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GB Beat Czechoslovakia 119-103 (Men) and 68-67 (Women) at Brno

PAT LOWE TURNS DISASTER INTO TRIUMPH

HIGHLIGHTED on the men's side by Dave Hemery's Commonwealth and UK high hurdles record of 13.6 and on the women's by Pat Lowe's astonishing 400m relay leg, Britain won both her matches against Czechoslovakia here in Brno. The men had 16 points to spare but the girls scraped through by just a single point in as exciting a finale as one could wish for. In addition to Hemery, twelve Britons beat or equalled personal bests: Ian Green, Dave Dear, Bob Adams, Alan Pascoe, Martin Higdon, Tony Wadhams, Bill Tancred, Dave Travis, Nigel Sherlock, Anita Neil, Rita Ridley and Thelwyn Bateman.

Mel Watman Reporting

Saturday, July 5th

MEN

110mH. Czechoslovakia has long been acknowledged as one of the most likely countries in which a sprinter or hurdler could expect to record a fast time. That reputation was strengthened when Dave Hemery was awarded 13.6 and Alan Pascoe 13.7, with the assisting wind well below the allowable at 1.2m/sec. But these magnificent times, which place the British pair among Europe's elite (as is their due), once again emphasise the wide gulf between "British" and "Continental" timekeeping. Just one week earlier, running on Tartan at Crystal Palace with a slightly stronger wind behind him, Hemery was clocked at 14.4. Admittedly he was unpressed on that occasion, whereas in Brno he had his hands full staying ahead of Pascoe, but how can a man improve eight-tenths just like that? I have not been alone these past years in thinking that Grade I British timekeepers, particularly at White City and Crystal Palace, are so scrupulously fair (or severe, depending upon one's attitude) that it is only by going abroad that our sprinters and hurdlers can be credited with times appropriate to their status and ability. It is an unfortunate state of affairs. Anyway, back to the race. It was run in torrential rain and Hemery held a two-foot advantage practically the whole way. Both men bettered Pascoe's pending UK record of 13.8, while Hemery's 13.6 (a Commonwealth record and equal fastest by a European this season) was also superior to his 13.7 in the States last year—a mark that could not be forwarded for ratification as there was no wind gauge. Result: 1, Hemery 13.6; 2, Pascoe 13.7; 3, I. Cierny 14.2; 4, M. Cecman 14.5. Score: GB 8, Cz 3.

PV. Poor Mike Bull; for the second time in a fortnight he failed to register a clearance. At Bergamo he was eliminated at 4.80/15'9", here he made his entrance and exit at 4.60/15'1½". He was criticised by some for not coming in lower, but that is nonsense. His vaulting simply is not geared for anything below 15 feet and in any case the trouble was that he was coming down on to the bar. Mike himself was mystified as well as bitterly disappointed. "I was getting a very good rock back and had plenty of height but the next thing I knew was I was coming down with the bar." The problem appeared to be that he was taking off too far away. Martin Higdon, however, had reason to celebrate. On this his 26th birthday he raised his English "record" to 4.60/15'1½"—same height as the winner. He cleared on his 2nd attempt, the Czechs on their first. Result: 1, eq. P. Jindra & J. Odvarka 4.60/15'1½"; 3, Higdon 4.60; Bull no height. Score GB 10, Cz 11.

100m. The heavy rain dampened the track but not Ian Green's enthusiasm. Making his international debut, the 23-year-old Yorkshireman not only recorded his best legal mark of 10.5 but beat opponents with better times to their credit, thanks to a good start and much determination. Ron Jones, short of training following his recent injury, trailed in 4th place. Result: (+ 0.3m/sec) 1, Green 10.5; 2, V. Jancek 10.5; 3, L. Bohman 10.5; 4, Jones 10.9. Score: GB 16, Cz 16.

400m. The by now very soggy track and the almost right-angled bends were not conducive to fast times. Martin Winbolt Lewis always had the measure of Colin Campbell, entering the straight five yards up and retaining most of it. Result: 1, Winbolt Lewis 47.2; 2, Campbell 47.7; 3, J. Hegyes 48.3; 4, J. Petrlik 48.4. Score: GB 24, Cz 19.

HT: Surprisingly, the circle got slower as it got wetter, but even so Howard Payne's longest throw (his best ever in an international match) came in the final round. While Payne was disposing of 66.78/219'1" performer Josef Hajek, Bruce Fraser did well to win the battle of the second strings. Result: 1, Payne 65.40/214'7" (63.44, 65.08, 64.38, 63.98, 64.34, 65.40); 2, Hajek 64.40/211'3"; 3, Fraser 61.00/200'1"; 4, M. Sebesta 59.40/194'10". Score: GB 31, Cz 23.

LJ: Lynn Davies came up with one of his most modest series and it was not until the 5th round that he took the lead. Result: 1, Davies 7.61/24' 11½" (6.14, —, 7.39, 7.37, 7.58, 7.61); 2, J. Broz 7.43/24'4½"; 3, G. Williams 7.26/23'9½"; 4, M. Hutter 7.20/23'7½". Score: GB 38, Cz 27.

10,000m. A fine start to his international track career by Trevor Wright, whose fluent strides carried him to a 300 yard victory. He drew away from John Caine after the first couple of miles and reached 5000m in 14:19.0 before the humid

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THE WEEK AHEAD

Saturday, July 12th: Southern Counties Championships, at Crystal Palace; English Schools' Championships (2nd day) at Motpur Park; Royal Navy Decathlon (2nd day) at Portsmouth; Welsh Schools' Championships at Brecon; Cardiff to Caernarvon 200M road relay (start); Ashby Trophy at Leamington; Neath H. Open meeting; Coronation Trophy at Woking; Gomersal 15M; Horsham "10"; Cheltenham & County "7"; Old Manor hospital open meeting at Salisbury.

Sunday, July 13th: Cardiff to Caernarvon relay (2nd day); Chiltern League Trophy at Hayes.

Tuesday, July 15th: West Glamorgan Junior League at Swansea.

Wednesday, July 16th: English Schools v. French Schools, at Houghton-le-Spring; Beverley Baxter Trophy, at Broomfield Park; Inter-Services Championships, at Portsmouth; Open graded meeting, at West London Stadium; Devon & Cornwall Constabulary meeting, at Torquay.

Friday, July 18th: Women's AAA Championships, at Crystal Palace (heats).

HOW TO MEASURE FIELD EVENTS

IN order to avoid any possible uncertainty in connection with the measuring of field events the A.A.A. has issued the following statement: When metric tapes are available measurements in field events shall be recorded in metres and centimetres, and shall only be converted to feet and inches for the information of competitors and spectators. When metric tapes are not available, measurements made in feet and inches shall be converted to metres and centimetres before being recorded. Such converted measurements shall be recorded in accordance with Rules 78 (g) and 86, i.e. fractions of a centimetre shall be ignored in all the jumps and in putting the shot; in discus, javelin and hammer the distances shall be recorded to even 2 centimetre units, e.g. 62.44, 62.46.

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A.A.U. Championships Merely Fantastic

John Lusardi reports from Miami, Florida, June 28-29th

VARIOUS unforeseen factors conspired to lower the usually superlative standard of the AAU to merely fantastic. The 81st Championships of the American Athletic Union were dogged by misfortune from the outset and many thought that they should never have been granted to Miami which has never been the venue of any meet of high calibre, much less an AAU. Symptomatic of this was the fact of 36 timekeepers and judges who between them only managed to produce six times per race (occasionally only four!) and could not even manage to decide the order of the last two finishers in eight-man races.

The set-piece of the affair was to have been a mile final where Jim Ryun and Marty Liquori were matched to settle the issue begun at Knoxville. From the gun, however, the unfortunate Kansan was not at all comfortable and following a 61.9 quarter he was last by the 660 point and dropped out only yards later. Nothing has gone right for Jim Ryun since Mexico and such was his mood after this latest incident that many spectators on the US scene seem assured he will retire. Certainly he has never before—even in Mexico—shunned the attentions of the Press so completely, pleading with the encircling vultures to leave him in peace on this single occasion and ultimately retreating in company with wife Ann and Rich Clarkson.

Meanwhile Liquori, after nearly tripping over the infield in his initial surprise and disbelief, ran a wonderfully confident race and never looked in doubt following his strike 330 out. At this point fellow Villanovan Chris Mason held the lead but he faded to finish a still creditable seventh. Chris, who says he would like to settle over here, would still like to run for Britain and has a spot on the European 1500m team especially at heart.

The pole vault proved immensely popular with the 10,000-plus crowd and the enthusiasm engendered must have been a great spur to Bob Seagren who was very unlucky not to become history's first eighteen-footer. On his first effort, at 5.50/18'0 $\frac{1}{4}$ ", he was so close that the crowd was acclaiming him as he lay in the pit when the bar began tumbling and Cordner Nelson gasped, only half joking, "It was that darn three-quarters of an inch that did it". Seagren plans to retire on July 19th, after the US v. USSR v. Commonwealth meet. After that he starts on a television career with his first assignment that of MC on a folk-pop programme.

The meet was one of upsets. The 100 yards battle was one to relish with Charlie Greene matched with John Carlos and Ronnie Ray Smith, but it was instead Ivory Crockett of Missouri who snapped the worsted. A freshman at Southern Illinois University, he won the USTFF but was ineligible for the NCAA because his grades were

too low. America's latest sprint sensation was refused a pair of shoes from "you know who" before the meet because he was so entirely unknown. Carlos took his surprise defeat rather poorly—unlike Greene who went and congratulated the victor—but made amends by streaking to a superb half-second victory in the furlong.

At 26 Jon Cole has never really threatened Al Oerter's title of "greatest discus competitor of all time" but on this occasion he shook Jay Silvester by taking the lead with his final effort. Only 1.79/5'10 $\frac{1}{2}$ " tall Cole is possibly the best "small" thrower in the world and his 63.65/208'10" puts him high on any ranking list. Jay responded very well on this occasion but his final effort was a galling 63.64/208'9". Cole remarked: "This is the first time I've ever beaten Silvester. I just relaxed, took advantage of the wind and gave it all the pull I had."

Another shock came in the shot. Neal Steinhauer reached a superlative 20.52/67'4" in the fifth round and Randy Matson simply could not catch him. Unsympathetic officials ("You'll have to wait a minute. Your grunting as you throw might make the 100y finalists false start!!") hardly helped in this respect though.

100y: (—0.5m) Crockett 9.3, Carlos 9.3, Greene 9.4 (9.3sf), Gray 9.4 (9.2sf), Taylor 9.4 (9.3sf), Hart 9.4 (9.3ht), R. R. Smith 9.4 (9.3sf), Hopkins 9.4 (9.3 ht & sf). Semis: Don Quarrie (Jamaica) 9.3. Heats: Hawken, Pender, Hurd all 9.4.

220y: Carlos 20.2, Randolph 20.7 (20.4ht), Vaughn 20.7 (20.6ht), Scheurer 20.9, Hart 20.9, Bright 21.0 (20.8ht), Hurd 21.1 (20.7ht), Tinker 21.1 (20.6ht). Heats: Gray 20.8, Frey 20.8.

440y: Evans 45.6, Turner 46.0 (45.7ht), Kemp 46.3 (46.2ht), James 46.3 (45.7ht), Elbel 46.4, Van Hofwegen 46.4, Stinson 47.2 (46.2ht), Burnett 47.5 (46.1ht).

880y: (24.4, 51.8) Dyce (Jam) 1:46.6, Luzins 1:46.7, F. Johnson 1:47.0, J. Perry 1:47.8, Sandison 1:47.8, Paul 1:47.9, Winzenried 1:48.5, Schultz 1:50.4 (1:49.4ht).

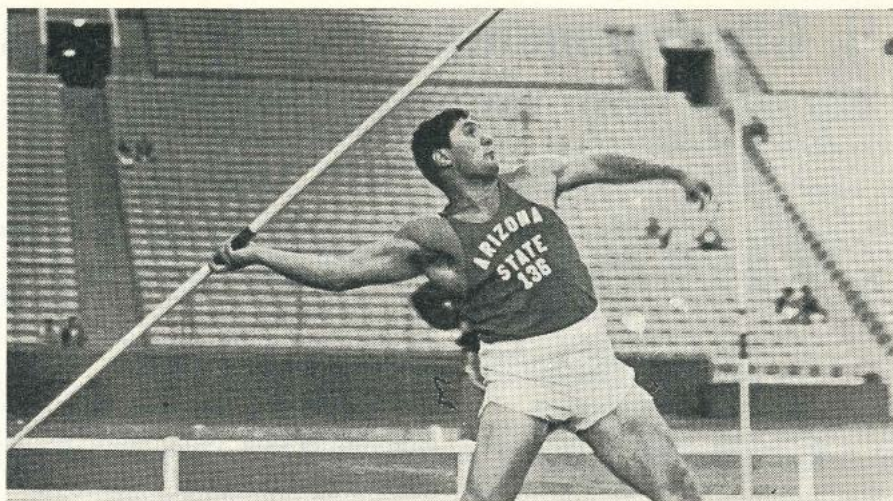
1 Mile: (61.0, 2:08.5, 3:04.7) Liquori 3:59.5, J. Mason 4:00.0, Bair 4:00.2, Day 4:00.9, LaBenz 4:01.7, Kivlan 4:02.5, CHRIS MASON 4:04.5 (4:03.5ht), Lawson 4:06.7 (4:03.2ht).

3M: (4:31.6, 8:57.6) Smith 13:18.4, Lindgren 13:18.4, Martinez (Mex) 13:35.6, Prefontaine 13:43.0, Perez (Mex) 13:44.4, Jobski 13:47.2.

6M: Bacheler 28:12.2, Martinez (Mex) 28:12.6; K. Moore 28:46.4, Shorter 28:52.0, Hoffman 29:00.6.

3000mSC: Manley 8:36.6, Price 8:37.8, Brown 8:49.0, Reilly 8:54.2, Villanueva (Mex) 8:54.2.

120H: Coleman & Davenport 13.3, Hall 13.3, Flowers 13.5, Power 13.5, Carty 13.7, White 13.7, Frederick 13.8.



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440H: Mann 50.1, Lee 50.3, Wood 50.6, Adkins 50.8, Knoke (Aus) 50.9, McCrary 51.2 (51.0ht), Vanderstock 53.7 (50.7ht); Whitney (51.2ht) dnf.
2MW: (6:40.4) Laird 13:31.6, Jim Hanley 14:13.0.

HJ: Burrell 2.16/7'1", Fosbury 2.13/7'0", Brown 2.13, Jourdan 2.13, McGill & C. Johnson 2.08/6'10".

PV: Seagren 5.33/17'6", Pennel 5.18/17'0", Carriagan 5.18, Vaughn 5.03/16'6", Pullard 5.03.

LJ: Beamon 8.20/26'11", Whitley 8.02/26'4", Proctor 7.97/26'2", Shinnick 7.81/25'7½", Hines 7.85/25'7", Royster 7.80.

TJ: Craft 16.08/52'9¼", Tate 16.01/52'6¼", Horn 15.89/52'1½", Prudencio (Brazil) 15.89 . . . 6, Mohinder Singh (India) 15.54/51'0", . . . JOHN VERNON 15.28/50'1¼".

SP: Steinhauer 20.52/67'4", Matson 20.28/66'6½", Salb 19.90/65'3½", Oldfield 19.10/62'8", B. Wilhelm 19.00/62'4", S. Wilhelm 18.93/62'1½".

DT: Cole 63.65/208'10", Silvester 63.64/208'9", Carlsen 62.47/204'11", Vallmer 59.92/196'7", Drescher 59.08/193'10", Kohler 58.90/193'3".

HT: Gage 69.62/228'5", Frenn 69.24/227'2", Connolly 67.89/222'9", Hart 64.52/211'8", Hall 62.31/204'5".

JT: Murro 86.64/284'3", Collins 82.02/269'1", Covelli 79.96/262'4", Sonsky 79.58/261'1", Tipton 78.72/258'3", Stuart 77.39/253'11", JOHN FITZ-SIMONS 77.39/253'11", Skinner 75.90/249'0".

Biggleswade AC are organising their annual cycle and athletics meeting between Luton, Cambridge, Bedford, Kettering, Stevenage, British Timken and Vale of Aylesbury on July 12th at 2 p.m. The following open events will be held Under 13 Boys 880y, 13-15 Boys 880y, and Junior 880y. No entry fee, small prizes, entries on the day.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO ATHENS TRAVELLERS

A number of members of the "AW" party going to Athens in September have not yet notified our travel agents that they require stadium tickets (£10 for the series). If they do not advise the agents, Asset Travel Ltd., 48 Maddox Street, London, W.1 by July 16th, tickets cannot be guaranteed. The number required will be cabled to Athens on July 17th and while a small surplus will be held, only those who have advised their requirements by that time will have tickets reserved for them. "Athletics Weekly" badges with Union Jack are also available at 6d. each and Asset Travel would like to know of those who would like one included with their tickets and documents when sent.

LANCASHIRE JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

At Blackburn, June 28th

3000m: 1, H. Broadbent (Wake) 8:36.8; 2, W. Eldridge (Scun) 8:46.2; 3, G. Murphy (Wirr) 8:46.2; 4, D. Butts (Grimsby) 8:53.2; 5, J. Fox (East Cheshire) 8:55.6; 6, A. Sladen (Salford) 9:05.2. **4x100:** 1, Liverpool H & AC 42.7; 2, Hulme GS 44.0; 3, Pilkington H & AC 44.0. **TJ:** 1, C. Allan (L'pool) 14.15/46'5"; 2, J. Clark (Hulme GS) 12.92/42'4½"; 3, K. Abraham (Unatt) 12.78/41'11". **SP:** 1, J. Alderson (M & C) 16.63/54.6¼"; 2, J. Corbett (Stret) 16.58/54'4¼"; 3, A. Bates (Holbeach) 14.93/49'0"; 4, S. McNally (Denaby) 13.45/44'1¼"; 5, I. Chipchase (NSP) 12.81/42'0¼"; 6, M. Briggs (NSP) 12.40/39'6". **DT:** 1, G. Dirkin (Manch DLCH/Marple HGS-Yth) 52.40/171'11"; 2, J. Corbett (Stret) 46.48/152'6"; 3, Chipchase 44.73/146'9"; 4, Briggs 40.77/133'9".

SCWAAA 4x800m Relay, at Aldershot, May 26th. 1, Barnet & Dist 9:15.2; 2, Cambridge 9:20.6; 3, Aldershot, Farnham & Dist 9:37.8; 4, LOAC 9:49.8.

Road Races

FAST TIMES BY TAGG AND TURNER IN "MILDENHALL 10"

Internationals Mike Tagg and Mike Turner opened up a gap after about 700 yards, and were followed by a bunch which included Prosser, Layton, McIlwaine, and Pringuer. At 5 miles the two Mikes were still together, and the field had been well and truly split on the warm afternoon. Over the final 5 miles, Tagg pulled gradually away to come in the winner by nearly 100 yards.

1. M. Tagg (Norfolk Gazelles)	48.22
2. M. Turner (Liverpool H.C.)	48.35
3. J. Comber (Hamilton AC, NZ)	50.19
4. G. Pringuer (S'gate) 51.07; 5. P. McIlwaine (S'gate) 51.46; 6. M. Prosser (Ilf) 52.40; 7. R. Smith (Camb) 52.53; 8. A. Swindlehurst (Liv) 52.59; 9. H. Starkey (Shaft) 53.00; 10. A. Layton (Luton) 53.07; 11. S. Edwards (Norf) 53.30; 12. G. White (Luton) 54.28; 13. J. Daniels (Norf) 55.18; 14. H. Soper (Luton) 55.38; 15. D. Blount (Kett) 55.44; 16. M. Pringuer (S'gate) 56.10; 17. P. Coleman (Luton) 56.18; 18. L. Gaskin (S'gate) 56.26; 19. J. Moroney (Camb) 56.31; 20. K. Hall (Peterbro') 57.09.	

Teams:

1. Norfolk Gazelles	(1,11,13)	25
2. Southgate H. "A"	(4, 5,16)	25
3. Luton United "A"	(10,12,14)	36
4. Cambridge & Coleridge		49
5. Southgate "B"		72
6. Peterborough		79

HARDEN MOSS FELL RACE

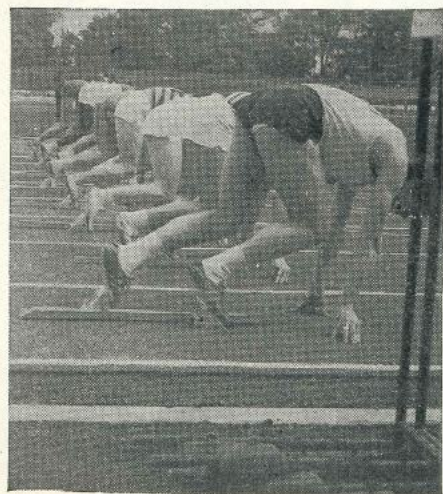
At Holmfirth, nr. Huddersfield, June 21st

1. P. Watson (Bramley & Dist) (8th win)	13.42
2. A. Ladro (Kendal)	13.44
3. T. Proctor (Rochdale)	13.55
4. P. Goodfellow (Stoke) 13.59; 5. S. Hope (Stoke) 14.12; 6. A. Spence (Bingley) 14.28; 7. N. Carrington (Sale) 14.35; 8. D. Anderson (Bing) 14.38; 9. W. Lambert (Long) 14.49; 10. G. Litherland (Stoke) 14.55; 11. M. Curry (Holm) 15.01; 12. J. Norman (Altrin) 15.06; 13. E. Johnson (Stoke) 15.10; 14. T. Ramsden (Holm) 15.11; 15. T. Taylor (Roch) 15.12; 16. G. Hulley (Syn) 15.15; 17. A. Cocking (Bram) 15.20; 18. L. Bailey (Holm) 15.25; 19. P. Covey (Bram) 15.28; 20. G. Moen (Altrin) 15.31. Teams: 1, City of Stoke 19; 2, Bramley & Dist 37; 3, Bingley 37. 40 finished.	

FLEET & CROOKHAM "4"

At Fleet, June 21st

1. R. Ingleton (Portsmouth)	18.36
2. J. Snowden (Surrey)	18.45
3. C. Plumpton (Portsmouth)	18.54
4. W. Weller (Walton) 19.12; 5. P. Freeman (Sy AC) 19.23; 6. B. Bacon (Read) 19.37; 7. J. Sullivan (Herc-Wim) 19.42; 8. D. Dipper (Read) 19.47; 9. T. Buckham (A, F & D) 19.54; 10. K. Ryan (Mit) 19.56; 11. M. Porteous (A, F & D) 20.01; 12. L. Morrish (Mit) 20.03; 13. C. Dabbs (Bel) 20.08; 14. F. Gilson (SLH) 20.13; 15. Lane (Read) 20.15; 16. Pearson (Roy. Eng) 20.29; 17. D. Manning (Mit) 20.37; 18. M. Caudwell (Croy) 20.40; 19. D. Gibson (Ports) 20.53; 20. Clark (SLH) 20.59; 21. Chater (Read) 21.09; 22. Turner (Roy.)	



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Eng) 21.15; 23, Winslade (Ports) 21.24; 24, C. Beauvais (Walton) 21.30; 25, C. Calderwood (Bel) 21.34. **Teams:** 1, Portsmouth 23; 2, Reading 29; 3, Surrey AC 33; 4, Mitcham; 5, Aldershot, F & D; 6, SLH.

CAMBERLEY "5"

At Camberley, June 28th

1. M. Barratt (Ealing)	25.24
2. T. Bivens (Ealing)	25.28
3. I. McIntosh (Ranelagh)	25.34
4, P. Moore (Horsham) 25.52; 5, J. Awcock (Horsham) 25.53; 6, W. Weller (Walt) 25.56; 7, M. Gillett (Mit) 26.07; 8, B. Bacon (Read) 26.13; 9, R. Allen (Read) 26.17; 10, L. Morrish (Mit) 26.18; 11, F. O'Hara (Bel) 26.19; 12, L. Mann (Bel) 26.25; 13, A. Goodwin (Maid) 26.30; 14, M. Grey (Shaft) 26.36; 15, R. Meadows (Ports) 26.39.	
16, A. Codd (SLH) 26.42; 17, A. Pyron (SLH) 26.45; 18, R. Dipper (Read) 26.50; 19, K. Ryan (Mit) 27.02; 20, M. Forteous (Ald) 27.05; 21, A. Horne (Ran) 27.09; 22, J. Lasiford (Horsham) 27.12; 23, A. Weatherill (Port) 27.17; 24, J. Doggett (Walt) 27.28; 25, J. Bull (Ran) 27.33; 26, A. Warren (Eal) 27.40; 27, D. Manning (Mit) 27.45; 28, A. Wale (Port) 27.49; 29, B. Gaskill (Horsham) 27.51; 30, T. Townsend (Port) 27.55.	

Teams:	Pts.
1. Ealing & Southall	(1,2,23) 26
2. Horsham Blue Star	(4,5,19) 28
3. Reading "A"	(8,9,16) 33
4, Mitcham 34; 5, Ranelagh 43; 6, Belgrave 54; 7, Portsmouth "A" 57; 8, Walton 60; 9, South London H. 68; 10, Reading "B" 90.	

HORSUP WINS CHELMSFORD HALF MARATHON

At Chelmsford, June 29th

1. D. Horsup (Thurrock)	68.05
2. A. Reavley (Barnet)	69.55
3. R. Howe (Walthamstow)	71.27
4, A. Mandeville (B'heath) 72.06; 5, C. Haines (B'heath) 72.57; 6, A. Davis (B'heath) 73.52; 7, P. Bryan (Hav) 74.24; 8, M. Prosser (Ilf) 75.39; 9, N. Willis (TVH) 76.04; 10, L. Parrott (Hav) 76.38; 11, K. Haith (Camb H) 76.23; 12, P. Milsom (TVH) 76.58; 13, A. Weeks-Pearson (B'heath) 77.53; 14, T. Ryan (Camden) 78.01; 15, S. Charlton (TVH) 78.46.	
16, R. Bond (Orion) 79.01; 17, J. Butcher (Orion) 79.34; 18, P. Vetterlin (Orion) 79.58; 19, R. Munt (Orion) 80.05; 20, E. Wells (unatt) 80.08; 21, G. Bennison (Bolt) 80.30; 22, M. Tomlins (Orion) 80.42; 23, C. Todd (Met Police) 81.21; 24, P. Filler (Orion) 81.35; 25, C. Burton (Hav) 81.39; 26, G. Sargeant (Ex B) 81.42; 27, D. Trow (Bel) 81.55; 28, S. Lloyd (Ilf) 82.38; 29, A. Sandon (Camb H) 82.46; 30, C. Dixon (Epsom) 83.07.	

Teams:	Pts.
1. Blackheath	9
2. Thames Valley H.	30
3. Havering	35
4, Orion "A" 47; 5, Orion "B" 52; 6, Ilford 57.	

PRESSED STEEL FISHER (COWLEY) "10"

June 28th

1. D. Bedford (Shaftesbury)	46.56
2. M. Edwards (TVH)	47.38
3. J. Taylor (Cov. God)	48.09
4, H. Chadwick (Thames H & H) 48.19; 5, P. Lonnen (Bris) 48.54; 6, M. Childs (AEI Rug) 49.19; 7, M. Thorpe (Cov. God) 49.19; 8, S. Lynch (AEI Rug) 51.11; 9, R. Cressy (Hill) 51.28; 10, M. Moody (Maiden) 51.41; 11, R. Godfrey (Cov. God) 52.05; 12, G. Sutherland (Wycombe Ph) 52.06; 13, M. Rowling (Leam) 52.14; 14, C. Neville (AEI Rug) 52.25; 15, G. David Archer (Hill) 53.10; 16, T. Lane (Read) 53.19; 17, A. Jenkerson (Oxford) 53.25; 18, P. Milroy (Salf) 53.30; 19, D. Ford (Bris) 53.34; 20, G. Davies (Spark) 53.38; 21, G. Stodgen (Herc-Wim) 53.47; 22, R. Evans (Hamil) 54.37; 23, D. Raven (Hill) 55.17; 24, A. Clegg (Oxford City) 55.39; 25, J. Anderson (Croydon) 55.53; 26, D. Deane (Maiden) 56.08; 27, B. Joines (Oxford City) 56.25; 28, P. Hart (North'ton & Cty) 57.00; 29, M. Dunhill (Oxford City) 57.27; 30, B. Corcoran (Ver) 57.45.	
Teams: 1, Coventry Godiva 21; 2, AEI Rugby 28; 3, Hillingdon 47; 4, Oxford City 73.	



Mike Baxter (2) leads from John Jackson in Northern 5000m championship. Baxter won in 13:52.0.

Eric North

MARGATE "10"

June 21st

1. I. Macmillan (Invicta) (rec) 50.27
2. I. Wilson (Blackheath) 51.15
3. R. Hayman (Medway) 52.40
4. A. Davis (B'ht) 53.06; 5. C. Ward (Thurr) 53.35; 6. K. Marshall (Dart) 53.56; 7. E. Pepper (B'ht) 54.00; 8. D. Townsend (Inv) 54.13; 9. A. Hutton (Ton) 54.30; 10. A. Prowse (Ton) 54.31; 11. A. Whiting (Med) 54.44; 12. R. Reeves (Inv-J) 54.45; 13. J. Fowler (Med) 54.53; 14. G. Standen (Med) 55.27; 15. C. Newman (Med) 55.30; 16. J. Cassell (Dart) 55.48; 17. D. Wade (B'ht) 56.13; 18. D. Macken (Poly) 56.14; 19. M. Sharp (B & H) 57.08; 20. W. Coe (Inv) 57.15. **Teams:** 1, Blackheath 13; 2, Medway 27; 3, Invicta 29; 4, Tonbridge 40; 5, Invicta "B" 60; 6, Blackheath "B" 77.

WHITTLESEY SHOW "10"

At Whittlesey, June 21st

1. H. Leeming (Derby & County) 50.08
2. D. Rhodes (Derby & County) 50.24
3. G. Lawrence (Derby & County) 51.47
4. R. Cressy (Hillingdon) 52.28; 5. G. Astill (Notts) 52.45; 6. F. Bates (Leam) 54.15; 7. G. Phipps (Leam-Vet) 54.15; 8. M. Rowling (Leam) 54.29; 9. R. Moore (Notts) 54.32; 10. C. Woodward (Leam) 54.34; 11. J. Burney (Notts) 54.36; 12. R. Smith (Cam & Col-Vet) 54.38; 13. A. Toseland (Kett) 54.50; 14. A. Carr (Leam) 54.54; 15. R. Picketsley (Notts) 55.06; 16. B. Jeffs (Cam & Col) 56.14; 17. D. Gartside (Hunt) 56.23; 18. D. Smith (Kett-Vet) 57.10; 19. G. Wright (P'boro) 57.14; 20. J. Moroney (Cam & Col-Vet) 57.19. **Teams:** 1, Derby & County 6; 2, Leamington 19; 3, Notts 20; 4, Cambridge & Coleridge 40; 5, Peterborough 50; 6, Kettering Town 50. Veteran: Phipps.

WINSFORD 7 MILES ROAD RACE

June 28th

The early leaders were a bunch of twelve, including Robinson, Hope, Entwistle, Egerton and Austin. At 3 miles Hope and Robinson broke and opened up a gap which they maintained until a mile from home when Colin Robinson strode away to win with comparative ease, 29 seconds outside the course record, while Hope faded to tenth. Over 100 runners started, of which only 82 finished.

1. C. Robinson (Rochdale) 32.59
2. N. Carrington (Sale) 33.20
3. T. Proctor (Rochdale) 33.24
4. M. Craven (Ken) 33.36; 5. R. Brown (Pem) 33.38; 6. A. Walsham (Sal) 33.46; 7. L. Austin (Stoke) 33.56; 8. J. Newcombe (Staff) 33.57; 9. B. Goulden (Sale) 34.01; 10. S. Hope (Stoke) 34.15; 11. R. Profit (Ply) 34.26; 12. P. Egerton (Stoke) 34.30; 13. G. Brockbank (M & D) 34.39; 14. S. Hardicker (Man) 34.40; 15. J. Richardson (Sale) 34.57.
16. D. Jeffs (Wirral) 35.00; 17. D. Farmer (Sale) 35.11; 18. G. Entwistle (M & D) 35.28; 19. Cranny (Wirral) 35.40; 20. A. Johnson (Staffs Police) 36.00; 21. R. Wood (Warr) 36.15; 22. D. Shawcross (Wirral) 36.15; 23. S. Keech (M & D) 36.26; 24. R. Elliott (Mid-Ches) 36.34; 25. T. Miles (Rhyl) 36.45; 26. E. Sumsion (Wirral) 36.52; 27. B. Boxen (Man YMCA) 37.03; 28. N. Jones (Warr) 37.03; 29. K. Bartlem (Stoke) 37.03; 30. S. Faris (Alt) 37.14.

Teams:

1. Sale (2, 9, 15) 26
2. Stoke (7, 10, 12) 29
3. Rochdale (1, 3, 43) 47
4. Manchester & Dist LC 54; 5. Wirral 57; 6. Salford 76; 7. Stafford 92; 8. Manchester YMCA 99; 9. Warrington 108; 10. Altrincham 115.

Pts.

Barrows and Smith were the Stars

IN SOUTHERN JUNIOR & YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIPS (Part 2)

At Crystal Palace, July 5th

BOTH 800m races lived up to all the promise of the heats, and fast times abounded. First off, the Youth event saw Barry Smith grab the pole position with 500m to run, and lead at the bell in 56.4. Worthing's David O'Donnell scrambled past along the back straight, but Smith closed to within a yard on the final bend and bulldozed ahead along the straight for a narrow win in 1:54.3. A 57.2 bell had everyone bunched into the final 300m in the Junior race, before Bill Barrows decided to claim his property and dashed ahead. Mick Gordon's belated kick caught Barrows 30m from home, but Bill kept his chest in front as they charged through the string together; while darkhorse Tony Martin finished a bitterly disappointed fifth. Five boys under 2:50.0 made the 1000mSC final a loaded event, but more notable was Roy Williams smouldering pace (58.7, 2:06.6!) before folding at the final water-jump,

and allowing Kevin Williams through to win, and John Davies to sprint desperately into second place. Both Dennis's—Paul and Ford—warmed up for the ESAA Championships by scoring fine victories, though Paul Pinnington (nearest the judges of course!) became another victim of a disputed decision this year by being placed third. The 1500's were fast and furious—Phil Banning burning off his opponents early as usual and David Miller outkicking Bob Weatherley in the youth event. Steve Chappell pushed Stuart Tufton all the way in the pole vault, and also encouraging was the high standard in a fine long jump contest, in which Kenneth Cocks hit seven metres twice.

D.C.**Juniors**

- 100m:** 1, F. Dennis (M'fid) 10.8 (Ch BP); 2, R. Griffiths (St. & NH) 11.1 (10.9 sf); 3, P. Pinnington (BoE) 11.1 (11.0 ht); 4, S. White (Bel) 11.2 (11.0 sf); 5, S. Penn (HHH) 11.3 (11.2 sf); 6, M. Winyard (Berk'std) 11.3; 7, J. King (W, S & E) 11.3; 8, D. Burnett (QPH) 11.4 (11.3 sf).

400m: 1, M. Chart (S'gate) 49.5; 2, R. Morrison (Eton) 49.6; 3, C. Leonard (Ply) 50.4; 4, C. Butler (Hayes) 51.1; 5, J. Smith (H'gate) 51.1; 6, M. Caldwell (S'bury) 51.7; 7, P. Lloyd (St. Alb) 52.0; 8, C. Burden (S'ton) 52.2.

800m: (57.2 bell) 1, W. Barrows (Camb) 1:53.0; 2, M. Gordon (H'gate) 1:53.0; 3, R. Martin (Walt) 1:54.0; 4, A. Owers (Whitgift S) 1:55.6; 5, P. A. Martin (Dulwich C) 1:56.6; 6, I. Graham (Bedford MS) 1:56.8; 7, S. Harvey (Thurr) 1:57.1; 8, K. Browning (Walt) 1:57.5; 9, M. Boxall (Hav) 1:57.6; 10, H. Anderson (Ilf) 1:58.2.

1500m: (58.2, 61.4, 63.8, 47.3) 1, P. Banning (And) 3:50.7 (Ch BP); 2, E. Williams (C & C) 3:58.1; 3, B. Slocombe (Her-Wim) 3:58.1; 4, M. Brameld (Medway) 3:58.6; 5, M. O'Hara (Horn) 4:00.9; 6, K. Kitson (B & H) 4:01.5; 7, A. Butcher (Batt Gram) 4:04.6; 8, C. Tilley (Hav) 4:07.7; 9, J. Hamilton (Bel) 4:11.9.

3000m: (4:15.0 at 1500m) 1, P. Dennis (Norf. Oly) 8:28.6 (Ch BP); 2, Grenville Tuck (C & C) 8:30.6; 3, C. Reed (Hadleigh O) 8:30.8; 4, Graham Tuck (C & C) 8:33.4; 5, B. Ford (A, F & D) 8:37.2; 6, W. Domoney (Haywards H) 8:41.8; 7, A. Davies (Medway) 8:42.0; 8, S. Sharratt (Luton) 8:42.2; 9, P. Adams (A, F & D) 8:42.2; 10, P. Hart (Andover) 8:54.2; 11, K. Brothers (Feltham) 8:59.0; 12, T. Crabb (Eton Man) 9:00.0.

4x100m: 1, Tulse Hill S. 43.4 (43.4 ht); 2, Borough of Enfield 43.4; 3, Berkhamsted S. 43.7 (43.5 ht); 4, QPH 44.2 (44.1 ht); 5, Mitcham 44.7 (44.4 ht); 6, Southgate 44.7; 7, Shaftesbury 45.7 (45.4 ht); 8, TVH 45.8.

3000mW: 1, R. Evans (B & H) 14:05.0 (Ch BP); 2, S. Gower (Ex. Bgls) 14:17.0; 3, D. Saunders (B & H) 14:27.4; 4, P. Duckett (Shene CGS) 14:45.8; 5, R. Browning (Ex. Bgls) 14:52.0; 6, S. Chance (QEGS) 15:07.8; 7, K. Turner (Braintree CHS) 15:15.6.

PV: 1, S. Tufton (Newham) 4.20/13'9½"; (Ch BP); 2, S. Chappell (Dr. Chall) 4.20 (Ch BP); 3, R. Reeves (New) 3.60/11'9½"; 4, W. Robinson (M'fld) 3.50/11'5½"; 5, R. Griffiths (S'ton) 3.50; 6, D. Hutchinson (Cavendish S) 3.36/11'0¼".

LJ: 1, K. Cocks (St. Austell) 7.00/22'11½"; 2, M. Johnson (Stanboro) 6.91/22'8"; 3, L. Sullivan (Bel) 6.85/22'5½" w (6.71/22'0¼"); 4, D. Cole (QPH) 6.81/22'4½"; 5, S. White 6.80/22'3½"; 6, D. Burnett (QPH) 6.79/22'3½".

TJ: 1, R. Edwards (Horn) 14.06/46'1½"; 2, Johnson 14.05/46'1½"; 3, A. Drayton (Eastleigh) 13.79/45'3"; 4, G. Johnson (Woodford Grn) 13.74/45'1"; 5, M. Begon (S'gate) 12.58/44'6½"; 6, J. Jenkins (Erith) 12.23/43'5".

SP: 1, D. Wood (Exeter) 16.64/54'7½"; 2, D. Rough (Mit) 15.44/50'8"; 3, M. Elliott (Camb) 14.82/48'7½"; 4, C. Culley (N'gate GS) 14.52/47'7½"; 5, F. Pysk (Taunton) 14.26/46'9½"; 6, K. Kazmierczak (Hill) 13.90/45'7½".

DT: 1, P. Jones (Ep/Ewe) 44.20/145'0"; 2, Pysk 43.22/141'9"; 3, Culley 42.94/140'10"; 4, M. Burford (Camb & D) 41.28/135'5"; 5, N. King (Ports) 34.92/130'11"; 6, S. Rimmer (Ep/Ewe) 37.10/121'0".

JT: 1, M. Gavrilovic (Holland PS) 60.56/198'8"; 2, D. Sheppard (Walt) 58.36/191'5"; 3, A. Harper

(Jersey/M'fld) 57.52/188'8"; 4, N. Schofield (Read) 56.80/186'4"; 5, B. Drewett (Sy) 51.76/169'10"; 6, J. Diebel (W, S & E) 50.90/167'0".

Youths

100m: (— 1.5m) 1, E. Witton Davies (Oxford) 11.5 (11.3 sf); 2, E. Biggs (TVH) 11.5 (11.3 sf); 3, F. Gordon (M'brook) 11.5 (11.4 sf); 4, A. Gershuny (TVH) 11.7 (11.4 sf); 5, B. Laws (TVH) 11.7; 6, R. Wilkins (Hayes SS) 11.8 (11.5 sf).

400m: 1, C. Clemas (Wood Grn) 50.6; 2, P. Angel (S'ton) 50.9; 3, K. Bynoe (S'gate) 51.2; 4, I. Mitchell (N'fleet BS) 51.8; 5, P. Judd (S'ton) 52.2; 6, S. Pounder (BoE) 52.2; 7, P. Hollier (S'gate) 52.5.

800m: (56.4 bell) 1, B. Smith (Thurr) 1:54.3 (Ch BP); 2, D. O'Donnell (Worthing) 1:54.5; 3, I. Whittle (Luton) 1:55.1; 4, P. Weedon (Wycombe Ph) 1:55.7; 5, W. Taylor (Tom Hood SHS) 1:57.7; 6, P. Kitchenside (Bel) 1:58.7; 7, P. Bray (Croydon) 1:59.7; 8, C. Harris (S'ton) 2:00.0; 9, J. Barrow (TVH) 2:00.7.

1500m: (63.7, 64.3, 64.3, 49.0) 1, D. Miller (Felt-ham) 3:58.4; 2, R. Weatherley (Bracknell) 3:59.4; 3, P. Gregory (Horn) 4:00.6; 4, C. Godsall (Ton-bridge) 4:03.8; 5, J. Goater (Shaft) 4:03.8; 6, W. Curtin (Bel) 4:08.5; 7, J. Stow (Bel) 4:09.1; 8, N. Gates (West/Bath S) 4:09.7; 9, M. Puddifoot (TVH) 4:13.5.

3000m: (4:21.4 at 1500m) 1, D. Butler (Fel) 8:53.4 (Ch BP); 2, M. Webb (Har) 8:56.4; 3, A. Goldsmith (Norf. Oly) 9:21.6; 4, N. Jeffrey (S'ton) 9:28.8; 5, M. Woods (St. Jos) 9:31.4; 6, P. Francis (Walt) 9:35.4.

1000mSC: 1, K. Williams (C & C) 2:43.0 (Ch BP); 2, J. Davies (TVH) 2:43.9; 3, R. Williams (Woodford Grn) 2:45.4; 4, S. Galloway (St. John's C) 2:48.5; 5, J. Ovenden (TVH) 2:49.1; 6, S. Tapping (Hill) 2:57.0; 7, S. Martin (Ex. B) 3:00.5; 8, R. McMullin (Shaft) 3:04.1.

100mH: 1, L. Thompson (Unatt) 14.0; 2, R. Parker (S'ton) 14.1; 2, G. King (Witchford S) 14.1; 4, D. Danvers (Wm. Penn/HHH) 14.2; 5, K. Johnson (E/E) 15.0 (14.8 ht); 6, R. Tallis (HHH) 15.1 (14.8 ht). In Hts: G. Peckham (E/E) 14.5.

4x100m: 1, Thames Valley H. 44.4; 2, Oxford City 44.6; 3, Woodford Grn 44.7; 4, Southampton 45.5; 5, Southgate 45.9 (45.3 ht); 6, Stan-borough S 46.1 (45.9 ht). QPH (44.8 ht) dnf; Tulse Hill (45.6 ht) disq.

HJ: 1, W. Eglinton (E & S) 1.73/5'8"; 2, D. Davey (Chelm) 1.71/5'7½"; 3, R. Gardner (Had) 1.67/5'6"; 4, R. Morrison (Berk'std) 1.65/5'5"; 5, P. Bond (Ply) 1.65/5'5"; 6, R. Hunt (BoE) 1.60/5'3".

SP: 1, S. Purdy (Sevenoaks S) 15.58/51'1½"; 2, A. Satchwell (Jersey) 15.24/50'0"; 3, D. Maloney (Twick) 13.80/45'3½"; 4, J. Holford (Bryanston S) 13.70/44'11½"; 5, S. Bull (S'gate) 13.32/43'8½"; 6, M. Hacking (Berk'std) 12.94/42'5½".

DT: 1, J. Turton (Reading) 58.36/191'5"; 2, Satchwell 53.56/175'8"; 3, Maloney 52.78/173'2"; 4, A. Makuski (Herc-Wim) 51.50/168'11"; 5, D. Croxon (C & C) 49.08/161'0"; 6, P. Sharman (TVH) 47.34/155'3". Non Qual: M. Hickey (Stan-boro) 46.54/152'8"; K. Lasie (Craw) 45.62/149'8".

SCOTLAND

FAIRBROTHER WINS 13th NATIONAL TITLE

Scottish Championships, at Grangemouth, June 27th/28th. Ian McCafferty was an absentee through injury while Lachie Stewart decided to go only in the 5000. A dry breeze favoured the sprinters and jumpers on the Saturday. Friday's 10,000 was taken by Fergus Murray, who broke away from Don McGregor after they passed the 5000m mark together in 14:37.2. Fergus, running confidently, won by 120y in 29:34.2, while Alastair Wood came through to fill third place. Hawkhill's Alastair Nicholson took the Junior 400mH in 57.0, while another performer of note on the first day was Hamish Robertson in the triple. Saturday's 3000mSC provided a shock, with holder Gareth Bryan-Jones just holding on to win from Alister Blamire, both clocking 8:46.2, after Bryan-Jones had broken early in the final lap and looked an easy winner. Lachie Stewart took the 5000 easily as expected, clocking 14:09.6, but Craig Douglas had to fight all the way to beat Barrow, Bradley and Weatherhead before he won the 1500. Ray Gordon and Mike McLean were comfortable winners of both 400 and 800. Tony Hogarth kept his high hurdles title, while in the 400mH, Andy Webb upset the form-book by beating the favourite Ricky Taylor (18). To celebrate his 48th British vest Crawford Fairbrother won the high jump for the 13th time in a row... a wonderful performance in itself. Hamish Robertson completed his double by taking the long jump, and David Stevenson made a welcome return in the pole vault. Among the juniors, John Cherry's

1:53.7 win in the 800 was outstanding.

100m: 1, D. Halliday (RAF) 10.6; 2, B. Nottage (Ab. Un) 10.6; 3, L. Piggott (Gars) 10.7; 4, I. Turnbull (Ab. Un) 10.8; 5, M. Forest (Bally) 10.9; 6, J. Williams (B'houston) 11.2.

200: 1, Forest 21.8; 2, Turnbull 22.2; 3, C. Murdoch (B'houst) 22.5; 4, P. Hepburn (Vic. Pk) 22.7.

400: 1, R. Gordon (ESH) 48.6; 2, A. Wood (VP) 49.4; 3, E. Mason (Ed. Un) 50.3; 4, I. Walker (Glas) 50.3; 5, R. Laurie (VP) 51.0; 6, J. Stewart (Ayr Sea) 51.0.

800: 1, M. McLean (B'houst) 1:51.5; 2, G. Grant (Heriot W) 1:53.2; 3, R. Billson (Ayr) 1:54.2; 4, A. McDonald (Gars) 1:54.2; 5, S. Wilson (RUC) 1:54.2; 6, R. Campbell (Forth V) 1:55.6.

1500: 1, J. Douglas (ESH) 3:50.2; 2, H. Barrow (Vic. Pk) 3:50.3; 3, M. Bradley (Pais) 3:50.8; 4, A. Weatherhead (H. Watt) 3:51.2; 5, H. Gorman (Spring) 3:54.2; 6, C. Martin (Dumb) 3:58.9.

5000: 1, L. Stewart (Shett) 14:09.6; 2, R. Wedlock (Shett) 14:24.4; 3, R. McKay (M'well) 14:30.4; 4, W. Scally (Shett) 14:40.8; 5, E. Knox (S'burn) 14:40.8; 6, S. Taylor (A'deen) 14:43.8.

10,000: 1, F. Murray (Edin. SH) 29:34.2; 2, D. McGregor (Edin SH) 29:54.4; 3, A. Wood (A'deen) 30:25.4; 4, A. Matson (Edin SH) 30:56.8; 5, P. MacLagan (Vic. Pk) 31:06.8; 6, J. Leggatt (Clydes) 31:30.6.

110H: 1, W. Hogarth (Octav) 14.6; 2, N. Winter (B'head) 14.9; 3, L. Pennycook (Gars) 15.0; 4, G.

THE COUNTY BOROUGH OF SOLIHULL A.C.

invite Entries for a

YOUNG ATHLETES MEETING

(Under A.A.A. and W.A.A.A. Laws)

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 13th, 1969

AT TUDOR GRANGE PARK, SOLIHULL
starting at 11.0 a.m.

BOYS: 100m, 200m, 800m, 4x100m Relay, Javelin, High Jump, Long Jump.

YOUTHS: 100m, 400m, 1500m, 1000m 'Chase, 4x100m Relay, Javelin, Triple Jump, Long Jump, High Jump.

JUNIOR WOMEN: 100m, 200m, 800m, 4x100m Relay, 80yds Hurdles, Javelin, Discus, Long Jump.

INTERMEDIATES: 100m, 200m, 400m, 4x100m Relay, 80m Hurdles, Javelin, Discus, Long Jump, High Jump.

Entry Fees: 3/- per Individual Event, 8/- per Relay Team.

Entries: On Official forms only, Close 25th August, 1969.

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Brown (B'houst) 15.3; 5, H. Stevenson (Edin U) 15.3; 6, P. Ley (Sy AC) 15.6.

400H: 1, A. Webb (Edin Un) 54.0; 2, R. Taylor (Ayr-J) 54.7; 3, Ley 55.0; 4, T. Alardice (Shorts) 57.0; 5, J. Togher (Edin SH) 59.1.

7MW: 1, W. Sutherland (H'gate) 49:57.6 (Ch BP); 2, J. Kirk (Trow) 50:46.0; 3, A. Buchanan (A. Scott) 50:57.0; 4, A. Ross (H'gate) 51:28.0; 5, R. Coates (Bel) 55:22.0; 6, J. Telford (H'gate) 55:50.0.

3000mSC: 1, G. Bryan-Jones (Edin SH) 8:46.2 (Ch BP); 2, A. Blamire (Edin U) 8:46.2 (Ch BP); 3, W. Ewing (A'den) 9:01.6; 4, W. Mullett (Shett) 9:06.6; 5, J. Morrison (Irvine YM) 9:24.0; 6, C. Pennington (W'field) 9:24.4.

HJ: 1, C. Fairbrother (Vic. Pk) 1.98/6'6"; 2, D. Wilson (Forr. Sch-J) 1.87/6'1½"; 3, D. Guild (Hawk) 1.82/5'11½"; 4, D. Beck (JTC) 1.82; 5, D. Cunningham (Heriot W) 1.82; 6, R. Bruynooghe (Edin Un) 1.77/5'9½".

PV: 1, D. Stevenson (Octav) 4.43/14'6½"; 2, S. Seale (Edin U) 4.00/13'1½"; 3, S. McCallum (Glas Un) 3.35/11'0"; 4, I. Dobson (HW Un) 3.35; 5, R. Williamson (HW) 3.35.

LJ: 1, H. Robertson (B'houston) 7.06/23'2"; 2, D. Kidner (TVH) 6.90/22'7½"; 3, A. Forster (Glas) 6.80/22'3½"; 4, P. Burgess (Octav) 6.74/22'1½".

TJ: 1, Robertson 14.79/48'6½"; 2, D. McKechnie (Edin SH) 13.90/45'7½"; 3, L. Mear (Edin) 13.86/45'5½"; 4, G. McDonald (Pitreevie) 13.50/44'3½".

SP: 1, G. McHugh (B'houst) 16.20/53'1½"; 2, A. Sutherland (Edin) 14.21/46'7½"; 3, J. Scott (G. Pol) 13.65/44'9½".

DT: 1, A. Black (Edin SH) 45.54/149'5"; 2, Sutherland 42.37/139'0"; 3, D. Clerk (Ab'deen U) 41.73/136'11"; 4, D. Edmunds (Strath) 41.48/136'1".

HT: 1, L. Bryce (Strath) 57.94/190'1"; 2, E. Johnston (RAF) 54.53/178'11"; 3, C. Black (Edin SH) 53.21/174'7"; 4, R. Nicoll (Army) 45.34/148'9".

JT: 1, V. Mitchell (LAC) 65.05/213'5"; 2, D. Birkmyre (Vic Pk) 64.03/210'1"; 3, D. Fowle (Ab'deen Un) 61.24/200'11"; 4, I. Percy (Strath U) 52.25/171'5".

Juniors

100m: 1, B. Abbott (VP) 10.7; 2, W. Bell (Ayr S) 11.0; 3, H. Corrie (Glas Un) 11.0. **200:** 1, R. Taylor (Ayr) 22.1; 2, Abbott 22.3; 3, T. Renwick (Ed SH) 22.9. **400:** 1, Renwick 49.4; 2, G. Cameron (VP) 50.1; 3, G. Reid (Kilm) 51.2. **800:** 1, J. Cherry (Spring) 1:53.7; 2, C. Sandison (Edin) 1:54.8; 3, I. Scales (Airdrie) 1:54.9. **1500:** 1, J. Brolly (Shett) 4:01.2; 2, J. Lees (Edin) 4:03.6; 3, R. McLean (Shett) 4:05.9. **110H:** 1, D. Wilson (Forr) 14.9; 2, R. Robertson (B'houst) 15.2; 3, A. Miller (Lenzie) 15.4. **400H:** 1, A. Nicholson (Hawk) 57.0; 2, R. Williamson (HW) 58.6; 3, R. Clark (Hutch GS) 59.6. **HJ:** 1, Wilson 1.90/6'3" (Ch BP); 2, R. Fisher (VP) 1.78/5'10"; 3, M. Norval (Kilm) 1.75/5'9". **PV:** R. Williamson (HW) 3.31/10'10½". **LJ:** 1, I. Anderson (VP) 6.71/22'0¼"; 2, A. Dougall (B'houst) 6.53/21'5½"; 3, J. Fleck (S'Tay) 6.30/20'8". **TJ:** 1, S. Dick (Morr) 13.85/45'5½"; 2, A. Donnett (Hawk) 13.71/44'11½". **SP:**

1, P. Joseph (Kelv) 14.36/47'1½"; 2, G. Davidson (Edin) 14.20/46'7". **DT:** 1, Davidson 47.70/156'6"; 2, J. McGowan (L/Spart) 42.09/138'1"; 3, G. Tyrie (A'den) 40.44/132'8". **HT:** 1, T. Campbell (B'houst) 50.29/165'0"; 2, Davidson 45.95/150'9"; 3, McGowan 43.79/143'8". **JT:** P. McKie (Ayr S) 47.78/156'9".

Youths

100m: 1, H. Gillespie (Gars) 11.3; 2, W. Tan-nock (Kilm) 11.4; 3, A. Burns (Air) 11.4. **200:** 1, J. McWhinnie (G. Wat) 23.4; 2, R. Davenport (G. Her) 23.8; 3, I. Russell (Bell) 24.4. **400:** 1, R. Davenport (G. Her) 53.7; 2, A. Jenkins (Mid-Ann) 53.7. **800:** 1, J. McGill (B'urn) 1:57.8; 2, D. McMeekin (VP) 1:58.5; 3, G. Kennedy (Law) 2:02.1. **1500:** 1, R. McDonald (Monk) 4:01.4; 2, F. Clement (B'houst) 4:02.0; 3, J. Brown (Bell) 4:08.1. **100H:** 1, F. Ballantyne (L. Sp) 14.5; 2, T. Taylor (Ayr) 14.7; 3, I. Waddell (B'Hav) 15.0. **HJ:** 1, L. Smith (V. Leven) 1.67/5'5½"; 2, I. Strachan (B'hav) 1.63/5'4½"; 3, R. Moffatt (Kirk) 1.63. **LJ:** 1, D. Strathdee (Stir) 6.65/21'9½"; 2, E. Kerr (FV) 6.32/20'9"; 3, J. Bone (A. Scott) 6.27/20'7". **TJ:** K. Allan (Dalkeith HS) 12.85/42'2". **SP:** 1, A. Latto (Kirk) 13.95/45'9½"; 2, A. Miller (Lenzie) 13.15/43'2"; 3, J. Crane (Len) 13.08/42'11". **DT:** 1, N. Sandilands (Edin) 51.16/167'10"; 2, C. Watson (VP) 44.78/146'11"; 3, S. Grice (G. Her) 43.89/144'0". **JT:** 1, P. Blyth (B'haven) 47.91/157'2"; 2, D. Fowler (Forth V) 46.76/153'5"; 3, D. Walker (C. Wat) 45.92/150'8".

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MIDLAND JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

At Leicester, June 28th

100m: (— 1.6m) 1, T. Rodwell (W & B) 11.1; 2, A. Hadley (Birch) 11.2 (11.1 ht); 3, K. Croydon (W & B) 11.3; 4, T. Stockil (Malvern C) 11.4; 5, K. Atkins (Birch) 11.5; 6, C. Monk (Leics) 11.8.

200: (headwind) 1, Croydon 22.7; 2, P. Walsh (Lei Cor) 22.9 (22.7 ht); 3, R. Saunders (Broms & Redd) 23.3; 4, Atkins 23.4; 5, Stockil 24.0 (23.7 ht); Rodwell (22.4) disqualified.

400: 1, J. Caines (Birch) 49.5; 2, M. Mills (Sm. Hth) 50.1; 3, R. Evans (Leics. Cor) 50.3; 4, A. Burton (Kett) 50.7; 5, D. Caro (Birch) 52.1 (51.3 ht); 6, A. Mallard (Kettering) 52.8 (51.7 ht). In Hts: A. Beesley (Per) 51.3; A. Odurny (Glos) 51.7.

800: 1, J. Cadman (Cov God) 1:54.4; 2, R. Smedley (Jn. Willmott) 1:55.4; 3, T. Colton (Work-sop-Yth) 1:57.3; 4, M. Watkins (Birch) 1:59.2; 5, P. Derlacki (Work-sop) 2:00.1 (1:58.3 ht); 6, M. Bissell (Bablake) 2:03.5 (1:58.8 ht). R. Stirling (W & B) 1:58.5 ht, scratched.

3000: 1, J. Boggis (Birch) 8:18.6 (Ch. BP); 2, J. Kendrick (Sm. Hth) 8:21.2; 3, J. Hirons (Ulla-thorne) 8:26.6; 4, S. Barnes (Cov. God) 8:41.4; 5, R. Edwards (Broms & Redd) 8:42.6; 6, G. Page (W & B) 8:46.4; 7, P. Walker (Newcastle) 8:50.0; 8, J. Pope (Glos) 8:51.6; 9, N. Jackson (Newcastle) 8:55.8; 10, S. McHale (Glos) 8:56.2; 11, B. Brooks (Sm Hth) 9:00.8; 12, A. Calder (Malvern C) 9:09.0.

400mH: 1, M. Williams (Glos) 57.8; 2, B. Ken-worthly (Oakham) 59.6; 3, R. Godfrey (Cov. God) 65.7.

5000mW: 1, P. Belcher (Leics WC) 15:25.2; 2, P. Owen (RSCF) 15:34.4.

2000mSC: 1, J. Wheway (Cov. God) 5:52.4; 2, I. White (Sm. Hth) 5:55.0; 3, M. Jones (Ulla-thorne) 5:56.4; 4, T. Litherland (Stoke) 6:05.8; 5, A. Clarke (Corby) 6:12.2; 6, I. Garner (Leics C) 6:23.8; 7, J. Smith (Glos) 6:30.2.

HJ: C. Day (Cov. God) 1.64/5'4½".

PV: S. Ginns (Birch) 3.15/10'4".

JT: 1, Ginns 53.58/175'9"; 2, P. Reddall (Leam)

53.24/174'8"; 3, P. Sherlock (Stoke) 52.40/171'11"; 4, G. Sherwood (Wellinbro) 50.44/165'6"; 5, T. Fisher (Gloucs) 50.36/165'2".

Youths

200m: 1, A. Hadley (Birch) 22.5 (Ch. BP); 2, G. Dench (W & B) 23.2; 3, C. Nimmo (W & B) 23.2; 4, B. Seabright (Gloucs) 23.4; 5, S. James (Br. Timken) 23.5; 6, N. Such (KHVIII) 23.6.

800: 1, P. Kindred (Leics. C) 2:00.8; 2, P. Latham (Tipton) 2:01.0; 3, P. Downes (N'ton GS) 2:01.5; 4, S. Fox (Work-sop) 2:02.5; 5, R. Riley (Hearsall SMS) 2:02.5; 6, D. Glassborrow (KHVIII) 2:02.7.

2000mW: 1, P. Sturdy (Broms & Redd) 8:56.6; 2, P. Meredith (Broms & Redd) 9:37.4; 3, B. Stan-ford (Broms & Redd) 9:44.8; 4, S. Smith (Leics WC) 9:48.0; 5, E. Mackay (J. Wilmott GS) 9:52.8; 6, M. Davies (Worcs) 10:04.0.

100mH: 1, L. Smith (Stoke) 13.5 (Ch. BP-equals UK Youth Best); 2, P. Kelly (W & B) 13.9; 3, S. Anderson (Wrekin C) 15.4; 4, F. Jabczynski (Sm. Hth) 15.6.

PV: J. Gartshore (Stafford) 2.90/9'6".

TJ: 1, M. Cannavan (W & B) 13.15/43'1"; 2, A. Guy (KHVIII) 12.48/40'10½"; 3, R. Clarke (King Edward S) 11.94/39'1½".

SP: 1, R. Bailey (Longton) 14.61/47'11½"; 2, P. Coniff (Cov. God) 13.25/43'6"; 3, R. Howkins (Glos) 12.97/42'6½"; 4, P. Hunter (Cov. God) 11.83/38'10".

DT: 1, Bailey 45.10/147'11"; 2, Hunter 44.92/147'4"; 3, N. Cofalka (Br. Timken) 44.32/145'5"; 4, D. Walden (Oakham) 43.80/143'9"; 5, P. Coniff (Cov. God) 41.40/135'10"; 6, M. Wingfield (Malvern C) 39.96/131'1".

Dave Seaton informs us that Clonliffe Youth miler is Tom Gregan and not Cregan as previously printed.

Lindsay Smith, of Stoke, on the way to equalling the UK best of 13.5 for the Youths' 100 metres hurdles in the Midland Championship.



Southern Junior/Youth Champs. (Part 1)**At Crystal Palace, June 28th****Steve White Confirms 200m Supremacy**

STRENGTH in depth was readily apparent in many events, though the meeting did tend to get rather lost among the huge echoing stands overlooking the activities in the arena below. Steve White (18) confirmed his supremacy in the South over 200m by roaring around the turn to hit the straight 4 yards up and holding off fast closing Ron Griffiths for a safe win in 21.8; while fading Paul Pinnington finished fourth (22.0) in the same time as second and third placers. In the mis-seeded semis, poor John Gostelow clocked 22.1 and wound up a non-qualifying fifth! Nice, clean-cut hurdling from Colin Allabush and Andrew Kennedy, though the latter had to fight more than usual, this time. The 800 finals promise much in both age groups, with some very exciting heats. Ian Whittle (16) showed surprising speed to clock 1:56.6, and Bill Barrows (18) just eased in to nip Ron Martin in 1:53.8. The youth steeplechasers were not hanging around either, Kevin Williams winning his heat in 2:44.5, fastest in the UK this season, and four others all finishing inside 2:50.0. Mac Blackman looked superb in winning the youth 200 by three long yards, while top field performer was Bogus Kawalko (16) who added 5" to the 12-year-old championship best in the javelin. It was regrettable that the hammer events had to be cancelled at short notice, thanks to the ground staff, though it is hoped they will be held in conjunction with the AAA Junior/Youth events on August 10th.

JUNIORS

200m: 1, S. White (Belgrave) 21.8 (Ch BP); 2, R. Griffiths (Stev & NH) 22.0; 3, R. Kislingbury (Hayes & Har) 22.0; 4, P. Pinnington (BoE) 22.0; 5, W. Laryea (Craw) 22.1 (21.9 sf); 6, M. Dale (Had) 22.5; 7, M. Chart (S'gate) 22.5; 8, J. Isaacs (TVH) 23.4 (22.8 sf). In semis: J. Gostelow (Her-Wim) 22.1; S. Penn (HHH) 22.7; C. Padmore (Ox. Cty) 22.7; J. Mahoney (B'ht) 23.0.

400m: (Qualifiers) **SF 1:** R. Morrison (Eton) 50.3; J. Smith (H'gate) 50.7; M. Caldwell (S'bury) 50.9; Chart 51.0. **SF 2:** C. Leonard (Plym'th) 51.2; C. Butler (Hayes & Har) 51.4; P. Lloyd (St. Alb) 51.4; C. Burden (S'ton) 51.7. In Semis: R. Davies (E'Leigh) 51.1; D. Rees (Bel) 51.9.

800m: (1st 3 and fastest loser into final) **Ht 1:** 1, W. Barrows (Camb) 1:53.8; 2, R. Martin (Walt) 1:54.0; 3, K. Browning (Walt) 1:56.9; 4, M. Hegarty (Horn) 1:57.3; 5, N. Smart (Ox. Cty) 1:57.4; 6, R. Bober (Shaft) 1:58.3; 7, A. Shann (Bard) 1:58.5. **Ht 2:** 1, M. Gordon (H'gate) 1:54.0; 2, A. Owers (Whit) 1:55.4; 3, I. Graham (Bed MS) 1:56.4; 4, S. Harvey (Thurr) 1:56.9; 5, R. Sandford (Her-Wim) 1:57.2; 6, M. Brown (New) 1:57.5; 7, C. Bird (Ash) 1:58.5; 8, K. Field (H & H) 1:58.6. **Ht 3:** 1, P. A. Martin (Dul) 1:59.2; 2, H. Anderson (Ilf) 1:59.4; 3, M. Boxall (Hav) 1:59.7; 4, C. Thomason (C & C) 1:59.8. (first 3 and fastest

loser—Harvey—qualified).

1500m: **Ht 1:** 1, P. Banning (Andover) 3:55.3; 2, E. Williams (C & C) 4:02.4; 3, P. Bennett (Horn) 4:02.6; 4, M. Fielding (Camb) 4:05.6; 5, J. Boulter (B & H) 4:07.5. **Ht 2:** 1, M. O'Hara (Horn) 3:56.8; 2, K. Kitson (B & H) 3:59.1; 3, C. Tilley (Hav) 4:00.3; 4, B. Slocombe (Her-Wim) 4:01.3; 5, B. Curtis (Croy) 4:09.2.

110m Hurdles: (+ 0.3m) 1, C. Allabush (Ex Bgl) 14.6; 2, R. Linter (Ports) 15.0; 3, P. McGuckian (Bed & C) 15.6; 4, L. Pugh (Holbeach) 15.9; 5, N. Demetriou (S'gate) 15.9.

400m Hurdles: 1, A. Kennedy (Croy) 56.5 (Ch BP); 2, J. Allen (Brack) 56.7; 3, R. Childs (W. S & E) 57.0; 4, G. King (C & C) 57.8; 5, H. St. Aimee (THS) 58.8; 6, Stiffle (Ilf) 63.9 (59.6 ht). In Hts: T. Watson (Lut) 59.9.

2000m Steeplechase: 1, Graham Tuck (C & C) 5:56.8; 2, I. Kilpatrick (Brack) 5:58.6; 3, D. Ashbourne (SLH) 5:59.8; 4, T. Beagent (Her-Wim) 6:06.0; 5, G. Baker (Hor. BS) 6:08.6; 6, A. Stedman (Wat GS) 6:11.4; 7, S. Bond (Shaft) 6:12.0; 8, S. Mead (Ex Bgl) 6:13.6; 9, F. Kimber (Felt) 6:23.2.

High Jump: 1, D. Livesey (Newham) 1.83/6'0"; 2, D. James (Twick) 1.83/6'0"; 3, B. Blake (New) 1.83; 4, eq. A. Bent (Bel) & C. Alexander (St. Clement D) 1.78/5'10"; 6, R. Titchner (Lan PS) 1.67/5'6".

YOUTHS

200m: 1, M. Blackman (Wood Grn) 22.3 (Ch. BP); 2, S. Clydesdale (Lut) 22.6; 3, P. Farmer (S'ton) 22.8; 4, A. Gershunty (TVH) 22.8; 5, R. Wilkins (Hayes SS) 23.0; 6, R. Pedler (Melbourn VC) 23.3; 7, N. Dowling (E & E) 23.4; 8, A. Jones (Swin) 23.7 (23.5 sf).

400m: (Qualifiers) P. Angel (S'ton) 51.6; C. Clemas (Wood Grn) 51.8; K. Bynoe (S'gate) 52.3; S. Pounder (BoE) 52.5; I. Mitchell (N'ft BS) 52.7; W. Hill (BTGS) 53.1; A. Bayes (Stev & NH) 53.2; P. Hollier (S'gate) 53.3.

800m: (first 5 into final) **Ht 1:** D. O'Donnell (Worth) 1:56.7; 2, P. Weedon (Wycombe) 1:56.9; 3, P. Bray (Croy) 1:58.9; 4, D. Price (S'gate) 1:58.9; 5, P. Kitchenside (Bel) 1:59.3; 6, C. Harris (S'ton) 2:00.9; 7, J. Keeble (Hill) 2:01.6; 8, S. Ottaway (Swin) 2:03.8. **Ht 2:** I. Whittle (Luton) 1:56.6; 2, B. Smith (Thurr) 1:57.8; 3, J. Barrow (TVH) 1:58.9; 4, W. Taylor (Camb) 1:59.3; 5, A. Bentley (TVH) 2:00.0; 6, G. Smith (Camb) 2:02.2.

1500m: (first 5 into final) **Ht 1:** 1, D. Miller (Felt) 4:03.5; 2, P. Gregory (Horn) 4:04.3; 3, C. Godsall (Ton) 4:07.0; 4, W. Curtin (Bel) 4:08.4; 5, J. Stow (Bel) 4:11.2; 6, G. Dupre (Jersey) 4:13.2; 7, K. Clifford (Wycombe) 4:15.3. **Ht 2:** 1, R. Weatherley (Brack) 4:08.7; 2, M. Puddifoot (TVH) 4:10.1; 3, J. Goater (Shaft) 4:10.5; 4, J. Carty (W. S & E) 4:10.8; 5, N. Gates (West) 4:11.5; 6, J. Sullivan (Stev & NH) 4:13.0; 7, K. O'Conner (St. Clement D) 4:14.5; 8, S. Barr (Thurr) 4:15.3.

D.C.

1000m Steeplechase: (first 5 into final) Ht 1: 1, K. Williams (C & C) 2:44.5 (Ch BP); 2, J. Ovenden (TVH) 2:45.0; 3, R. Williams (Wood Grn) 2:48.6; 4, S. Michaels (Shaft) 2:50.6; 5, J. Mack (B'mth) 2:59.7; 6, R. Fudge (A, F & D) 3:08.5. Ht 2: 1, S. Gallaway (St. John's C) 2:46.8; 2, J. Davies (TVH) 2:49.9; 3, S. Martin (Ex Bgls) 2:57.0; 4, S. Tapping (Hill) 2:58.8; 5, R. McMullin (Shaft) 2:58.8; 6, T. Crump (St. & NH) 3:13.0.

2000m Walk: 1, D. Lawrence (Ex Bgls) 9:32.8 (Ch BP); 2, J. Jones (New) 9:34.4; 3, B. Laver (Ex Bgls) 10:29.2; 4, S. Ottoway (Swin) 10:42.0; 5, K. Jeffreys (Bexley) 11:05.0; 6, A. Webb (St. Jos) 12:00.0.

Pole Vault: 1, B. Hooper (Woking) 3.43/11'3"; 2, A. Williams (Camb) 3.35/11'0"; 3, eq. J. Mellors (Cav. S) & V. Clancy (New) 3.20/10'6"; 5, S. Clark (HHH) 3.05/10'0".

Long Jump: 1, M. Ademola (Camden) 6.47/21'3"; 2, D. Porter (New) 6.37/20'11"; 3, A. Good-enough (Swin) 6.31/20'8"; 4, G. Collins (New) 6.18/20'3"; 5, A. McLuckie (S'ton) 6.01/19'8"; 6, C. Williams (Bentley GS) 6.01.

Triple Jump: 1, C. Lewis (Hemel H) 13.63/44'8"; 2, R. Philips (Hill) 13.63w; 3, Odemola 13.23/43'5"; 4, A. Cockell (Basildon) 13.23; 5, Gershunty 12.99/42'7"; 6, J. Spellane (BoE) 12.77/41'10".

Javelin: 1, B. Kawalko (Melbourn VC) 60.36/198'0"; 2, B. Hartley (Albany C) 52.64/172'8"; 3, J. Day (Redbridge S) 51.12/167'8"; 4, D. Allen (Walton) 46.42/149'0"; 5, H. Pepper (Boscombe Down) 142'6".

VAUXHALL SPECTACULAR

At Luton, June 14th

100y h/c: D. Lucas (unatt) 10.0. 300y h/c: G. Dalby (Havering) 14y 29.7. Scr Inv Mile: 1, B. Plain (Cardiff) 4:06.4; 2, A. Simmons (Lut) 4:07.1; 3, M. Absolom (Borough Rd Coll) 4:10.9; 4, A. Birks (Staffs) 4:12.2; 5, P. Wyld (Staffs) 4:18.0; 6, P. Francis (Bedford & Cty) 4:18.0; 7, L. Rudling (Bedford) 4:20.0. (Women) Scr 800m: 1, J. Smith (Barnet) 2:18.6; 2, B. Panton (Kent) 2:19.8; 3, P. Yeoman (Feltham) 2:19.9; 4, L. Barlow (Essex) 2:23.2. h/c 2000mW: M. Hindley (Birchfield) 210y 10:07.0.

200 COMPETITION

June winners were:—A. J. C. Kendall, BEM (£25); R. F. Kerslake (£15); Newbury AC (£5).

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Full details from F. W. Haywood, Hon. Secretary Regatta Sports Section, 77 St. Edmunds Road, Babbacombe, Torquay. Phone (10 a.m.—4 pm.) 27207. (Home—38772).

Entries close Saturday, 26th July

BABBACOMBE REGATTA, TORQUAY

143rd Anniversary

ATHLETIC MEETING

(Under A.A.A. & W.A.A.A. Laws)

To be held at Walls Hill, Babbacombe, Torquay

SATURDAY, 16th AUGUST, 1969

At 2.15 p.m.

	Prizes	Valued	£	s.	d.
100 Yards Open H'cap Men	...	...	10	10	0
220 Yards Open H'cap Men	...	...	10	10	0
440 Yards Open H'cap Men	...	...	10	10	0
880 Yards Open H'cap Men	...	...	10	10	0
One Mile Open H'cap Men	...	...	10	10	0
Three Miles Open H'p Men	...	...	12	12	0
Relay (440 x 220 x 220 x 880)	...	...	14	14	0
100 Yards Youths' Open H'cap	...	...	6	0	0
220 Yards Youths' Open H'cp	...	...	6	0	0
One Mile Youths' Open H'cp	...	...	8	8	0
100 Yards Ladies' Open H'cp	...	...	6	6	0
220 Yards Ladies' Open H'cp	...	...	6	6	0
4x110 Yards Ladies' Relay	...	...	8	8	0

Devon County 80 metres Women's

Senior Championship ... Medals

Boys' and Girls' Events

Youths over 15 and under 17 on 1st Sept., 1969

Full details from L. T. Sanders, Bonny View,

Dairy Hill, Shipway, Torquay. Entry Fees:

1/6 Ind., teams 3/-.

ENTRIES CLOSE, SAT., 2nd AUGUST

BUSF Decathlon: De Villiers Tops 7000

PETER DE VILLIERS, the South African President of Oxford University AC, improved his personal best by 403 points in winning the BUSF Championship and Open Decathlon, topping the 7,000 points barrier in the process. His target was the South African record of 6,797 and his first day total of 3,701 was safely on schedule. Personal bests in the PV (3.60/11'9") and javelin (55.11/180'9") put a total of 7000 in sight, and Peter beat the required 1500m time of 4:49.1 by 2.3 seconds. Nineteen-year-old Glasgow student Stewart McCallum showed great promise with his score of 6,301 and may well relieve de Villiers of the Championship best before long. Another Scot, Peter Burgess, also exceeded 6,000pts. to take third place. Roy Snow, whose marks included a 7.07/23'24" long jump and a 1.85/6'03" high jump, ran up 5,927 to win the PE Wing Colleges' division from Britain's new international, Tony Gummerson, for whom this was the third decathlon in a month. Ruth Martin-Jones pulled away from Sue Campbell in the Women's Pentathlon after the first day, when they were a mere two points apart.

Malcolm Warburton

1, P. de Villiers (Oxford Univ) 7,014 (10.9, 6.92, 11.84, 1.76, 49.3, 15.4, 36.47, 3.60, 55.71, 4:46.8).

2, W. S. McCallum (Glasgow Univ) 6,301 (11.4, 6.50, 10.94, 1.76, 51.1, 16.0, 32.29, 3.45, 42.04, 4:45.0).

3, P. Burgess (Octavians) 6,065 (11.4, 7.05, 10.86, 1.51, 50.6, 16.9, 33.03, 2.95, 38.67, 4:25.8).

4, R. Snow (St. John's) 5,927 (12.0, 7.07, 1.85, 51.5, 16.5, 24.47, 1.95, 38.58, 4:15.9); 5, A. Gummerson (Leeds & Carnegie) 5,821; 6, P. Thompson (Camb. Univ) 5,618; 7, C. Kidd (Oxford Univ) 5,462

At Oxford, June 24th/25th

(4.25/13'11 1/2" PV); 8, M. Couzens (S'ton Univ) 5,330; 9, R. Murphy (Oxford Univ) 5,164; 10, C. Balchin (Oxford Univ) 5,138; 11, J. Saunders (British Timken) 5,087; 12, L. Griffin (Oxford Univ) 5,031; 13, C. Tranter (Cov. God) 4,977; 14, N. Wingfield (Aberdeen Univ) 4,868; 15, S. Parker (Chester C) 4,800; 16, R. Solomons (Londons Univ) 4,560; 17, J. Baker (S'ton Univ) 4,552; 18, C. Clarke (B'ham) 4,513. **BUSF Championships:** 1, de Villiers; 2, McCallum; 3, Thompson. **UAU Championship:** 1, Couzens. **PE Wing Colleges:** 1, Snow; 2, Gummerson; 3, Parker.

Women's Pentathlon

1, R. Martin-Jones (Birmingham Univ) 4,209 (15.7, 10.31, 1.57, 5.43, 25.7).

2, S. Campbell (Bedford CPE) 3,957 (15.9, 11.36, 1.52, 5.23, 28.3).

3, P. Driffield (IM Marsh CPE) 3,743 (15.8, 8.32, 1.57, 4.91, 27.9).

4, P. Fordham (IM Marsh) 3,725; 5, A. Gregory (Ulster CPE) 3,671; 6, J. Williams (Anstey CPE) 3,364; 7, A. Marriner (Lady Mabel CPE) 3,006; 8, L. Ashwell (Anstey) 2,894; 9, C. White (Lady Mabel) 2,859; 10, E. Purvis (Birm Univ) 2,777; 11, F. D'Alcorn (Birm Univ) 2,296. **BUSF Championship:** 1, Martin-Jones; 2, Purvis; 3, D'Alcorn. **PE Colleges Championship:** 1, Campbell; 2, Driffield; 3, Fordham.

Senior Coach Charlie Kelly, former Chairman of Warrington A.C. and No. 5 District Coaching Secretary, has moved to 33 Kilnford Drive, Dundonald, Ayrshire.

CROYDON HARRIERS

4th Annual Under AAA & WAAA Laws

FIELD AND HURDLES MEET

SATURDAY, 16th AUGUST, at 1.30 p.m.

AT CRYSTAL PALACE

Senior Men: HJ, PV, LJ, TJ, SP, DT, HT, JT, 110mH, 400mH, 3000mS/C. **Junior Men:** HJ, PV, LJ, TJ, HT, 110mH, 400mH. **Youths:** HJ, PV, LJ, TJ, SP, HT, JT, 100mH. **Senior Ladies:** HJ, LJ, SP, DT, JT, 100mH, 200mH. **Intermediates:** HJ, LJ, SP, 80mH. **Juniors:** HJ, LJ, SP, 80yH.

Entries to Alan Brown, 10 Layard Road, Thornton Heath, Surrey, CR4 8JS by **Monday, 4th August**. No late entries accepted. Entries to include full name, club, event, age group, best 1969 performance, and entry fee (made payable to Croydon H.).

Fees: Senior Men & Women: 3/- first event, 2/- additional events; Jnr. Men & Inters. 2/6, 1/6 add.; Youths & Jnr. Women 2/- first 1/- add.

79th ASHBOURNE SHOW

(Under A.A.A. & W.A.A.A. Laws)

SATURDAY, 16th AUGUST, 1969

Polo Ground, Osmaston, nr. Ashbourne, Derbys.

Very good grass track of 4 laps to the mile

Sports commence approx. 4.0 p.m.

3 Miles Ind. & Team Race (4 run, 3 count). Prizes: Ind. £7, £6, £5, £3, £2, 1; Team: 3 at £2, 30/-, 20/-.

440 Yds. Flat H'cap. Prizes: £5, £3, £1.

Mile Invitation (B.M.C.).

Ladies

880 Yds. Flat H'cap. Prizes £5, £3, £1.

880 Yds. Junr. H'cap. Prizes: £5, £3, £1.

Mile Ladies Invitation (B.M.C.).

Entries (2/6 per event) close **4th August** to J. W. Keily, 1 Welbeck Grove, Allestree, nr. Derby.

General Show Sec: B. H. Gadsby, 3a Belper Road, Ashbourne, Derbys. (phone 2501).

Adams Holds On To Retain Welsh Title

WITH both Ron Jones and Lynn Davies missing from the line-up, the Welsh 100m title was there for any and everyone to have a go at. John Williams was down at 50m but dashed through on the line, only to have the verdict go to Terry Davies, once again the man nearest the judges was overlooked. Bernard Hayward ran solo for most of the way in the 3000mSC and set a new Championship Best with 8:58.2, and the other exciting track event of the afternoon came in the 800, when Bob Adams got a scare when Phil Lewis matched strides with him and responded to a late kick in the home straight. Bob just hung on, but there could not have been more than inches in it at the tape with both sharing 1:49.5. Peter Lance delighted the crowd after winning the high jump with 1.88/6'2", by clearing 1.93/6'4" with a Fosbury Flop. On the Ladies side Thelwyn Bateman ran away with the 800 in 2:09.4, leaving her nearest opponent some 80y adrift. One of the best runs by a female ever seen in Wales.

Gordon Roberts

100m: 1, T. Davies (Carm) 10.8; 2, J. Williams (CCE) 10.8; 3, H. Davies (Birch) 10.9. **200:** 1, Williams 21.9; 2, T. Davies 22.0; 3, H. Davies 23.1. **800:** 1, R. Adams (Poly) 1:49.5; 2, P. Lewis (Birch) 1:49.5; 3, G. Spencever (Card) 1:54.9. **5000:** 1, B. Plain (Card) 14:17.8; 2, M. Rowland (New) 14:24.6; 3, A. Joslyn (Poly) 14:29.6. **3000mSC:** 1, B. Hayward (Card) 8:58.2; 2, P. Griffiths (Hill) 9:03.6; 3, B. Griffiths (Card) 9:20.0; 4, S. Gibbons (Birm. Un) 9:59.0. **110H:** 1, A. James (St. Paul's C) 14.9; 2, A. Bergiers (Carm) 15.2; 3, B. Williams (Pont) 15.8. **HJ:** 1, P. Lance (L'boro C.) 1.88/6'2"; 2, A. Bergiers (Carm) 1.78/5'10". **PV:** 1, P. Chaliner (Flint) 3.81/12'6"; 2, A. Toms (Royal Navy) 3.81. **LJ:** 1, G. Williams (Card) 7.20/23'7½"; 2, J. Elias (Card)

At Cwmbran, June 28th

6.82/22'4½"; 3, R. Church (Card) 6.50/21'4½". **TJ:** 1, G. Webb (New) 14.60/47'10½"; 2, P. Walker (Shrews) 14.44/47'4½"; 3, S. Jones (Carm) 14.03/46'0". **SP:** 1, J. Walters (Card) 15.28/50'1½"; 2, A. Buttriss (Hereford) 14.75/48'4½"; 3, E. Kelland (RN) 13.88/45'6½"; 4, R. Penny (Swan) 13.29/43'7½". **DT:** 1, Kelland 46.66/153'0"; 2, Walters 46.40/152'3"; 3, Penny 37.20/122'0". **HT:** 1, M. Davies (Wood Grn) 49.97/163'11"; 2, E. Purkis (RAF) 49.82/163'5"; 3, L. Hall (TVH) 49.60/162'8". **(Juniors) 3000m:** 1, D. Fowles (Card) 8:51.0; 2, J. Evans (Carm) 9:12.0; F. Seaman (Swan) 9:12.6. **HT:** K. Watkinson (Vyners GS) 51.69/169'7". **(Youths) HT:** D. Thomas (Llanydroes GS) 34.52/113'3".

Women

200: 1, M. Smith (Holton RSS) 26.6; 2, C. Hall (Swan) 26.9; 3, M. Jones (Brecon) 27.0. **400:** 1, J. Eynon (Croy) 58.8; 2, D. Davies (Card) 59.4; 3, G. Gosling (Card) 60.4. **800:** 1, T. Bateman (Cov. God) 2:09.4; 2, D. Davies (Card) 2:19.8; 3, J. Locjhead (A & SV) 2:27.5. **100mH:** 1, J. Hirst (GGS & BP) 15.6; 2, R. Martin-Jones (Birm U) 15.7. **HJ:** 1, Hirst 1.60/5'3"; 2, C. Craig (GPGS) 1.57/5'2"; 3, Martin-Jones 1.45/4'10". **LJ:** 1, Martin-Jones 5.76/18'10½"; 2, J. Hughes (Calving HCSS) 5.42/17'9½"; 3, Hirst 5.35/17'6½". **SP:** 1, J. Breese (St. Julians) 11.31/37'1½"; 2, F. Pincock (Mil Hav) 9.94/32'7½"; 3, J. Wady (Pont Fr. GS) 9.55/31'4". **JT:** 1, J. Spink (Dartford CPE) 33.14/108'4"; 2, J. Wady (Pont) 32.13/105'5".

Hastings AC are holding an Open Ladies meeting on Saturday, July 26th at William Parker Stadium, Hastings. There is a complete programme of events for all age groups. Details from Brian Griffin, 22 Githa Road, Hastings, Sussex.

John Williams just beat Nick Williams in this early-season 100 metres race at Cardiff. John won the 200m and was place 2nd in a close 100m at the Welsh Championships.



Gordon Roberts

WORLD'S BEST PERFORMERS 1969

As at July 3rd

100 METRES

- 10.0* John Carlos (USA) (& 10.1)
 10.1 Charlie Greene (USA)
 10.1 Pablo Montes (Cuba)
 10.1* Mike Goodrich (USA)
 10.1* Earl Harris (USA)
 10.1* Andy Hopkins (USA)
 10.1* Robert Taylor (USA)
 10.1* Lennox Miller (Jam)
 10.1* Doug Hawken (USA)
 10.1* Eddie Hart (USA)
 10.1* Mel Gray (USA)
 10.1 Ed Roberts (Trin)
 Wind assisted:
 9.9* John Carlos (USA)
 10.0* Mel Gray (USA)

200 METRES

- 20.1* John Carlos (USA)
 20.2* Lennox Miller (Jam)
 20.3* Tom Randolph (USA)
 20.4* Oliver Ford (USA)
 20.5 Ed Roberts (Trin)
 20.5 Lee Evans (USA)
 20.5 Tommie Smith (USA)
 20.5* Ben Vaughn (USA)
 20.5* Gerry Tinker (USA)
 20.6 9 men
 Wind assisted:
 20.4* Edsel Garrison (USA)
 * 220y time less 0.1

400 METRES

- 44.4* Curtis Mills (USA)
 44.8* Lee Evans (USA)
 45.2* Edsel Garrison (USA)
 45.2* Tommie Turner (USA)
 45.3* Al Coffee (USA)
 45.4* Bill Wehrwein (USA)
 45.5* Larry James (USA)
 45.5* Len Van Hofwegen (USA)
 45.5* Wayne Collett (USA)
 45.5* Gary Womble (USA)
 * 440y time less 0.3

800 METRES

- 1:45.2* Byron Dyce (Jam)
 1:45.4* Art Sandison (USA)
 1:45.7* Juris Luzins (USA)
 1:45.8* David Matina (USA)
 1:45.8* Mark Winzenried (USA)
 1:45.8* Felix Johnson (USA)
 1:45.9 Jozef Plachy (Cz)
 1:46.0 Manfred Matuschewski (E Ger)
 1:46.2 Dieter Fromm (EG)
 1:46.4 Dicky Broberg (S. Afr)
 * 880y time less 0.7

1500 METRES

- 3:37.9* Jim Ryun (USA)
 3:38.7* Sam Bair (USA)
 3:38.8* IAN McCAFFERTY (UK)
 3:39.2 Jean Wadoux (Fra)
 3:39.3* IAN STEWART (UK)
 3:39.4 Jurgen May (W. Ger)
 3:39.6* Marty Liquori (USA)
 3:39.8 Bernd Diessner (E. Ger)
 3:39.9 Francesco Aresè (Ita)

- 3:40.1* Frank Murphy (RoI)
 * mile time less 18.0

5000 METRES

- 13:33.0 Jurgen May (WG)
 13:33.8 Ron Clarke (Aus)
 13:36.0 Harald Norpoth (WG)
 13:36.8 Bernd Diessner (E. Ger)
 13:37.6 Ivan Shopsha (USSR)
 13:37.8 Werner Girke (W. Ger)
 13:38.0 Rashid Sharafutdinov (USSR)
 13:38.6 Ulrich Brugger (W. Ger)
 13:38.8 Vyacheslav Alanov (USSR)
 13:40.4 ALAN BLINSTON (UK)
 13:40.4 Viktor Kudinskiy (USSR)

10,000 METRES

- 28:06.8 DICK TAYLOR (UK)
 28:08.2 Jurgen Haase (E. Ger)
 28:13.8 Stepan Baidyuk (USSR)
 28:21.0 Ron Clarke (Aus)
 28:21.2 Gaston Roelants (Bel)
 28:24.4 DAVE BEDFORD (UK)
 28:28.8 Rene Jourdan (Fra)
 28:30.0* Jack Bachelier (USA)
 28:32.8 Vyacheslav Alanov (USSR)
 28:33.0 Nikolay Sviridov (USSR)
 * 6M time plus 60.0

3000 METRES STEEPLECHASE

- 8:35.0 Kerry O'Brien (Aus)
 8:36.6 Mike Manley (USA)
 8:36.8 Vladimir Dudin (USSR)
 8:37.2 Aleksandr Golub (USSR)
 8:37.6 Umberto Risi (Ita)
 8:37.6 Viktor Kudinskiy (USSR)
 8:37.8 Bob Price (USA)
 8:38.0 Lazar Naroditskiy (USSR)
 8:38.0 Nikolay Zobov (USSR)
 8:38.2 Yuriy Ribachenko (USSR)

110 METRES HURDLES

- 13.3 Willie Davenport (USA)
 13.3 Richmond Flowers (USA)
 13.3 Leon Coleman (USA)
 13.3 Erv Hall (USA)
 13.5 Bill High (USA)
 13.5 Gary Power (USA)
 13.5 Herm Franklin (USA)
 13.6 10 men
 Doubtful timing:
 13.2 Erv Hall (USA)

400 METRES HURDLES

- 49.3* Ralph Mann (USA)
 49.4* Wes Williams (USA)
 49.7* Carl Wood (USA)
 49.9* Mike Kelly (USA)

- 49.9 Vyacheslav Skomorokhov (USSR)
 50.0* Nick Lee (USA)
 50.1* Ron Whitney (USA)
 50.2 Roberto Frinolli (Ita)
 50.3* Dave Adkins (USA)
 50.4* Geoff Vanderstock (USA)
 * 440y time less 0.3

HIGH JUMP

- 2.19/7'2½" Dick Fosbury (USA)
 2.19/7'2½" Otis Burrell (USA)
 2.18/7'2" Ron Jourdan (USA)
 2.18/7'1½" Bo Jonsson (Swe)
 2.18/7'1½" Lorenzo Allen (USA)
 2.18/7'1½" Kenneth Lundmark (Swe)
 2.18/7'1½" Valeriy Skvortsov (USSR)
 2.18/7'1½" Rudi Koppen (EG)
 2.17/7'1½" Anatoliy Moroz (USSR)
 2.17/7'1½" Valentin Gavrilov (USSR)

POLE VAULT

- 5.44/17'10½" John Pennel (USA)
 5.37/17'7½" Bob Seagren (USA)
 5.34/17'6½" Dick Railsback (USA)
 5.31/17'5" Wolfgang Nordwig (E. Ger)
 5.30/17'4½" Renato Dionisi (Ita)
 5.30/17'4½" Casey Carrigan (USA)
 5.28/17'4" Erkki Mustakari (Fin)
 5.20/17'0½" Chris Papanicolaou (Gre)
 5.18/17'0" Jon Vaughn (USA)
 5.10/16'8½" 5 men

LONG JUMP

- 8.21/26'11½" Igor Ter-Ovanesyan (USSR)
 8.20/26'11" Bob Beamon (USA)
 8.16/26'9½" Jack Pani (France)
 8.14/26'8½" LYNN DAVIES (UK)
 8.04/26'4½" Stan Whitley (USA)
 8.00/26'3" Leonid Borkovskiy (USSR)
 8.04/26'4½" Klaus Beer (E. Ger)
 7.99/26'2½" Henry Hines (USA)
 7.99/26'2½" Marion Anderson (USA)
 7.99/26'2½" Tonu Lepik (USSR)
 Wind assisted:
 8.22/26'11½" Jerry Proctor (USA)
 8.10/26'7" Stan Whitley (USA)
 8.10/26'7" Henry Hines (USA)
 8.07/26'5½" Klaus Beer (EG)
 8.06/26'5½" Marion Anderson (USA)

TRIPLE JUMP

- 16.82/55'2½" Phil May (Aus)
 16.77/55'0½" Viktor Saneyev (USSR)

16.64/54'7½" Jorg Drehmel (E. Ger)	64.36/211'2" Jay Silvester (USA)	88.38/289'11" Janis Lusis (USSR)
16.62/54'6¼" Nikolay Dudkin (USSR)	63.65/208'10" Jon Cole (USA)	87.00/285'5" Pauli Nevala (Fin)
16.53/54'3" Mike McGrath (Aus)	63.25/207'6" John Van Reenen (SA)	84.28/276'6" Wladyslaw Nikiciuk (Pol)
16.43/53'11" Henrik Kalocsai (Hun)	62.64/205'6" Robin Tait (NZ)	83.88/275'2" Janis Donins (USSR)
16.39/53'9¼" Carol Corbu (Rum)	62.64/205'6" Lothar Milde (EG)	83.80/274'11" Janusz Sidlo (Pol)
16.39/53'9¼" Viktor Kravchenko (USSR)	62.47/204'11" Gary Carlsen (USA)	83.36/273'6" Frank Covelli (USA)
16.38/53'9" John Craft (USA)	62.38/204'8" Ricky Bruch (Swe)	83.30/273'3" Manfred Stolle (E. Ger)
16.35/53'7¾" Zoltan Cziffra (Hun)	62.23/204'2" Tim Vollmer (USA)	83.29/273'3" Bill Skinner (USA)
Wind assisted:	61.88/203'0" Al Oerter (USA)	
16.86/55'4" Phil May (Aus)		
16.69/54'9" Mike McGrath (Aus)		

16.42/53'10½" Klaus Neumann (EG)

SHOT

20.64/67'8¼" Neal Steinhauer (USA)
 20.64/67'8½" Hans-Peter Gies (EG)

20.49/67'2¼" Heinz-Joachim Rothenburg (EG)
 20.43/67'0¼" Karl Salb (USA)
 20.40/66'11¼" Dieter Hoffman (EG)

20.30/66'7½" Randy Matson (USA)
 19.80/64'11½" Hartmut Briesenick (E. Ger)

19.71/64'8" Bruce Wilhelm (USA)

19.54/64'1¼" Arnjolt Beer (Fra)
 19.53/64'1" Steve Marcus (USA)

DISCUS

66.48/218'2" Ludvik Danek (Cz)

HAMMER

74.52/244'6" Romuald Klim (USSR)

73.72/241'10" Anatoliy Shuplyakov (USSR)

72.58/238'1" Gyula Zsivotzky (Hun)

71.78/235'6" Anatoliy Bondarchuk (USSR)

69.62/228'5" Tom Gage (USA)
 69.62/228'5" Reinhard Theimer (EG)

69.57/228'3" Hal Connolly (USA)

69.56/228'2" Uwe Beyer (WG)
 69.36/227'6" Hans Fahsl (W. Ger)

69.19/227'0" George Frenn (USA)

JAVELIN

92.70/304'1" Jorma Kinnunen (Fin)

89.21/292'8" Mark Murro (USA)

DECATHLON

8279 Joachim Kirst (E. Ger)
 8168 Bill Toomey (USA)
 8051 Rick Sloan (USA)
 8027 Rudiger Demmig (E. Ger)
 7982 Joachim Perk (WG)
 7945 Nikolay Avilov (USSR)
 7872 Viktor Tschelnikov (USSR)
 7813 Manfred Tiedtke (E. Ger)
 7775 Lennart Hedmark (Swe)
 7768 Boris Tolmachov (USSR)

MARATHON

2:08:33.6 Derek Clayton (Aus)
 2:11:07.2 BILL ADCOCKS (UK)
 2:11:27.8 Akio Usami (Jap)
 2:13:25.8 Kenji Kimihara (Jap)
 2:13:49.0 Yoshiaki Unetani (Jap)
 2:14:03.2 Tadaaki Ueoka (Jap)
 2:15:07.6 Ismail Akcay (Turk)
 2:15:17.2 Mamo Wolde (Eth)
 2:15:31.2 TIM JOHNSTON (UK)
 2:16:34.0 JIM ALDER (UK)

Next week's issue will include a detailed preview of the WAAA Championships, including latest "top ten" lists.

John Curtin, fixture secretary for Twickenham AC has moved to 54, Peregrine Road, Sunbury on Thames, Middlesex.

Lillian Board taking over from Janet Simpson on the last leg of the record 4x400 metres relay at Crystal Palace. Lillian went on to cover her stage in 52.9.



Ed Lacey

Women's Athletics

SUE HAYWARD WINS SOUTHERN PENTATHLON

Sue Hayward, with her usual consistent performances, won the Southern CWAAA Senior Pentathlon title at Chelmsford on June 29th with a total of 4455, just 18 points shy of her personal best of the previous week. Her main rival, Ann Wilson, has a badly sprained ankle which will prevent her running for some time, and was a non-starter.

Frances Slaap produced her personal best pentathlon score, as did five others in the senior event, notably Janice Byng of Medway Technical High School, who could really be a force to reckon with at 100m and 200m hurdles in days to come. Barbara Barrett surpassed 4000 points for the first time in fifth place.

A disappointment in the Junior event was the injury which ruled out Mitcham's Lorna Boothe (3217 already this year). Disaster struck Tina Greisen (Middx) when she was in the lead by 200 points, but made three no-putts in the shot. As it turned out she would only have needed a mere 15 feet putt to win the title; instead she got no points. Many others were faulted for not wrapping the shot into their necks, and while one appreciates that our girls are not born shot putters as some Continentals are, they must learn the rules.

Peter V. Martin

SCWAAA Senior Pentathlon: 1, S. Hayward (Mx) 4455 (5.62/18'5½"; 25.7; 14.4; 11.87/38'11½"; 1.51/4'11½"); 2, F. Slaap (Hill) 4375 (5.25/17'2¼"; 25.7; 14.6; 10.38/34'0¼"; 1.64/5'4½"); 3, J. Byng (Med) 4215 (5.38/17'7½"; 26.6; 14.9; 1.53/5'0¼"); 4, J. Oldall (Wok) 4036 (15.4; 1.64/5'4½"); 5, B. Barrett (Mit) 4035 (5.73/18'9½"); 6, J. Philp (Chelm) 4018 (14.7); 7, E. Butler (S'end) 3959; 8, S. Turpin (Enf) 3647; 9, S. Oldall (Wok) 3595; 10, C. Hext (B'mouth) 3536; 11, S. Brown (Edin Sthn) 3525; 12, G. Bailey (LO) 3381.

SCWAAA Junior Pentathlon: 1, D. Liston (S'end) 3172 (LJ—4.92/16'1½"; 100m—14.1; 80yH—13.3; SP—8.40/27'6½"; HJ—1.37/4'6"); 2, L. Barker (Wind) 3064; 3, D. Fitch (S'end) 3029; 4, T. Greisen (Mx) 2961; 5, T. Pendle (S'end) 2960; 6, C. Raylings (Enf) 2905; 7, D. Riley (Chelm) 2737; 8, K. Treseder (Chelm) 2598.

HATTON TROPHY (Women)

June 14th

1, Leicester 218; 2, Cardiff 133; 3, LOAC 111; 4, Windsor, Slough & E. 41; 5, Wycombe Phoenix 33; 6, Maidenhead 26. 800: Davies (Card) 2:22.0. 4x100: Cardiff 50.5; 2, Leicester 50.6. LJ: S. Clelland (Leics) 6.08/19'11½". (Juniors) 800: 1, More (Leics) 2:34.8; 2, Adcocks (Leics) 2:35.4. HJ: Lansdowne (Leics) 1.39/4'7". LJ: Martin (LOAC) 4.90/16'1".

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Women's Athletics

MIDLAND WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIPS

Perry Barr, June 28th

Intermediates

100m: (+ 0.85) 1, J. Jay (Bristol) 12.5; 2, V. Bernard (Wolv/Bilston) 12.5; 3, J. Honick (Birchfield) 12.6; 4, S. Muir (Leicester) 12.7 (12.6 ht); 5, G. Blythe (Birchfield) 12.8 (12.6 ht); 6, L. Smith (Stoke) 12.9 (12.8 ht).

200m: (nil) 1, Bernard 25.2; 2, Honick 25.5; 3, B. Thompson (Birchfield) 26.3 (26.2 ht); 4, Muir 26.3 (26.1 ht); 5, S. Crawcour (Leicester) 26.8 (26.2 ht); 6, G. Blythe (Birchfield) 26.2 ht.

800m: 1, J. Dalton (Birchfield) 2:20.4; 2, M. Conway (Birchfield) 2:20.7; 3, L. Wheeler (Birchfield) 2:22.8; 4, G. Butler (Leicester) 2:23.6; 5, H. York (Bristol) 2:24.5 (2:21.8 ht); 6, P. Slyde (Tipton) 2:24.5.

800mH: (- 0.5) 1, Thompson 11.9; 2, H. Dale (Wolv/Bilston) 12.3; 3, L. Emmington (Peterborough) 12.3 (12.0 ht); 4, J. Eastman (Bristol) 12.3; 5, M. Brownson (Newcastle) 12.5; 6, M. Talbot (Solihull) 12.6.

HJ: 1, S. Ledger (Lozells) 5'0"/1.52; 2, E. Cobley (Leicester) 4'8"/1.44; 3, C. Bird (Bristol) 4'8"/1.42; 4, M. Dowling (St. Peter's S.) 4'6"/1.37; 5, H. Dale (Wolv/Bilston) 1.37.

LJ: 1, L. D. Webb (Tipton) 5.31/17'5"; 2, Emmington 5.13/16'10"; 3, Ledger 5.09/16'8"; 4, Jay 5.09; 5, Dale 5.08/16'8"; 6, Smith 4.88/16'0".

SP: 1, V. Kirkham (Notts AC) 10.49/34'5"; 2, L. Polson (Solihull) 8.86/29'0"; 3, J. Hartwell (Birchfield) 7.10/23'3".

JT: 1, S. Corbett (Solihull) 41.22/135'3"; 2, E. Withers (Leicester) 31.70/104'0"; 3, S. Reedman (St. Peter's S.) 29.96/98'4"; 4, B. Archer (Birchfield) 28.40/93'2".

Juniors

100m: (+ 0.4) 1, S. Lannan (Solihull) 12.0 (12.0 in sf); 2, V. Webster (Solihull) 12.3; 3, B. Martin (LOAC) 12.4; 4, D. Nasralla (Gloucester) 12.6 (12.4 in sf); 5, C. Shepherd (Solihull) 12.8; 6, I. McCallum (Nottingham) 13.0 (12.8 ht).

800m: 1, H. Campbell (Leamington) 2:20.0; 2, M. Cope (Birchfield) 2:20.3; 3, M. Stewart (Birchfield) 2:22.1; 4, S. Hasson (Small Heath) 2:25.4; 5, W. Mason (Westbury) 2:30.3 (2:25.0 ht); 6, A. Holt (Bromsgrove/Redd) 2:32.5 (2:26.3 ht).

800yH: (+ 1.85) 1, L. Leeson (Leamington) 11.6; 2, J. Davies (Birchfield) 12.1; 3, L. Hutchinson (Cov G) 12.4; 4, L. Elliot (Cheltenham) 12.7; 5, S. Bailey (Birchfield) 12.8; 6, L. Russell (Leicester) 13.0.

2000mW: 1, K. Braznell (Warley) 11:39.2; 2, J. McPherson (Birchfield) 11:42.8; 3, M. Litherland (Stoke) 12:05.4; 4, J. Savin (Birchfield) 12:20.4; 5, L. Barrett (Dudley & Stour) 12:26.0; 6, C. Sandall (Harborne) 13:20.2.

HJ: 1, V. Hughes (Tipton) 1.44/4'8"; 2, P. Ashcroft (Birchfield) 1.44; 3, S. Woodcock (Birchfield) 1.37/4'6"; 4, eq. J. Major (Westbury) & J. Davies (Birchfield) 1.34/4'5"; 6, J. Beamish (Gloucester) 1.29/4'3".

LJ: 1, Shepherd 4.97/16'3"; 2, Hughes 4.70/

15'5"; 3, P. Burton (Cov G) 4.63/15'2"; 4, Woodcock 4.57/14'11"; 5, L. Jones (Gloucester) 4.50/14'9"; 6, S. Firth (Cov G) 4.40/14'5".

SP: 1, A. Vale (Broms/Redditch) 9.70/31'9"; 2, J. Donkin (Solihull) 8.10/26'6"; 3, Savin 7.83/25'8"; 4, V. Robertson (Gloucester) 7.78/25'6"; 5, D. Littlewood (Notts AC) 7.54/24'8"; 6, M. Morgan (Cov G) 7.13/24'4".

DT: 1, Donkin 31.22/102'5"; 2, C. Brereton (Stoke) 28.40/93'4"; 3, L. King (Gloucester) 26.94/88'4"; 4, K. Jeffrey (St. Peter's S.) 26.78/87'10"; 5, K. Orton (Leicester) 26.78; 6, Littlewood 25.65/84'1".

JT: 1, K. Bullock (Lozells) 28.54/93'8"; 2, M. Grabowski (Lozells) 27.86/91'5"; 3, Robertson 24.76/81'3"; 4, Morgan 24.00/78'9"; 5, Littlewood 23.04/75'7"; 6, C. Phillips (Gloucester) 20'48/67'2".

4x100mR: 1, Gloucester 52.8; 2, Coventry G. 53.0; 3, Newcastle (Staffs) 53.2; 4, Leamington 55.3; 5, Lozells 55.8.

A. Huxtable

DEVON WAAA PENTATHLON CHAMPIONSHIPS

At Exeter, June 28th

(Seniors) 1, J. Lightowler (Exeter) 3614 (5.10/16'10"; 1.39/4'7"; 8.51/28'1"; 26.3; 16.9); 2, W. Biggs (Tor) 3027; 3, A. Sheridan (Plym) 2991; 4, J. Phillips (Ex) 2862. (Juniors) 1, B. Smart (Plym) 3288 (4.41/14'6"; 1.23/4'1"; 10.89/35'6"; 13.6; 12.0-80yH); 2, L. George (Plym) 3136; 3, S. Mason (Ex) 2857; 4, A. Benbow (Tor) 2798; 5, L. Holloway (Tor) 2788; 6, K. Wisdom (Plym) 2390.



Carol Hooper (Rainham), aged 14, winner of the Southern junior 200 metres in 25.0. Ed Lacey

Overseas News and Results

FINLAND

6.6. Helsinki. 5000m: Morozov (USSR) 13:41.8, Sviridov (USSR) 13:44.6, Nurmekivi (USSR) 13:46.8; JT: Kinnunen 83.96/275'5". **8.6. Parkana.** JT: Nevala 87.00/285'5". **8.6. Suonenjoki.** JT: Aimo Puska (17) 76.40/250'8". **9.6. Lohja.** PV: Malyutin (USSR) 5.00/16'5"; LJ: Lepik (USSR) 7.80/25'7". **10.6. Seinäjoki.** DT: Mantonen 58.56/192'1". **11.6. Kuusankoski.** PV: Sjo 4.95/16'3". **14.6. Vilppula.** SP: Yrjola 18.87/61'11"; JT: Kinnunen 86.24/282'11", Nevala 83.18/272'11". **14/15.6. Naantali.** Dec: Demmig (EG) 7525, Kyosola 7400. **15.6. Pori.** 100m: Virkkala 10.5 (eq. rec); JT: Kinnunen 83.82/275'0", Nevala 80.90/265'5". **15.6. Sysma.** LJ: Mattila 7.64/25'0". **17.6. Kouvola.** JT: Nevala 85.96/282'0". **17.6. Jyväskylä.** JT: Kinnunen 85.72/281'3". **18.6. Tampere.** PV: Ivanoff 5.05/16'6"; SP: Yrjola 18.99/62'3" (rec); JT: Kinnunen 82.70/304'1" (world record), Nevala 84.30/276'7". **22.6. Saarijärvi.** SP: Yrjola 19.10/62'8" (rec); JT: Kinnunen 88.68/290'11", Nevala 83.60/274'3".

SWITZERLAND

8.6. Zurich. 100m: Clerc 10.1w; 200m: (+ 1.2m) Clerc 20.6 (rec), Wiedmer 20.9; women's 100mH: (+ 5m) Elisabeth Waldburger 13.3. **22.6. Pulverschheim.** (France beat Switz 221½-188½) 100m: Gres (F) 10.5, Fenouil (F) 10.5, Clerc 10.6; 200m: Wiedmer 21.3 . . . 4, Clerc 21.5; 400m: Nallet (F) 47.0; 800m: Mumenthaler 1:49.8; 1500m: Wadoux (F) 3:40.3; 3000mSC: Villain (F) 8:45.8; 400mH: Wirtz 51.7; HJ: Portmann 2.08/6'9½", Wieser & Elliott (F) 2.04/6'8½", Sainte-Rose (F) 2.04; PV: D'Encausse (F) 4.95/16'3", Tracanelli (F) 4.95; LJ: Pani (F) 8.16/26'9½" (rec; 1969 world best), Ugolini (F) 7.87/25'9½"; SP: Beer (F) 19.54/64'1½", Colnard (F) 18.37/60'3½", Hubacher 18.51/59'6½"; 4x100m: France 40.3.

KENYA

24.5. Kakamega. 100m/200m: J. Sang 10.7/21.3. **24.5. Nairobi.** 100y: Buneru (Tanz) 9.7. **31.5. Kapabet.** 100m: J. Sang 10.4; 400m: Asati 47.5; 800m: Ouko 1:51.6, Kiprugut 1:51.9, Saisi 1:52.0; 3000mSC: Biwott 9:09.8. **7.6. Kisii.** 100m/200m: Asati 10.6/21.1; 1500m: Mungai 3:50.3; 5000m: Temu 14:36.0; 400H: Bon 52.4. **14.6. Nyeri.** 100m: Asati 10.5; 200m: J. Sang 20.9, Asati 21.2; 400m: Nyamau 47.0, Bon 47.2, Ouko 48.2; 800m: Kiprugut 1:50.8, Saisi 1:51.8; 1500m: Keino 3:44.8, Mungai 3:45.2, Moses 3:48.0; 5000m: Jipcho 14:45.2; 10,000m: Temu 30:33.6, Talam 30:34.8; 3000mSC: Ndoo 9:01.6, Biwott 9:11.6 (!); HJ: Cheby 1.93/6'4".

SWEDEN

24.5. Skelleftea. Women's HJ: LINDA HEDMARK 1.76/5'9½". **31.5. Gothenburg.** Women's 400m: Lundgren (née Wallgren) 55.5. **1.6. Umea.** Women's HJ: HEDMARK 1.62/5'3½". **5.6. Malmo.** SP/DT: Bruch 18.63/61'1½" & 61.48/201'8". **7.6.**

Halsingborg. Women's 1500m: Sjostedt 4:32.8 (rec). **7.6. Sollentuna.** Mar: CHRIS WADE 2:17.42, Nilsson 2:23.20, Ostbye 2:23.56. **8.6. Skelleftea.** Women's HJ: HEDMARK 1.65/5'5". **10.6. Stockholm.** 800m: Plachy (Cz) 1:48.0, Fromm (EG) 1:48.0; 5000m: Tummler (WG) 14:00.4; 3000mSC: Pedersen (Den) 8:49.2 (rec); 110mH: Forssander 14.2; HJ: Lundmark 2.17/7'1½", Gavrilov (USSR) 2.17, Skvortsov (USSR) 2.14/7'0½", Dahlgren 2.11/6'11"; LJ: Beer (EG) 8.04/26'4½", Ter-Ovanesyan (USSR) 7.97/26'1½"; DT: Bruch 61.30/201'1", Milde (EG) 59.80/196'2", Losch (EG) 59.48/195'2", Andersen (Den) 58.14/190'9"; JT: Lusi (USSR) 82.60/271'0", Kulcsar (Hun) 82.32/270'1", Stolle (EG) 81.98/268'11", Nilsson 78.94/259'0". **11.6. Falköping.** PV: Blomquist 5.00/16'5"; DT: Bruch 60.26/197'8". **12.6. Ludvika.** HJ: Lundmark 2.13/6'11½", Skvortsov 2.13; JT: Lusi 83.91/275'3". **27.6. Vasteras.** 400m: Asati (Ken) 46.7; 800m: Bon (Ken) 1:46.6, Doubell (Aus) 1:47.4, Ouko (Ken) 1:48.0; 5000m: Clarke (Aus) 13:42.2, Moses (Ken) 13:43.8, Temu (Ken) 13:45.8, Farcic (Yug) 13:45.8; PV: Railsback (USA) 5.20/17'0½".

DENMARK

15.6. Copenhagen. (W. Germany beat Scandinavia 79-56 in women's match) 100m: Kroninger (WG) 11.7, Hadrup (Den) 11.7; 200m: Czekay (WG) 24.4, Lundgren (Swe) 24.6; 400m: Frese (WG) 55.3, Ericson (Swe) 55.6; 800m: Rottmuller (WG) 2:07.0 . . . 4, Jennes (Den) 2:11.9; 1500m: Soerum (Nor) 4:29.1 (rec), Sjoestedt (Swe) 4:31.7 (rec), Tittel (WG) 4:32.0; 100mH: Rosendahl (WG) 13.9, Olsson (Swe) 14.2 (rec); LJ: Berthelsen (Nor) 6.14/20'1½" . . . 3, Rosendahl 5.84/19'2"; DT: Westermann (WG) 58.24/191'1", Berendonk (WG) 56.24/184'6"; 4x400m: Scandinavia 3:42.7 (Randerz 57.8, Ericson 54.2, Berthelsen 55.5, Lundgren 55.2), WG 3:48.4 (Gleichfeld 54.8). **Later results—** 800m: Doubell (Aus) 1:50.4; 3000m: Clarke (Aus) 7:56.2; 500m: Clarke 13:39.6.

EAST GERMANY

19.6. Berlin. 1500m: Fromm 4:43.0 . . . 7, Justus (17) 3:44.7; HJ: Koppen 2.18/7'1½" (rec), Duhrkop 2.12/6'11½"; SP: Briesenick 19.20/63'0"; JT: Stolle 81.16/266'3", Biering (20) 79.88/262'1"; women's 800m: Kleinau 2:06.4; HJ: Witschas 1.76/5'9½", Schulze 1.76; SP: Friedrich 17.22/56'6", Friedel 16.45/53'11½". **28/29.6. Halle.** Dec: Kirst 7836, Tiedtke 7769, Tolmachov (USSR) 7768; Women's Pen: Sizyakova (USSR) 4703, Pollak 4678 (rec).

ITALY

8.6. Reggio Emilia. 100m: Ramirez (Cuba) 10.4; HJ: Azzaro 2.12/6'11½"; PV: Righi 4.70/15'5". **14/15.6. Turin.** 400mH: Frinoli 50.7; HJ: Azzaro 2.14/7'0½"; PV: Dionisi 5.25/17'2½". **22.6. Bergamo.** 1500m: Arese 3:39.9 (rec), Penkara (Cz) 3:43.2; PV: Dionisi

5.27/17'3½", Righi 5.00/16'5" . . . MIKE BULL no height; women's 1500m: Pigni 4.17.2 (rec), Bosman (Neth) 4:22.5.

WEST GERMANY

13.6. Darmstadt. 110mH: Trzmiel 13.9. **14/15.6. Heidelberg.** 400mH: Schubert 50.7; JT: Wolfermann 81.00/265'9". **14/15.6. Mainz.** 400m: Roper 46.9—Hennige 47.7 (& 52.1 400mH); 110mH: Berkes 14.1; PV: Engel 4.90/16'1"; DT: Neu 58.94/193'4". **15.6. Trier.** 1000m: Adams 2:19.8 (1:50.3 800m), Salve (Bel) 2:20.3. **20.6. Duisburg.** Women's 800m: v.d. Made (Neth) 2:06.1. **21.6. Osnabruck.** (WG beat France 205-204—no Olympic athletes in either team) 100m: Stremple 10.4; 200m: Hofmeister (17) 21.1; 1500m: May 3:39.4, Colin (F) 3:41.6; 5000m: Jourdan (F) 13:57.4, Tijou (F) 14:01.2, Brugger 14:01.6; 3000mSC: Ouine (F) 8:44.8; 110mH: Drut (F) 13.9, Corval (F) 14.1; 400mH: Klausner 50.8; HJ: 2 eq, Noe (F) 2.01/6'7"; PV: Legrain (F) 5.00/16'5"; LJ: Baumgartner 7.70/25'3½"; SP: Engels 18.43/60'5½"; HT: Woltering 63.74/209'1", Accambray (F) 63.06/206'10"; 4x100m: France 39.6, WG 39.9; 4x400m: WG 3:09.1, France 3:10.8. **21/22.6. Frechen.** LJ: Sarucan (Rum) 7.74/25'4½"; women's 800m: Silai (Rum) 2:03.2 (1969 world best; 61.0 at 400m), Keizer (Neth) 2:06.8; DT: Westermann 59.07/193'9", Manoliu (Rum) 57.17/187'7". **21/22.6. Bergisch Gladbach.** Women's 100m: v.d. Berg (Neth) 11.5; 1500m: Strickling 4:26.8, von Haase 4:28.6; HJ: Bonci (Rum) 1.76/5'9½". **24.6. Berlin.** 4xMile: WG 16:09.6 (European rec; Adams 4:05.0, Tumler 4:07.0, Norpoth 3:59.0, May 3:58.6).

CZECHOSLOVAKIA

31.5. Prague. HT: Hajek 65.68/215'6". **7/8.6. Trinec.** 100m/200m: Bohman 10.4/20.8; 110mH: Nadenicek 14.0w; HJ: Baudis 2.16/7'1" (rec); TJ: Fiser 16.15/52'11½". **7/8.6. Ostrava.** Women's 100m: Gleskova 11.7; 200m: Putnova 24.0, Chmelkova 24.4; 100mH: Kucmanova 13.8 (eq. rec), Piacokova 13.8 (eq. rec); 200mH: Piacokova 27.5w; HJ: Rezkova 1.76/5'9½", Mracnova 17.6, Valentova 1.70/5'7"; LJ: Kucmanova 6.38/20'11½"; Pen: Brezikova 4499 (rec). **15.6. Prague.** SP: Janousek 18.71/61'4½". **15.6. Opava.** DT: Vidra 58.32/191'4".

FRANCE

21/22.6. Paris. Women's Pen: Vintila (Rum) 4587, Canguio 4557 (rec; 13.7 110mH, rec). **26.6. Poitiers.** Women's 100m: Besson 11.8 (pb). **27.6. Rennes.** 10,000m: Roelants (Bel) 28:21.2, BOB RICHARDSON 28:36.0, RON GROVE 28:51.0, Gauthier 28:52.2, Jourdan 28:58.8, DON FAIRCLOTH 29:02.4; SP: Beer 19.52/64'0½"; LJ: Pani 7.65/25'1½". **28.6. Monaco.** 100m: (A) Gres 10.4, Fenouil 10.4 . . . 6, JOHN KNOWLES 10.8; (B) Bourne 10.4 . . . 4, MIKE HAUCK 10.8; 200m (B): HAUCK 21.7, Geiger (WG) 22.0, KNOWLES 22.0; 1500m: Nicolas 3:40.9, Vervoort 3:41.4, Colin 3:41.6; 3000mSC: Villain 8:40.4, Texereau 8:51.2, JOHN BICOURT 8:55.4; 110mH: Drut 14.0, Malrieu 14.0, Schoebel 14.2, STU STOREY 14.2, Corval 14.2; 400mH: JOHN COOPER 51.7, Perinelle 51.9, Pollet-Villard 52.2, STOREY 52.8; PV: Engel (WG) 4.90/16'1"; 4x100m: France 39.7; women's 100m: Telliez 11.5; 400m: Besson 53.4 (eq. 1969 world best), Jacq 54.8, JENNY PAWSEY 55.0. **29.6. Paris.** 400mH: Huard 51.2.

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Spotlight on Youth

THIS week-end's English Schools' Championships will see the hopes and ambitions of hundreds of young athletes raised and dashed, while others, the cream of the cream, will come through to triumph and fulfil their wildest dreams so far and win an English Schools' title. Whatever happens at Motspur Park, it will be an exciting and spectacular two days of top class schools athletics once again—two of the most hectic days in the Summer's calendar. Spare a thought then, for those unlucky ones who did not make it. Contrasting oddly with a well organised and pleasant meeting, the Surrey Schools' selections feature some astonishing omissions from the championships at their home ground of Motspur Park. The most glaring is that of Noreen Morrison—intermediate high jumper who has cleared 1.60/5'3" this year at the age of 14. Apparently that counted for nothing. Also missed out are youth 800m man Peter Bray (1:58.9) and 5:59.8 steeplechaser David Ashbourne. Two good intermediate girl half-milers not considered good enough to represent their counties are Linda Motton (16) of Essex, who came close to beating Southern Champion Pat Bagley at Newham on June 28th, and Diana Marchment (15) of Surrey, who found 2:22.6 leading all the way in blustery conditions insufficient to satisfy the unsympathetic county selectors. Maureen Huggins (15) is a little unlucky to be a London schoolgirl, and running 2:21.3 behind Bagley and Ann Dunn, was shut out of a selected place.

Two athletes who seem to thrive on the big occasions are Watford's Mary Sonner (14) and Norfolk Olympiads' reigning senior mile Champion Paul Dennis (18). Mary served notice of her form to her intermediate 800m rivals by clocking 2:14.9 all on her own at Welwyn on June 22nd, and Paul sharpened up for his clash with Phil Banning in the Schools' with a 3:55.9 in the Norfolk championships. Worth watching, these two.

Competition maintained its boiling point level during the weekend of June 28th/29th, but was surely headed by Derek Price's superlative win in the Northern SENIOR 400m. Battling up the home stretch with ESAA Champion Jon English (19), 17-year-old Derek cut half a second off his best in breasting the tape in 47.8; which, besides lowering his NUTS Youth record (under 18) is the fastest ever by a British boy of 17, John Wilson (QPH) setting the previous best of 48.1m at that age in 1966. Meanwhile on the field at Blackburn in the same meeting, youth Guy Dirkin (16) was busy adding the Junior Discus title to his collection, his best throw with the 1½ kilo implement clunking into the turf 52.40/171'11" away from the circle, thus maintaining his supremacy over both Youth and Junior throwers this year. At Hemel Hempstead on June 29th, Steve Chappell (17) of Dr. Challenor's School improved a massive 2'9" on last year in levering himself over 4.26/14'0" in the pole vault, and gives Stuart Tufton (18) something to think about. Though windy, the nifty 11.2 clocking for 80 yards hurdles by Mit-cham's Jennifer Richardson (14) during the Surrey Schools' is worth noting—Jennifer and Nnenna

ASHBY-DE-LA-ZOUCH SHOW

BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY, 1st SEPTEMBER, 1969

CALKE PARK, TICKNALL, DERBYSHIRE

ATHLETICS & CYCLE RACE MEETING

(Under B.C.F., A.A.A., W.A.A.A. & R.W.A. Rules)

Incorporating The 1969 National 5 Miles Grass Track Cycling Championship

Programme commences 1.30 p.m. prompt

Closing date for entries in all events Saturday, 9th August, 1969

SCHEDULE OF ATHLETIC EVENTS

		Prize Values	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
9.	100 yds. Handicap—Ladies	...	£5	£3	£1	—
10.	220 yds. Handicap—Ladies	...	£5	£3	£1	—
11.	440 yds. Handicap—Ladies	...	£6	£3	£1	—
12.	880 yds. Handicap—Ladies	...	£6	£3	£1	—
13.	100 yds. Handicap—Men	...	£6	£3	£1	—
14.	220 yds. Handicap—Men	...	£6	£3	£1	—
15.	One-mile Handicap—Men	...	£6	£3	£1	—
16.	Three-Mile Handicap—Men	...	£8	£4	£2	£1

Entry Fee: 2/- each Entry. Application for Entry Forms and Athletic Entries to: G. A. Tivey, Esq., "Dil Khusha," 4 School Lane, Stapleton, Leicester. LE9 8JR.

SCHEDULE OF WALKING EVENTS

		Prize Values	1st	2nd	3rd
18.	1½ Mile Walk Handicap—Ladies	...	£6	£3	£2
19.	2 Mile Walk Handicap—Men	...	£6	£3	£2

(First Junior under 19 years of age on 1st September, 1969: £1—Class 19 only)

Entry Fee: 2/- each Entry. Application for Entry Forms and Walking Entries to: J. J. Nutt, Esq., 3 Archery Close, Countesthorpe, Leicester. Tel.: Wigston 3440.

The Promoters reserve the right to withdraw any event for which there are insufficient entries.

Njoku (14) of Stretford clash today in the Schools' final.

News has only just reached me of a gigantic youth hammer throw of 66.14/217'0" by 16-year-old Stan Douglas (Stanley Grammar School) at Houghton on June 21st. This is easily an all-time youth best, and deserves more details, which we will endeavour to provide when available. Another great prospect from the North East and Gateshead Harriers is David Lowes (16), young middle-distance runner coached by Stan Long. On June 25th at Gateshead, Dave ran a handicap mile off 30y in 4:11.5 which Stan feels is worth about 4:16.0. I liked the reference to Lindsay Smith's run at Leicester on June 28th in the "Sunday Mercury": "Smith equalled his British Youth 100 metres record with 13.5 sec" ran the copy—the fact that Lindsay had ten 3ft high hurdles in the way was considered an irrelevant detail obviously! Can anyone beat Wayne Morgan's time of 12.1 for 100 metres? Wayne, of Bramhall County Grammar School, is just 12 years and 5 months old—I'd be interested to learn of anyone of similar age running faster.

Dave Cocksedge

Young Athletes' Results

ESSEX SCHOOLS CHAMPIONSHIPS

At Chelmsford, June 14th

(Under 20) 200: D. Thomas 22.6. 400: E. Coffee 49.0. 800: M. Boxall 1:57.4. 1500: C. Tilley 4:02.5. 400H: 1, G. Robertson 58.5; 2, M. Oxley 59.1; 3, M. Mulqueen 59.1; 4, R. Collins 59.5. 2000mSC: S. West 6:02.1. 5000mW: D. Holly 24:54.0. HJ: R. Blake 1.84/6'0". PV: 1, S. Tufton 3.92/12'10". 2, R. Reeves 3.64/11'11". TJ: 1, P. Johnson 13.75/45'1". 2, P. Camp 13.73/45'0". 3, P. Cubitt 13.51/44'4". SP: S. Francis 14.56/47'9". DT: M. Suggett 45.86/150'5". HT: 1, B. Stebbings 59.36/194'9". 2, A. Woods 55.54/182'2". JT: R. Hare 52.40/171'11". 4x100: 1, Mid-Essex 44.4; 2, Newham 44.5. (Intermediate Boys) 100m: R. Woodall 11.4. 200: M. Blackman 22.7. 400: C. Clemas 51.9. 800: S. Gregory 2:02.0. 1500: B. Smith 4:03.6. 1000mSC: 1, R. Williams 2:49.0; 2, M. Sherry 2:54.0; 3, I. Michael 3:00.0. 3000mW: A. Grant 14:43.4. HJ: 1, D. Davey 1.70/5'7". 2, R. Gardner 1.70. PV: D. Sharp 3.20/10'6". TJ: G. Ezenwa 13.58/44'6". 2, Cockell 13.33/43'8". SP: Hutley 14.07/46'2". DT: Bevan 45.16/148'2". HT: Robinson 54.13/177'7". JT: Nunn 49.56/162'7". 4x100: Waltham Forest 45.6. (Junior Boys) 3000mW: L. Dordoy 14:49.2. TJ: M. Brown 12.46/40'10". DT: C. Gardner 40.26/132'1". HT: Curtis 40.08/131'6". JT: D. Otley 51.18/167'11". (Senior Girls) 800: B. Key 2:17.3. 100mH: J. Philp 15.0. HJ: E. Butler 1.52/5'0". SP: J. Bloss 12.44/40'9". JT: L. Edwards 33.20/108'11". (Intermediate Girls) 100m: P. Shiels 12.8. 150y: 1, S. Richardson 17.7; 2, Raylor 17.8. 800: 1, G. Coleman 2:20.6; 2, L. Motton 2:23.5; 3, C. Brannon 2:25.3. 80yH: L. Benton 12.5. HJ: L. White 1.46/4'9". SP: 1, M. Argent 9.36/30'8". 2, S. Oldhams 8.28/30'5". JT: 1, Brunger 32.61/107'0". 2, Jones 31.98/104'11"; 3, Hobden 31.70/104'0". 4x100: 1, Waltham For.

50.6; 2, Havering 50.6. (Junior Girls) 150y: S. King 18.1. 800: 1, B. Watts 2:21.2; 2, L. Smith 2:27.3; 3, A. Ekperigan 2:27.3; 4, D. Riley 2:27.5. 80yH: 1, T. Pendle 12.0; 2, Harmon 12.1; 3, J. Batty 12.1. HJ: N. Dolly 1.47/4'10". LJ: 1, S. Edmunds 4.95/16'3". 2, J. Thompson 4.80/16'1". SP: 1, G. Bowman 9.65/31'8". 2, S. Tribe 9.38/30'9". DT: E. Shipton 29.49/96'9". JT: M. Waterfield 27.44/90'0".

WARWICKSHIRE SCHOOLS' CHAMPIONSHIPS

At Solihull, June 14th

(Under 20) 400m: D. Caro 50.9. 800: M. Mills 1:53.7. 1500: R. Smedley 3:55.8. 5000: J. Kendrick 14:58.4. 2000mSC: J. Wheway 5:55.0. 4x100: Warwick City 43.9. HJ: G. Hill 1.72/5'7". LJ: P. Hadfield 6.53/21'5". TJ: Shaw 13.50/44'3". SP: H. Bosworth 16.56/54'4". JT: H. Vane 52.53/172'4". (Intermediate Boys) 200m: A. Hadley 23.5. 400: I. Roberts 52.9. 800: G. Riley 2:03.0. 1500: D. Glassborow 4:11.6. 1000mSC: V. Rollason 2:51.2. 100mH: R. Cartwright 14.3. 4x100: Birmingham 44.0. HJ: G. Warner 1.67/5'6". LJ: Bryan 6.26/20'6". TJ: J. Oakley 13.08/42'11". SP: B. Wright 15.83/51'11". DT: Hunter 47.85/157'0". HT: K. Johnston 43.49/142'8". JT: D. Weller 49.30/161'9". (Junior Boys) 100m: J. Twomey 11.7. 200: P. Kennedy 23.9. 400: P. Smith 55.4. 800: G. Lucas 2:09.3. 1500: G. Cosgrave 4:17.6. 80yH: M. Phillips 11.7. 4x100: Coventry 47.3. HJ: M. Williams 1.56/5'1". LJ: G. Lindsay 5.56/18'3". TJ: K. Richards 12.04/39'6". DT: P. Oberadovic 41.96/137'8". JT: Hood 40.44/132'8". (Senior Girls) 100m: S. Green 12.3. 880: A. Lovell 2:16.0. 100mH: S. Scott 14.1. 4x100: Coventry 49.5. HJ: I. Salmon 1.49/4'11". DT: S. Pasquetti 35.31/115'10". JT: A. King 36.73/120'6". (Intermediate Girls) 100m: G. Blythe 12.7. 150y: J. Honick 17.2. 800: J. Dalton 2:22.8. 80mH: B. Thompson 12.3. 4x100: Birmingham 49.5. HJ: J. Deer 1.49/4'11". LJ: Y. Kirby 5.26/17'3". SP: L. Tunney 11.41/37'5". DT: B. Jones 35.59/116'9". JT: S. Corbett 38.58/126'7". (Junior Girls) 100m: S. Lannaman 12.3. 150y: V. Webster 17.1. 800: H. Campbell 2:19.0. 80yH: J. Leeson 12.9. 4x100: Birmingham 50.7. HJ: J. Simms 1.47/4'10". LJ: L. Benson 5.05/16'7". SP: E. Carnell 9.58/31'5".

SURREY SCHOOLS CHAMPIONSHIPS

At Motspur Park, June 19th and 21st

(Under 20) 100m: 1, S. Penn 11.2w; 2, G. Garland 11.3w. 200: 1, S. Moreton 22.8w; 2, A. Parkin 23.1w. 400: 1, E. Forman 51.0; 2, R. Sugunasasinga 51.3; 3, C. Goscomb 51.9; 4, P. Wilshire 51.9. 800: (58.1 bell) 1, E. Hartell 1:54.3; 2, R. Martin 1:54.6; 3, M. Fromant 1:56.6; 4, A. Owers 1:58.3. 1500: (June 19th) 1, M. Dennison 3:57.9; 2, I. Hicks 3:59.5; 3, R. Nother 4:01.2. 3000: 1, J. Lane 8:21.6 (AAA Junior Best this year); 2, P. Adams 8:51.8. 110H: J. Leslie 15.5. 400H: 1, A. Kennedy 55.1; 2, C. Marshall 59.5. 2000mSC: 1, S. Mitchell 6:00.0; 2, D. Ashbourne 6:04.6. HJ: 1, T. Grieg 1.71/5'7". 2, F. Edgeson 1.71/5'7". LJ: 1, D. Christmas 6.57/21'6". 2, B. Green 6.51/21'4". TJ: S. Wood 13.92/45'8". SP: D. Rough 15.33/

50.3½"; 2, D. Thorogate 13.75/45'14". DT: 1, B. Moxham 43.34/142'2"; 2, N. Grinstead 43.20/142'0"; 3, Reinhardt 40.10/131'6". HT: Stahelin 41.84/137'3". JT: 1, D. Shepard 55.60/182'5"; 2, P. Windsor 53.28/174'9"; 3, B. Drewett 51.42/168'8". 4x100: 1, Weybridge 44.2; 2, Epsom 44.3; 3, Sutton 44.4; 4, Merton 44.4. (Intermediate Boys) 100m: M. Dix 11.7. 200: 1, N. Dowling 22.8w; 2, M. Caswell 23.3w; 3, J. Kudrewicz 23.3w. 400: R. Simmons 53.0. 800: 1, J. Watts 2:01.0; 2, P. Kitchenside 2:02.7; 3, M. Well 2:04.1. 1500: 1, P. Francis 4:11.9; 2, J. Yates 4:12.6; 3, J. Stowe 4:13.9; 4, J. Lee 4:14.8. 110yH: 1, G. Peckham 14.5; 2, K. Johnson 14.6; 3, J. Kelsall 15.1. 1000mSC: 1, P. Bray 2:56.7; 2, Wilks 2:59.1; 3, R. Harrard 3:01.3; 4, P. Bresslin 3:07.7. HJ: C. Elson 1.72/5'8". PV: 1, B. Hooper 3.46/11'4½"; 2, C. Harwood 3.15/10'4". LJ: 1, W. Boyd 6.12/20'1"; 2, J. Nettel 5.89/19'4". TJ: D. Ferris 13.04/42'9½". DT: R. Norse 50.95/167'2"; 2, B. Hagen 48.55/159'3". JT: S. Morris 56.44/185'2". (Junior Boys) 100m: D. Pope 11.8. 200: 1, Johnson 24.1w. 400: M. Darville 55.0. 800: 1, P. Baxter 2:02.5; 2, C. Taylor 2:02.7. 1500: 1, D. O'Sullivan 4:25.9; 2, P. Watters 4:30.5. 80yH: 1, A. Camis 11.2; 2, D. Weal 11.3. LJ: A. Tait 5.94/19'6". PV: T. Nicholson 2.91/9'6½". JT: P. Slark 39.98/131'2". (Senior Girls) 100mH: 1, B. Corbett 14.5w; 2, S. Smyth 15.5w; 3, J. Singer 16.0w. HJ: 1, S. Hatherley 1.47/4'10"; 2, S. Bolton 1.47/4'10". LJ: 1, B. Barrett 6.05/19'10½"; 2, S. Oldall 5.62/18'5½"; 3, A. Powell 5.20/17'0½". SP: M. Van der Laan 9.54/31'3½". DT: J. Clowes 33.11/108'7". JT: L. Morse 35.12/115'2"; 2, J. Spencer 31.46/103.2. (Intermediate Girls) 100m: 1, J. Stroud 12.3w; 2, S. Knight 12.7w; 3, W. Ager 12.9w. 150y: 1, I. Grant 17.7; 2, J. Tagg 17.9; 3, A. Tedder 18.0. 800: 1, D. Marchment 2:22.6; 2, W. Kiener 2:24.0; 3, M. Townsend 2:26.0. 80mH: 1, C. Childs 12.4; 2, L. Spriggs 12.6; 3, L. Coward 12.7; 4, P. Deacon 12.7; 5, C. Fryer 12.9. HJ: N. Morrison 1.47/4'10". LJ: 1, C. Timms 5.31/17'5"; 2, J. Dudley 5.18/17'0"; 3, P. Haseldine 4.95/16'3". DT: M. Fuller 33.28/109'2". JT: J. Champion 33.48/109'10". 4x100: Croydon 51.4. (Junior Girls) 100m: 1, R. Leech 12.7w; 2, J. Brown 12.8w. 150y: 1, S. Howard 17.8w; 2, A. Harris 18.0w. 800: 1, K. Marsh 2:27.7; 2, H. Penfold 2:28.6; 3, A. Fennell 2:29.1; 4, J. Poyner 2:29.5; 5, L. Marilton 2:30.5. 80yH: 1, J. Richardson 11.2w; 2, L. Booth 11.4w; 3, L. Stephenson 11.9w. HJ: McCarty 1.42/4'8". LJ: 1, S. Rosbotham 5.14/16'10½"; 2, J. Snelling 5.07/16'7½". SP: M. Cook 10.60/34'9½". DT: S. Shaw 28.54/93'7". JT: 1, D. Hall 29.52/96'10"; 2, J. O'Mahoney 28.62/93'10".

Warwick County Schools' Championships, at Leamington, June 7th. 100/200m: Hamilton 10.9/22.8. 1500: R. Smedley 3:56.0. 4x100: Sutton 44.6. TJ: Rawle 13.23/43'5½". (Intermediate Boys) 100m: Burbridge 11.5. 200: Harris 23.3. 1000mSC: Bates 3:06.4. 100mH: Young 14.9. 4x100: Mid Wks 46.5. JT: Bates 51.79/169'11". (Senior Girls) 200/100mH: Robinson 25.8/14.7. 800: Mackay 2:21.5. (Intermediate Girls) 100m: Blythe 12.6. (Junior Girls) 150y: Evans 18.4. 800: H. Campbell 2:20.6. 80mH: Leeson 11.9. SP: Carnell 9.23/30'3½".

Dorset Schools' Championships, at Weymouth, June 14th. 100m: L. Thorburn 11.2. 4x100: N. Dorset 45.1. SP: R. Quarshie 13.80/45'3½". DT: D. Rees 41.17/135'1". (Intermediate Boys) TJ: D. Fiengold 13.42/44'0½"; 2, P. Cole 13.17/43'2½". DT: Tambling 45.82/150'4". JT: De Crenmer 50.90/167'0". (Senior Girls) 100m: F. Fanning 12.9. 200: H. Thornburn 26.8. DT: S. Studley 30.40/99'9". JT: Mason 32.41/106'4". (Intermediate Girls) 80mH: V. Trevett 12.3. LJ: Clarke 5.01/16'5½". Junior Girls' LJ: Holloway 4.77/15'8". Minor Girls' LJ: E. Mullins 4.84/15'10½".

BOROUGH OF HILLINGDON SCHOOLS' CHAMPIONSHIPS

(Under 20) 400H: Hughes 58.7. HT: K. Watkinson 49.81/163'5". (Intermediate Boys) 1000mSC: Tonn 3:05.4. SP: Hunt 14.53/47'8½". DT: Hills 45.01/147'8". HT: Bradley 42.24/138'7". (Junior Boys) 200: Davis 23.1. PV: Andrews 2.74/9'0". (Senior Girls) JT: Grover 30.10/98'9". (Intermediate Girls) 150y: Rowley 18.1. 800: Foster 2:24.5. 80mH: 1, Williams 12.5; 2, Marjohn 12.5. HJ: Howe 1.48/4'10½". LJ: Foster 4.94/16'2½". DT: Keeble 34.32/112'7". (Junior Girls) 800: 1, L. Marchant 2:22.7; 2, Price 2:23.2. LJ: Leverett 4.70/15'5".

Norfolk Schools' Championships, at Norwich, June 21st. (Under 20) 400: E. Hook 51.4. 1500: P. Dennis 3:55.9. 110H: C. Rackham 15.9. HJ: K. Whitall 1.70/5'7". (Intermediate Boys) 400: K. Howlett 51.0. 800: N. Denny 2:03.6. 1500: A. Goldsmith 4:18.7. 1000mSC: S. Nice 3:34.4den8. R. Farrell 47.68/156'5". (Junior Boys) 400: T. Ford 54.7. 1500: K. Steere 4:19.2. 80yH: J. Bean 11.2. HT: R. McCrindle 38.42/126'0". (Intermediate Girls) 150y: S. White 17.5. 800: D. Savory 2:25.7. 80mH: J. Ogalbe 12.6. LJ: A. Masters 4.96/16'3½". SP: G. Bird 10.08/33'1". (Junior Girls) 150y: E. Nicol 17.9. 80yH: S. Poulson 12.1. 800: 1, S. Peacock 2:37.2; 2, P. Smith 2:37.6.

Middlesex Schools Championships, at Hendon, June 14th. (Under 20) 100m: 1, P. Pinnington 11.0; 2, B. Burgess 11.5. 200: 1, R. Kislingbury 22.6; 2, M. Ellis 23.0. 400: 1, M. Cauldwell 50.8; 2, C. Teach 50.9; 3, D. Rees 51.7. 110H: N. Demetriou 15.8. 400H: P. Young 59.5. 2000mSC: T. Beagent 6:12.6. 5000mW: 1, P. Duckett 23:22.4; 2, S. Chance 23:39.0; 3, May 25:34.4. HJ: C. Seagrave 1.78/5'10"; 2, R. Addison 1.75/5'9". PV: I. Howard 3.35/11'0". LJ: 1, A. Gaughan 6.88/22'7"; 2, J. Brant 6.40/21'0". TJ: M. Began 13.40/43'11½". DT: 1, C. Rawlings 43.92/144'1"; 2, J. Follett 41.16/135'0". SP: 1, Kazmierczak 14.51/47'7½"; 2, A. Crick 14.32/47'0". HT: K. Watkinson 52.44/171'11". JT: Harrison 52.32/171'8". (Intermediate Boys) 100m: E. Biggs 11.5. 200: 1, A. Rose 22.6; 2, J. Deller 23.1; 3, R. Ironton 23.4. 400: 1, S. Pounder 51.8; 2, P. McCoy 52.2; 3, K. Byroe 52.3. 800: 1, S. Tingle 2:00.9; 2, A. Bentley 2:01.4; 3, D. Price 2:01.9; 4, I. Freeman 2:02.4. 1500: 1, D. Miller 4:05.7; 2, P. Gregory 4:06.1; 3, D. Butler 4:12.1; 4, B. Johnson 4:13.0. 110yH: 1, L. Thompson 14.5; 2, S. Brown 15.0; 3, K. Downey 15.2. 1000mSC: 1, J. Davies 2:45.8; 2, J. Ovenden 2:47.6; 3, N. Saunders 2:55.2; 4, C. Ray 2:55.2;

5, K. Brown 2:58.3; 6, A. Feerick 2:59.5. 3000mW: 1, B. Shortland 16:46.8; 2, D. Reedy 16:46.8. HJ: 1, W. Eglinton 1.73/5'8"; 2, R. Hunte 1.73/5'8". LJ: 1, D. Porter 6.58/21'7"; 2, J. Rainnie 6.13/20'1½"; 3, M. Cobb 6.08/19'11½". TJ: R. Philips 13.28/

Thomas 4.92/16'1½"; 2, Hamilton 4.87/15'11½". SP: Matthews 10.47/34'4½". JT: Bishop 27.71/90'11". 4x100: South London 52.0.

LONDON SCHOOLS CHAMPIONSHIPS

At Crystal Palace, June 14th

(Under 20) 100m: 1, S. Alagoa 10.8; 2, Roff 11.2. 200: 1, S. White 21.7; 2, J. Gostellow 22.2; 3, Nicholls 22.7. 400: 1, P. A. Martin (Guest) 48.6; 2, J. Sam 48.9; 3, Fraser 50.8. 800: (55 bell) N. Bailey 1:55.3. 110H: Deeks 16.0. 400H: 1, H. St. Aimee 56.6; 2, Howard 56.8. 2000mSC: S. Bond 6:22.8. 4x100: South London 43.7. HJ: 1, C. Alexander 1.77/5'9½"; 2, A. Bent 1.77/5'9½". PV: 1, J. Fenge (ESAA Champion) 3.75/12'3½"; 2, I. Adlington 3.65/12'0"; 3, Furey 3.20/10'6". LJ: 1, L. Sullivan 6.64/21'9½"; 2, Redwood 6.50/21'4". TJ: 1, P. Bing 14.44/47'4½"; 2, C. Colman 14.43/47'4½"; 3, D. Pusey 13.72/45'0½". SP: Brooks 14.08/46'2½". DT: Hill 42.44/139'3". JT: M. Gavrilovic 60.98/200'0". (Intermediate Boys) 100m: 1, Hyde 11.2; 2, Morrowy 11.3; 3, P. Fitton 11.5. 200: 1, Wiltshire 22.6; 2, See 22.8; 3, Brennan 23.8 (23.7 ht). In heats: Heath 22.8. 400: 1, Johnson 51.7; 2, Bloice 51.9; 3, D. Bargery 52.3. 800: 1, D. Thomas 1:57.8; 2, Johnson 1:58.0; 3, G. Walsh 1:59.5; 4, A. Cummings 2:01.2. 1500: 1, P. Carton 4:11.5; 2, L. Dunnett 4:17.0. 110yH: (Course under-distance) 1, D. Danvers 13.7; 2, F. Chance 13.8; 3, R. Tallis 14.1; 4, Glain 14.1. 1000mSC: 1, G. Duffy 3:01.0; 2, Roye 3:02.3. 4x100: 1, South London 44.7; 2, Hackney 44.9. HJ: J. Osibo 1.78/5'10". PV: 1, Williams 3.37/11'0½"; 2, I. Adlington 3.27/10'8½". LJ: 1, Gorley 6.29/20'7½"; 2, Stovell 6.14/20'1½"; 3, Gangadeen 6.13/20'1½". TJ: Jedras 12.91/42'4½". SP: 1, Oliver 15.34/50'4"; 2, Taylor 14.31/46'11½"; 3, Roberts 14.29/46'10½". DT: 1, Philp 47.45/155'8"; 2, Marowski 47.30/155'2"; 3, Barr 44.89/147'3". (Junior Boys) 100m: D. Jones 12.0 (12.0 ht). 200: Grato 23.8. 400: 1, Morgan 55.2; 2, Blake 55.4. 800: McGurk 2:09.0. 1500: Silvester 4:32.2. 80yH: 1, Thomas 10.9; 2, Vassell 11.0 (10.8 ht); 3, Perkins 11.1. TJ: Makin 11.83/38'9½". SP: (7lb) Harradine 12.66/41'6½". DT: Smith 45.04/147'9". JT: 1, Wade 44.92/147'4"; 2, Robinson 44.84/147'1". (Senior Girls) 100m: Lacombe 12.8 (12.7 ht). 800: E. Barnes 2:15.2. HJ: Westhof 1.46/4'9½". (Intermediate Girls) 100m: 1, A. Lynch 12.1 (12.0 ht); 2, Bailey 13.0 (12.8 ht). Murrian 12.7 ht. 150y: 1, M. Neufville 16.6; 2, Odiatou 17.4; 3, Vassell 17.5. 800: 1, P. Bagley 2:16.6; 2, A. Dunn 2:18.2; 3, M. Huggins 2:21.3. 80mH: 1, Webster 12.2; 2, Robinson 12.7. HJ: 1, Bradford 1.51/4'11½"; 2, Cornish 1.49/4'10½". LJ: 1, Y. Gibbons 5.33/17'5½"; 2, Cochrane 5.00/16'5"; 3, Toussaint 4.96/16'3½". SP: Redford 9.80/32'1½". JT: 1, M. Millbank 33.31/109'3"; 2, Tear 31.95/104'10". (Junior Girls) 100m: 1, Gaiber 12.8 (12.6 ht); 2, Lynch 13.2 (12.8 ht). 150y: 1, Carter 17.7; 2, Johnson 18.0 (17.9); 3, Thornley 18.2 (18.0 ht). 800: 1, L. Cobden 2:18.8; 2, M. Parris 2:21.1; 3, Francis 2:25.0; 4, Haye 2:25.4. 80yH: 1, Mason 11.8; 2, Coles 12.0. HJ: Toppin 1.44/4'8½". LJ: 1,

KENT SCHOOLS CHAMPIONSHIPS

At Upbury Manor School, June 21st

(Under 20) 100m: 1, J. Cooper 11.6 (11.4 ht); 2, M. Hydes 11.6. 200m: Stacey 22.9. 800m: W. Barrows 1:57.8. 5000m: C. Morrish 15.45.8. 110mH: Scragg 16.6. 400mH: Holman 61.2. (Intermediate Boys) 100m: R. Wilkins 11.5. 200m: D. Mortlock 23.5. 400m: K. Downs 53.5. 1500m: D. Goodsall 4:10.8. 110yH: 1, Fenn 15.0; 2, D. Button 15.1; 3, M. Turner 15.1. SP: Purdy 15.67/51'0½". DT: Cox 47.63/156'3"; 2, Bayford 44.58/146'3"; 3, I. Sampson 40.47/132'9". 4x100m: W. Kent 46.5. (Junior Boys) 200m: 1, D. Uto 23.9; 2, A. Turner 23.9. 400m: 1, S. Barnes 55.6 (54.9 ht); 2, R. Tolly 55.7. 1500m: N. Webb 4:30.3. JT: Bridger 147'4". 4x100m: N.W. Kent 48.3. (Senior Girls) 100mH: J. Byng 14.8; 2, Marsh 15.9. HJ: D. Wickenden 1.50/4'11½". LJ: J. Catlett 5.24/17'2½". DT: J. Lucas 39.42/129'4". (Intermediate Girls) 100m: 1, Ingram 12.7; 2, Sealey 12.9. 150: 1, S. Mantle (17.7 ht). 800: Z. Myers 2:29.4. 80mH: 1, C. Holland 12.8; 2, H. Elford 12.8; 3, J. Munson 12.9. HJ: W. Merrills 1.47/4'10". LJ: A. Button 5.10/16'8½". SP: D. Kerr 12.71/41'8½". DT: Bartlett 28.14/92'4". JT: N. Moseley 29.12/95'6½". 4x100m: Ashford 52.2. (Junior Girls) 100m: S. Lambie 13.0. 150: 1, C. Hooper 17.1; 2, C. Scott 17.1; 3, C. Thompson 18.3. 80yH: 1, C. Alexander 12.2; 2, J. Artlett 12.2; 3, M. Weller 12.3. HJ: H. Key 1.45/4'9½". LJ: J. Roberts 5.12/16'9½". DT: M. Robinson 25.27/82'11". JT: 1, J. Richardson 29.18/95'8½"; 2, W. Chapman 26.91/88'3½"; 3, J. Cowper-Smith 24.49/81'8". 4x100: 1, W. Kent 52.7; 2, Gillingham 53.2; 3, S.W. Kent 53.9.

Midland Women's Championships, June 28th, at Birmingham. Intermediate LJ: 1, L. Webb (Tip) 5.31/17'5"; 2, L. Emmington (P'boro) 5.13/16'10"; 3, J. Jay (Bris) 5.09/16'8½"; 4, S. Ledger (Loz) 5.09/16'8½"; 5, H. Dale (W & B) 5.08/16'8"; 6, L. Smith (Stoke) 4.88/16'0". Junior 4x100m: 1, Gloucester 52.8; 2, Cov. Godiva 53.0 (52.9 ht); 3, Newcastle (Staffs) 53.0.

Borough of Haringey Youth Championships. Boys. 100y: C. Scott (Som) 11.2. 220: J. Gratto (Horn) 24.6. Girls (17-21) 100y: B. Levy (Wood Grm) 11.4.

Peter Beaven's time of 49.2 for 440 yards is not the UK best by a 16-year-old, as stated last week. David Jenkins clocked 49.0 at the age of 16 last year. It should have been pointed out in "Spotlight on Youth" that Mary Sonner's 2:14.9m is an age record.

Dorothy Swinyard would like to hear of suitable accommodation for the Friday night (July 18th) of the Women's AAA Championships, in or near the Crystal Palace area. Contact her at 72 Rosebery Avenue, North Shields, Northumberland.

ESSEX CHAMPIONSHIPS

At Chelmsford, June 28th/29th

Decathlon: 1, D. Turner (S'end) 5,414 (11.5, 6.51, 9.72, 1.65, 54.7, 16.8, 27.81, 3.27, 36.62, 5:27.4); 2, G. Richards (Wanstead) 4,583; 3, K. Pepperill (Chelms) 4,292. **(Juniors) Pentathlon:** 1, C. Evans (Harlow) 2,420 (6.01, 55.69, 25.1, 29.48, 5:47.6); 2, H. Anderson (Ilf) 2,158; 3, P. Mahy (Ilf) 1,999. **(Youths) Pentathlon:** 1, P. Dodson (Chelms) 2,214 (5.81, 30.87, 25.5, 30.50, 5:05.4); 2, S. Gregory (Wood Grn) 2,168.

SOMERSET CHAMPIONSHIPS

At RAF Locking, June 28th

100y: 1, P. Templeton (Bris) 10.1; 2, C. Toozee (Taunton) 10.3. **220:** K. Sibley 23.4. **440:** R. Davidge (Bris) 51.3. **880:** D. Ross (M'fld) 1:53.7. **3000mSC:** G. Blackburn (West) 9:47.0. **440H:** C. Rawlings (K'wood) 59.6. **HJ:** 1, P. Templeton (Bris) 1.75/5'9"; 2, D. Salter (L'boro) 1.75. **PV:** J. White (Timsbury S) 3.55/11'0". **LJ:** D. Ayers (Taunt) 6.39/20'11". **TJ:** Davidge 13.05/42'10". **SP/DT:** R. Speed (M'fld) 13.65/44'9" & 37.75/123'10". **HT:** 1, B. Marden (BRC) 49.33/161'10"; 2, T. Nicholl (—) 44.58/146'3". **JT:** G. Hawkes (Bris) 51.84/170'1". **4x110:** Yeovil Tech. 46.5. **Junior 2000mSC:** W. Saunders (Bris) 6:26.0. **(Youths) 1000mSC:** 1, A. James (Preston S) 2:59.0; 2, A. Staynings (West) 3:02.6; 3, P. Blake (Preston) 3:02.6. **2MW:** J. Buckley (Strode S) 18:45.4. **HT:** E. Berry (Yeovil T) 37.44/122'10".

Women

100y: L. Cooke (M'fld) 11.3. **220:** 1, Cooke 26.0; 2, G. Leigh (Bris) 26.5. **440:** 1, S. Wills (M'fld) 60.2; 2, Leigh 60.8. **880:** Wills 2:19.4. **80mH:** A. Vasse (Yeovil) 13.4. **4x110y:** Millfield 52.5. **3x880:** Western 8:11.4. **LJ:** J. Savage 5.31/17'5". **SP:** J. Roberts (Waslin) 10.79/35'4". **DT:** P. Best (Yeovil) 35.15/115'4". **JT:** 1, Best 36.32/119'2"; 2, C. Johnson (R. Allen S) 35.15/115'4".

WAKEFIELD TROPHY

At Hayes, June 18th

1, Windsor, Slough & Eton 357; 2, Hayes 333; 3, Watford 330; 4, Wycombe 308; 5, Feltham 269; 6, Hillingdon 119. **100m:** Lewis (Wat) 11.2. **200:** Davie (W) 22.0. **800:** 1, Mead (Wy) 1:54.9; 2, N. Barton (Win) 1:55.9; 3, Wainer (Hay) 1:56.3. **1500:** 1, Barton 3:59.5; 2, R. Malevnr (Win) 3:59.5. **(Juniors) 100/200:** L. Kislingbury (Hayes) 11.3/23.0. **400:** Butler (Hayes) 52.3. **1500:** Baskerville (Wy) 4:16.4. **4x100:** Hayes 45.4. **(Youths) 100m:** Anderson (Wy) 12.0. **200:** 1, Webber (Wat) 24.5; 2, Anderson (Wy) 24.6. **800:** 1, Needon (Wy) 2:00.7; 2, Carty (Win) 2:01.7; 3, Butler (Fel) 2:01.8. **(Women) 100m:** Poulter (Wat) 12.5. **200:** 1, Poulter 25.6; 2, Marin (Hayes) 25.8. **400:** J. Tye (Wat) 60.0. **LJ:** Reynolds (Wat) 5.23/17'2". 2, F. Slaap (Hill) 5.13/16'10". **DT:** Keable (Enf) 34.42/112'11". **(Juniors) 200:** 1, Paisley 28.2; 2, Ward (Wat) 28.2. **800:** 1, L. Marchant (Hayes) 2:26.8. **80yH:** Mason (Fel) 12.1.

TRACK SHOES

Adidas "Tokyo" for those who want the best regardless of price. Blue suede with white trim. Made to fit like a glove, extremely light. If you don't know your Adidas size, order slightly larger than English sizes. From size 6 up, smaller sizes to order. **£8.12.6.**

Kingswell "Rapier". A really fine shoe in white kangaroo with blue trim. Slim inter-changeable, screw-in spikes. Made on an excellent last for snug fit. Size 4 to 5½ **82/6**, 6 to 11 in half-sizes **96/6**.

Gola "Olympic". Last year's best seller. The shoe with the polyurethane heel housing with deep shock absorbing cushion. The very latest in comfort—no more bruised heels. Four screw-in super quality steel spikes. Nothing to touch these at the price. Green suede kangaroo, trimmed white. Sizes 4, 4½, 5½ **77/6**, 6 to 12 in half sizes **90/6** (regret no 5, 9 or 11½).

Gola "243". Another well made shoe in white with green trim. Nylon sole with immovable moulded spike inserts and four slim, screw-in steel spikes. Double thickness shock absorbing sponge rubber heel pad. Sizes 4 to 5½ **51/6**, 6 to 11 in half sizes **60/-**.

Kingswell "Heron". Well made shoe in white with red trim, screw-in spikes. Sizes 3, 4, 5 **43/6**, 6 to 11 in half sizes **49/11**.

ROAD/TRAINING SHOES

Tiger "Cubs". Super lightweight racing shoes. Sizes 3 to 11 in half sizes. Still at the same price of **37/6**. Postage 1/6, two pairs 2/6.

Reebok Fab-RT 300. Lightweight racing/training shoe in soft natural chrome suede. New wave patterned micro-cushion sole. Light grey trimmed red. Sizes 6 to 11 in half sizes. **42/6**. **Reebok R400**. All purpose training shoe with wave patterned micro-sole. White, trimmed red. Strong, hard wearing shoe. **46/3**.

Lawrence Training Shoe in blue with white trim. Strong all-purpose shoe. Sizes 6 to 10 in half sizes. **49/9**.

Adidas "Gym". Improved model. White/black trim. Wedge heel. White micro. sole. 3 to 5 **48/6**, 5½ to 11 **53/9**.

Tiger "Marup". Lightweight racing shoe with blue nylon upper and white trim. Sizes 5 and from 6 to 11 in half sizes. Super shoe at **59/6**. Postage 1/6, two pairs 2/6.

Lawrence "Meteor". An all-white shoe with semi-ripple sole but centre of sole having small suction cups for extra grip. Superb light shoe. Sizes 6 to 11 in half sizes. **62/6**.

Czech "Botas". Made in the famous Botana factory in Czechoslovakia and a best-seller over here with reputation of being a very strong, hard wearing shoe. White supple leather uppers with red trim and blue toeguard. Flexible, very hard wearing gristle sole. Sizes 6 to 11, no half sizes. Free duffle bag with every pair. **65/-**.

Gola "Race". Green suede racing shoe, white kid stretch prevention straps. Padded collar, tongue and insole, gristle sole. Combines long wear, strength and lightness. Sizes 6 to 11 in half sizes. **85/-**.

THE SPORTS CENTRE

8 MEDWAY ST., CHATHAM, KENT

Telephone: Medway 47055

HALLIDAY AND WALTERS RUN 10.3 100 METRES

At Colwyn Bay, July 5th

ERIAS PARK ARENA again lived up to its reputation of being one of the fastest tracks in the UK. As far back as 1958, the Welsh AAA did not accept a 9.6 100y performance, achieved in the Wales v. Nigeria International, and again many expert eyebrows were raised when Don Halliday and Roger Walters streaked through to be given 10.3 in the 100m to equal the UK all-comers record. Half an hour later Terry Davies had the crowd on its feet in another fleeting sprint to clock 21.1 in the 200m, beating Mick Hauck by a tenth. England eventually won the "Cambrian Trophy" in a good match.

1, England 79; 2, Scotland 65; 3, Wales 53; 4, N. Ireland 28. 100m: 1, D. Halliday (S) 10.3; 2, R. Walters (E) 10.3; 3, J. Kilpatrick (NI) 10.4; 4, G. Carson (Guest) 10.6; 5, A. Thomas (W-J) 10.8. 200: 1, T. Davies (W) 21.1; 2, M. Hauck (E) 21.2; 3, I. Turnbull (S) 21.3; 4, M. Forrest (NI) 21.6. 400: 1, R. Gordon (S) 47.6; 2, L. Walters (E) 48.1; 3, H. Curran (W) 48.5; 4, D. Bennett (NI) 49.2. 800: 1, P. Browne (E) 1:53.0; 2, M. McLean (S) 1:53.1; 3, P. Lewis (W) 1:53.2; 4, S. Wilson (NI) 1:55.4. 1500: 1, C. Douglas (S) 3:54.0; 2, R. Roseman (E) 3:54.6; 3, F. Bell (W) 3:54.9; 4, J. Shemilt (NI) 4:00.5. 5000: 1, D. Graham (NI) 14:02.4; 2, A. Simmons (W) 14:03.2; 3, R. Wedlock (S) 14:03.4; 4, R. Newble (E) 14:05.4. 10,000: 1, F. Murray (S) 29:25.8; 2, R. Grove (E) 29:43.2; 3, M. Rowland (W) 30:20.0; 4, M. Edger (NI) 30:25.6. 110H: 1, S. Storey (E) 14.3; 2, W. Hogarth (S) 14.8; 3, A. James (W) 15.0; 4, C. Kilpatrick (NI) 15.5. 400H: 1, J. Cooper (E) 53.0; 2, A. Robertson (S) 54.0; 3, T. Alderdice (NI) 55.0; 4, W. Leyshon (W) 56.4. 3000mSC: 1, E. Pomfret (E) 8:58.2; 2, B. Hayward (W) 9:03.2; 3, W. Ewing (S) 9:05.8; 4, C. Pennington (NI) 10:24.6. 4x100: 1, England (Walters, Hauck, Knowles, Reynolds) 41.1; 2, Scotland (Halliday, Abbott, Turnbull, Nottage) 41.2; 3, Wales 42.4; N. Ireland disq. 4x400: 1, England (Walters, Cooper, Bilham, Browne) 3:13.8; 2, Scotland (Gordon, Cherry, Raylor, Walker) 3:16.1; 3, Wales 3:19.6; 4, N. Ireland 3:21.7. HJ: 1, P. Labce (W) 1.88/6'2"; 2, P. Gates (E) 1.88; 3, D. Wilson (S-J) 1.77/5'9". PV: 1, M. Bryant (E) 3.96/13'0"; 2, S. Searle (S) 3.96; 3, I. Chaliner (W) 3.65/12'0"; 4, J. Ashcroft (NI) 3.27/10'9". LJ: 1, H. Robertson (S) 7.24/23'9"; 2, P. Hudson (E) 7.18/23'6"; 3, K. Jackson (NI) 7.17/23'6"; 4, K. Lowe (W) 7.10/23'3". TJ: 1, G. Webb (W) 14.44/47'4"; 2, Robertson 14.26/46'9"; 3, A. Vincent (E) 14.02/46'0". SP: 1, S. Clark (E) 15.58/51'1"; 2, C. Longe (W) 14.78/48'6"; 3, S. McKinney (NI) 13.34/43'9"; 4, A. Black (S) 11.73/38'5". DT: 1, Longe 48.92/160'6"; 2, M. Cushion (E) 48.85/160'3"; 3, Black 42.50/139'5"; 4, T. King (NI) 35.75/117'3". HT: 1, A. Elvin (E) 58.04/190'5"; 2, E. Johnston (S) 50.29/165'0"; 3, B. Connor (NI) 46.59/152'10"; 3, W. Treharne (W) 44.38/145'7". JT: 1, R. Perkins (E) 65.10/213'8"; 2, V. Mitchell (S) 62.96/206'6"; 3,

J. James (W) 57.65/189'3"; 4, W. McCarron (NI) 51.25/168'3".

SOUTHERN CAAA RELAYS

At Uxbridge, June 24th

4x110y: 1, Thames Valley (P. Davies, J. Sexton, R. Steane, M. Reynolds) 42.7; 2, Polytechnic (R. Frith, R. Beck, S. Campbell, D. Clementi) 43.0; 3, Luton UH (I. Green, R. Hearn, J. Singleton, A. Potts) 43.2; 4, Woodford Green 43.6. 4x440: 1, Thames Valley (S. Huard, C. Mogg, J. Marsh, L. Walters) 3:16.1; 2, Poly (Clementi, D. Osborne, Beck, Campbell) 3:16.7; 3, Brighton & Hove (J. Harmes, T. Carter, I. Wilson, A. Todd) 3:18.8; 4, Reading 3:22.7; 5, Belgrave 3:23.6; 6, Woodford Green 3:29.3 (3:27.3 ht). In Heats: HHH 3:24.8.

Guildford & Godalming AC are visiting Germany for a week from August 30th, stopping at Ludenschild, near Cologne. They can accommodate a few more athletes (junior and senior men) mainly sprinters and field event specialists (including hammer throwers). Write for details to Bob Belmore, Jessimine Cottages, Chiddingfold, Surrey.

Tony Pretty (19) of Thames Valley, won a 2000mSC in 5:43.6 at Twickenham on Sunday (July 6th), with 16-year-old John Davies (TVH) second in 5:54.0.

Corrections: Susan Midgley ran 56.6 for 440y at Cleckheaton; Trevor Newey scored 6218 in Southern Decathlon.



MARTIN BILHAM

Ed Lacey

HASTINGS ATHLETIC CLUB LADIES OPEN MEETING

SATURDAY, 26th JULY, at 2.30 p.m.

ALL AGE GROUPS

Entries: 1/- individual by July 19th, to B. Griffin, 22 Githa Road, Hastings, Sussex.

Preliminary Notice

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 20th, 1969

**HALIFAX HARRIERS & A.C.
4 x 3 MILES ROAD RELAY
& YOUTHS 3 MILES ROAD RACE**

Watch A.W. for further particulars

AILSA A.A.C. GIRVAN

Senior **BYNE HILL RACE** Junior

Approx. 2½ Miles Road, 2 Miles Hill

Victory Park, Girvan — Sat., 26th July, 8 p.m.

Entries on SAAA forms, and enquiries, to Mr. S. Connell, 4 Murray Road, Girvan.

Closing date for entries Sat., 19th July

BIRCHFIELD HARRIERS

5th Annual

10 MILE OPEN ROAD RACE

(Under A.A.A. Laws)

SATURDAY, 26th JULY at 3 p.m.

Awards: 1st £7, 2nd £5, 3rd £3, 4th-10th £1 each. Teams (4 to run, 3 to count) 1st 3 at £2, 2nd 3 at 25/-, 3rd Club Ashtrays.

Entry Fees: 3/- per ind., 7/6 per team.

Entries to R. Orton, 19 Lyndon Close, Castle Bromwich, Birmingham, by 21st July.

THAMES VALLEY HARRIERS

MEETING "A"

Field	Track
7.00 Hammer	7.00 120 Hurdles
7.00 Long Jump	7.15 100 yards
7.45 Discus	7.35 440 yards
7.45 High Jump	7.55 Mile
	8.15 220 yards

MEETING "B"

7.00 Shot	7.00 440 Hurdles
7.00 Triple Jump	7.15 220 yards
7.45 Javelin	7.35 880 yards
7.45 Pole Vault	8.00 100 yards
	8.20 2 Miles

To be held at West London Stadium on:

Meeting "A": July 16th, August 6th, 1969

Meeting "B": July 30th, August 13th, 1969

Entries 15 minutes before event

WORTHING & DIST. HARRIERS SOUTH DOWNS 11 MILES OPEN ROAD RACE

2nd Annual Under AAA Laws

SATURDAY, AUGUST 16th, 1969

AT SOMPTING — Start 3 p.m.

INDIVIDUAL & TEAM (3 to score)

Entries (2/6 per runner) to H. G. Divall, 1 Slindon Close, Worthing, Sussex.

SWINDON A.C. ● READING A.C.

THE RIDGEWAY RELAY

(Under A.A.A. Laws)

10 STAGES (4xROAD, 6xCOUNTRY)

8 Seniors 3½ to 6 Miles & 2 Youths

1½ Miles Cross Country

SUNDAY, 19th OCTOBER, 1969

Starting at 12 noon

From Queen's Drive, Swindon

Inquiries to Mr. R. A. Dipper, 12 City Road, Tilehurst, Reading.

Entries to Mr. W. A. Townsend, 280 Cricklade Road, Swindon, Wilts.

BOLTON UNITED HARRIERS & A.C.
22nd Annual

RIVINGTON CUP MEETING

(Under A.A.A. Laws)

LEVERHULME PARK STADIUM, BOLTON

SATURDAY 26th JULY, 1969, at 2 p.m.

Inter-Club Events

1. Javelin—Senior
2. High Jump—Senior
3. Discus—Senior
4. Long Jump—Senior
5. 100 Metres—Senior
6. 200 Metres—Junior and Senior
7. 400 Metres—Senior
8. 800 Metres—Junior and Senior
9. 4x400 Metres Relay—Senior
10. 2,000m. S/chase—Senior
11. 1500 Metres—Senior
12. 3000 Metres Team Race—Senior
13. 4x100 Metres Relay—Senior

Mementos to all winners

Invitation Events

1. Pole Vault. Prizes valued 7gns., 5gns., 3gns.
2. 1500m Snrs. Prizes valued 7gns., 5gns., 3gns.
3. 1500m Yths. Prizes valued 5gns., 3gns., 1gn.

NCAA 10,000m CHAMPIONSHIP, 1969

Entry fee: 7/6

Entries close 14th July, to A. R. Elsyby, 51 Tong Road, Little Lever, Nr. Bolton, Lancs.

Further details of all events from A. R. Elsyby at above address.

LETTERS

NO WAY TO ENCOURAGE FIELD EVENTS

Dear Sir,

One of the pupils attending my Saturday morning Hammer school received the following from the Southern Championships Secretary on returning home from work on the evening before the Junior Championships:—

"I am very sorry to inform you that I have cancelled the Junior/Youths Hammer Throwing events owing to the fact that the Director of the Crystal Palace National Recreation Centre has just informed me that he will not allow the stadium to be used for this event. I shall arrange for your entry fee to be returned in the near future."

It is not necessary for me to describe the disappointment this means to an athlete looking forward to one of his rare opportunities for competition. Had he been travelling to the championships from one of the more remote areas he might well have set out, having booked hotel accommodation, before the letter reached him.

Can anyone supply answers to the following questions:—

- (1) Why cannot our National Sports Centre cater for one of the standard Olympic events?
- (2) If the Centre cannot cope, why was this not established months ago when it was decided to hold the Championships at Crystal Palace?
- (3) Could this sort of attitude have anything to do with our comparative lack of success in the throwing events?
- (4) Does anyone really care?

Colin N. Collis,
AAA Senior Coach

LETTERS IN BRIEF

Competition for Youngsters in the Midlands. Mr. J. D. Robinson, chairman of Bromsgrove & Redditch AC, writes: "I would partially disagree with your two recent correspondents on this subject. The areas around Birmingham are proof of this. Warwickshire won the Junior, Intermediate and Senior Schools C.C. this year and where do all these youngsters come from? They come from schools in and around the Birmingham, Kings Norton and Coventry area who organise regular competition for these lads throughout winter and summer. These schools have good liaison with clubs such as Small Heath, Coventry Godiva and Bromsgrove & Redditch, and individual coaches and advisers in these clubs liaise directly with the lads . . . I feel the onus is on the clubs to get youngsters to meetings, not on the youngsters themselves."

The Weaker Sex. Alf Sutherland, of Surrey AC (an active sprinter from 1908 to 1915), writes: "I was not amused by the comparison of men and women which John Le Masurier was wont to consider in his article (May 24th issue). Going back to 1904 one can instance performances on cinders by such as the phenomenal Harry Hutchens and Olympic champion Reggie Walker.

What performances would the former champions have done on a Tartan track? I am not against women, but we are not going to swallow this comparison—yet."

Presentation of Meetings. Mr. J. W. Lofts, hon. secretary (men's section) of Aldershot, Farnham & District AC, writes: "Surely the authorities and organisers of meetings must give consideration to whether they wish just to announce results as a sequence of figures—which will bore the uninitiated to tears—or have an announcer who can commentate and who, with lively perception, can build up enthusiasm among the spectators . . . We have allied the knowledgeable and calm announcing skill of Ron Murray with the more flamboyant style of Dave McJannet, and found this formula to be successful for the casual spectator". A spectator at the Aldershot club's Whit-sun meeting, John Jamieson of London, describes the announcing and commentating by Messrs. Murray and McJannet as "the finest it has been my pleasure to hear over a period of many years of watching athletic meetings". He adds: "Neither of these 'rich' personalities are known to me but I would go to any lengths just to enjoy an athletic meeting presented by them." Tony Miller, of London, E.5, writes: "I made my annual visit to the Southern WAAA Championships and left dissatisfied with various aspects of the presentation. The results of the track events were given out anything up to 1½ hours after the race. The field events were worse, and for some inexplicable reason they chose to announce the results in metres. OK, so we're going metric soon, but not yet. It was impossible to gauge the quality of these performances. It seems that too much is crowded into too short a time at these Championships. Would it not be possible to start earlier, say 10.30 a.m., and space out the programme a little better?"

Southern League. M. J. Davis, of Invicta AC, writes: "Congratulations to the Southern Counties for the tremendous success of their league system. Dave Cocksedge was so right; this is a real shot in the arm for athletics but not only in the higher divisions. I and many in my club have said that these are the best inter-club meetings we have competed in. However, while I can see the advantage of equal scoring for A and B strings surely there should be some credit given to the higher standard competition. I would suggest: A strings—7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2; B strings—6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1."

Don't Forget the Tape. Mr. B. J. Broad, of Bristol, writes: "Could I make a simple request which would help athletes. Please use a tape at the finish for sprint races! Not only is this more professional, and proper, but it is unfair in its absence to expect athletes to 'judge' where the finish is . . . Also, why cannot a standard entry form be devised for any or all sorts of meetings which are available at the local club? This would obviate the need for sending an SAE for a special form and surely help club secretaries organising meetings by minimising correspondence."

WALKING

EMBLETON, WESCH AND KLOPFER STAR
AT BELGRAVE INTER CLUB

Battersea Park, July 2nd

A CLOSE, humid evening did not help performances, but some exciting racing ensued. The 10km saw Wilf Wesch lead from early in the first lap to the finish and set a personal best. Colin Young and Ray Middleton were always vainly chasing hard and Canadian George Steadman along with Bob Dobson had good races. Phil Embleton, with mile splits of 6.48 and 14.05, led throughout the 5km and looked very impressive. Bill Sutherland dropped John Moullin while Amos Seddon recovered from a disqualification in the afternoon to finish fourth. With Americans Goetz Klopfer and Tom Dooley competing, the 3km was the star event. Peter Marlow, looking very sharp, was fast away to an early lead, but Klopfer, walking well, swept by to win easily. Tom Dooley gradually improved to nail Marlow on the last lap. **3Km:** 1, G. Klopfer (USA) 12.50; 2, T. Dooley (USA) 13.09; 3, P. Marlow (S'end) 13.12; 4, L. Duquemin (Bel) 13.27; 5, K. Easlea (BoE) 13.50; 6, C. Williams (If) 14.23; 7, D. Stevens 14.34; 8, P. Duncan 14.35. **5Km:** 1, P. Embleton (Met) 22:17.4; 2, W. Sutherland (H'gate) 22.45; 3, J. Moullin (Bel) 23.19; 4, A. Seddon (Enf) 23.44; 5, C. Lawton (Bel) 24.16; 6, E. Ardley (S'end) 24.20; 7, B. Hawkins (Met) 24.22; 8, C. Weston (H'gate) 25.01. **10Km:** 1, W. Wesch (Bel) 47.06; 2, C. Young (Ex. Bgls) 47.25; 3, R. Middleton (Bel) 47.49; 4, R. Coates (Bel) 48.33; 5, G. Steadman (Canada) 48.36; 6, R. Dobson (Bas) 48.50; 7, D. Rosser (S'end) 49.24; 8, C. Fogg (Enf) 49.54.

Today's events: The National Schools' Championships take place at Motspur Park and should provide the sport with several more youthful talents. By the way, Olly Caviglioli comes over especially from France in an endeavour to add another title to the one he gained last year. At Crystal Palace, we have the Southern 3000m, without, unfortunately, the Essex speedsters, Peter Marlow and Roger Mills. Up North, the gruelling Gomersal "15" takes pride of place with last year's winner, John Warhurst, a firm favourite and Wilf Wesch offering a challenge from the South. In the West, the Winterbourne "10", organised by Bristol WC, is scheduled for a 2.45 p.m. start and should see local pair, Bryan Eley and Dave Smythe, dominating proceedings with visitor Bill Sutherland.

Enfield H. Inter-club 3,200m at Enfield, July 3rd. 1, A. Seddon (Enf) 14.56; 2, G. Robinson (Enf) 15.07; 3, J. Thomas (WG) 15.45. Teams: 1, Enfield 7; 2, Woodford Grn 14.

Southend "Victory Trophy" 3000m, July 5th. 1, D. Rosser (S'end) 13.33; 2, D. Cox (S'end) 13.52.

Dobson and Armstrong shatter course record in Romford-Southend, July 5th. Despite the very warm, sunny weather those ever improving Essex distance prospects, Bob Dobson and Brian Armstrong, smashed the course record (4:21.26) pre-

viously held by Gordon Brown, by over 13 minutes! In an exciting duel lasting the entire journey, Armstrong led with Dobson on his heels until the last 800y when the Basildon man blasted by. Colin Young led home a well strung out field with his club gaining the County team title. 1, R. Dobson (Bas) 4:07.35; 2, B. Armstrong (If) 4:08.05; 3, C. Young (Ex Bg) 4:38.43; 4, J. Hedge-thorne (Ex P) 5:04.00; 5, J. Venn (S'end) 5:19.43; 6, A. Leveridge (Ex Bg). Teams: 1, Essex Bgls. 10; 2, Essex Police 15.

George Barras wins close Manchester-Blackpool. June 28th. With never more than three minutes separating them, clubmates George Barras and Guy Goodair fought out an exciting duel for the complete distance. Barras suffered from cramp around 35m but recovered to finish strongly, increasing his 40 sec. advantage to 1:27.0 by the tape. Pat Duncan, winner for the past two years had a rough time and was passed for third by Dennis Pook. Wakefield, as expected, easily took team honours. 1, G. Barras (Wake) 8:13.35; 2, G. Goodair (Wake) 8:15.07; 3, D. Pook (Hinckley) 8:26.56; 4, P. Duncan (Bel) 8:37.51; 5, L. Gwinnell (Bris) 8:43.52; 6, E. Lee (Wake) 8:45.16. Teams: 1, Wakefield 15; 2, Yorkshire WC 51; 3, Lancs. 54.

Clevedon Open 10,000m, June 21st. 1, D. Smyth (Bris) 44.55; 2, J. Kirk (Trow) 45.57; 3, T. Chorley (Bris) 49.27; 4, L. Gwinnell (Bris) 49.30; 5, D. Levy (Bris) 49.43; 6, A. Batstone (Broms & Redd) 51.28; 7, T. Moore (Bris) 52.11; 8, F. Brettell (Harbone) 55.20. Team: Bristol WC 10. Handicap: Gwinnell.

Raymond Justin 10,000m track walk, at Eastbourne, July 6th. Alan Buchanan led all the way with mile times of 7:15.4, 14:51.8, 22.32; 30.13, 37.51 and 45.18 to knock nearly 1½ minutes off his previous best. Outstanding personal bests from the two 18-year-olds Richard Evans (day after Southern 3000m win), and Don Saunders. 1, A. Buchanan (B & H) 46:49.2; 2, B. Hawkins (Met) 48:57.4; 3, R. Evans (B & H) 49:31.4; 4, D. Saunders (B & H) 50:15.8; 5, D. Boxall (B & H) 51:36.0; 6, R. Emsley (B & H) 52:07.8.

A.B.

Wallwork easy winner in Stanley "7", at Sheffield, June 28th. Ron Wallwork proved an easy winner of this race, the distance of which is certainly nearly a mile in excess of the advertised distance. John Warhurst, probably tired from his 50km exertions, was well down second, with Tony Taylor getting back to form, third. 1, R. Wallwork (Lancs WC) 58.05; 2, J. Warhurst (Sheff) 59.43; 3, A. Taylor (Lancs) 60.22.

Maun TT Walk (37½M) June 29th. Colin Young (Ex. Bgls) 6:00:08 (new Maun record).

Colin Young

The Eastern Region BMC Championships for Boys, Youths, Juniors and Seniors will be held at 3.00 p.m. on Sunday, July 20th, at Newham Avenue track, Bedford. All entries to Rod Chaplin, 15 Meredith Road, Ipswich, Suffolk. Guests may also apply.

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conditions forced him to ease off. Equally isolated in second place was Caine who, one thought, would have welcomed more signs of encouragement from non-participating team-mates during his lonesome vigil. The Czechs' indifferent running must have been a painful sight for one spectator in particular . . . Emil Zatopek. Result: 1, Wright 29:11.0; 2, Caine 29:57.6; 3, M. Vitkovic 30:15.8; 4, V. Malek 30:46.6. Score: GB 46, Cz 30.

1500m. With Ian McCafferty injured and John Whetton unavailable, Britain's representatives were Walter Wilkinson and John Kirkbride. As planned, they shared the pace but it was too slow (60.9 400m, 2:03.5 800m) to be of benefit and the Czech pair followed in comfort. Wilkinson took the third lap in 60.0 and launched a strong finishing drive, only for Pavel Penkava to surge past 50 metres out. Wilkinson covered his final lap in 56.1 but lost by five yards. Kirkbride, second with 300m to run, slipped back to last when the tempo quickened. Result: 1, Penkava 3:43.6; 2, Wilkinson 3:44.3; 3, S. Hoffman 3:45.0; 4, Kirkbride 3:48.6. Score: GB 50, Cz 37.

4x100m. Ian Green, Ralph Banthorpe and Dave Dear (receiving with an upswipe, giving with a downswipe) combined to give Lynn Davies a slender lead by the start of the anchor leg. Little by little, that advantage was whittled away and in a photo finish it was Czechoslovakia who gained the verdict. A splendid race. Result: 1, Czechoslovakia (Nemcek, Utekal, Kynos, Bohman) 40.2; 2, GB 40.2. Score: GB 52, Cz 42.

JT: This has already been quite a season for British javelin throwing and the performances here of Dave Travis and Nigel Sherlock added to that distinction. Travis opened with 67.38/221'1" and had his second ruled foul, but in the third round he knew, even before the Sandvik had left his hand, that this was THE throw. Without so much as a puff of wind to help keep it aloft it came to earth fully 81.02/265'10" away from the line—a personal best. He called it a day there and then, and now looks forward to his clash with John FitzSimons, not to mention a couple of fellows called Lusi and Murro, in Los Angeles next week-end. Sherlock (21), whose selection in preference to Dick Perkins was not entirely expected, really excelled himself in his first international. He added over 7 feet to his previous best with 75.48/247'7" to rank 6th on the UK all-time list. Of more immediate importance, he beat two men with personal bests far in excess of his own to give Britain a totally unforeseen one-two. Result: 1, Travis 81.02/265'10"; 2, Sherlock 75.48/247'7"; 3, A. Huncik 74.76/245'3"; 4, J. Bartek 72.14/236'8". Score: GB 60, Cz 45.

WOMEN

100m. Anita Neil is stronger this year, no question. Instead of fading in the closing stages, as she has sometimes in the past, she fought like a tigress against 11.2 performer Eva Gleskova to win in 11.5, equalling her personal best. Della James, suffering an off-day, was away sluggishly

and never got into the race. Result: 1, Neil 11.5; 2, Gleskova 11.5; 3, E. Putnova 11.8; 4, James 11.8. Score: GB 6, Cz 5. In a non-scoring race against three Czechs held immediately afterwards, Madeleine Cobb won easily in 11.7.

400m: What with the rain and delay caused by a "technical hitch" with the starting gun, Janet Simpson must have thought she was back in Mexico City for the Olympic semi-finals. With Lillian Board (back injury) and European champion Anna Ohmelkova absent, Janet encountered no trouble at all and ran a comfortable looking 54.2, her best of the year. Jenny Pawsey lost second place in the last 50 metres. Result: 1, Simpson 54.2; 2, L. Macounova 55.3; 3, Pawsey 55.7; 4, M. Otova 56.7. Score: GB 13, Cz 9.

100mH. What an excellent run by Chris Perera. A foot or two down on Milena Piackova (who had clocked 13.7 three days earlier) at the 6th flight, the Lancashire girl rocketed over the remaining hurdles and run-in to win clearly in 13.9. Sheila Garnett provided sound support. Result: (+ 0.3m/sec) 1, Perera 13.9; 2, Piackova 14.0; 3, Garnett 14.1; 4, E. Kucmanova 14.2. Score: GB 20, Cz 13.

HJ. Even without Olympic champion Miloslava Rezkova (only the third best Czech this season!) this promised to be a tremendous event but unfortunately the weather put paid to that. The small take-off area was reminiscent of Parliament Hill after the "National" and so one was afforded the curious sight of Linda Hedmark and Barbara Inkpen unintentionally pirouetting in front of the bar and knocking it down at the dizzy height of 1.50/4'11"! Linda, who had twisted her ankle just before the competition ("it would happen to me"), eventually made 1.60/5'3" and Barbara 1.65/5'5". The Czech girls adapted better to the appalling conditions, with Olympic 4th placer Jaroslava Valentova clearing a remarkable 1.75/5'8½". Result: 1, Valentova 1.75/5'8½"; 2, M. Mracnova 1.70/5'7"; 3, Inkpen 1.65/5'5"; 4, Hedmark 1.60/5'3". Score: GB 23, Cz 21.

JT. An undistinguished competition, spoiled from the British point of view by at least two of Sue Platt's four "fouls" being ruled flat when they looked to have landed point first. Result: 1, E. Filova 49.85/163'6"; 2, Platt 48.28/158'5"; 3, A. Farquhar 44.82/147'0"; 4, V. Antosova 44.30/145'4". Score: GB 28, Cz 27.

800m: Olympic finalists Pat Lowe and Sheila Carey came in to replace Joan Page (unavailable) and luckless Rosemary Stirling, whose foot injury sustained a few days BEFORE her 2:05.1 at Reading has worsened to the extent of her having to lay off training completely until mid-August. The first lap was very slow at 67 and Pat, unable to get in front before the last turn, made the mistake of challenging wide all round the bend. The Czech, Jaroslava Jehlickova (2:05.4 last year), was in inspired form, though, and held Pat off all the way to the tape. The second lap took just over the minute. Result: 1, Jehlickova 2:07.4; 2, Lowe 2:07.6; 3, Carey 2:10.0; 4, D. Zakova 2:12.6. Score: GB 33, Cz 33.

4x100m. The British foursome of Anita Neil, Madeleine Cobb, Maureen Tranter and Della

James won comfortably but the Czechs were without their top sprinter, Eva Gleskova—injured following the 100m. Result: 1, GB 45.5; 2, Czechoslovakia (Nygrynova, Smerdova, Vozakova, Putnova) 46.0. Score: GB 38, Cz 35.

Sunday, July 6th

MEN

20km Walk. Paul Nihill continued on his winning way with a crushing victory over Alexander Bilek, who has been credited with 88:15.8 this year. The race was held during the morning, in humid conditions, on a 1250m concrete circuit. Bilek, whose action was questionable was shadowed by Nihill until on the seventh of the 16 laps, when Paul made a decisive break. Peter Fullager swept by into second place on the 10th lap after the Czech had completely cracked. Nihill's time, made up of 5km splits of 22:20, 22:59, 22:33 and 23:30.2, was remarkably good. Result: 1, Nihill 91:22.2; 2, Fullager 95:30.6 (22:39, 23:23, 24:03, 25:25.6); 3, Bilek 97:20.6; 4, J. Bencik 99:59.8. Score: GB 68, Cz 48.

400mH: Andy Todd went out fast in the second lane and was a couple of yards ahead of John Sherwood until the final flight, when the Olympic bronze medallist—timing his effort with customary precision—surged past for a narrow win in 50.6, equalling his season's best. Todd (50.7) was pleased to have finished closer to Sherwood than ever before but disappointed at just missing his personal best. Result: 1, Sherwood 50.6; 2, Todd 50.7; 3, F. Mandlik 51.9; 4, M. Hrus 52.0. Score: GB 76, Cz 51.

200m: Ludvik Bohman ran the fastest turn, with Ralph Banthorpe 2nd, but Jiri Kynos—finishing very strongly—overtaken both. Banthorpe, who injured his foot during the race, equalled the UK season's fastest, while Dave Dear tied his lifetime best. Result: 1, Kynos 21.0; 2, Bohman 21.0; 3, Banthorpe 21.2; 4, Dear 21.3. Score: GB 79, Cz 59.

SP: This event generated much local excitement, for Miroslav Janousek raised his Czech record to 18.90/62'0" (plus 18.88/61'11½" and some 19m-plus fouls). Jeff Teale had no answer to this but following a tentative opener of 17.45/57'3" he pushed one out to a season's best of 18.24/59'10½"—then fouled four times. Jiri Skobla (39), Europe's first 18m putter and the 1954 European champion, took 3rd ahead of Geoff Capes, who was a year old when Skobla gained the first of his 48 international vests! Result: 1, Janousek 18.90/62'0"; 2, Teale 18.24/59'10½"; 3, Skobla 17.97/58'11½"; 4, Capes 17.06/55'11½". Score: GB 83, Cz 66.

800m: The British boys were hoping that Jozef Plachy and Tomas Jungwirth (1:45.9 and 1:46.8 respectively in Prague four days earlier) would lay on a fast pace, but the Czechs had other ideas. Jungwirth, younger brother of the unforgettable Stanislav, towed the field around in 56.4 and nothing decisive happened until Plachy tore from 3rd to 1st along the back straight. While Plachy streaked away, Jungwirth held off Dave Cropper—a fine example of team running. Cropper was

not to be denied, though, and he burst through to 2nd in the finishing stretch although failing to make much impression on Plachy (24.5 last 200m!), who must be rated one of the top contenders for the European title. Bob Adams came with a late run to edge past Jungwirth on the inside and gain a personal best. Still no British qualifiers for Athens though. Result: 1, Plachy 1:47.9; 2, Cropper 1:48.5; 3, Adams 1:48.7; 4, Jungwirth 1:48.9. Score: GB 88, Cz 72.

5000m. The Czechs, predictably, were very weak and the British duo had the race to themselves during the last six laps. They decided on a comfortable training spin together and came in touching hands, though the judges decided in Ian Stewart's favour. Result: 1, Stewart 14:09.6; 2, A. Blinston 14:09.6; 3, J. Jansky 14:31.4; 4, V. Duda 15:10.0. Score: GB 96, Cz 75.

3000mSC: John Jackson, running his first steepchase of the year, looked to have the race won as he passed the bell (or "gong" on this occasion) some yards ahead of Alistair Blamire and Petr Holas, but the Czech galloped into the lead just before the water jump and in a Biwott-type finish he won by over 20 yards. Blamire, clocking the second best time of his career, passed his labouring colleague in the straight. Result: 1, Holas 8:46.0; 2, Blamire 8:49.6; 3, Jackson 8:51.0; 4, P. Havel 9:00.4. Score GB 101, Cz 81.

DT. Ludvik Danek hails from Brno, and the European record holder did his fans proud with this brilliant series: 63.14, foul, 63.26, 61.90, 63.54, 64.68—four over 207ft. and another beyond 203. His colleague Jaroslav Vidrna was sufficiently inspired to throw several feet farther than ever before, while the Tancred brothers made a distinguished showing and proved to the sceptics that they can throw well away from East Anglia. Bill's 3rd effort of 57.26/187'10", which held 2nd place until the final round, equalled his former UK record of last year. Result: 1, Danek 64.68/212'2"; 2, Vidrna 60.06/197'0"; 3, W. Tancred 57.26/187'10"; 4, P. Tancred 54.12/177'6". Score: GB 104, Cz 89.

HJ: The Czech's male high jumpers are nearly as notable as their female variety and it would have needed a personal best by the British for any chance of splitting. Result: 1, R. Baudis 2.10/6'10½"; 2, L. Borodac 2.07/6'9½"; 3, M. Campbell 1.98/6'6"; 4, C. Fairbrother 1.98. Score: GB 107, Cz 97.

4x400m. A smart lead-off leg by Gwynne Griffiths in a personal best of 47.1 laid the foundations of a very comfortable victory. Colin Campbell toured his lap in 46.9, Dave Hemery and Martin Winbolt Lewis theirs in 46.4 apiece. Result: 1, GB 3:06.8; 2, Czechoslovakia (Horak, Zeman, Hegyes, Petrlik) 3:10.7. Score: GB 112, Cz 99.

TJ. The last event to finish proved particularly satisfactory, as not only did Britain score 7-4 in an event that could on paper have swung 8-3 in Czechoslovakia's favour but Tony Wadhams at last achieved a distance commensurate with his great ability. Tony said before the match that he felt ready for a 52-footer, so imagine his delight when he cut the sand at 16.18/53'1"—for

3rd place on the UK all-time list and a European qualifying standard. The runway was so fast ("I couldn't really handle it," he apologised!) that he had to take his run-up back a few feet and both he and Graham Hamlyn (who was close to his best) were stepping out to around 36ft. (10.97)—perilously close to the sand. Result: 1, Wadhams 16.18/53'1" (13.00, 15.62, 16.18, —, 15.74); 2, J. Broda 15.91/52'2½"; 3, Hamlyn 15.74/51'7½"; 4, J. Mensik 15.67/51'5". Result: GB 119, Cz 103.

WOMEN

200m. In Eva Gleskova's absence, Maureen Tranter was able to score very convincingly in 23.9, her best for the season. Della James, in her first match appearance in this event, was a struggling 3rd. Result: 1, Tranter 23.9; 2, E. Putnova 24.5; 3, James 24.6; 4, J. Smerdova 24.8. Score: GB 45, Cz 39.

DT: Rosemary Payne would have needed to raise her week-old UK record to move out of 3rd place. Result: 1, M. Simankova 52.14/171'1"; 2, H. Vyhnalova 52.08/170'10"; 3, Payne 50.14/164'6"; 4, B. Bedford 47.98/157'5". Score: GB 48, Cz 47.

1500m. Jaroslava Jehlickova, who had run so determinedly to beat Pat Lowe in the 800m, was put in at the last moment in an effort to fill the void created by the absence through injury of Emilia Privrelova (4th at Leicester). Without having trained specifically for the distance she showed that any class 800m runner should be a threat in this still under-developed event. She moved past Rita Ridley at the gong and pulled away strongly in the finishing straight to win in a Czech record of 4:20.1. Rita's 4:21, equivalent of around 4:41 for a mile, has only ever been beaten by Anne Smith among UK runners. Her lap times were 70, 2:25 and 3:38. Thelwyn Bateman, detached on the penultimate lap, set a personal best also. Result: 1, Jehlickova 4:20.1; 2, Ridley 4:21.0; 3, Bateman 4:30.2; 4, V. Vydrarova 4:47.4. Score: GB 53, Cz 53.

LJ. To keep Britain's match winning hopes alive it was imperative that Sheila Sherwood should defeat Eva Kucmanova, the girl who had finished ahead of her in Warsaw recently and who ranked number 3 in the world at 6.48/21'3½". When Eva cleared 6.40/21'0" with her second leap the magnitude of Sheila's task became more apparent, but it takes competitive flair to win an Olympic silver medal and Sheila responded in the 4th round with 6.41/21'0½" and settled the issue

with a glorious final effort of 6.47/21'2½"—over 6" farther than by this time last year. "There's a lot more to come yet, I hope," says Sheila. "John said I was jumping terribly". Bad luck for Maureen Barton: she raised her season's best to 6.29/20'7½", a fine jump but one centimetre short of the European qualifying. Result: 1, Sherwood 6.47/21'2½" (6.23, 6.24, 6.30, 6.41, —, 6.47); 2, Kucmanova 6.40/21'0"; 3, Barton 6.29/20'7½"; 4, J. Nygrynova 6.17/20'3". Score: GB 60, Cz 57.

SP. A Czech record by former teenage prodigy Vladimira Srbova. Maximum points for the home team meant that Britain had to win the 4x400m relay for match victory; otherwise it would be defeat by 5 points. Result: 1, Srbova 16.06/52'8½"; 2, H. Fibingerova 15.74/51'7½"; 3, B. Bedford 15.06/49'5"; 4, J. Quick 13.30/43'7½". Score: GB 63, Cz 65.

4x400m. When the history of heroic 400m relay runs comes to be written, the name of Pat Lowe will rank alongside those of Godfrey Rampling, Herb McKenley and Robbie Brightwell. Pat has run some great races for Britain in the past and no doubt she will continue to in the future but this was her finest minute. The race, in which the British team was still odds-on favourite, began with Jenny Pawsey handing over only inches behind Libuse Macounova in 55.5. The outgoing Pauline Attwood was baulked by Macounova, costing her about three yards, but she kept her head and judged her effort well in taking the lead with 120m to go. She built up a valuable lead of half a dozen yards in clocking 55.3 for the stage and the race looked as good as over. Then came the drama. By a combination of Pauline's fatigue (she lunged forward with the baton) and Pat's admitted carelessness (she neglected to look back) the stick dropped to the ground. While Pat slithered to a stop, turned, raced back, bent, groped for (and missed first time) the lost article, and began running again, Dobroslava Zakova was a good 20y clear. The situation, if not hopeless, was fairly desperate but Pat—ever the great fighter—rose to the challenge of her life. She relentlessly hacked down the Czech (who, poor girl, was tying up with nerves and ran only 60.0) and, astonishingly, swept past to hand a very relieved Janet Simpson a good lead. We shall never know just how fast Pat ran. The elapsed time was 56.9 but she probably lost three seconds or more! Janet came home smoothly in 53.9, and the ordeal was over. Result: 1, GB 3:41.6; 2, Cz (Macounova, Otova, Zakova, Suchankova 54.8) 3:45.7. Result: GB 68, Cz 67.

★ A French team of Michele Mombet (56.0), Eliane Jacq (53.7), Nicole Duclos (52.0!) and Colette Besson (52.5) sliced 3.4 sec. off Britain's pending world 4x400m record with 3:34.2 in Paris last Sunday.

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(Under A.A.A. Laws)

SATURDAY, 2nd AUGUST, 1969 (3 p.m.)

Starting from the University

Sports Ground, Elmhurst Road

Awards—1st, 2nd, 3rd Ind., 1st, 2nd Teams;
1st Vet.; 1st Police Team; Standards and
Certificates.

Entry Fees—Ind. 2/-. Teams (6 to run, 3 to
score 7/6.

Entries close 21st July, to Hon. Secretary
(Athletics), Reading Borough Police Station.

ATHLETIC EVENTS

Reserve This Date: **OCTOBER 4th. For:**
HAYWARDS HEATH HARRIERS'

**2nd ANNUAL
OPEN "INTERNATIONAL"
CROSS-COUNTRY RACE MEETING**
Races for Boys, Girls, Men & Women
DETAILS LATER

BROMSGROVE & REDDITCH A.C.
ANNUAL ROAD RELAYS (4x1½M)

Under AAA Laws First Race 2.30 p.m.

SATURDAY, 13th SEPTEMBER, 1969
AT THE ABBEY STADIUM, REDDITCH

Colts (Under 14 on 1.9.69)

Boys (Under 16 on 1.9.69)

Youths (Under 18 on 1.9.69)

Trophy, Plaques first 3 teams, first "B" team,
and Fastest Lap in each race.

**Entries (fees: 10/- per team, 7/6 "B" teams),
close 31st August, to Mr. J. D. Robinson,
"Chiemsee," 17 Hennals Avenue, Webbeath,
Redditch, Worcs. (Tel: Redditch 3879).**

EASTLEIGH ATHLETIC CLUB
presents under A.A.A. Laws

THE JURD TROPHY

SENIOR 5 MILES H'CAP ROAD RACE
SATURDAY, 27th SEPTEMBER, 1969

**Awards—1st, 2nd, 3rd Ind. H'cap; 1st, 2nd,
3rd Scratch; 1st, 2nd, 3rd Team (4 run, 3
score). Start 3 p.m.**

**Entry Fees: 4/- Ind., (no extra H'cap. or
Team).**

also

YOUNG ATHLETES 3M. ROAD RACE
(Scratch) Over 15, Under 18 day of race.

**Awards—1st, 2nd, 3rd Ind.; 1st, 2nd, 3rd Team
(4 run, 3 score). Start 2.30 p.m.**

Entry Fees: 3/- Ind. (no extra for team).

**Entries on A.A.A. forms to R. Dawkins, "New
Haven" Stoke Common Road, Bishopstoke,
Eastleigh, Hants.**

ENTRIES CLOSE 16th SEPTEMBER

LONDON FIRE BRIGADE A.A.

58th Annual

OPEN ATHLETIC MEETING

(Under A.A.A., W.A.A.A. and R.W.A. Laws)

SATURDAY, 30th AUGUST, at 1.30 p.m.
WHITE CITY STADIUM, LONDON, W.12

**Men's Handicaps: 100m, 400m, 1500m, 3,000
m. S'chase, 3200 Walk & Team Race (3 to
score), Jnr. 800m. Scratch (O/17 & U/19 1.9.69)
Tug-of-War (Points Comp.).**

Ladies' Handicap: 100m.

**Prizes valued: 1st £10.10.0, 2nd £5.5.0, 3rd
£2.12.0, 4th £1.5.0. Walk Team: 3 at £2.2.0,
3 at £1.5.0, 3 at £1. T.O.W. Team, 9 at £2.2.0,
9 at £1.5.0, 9 at £1.**

**Entries (2/- first, 1/- each other event) close
Wednesday, 6th August Enquiries to P. B.
Carr, Fire Stn., 44 Rosebery Av., London,
E.C.1. (Tel: 01-837 7291.).**

CARMARTHEN HARRIERS A.C.
INTERNATIONAL ATHLETIC MEET

SATURDAY, AUGUST 9th, 1969

Welsh Open 10,000 Metres. First prize
valued £10, 2nd valued £5, 3rd valued £3.

Entries, on official forms, close 26th July.
For forms and full details write to Mr. R. B.
Evans, 15 St. Clears Road, Johnstown, Car-
marthen (Carmarthen 6440).

CAMBERLEY & DISTRICT A.C.

ANNUAL ROAD RELAYS

ON SUNDAY, 5th OCTOBER, at 1.30 p.m.
AT WATCHETTS RECREATION GROUND

Senior Men — 4x3 Miles

Youths — 4x1½ Miles

Boys — 3x1½ Miles

Senior Ladies — 3x1½ Miles

Inter. Ladies — 3x1½ Miles

Junior Ladies — 3x1½ Miles

Trophies for Senior Men, Youths, Senior
Ladies and Intermediate Ladies. Medals for
first three teams in each event.

**Entries (7/6 per team) to: (Men) P. Hutch-
ings, 27 Farm Road, Frimley, Camberley, and
(Ladies) Miss S. Sandford, 3 Moor Road, Frim-
ley, Camberley, not later than 20th September.**

RYE SPORTS FESTIVAL

BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY

1st SEPTEMBER, at 1.30 p.m.

**Men: 1 mile, 880 yds., 440 yds., 220 yds., 100
yds., High Jump, Long Jump, 4x440y Relay,
2 Mile Walk.**

10 MILE ROAD RACE

with individual, veteran and team prizes

Ladies: 220 yds., 100 yds., Long Jump.

**Youths, Boys and Girls races for all age groups
from 9 years.**

Excellent prizes ● moderate entry fees

Details from R. L. Stroud, Orchard Plat, 3
Poplar Field, Wittersham, Tenterden, Kent.

**Entries on AAA & WAAA forms by August
11th.**

Also cycling events, side-shows, etc.

MAKE IT A FAMILY DAY OUT

WYCOMBE FURNITURE ROAD RACES

(Under A.A.A. Laws)

SATURDAY, 30th AUGUST, at 2.45 p.m.

SENIOR 5M. ● YOUTHS 3M.

Start: Wycombe Rye, by Swimming Pool!

**Entries to C. Bray, 63 Brands Hill Avenue,
High Wycombe. Closing date Thursday, 21st
August. Fees: Senior teams 7/6, ind. 3/6. Youth
teams 5/-, ind. 2/6 (under 18 yrs. 1.4.69).**

To be eligible for ind. prize, team runners
must also enter as ind. Teams 4 run, 3 score.

**Prizes: first 3 teams, at least first 6 ind.
First veteran & other prizes.**

VALUABLE FURNITURE PRIZES