can) 14.6, 6 -Iongi (Tonga) 15.2.

Not much excitement in the two semi-final heats except for the elimination of Mary Peters and Ann Wilson. Semi-final \#工, (+0.2), 1-Vernon 13.7, 2-Jones 13.9, 3-Moir 14.0, 4-Damman 14.0, 5-Lothian 14.3, 6-Honour 14.4, 7-Kyalsima 14.5, 8-Tuisorisori 18.3 (fell); Semi-final \#2 (-0.2), 1-Dell 13.6, 2Oshikoya 13.6, 3-Matthews 13.9, 4-Miles 13.9, 5-Wilson 14.3, 6-Taylor 14.6, 7-Bruce 14.7, 8-Peters 14.8.

Although both Judy Vernon and Gaye Dell clocked 13.5, the former Ozark TC queen was a clear winner, 13.45 to 13.54. Nigerian Oshikoya was in contention until the seventh hurdle which she hit, and that left it a two girl contest. Gaye Dell complained about her performance because it had been rumoured she had broken the world 60 mH best by two-tenths during workouts the previous week - but now she knows timing for such short distances doesn't mean a thing!

FINAL, ( +1.0 ), l-Judy Vernon (Eng) 13.45, 2-Gaye Dell(Aus) $13.54,3$-Modupe Oshikoya (Nig) 13.69, 4-Jennifer Jones (Aus) 13.83 , 5-Michelle Miles (NZ) 13.89, 6-Sally Moir (Aus) 13.93, 7-Brenda Matthews (NZ) $13.95,8-L i z$ Danman (Can) 13.97.
High Jump: Good high jump competition with 1.0 competitors still in the competition at $5^{\prime} 8$ in this, the final event on the Commonwealth Games schedule. It was at this height that an unusual thing occurred - a competitor who was eliminated brought about a halt to the event as the spectators rose to applaud her - it was the final athletic endeavor for the Olympic pentathlon champion, Mary Peters and as she missed this height for the last time, the crowd recognized her for the great athlete she is and the contributions she has made to the sport over the years.

At 5'9/4, England's Ann Wilson and Australia's youngestever internationalist, Debbie McCawley went out and so at 5'10, five jumpers still remained. England's Val Harrison went out and four were left at 5'10\% with Ruth Watt being eliminated here.

The three remaining jumpers, the medalists, gave the spectators a good show. At $5^{\prime} 111 / 2$, Bittner went out, but Canada's Louise Hanna cleared on her frist try and England's Barbara Lawton on her second. At $6^{\prime} 0 / 2$, Lawton was over first time and Hanna failed to give the Britisher her first gold in the big time competition.

FINAL, 1-Barbara Lawton (Eng) $610 \%$, 2-Louise Hanna (Can) 5'111/2, 3-Brigette Bittner (Can) 5'10\%4, 4-Ruth Watt (Scot) 5'10, 5-Val Harrison (Eng) 5'9/4, 6-Debbie McCawley (Aus) 5'8, 7-Ann Wilson (Eng) 5'8, 8-Mary Peters (NI) 5'7, 9-Gladys Ng Mei Chai (Malaysia) 5'7, 10-Bernie Lewis (Granada) 5'7, 11J. Symon (Aus) 5'5, 12-D. Mills (NZ) 5'3, 13-S. Scott (Aus) 5'3, 14-S. Burnside (NZ) 5'1.
Long Jump: Qualifying took the first 12 or a jump of 20'0,4 to advance, but only Canadian Diane Jones was a well known victim of the preliminary requierment as she leaped only 18' 9\%4. Qualifying, Hendren (NZ) 20'10\%4, Martin-Jones (Wal) 20'10, Eisler (Can) 20'7\%, Oshikoya (Nig) 20'7, Chitty (Eng) 20'5, Sherwood (Eng) 20'4 $4 / 2$, Tillett (Aus) 20'3, Nixon (Aus) 20'I1/2, Nimmo (Scot) 19'10/4, Burnside (NZ) 19'9, Wilson (Eng) $19^{\prime} 2 \%$, New (Aus) 18'11\%4. Non-qualifiers: Jones (Can) 18'9\%, Ocran (Gha) 18'3, Emodi (Nig) 18'2/4, Cavuka (Fiji) 16'314, Laisa (Fiji) 16'1鱼, Otto (NZ) 15'4.

Adding proof to the theory a track athlete should be tired before beginning competition, Oshikoya ran from the final of the 100 m hurdles to the long jump pit and proceeded to pick up a gold medal with a leap of 21 ' $21 / 2$ thereby completing her "set" of Commonwealth medals - gold in the long jump, silver in the pentathlon and bronze in the hurdles. Brenda Eisler led after the first round with 20'9/2, but the Nigerian went into the lead with her third jump and then improved again on her fourth effort to secure the victory. 1970 champion Sheila Sherwood could get no better than seventh while Pam Hendren of New Zealand, who led the qualifying round with a new $\mathrm{Na}-$ tional record, wound up ninth.

FINAL: 1-Modupe Oshikoya (Nig) 21 ' $21 / 2,2$-Brenda Eisler (Can) 20'1114, 3-Ruth Martin-Jones (Wal) 20'1114, (places awarded via second-best jumps, 20'934 to 20.8\%2), 4-Myra Nimmo (Scot) 20'934, 5-Lynette Tillett (Aus) 20'8, 6-Erica Nixon (Aus) 20'614, 7Sheila Sherwood (Eng) 20'4/2, 8-Maureen Chitty (Eng) 20'4/4, 9Hendren (NZ) $20^{\circ} 0 \%, 10-$ Sue New (Aus) 1814/4, 11-Burnside (NZ) 18'334, 12-Ann Wilson (Eng) 18'1.
Shot Put: The top three performers on the ranking list all ended up with one thing in common at the Commonwealth Games none of them managed a medal! The winner was little known and unsung Canadian Jane Haist who suddenly zoomed into prominence with a toss of $52^{\prime} 10 \%$, more than two feet ahead of silver medalist Valerie Young. That silver medal by Young is a story in itself as she retired in 1966 after winning the shot and dis-


VALFRIE YOUNG cus at the Commonwealth Games in Jamaica. Valerie, now 37 years of age: and the mother of three, now has seven CG medals including five gold, one bronze and now one silver. Her mark today was her best performance in eight years!

FINAL: 1-Jane Haist (Can) 52' 103,2 -Val Young (NZ) $50 \cdot 2$, 3 -Jean Roberts (Aus) 50'0, 4-Mary Peters (NI) 48'10, 5-Barbara Poulsen (NZ) 47'10\%4, 6-Brenda Bedford (Eng) 47' 6/4, 7-Rosemary Payne (Scot) 46'634, 8-Diane Jones (Can) 46'5\%, 9-L. Okeke (Nig) 45th34, 10-G. Muihall (Aus) 44'6\%, 11-Carol Martin (Can) 43'113/.
Discus Throw: Canada picked up two medals here as Jane Haist nabbed the gold and Carol Martin took the bronze by just two inches over Australia's Jean Roberts. In between the Canadians was veteran Rosemary Payne, born in May 1933.

FINAL: 1-Jane Haist (Can) 182'2, 2-Rosemary Payne (Scot) $177^{\prime} \mathrm{O}, 3$-Carol Martin (Can) 174'5, 4-Jean Roberts (Aus) 174' 3, 5-Dorothy Swinyard (Eng) 16814, 6-Margaret Ritchie (Scot) 167'5, 7-Sally Mene (NZ) 160'1, 8-Sue Culley (Aus) 157'7, 9G. Mulhall (Aus) 151'4, 10-Rose Hart (Gha) 135'7, 11-M. Vibose (Fiji) 133'5, l2-L. Fakaata (Tonga) 112'4.

## COMMONWEALTH GAMES (Continued)

Javelin Throw: Petra Rivers of Australia was the big favorite and Petra Rivers was the winner - although it wasn't as easy as expected and although she didn't throw as far as anticipated. Back in 1966 as a $13 y$ old, Petra threw the spear 160'9, and now at age 21 she holds the Commonwealth record at 204'2. But she did not take the lead finally until her fifth throw of 177'6 to cinch the title. She threw her final effort for 182'0 to add to her victory margin.

FINAL, 1-Petra Rivers (Aus) 182'0, 2-Jenny Symon (Aus) $171 \overline{11}, 3$-Sharon Corbett (Eng) 164'11, 4-Pru French (Eng) 164'0, 5-Theresa Sanderson (Eng) 159'3, 6-Sandra McGookin (NZ) 156'II, 7-Mereoni Vibose (Fiji) 150'5, 8-Susan James (Wales) 141'10, 9-M. Phillpott (Aus) 140'1, 10-J. Amsi (Tan) 138'2, 11-S. Mene (NZ) 132'8, 12-D. Okuofu (Nig) 120'9.
Pentathlon: Mary Peters, the Olympic champion, was favored to capture this, her last-ever pentathlon. And win it she did, but it wasn't easy and it wasn't by a big margin, just 32 points separated her from Nigeria's Modupe Oshikoya.

The Nigerian scooted to a new Nigerian record of 13.72 in the opening event, the 100 m hurdles to take the lead from Peters who recorded 13.94. Peters took command in the next event, the shot, with a toss of $4914 \% / 2$ to a puny $34^{\prime} 3$ for Modupe, who was now settled in fifth place. Although both women cleared the same height in the high jump, 5' $8 \frac{1}{2}$, Peters remained in the lead and Oshikoya was still fifth. In the long jump, things took a new outlook after the long jump, however, for Oshikoya popped out $21^{\prime \prime} 4$ to Peters' $19103 \%$ and the lead of the Northern Ireland girl was now just over 100 points with the 200 the only remaining event, ( 3609 to 3500). Mary had to hold the slim Nigerian to under a second margin to retain her title. The African girl had a 7-8 meter lead as the two rounded the turn, but Peters would not let her get farther away and the final times were 24.16 and 25.00 as Oshikoya picked up 77 points. Peters had won 4455 to 4423 in a oneday pentathlon competition.

FINAL, I-Mary Peters (NI) 4455 ( $13.94 / 491^{\prime} 4 / 2 / 5^{\prime} 81 / 2 /{ }^{\prime} 9^{\prime} 03 / 4 /$ 25.00), 2-Modupe Oshikoya (Nig) 4423 ( $13.72 / 3413 / 5181 / 2 / 21$ '4/ 24.15), 3-Ann Wilson (Fing) 4236 ( $13.98 / 36^{\prime} 11 / 5^{\prime} 81 / 2 / 19^{\prime} 834 / 25$. 37), 4 -Erica Nixon (Aus) 4206 ( $14.72 / 331^{\prime} 61 / 5^{\prime} 7 / 21^{\prime} 2 / 24.58$ ), 5-Barbara Poulsen (NZ) 4158 ( $14.41 / 48 \cdot 7 / 2 / 5{ }^{\prime} 2 / 4 / 18 \cdot 110 / 4 / 25.62$ ), 6-Diane Jones (Can) 4072 ( $14.79 / 47^{\prime} 21 / 2 / 5^{\prime} 5 / 19^{\prime} 01 / 2 / 26.84$ ), 7Sue Mapestone (Eng) 4060 ( $14.44 / 33^{\prime} 13 / 4 / 5^{\prime} 6 / 19^{\prime} 51 / 2 / 25.00$ ), 8Sue Scott (Aus) 4058 (14.15/32'03/4/5'5 ' $4 / 19^{\prime} 6 / 24.97$ ), 9-Janet Honour (Eng) 4043, 10-Sue New (Aus) 3881, 11-S. Burnside(NZ) 3726, 12-M. Tuisorisori (Fiji) 3572; Non-finishers: Myra Nimmo (Scot) 3 no puts and E. Phillips (Fiji) dnf loomH.
$4 \times 100 \mathrm{~m}$ Relay: Nine teams, eight lanes. Two heats were required to eliminate one team with the first three teams in each heat advancing along with the two fastest losers. No surprises here as Fiji was cut with its 49.2 race. Heat \#1, 1-Australia 44.6, 2-England 44.9, 3-Canada 44.9, 4-Scotland 46.5, 5-Tanzania 47.1; Heat \#2, 1-Ghana 45.2, 2-New Zealand 45.5, 3-Nigeria 45.8, 4-Fiji 49.2.

After the first leg, the Australians were never seriously threatened, but the battle for the other two medals was a good one with only .38 separating second and fifth places.

FINAL: 1-Australia (Lamy,Robertson-Boak-Boyle) 43.51, 2England (Lannaman, Martin, Vernon, Lynch) 44.30, 3-Ghana (Asiedua, Ocran, Afriye, Annum) 44.35, 4-Canada (Kellond, Damman, Loverock, Bailey) 44.51, 5-New Zealand (Robertson, Matthews, Wooten, Brown) 44.68, 6-Nigeria (Uko, Ewuzie, Obi, Oshikoya) 45.22, 7-Scotland (Salmond, Watt, McRitchie, Golden) 46.22, 8-Tanzania (Mfanya, Mohamed, Chezi, Kyomo) 46.43.

4x400m Relay: Verona Bernard, anchoring for England, took the baton just one meter ahead of Australian Charlene Rendina and finished 10 meters in front for an excellent team time of 3:29.2 and a terrific individual split at 50.4 s . Many of the Games' outstanding personalities were on the track in this final event of the Games including Yvonne Saunders, Canty, Rendina, Annum and Chebichi.

FINAL: 1-England (Pettett, Kennedy, Roscoe, Bernard) 3:29. 2, 2-Australia (Ramsay, Canty, Wangman, Rendina) 3:30.7, 3Canada (MacGowan, Crowley, Walsh, Saunders) 3:33.9, 4-Scotland (Coomber, McMeekin, Wright, Golden) 3:35.2, 5-New Zealand (Mills, Gukilau, Tong, Hunt) 3:37.5, 6-Nigeria (Joshua, Nwosu, Adeduro, Mbakwe) 3:40.8, 7-Ghana (Opoku, Adomah, Asiedua, Annum) 3:43.8, 8-Kenya (Cheptum, Chebichi, Tata, Chelimo) 3:51.9.


A great field in the Commonwealth Games 1500 meters. From right to left, eventual winner Glenda Reiser of Canada, 15 year old Kenyan Sabina Chembichi, pint-sized Thelma Wright of Canada, veteran Sylvia Potts of NZ, Olympian Jenny Orr of Australia and Mary Stewart of Scotland.

## ANOTHER LETTER FROM DON CALLAHAN, Whittier

"The Los Angeles Times Indoor Games were held at the Forum in Inglewood, California, February 8th...Terrific??? Well, maybe not so terrific.
"By the numbers, the count was: Men 15 events, Women 3 events. That does not include a small assortment of high school events: Boys 3 events, Girls 1 event. Also does not include a men's junior college relay.
"The women were allowed a 60,440 and 880 . It should be noted that Mary Decker of the Blue Angels Track Club set a world indoor half mile record of $2: 06.7 . .$. Also to be noted: Commentators, sports writers - please, no more comments or articles about Mary Decker's pre-competition spaghetti. You did the same thing to USSR gymnast Olga Korbut on her casual statement that she liked American catsup, or if you prefer, kethchup. By the time Olga returned home she must have hated the stuff!
'Back to the Times meet...I have no wish to belabor the issue, but only to call to everyone's attention that this is not just a southern California phenomenon. The problem is nationwide.
"If the Soviet Union, or any other European country, send women track and field performers to the USA to compete in selected indoor meets, our women would be incorporated into those meets. Full schedules of womens events would be held. The question is why? The answer, I suspect, is because American women are not, in the eyes of the meet promotors and directors, as good a box-office draw as foreign athletes. To that I say, "Hogwash".
"Given the same opportunity and pre-meet publicity as the men, I suspect the women could do their share in filling the various auditoriums.
"The AAU must exert its sanctioning authority. A full schedule of women's events and a full schedule of men's events, or NO sanction.
"I know I'm dreaming, but I also know....I'm right."

## BLAGOYEVA EUROPES BEST JUMPER

The Organizing Committee of International Athletic Competition Pravda, announces the results of their annual voting for the best European athlete in the jumping events. The winners were selected by a jury of nearly 200 athletic specialists with Bulgaria's Yordanka Blagoyeva easily the winner. The 1972 victor was Heide Rosendahl. (First place votes are listed in parenthesis.)

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## INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIPS (Continued)

24.7, 2-Pam Greene (CSU) 25.4, 3-Eleanor Mahal (Canada) 25.5; Heat \#2, 1-Theresa Montgomery (TSU) 24.9, 2-Linda Cordy (At) 25.2, Janice Wiser (IJTC) disqualified for running out of her lane after finishing second; Heat \#3, 1-Kathie Lawson (IJTC) 25.0, 2-Judy Fontaine (AGAA) 25.2, 3-Constancia Simpson (NY PAL) 26.2.

According to seasonal statistics maintained by WTFN, only two of the competing athletes had made the qualifying standard to enter this event, Lawson and Montgomery.

Probably the biggest surprise of the evening was the running of Linda Cordy of the Atoms who had qualified only because of the disqualification of Wiser - and who tied for first with more famous Theresa Montgomery of Tennessee State. The final was run in two sections. Final \#1, 1-Cordy 25.0, 2-Fontaine 25.5; Final \#2, 1-Montgomery 25.0, 2-Stroy 25.1, 3-Lawson 25.3.

FINAL, 1-(tie)Cordy and Montgomery 25.0, 3-Stroy 25.1, 4Lawson 25.3, 5-Fontaine 25.5.

440y Dash: Two heats with two only to advance into the final brought forth some good running. According to WTFW files, only seven athletes had met the 57.0 qualifying standard to enter the 440. Four of these seven did not enter which leaves only three qualified performers. Yet there were 10 entries? Heat \#1, l-Brenda Nichols (Atoms) 56.8, 2-June Smith (SITC) 57.3, 3-Kathy Weston (WS) 57.9, 4-Barb Bishop (Canada) 58.9, 5-Sherry James (Travelers AC) 59.2; Heat \#2, 1-Tecla Chemabwai (ChiSt) 57.4, 2-Gwen Norman (SITC) 57.7, 3-Beth Warner (Ohio TC) 58.1, 4-Iorna Forde (Atoms) 61.1, 5-Debbie Postell (SITC) 61.2.

The final was a good contest featuring two foreigners now living in the USA and two native citizens. Kenyan Chemabwai took the lead after the initial manouvering and held it until the very end when Nichols came to life with visible power and took command as Chemabwai, as is the habit of most of her countrymen, went into "overstride" and faded.

FINAL:, 1-Nichols 56.1, 2-Chemabwai 56.3, 3-Norman 58.0, 4 -Smith 58.8.
880y Run:-Decker went to the front and stayed there for 880 yards. Although not a 'super' pace, it was good enough to be a new meet record and good enough to win - which is the objective of competition. CBS television announcers did not know who Abby Hoffman was when she made her move to take the lead, and this is one of the weaknesses of the television program that they fail to research the competitors and in this case did not know an Olympic Games finalist, a Commonwealth Games champion, one of the world's top half milers for the past eight years. Interesting to note only three of the five US entries had made the qualifying standard: Parks had missed it by six-tenths while Ennis had not run the distance.

FINAL, 1-Mary Decker (BA) 2"07.1, 2-Abby Hoffman (Canada) 2:07.3, 3-Cheryl Toussaint (Atoms) 2:07.7, 4-Wendy Koenig (TGG) 2:10.9, 5-Sue Parks (Golden Triangle) 2:12.6, 6-Doreen Ennis (Nutley) 2:18.0.
One Mile Run: Again CBS blew it when Kathy Gibbons took the lead and, unfortunately for them, held it for many laps. She was called "the leader", then Kathy Schilly and finally Kathy Gibbons. Just a US internationalist, a national champion, that's all. The race itself was an interesting one as the lead changed hands several times and with Gibbons apparently the sure winner with less than 100 yards to go. Campbell pulled out the stops at this point and breezed past Gibbons with such authority that it took the wind out of Gibbons' sails and she eased to let Doreen Ennis move into second. Young Debbie Quatier, 1973 Girl's mile champion, gave promise of an interesting future.

FINAL, 1-Robin Campbell (SITC) 4:50.7, 2-Doreen Ennis (Nutley TC) $4: 51.6$, 3-Kathy Gibbons (GG) $4: 52.0$, 4-Debbie Quatier (Falcon TC) 4:54.3, 5-Brenda Webb (Kettering) 4:58.0, 6-Phyllis Olrich (CSU) 4:58.5, 7-Janice Merrill (AGAA) 5:00.2, 8Kathy Schilly (SyrChgrs) 5:03.9.
60y Hurdles: The question of proper seeding in this event has been discussed elsewhere in this report. The four heats qualified two from each for the semi-finals. Heat \#1, l-Patty Johnson (IJTC) 7.7, 2-Carmen Smith Brown (Atoms), 3-Carolyn Butler (Traveler's AC); Heat \#2, 1-Mamie Rallins (TSU) 7.7, 2-Liz Damman (Canada), 3-Pat Donnelly (Lakewood), 4-Carol Thomson (DelSC); Heat \#3, 1-Deby Lansky (GT) 7.9, 2-Cheryl Poirier (FredTFC), 3-Lorna Tinney (IJTC), 4-Lorraine Tummings


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## INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIPS (Continued)

(Atoms); Heat \#4, l-Mitzi McMillin (Un) 7.9, 2-LaVonne Neal (PhilHawks), 3-Pat Hawkins (Atoms), 4-Carolyn Butler (TravAC). (Carolyn Butler, Traveler's AC, is listed as finishing last in both the lst and 4th heats on the official result sheet.)

The two semi-final races dualified the first two plus the fastest loser into the final. Semi-final \#l, l-Johnson 7.8, 2-Damman, 3-McMillin, 4-Brown; Semi-final \#2, 1-Rallins 7.7, 2-Lansky, 3-Neal 7.8, 4-Poirier.

It was a three-girl race in the final as Johnson had injured herself during the warmup. Rallins was out well, but Damman, taking seven steps to the first hurdle, moved extremely well over the next two hurdles to take a definite lead. Over the last two barriers, Johnson made her move and the finish required magnifying-glass looks at the photo.

FINAL, 1-Johnson 7.7, 2-Rallins 7.7, 3-Damman 7.7, 4-Lansky 8.0 , $5-\mathrm{Neal}$ 8.1.
High Jump: Pretty good high jumping for the USA - six feet to win, 5'7 was no better than fourth. Joni Huntley, using only an eight step approach, otherwise showed good form over the bar and mastered six feet for an easy victory.

FINAL, l-Joni Huntley (Oregon TC) 6'0, 2-(tie) Cindy Gilbert (IJTC) 5'7 and Jil Halgrimson (MDYF) 5'7, 4-Cheryl Friesen (Tabor College) 5'7, 5-Karen Moller (DelSC) 5'5, 6-Alice Pfaff (UCTC) 5'3.

Long Jump: While the tender men complained bitterly over the condition of the long jump pit and several withdrew, the women, who have been shunted into bad pits for years, completed their competition although admitedly not approving of the pit which used dirt - with rocks - instead of sand. Martha Watson took all six of her jumps averaging about 20'6 to completely dominate the competition.

FINAL, I-Martha Watson (Lakewood Int) $20^{\prime} 9 / 2,2-V i c k i e ~ B e t t s$ (Lakewood Int) 19'1134, 3-Celeste Johnson (MDYF) 19'l, 4-Sue McLalin (GolTri) 19 $0 \%$, 5-Judy Fontaine (AGAA) 18.4 $4 / 2$.
Shot Put: Excellent competition and good North America marks made the shot one of the better events of the evening. Once again Maren Seidler showed she has moved up a plateau with a put of 54'4. Jane Haist, gold medalist at the recent Commonwealth Games, was second at 50'3 while Australia's transplanted weightwoman, Jean Roberts, Delaware SC, was third. Things were so good here that Jan Svendsen had her best mark of the year, 48'1\%4, and wound up 5th. Only Seidler and Roberts had made the qualifying standard???

FINAL, l-Maren Seidler (MDYF) 5414, 2-Jane Haist (Canada) 50'3, 3-Jean Roberts (DelSC) 49'10\%, 4-Denise Wood (Un) 48'63/4, 5-Jan Svendsen (LJTC) 48'114, 6-Carol Martin (Canada) 45'01/2.
One Mile Walk: Probably one of the finest marks of the meet, Susan Brodock whipped through the indoor mile in 7:28.6, nearly ten seconds ahead of her closest competition and more than half a minute ahead of the rest of the field.

FINAL, l-Susan Brodock (RRR) 7:28.6, 2-Ellen Minkow (Syr Chgrs) 7:37.0, 3-Carol Mohanco (KS) 8:01.0, 4-Mary Beth Hayford (Gateway) 8:08.9, 5-Cristy Dotseth (NDYF) 8:09.1, 6Cindy Arbelbide (RRR) $8: 31.5$, 7-Teresa Teegarden (Blue Angels) 8:36.2, 8-Mary Beth Harwick (MtLeb) 8:40.3, 9-Lori Thomas (ColPacers) 8:44.1, 10-Cynthia Johnson (BA) 8:45.6, Il-Elizabeth Kisken (Gateway) 8:55.0, 12-Stella Palmarchuk (Shore AC) 8:58.3, 13-Deborah Naybor (Un) 9:18.8.

640y Relay: Only the winner from each heat advanced into the final and the extremely poor seeding set up one heat involving Sports International and La Jolla TC, both outstanding teams, and another heat which included the Atoms "B' team, the Jets "A" team, the NYPAL "B" team and the Central Jersey "B" team - with the winner of that heat running nearly three seconds slower than the eliminated IJTIC. That's about 25 yards difference!! Oh, well.

Heat \#1, 1-Atoms "A" 1:11.7, 2-Frederick TFC 1:14.2, 3Gateway TC 1:20.7, 4-Central Jersey "A" 1:21.0; Heat \#2, 1SITC 1:12.2, 2-IJTC 1:12.6, 3-Jets TC "B" 1:21.7, 4-City College 1:22.1; Heat \#3, 1-Atoms TC "B" 1:15.0, 2-NYPAL "B" 1:15.6, 3-Jets TC "A" 1:16.6, 4-Central Jersey TC "B" I:23.1; Heat \#4, 1-MDYF 1:11.7, 2-NYPAL "A" 1:13.8, 3-Ambler Olympic Club 1:17.9, 4-Falmouth TC 1:20.1.

In the final, the three leaders were very close during the first three legs, but the Atoms chose this time for a bad pass and both Mayor Daley and Sports International went thataway!

FINAL, l-MDYF (Bryant, Milan, Johnson, Hopkins) 1:12.4, 2SITC 1:13.0, 3-Atoms TC "A" 1:14.5, 4-Atoms TC "B" 1:15.1.

Mile Relay: Once again those tough heats where only the winner advances and the arranging of heats is a questionable item once again with the NYPAL being eliminated in spite of running some six seconds ( 45 yards) faster than Ambler OC who made it. Heat \#1, 1-Atoms TC "A" 4:04.0, 2-Jets TC "A" 4:35.0, 3-Central Jersey TC "A" 4:37.9; Heat \#2, 1-SITC 3:57.0, 2-Suffolk AC 4:26.9, 3-Central Jersey TC "B" 4:44.5; Heat \#3, l-Ambler OC 4:12.2, 2-DC Striders 4:13.2, 3-Falmouth TC 4:19.9; Heat \#4, I-Atoms TC "B" 3:59.5, 2-NYPAL 4:06.8, 3-Jets TC "B" 4 : 07.2 .

No contest in the final as the world record holding Atoms waltzed away with the victory. Although the official result sheet lists the team as Forde-McMillan-Fitzgerald-Nichols, the team actually was composed of McMillan (58.3), DeSadies (56.7), Fitzgerald (56.2) and Nichols (57.1).

FINAL, 1-Atoms TC "A" 3:48.3, 2-SITC 3:50.6, 3-Atoms TC " $\mathrm{B}: 4: 00.5,4$-Ambler OC 4:14.1.
880y Medley Relay: Discourse on this event has taken place in other parts of this report, but in addition to the controversy, the seeding was again questionable here. Winners only advanced to the final. Heat \#l, l-NYPAL "A" 1:50.1, 2-Gateway TC 1:55.7, 3-DC Striders 1:59.0, 4-Suffolk AC 2:03.2; Heat \#2, 1-NYPAL "B" 1:51.1, 2-Jets TC "A" 1:52.8, 3-Cavalette TC 1:57. 2, 4-Central Jersey TC "B" 2:01.9; Heat \#3, 1-Atoms TC "A" 1:46.9, 2-Frederick TFC 1:50.7, 3-Age Group AA 1:54.3, 4-Jets TC "B" 2:00.4; Heat \#4, 1-SITC 1:45.8, 2-INTC 1:47.9, 3-Atoms TC "B" 1:54.4, 4-Ambler OC 2:01.0.

FINAL (No Contest; event not scored), 1-SITC (Norman, Randolph, Allwood, Stroy) 1:47:2, 2-Atoms TC 1:47.6, 3-NYPAL "A" 1:48.8, 4-NYPAL "B" nt.
SCORES: 1-Atoms TC 24, 2-SITC 21, 3-MDYF 13 $1 / 2$, 4-TSU 13, 5Lakewood International 11, 6-La Jolla TC 7/2, 7-(tie) Blue Angels, Oregon TC and Rialto Road Runners 5, 10-(tie) Syracuse University, Nutley TC, Chicago State University, NYPAL 3, 14(tie) Delaware SC, Golden Triangles, Kettering Striders, Glendale Gauchos, West Coast Jets 2, 19-(tie) The Colorado Gold, Tabor College, Gateway TC, Falcon TC, Texas Women's University and Ambler Olympic Club 1.

## INDOOR WORLD RECORDS SET IN 1974

A chronological list of the new world records equalled or broken during the 1974 indoor season:

| 1000y | 2:26.7 | Mary Decker (USA) | Los Angeles | 1-19 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Mile | 4:34.6 | Francie Larrieu (USA) | Seattle | 2-4 |
| 880y | 2:06.7 | Mary Decker (USA) | Los Angeles | 2-8 |
| 60 m | 7.1 e | Irena Szewinska (Pol) | Warsaw | 2-10 |
| 60 mH | 7.9 e | Grazyna Rabsztyn (Pol) | Warsaw | 2-10 |
| 60 m | 7.1 e | Renate Hoser-Ihle (GDR) | Bucharest | 2-10 |
| 100 mH | 13.2 | Patty Johnson (USA) | Pocatello | 2-10 |
| 100y | 10.7 e | Kathie Lawson (USA) | Pocatello | 2-10 |
| 1500 m | 4:12.2 | Francie Larrieu (USA) | Toronto | 2-15 |
| 600y | 1:18.4 | Yvonne Saunders (Can) | Toronto | 2-15 |
| HJ | 6.31/2e | Rita Kirst (GDR) | Sofia | 2-16 |
| $880 y$ | 2:02.3 | Mary Decker (USA) | San Diego | 2-17 |
| 800 m | 2:01.8 | Mary Decker (USA) | San Diego | 2-17 |
| 3000m | 9:02.4 | Francie Larrieu (USA) | San Diego | 2-17 |
| 2 Mile | 9:39.4 | Francie Larrieu (USA) | San Diego | 2-17 |
| 60 yH | $7.4 e$ | Patty Johnson (USA) | San Diego | 2-17 |
| SP | 66'91/2 | Helena Fibingerova(Cz) | Sofia | 2-17 |
| 100y | 10.48 | Renate Stecher (GDR) | Berlin | 2-23 |
| SP | 66'111/4 | Nadezhda Chizhova (SU) | Moscow | 3-2 |
| 60 m | 7.1 e | Martha Watson (USA) | Moscow | 3-2 |
| 60 m | 7.1 l | Maslakova (SU) | Moscow | 3-2 |
| 60 m | 7.1 e | Nad. Besfamilnaya (SU) | Moscow | 3-2 |
| 60 m | 7.1 e | Theresa Montgomery (US) | Moscow | 3-2 |

## NEW AMERICAN INDOOR MARKS FOR 1974

New American Records (in addition to the above) for 1974:

| MileR | $3: 47.5$ | Atoms TC | Albuquerque | $2-2$ |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 600 y | $1: 19.3$ | Robin Campbell (SITC) | Toronto | $2-15$ |
| 50 mH | 7.2 | Patty Johnson (IJTC) | Toronto | $2-15$ |
| SP | $56 \cdot 11$ | Maren Seidler (MDYF) | Oakland | $2-16$ |
| HJ | $6101 / 2$ | Joni Huntiey (OreTC) | Oakland | $2-16$ |
| 500 m | $1: 23.2$ | Cindy Poor (SJC) | Oakland | $2-16$ |
| 880 yMedR | $1: 46.3$ | La Jolla TC | San Diego | $2-17$ |
| 600 m | $1: 30.1$ | Robin Campbell (SITC) | Moscow | $3-2$ |
| 60 mH | 8.4 | Patty Johnson (LJTC) | Moscow | $3-2$ |



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## AMERICAN RECORD FOR CHOATE

Valencia, California, January 12:-Claire Choate established American records for the three mile and the 5000 meter runs as the SPAAAU staged another of its early season All Comers meets, this time at the College of the Canyons. Choate passed the three mile mark in 16:32.8 en route to her new record of 17:08.6 for 5000 meters, breaking Cheryl Bridges record of 17:36.0 set in 1971. Runner-up Terri Johnson with 17:20.5, and Susan Sanchez with 17:34.8, were also under the previous record.

Susan Brodock had a good 7:35.4 mark in the mile walk which was better than the $N R$ of $7: 53.3$ but went unnoticed. Some fine early season sprinting was in evidence as the speedsters vied for spots in the upcoming LA indoor meets.

RESUITS: 60y, 1-Mable Fergerson (WCJ) 6.8, 2-Renaye Bowen (WCJ) 6.8, 3-Martha Watson (IITC) 6.8, 4-Dollie Fleetwood (SCC) 6.9; 220, Williamae Fergerson (WCJ) 25.0; JT, l-Lynne Van Benthem (IJTC) 122'II, 2-Lisa Van Benthem (IJTC) 11614, $3-$ Loreli Van Benthem (IJTC) 113'1. 10/11 440, Kerry Corda (OC) 67.1. 9/Under 100/220, La Tanya Dawkins (LAJ) 12.5/29.3.

## ADDITIONS TO 1973 USA LIST

(Note: Some performances forwarded to WTFW were wind-aided marks and therefore are not eligible for the official list.)

| HJ | $5 \cdot 8 \quad(-)$ | Anita Lee (Motor Cty) | Birmingham | $8-20$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 880 | $2: 15.9^{*(2)}$ | Karen MacHarg | Trinidad | $5-26$ |
| 1500 | $4: 45.0(1)$ | Karen MacHarg | Trinidad | $5-27$ |
| 220 | $23.8 \times(-)$ | Rosalyn Bryant | Chicago | $?$ |
| $15004: 36.7$ (5) | Joy Jarvis (KS) | Scarboro | $7-21$ |  |
| $300010: 18.9$ (1) | Joy Jarvis (KS) | Terre Haute | $5-26$ |  |
| $2 M$ | $11: 01.4(1)$ | Joy Jarvis (KS) | Ft. Wayne | $5-13$ |

## CORRECTION

Francie Larrieu's mile time at Portland was listed as a new world indoor record at 4:33.7 in last month's issue. Actually, she ran $4: 38.7$ and the mark was twisted in the news service release. Since that time, Larrieu has taken over the world indoor mile mark with her 4:34.6 at Seattle.

# CLUB RECORD CONTEST - LOS ANGELES TC IS NUMBER ONE! 

Last June the Los Angeles Track Club won the National AAU Championships and we stated at that time it was more a question of who didn't want the title than who won it. Once again the LATC has "backed" into a title, claiming the world Club Record title while muttering prayers of thanks that East Germany's Dynamo Berlin, SC Leipzig, SC Chemie Halle and Motor Jena failed to register a Club record for the 400 m hurdles. In spite of this apparent luck of the LaTC, take nothing away from them for they have assembled the finest list of Club Records in the world and with Kathy Schmidt tossing the javelin for them in 1974 plus some new distance prospects, the Los Angeles Track Club will be hard to beat. The California club had practically no opposition in the USA Division scoring nearly 13000 posints to runner-up Delaware Sports Club's 11700. The La Jolla Track Club moved into third this year with 11371 and will zoom higher with the advent of the outdoor season for they are laaded. We are again indebted to Marc Andre for the French records, Winfried Kramer for the Germanies, Ted Radcliffe for Canada and Daniel Grinberg for Poland. Sixty nine Clubs took part in 1973. *=converted from yards.


CLUB RECORD CONIEST KALIEIDOSCOPE: Martha Watson, who established some kind of record for moving by holding the long jump record for three clubs last year, has done it again and now hold the record in the same event for FOUR clubs - Tennessee State (21'03/), Long Beach Comets (19'10/2), Los Angeles Track Club (21'7) and for 1974 the Lakewood International TC....Several persons have inquired concerning the scoring method used in the Club Record Contest. We simply use the "IAAF Scoring Table for Women's T\&F Events" plus our own table for the two events not covered by this International table, the 400 mH and the pentathlon..... Late entry from the Flathead Valley Timberettes of Montana scored 9162 placing them just one point behind the Padukies and in 22nd place. The FVT are led by Julie Brown and Mary Lalum.....

1-Ios Angeles TC - 12937

| 100 | 10.9 | Chi Cheng |
| ---: | ---: | :--- |
| 200 | 22.4 | Chi Cheng |
| 400 | 52.2 | Chi Cheng |
| 800 | $2: 07.2$ | Judy Graham |
| 1500 | $4: 27.3$ | Judy Graham |
| 100 H | 12.8 | Chi Cheng |
| 400 H | 63.5 | M. Neufville |
| HJ | 51914 | S. Goldsberry |
| IJ | 2117 | Martha Watson |
| SP | $5315 \%$ | Jan Svendsen |
| DT | 18910 | Olga Connolly |
| JT | 192.0 | Sherry Calvert |
| Pen | 4142 | Pat Bank |


| 5-Albuquerque OC - 11237 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :--- | :---: |
| 100 | 11.6 | Nora Carter |  |
| 200 | 24.5 | Lisa Gibbs |  |
| 400 | 53.3 | Carol Hudson |  |
| 800 | $2: 05.2$ | Carol Hudson |  |
| 1500 | $4: 42.3$ | Carol Hudson |  |
| l00H | 14.4 | Sallie Caton |  |
| 400 H | 63.7 | Lisa Chiavario |  |
| HJ | $5^{\prime} 6$ | Katie Solon |  |
| IJ | $19^{\prime} 8$ | Lisa Chiavario |  |
| SP | $41 ' 31 / 2$ | Barbara Butler |  |
| DT | $151^{\prime} 1$ | Barbara Butler |  |
| JT | $122 ' 1$ | Terry Blog |  |
| Pent | 3882 | Sallie Caton |  |

9-Sacramento RR - 10866

| 100 | 11.9 | Nancy Mullen |
| :---: | ---: | :--- |
| 200 | 23.4 | Kathy Hammond |
| 400 | 51.6 | Kathy Hammond |
| 800 | $2: 08.8$ | Nancy Mullen |
| 1500 | $4: 58.0$ | Nancy Mullen |
| 100 H | 13.8 | Deanne Carlsen |
| 400H | 63.9 | Lynn Cannon |
| HJ | 514 | Deanne Carlsen |
| IJ | $15^{\prime} 71 / 2$ | Deanne Carlsen |
| SP | 4014 | Lynn Cannon |
| DT | 11514 | Lynn Cannon |
| JT | 16917 | Lynn Cannon |
| Pent | 3625 | Cherrie Sherrard |

13-Sports International - 10333 $100 \quad 11.1$ Alice Annum $200 \quad 22.8$ Alice Annum 40052.3 Charlette Cooke 800 2:05.3 Charlette Cooke 1500 4:39.7 Robin Campbell 100 H 13.1 Lacey O'Neal 400H 65.3 June Smith 514 Tara Sheldon IJ 18'10 Jane Burnett SP 39'll Lacey O'Neal DT 12416 Jackie Gordon JT 70'3 Gwen Norman Pent $\quad \mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x}$

17-Flanagan Clan - 9575 | 100 | 12.6 | Jan Wilson |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 200 | 25.8 | Lu Ann Simon |
| 400 | 58.7 | La,Ann Simon | $\begin{array}{lrl}400 & 58.7 & \text { Lu.Ann Simon } \\ 800 & 2: 33.1 & \text { H. Sutherland }\end{array}$ 1500 5:31.3 H. Sutherland 100 H 14.5 Lu Ann Simon 400H 66.3 Liz Walker HJ 5'0 Lu Ann Simon IJ 17'ly Leanne Makin SP 43'ly Ursula Radford DT 128'lo Ursula Radford \#T 132'0 Diane Wallila Pant 3213 Lu Ann Simon

2-Delaware SC - 11728
11.6 Chris A'Harrah
24.3 Chris A'Harrah
53.8 Chris A'Harrah

2:14.4 Diane Stratton
4:39.3 Beth Bonner
13.5 Carol Thomson
64.6 Carol Thomson

5:10 Karen Moller
19'0 Carol Thomson
50'2 Jean Roberts
18318 Jean Roberts
161'5 Wendy Sorrick 3698 Carol Thomson
6-Topeka Cosmo - 11173
11.5 Paulette Smith
25.2 Rebecca Davis
55.1 Jan Reusser

2:09.6 Teri Anderson
4:29.1 Teri Anderson
14.4 Jan Reusser
63.0 Jan Reusser

5'8 Audrey Walker
18'9\%/4 Linda Adams
41'8 $\% / 2$ Delia Burchfield
152'8 Marion Washington
129'9 Delia Burchfield
3646 Jan Reusser
10-Cleveland TC - 10628
11.5 Robyn Russell
23.9 Robyn Russell
53.9 Madeline Manning

2:05.1 Madeline Manning
4:36.7 Sandra Knott
14.4 Mary Ayers
65.5 Mary Ayers

5'9/2 Eleanor Montgomery
18'8 Mary Ayers
$48 \cdot 31 / 2$ Sharon Shepherd
155'l Sharon Shepherd
124'10 Delores Melton $\mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x}$
14-La Mirada Meteors - 10296
12.0 Carol Burkland
24.8 Carol Burkland
56.6 Karen Hurlocker

2:11.6 Debbie Heald
4:19.6 Debbie Heald
14.3 DeAnne Wilson
61.7 Clydine Crowder
$5^{\prime} 7 / 2$ DeAnne Wilson
18'2 DeAnne Wilson
45'111/2 Emily Dole
12914 Emily Dole
$133^{\prime} 2$ Paf Hamlin $\mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x}$
18-Mayor Daley YF - 9345
11.5 Mamie Rallins
24.2 Katheryne Jones
54.9 Norma Harris

2:11.4 Marilyn Bastian $\mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x}$
13.4 Mamie Rallins
x x x x $x$
5'8 Jill Halgrimson
2114 Willye White
53'5 Maren Seidler
179 '6 J. Dela Vina
136'0 Bredna Jo Glison $\mathrm{x} \cdot \mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x} \times$

3-La Jolla TC - 11371
11.4 Bobbette Krug
24.4 Sandy Muse
54.9 Elizabeth Randerz

2:17.6 Beth Howell
4:58.2 Heather McNair
13.5 Lornia Tinney
63.4 Pia Hakansson

5'91/4 Cindy Gilbert
19'73/4 Lorna Tinney
42'6 Kathy Devine
13718 Jan Svendsen
16614 Karin Smith
4024 Lorna Tinney

| 7-Millbrae Lions - 11127 |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| 11.6 | Kathy Smallwood |
| 24.0 | Pat Winslow |
| 55.5 | Nancy Mullen |
| 2:06.5 | Cis Schafer |
| 4:37.0 | Linda McCain |
| 14.1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Marilyn King } \\ & \mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x} \end{aligned}$ |
| 5'774 | Pat Winslow |
| 2018 | Pat Winitow |
| 50'8 | Lynn Graham |
| 166 '11 | Linda Langford |
| 160'1 | Linda Langford |
| 4206 | Marilyn King |
| 11-Ohio TC - 10412 |  |
| 11.7 | Laurie Barr |
| 24.0 | Laurie Barr |
| 54.6 | Beth Warner |
| 2:10.8 | Beth Warner |
| 4:41.5 | Beth Warner |
| 14.2 | Beth Warner |
| 60.9 | Beth Warner |
| 5'71/2 | Estelle Baskervill |
| $19 ' 2$ | Laura Luedemann |
| $42^{\prime} 0$ | Linda Kate |
| 10616 | Linda Kate |
| 171'8 | Jean Sweeney |
|  | $\mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x}$ |

15-Nebraska TC - 9963
11.7 Virginia Tonnigeo
25.1 Sandra Hays
58.4 Sandra Hays

2:19.1 Charlyee Remington
5:36.1 Cindy Drapal
14.4 Patty Barry
64.4 Dee Edeal

5'8 Toni Churchill
18183/ Gwen Gould
47'21/2 Carol Frost
178'0 Carol Frost
146'5 Carol Frost $\mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x}$
19-IB Comets - 9250
12.2 Daisy Booker
25.2 Martha Watson
56.3 Doreen Murrell

2:10.7 Patty Cape
4:32.6 Gunilla Lindh
14.4 Cam Conly
$\mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x}$
5'6 Cam Conly
19'10/2Martha Watson
36'10\% Sherrill Cochran 101'8 Diana Mackley 17714 Kathy Schmidt $\mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x}$

4-Atoms TC - 11276

| 11.3 | Pat Hawkins |
| :---: | :--- |
| 23.4 | Pat Hawkins |
| 53.4 | Cheryl Toussaint |
| $2: 04.2$ | Cheryl Toussaint |
| $4: 36.0$ | Cheryl Toussaint |
| 14.2 | Pat Hawkins |
| 61.1 | Gale Fitzgerald |
| $5^{\prime} 7 / 4$ | Gale Fitzgerald |
| 19'101/2 Gale Fitzgerald |  |
| 40'11 | Gale Fitzgerald |
| $107 ' 1$ | Roslyn Hurley |
| 85'l | Roslyn Hurley |
| 4326 | Gale Fitzgerald |

8-The Colorado Gold - 10967
12.6 Jill Werland
24.9 Wendy Koenig
54.5 Wendy Koenig

2:02.9 Wendy Koenig
4:29.3 Barbara Lawson
14.8 Wendy Koenig
59.1 Wendy Koenig

5163/4 Wendy Koenig
19'10 34 Wendy Koenig
40'01/4 Joan Stratton
11614 Joan Stratton
102'5 Joan Stratton
4167 Wendy Koenig
12-Phoenix TC - 10394
11.5 Mavis Laing
23.2 Mavis Laing
52.6 Mavis Laing

2:08.0 Anne Gallaher
4:40.2 Nancy Ihrmann
13.5 Jan Glotzer
63.6 Anne Gallaher

5'6 Jan Glotzer
19'I1/2 Judy Rejebian
36'814 Marilyn Frantz
105'0 Marilyn Frantz
144'1 Karen Schwantje $\mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x}$

16-Blue Ribbon TC - 9798
12.6 Loree Schmeling
25.9 Janis Vetter
55.9 Janis Vetter

2:11.0 Debbie Vetter
4:56.0 Debbie Vetter
15.4 Debbie Vetter
61.8 Debbie Vetter

5'4 Debbie Vetter
17' I Debbie Vetter
33'434 Karen Maeder
110'l0 Karen Maeder
11515 Janet Black
3302 Debbie Vetter
20-Peoria Pacettes - 9169
11.8 Kim Schofield
25.2 Margaret Jones
59.5 Jan Jones

2:20.9 Bev Roland
4:58.0 Bev Roland
15.5 Cheryl Helfer
66.3 Tami Essington

5'734 Jean Baltz
19'91/2 Kim Schofield
35'11/2 Margie Eckhoff
105'7 Margie Eckhoff
98'0 Margie Eckhoff
$\mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x}$


## LITTLE LIL'S 3:03 MARATHON by Janet Heinonen

(Reprinted from February 1974 issue of "Runner's World".)
Ed Ledbetter kept urging his 12 year old daughter to slow down. For every minute she gained in the early stages of the Oregon Track Club marathon, she would lose two minutes in the end, he told her. He was more worried about his daughter's efforts to break 3:30 than his own. Hitting 3:30 was the goal: a trip to the Boston marathon the reward.

Young Lili Ledbetter failed to take her father's advice and kept on running seven-minute mile after seven-minute mile until she convincingly disproved his theory by smashing the world girl's age-group record by 33 minutes. Lili's time was 3:03:32.

And to Dr. Ledbetter's chagrin, he'll have to run another marathon to make sure he gets to compete at Boston. (His personal best is 3:19, but he ran 3:35 that day, five minutes off the Boston qualifying mark.)

The slender $4^{\prime} 8^{\prime \prime}$, 68 pound girl from Eugene, Oregon, picked up her running interest on a tiny Pacific Island three years ago. Kwajalein Island in the Marshalls is only three miles long and one mile wide. Lili's father was working there as a civilian dentist at a military base. An enthusiastic runner named Rocky Hart promotes a popular aerobics program on the island. Emphasis is on participation and fitness rather than competition.


On an island with 5000 people, nine year old Lili was one of more than a hundred children and adults who regularly ran with Hart's program. The running was low-key and Lili never ran more than three miles at once.

When the Ledbetter's returned to the United States, they were drawn to Eugene partly by the running climate there. When her father started some long distance running in 1971, Lili decided she wanted to go along. Now she's addicted.
"My Mom thinks I'm obsessed with running," she says. "If I don't run, then the day feels like there's something missing from it. If I don't run, I feel guilty. I feel really bad when I see other people out running and I'm not. Even if I didn't have competition, I'd run."

She continues, "I love to run. Sometimes people ask me why I run, and that kind of bothers me. You don't ask football players why they play football....running is just another sport."

Lili prefers to run at 6 a.m., although her parents restrict the areas where she can go. "They worry a lot," she says, "but I think it's safest in the morning when there aren't so many cars around."

A morning run is typically 5-8 miles around her hilly neighborhood. In the afternoon she usually works out with the junior high boy's cross country team. This fall, she won two meets, and placed fourth in the all-city meet. Running with boys hasn't produced any problems for Lili, just better competition. She hopes to run with the boys during track season, too, because their program offers the 1320 as an event while the girls are restricted to races less than half a mile.
"The shorter the race, the worse I am," Lili says. "And I don't like to do any track workouts." Lili's father guides her workouts, often having to tone down her ambitious plans. Lili's training before her 3:03 marathon is surprising because it was concentrated in a one-month period. Five weeks before the marathon she ran a 1:32 half-marathon. Her training for that race had consisted of 3-4 miles a day with occasional long runs of 10 miles, and one l2-miler.

But the next week she and her father started some serious long runs, 18 miles the first week, then 22 , another 18 and finally a 15 the week before the marathon. Lili averaged slightly over 70 miles a week for that month, mostly at 7-8 minute (mile) pace.
"I don't think that parents should force kids to run. You should be ïd enough to decide for yourself." She tends to agree with those who don't want kids to burn themselves out by running too much too soon.

Lili's parents approach her running cautiously, letting her go at her own pace but within restrictions which they, as parents, feel are necessary for health and safety.

Lili was born June 2, 1961, at Honolulu, stands 4.8 and 68 pounds. Began racing in 1970 and has best marks of 2:38 for 880 yards, 32:51 for 5 miles in addition to her 3:03:32 marathon.
(Note:-"Runner's World" states the following for Lili's training - "Once or twice a day, 7 days a week, $\underline{22}$ months a year." Maybe that's Lili's secret!)

## ALL TIME TOP 22 MARATHONS

Following is the All Time best marathon performances including the age of the athlete at the time of her performance.

| $2: 46: 46.0$ | Miko Gorman (36) | USA | 1973 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $2: 49: 40.0$ | Cheryl Bridges (23) | USA | 1971 |
| $2: 53: 40.0$ | Teri Anderson (19) | USA | 1973 |
| $2: 55: 22.0$ | Beth Bonner (19) | USA | 1971 |
| $2: 56: 04.0$ | Nina Kuscsik (32) | USA | 1971 |
| $2: 59: 12.0$ | Margie Norem (20) | USA | 1973 |
| $2: 59: 25.6$ | Christa Kofferschlager (24)GDR | 1973 |  |
| $2: 59: 33.2$ | Sarolta Monspert (24) | Hong Kong | 1972 |
| $2: 59: 52.0$ | Judy Ikenberry (33) | USA | 1973 |
| $3: 02: 45.0$ | Karin Pagaard (24) | Denmark | 1973 |
| $3: 02: 53.0$ | Caroline Walker (16) | USA | 1970 |
| $3: 03: 00.2$ | Manuela Preuss (27) | GDR | 1973 |
| $3: 03: 12.0$ | Betty Wake (34) | USA | 1972 |
| $3: 03: 27.0$ | Kim Piper (18) | USA | 1973 |
| $3: 03: 32.0$ | Lili Ledbetter (12) | USA | 1973 |
| $3: 04: 40.0$ | Sara Berman (35) | USA | 1971 |
| $3: 04: 50.0$ | Patricia Barret (23) | USA | 1973 |
| $3: 05: 32.0$ | Nancy Ihrman (17) | USA | 1973 |
| $3: 05: 41.0$ | Marilyn Paul (35) | USA | 1973 |
| $3: 05: 59.2$ | Jackie Hansen (24) | USA | 1973 |
| $3: 06: 39.2$ | Lydia Ritter (31) | GDR | 1973 |
| $3: 07: 26.0$ | Anni Pede (27) | GDR | 1967 |

By Manfred Steffny from the Dutch semi-monthly publication "de Atletiekwereld".

## IKENBERRY NATIONAL MARATHON CHAMPION

San Mateo, California, February 10:-Judy Ikenberry, who in the deep, dark, long-ago past competed in the 440/880 for the Laura Scudder Chipettes, won her first-ever National title today as a 31 year old mother of three children winning the initial National Women's Marathon Championship with an excellent mark of $2: 55: 17$. No other results are available.

## PAN AMERICAN CUP CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS

Alameda, California, February 6:-The AAU gave a party - the Pan American Cup Cross Country Championships - but nobody came! Just us Americans. So the 21 Americans divided themselves into four teams and had a go anyway. The race, run on the Alameda golf course, was slightly under four kilometers and was won in a close race by T. Johnson, (first name and affiliation unknown), over Teri Anderson. Johnson's team of Jackie Hansen and Estella Guina won the team title with 15 points.

RESUITS: 1-T. Johnson 12:13.9, 2-Teri Anderson 12:16, 3Judy Graham 12:24, 4-Cheryl Bridges 12:34, 5-Jackie Hansen 12:37, 6-Amy Haberman 12:45, 7-Cindy Poor 12:50, 8-Tina Anex 12:59, 9-Estella Guina 13:03, 10-Kathy Adams 13:12.

## ARIZONA ALL COMERS

Phoenix, Arizona, January 19:-Colleen Wiegert set a new Arizona State record for the mile walk as the best performance of the regular Arizona all comers meet. Liz VanHouten had a good 440 in 57.3.

Open Division: $440 \mathrm{yR} / 880 \mathrm{yMedR}$, Arizona TC 50.5/1:55.0; 400 mH , Jill South (PTC) 66.8; MileW, Colleen Wiegert (Mesa TC) 8:56.3; 100/220, Linda Wright (Un) 11.5/26.2; Mile/2M, Debbie Derr (ArizTC) 5:14.6/11:15.7; JT, Marilyn White (MTC) 126'3; SP, Mary O'Banner (NTC) $36{ }^{\prime} 21 / 2$. 14/15 Division: $100 \mathrm{mH} /$ 300 mH , Jeanne Custer (Creighton TC) 17.0/49.1; 100, Pam Secchiari (Scottsdale TC) 11.9 (11.8h); SP/DT/JT, Kelly Fuiks (Cactus Wrens) $33^{\prime} 1 / 108^{\prime} 3 / 134 \cdot 4$; IJ, 1-Cecelia Thomas (Pears Peaches) 16'8, 2-Pam Secchiari 16'3; HJ, 1-Monique Donithan (CW) 5'l, 2-Patty Delp (MIC) 5'0. 12/13 Division: $880 y M e d R$, VOSTC 1:56.5; 80 mH , Terry McMahon ( $\overline{\text { ATC }) ~} 13.0 ; 200 \mathrm{mH}$, Anita Green (CTC) 31.4; 100, Connie Jackson (MTC) 12.0; 440, 1Cheryl Symons (ATC) 62.5, 2-Vicki Murray (VOS) 62.5

## RUSSIANS SPANK YANKS 69-52

Moscow, Soviet Union, March 2:-It took them three tries, but the Russians finally defeated the USA women in an indoor meet The competition, staged in the Znamenskies Winter Arena, drew a full house of spectators, which unfortunately was only 500 as that is the capacity of the arena, but the facilities were top grade and every effort was made by the host to provide a pleasant stay for the Yanks. The track itself caused some problems to the Americans however, for it was approximately 75 yards on each straight and 35 yards for each turn making for sharp turns.

The final score, 69-52, reflected an absence of points for both teams brought about by the disqualification of the two relay teams in the final event of the competition. The Russian, running European style, cut in on Mary Decker, but this time it was even too quick a cut for the European judges and the Soviets were disqualified. Decker compounded the incident by throwing her baton at the Russian, missing, picking it up, carrying it across the finish line and throwing it once again, missing both tosses. The Russian, oblivious to all the happenings since that is the way they run in Europe, was surprised by her disqualification and the entire spectator section gave vent to much whistling and booing. Decker, who has never raced in Europe against more than two foreign runners at the same time, can thank her lucky stars she wasn't in with 8-10 Europeans for that IS the way they run and she will be banged about with reckless abandon when she runs against them and had best be prepared for that style of running. When wanting to pass, the Europeans don't politely inquire, "May I please pass". They go, elbows, batons, shoulders, feet flying. And if they have bothered you, upset your mental faculties, forced you to change your rhythm or your strategy, they have accomplished what they set out to accomplish. Ever hear the phrase "Mental toughness"? This is where it is a necessity.

Although disappointed at losing, the Americans have nothing to apologize for. Nearly every competitor performed up to her season potential and several achieved lifetime bests. Martha Watson led the US troop with a double victory in the 60 m dash and the long jump, equalling the world record in winning the sprint and taking the long jump by a safe margin with a good 20'8 effort. In the 60 m sprint, all four runners were credited with the same time of 7.1 and co-hold the world mark for that distance along with five others. The mark was originally set in 1962 by Tatyana Shchelkanova (SU), then tied by Renate (Stecher) Meissner, Sylviane Telliez (France), Irena Szewinska (Poland) and Renate Hoser-Ihle (GDR).

The best mark of the competition went to the Soviet's Nadezdha Chizhova who regained the world record in the indoor shot put with her first throw as is her custom. Chizhova had the record at 64 '7/2 which she set back in 1971, but only last month Helena Fibingerova of Czechoslovakia had improved the mark to $66^{\prime} 9 / 2$. Chizhova tossed 66'111/4 on her first throw and the setting is now made for the two to meet at the European Championships later this month. Chizhova's series was 66'11\%-65'934-66'2-64'lly $/ 2$-foul-foul. Maren Seidler, although finishing only third, continued to show consistency with 53'614, 52' $21 / 2,52^{\prime} 03 / 4,52^{\prime} 63 / 4,51^{\prime} 31 / 2$ 。

Joni Huntley, the Oregon high jumping machine, took the high jump at 5'Ily and did it the hard way. Galina Filatova bounced over the bar at 5'10 on her first try to take the lead over Huntly who required two efforts to clear, as did Filatova's teammate Tamara Galka. The bar was raised to $1.81 / 5^{\prime} 1111_{4}$ with Huntley the first to jump. All three missed on their first two attempts, but Huntley was over on her third try to win it for the US.

Robin Campbell, never one to dodge a tough opponent, took on Olympic 800 m silver medalist Niole Sabaite in the 600 m and won with an excellent time of $1: 30.1$, a time which must be listed as the world record although Waltraud Dietsch of East Germany ran l:29.5 last year on a 250m track. Campbell came back in the aforementioned relay for a 600 m leg in a fantastic l:29.0 for quite an afternoon, (the meet started at three o'clock(. Adding insult to injury in the 600, Wendy Koenig also whipped Sabaite, running $1: 30.6$ while Sabaite finished in 1:31.2. Both Sabaite and Koenig are brand new brides.

Decker, running 29.5-60.8-1:32.9 on the way, won the 800 m in 2:04.5 with Toussaint turning in a best of $2: ゆ 5.8$ for a close third. Gibbons and Ennis were over their head in the 1500 as were Nichols and Norman in the 400, (which was run in two sections!), and Quatier and Webb in the 3000 although the Washington girl had her best-ever for the 3000.

In spite of arriving in Moscow on crutches, Patty Johnson still ran a creditable flight of 60 m hurdles, finishing second in 8.4, good enough for a new American record. Our two

pentathlon performers were outclassed by the Russian veterans, but Mitzi McMillin ran a good flight of hurdles in 8.6 and was over $5^{173 / 4}$ in the high jump, her best of the year and moving her to the number two spot behind Huntley on the 1974 USA indoor list. Lorna Tinney ran only 8.9 in the hurdles, jumped 4'Il and nearly lost the point for the US as she fouled her first two throws in the shot by walking out the front end of the ring.

The main difference between the wins of the past two years and the loss in 1974 seemed to be that the Russians didn't bring along any 5'3 high jumpers, etc., as they had in the past. This time they showed up with the "troops", but we still made it interesting. Especially in the relay.
RESULTS: 60m, 1-Martha Watson (US) 7.1, 2-Lyudmila Moslakova (SU) 7.1, 3-Nadezhda Besfamilnaya (SU) 7.1, 4-Theresa Montgomery (US) 7.1 ; 400 m , I-Nadezhda Ilina (SU) 53.8, 2-Lyudmila Aksenova (SU) 55.5, 3-Brenda Nichols (US) 56.1, 4-Gwen Norman (US) $56.8 ; 600 \mathrm{~m}, 1$-Robin Campbell (US) (28.3-59.0) 1:30.1, 2Wendy Koenig (US) (28.0-59.2) 1:30.6, 3-Niole Sabaite (SU) (29.0-59.7) 1:31.2, 4-Suetlana Styrkina (SU) (29.5-60) 1:33.2; 800m, 1-Mary Decker (29.5-60.8-1:32.9) 2:04.5, 2-Valentina Gerasimova (SU) 2:05.3, 3-Cheryl Toussaint (US) 2:05.8, 4-Tatyana Kazankina (SU) 2:06.0; 1500m, 1-Tamara Kazachkova (67.6-2:21.2-2:34.5) 4:20.9, 2-01ga Dvirna (SU) 4:23.4, 3-Kathy Gibbons (67.0-2:20.5-3:34.1) 4:25.6, 4-Doreen Ennis (67.8-2:20.9$3: 34.2$ ) $4: 28.3 ; 3000 \mathrm{~m}$, l-Lyudmila Bragina (2:58.0-6:09.0) 9:14.0, 2-Irina Bondarchuk (SU) 9:15.2, 3-Debbie Quatier (US) (3:01.5-6:15.6) 9:29.0, 4-Brenda Webb (3:08.0-6:34.0) 10:00.0; 60 mH , 1-Natalya Lebadeva 8.3, 2-Patty Johnson 8.4, 3-Tatyana Vorokbabko 8.4, 4-Mamie Rallins 8.5; Medley relay, Both teams disqualified, (USA-Montgomery (200) 25.0, Toussaint (400) 55.5, Campbell (600) I:29.0, Decker (800) xx); IJ, l-Martha Watson 20'8, 2-Kapitolina Lotova 20'41/2, 3-Maragrite Treinite 20'1 $3 / 4$, 4-Vicki Betts 19'734; SP, 1-Nadezhda Chizhova 66'111/4, 2-Svetlana Kratcheuskaya 59'21/2, 3-Maren Seidler 53'614, 4-Denise Wood 46 '4/4; HJ, 1-Joni Huntley 5'11/4, 2-Galina Filatova 5'10, 3-Tamara Galka 5'l0, 4-Cindy Gilbert 5'7; Triathlon, l-Nadezhda Tkachenko 2776 ( 60 mH 8.4 , SP $50^{\prime} 21 / 2$, HJ $5^{\prime \prime} 7 \%$ ), 2-Tatyana Vorokhobka 2688 (8.3-4I'9/2-5'83/4, 3-Mitzi McMillin 2417 (8.6-33'1034-5'734), 4-Lorna Tinney 2016 (8.9-28'1-4'11).

Statistics and results courtesy Bob Seaman.

The Dean of Women's Track and Field reporters/statisticians, Jan Popper of Czechoslovakia, has again compiled the World List for our sport. For 1973, we have limited the list to the top 30. The top 200 will appear in the 1974 Yearbook published by Pete Pozzoli and available in May. For this listing, we have limited the coverage to mark, place in the competition, name, country. In the Yearbook you will find in addition the age, height, weight of the athlete, site of the competition and date.

| $100 \mathrm{~m} / 100 \mathrm{y}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| 10.8 (1) | Renate Stecher, GDR |
| 11.0 Oh (1) | Doris Selmigkeit, GDR |
| 11.0 s (1) | Petra Kandarr/Vogt, GDR |
| 11.0 (1) | Mona-Lisa Pursiainen, Fin |
| 11.0 (1) | Denise Robertson, Aus |
| 11.1 (2) | Silvia Chivas, Cuba |
| 11.1B (1) | Irena Szewinska, Pol |
| 11.1 (4) | Christine Heinich, GDR |
| 11.1 (5) | Monika Meyer, GDR |
| 11.1 (6) | Doris Maletzki, (GDR |
| 11.1 (1) | Raelene Boyle, Aus |
| 11.32 (2) | Annegret Richter/Irrgang, GFR |
| 11.2 (3) | Ivanka Valkova, Bul |
| 11.2 (4) | Andrea Lynch, GB |
| 11.2 h (1) | Ellen Strophal, GDR |
| 11.2 (2) | Barbara Jordan, Aus |
| 10.3 yh (M) | Fran Sichting, USA |
| 11.39 (1) | Sylviane Telliez, Fra |
| 11.40 (3) | Marina Sidorova, SU |
| 11.3 (1) | Elfgard Schittenhelm, GFR |
| 11.3 (3) | Carmen Valdez, Cuba |
| 11.3 B (4) | Monika Zehrt, GDR |
| 11.3 (2) | Nadezda Besfamilnaya, SU |
| 11.3 (2) | Annelie Ehrhardt, GDR |
| 11.35 (1) | Barbel Eckert, GDR |
| 11.3 (5) | Yordanka Yankova, Bul |
| 11.3B (3) | Barbel Struppert, GDR |
| 11.3h (2) | Renate Ihle, GDR |
| 11.3 (2) | Inge Helten, GFR |
| 11.3 (1) | Yelica Pavlicic, Yug |

$y=$ Yards; B=Second (or "B") Race; p=Made in Pentathlon; M=Run against men; h=Heat; s=semi-final; q=qualifying; e=electric
$800 \mathrm{~m} / 880 \mathrm{y}$
1:57.48 (1) Svetla Zlateva, Bul
1:58.94 (1) Gunhild Hoffmeister, GDR
1:59.92 (1) Liliana Tomova, Bul
1:59.8 (1) Elzbieta Katolik, Pol
1:59.90 (1) Marita Politz, GDR
2:00.1 (2) Karen Krebs/Burneleit, GDR
2:00.19 (2) Niole Sabaite, SU
$2: 01.2$ (5) Joan Allison, GB
2:01. 39 (1) Hildegard Falck, GFR
2:01.42 (2) Stefka Yordanova, Bul
2:01.6 (2) Elfi Rost, GDR
2:01.98 (2) Gisela Ellenberger, GFR
2:02.0 (6) Margaret Coomber, GB 2:02.0 (3) Tonka Petrova, Bul 2:02.43 (3) Mary Decker, USA
2:02.4 (3) Valentina Gerasinova, SU
2:02.5 (2) Samite Stula, SU
2:02.6 (3) Svetlana Styrkina, SU
2:02.63 (5) Paola Pigni, Ita
2:02.8 (1) Ileana Silai, Rum
2:02.9 (1) Mary Tracey, Ire
2:03.8y (2) Wendy Koenig, USA
2:03.17h(2) Glenda Reiser, Can 2:03.28h(3) Charlote Bradley, Mex 2:03.30 (1) Anita Barkusky, GDR 2:03.4 (1) Vera Nikolic, Yug
2:03.5 (5) Olga Vachruseva, SU
2:03.5 (1) Tatyana Kafankiua, SU
2:03.5 (4) Ludmila Bragina, SU
2:03.5lh(3) Beate Wobig, GDR

| $\frac{200 \mathrm{~m} / 220 \mathrm{y}}{22.1(1)}$ | Renate Stecher, GDR |
| :---: | :---: |
| 22.32 (1) | Mona-Lisa Pursiainen, Fin |
| 22.3 -(2) | Doris Maletzki, GDR |
| 22.4 (3) | Petra Kandarr/Vogt, GDR |
| 22.72 (2) | Marina Sidorova, SU |
| 22.73 (3) | Ellen Strophal, GDR |
| 22.7 (1) | Irena Szewinska, Pol |
| 22.85 (1) | Barbel Eckert, GDR |
| 22.8 (1) | Raelene Boyle, Aus |
| 22.9 (1) | Claudie van Straaten, RSA |
| 22.9 (2) | Christine Heinich, GDR |
| 22.9 B (1) | Monika Zehrt, GDR |
| 23.08 (1) | Jackie Thompson, USA |
| 23.08 (1) | Sylviane Telliez, Fra |
| 23.14 (3) | Helen Golden, GB |
| 23.16 (5) | Denise Robertson, Aus |
| 23.21 (6) | Barbara Bakulin, Pol |
| 23.23s(1) | Annegret Richter, GFR |
| 23.1 (2) | Yelica Pavlicic, Yug |
| 23.2ys(1) | Fran Sichting, USA |
| 23.1 (1) | Robyn Boak, Aus |
| 23.2 (2) | Doris Selmigkeit, GDR |
| $23.3 \mathrm{ys}(2)$ | Mable Fergerson, USA |
| 23.2 (1) | Jennifer Lamy, Aus |
| 23.35 (p) | Burglinde Pollak, GDR |
| 23.38 (7) | Nadezda Besfamilnaya, SU |
| 23.3 (1) | Ivanka Valkova, Bul |
| 23.3 (1) | Inge Helten, GFR |
| 23.52 (8) | Urszula Styranka?joz, Pol |
| 23.4 | Seven athletes |


| $400 \mathrm{~m} / 440 \mathrm{y}$ |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 51.1 | (1) | Rita Kuhn, GDR |
| 51.27 | (I) | Monà-Eisa Pursiajinen, Fin |
| 51.5 | (2) | Monika Zehrt, GDR |
| 51.53 | (1) | Nadezda Kolesnikova, SU |
| 51.8 | (3) | Renate Siebach, GDR |
| 51.99 | (1) | Lilyana Tomova, Bul |
| 52.0 | (1) | Irena Szewinska, Pol |
| 52.1 | (1) | Verona Bernard, GB |
| 52.1 | (1) | Karoline Kafer, Aut |
| 52.1 | (4) | Gisele Anton, GDR |
| 52.2 | (5) | Brigitte Rohde, GDR |
| 52.3 | (1) | Danute Piecyk, Fol |
| 52.4 | (1) | Charlene Rendina, Aus |
| 52.4 | (2) | Krystyna Kacperczyk, Pol |
| 52.42 | (3) | Anne Larsson, Swe |
| 52.43 | (1) | Dagmar Luhnen/Kassling, GDR |
| 52.5 | (2) | Waltraud Dietsch, GDR |
| 52.6 | (1) | Judy Canty, Aus |
| 52.6 | (1) | Christel Frese, GFR |
| 52.6 | (2) | Erica Weinstein, GFR |
| 52.68 | (3) | Carmen Trustee, Cuba |
| 52.68 | (1) | Debra Sapenter, USA |
| 52.70 | (3) | Pirjo Wilmi, Fin |
| 52.7 | (1) | Hester Coetzee, RSA |
| 52.7 | (1) | Yvonne Saunders, Jam |
| 52.7 | (2) | Nataliya Kulickova, SU |
| 52.7 | (1) | Elzbieta Katolik, Pol |
| 52.7 | (1) | Aurelia Penton, Cuba |
| 52.72 | (1) | Rita Wilden, GFR |
| 52.94 | (2) | Svetla Zlateva, Bul |

$\frac{1500 \mathrm{~m}}{4: 04}$
4:04.6 (1) Karin Krebs/Burneleit, GDR
4:07.47 (1) Inge Knutsson, Swe
4:09.02 (1) Tonka Petrova, Bul
4:09.4 (1) Paola Pigni/Cacchi, Ita
4:10.11 (3) Ludmila Bragina, SU
4:10.8 (1) Gunhild Hoffmeister, GDR
4:11.98 (1) Ileana Silai, Rum
4:12.17 (4) Joan Allison, GB
4:12.5 (1) Francie Larrieu, USA
4:12.50 (2) Glenda Reiser, Can
4:12.7 (2) Grete Anderson, Nor
4:13.38 (3) Pirjo Vihonen, Fin
4:13.42 (1) Ellen Tittel, GFR
4:13.82 (4) Thelma Wright, Can
4:13.9 (1) Svetla Zlateva, Bul
4:14.06 (4) Nina Holmen, Fin
4:14.22 (5) Tatyana Kazankina, SU
$4: 14.3$ (2) Sheila Carey; GB
4:14.39 (3) Zsuzsanna Volgyi; Hun
4:14.4 (2) Magdolna Kulcsar, Hun
4:14.4 (2) Tamara Pangelova, SU
4:14.77 (2) Gunilla Lindh, Swe
4:14.9 (2) Martina Kellermann, GDR
4:14.9 (3) Maria Linca, Rum
4:15.0 (1) Marta Volokoi, Hun
4:15.1 (3) Joyce Smith, GB
4:15.30 (6) Norine Braithwaite, GB
4:15.6 (1) Anneke de Lange, Hol
4:15.86 (3) Susan Haden, NZ
4:16.3 (1) Ulrike Klapezynski, GDR
4:16.3 (1) Elznieta Katolik, Pol

| $\frac{3000 \mathrm{~m}}{8: 56.6}$ | (1) Paola Pigni.Cacchi, Ita |
| :---: | :---: |
| 8:57.4 | (I) Ludmila Bragina, SU |
| 8:58.36 | (1) Inger Knutsson, Swe |
| 9:00.48 | (2) Nina Holmen, Fin |
| 9:02.94 | (3) Pirjo Vihonen, Fin |
| 9:07.2 | (1) Tamara Pangelova, SU |
| 9:08.0 | (2) Joyce Smith, GB |
| 9:09.6 | (2) Marija Istomina, SU |
| 9:12.2 | (1) Zsuzsanna Volgyi, Hun |
| 9:13.0 | (2) Ilona Zsiklak, Hun |
| 9:13.0 | (1) Nyekodina Dobrynina, SU |
| 9:13.6 | (3) Rita Ridley, GB |
| 9:14.6 | (4) Lidija Zmurova, SU |
| 9:16.0 | (1) Francie Larrieu, USA |
| 9:16.6 | (2) Irina Bendarcuk, SU |
| 9:17.8 | (3) Galina Sizinceva, SU |
| 9:18.0 | (4) Aja Vejsa, SU |
| 9:18.0 | (3) Ljubov Demcenko, SU |
| 9:19.6 | (5) Svetlana Vaskova, SU |
| 9:19.6 | (1) Broniskawa Doborzynska, Pol |
| 9:20.2 | (4) Marijke Moser, Swi |
| 9:20.2 | (7) Marija Cernyseva, SU |
| 9:20.2 | (2) Gerda Ranz, GFR |
| 9:20.6 | (5) Christa Merten, GFR |
| 9:22.6 | (6) Raisa Katjukova, SU |
| 9:23.4 | (1) Nadezda Varcabova, Cs |
| 9:24.4 | (1) Ellen Tittel, GFR |
| 9:25.2 | (1) Natalia Andrei, Rum |
| 9:26.6 | (1) Kerstin Harthaler, GDR |
| 9:27.0 | (6) Valentina Vjalcova, SU |

$\frac{3000 \mathrm{~m}}{8.56 .6}$
(1) Paola Pigni.Cacchi, Ita

Bragina, SU
8:58.36 (1) Inger Knutsson, Swe
0.02 (2) Nina Holmen, Fin

9:07.2 (1) Tamara Pangelova, SU
9:08.0 (2) Joyce Smith, GB
9.09.6 (2) Marija Istomina, Su

9:12.2 (1) Zsuzsanna Volgyi, Hun
9:13.0 (1) Nyekodina Dobrynina, SU
$9: 13.6$ (3) Rita Ridley, GB
9:14.6 (4) Lidija Zmurova, SU
9:16.0 (1) Francie Larrieu, USA
(2) Irina Bendarcuk, SU
(3) Galina Sizinceva, SU

9:18.0 (4) Aja Vejsa, SU
(3) Ljubov Demcenko, Su
(1) Svetlana Vaskova, su

9:20.2 (4) Marijke Moser, Swi
(2) Marija Cernyseva, Su

9:20.2 (2) Gerda Ranz, GFR
9:20.6 (5) Christa Merten, GFR
(1) Raisa Kat jukova, su
(1) Nadezda Varcabova, Cs

9:24.4 (1) Ellen Tittel, GFR
0.26 .6 (1) Kerstin Morb,

9:27.0 (6) Valentina Vjalcova, SU

| 100 m Hurdles |
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| 12.3 (l) Annelie Ehrhardt, GDR |
| 12.7 (1) Grazyna Rabsztyn, Pol |
| 12.8 (2) Tereza Nowak, Pol |
| 12.9 s (1) Annerose Keumpholz, GDR |
| 13.0 (p) Johanna Schaller, GDR |
| 13.21 (p) Burglinde Pollak, GDR |
| 13.1 (1) Valerie Bufanu, Rum |
| 13.1 (1) Meta Antenen, Swi |
| 13.1 (1) Barbel Eckert, GDR |
| 13.32 (1) Pat Johnson, USA |
| 13.34 (2) Judy Vernon, GB |
| 13.2 (1) Mieke v Wissen/Sterk, Hol |
| 13.2 (3) Bozena Nowakowska, Pol |
| 13.2 (p) Ilona Bruzsenyak, Hun |
| 13.2 (p) Angela Schmalfeld, GDR |
| $13.2 h ~(2) ~ B a r b e l ~ M u l l e r, ~ G D R ~$ |
| $13.2 . ~(3) ~ T e r e z a ~ S u k n i e w i c z, ~ P o l ~$ |
| $13.2 h ~(1) ~ N a d e z d a ~ T k a c h e n k o, ~ S U ~$ |
| $13.3 ~(1) ~ L j u b o v ~ K o n o n o v a, ~ S U ~$ |
| $13.3 ~(2) ~ R o s e w i t h a ~ W a l d e n, ~ G D R ~$ |
| $13.3 ~(3) ~ G a b r i e l e ~ S c h n i c k e, ~ G D R ~$ |
| $13.3 ~(1) ~ G a y e ~ D e l l, ~ A u s ~$ |

1.3 (1) Annelie Enrhardt, GDR
12.7 (1) Grazyna Rabsztyn, Pol
12.8 (2) Tereza Nowak, Pol
12.95 (1) Annerose Keumpholz, GDR
13.0 (p) Johanna Schaller, GDR
13.21 (p) Burglinde Pollak, GDR
(1) Valerie Bufanu, Rum
(1) Meta Antenen, Swi
13.1 (1) Barbel Eckert, GDR
13.34 (2) Judy Vernon,
13.2 (1) Mieke v Wissen/Sterk, Hol
13.2 (3) Bozena Nowakowska, Pol
13.2 (p) Ilona Bruzsenyak, Hun
13.2 (p) Angela Schmalfeld, GDR
13.2h (2) Barbel Muller, GDR
13.2. (3) Tereza Sukniewicz, Pol
3.2h (1) Nadezda Tkachenko, SU
13.3 (2) Rosewitha Walden, GDR
13.3 (3) Gabriele Schnicke, GDR
13.3 (1) Gaye Dell, Aus
13.50h(2) Chantal Rega, Fra
13.53 (3) Natalia Lebedeva, SU
13.4 (1) Chi Cheng, ROC
13.4 (1) Hybre de Lange, RSA
13.4 (1) Elfi Meierholz, GFR
13.4 (1) Mamie Rallins, USA

400 m Hurdles

| 56.7 | (1) Danuta Piecyk, Pol |
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| 57.3 | (1) Maria Sykora, Aut |
| 57.4 | (2) Krystyne Kscperczyk, Pol |
| 57.7 | (3) Elzbieta Katolik, Pol |
| 58.4 | (1) Erika Weinstein, GFR |
| 59.1 | (1) Wendy Koenig, USA |
| 59.9 | (2) Judy Vernon, GB |
| 60.0 | (1) Judy Canty, Aus |
| 60.2 | (5) Marte Skrzypinska, Pol |
| 60.2 | (4) Sofia Zwolinska, Pol |
| 60.2 | (1) Magdolna Lazer, (Hun |
| 60.3 | (1) Christine Howell, GB |
| 60.3 | (2) Mirjana Kovacev, Yug |
| 60.4 | (5) Danute Penkowska, Pol |
| 60.6 | (1) Gabriela Tarangoiu, Rum |
| 60.9 | (3) Maruej Gutewort, GFR |

200m Hurdles
26.3 (1) Gaye Dell, Aus
26.7 (1.) Hybre de Lange; RSA
26.7 (I) Rose Bekic, SU
26.8 (2) Pat Hawkins, USA
26.9 (2) Erika Weinstein, GFR
26.9 (1) Ivanka Jovceva, Bul
26.9 (2) Ljubov: Kononova, SU
26.9 (5) Tatyana Baskekova, SU
26.9 (1) Tatyana Cernova, SU
27.0 (3) Tamara Kolesnikova, SU
27.0 (1) Gunnila Olsson, Swe
27.0 (1) Donka Novskova, Bul

High Jump
$1.92 / 6^{1} 31 / 2 i$ (1) Yordanka Blagoyeva, Bul 1.91/6'314i (1) Rosemarie Witschas, GDR 1.91/6'314 (1) Ilona Gusenbauer, Aut
1.90/6'23/4 (1) Rita Kirst/Schmidt, GDR
1.90/6'23/4 (1) Virginia Ioan, Rum
1.88/6'2 (1) Milado Karbanova, Cs
$1.88 / 6^{\prime} 2$ (1) Cornelia Popescu, Rum
1.87/6'11/2 (1) Rita Gildemeister, GDR
1.87/6'11/2 (1) Barbara Lawton, GB
1.86/6'114i (1) Erike Rudolf, Hun
1.86/6'114 (1) Marie-Christine Wartell, Fra
1.86/6'11/4 (1) Sara Simeoni, Ita
1.85/6'03/4i (1) Andrea Matay, Hun
1.85/6'0\%i (1) Miloslava Huberova, Cs
1.85/6'0\%i (2) Snezana Hrepevnik, Yug
1.85/6'03/4 (1) Erika Teddoregau, Rum
1.84/6'0/2i (1) Grith Eistrup, Den
1.84/6'01/2 (1) (Vera Bradecoza, CCs
1.84/6'0\%/2 (1) Renate Gartner, GFR
1.84/6'0\% (1) Tamara Galka, SU
1.83/6'0i (1) Olga Bonderenko, SU
1.83/6'Oi (2) Elke Kellimode, GDR
$1.83 / 6^{\prime}$ Oi (1) Miekke van Doorn, Hol
1.83/6'0 (1) Ulrike Meyfarth, GFR
1.83/6'0 (1) Alene Plischkoeova, Cs
$1.83 / 610$ (p) Broda Babosek, Yug
1.83/6'0 (2) Gabrielle Krause, GDR
$1.83 / 6^{\prime} 0$ (1) Galina Filatova, SU
$1.83 / 6^{\prime} 0$ (1) Louise Hanna, Can

Long Jump
6.76/22'21/4
6.63/21'9 6.62/21'83/4 6.60/21'73/4 6.58/21'7i 6.58/21'7 $6.55 / 21$ '6 6.54/21.51/2 6.54/21'51/2 $6.52 / 21$ 14/4
6.50/21'4
$6.50 / 2114$
6.50/21'4 6.50/21'4 6.49/21'31/2 6.48/21'31/4 6.47/21 123/4 6.45/21'2 6.44/21'11/2 6.44/21'11/2
6.44/21'11/2 6.44/21' $11 / 2$ 6.44/21'11/2 6.44/21'11/2 6.43/21' $11_{4}$ 6.43/21'11/4 6.43/21'11/4 6.42/21'03/4 6.42/21' 03/4 6.41/21'0/2i
(1) Angela Schmalfeld, GDR
(1) Margrit Olfert, GDR
(1) Margerite Trejnite, SU
(1) Tuula Rautanen, Fin
(I) Deane Yorgova, Bul
(1) Martha Watson, USA
(1) Radojka Franzoti, Yug
(-) Kristina Albertus, GDR
(I) Djurdjica Focic, Yug
(p) Erica Nixon, Aus
(1) Kapotolina Lotova, SU
(p) Nedjalka Angelova, Bul
(1) Viorica Viscopoleanu,Rum
(1) Ilona Bruszenysk, Hun
(p) Valentine Tikhomirova,su
(3) Brenda Eisler, Can
(p) Burglinde Pollak, GDR
(I) Modupe Oshikoya, Nig
(1) Meta Antenen, Swi
(p) Jacqueline Clurtet, Fra
(-) Hannah Kleinpeter, Aut
(1) Sieglinde Ammann, Swi
(1) Miroslava Sarna, Pol
(4) Marcia Garbey, Cuba
(I) Myra Nimmo, GB
(1) Edda Troche, GFR
(2) Aline Gheorghiu, Rum
(p) Tatyana Vorochobke, SU
(p) Olga Rukavienikova, SU
(1) Valerie Bufanu, Rum

Shot Put
$21.45 / 70141 / 2$ 20.80/68'3 19.73/64'83/4 19.50/63'113/4 19.41/63181/4 19.33/63'5 19.05/62'6 18.86/61'10\% 18.82/61'9 18.66/61'23/4
18.64/61'2 18.51/601834 18.12/59151/2 17.98/59'0 17.91/58'914 17.80/58'914 $17.78 / 5814$ $17.76 / 58 \cdot 344$ 17.28/56'814i 17.26/56171/2
17.22/56.6 17.17/56143/4 17.08/56. 0\%/B 17.05/55'111/4 17.04/55'11 17.04/55'11 16.97/55'814 16.97/55'844 16.96/55'734 16.95/55'7/4
(1) Nadezhda Chizhova, SU
(1) Helena Fibingerova,Cs
(I) Ivanka Christova, Bul
(1) Esfir Dolzenko, SU
(1) Marianne Adam, GDR
(2) Maritta Lange, GDR
(1) Antonina Ivanova, SU
(1) Yelena Korableva, SU
(1) Ludwicka Chewinska, Pol
(1) Yelena Stoyanova, SU
(1) Gabrielè Greiner, GDR
(2) Faina Melnik, SU
(q) Natalia Vinogradova,SU
(I) Brunhild Loiwe, GDR
(2) Judit Bognar, Hun
(1) Rimma Makauskaite, SU
(3) Valentina Cioltan, Rum
(2) Raisa Taranda, SU
(6) Radostina Vasekova, Bul
(1) Tamara Androgyenuo, SU
(I) Ganna Vanina, SU
(I) Lyudmila Mosharovou, SU
(I) Vyera Tsapkalyenko, SU
(I) Ilona Schoknecht, GDR
(1) Sabine Engel, GDR
(2) Lovute Bakelyte, SU
(4) Birgit Gorner, GDR
(2) Marina Hein, GDR
(2) Brigitte Griehsing, GDR
(2) Lidia Kulagina, SU

Discus Throw
$69.48 / 227^{\prime} 11$ (1) Faina Melnik, SU 67.02/219'10 (1) Gabrielle Hinzmann, GDR 66.82/219'2 (1) Argentina Menis, Rum 61.98/203'4 (1) Vasilka Stoyeva, Bul 61.98/203'4 61.90/203'1 60:98/200'0 60.82/199'6 60.82/199'6 60.72/199'2
60.48/198'5 , Catarama, Rum (1) Evelyn Schlaak, GDR 59.86/196'4 (1) Olga Andriyanova, SU 58.26/194'5 (1) Ilse Spiess, GFR 59.16/194'1 (3) Lyudmila Muravyeva, SU 58.84/193'0 (2) Brigitte Berendonk, GFR 58.56/192'1 (1) Svetlana Zilina, SU 58.50/191'11 (1) Helgi Parts, SU 58.48/191'10 (1) Barbara Schubert, GDR
58.44/191'8 (1) Carmen Romero, Cuba 58.26/191'1 (1) Margitta Ludewig, GDR 57.54/188'9 (-) Nadyezhda Khrolenkova, SU 57.40/188'4 (1) Antonia Ivanova, SU 57.28/187'11 (2) Krystyna Nadolna, Pol $56.80 / 18614$ (1) Marlies Kuhne, GDR $56.78 / 186$ '3 (1) Gabriella Varga, Hun 56.76/186'2 (1) Valentina Rusanova, SU 56.74/186'1 (1) Nadyezhda Yerokha, SU 56.68/185'11 (3) Karin Holdtke, GDR

Javelin Throw
$66.10 / 216^{\prime} 10$ (1) Ruth Fuchs, GDR
63.96/209'10 (1) Elvira Ozolina, SU
63.42/208'I (1) Kathy Schmidt, USA
63.14/207'1 (1) Jacqueline Todten, GDR
62.30/204'4 (1) Daniela Jaworska, Pol
62.14/203'10 (1) Natasa Urbancic, Yug
62.00/203'5 (1) Svetlana Koroleva, SU
61.80/202'9 (1) Eva Janko, Aut
61.16/200'8 (1) Petra Rivers, Aus
60.30/197'10 (2) Lutvian Mollova, Bul
60.08/197'1
59.82/196'3
59.48/195'1
$59.34 / 194{ }^{\prime} 8$
59.18/194'2
58.64/192'4
58.50/191'11
57.74/189'5
57.42/188'4
57.18/187'7
57.16/187'6 (1) Jadwiga Saganowska, Pol
57.14/187'5 (1) Ameli Koloska, GFR
56.92/186'9 (1) Marion Becker, Rum/GFR
$56.77 / 186$ '3 (1) Darja Kurjan, SU
56.52/185'5 (1) Christa Peters, GFR
$56.22 / 184$ '5 (4) Sabine Kargel, GDR
55.70/182'9 (2) Pirje Kumpulainen, Fin
$55.54 / 182^{\prime} 2$ (1) Karin Smith, USA
55.44/181'10 (1) Valentina Strakovic, SU
$55.28 / 18114$ (1) Nadezhda Chusainova,SU

## 1973 WORLD LIST（Continued）

Pentathlon
4932 e （I）Burglinde Pollak，GDR
13.21 15．85／52＇0 1．78／5＇10

4754
（1）Valentine Tikhomirova，SU $13.5 \quad 15.26 / 50^{\prime} 0 \% / 1.75 / 5^{18} 8 \%$
（1）Nadhezda Tkacenko，SU
13.3 15．18／49＇9\％／4．77／5＇81／2

4653
4622
13.2 13．15／43＇13／4 $\quad 1.64 / 5^{1} 41 / 2$
（1）Liese Prokop，Aut
$13.4 \quad 1590 / 52^{\prime 2} \quad 1.72 / 5^{\prime} 73 /$
4617e
4569e
4555e
（1）Ilona Bruszenysk，Hun
13.42 12．88／42＇3 $1.70 / 5^{\prime \prime} 7$
（3）Margrit Olfert，GDR
$13.70 \quad 15.06 / 49^{\prime} 5 \quad 1.56 / 5^{\prime} 13 / 4$
（4）Tatyana Vorochobke，SU
$13.5213 .38 / 43^{\prime}$ 现㣙 $1.76 / 5^{\prime} 91 / 4$
4528
（2）Margit Papp，Hun
$13.9 \quad 14.24 / 46183 / 4.78 / 5^{\prime} 10$
$4519 e$
（1）Barbel Muller，GDR 13.29 w 12．88／42＇3 $\quad 1.70 / 5^{\prime} 7$

4517
（1）Christel Voss，GFR 13．5w 13．73／45＇01／2 1．77／5＇93／4
4509e
4481e
$4478 e$
4468
4450
4440
4432

4415
$4393 e$
4380
4373

4281
5）Nedjelka Angelova，Bul $13.50 \quad 13.95 / 45^{\prime} 91 / 4 \quad 1.66 / 5^{\prime} 5 / 4$
（6）Johanne Schaller GDR
$13.20 \quad 12.41 / 40^{\prime} 81 / 2 \quad 1.64 / 5^{\prime} 41 / 2$
（1）Djurdjice Focic，Yug $13.90 \quad 12.68 / 41$＇71／4 $\quad 1.74 / 5$＇ $81 / 2$
（1）Snezana Yurukova，Bul 13.5 13．29／43＇7／4 1．71／5＇7／4
（2）Vera Tkacenko，SU
$13.8 \quad 14.52 / 47{ }^{\prime} 7 / 4 \quad 1.66 / 515 / 4$
（1）Mieke van Wissen，Hol
（1）Marie－Christine Wartell，Fra $14.2 \quad 12.59 / 41$＇31／4 1．81／5＇11
（1）Mary Peters，GB
$13.8 \quad 15.00 / 49^{\prime} 21 / 2 \quad 1.68 / 5^{\prime} 6$
（6）Petra Kampf，GDR
$13.8 \quad 15.65 / 51$＇31／2 $\quad 1.66 / 5^{\prime} 51 / 4$
（9）Saska Varbanova，Bul $13.74 \quad 14.86 / 48$＇9 $1.58 / 5^{\prime} 2 / 4$
（1）Zoja Spasovchodskaja，SU $13.4 \quad 15.38 / 50^{\prime} 51 / 2 \quad 1.67 / 5^{\prime} 53 / 4$
（1）Marget Eppinger，GFR $14.512 .78 / 41$＇111／4 1．65／5＇5 （1）Diane Jones，Can $14.2 \quad 14.74 / 48144 / 4 \quad 1.72 / 5^{\prime} 7 / 4$ （7）Sigrun Thon，GDR $13.6 \quad 11.31 / 37^{\prime} 11 / 4 \quad 1.64 / 514 \frac{1}{2}$ （3）Gale Fitzgerald，USA $14.4 \quad 12.11 / 39^{\prime} 83 / 4 \quad 1.71 / 5^{\prime} 7 / 4$ （2）Maria Sykora，Aut $13.8 \quad 12.66 / 41$＇ $61 / 2 \quad 1.69 / 5^{\prime} 61 / 2$ （1）Uta Nolte，GFR $13.6 \quad 11.45 / 37^{\prime} 6 \% \quad 1.66 / 5^{\prime} 5 \%$
（2）Ulrike Jacob，GFR $13.6 \mathrm{w} \quad 10.59 / 34^{\prime} 9 \quad 1.69 / 5^{\prime} 61 / 2$ （1）Jane Frederick，USA $14.4 \quad 12.97 / 42$＇63／4 $\quad 1.60 / 5^{\prime} 3$

| $6.47 / 21^{\prime} 23 / 4$ | 23.35 |
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| $6.49 / 21^{\prime} 31 / 2$ | 25.2 |
| $6.26 / 20^{\prime} 61 / 2$ | 24.6 |
| $6.58 / 21^{\prime} 7$ | 23.7 |
| $6.08 / 19^{\prime} 111^{\prime} / 2$ | 24.9 |
| $6.83 / 22^{\prime} 5 \mathrm{w}$ | 24.57 |
| $6.53 / 21^{\prime} 5$ | 23.82 |
| $5.83 / 19^{\prime} 11 / 2$ | 23.75 |
| $6.39 / 20^{\prime} 111 / 2$ | 25.6 |
| $6.09 / 19^{\prime} 111 / 3 / \mathrm{w}$ | 24.15 |

$5.96 / 19^{163 / 4} \quad 24.8 w$
6．50／21＇4 25.14
$6.15 / 20^{\prime} 11 / 4 \quad 23.82$
$6.24 / 20^{\prime} 534 \quad 24.34$
$6.20 / 20^{14} \quad 25.0$
6．12／20＇lw 24.8

6．16／20＇21／2 24.9
$5.77 / 18^{\prime} 111 / 4 \quad 24.7$
$5.88 / 19 \cdot 31 / 2 \quad 25.3$

6．05／19＇10\％ 24.65
6．03／19＇9 $1 / 2 \quad 24.9$
6．29／20 73343.9 w
$5.96 / 19^{\prime} 63 / 4 \quad 26.0$
$6.25 / 20^{\prime} 6 \quad 24.4$
$6.06 / 19^{\prime} 10 \% / 24.2$
5．60／18．41／2 24．1w
$6.06 / 19^{\prime} 10 \% / 224.4$
$6.09 / 19^{\prime} 113 / 4 / 24.4 w$
$6.34 / 20^{1} 93 / \mathrm{ww} \quad 24.4$

## INLAND EMPIRE LEAGUE

Torrance，California，February 9：－The Inland Empire League of the SPAAAU held its first outdoor meeting of the season with some interesting and some good results：

14／Over Division：SP，Patty Cape（LBC）32＇0！！；JT，Kelly Robertson（SCC）110＇1l；Mile Walk，Jaydee Folkens（SBS）9：09．5； 100，Dolly Fleetwood（SCC）11．4；440，Michele Hopper（PTC） 58．6． $12 / 13$ Division， $2 M$ ，Suzanna Keith（RRR）11：24．0；IJ， Cynthia Perkins（SCC）16＇1鲑；SP／DT，Bea Hunt（RRR）37＇5／97＇11； JT，Iori Chaven（MTC）95＇l；Mile Walk，Becky Vallalvazo（RRR） 8：57．0；Mile，Suzie Sanchez（RRR）5：31．5．10／11 Division： 440／880，Corrine Nunez（RRR）66．2／2：32．5；H $\bar{J}$ ，Kelley Hoben （SBS）4＇l0；Mile Walk，Jessica Waskow（RRR）9：18．0．9／Under： Mile Walk，Vicki Cook（RRR）9：51．5．

## WALK RECORD TO BRODOCK

Cypress，California，January 26：－The Southern Pacific AAU held an outdoor All Comers meet on the Cypress College facility and top performance was a new American record for the one mile walk by the Rialto Road Runner＇s Susan Bredock who turned in a fantastic 7：15．2，more than 38 seconds better than Jean Bocci＇s standing mark of $7: 53.3$ set last year．Martha Watson scored a good double winning the 60 in 7.0 and the long jump at $20^{\prime} 5$ ， while Jan Svendsen tossed the discus 137＇8 to start the sea－ son．

RESULTS：100，Dolly Fleetwood（SCC）11．2；880，l－Donna Schellhous（BA）2：17．2．．．3－Clydine Crowder（IMM）2：25．8；Mile Walk，l－Susan Brodock（RRR）7：15．2，2－Teri Teegarden（BA） $8: 20.3$ ，3－Cindy Johnson（BA） $8: 35.5$ ；SP，Emily Dole（ITC） 43＇3；HJ，Brenda Little（IMM）5＇4．14／15 Division：880，Ar－ den Hollins（RRR）2：22．1；300mH，Clydine Crowder（IMM）48．2； JT，1－Lisa Van Benthem（IJJC）128＇7，2－Kelly Robertson（SSC） 126＇11，3－Lynne Van Benthem（IJTC）118＇1l．．．．5－Loreli Van Ben－ them（IJTC）102＇6．12／13 Division：Mile，Suzanne Keith（RRR） 5：16．1．10／11 Division：220／440，Iydia Laidlaw（IJTC）28．6／ $66.4 ; 100 / 220$ ，Tanya Willis（OC）I2̂．0／28．0；880，Corinne Nun－ ez（RRR）2：29．5；Mile，Kristy Wilson（BA）5：38．9；Mile Walk， Sharlene McGinley（SBS）9：01．1；HJ，＇Kelly Hohan（SBS）4＇lo． 9／Under 880，Andrea Kirkhorn（BA）2：36．3．

## 12／13 PENTATHLON

Elaine Roque，LATC 13 year old，took two cracks at the $12 /$ 13 national pentathlon record just before her 14th birthday and turned in scores of 3211 on January 26 at Cypress College，and 3271 on January 30 at UCLA．Erin Pike of the La Mirada Met－ eors，was second on both occasions with 2578 and 2636．Roque， a 5＇l0＂athlete，had best marks of 12.9 for the hurdles， 40 ＇5 in the shot， $4^{\prime \prime} 7 / 4$ in the high jump，16＇2 in the long jump and 25.99 for the 200 ．

## ARIZONA ALL COMERS From Sue Humphrey

Phoenix，Arizona，February 16：－314 athletes showed up for the regular Arizona All Comers competition and this mass assault on time and distance produced four new State records in the 10／11 mile walk（ $9: 11.6$ by Marlou Heiland，Arizona TC），the $12 / 13$ high jump（ 5 ＇ 2 by Lori Anderson，Scottsdale TC），and the $14 / 15100$ and $880 y$ medley relay，（ 11.7 by Terri Harrell， Mesa TC，and $1: 54.0$ by the Mesa group）．Visiting Nadine Bow－ er of the San Jose Cindergals produced the most outstanding mark of the competition however with her $142^{\prime} 6$ toss in the javelin．Cynthia Rhodes won three events in the 10／11 age group and Roxanne Keating won the $12 / 13$ long jump by more than TWO FEET．

RESULTS：Open Division： 100 mH ，Julie Rusing（ATC）15．0； $100 / 400 \mathrm{mH}$ ，Linda Wright（Un）11．4／65．1（also placed second in the 220 and 100 mH ）；220，Liz VanHouten（Cactus Wrens）25．1； Mile，1－Kathy Gubbons（GG）4：54．6，2－Debbie Derr（ATC）5：18．5； JT，1－Nadine Bower（SJC）142＇6，2－Kelly Fuiks（CW）125＇0，3－ Marilyn White（MIC）122＇l；SP，1－Mary O＇Banner（MTC）38＇3，2－ Denise Holloway（SJC）35＇712；DT，Fuiks 109＇4；HJ，Karen Schw－ antze（PTC）5＇l．14／15 Division： $440 \mathrm{R} / 880 \mathrm{yMedR}$ ，Mesa TC 50．5／ $1: 54.0 ; 100 \mathrm{mH}$ ，Shelley Harris（CW） $15.7 ; 300 \mathrm{mH}$ ，Angie Shapiro （MTC）48．3，2－Patty Delp（MTC）48．3；100／220，Terri Harrell （MTC）11．9（11．7h）／26．3；440，Cindy Prey（CW）61．2；880／Mile， Kim Carvahlo（STC）2：27．5／5：22．4；JT，Michel Espinoza（Mari－ copa Striders）112＇3；DT，Ellen Colleary（MTC）104＇3；HJ，1－ Monique Donithan（CW）5＇l，2－Cindy Mitchell（CW）5＇l；IJJ， Shelley Harris（CW） $1618 \% / 2$ ． $12 / 13$ Division： 440 yR ，Phoenix Chaparrals 52．6；880yMedR，1－Arizona TC 1：56．0，2－PC 1：56．0， 3－VOSTC I：56．8；MileW，Patty Brown（MIC）9：28．4； 80 mH ，Terri McMahon（ATC） $13.0 ; 200 \mathrm{mH}$ ，Connie Jackson（MTC） 29.9 ；100，I＝ Lisa Thompson（VOS）11．7，2－Jackson 11．7；220，Leslie King （PC）26．5；440，Sheryl Symons（ATC）60．3；880，Diane Barrett （ATC）2：25．9；Mile，Krista Holmes（STC）5：32．0；JT，Lisa Ga－ hafer（ATC）96＇5；HJ，Lori Anderson（STC）5＇2；IJJ，Roxanne Keating（PC）16＇11\％\％．10／11 Division：100／220／IJ，Cynthia Rhodes（MTC） 12.4 （ 12.2 Ch ）／28．0／15 ${ }^{\prime} 7^{3 /}$ ；440，Karen Hooper（CTC） 66．7；880，Joyce Schmal（PP）2：35．0；Mile／HJ，Dawn Freeman （VOS）5：45．5／4＇9．9／Under Division：880yR，Pears Peaches 2：14．3．

CANADIANS STEAL SHOW AT USTFF RELAYS
Dartmouth, NH, January 19:-Visiting Canadian tracksters took most of the honors as the USTIFF staged its Relays over the $220 y$ astro-track as only Judy Fontaine, Age Group AA, managed to score a win for the US performers.

RESULIS: Mile Walk, Carol Siciliano (Gateway TC) 9:43.6; IJ, l-Summerland (Ontario TC) 18'21/2...3-Judy Fontain (AGAA) 18'0\%; 220, Fontaine 25.8; HJ, l-Dietrich (ONC) 5'6, 2-Sylvie Bouchard (Fed D'A) $516 ; 60$, Fontaine 7.1; 60H, Bradley (ONCX 6.7 (questionable timing); 4x220, Ontario TC 1:41.5; 600, Angeloni (OTC) l:22.9; Mile, Mitchell (OTC) 4:55.3, 2-Jan Merrill (AGAA) 4:56.9; SP, Lucette Moreau (FDA) 42 ' $10 \%$.

## CHEMABWAI IS HERE

Bloomington, Indiana, January 19:-Tecla Chemabwai, a Kenyan student at Chicago State, turned in the best time at the Indiana AAU/USTFF Championships when she sped over the 220 yard tartan track to cop the 440 final in 56.0s. Veronica Harris, a teammate of Tecla's, had a good 60y sprint in 6.7 s .

RESULIS: 60y, 1-Veronica Harris (ChiSt) 6.7, 2-Marjory Grimmett (Detroit PAL) 6.9, 3-Kim Schofield (Peoria) 7.0 ( 6.9 h ), 4-Linda Blakely (DPAL) 7.0; HJ, l-Jean Baltz (Peoria) 5'4, 2-Tami Essington (Peoria) 5'3; SP, Melody Lavender (Ft. Wayne PAL) 40'0; IJ, Kim Schofield 18'8 $1 / 2$; 440, 1-Tecla Chemabwai (ChiSt) 56.0, 2-Beth Warner (OhioTC) 57.0, 3-Bobbie Pitzozakiow (Lawrence TC) 57.3, 4-Dawn Moriarity (WSTC) 57.6; Mile, 1-Brenda Webb (KS) 5:03.0, 2-Lisa Hamity (WSTC) 5:03.4, 3-Joy Jarvis (KS) 5:06.4; 880yMedR, 1-Ohio TC 1:51.0, 2-Columbus Community 1:51.2, 3-Detroit PAL 1:51.4.

## huntley sets ar at portland

Portland, Oregon, January 26:-Oregon's favorite strato-fem, Joni Huntley, finaly took sole posession of the American indoor high jump mark when she cleared 5'l034 to erase Eleanor Montgomery's record by one-quarter of an inch. Francie Larrieu won the mile in a good $4: 38.7$, (originally reported at $4: 33.7$ ), while Fran Sichting, with her husband's permission, won a double in the 60 and 440 dashes.

RESULIS: 60, l-Fran Sichting (SW Ore Clg) 6.9; Mile, 1Francie Larrieu (PCC) $4: 38.66$, 2-Debbie Quatier (Falcon TC) 4:53.08, 3-Teri Anderson (SJC) 4:54.71, 4-Judy Graham (SJC) 4:57.71, 5-Cindy Poor (SJC) 4:59.19, 6-Eileen Claugus (WS) 5:00.72; 440, l-Sichting 58.51; HJ, l-Joni Huntley (OreTC) 5'10\%.

## PHILADELPHIA TRACK CLASSIC by Tim Hickey

Piladelphia, Pennsylvania, January 28:-Mattline Render and Pat Helms took individual firsts in the Philadelphia Track Classic while the Atoms TC ran away with the relay. Only three events were held for women while the men enjoyed a total of 26 events!

Render had only an average start in the 60 , but began to pull away from Pat Hawkins at the 30 yard mark and went on for a decisive win. In the 440, Pat Helms, who had broken in front quickly to beat Chris A'Harrah on this same track just a week earlier, did it again tonight to keep Renee De Sandies to the rear. Brenda Nichols swept past DeSandies in the final part of the race but was too far back to challenge Helms.

The Atoms 4 lap relay team ran their race against the clock while the other four teams ran against each other for the second place medal. The Atoms turned in the fastest time of the year for this distance with an excellent $上: 11.6$ and broke the meet record by a full second. In a special PeeWee 4 lap relay, the Padukies ran 1:26.9 finishing 9 seconds in front of the second place team and breaking the meet record by a full four seconds!

KESUITS: $60 y$, 1-Mattline Render 6.8, 2-Pat Hawkins (Atoms) 7.0, 3-Dinesa Waddy 7.1; 440, 1-Pat Helms 56.6, 2-Brenda Nichols 57.6, 3-Renee DeSandies 57.8, 4-Constance Simpson 59.4; $4 \times 160$ relay, 1 -Atoms (McMillan-Hawkins-Cordy-DeSandies) 1:11. 6, 2-Padukies $1: 15.1$, 3-Ambler OC 1:17.0.

## ALBUQUERQUE OC INVITATIONAL

Albuquerque, New Mexico, February 2:-The Albuquerque Olympette Club staged its Ninth Annual Indoor Invitational and 22 clubs with 453 athletes showed up for the festivities. Nanci (Kaiser) Arnold and Wendy Koenig each were double winners and Cindy Gilbert was over $5^{\prime} 7$ in the high jump to grab the top honors.

RESULIS: 50, 1-Nanci Arnold (TexasTC) 6.2, 2-Pam Greene (CSU) 6.2 ( 6.0 h ); 50yH, 1-Arnold 7.0, 2-Sonya Hardy (BCB) 7.0 , 3-Bobbette Krug (INTC) 7.2 (7.1h); 220, Pam Greene 25.5; 440 , l-Wendy Koenig (TGG) 58.2, 2-Cindy Ashby (AOC) 58.7.... 6-Pam Greene 60.2; 880, Carol Hudson (AOC) 2:17.4; Mile, Barbara Lawson (TCG) 5:08.2; 3000m, 1-Debbie Derr (ArizTC) 10: 31.2, 2-Karen Cramond (AOC) 10:38.0, 3-Ellyn Hart (Un) 10: 39.2; $4 \mathrm{LapR}, \mathrm{AOC} 1: 23.4$ (4x176); MileR, l-AOC 4:04.8, 2-TCG 4:05.5; HJ, l-Cindy Gilbert (IJTC) 5'7, 2-Dinie Norero (DCD) 5'6, 3-Wendy Koenig (TCG) 5'4, 4-Anne Gilliland (DCD) 5'4; IJ, l-Koenig 18'loy, 2-Ann Reynolds (DCD) 18'9; SP, l-Jan Svendsen (IJTC) 44'21/2, 2-Barbara Butler (AOC) 37'6.

12/13 Division: 880, Shari Cassin (ArzTC) 2:20.2; HJ, Christine Brockhoff (ATC) 5'0; IJ, Roxanne Keating (PC) $16^{\prime} 111 / 2$. 10/11 Division: 50, Cynthia Rhodes (MTC) 6.7 ( 6.6 h ); 440, Lydia Laidlaw (TCG) 67.0; Mile, l-Sandy Beach (ATC) $5: 45.0$, 2-Denise Falzone (DCD) 5:45.3, 3-Linda Lindsey (PP) 5:45.4.

## CENTRAL AAU CHAMPIONSHIPS

Champaign, Illinois, February 2:-The Central AAU staged its indoor title meet on the tartan 262 yard track in Champaign and the meet produced some outstanding results. Best of the competítion was Rosalyn Bryant's 24.0 victory over 220 yards. Although better than the American record of 24.1 , it can not be recognized as the track is more than $220 y$, but nevertheless it is an excellent performance. Celeste Johnson was over 19 feet in the long jump and Theresa Montgomery had a fast win over 60 yards.

RESULTS: SP, 1-Sheila Yurkshat (MDYF) 38'll, 2-Barb Grider (IllTC) $3815 \frac{1}{2}$; HJ, l-Jill Halgrimson (MDYF) $5 ' 5$, 2-Joan Baltz (Peoria) 5'4, 3-Lisa Mitchell (West Suburban TC) 5'3; IJ, 1Celeste Johnson (MDYF) 19'014, 2-Kim Schofield (P) 18'7, 3Dianne Kummer (MDYF) 17'5 12 ; 60yH, l-Mamie Rallins (TSU) 7.9; 60, l-Theresa Montgomery (TSU) 6.8, 2-Veronica Harris (ChiSt) 6.8, 3-Terry Hopkins (MDYF) 6.9, 4-Alfreda Daniels (Un) 6.9, 5-Rosalyn Bryant (MDYF) 6.9; Valarie Milan (MDYF) 6.9h; 220, 1-Rosalyn Bryant 24.0, 2-Theresa Montgomery 24.7, 3-Hopkins 25.0, 4-Milan 25.1, 5-Maeoper West (Un) 25.1; 440, 1-Tecla Chemabwai (ChiSt) 56.0, 2-Trudi Rebsamen (Un) 57.1, 3-Celeste Johnson (MDYF) 57.2, 4-Karen Willis (TSU) 57.5; 880, Judith Smith (TSU) 2:15.5; Mile, Lisa Hamity (WSTC) 5:07.3; Mile Walk, Cristy Dotseth (MDYF) 8:12.2, 2-Carol Monanco (Kettering) $8: 13.6$; Two Mile, Brenda Webb (KS) $10: 33.5$; 880 yMedR , West Suburban TC 1:50.5. 13/Under Division: LJ, Lisa Aller (Galesburg) 15'8 $\%$; HJ, Shelly Smith (P) 4'9; 50yH, Karen La Porte (WSTC) 7.7; 50y, Winona Parks (MDYF) 6.1; 220, Rachel Lewis (G) 27.4; 440, Laura Kutske (WSTC) 62.2.

## MINKOW IN FASTEST EVER WALK

West Point, New York, February 3:-Ellen Minkow, an unattached walker, bettered the world indoor mark for the mile with a sparkling 7:33.5 performance - but it will be in vain as the Army's indoor track is an oversized 300 yards. Two other walkers had good marks in the race with Mary Beth Hayford clocking 8:02.0 for second and 12 year old Joanne Shima 8:10.0.

Best of the other marks was Katy Schilly's 10:45.2 two mile and Judy Fontaine's 36.5300 - both marks recorded with an asterick because of the oversize oval. But excellent marks, nevertheless. Fontain also won the long jump at 18'7y/2 while Denise Wood had a good throw in the shot at 47'11. Schilly doubled with a $4: 58.0$ win in the mile over Phyllis Olrich's 5:03.5. Other winners were:High J, Chris Schilly (Syracuse Chargers) $4 \cdot 8 ; 60 y H$, Laurie Stephens (Sweethearts) $8.6 ; 600 y$, Constance Simpson (NYPAL) 1:26.4; 1000y, Jan Merrill (AGAA) 2:40.8.

## ATOMS AND DECKER GET RECORDS AT ALBUQUERQUE

Albuquerque, New Mexico, February 2:-Mary Decker continued her domination of US middle distances by easily winning the featured $880 y$ run here tonight in $2: 07.9$, passing the 800 m mark in 2:07.0 for a new American record. The Atoms foursome of Michelle McMillan, Cheryl Toussaint, Gale Fitzgerald and Brenda Nichols cut the world mile relay mark to $3: 47.5$, and Pam Greene scored a good sprint double with wins in the 60 and 300 yard events.

RESULIS: 60y, l-Pam Greene (Col St U) 6.9, 2-Janice Wiser (IJTLC) 7.0; 300y, l-Greene 35.7 , 2-Wiser 36.1 , 3-Michelle McMillan (Atoms) 37.0; 440, 1-Cheryl Toussaint (Atoms) 57.2, 2Carol Hudson (AOC) 57.6, 3-Gale Fitzgerald (Atoms) 59.6; 880, 1-Mary Decker (BA) 2:07.9, 2-Wendy Koenig (TCG) 2:11.4, 3Barbara Lawson (TCG) 2:14.0; $60 y H$, 1-Bobbette Krug (IJTIC) 8.2, 2-Nanci (Kaiser) Arnold (TexTC) 8.3; MileR, l-Atoms 3:47.5, 2-AlbOC 3:51.5, 3-Duke City Dashers 4:01.4.

## LARRIEU WINS FEATURE IN NEW YORK

New York, NY, February 8:-Francie Larrieu took the measure of Bulgarian ace Tonka Petrova to win the featured "Ms Mile" at the Sixth Edition of the US Olympic Invitational. The victory did not come easy, however, as both runners clocked the same time, 4:18.3, good enough for a new American record for Larrieu. Kathy Gibbons turned in a good effort in the same race edging West Germany's Christa Merten for third.

Cheryl Toussaint wasn't as fortunate as Larrieu in the 800 as visiting Liliana Tomova of Bulgaria romped to a new American All Comers mark in winning at 2:06.0 followed by Toussaint, Nancy Shafer and Wendy Koenig.

RESULTS: 50 m , l-Mattline Render 6.3, 2-Pat Henderson ( $\mathrm{Ba}-$ ton Rouge TC) 6.4, 3-Jackie Randolph (SITC) 6.4, 4-Pat Hawkins (Atoms) 6.5, 5-Carmen Brown (Atoms) 6.5 (6.4h), 6-Charlene Johnson (PAL) 6.6 ( 6.5 h ); 400m, l-Brenda Nichols (Atoms) 56.4, 2-Lorna Forde (Atoms) 56.9, 3-Judy Fontaine (AGAA) 57.6, 4-Esther Stroy (SITC) 59.3; 800m, l-Liliana Tomova (Bulgaria) 2:06.0, 2-Cheryl Toussaint (Atoms) 2:07.6, 3-Nancy Shafer (SITC) 2:11.8, 4-Wendy Koenig (TCG) 2:12.4; 1500m, I-Francie Larrieu (PCC) 4:18.3, 2-Tonka Petrova (Bul) 4:18.3, 3-Kathy Gibbons (GG) 4:25.3, 4-Christa Merten (GFR) 4:26.2, 5-Robin Campbell (SITC) 4:26.4, 6-Doreen Ennis (Nutley TC) 4:28.0.

## GOOD MARKS IN CHAMPAIGN

Champaign, Illinois, February 2:-The Central Association of the AAU staged its Championships over the 261 yard tartan oval at the University of Illinois and fine performances were the standard in practically every event. The oversized track was responsible for some excellent clockings for the 220,440 and two mile, but these performances will be marked with an asterick as the track size is limited to 220y for record purposes.

RESURS: HJ, l-Jill Halgrimson (MDYF) 5'5, 2-Jean Baltz (Peoria) 514; IJ, l-Celeste Johnson (MDYF) 19'01/, 2-Kim Schofield (P) 18'7, 3-Diane Kumer (MDYF) 17'51⁄2; SP, 1-Sheila Yurksahat (MDYF) 38'11, 2-Barb Grinder (IllTC) 38'5; 60yH, 1-Mamie Rallins (TSU) 7.9, 2-Kathy LaPorte (West Suburban TC) 8.3, 3Donna Schulenberg (Un) 8.4; 60y, l-Theresa Montgomery (TSU) 6.8, 2-Veronica Harris (ChiSt) 6.8, 3-Terry Hopkins (MDYF) 6.9, 4-Roselyn Bryant (MDYF) 6.9, 5-Alfreda Daniels (Un) 6.9; 220, 1-Bryant 24.0, 2-Montgomery 24.7, 3-Hopkins 25.0, 4-Valerie Milan (MDYF) 25.1, 5-Maeoper West (Un) 25.1, 6-Veronica Williams (MHYF) 25.5, 6-Diane Hughes (TSU) 25.5; 440, 1-Tecla Chemabwai (Chicago State) 56.0, 2-Trudi Rebsamen (Un) 57.1, 3Celeste Johnson (MDYF) 57.2; 880, 1-Judith Smith (TSU) 2:15.5; Mile, Lisa Hamity (WSTC) 5:07.3; Mile Walk, l-Cristy Dotseth (MDYF) 8:12.2, 2-Carol Monanco (Kettering) 8:13.5, 3-Gwen Eberly (Ozark TC) 8:39.0; 2M, 1-Brenda Webb (KS) 10:33.5, 2-Karen McKeachie (Michigammes) 11:35.1; MileR, Peoria 4:13.4; Medley Relay, WSTC 1:50.5.

RESULTS 13/Under Division: 50yH, Karen Laporte (WSTC) 7.7; 50, 1-Winona Parks (MDYF) 6.1, 2-Rachel Lewis (Galesburg) 6.2; 220, Lewis 27.4, 2-Parks 27.5; HJ, Shelley Smith (Peoria) 4'9; LJJ, Lisa Allen (G) 15'81/2; 440, Laura Kutska (WSTC) 62.2; 880, Carol Cychol (P) 2:30.0; Mile, Margaret LaPorte (WSIC) 5:44.7; 2M, Tamara Ehrentreu (P) 12:55.0; MileR/880MedR, WSTC 4:39.3/ 1:57.3.

## CLEVELAND KC MEET

Cleveland, Ohio, February 2:-Sports International's fine 4 x 440 relay team had the best mark of the four women's events at the Annual Knights of Columbus Meet as they covered the distance in 3:54.3s.

RESULTS: 440, l-Esther Stroy (SITC) 57.6, 2-Beth Warner (OhioTC) 57.9, 3-Terry Sippel (Kettering) 59.7; 880, 1-Robin Campbell (SITC) 2:12.6, 2-Debbie Vetter (BRTC) 2:13.4, 3-Nancy Shafer (SITC) 2:14.0; 50y, 1-Jenny Gill (Panthers TC) 6.1, 2-Gwen Norman (SITC) 6.1, 3-Lorrie Barr (OTC) 6.2; Mile Relay, l-SITC (Robin Campbell, Debby Pastel, Nancy Shafer, Gwen Nor$\operatorname{man}$ ) 3:54.3, 2-Ohio TC 4:04.1.

## MILE RECORD TO LARRIEU

Seattle, Washington, February 2:-Francie Larrieu, after coming close on several occasions, finally got the one mile indoor record here tonight as she sped the distance in $4: 34.6 \mathrm{~s}$. Maren Seidler once again improved her American record for the shot with a winning effort of $55^{\prime} 7 / 4$ and Fran Sichting scored a double with victories in the long jump and 440.

RESULIS: One Mile, l-Francie Larrieu (PCC) 4:34.6, 2-Debbie Quatier (Falcon TC) 4:51.4, 3-Brenda Batchelor (Canada) 4:57.8; 440, l-Fran Sichting (SW Ore Clg) 58.3, 2-Denise Anderson (FalconTC) 59.1, 3-Beverly Co (Can) 59.2; IJ, 1-Sichting 18'6\%, 2-Toni Griffin (IJTC) 17'534, 3-Mitzi McMillin(Un) $1714 / 2 / 2$ SP, 1-Maren Seidler (MDYF) 55'7/4, 2-Lynette Matthews (FalconTC) $44^{\prime} 5 \frac{1}{2}, 3$-Linda Langford (SJC) 4413.

## DECKER GETS 880 MARK by Rich Ede

Los Angeles, California, February 8:-Mary Decker's 2:06.7 world record in the 880 highlighted a good Los Angeles Times Indoor Games on the $160 y$ Forum track. In a race run without the promised entry of Glenda Reiser, Decker predicted a new record and proceeded to run the record all by herself. Mary started fast and held a $11 / 2$ second lead over Cindy Poor by the 440 mark ( 62.5 to 64.0 ). At the quarter, Terri Anderson and Judy Graham slipped past Julie Brown in the battle for second. Decker simply kept pouring it on for her victory and record with Poor claiming second in $2: 13.1$ and followed by Graham, $2: 15.1$, Brown, 2:15.2, Anderson, 2:15.4, with young Donna Schellhouse closing fast in $2: 15.5$ for an exciting finish.

In the 60, Mable Fergerson led her heat wire-to-wire in 6.8 as Fran Sichting overcame a slow start to eventually overhaul Rosetta Birt for the other final berth. In the second heat, Martha Watson clocked 6.8 to outdistance high-schooler Dolly Fleetwood, 7.1s., Vivian Hughes (7.1) and Judy Johnson (7.4) although Hughes looked to be much closer to Johnson than she was to Fleetwood. In the final, Fergerson picked up a false start, then stayed in the blocks as Watson got a good lead early and held on to win, both clocking 6.8. Third was just as close with Sichting edging Fleetwood in 6.9 s .

Fergerson and Sichting tangled again in the 440 , but this time Jarvis Scott provided the excitement as she broke in front for an early lead as Mable chased her over the first 400 yards. Around the last turn, Fergerson turned on the power to pull away and win in 58.0 to 58.6 s. Sichting closed fast for third in 58.7 s .

## PITTSBURGH CLASSIC

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, February 9:-Marlene Harewicz with a good time in the 3000 m and Beth Harwick with another good effort in the mile walk were the stars of the Pittsburgh Indoor Classic.

RESUITS: Mile, l-Marlene Harewicz (Mt.Leb) 5:15.2; 440, 1Pat Helms (Padukies) 57.8, 2-Debbie Vetter (BRTC) 58.5, 3-Jan Vetter (BRTC) 59.9; Mile Walk, l-Beth Harwick (MtLeb) 8:58.8; 50, Gwen Smith (CommTC) 6.1; SP, Kim Travers (MtLeb) 4I'2; 880, 1-Debbie Vetter (BRTC) $2: 13.8$, 2-Diane Vetter (BRTC) 2:24.2; 3000m, 1-Marlene Harewicz (MtLeb) 10:11.6.

# INDOOR ROUNDUP (Continued) <br> McMILLIN WINS INDOOR/OUTDOOR PENTATHLON <br> <br> TWO AMERICAN RECORDS AT OAKLAND 

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Seattle, Washington, February 9:-Young veteran US internationalist Mitzi McMillin won an early-season pentathlon competition here today with a good score of 4015 , just short of her lifetime best of 4109. The competition was both indoors and outdoors with the high jump and long jump under the protective roof of the University of Washington field house, and the other three events conducted on the Husky Stadium track.

McMillin turned in a 14.5 hurdles, $34^{\prime \prime} 7$ shot, $5^{\prime} 61 / 2 \mathrm{high}$ jump, 19'24/4 long jump and a 25.7200 to score her victory over Janine Shepherd (3181) and Karin Merriwether (3145). Shepherd had a $5^{\prime} 2 / 2$ high jump performance for her best mark.

## VERNON THE STAR OF BRITISH CHAMPIONSHIPS

Cosford, England, February 8/9:-Judy Vernon, former Ozark TC performer, set a new UK indoor record winning the 60 m hurdles in 8.3 and also picked up a second in the 60 m sprint to be the best of the British performers at their National Championships. Judy announced that she will retire after this coming summer campaign.

RESULIS: 60 m , 1-Lannaman 7.5, 2-Vernon 7.5, 3-Colyear 7:6; 400 m , 1-Colyear 57.2, 2-Taylor 57.3, no third;1500m, 1-Norine Braithwaite 4:37.4, 2-Curthoys 4:42.2; 800m, l-Wright 2:07.2; 60 mH , l-Vernon 8.3, 2-Thompson 8.4; HJ, l-Ann Wilson 5'81/2, 2Mathers 5'83; IJ, 1-Chitty 19'0; SP, 1-Kerr 43'5.

## MASON-DIXON GAMES

Louisville, Kentucky, February 9:-Tennessee State copped three of the four women's events at the Mason-Dixon Games with only Mayor Daley's Celeste Johnson breaking the monopoly by winning the 440.

RESULTS: 70yH, l-Mamie Rallins (TSU) 9.0; 440, l-Celeste Johnson (MDYF) 56.9, 2-Sheila Coates (TSU) 57.4, 3-Tecla Chemabwai (Chicago State) 57.7; 70y, l-Theresa Montgomery (TSU) 7.6 , 2-Veronica Harris (ChiSt) 7.9, 3-Terry Hopkins (MDYF) 8.0 ; 880yR, 1-TSU (Montgomery-L.Harris-Coates-Rallins) 1:41.3, 2-MDYF 1:41.7, 3-Motor City 1:42.4.

## REGION 2 CHAMPS

Hightstown, New Jersey, February 16:-Region II staged its indoor championships over the 10 lap per mile tartan track.

RESULTS: 50 yH, l-Carol Thomson (DelSC) 7.0, 2-June Smith (SITC) 7.5; 50y, l-Denise Waddy (Ambler) 6.2; 440, Nicky Norman (SITC) 58.0; 220, Norman 25.9...3-Chris A'Harrah (DelSC) 26.3; 1000y, 1-Robin Campbell (SITC) 2:40.3, 2-Ursula Eder (SJ Chargers) 2:42.0; Mile, Roberta Anthes (Villanova) 5:44.7; HJ, (tie) Cindy Bro (DelSC) and Aneyeus Robinson (SITC) 5'2; SP, Cheryl Stohr (Jets) 38'31/2; 4xl76, Ambler 1:28.3; Medley Relay, SITC 1:55.0.

## SAUNDERS, LARRIEU WORLD RECORDS AT TORONTO

Toronto, Canada, February 15:-It took a world record run to whip the finest l500m field of the 1974 season, and the USA's Francie Larrieu was the one who got there first. Larrieu, who seemingly breaks a record every time she laces on her size sixes, defeated a field which included the new Commonwealth Games champion and record holder, Glenda Reiser of Canada, Tonka Petrova of Bulgaria, Thelma Wright of Canada, the bronze medalist at Christchurch, and the Olympic champion and world record holder outdoors, Ludmila Bragina of the Soviet Union. Larrieu was the winner in $4: 12.2$ breaking Tamara Pangelova's world mark of $4: 14.3$. Reiser was second with a new Canadian indoor mark of $4: 15.5$ followed by Petrova, Wright and Bragina.

Yvonne Saunders, the Commonwealth Games 400 m champion, got the world indoor 600 m mark with a fast l:18.4 breaking Kathy Hammond's world mark of $1: 20.5$ as young Robin Campbell erased Hammond's name from the American record books with her 1:19.3 clocking for second.

Raelene Boyle sped to a super-fast 5.6 to take the 50 yard sprint over Canada's Marjorie Bailey (5.7) with Theresa Montgomery of Tennessee State third (no time announced). Patty Johnson (IJTC) won the $50 y$ hurdles in 6.5 by a tenth over Canadian Liz Damman.

Oakland, California, February 16:-Oregon's Joni Huntley became the first American girl to clear the magic six foot barrier and veteran Maren Seidler improved her own American record in the shot to highlight the Oakland Indoor Carnival.

Huntley, who competed in early morning before an assembled audience of three relatives, six workmen and five other athletes, hopped over $6101 / 2 / 1.84$ to become at age 17 the greatest high jumper in US history. She had one try at 6'l, but after hitting her head on the crossbar, decided to call it a day.

Seidler, who has been improving with every competition, pushed the bulb close to the 57 foot mark with a 56'll effort, more than 10 feet ahead of second place Denise Wood. Seidler began the year with a toss of 54'll $1 / 2$, breaking her own national indoor mark of $52^{\prime} 71 / 4$ which she set back in 1972. In early February, she improved to $55^{\prime} 71 / 4$ at Seattle and now added more than a foot to that mark.

Almost overlooked was Martha Watson's fine 21 'O leap to win the long jump while Patty Johnson (50m hurdles) and Cindy Poor ( 500 m ) established new American marks for their distances.

RESUITS: 50mH, l-Patty Johnson (LJTC) 7.2, 2-Pat Donnelly (Lakewood International) 7.4, 3-Cherrie Sherrard (Un) 7.5; $500 \mathrm{~m}, 1$-Cindy Poor (SJC) 1:23.2, 2-Kathy Weston (WS) 1:23.8, 3-Christina Caldwell (WS) 1:27.1; 1500m, 1-Julie Brown (Un) $4: 36.8$, 2-Kathy Costello (Orinda) 4:37.0, 3-Judy Graham (SJC) 4:37.6; IJ, 1-Martha Watson (IITC) 21'0, 2-Vickie Betts (IITC) 19'31/2, 3-Diana Windle (IITC) 18'81/2; SP, l-Maren Seidler (NDYF) 56'11, 2-Denise Wood (NJ Striders) 46'10, 3-Linda Langford (Un) $4^{\prime} 7 / 4 / 4$ HJ, 1-Joni Huntley (Oregon TC) $6^{\prime} 01 / 2$.

## RECORD SPREE IN SAN DIEGO

San Diego, California, February 17:-In what may have been the greatest indoor meet of all time, records fell like ten-pins at this border city's annual indoor extravaganza. Six events were held for women and when the evening was finished, new world records had been set in the 800 meters, 880 yards, 3000 meters, two miles; the $60 y$ hurdles record had been equalled; the American record for the $880 y$ medley relay had been broken and the high jump had been won at 6'0 and the $60 y$ dash had been won in a fast 6.7 by the newly-crowned double spint winner of the Commonwealth Games, Raeден ...

Boyle had an easy win over the short sprint, nudging Kathy Lawson by two-tenths with Martha Watson third. Patty Johnson pulled Pat Donnelly to her best-ever hurdle time as she equalled the world mark in that event. Joni Huntley of Oregon, who set a new American record just a few days earlier at $6^{\prime} 0 / 2$, was over the magic six foot mark for the third time this season, and the La Jolla medley relay foursome of Johnson, Janice Wiser, Morrison and Lawson cut three-tenths of a second off the $A R$ for that distance.

The real fireworks came in the two longer runs as Mary Decker took advantage of a pacer to cut the world record in the 880 to $2: 02.3$ and en route smash the 800 m mark as well, passing this line in 2:01.8.

For the two mile, meet officials switched its spot in the program and neglected to notify all competitors which resulted in Francie Larrieu still sitting in the stands when the race was called. Without proper warmup, Larrieu held back over the first 1320 and then cut loose to smash the world mark from 10:12 to $9: 39.4$ and on the way took the 3000 m mark from 9:36 to 9:02.4s.

RESUIIS: 60, 1-Raelene Boyle (Australia) 6.7, 2-Kathie Lawson (IJTC) 6.9, 3-Martha Watson (IITC) 6.9, 4-Rosetta Birt (IITC) 7.1 ; 60 yH , 1-Patty Johnson (IJTTC) 7.4, 2-Pat Donnelly (IITC) 7.7, 3-Bobbette Krug (IJTTC) 7.9, 4-Lorna Tinney (IJTIC) 8.1; 880y Medley Relay, 1-La Jolla TC 1:46.3, 2-Blue Angels 1:50.1, 3-SC Cheetahs 1:52.5, 4-LB Comets 1:52.5; 880, 1-Mary Decker (BA) 2:02.3, 2-Cindy Poor (SJC) 2:12.0, 3-Shellhouse (BA) 2:13.3; Two Mile, l-Francie Larrieu (PCC) 9:39.4, 2Kathy Gibbons (GlendGauchos) 10:10.4, 3-Claire Choate (UCLA) 10:15.1, 4-Eileen Claugus (WS) 10:31.4; HJ, 1-Joni Huntley (OreTC) 6'0, 2-Cindy Gilbert (IJTC) 5'7, 3-(tie) Sandy Goldsberry (LITC) and Alice Pfaff (ColTC) 5'5.

Listed below are the 1974 indoor marks for registered USA athletes. Given is the performance, the place in the competition, name of the athlete, club affiliation, site and date of the competition. Please send corrections and additions to WIFW, PO Box 371, Claremont, California. *=mark converted from meters; +=not a US citizen; \#=mark made on oversized track and can not be accepted for a record. Some athletes are listed under two or more clubs, but we record them as the results read.


One Mile
$\begin{array}{ll}4: 34.6 & \text { (1) Francie Larrieu (PCC) } \\ 4: 50.7 & \text { (1) Robin Campbell (SITC) }\end{array}$
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| 9:02.4 | (1) | Francie Larrieu (PCC) |
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| 9:29.0 | (3) | Debbie Quatier (Falcon) |
| 10:00.0 | (4) | Doreen Ennis (Nutley) |
| 10:11.6 | (1) | Marlene Harewicz (MtLeb) |
| 10:31.2 | (1) | Debbie Derr (ArizonaTC) |
| 10:38.0 | (2) | Karen Cramond (AOC) |
| 10:39.2 | (3) | Ellen Hart (Un) |
| 10:49.8 | (4) | Jyme Kay Borges (DCD) |
| 10:50.8 | (5) | Carrie Gilliland (DCD) |
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| 10:10.4 | (2) | Kathy Gibbons (GG) |
| 10:15.1 | (3) | Clare Choate (UCLA) |
| 10:31.4 | (4) | Eileen Claugus (WS) |
| 10:33.5\# | (I) | Brenda Webb (Kettering) |
| 10:45.2\# | (1) | Katy Schilly (SyrChgrs) |
| 11:29.0\# | (2) | Amy Welch (SyrChgrs) |
| 11:35.1\# | (2) | Karen McKeachie (Mich) |
| 11:35.4\# | (3) | Cathy Schrader (ElecCty) |
| 11:38.3 | (I) | Barbara Lawson (TCG) |
| 11:48.4 | (1) | Bev Rowland (Peoria) |
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| 7:28.6 |  | Susan Brodock (RRR) |
| 7:33.5\# | (1) | Ellen Minkow (Un) |
| 8:01.0 | (3) | Carol Mohanco (Kettering) |
| 8:02.0\# | (2) | Mary Beth Hayford (Gatewy) |
| 8:09.1 | (5) | Cristy Dotseth (MDYF) |
| 8:10.0\# |  | Joa Ann Shima (Un) |
| 8:31.5 | (6) | Cindy Arbelbide (RRR) |
| 8:36:2 |  | Teresa Teegarden (BA) |
| 8:39.0\# |  | Gwen Eberle (Ozark TC) |
| 8:40.3 |  | Beth Harwick (Mt Leb TC) |
| 8:43.2\# | (4) | Linda Ortko (Ozark TC) |
| 8:44.1 | (9) | Lori Thomas (Col Pacers) |
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| $1: 41.7$ | (2) | Mayor Daley YF |
| $1: 42.4$ | (3) | Motor City TC |
| $1: 43.7^{*}$ | (1) | Berkeley TC |
| $1: 46.4^{*}$ | (2) | Millbrae Lions |
| $1: 47.1^{*}$ | (3) | San Jose Cindergals |
| $1: 50.0$ | (1) | The Colorado Gold |
| $1: 50.7^{*}$ | (4) | Wills Spikettes |
| $1: 50.9$ | (1) | Male HS, Louisville |
| $1: 51.3^{*}$ | (5) | Santa Cruzers |
| $1: 51.5$ | (2) | Ballard HS, Louisville |
| $1: 51.4$ | (3) | Lafayette HS, Louisville |
| $1: 52.0$ | (2) | Boulder Cinderbelles |

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## 60 Yard Hurdles

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| 7.7 | (2) Pat Donnelly (Lakewood) |

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$\begin{array}{ll}7.8 & \text { (1) LaVonne Neal (Phil Hawks) } \\ 7.9 & \text { (2) Debby Lansky (East.Mich) }\end{array}$
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8.0 (4) Cheryl Poirier (FredTFC)
8.1 (4) Lorna Tinney (IJTC)
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8.2 (2) June Smith (SITC) +
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## 70 Yard Hurdles

| 9.0 | (1) | Mamie Rallins (TSU) |
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| High Jump |  |  |
| 6'01/2 | (I) | Joni Huntley (OreTC) |
| 5'7 | (1) | Cindy Gilbert (IJTC) |
| 5'7t | (2) | Jil Halgrimson (MDYF) |
| 5'7 | (4) | Cheryl Friesen (Tabor Cl g) |
| $5^{1} 61 / 2$ | (p) | Mitzi McMillin (Gazelles) |
| 5'6 | (2) | Dinie Norero (DCD) |
| 5'6 | (2) | Pam Blackburn (Un) |
| 5'5t | (3) | Sandi Goldsberry (Lakewd) |
| 5'5t | (3) | Alice Pfaff (ColoradoTC) |
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| 514 | (1) | Lisa Mitchell (WSubTC) |
| 5'4' | (1) | Jean Baltz (Peoria) |
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880 Yard Medley Relay (220-110-110-440)
1:45.8h (1) Sports International TC

| $1: 46.3$ | (1) |
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| $1: 46.9 \mathrm{~h}$ (1) Jolla TC |  |
| Atoms TC |  |

1:48.8 (3) New York PAL
1:50.1 (2) Blue Angels
1:50.5\# (1) West Suburban TC
1:50.7h (2) Frederick TFC
1:51.0 (1) Ohio TC
$1: 51.2$ (2) Columbus Community TC
1:51.4 (3) Detroit PAL
1:52.2 (5) Mayor Hatcher YF
1:52.5 (3) Southern Cal Cheetahs
1:52.5 (4) Long Beach Comets

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Track season is finally back upon us high school athletesd Probably one of the largest high school girl's indoor meets anywhere was the Fourth Annual D.C. Public School Girl's Invitational Meet, with 21 teams entered from Maryland, Virginia, D.C and New York. Carl Phillips reports:
"Seven of the eleven meet records were broken. The meet was run on a 220 flat track at the DC National Guard Armory. Deborah Fortune (Albert Leonard, New Rochelle, NY), won the 100 in 11.6 and was second in the 220, 27.5s. The fleet-footed. New Yorker set a new meet record for the 100 in her semifinal with 11.4. Gloria McRae (Wilson) was second in the 100 (12.0) with Wendy Martin (Ballou) third (12.1). Sheila Ingram (Coolidge) destroyed the 220 field in a new meet record of 26.1. Darcel Minton (New Rochelle) was third in 28.0s.
"The 440 saw Danette Hallick (Kennedy, Md) go out fast and build up a big lead to win easily over Lyn Davis (BethesdaChevy Chase), 63.0 to 63.4 . The $80 y$ hurdles went to Cheryl Stockland (St. Christopher, Va) in a record time of 11.0 for this new event. Paula Girvens (Gar-Field, Va) was second in 11.4 s .
'The meet's outstanding performer was Cathy Good (Springbrook, Md) who set meet records in the 880 (2:27.9) and the mile (5:35.9). In the 880 , Cathy took the lead with 600 yards to go and never looked back. It may have been a better race if Donna Williams (Ballou), the third place finisher, had been in the same heat. Kim Fine (Bethesda Chevy-Chase) took second with $2: 30.7$ to $2: 36.0$ for Williams, running in the other heat. Good's mile time was more than 30 seconds better than the old record as Gale Morse (Bethesda Chevy-Chase) and Debbie Sommer (Gar-Field) were also under the old record with 5:40.0 and 5:40.1. (No time listed for Good.)
"Coolidge took the 440 and 880 relays (54.0/1:54.7). Bethesda Chevy-Chase set a new record in the mile relay ( $4: 21.9$ ). Girven won the high jump at 5'0 and Joan Wilson (Gaithersburg) set the meet record in the standing long jump at $812 / 2$. Coolidge successfully defended its team title with Bethesda Chevy-Chase second and McKinley and New Rochelle tied for 3rd."

Kentucky and Indiana girls ran in both high school and junior high school divisions at the Mason-Dixon Games on February 8-9. Marcia Cole (Male, La) edged Beverly Williams (Central, Louisville) in the 70 as both clocked 8.2 s . Stephanie Hightower (Fort Knox) was a step behind in 8.3s. The $50 y$ hurdles were won by Kathy Swann (Jefferson, Louisville) in 7.0 with Hightower second $(7.2)$ and Vickie Newton (Moore, Louisville) third (7.5).

Lafayette (Lexington) easily took the 440 relay on the 220 y banked track, running 52.6 with a team of Pat Blackburn, Gloria Brown, Kim Pruitt and Verea Lane Gill. LouisvilleEastern was second in 53.6s. Male, although disqualified in the 440 relay, came back to win the 880 relay in $1: 50.9$, (Elise Samuels, Shelly Merrett, Mary Ann James and Marcia Cole). Louisville-Ballard and Lafayette both clocked a good 1:51.5. The high jump saw three girls over 5'0 with Janice Whitesell (Clarksville, Ind) winning at 5'3 over Ann Deters (Assumption, Iouisville) at 5'2 and Doris Switzer (Doss, Louisville) at 5'0. Maxine Graham (Fleming County) long jumped 18'll to win over two feet from Jerri Smith (Eastern) at $16^{\prime} 6$ and Whitesell ( 16 '5 $1 / 2$ ). Lisa Stinson (Henderson County) won the shot at 38'9 ahead of Tyra Croudep (Jeffersonville, Ind) at $35^{\prime} 10 \% / 2$ and Donna Taylor (Jeffersontown, Ky) 34'10. Weight of the shot is not known.

In the invitational 880, Sally Silgar (Ballard) blazed a $2: 22.4$ to win over Lisa Moore (Franklin County) $2: 23.9$ and Julie Rice (Boyd County) 2:25.5

The junior high school division placers were all from Louisville. Terri Henderson (Russell) copped the 70 in 8.9. Doss won the 440 relay in 56.6 . Wendy Harvey (Doss) long jumped 14'5 $1 / 2$ for the victory and Pratt Parker (Fairdale) put the shot $2814 \%$.

On the west coast, Dee Sullivan of the Del Norte TC (Crescent City, California) sends partial results of the 8.5 mile Trinidad Beach Run held early in February. Sherry Quinlivan won the Girl's HS Division in 57:43, followed by Vickie Billy (72:46) and Debbie Clayton (74:04). In 9th was Belinda Allen (94:00). Quinlivan was the first female finisher and placed $70^{\text {th }}$ out of the 151 runners. It was the first ever AAU meet for all four girls.

Also in California, Rosemead High School decided to kick off their inauguaral year of girl's track and field with a relay meet outdoors on February 16. Eleven schools participated. Monrovia (Barnes-Wyatt-Booker-Smoot) took the 440 y relay in 54.0 followed by Bassett (54.4), Alhambra (54.5)
and Arcadia (54.9). Arcadia showed its strength and depth in the $880 y$ medley relay by winning with a team of Cavallero, Lipka, Tanascos and Sprague in 2:06.1 and also taking $5^{\text {th }}$ with their second team in 2:07.2. In between were Alhambra with 2:05.7, Keppel 2:06.1 and Bassett 2:06.4.

Somebody can apparently run distances in California for the meet included a distance medley (220-440-880-mile) which was won by Alhambra in 10:30.9s. In the individual events, Mirly (Monrovia) won the 80y hurdles final in 12.4; Lynn Barnes (Monrovia) led her long jump relay squad to a win with a jump of 14'10; Rose Neal (Duarte) also led her softball throw relay to a victory with her throw of 173'll. Monrovia also won the 8 pound shot put relay behind Linda Stavrouakis 31 14/4 and Genean Shier's 3014. Sandwiched between those individuals was Bolton (Alhambra) with 31'0\%4. Pam Farrell (Arcadia) was voted the most valuable athlete of the meet for her 514 high jump and 28'114 shot put. Arcadia did not have three high jumpers, however, and that event relay went to Monrovia.

The Los Angeles Times Indoor Games included, for the second year, a 640 yard relay for high school girl's teams. This year's race was won by Muir High School of Pasadena with a time of l:18.8. The first lap was close as Azusa, led by Ruth Kleinsasser's 19.7, held a miniscule lead over Costa Mesa and Muir. Palos Verdes fell on the first lap. The second lap was all Muir and Carol Flournby cemented the win with a 19.8 anchor leg. Costa Mesa was second in 1:21.4, Azusa 1:25.0, Palos Verdes l:26.1. Under California Interscholastic rules, girl's may run on "student" (co-ed) teams this year and the Azusa foursome which ran in the Times meet is doing just that as all four girls are members of the Azusa varsity with Kleinsasser the school's number one half miler.

Our final meet result comes from John Carrol in North Falmouth, Mass: "Girl's track in the New England area does not do much in the winter months, but there are some girls participating in the few meets that are around. A goodly number of girls are running on boy's JV teams. The best mark known is by a Bishop Fenwick-Peabody freshman, Cindy Fick who has covered the mile in $5: 32.2$ while her teammate Margaret McNiff has run 5:35.0.
"Here in Falmouth we have had several meets on a flat, 12lap to a mile track. Best marks in our meet of February 16 were as follows: HJ, 418 by Rhonda Campbell (Falmouth), 50y $33^{\prime \prime}$ hurdles, 7.9 by Campbell; 22028.3 by Michelle Dufresne (Falmouth); 44064.3 by Tammy Hennemuth (Falmouth); $4 \times 1$ lap relay, $1: 15.9$ by Falmouth; mile relay, $4: \overline{35.4 \text { by Falmouth. }}$ The energy crisis has not helped participation in our meets, but we are averaging about 70 girls."

The legal scene relating to track has turned up a couple of new items. A judge in Illinois has ruled that girls may participate in non-contact sports with boys only if there is not a girl.'s team in the same sport. Judge Roger Little said students have "no constitutional right to compete against members of the opposite sex, but neither should they be arbitrarily barred from such competitions." In ruling for Diane Sell, a sophomore at Urbana High School, the judge said,"There are no reasonable grounds, based on phychological, physiological, cultural or social differences or for administrative purposes, that Diane Sell, or other girls, should be denied an opportunity to compete with or against boys in the sport of cross country running". The ruling applies only to "noncontact, non-collision" sports in Illinois.

In California, the California Interscholastic Federation has ruled that female high school athletes may compete in AAU competition without forfeiting their eligibility for the first State meet in June or for the sectional championships. However, if a girl runs in an AAU meet representing a club rather than as an unattached athlete, she is no longer eligible for CIF competition. Hmmmm.

Please send results, features, pictures to Richard Ede, 627 N. Indian Hill Blvd, Claremont, California, 91711.

## 1974 USA INDOOR LIST (Continued)

640 Yard Relay ( $4 \times 160$ )
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$1: 13.8 \mathrm{~h}$ (2) New York PAL
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## KALEIDOSCOPE

The Miama-Dade Invitational in Florida on April 6, will be a big meet this year. Contact Eli Gagich, 400 NW 43 rd Place, Miami, Florida, 33126....Target for all invitational meets is the Annual Jaycee Invitational Indoor Meet at Albuquerque. A note from perennial director Ken Hansen says, "We continue to appreciate the women in our meet...the women get the same prizes as the men".....Late "Athlete of the Year" ballot arrived from Marasescu Nicolae of Rumania, and did not change any results but did solidify the first places of Chivas, Schmidt, Pursiainen, Chi Cheng and Stecher.......News release states "thousands of dollars were poured into the Ms Mile at the Olympic Invitational by "Ms" magazine.....NV Times says Francie Larrieu will enter UCLA in the fall....An indoor meet in Victoria, Canada, had the following results in the women's division: 200 mH (27.8), triple jump ( $35^{\prime} 2$ ), pole vault ( $5^{\prime} 0$ ), l2\# hammer ( $68181 / 2$, 16\# hammer ( $46^{\prime} 11$ ). Let's have more info on that 200 m hurdles for the listed world record is $28.5 \ldots$

Chere DeHaven and Melody Lavender compete for the Fort Wayne PAL, not the NY PAL....4th Annual Rotary Relays will be staged April 27 in Manchester, Tènnessee. Contact Winston Wallace, Rt. 6, Box 899, Manchester, Tennessee, 37355......Running twosome at Disneyland recently was Teri Anderson and Tony Waldrop.... How much do sisters Maria Sykora and Liese Prokop dominate Austria's track and field? For 1973, they were $3-4$ in the 200,3 in the 400,2 in the $800,1-4$ in the $100 H, 1$ in the $400 \mathrm{H}, 2-3$ in the high jump, 2-4 in the long jump, 1-4 in the shot put and l-2 in the pentathlon! A fantastic, and very underrated duo......

Pete Pozzoli, who can not understand Americans, writes: "Received today the Japanese ranking list. You will note all details of dates of birth, height, weight, are given in this work produced by one man. Cannot one person in the 240,000 , 000 US citizens be found to do likewise for the women athletes of America?".....Redbook presented a trophy to the Atoms TC for winning the National Indoor title.... Best series by a US citizen for the shot put was turned in by Maren Seidler when she set her new record at Oakland: 54'1114~56'11-53'10-54'3/4-56'4-55'111/2. A great series.....According to Larry Merchant of the NY Post, Don DeNoon predicts Mary Decker will run a 1:53 880 this year. And Mary says she will go under two minutes in her first outdoor appearance.....

A letter from one of our foreign correspondents (who shall remain nameless) writes: "Divorce here and divorce there in your columns! I am 31 and not yet married. Do you have any good prospects among the athletes? I am rather conservative in morale but liberal enough! More good things from Asia? A young lady from Africa, not too young? Latin America, not being coupled to a revolutionary? A Mexican girl wanting to get acquainted with a Norwegian atomic physicist? A US or Canadian girl? I cannot live on cactus alone until my end?" ......Mable and Williamae Fergerson have signed with pro ITA.. ...Rumor has it Wendy Koenig has married. No proof, but a change of address shows Lyle Knudson now living in Loveland, (Colorado, that is)....The Sled Dog Open Indoor Meet in Canada, had 1526 competitors (men and women). Best marks were a 5'0 high jump by 11 year old Michelle Dunlop; Caren Rathie, 15 , ran 25.8 and 57.8 on the 125m track; Joanne McTaggart had a 40.6300 meters.....The University of Miami finally approved athletic scholarships for women. They were awarded 15 scholarships - and received more than 400 applications....The 1979 Oan Am Games have been awarded to San Juan, Puerto Rico ....The 1975 Pan Am Games will be held in May......Another wedding. This time one of our correspondents, Flio Trifari of Italy, now married to Luciana Melone....More names I like: P. Vakamootoo of Mauirtania and Ouch Lay from Cambodia. At an indoor meet in Winnipeg, February 23, Francie Larrieu downed Thelma Wright (Canada) and Ludmila Bragina (USSR) in the 1500 in 4:14.9; Niole Sabaite won the 800 in 2:06.6 and Yvonne Saunders won the 400 over Nadyezhda Kolesnikova 54.0 to 54.7.

## ALLEGHENY INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, February 16:-Beth Harwick cut 10 full seconds off her already speedy mile walk time as she stopped the clocks in 8:46.5 for the top performance at the Allegheny Mountain Association's Senior Indoor Championships.

RESULTS: 50yH, Carla Lange (Latrobe TC) 7.6; 50, Lorraine Pinckney (New Image) 6.4; 220, Lange 29.2; 440, Sue Roehme (MtLeb) 2:30.3; Mile, Marlene Harewicz (MtLeb) 5:28.3; Mile Walk, 1-Beth Harwick (MtLeb) 8:46.5, 2-Amy Novak (Latrobe) 8:59.7; HJ, Cindy Hajnik (GJAC) 5'l; SP, Kim Travers (MtLeb) $40^{\prime}$ l; Team scores, 1-Mt Lebanon 40, 2-Latrobe 30.


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## HOUSTON ASTRO-BELLE RELAYS

Houston, Texas, February 23:-Coach Herman Goldberg and his Astro-belles staged the First Annual Astro-belles Relays on Worthing High School cinder track. Prarie View took the team honors and turned in most of the good performances during the day, but top honors must go to Houston internationalist Susan Armstrong who showed up for the meet on crutches as the result of an ankle injury, talked her coach into letting her throw, took two steps and won with 126'5.

RESULTS: 440 yR , l-Prarie View (Williams, Bruce, Cummings, Sapenter) 47.9, 2-Worthing 50.0; 880, Susan Abernathy (A-B) 2:24.2; 100, Carrol Cummings (PV) 10.9, 2-Audrey Reid (TWU) ll.2; 440, Debra Sapenter (PV) 58.5, 2-Shirley Williams (PV) 59.0; 330yLH, Lena Gibbs (Washington HS) 44.1; 220, Debra Williamson (Worthing) 26.4; Mile, Rhonda Garrison (Ft.Worth) 5:30.0; MileR, PV (Taylor, Wallace, Williams, Sapenter) 4:01. 5; JT, Susan Armstrong (A-B) 126 '3; DT, Jan Little (TWU) 108'2.

## INLAND EMPIRE MEET

Cypress, California, February 23:-The Inland Empire League of the SPAAAU staged a League meeting on the Cypress College all weather track. Clydine Crowder, the National AAU Girl's 400 m hurdles champion, won the 100 m hurdles and the 100 y dash, but lost the 400 m hurdles to Michelle Hopper in 63.6 s .
RESULTS: 14/Over Division; 100mH/100y, Clydine Crowder (LMM) $15.4 / 12.0 ; 400 \mathrm{mH}$, 1-Michelle Hopper (PTC) 63.6, 2-Crowder 65.1; 220, l-Theresa San Agustine (IBC) 27.4, 2-Iynn Hollins (RRR) 27.6; 440, 1-Michelle Hopper 59.7...3-San Agustine 61.2; 880, Hollins 2:23.9; Mile, Hollins 5:29.0; LJ, Karen Ueda (IBC) 17'4\%. $12 / 13$ Division: 100, Kim Ealy (SCC) 12.0 ; 880, l-Penny Bridges (RRR) 2:22.3, 2-Debbie Morelli (LBC) 2:26.6; MileW, l-Becky Villalvaso (RRR) 8:33.8, 2-Liza Metheny (RRR) 8:55.2; Mile, l-Suzie Sanchez (RRR) 5:16.6, 2-Donna Sanchez (RRR) 5:17.9; 2mR, Becky Villalvaso (RRR) Il:56.2; JT/DT, Bea Hunt (RRR) $9^{\prime} 9 / 98^{\prime} 5$; SP, Jackie Nelson (OC) 3818; IJ, Becky Rockliffe (OC) 16'3. 10/11 Division: 50 yH , Tracy Hanlon (LBC) 8.6; MileW, Jessie Waskow (RRR) 9:05.2.

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