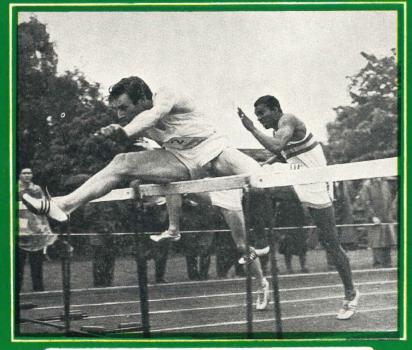
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MIKE PARKER EQUALS U.K. RECORD OF 14.3

MANCHESTER-BLACKPOOL
ROAD RELAY

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SWARD TROPHY MEETING

VALERIY BRUMEL

- "Cosmic Jumper"

v. CAMBRIDG

Overseas News-Dennis Johnson's starting, Budd ties record, etc.

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The Sports Ground, Handley Wood, Barrow Hill, near Chesterfield

— on —

SATURDAY, 1st JULY, 1961

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At 2.15 p.m.

The running and cycling track is of cinder and incorporates a 220 yards straight

OPEN EVENTS

MEN-

SCRATCH—100 yards. 220 yards. One Mile. YOUTHS—880 yards Handicap HANDICAP—100 yards. 220 yards. 880 yards. JUNIORS—880 yards Scratch Also 10 Miles Road Race (6 run, 3 score) and Tug-of-War (Catchweights)

WOMEN-

HANDICAP-100 yards. 220 yards.

CYCLING

MEN-

SCRATCH—One Lap (640 yards).

5 Miles SCRATCH

HANDICAP-880 yards.

3 miles SCRATCH (for those eliminated from 5 Miles)

ENTRY FEES—Men and Women 2/- each event. 10 Miles—2/6 Ind., 7/6 Team. Tug-of-War—10/- per team. Juniors 1/6. Youths 1/6. Cycling Events 2/9 first two events and 1/- each succeeding race.

PRIZE VALUES — £7.7.0. £5.5.0. £3.3.0 for Adult Open Races. 10 Miles, 4th £2.2.0 and 5th £1.1.0; team: 3 at £2.2.0 and 3 at £1.10.0. 1st under 21 years £1.10.0. 1st Competitor travelling over 40 miles and not otherwise a prize winner, £1.10.0 1st Employee, £1.10.0. Tug-of War 9 at £2.2.0, 9 at £1.1.0 and if sufficient entries, other semi-finalists 10/6 each..

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EVERY SATURDAY - ONE SHILLING

INTER-COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIPS

HE first really major meeting of the season is provided by the British Games, sponsored by the News of the World and incorporating the Inter-County Championships, at the White City, London, this week-end.

With so many showing top form early in the season, and many of the up and coming younger athletes challenging for places, this should be one of the most interesting meetings in this series for years. There is also the usual list of Whitsun meet-

ings too numerous to mention here.

It would seem that I was a little too optimistic a few weeks ago when suggesting that we should be able to include all important results in the following Saturday's issue. Since then we have been inundated with results with the inevitable result that a number, including the Chichester-Portsmouth "16" and Vancouver Trophy meeting, have had to be held We wish to avoid this in over until next week. future and would ask everyone sending copy for publication to keep their report accompanying the results to a minimum. Furthermore, with so many large inter-club meetings now being held-the number is increasing all the time-it is obvious that we shall have to either keep results of some of these meetings to three per event except where performances warrant more, or merely summarise the smaller inter-club fixtures. Readers' views would be appreciated—a p.c. will suffice.

Odds & Ends. Bob Sparks points out, quite rightly, that I was wrong last week in stating that the Boys would be using a larger javelin this year - only Juniors and Youths are affected . . . Len Gebbett asks me to point out that Pat Brian, 5 Lancaster Court, West Norwood, London, S.E.27, is the Secretary of the N.U.T.S., not Charles Elliott, as has been printed in several publications . . . Event Secretaries, particularly in the North, are asked to note that in these enlightened days place performances are essential; we are still getting winners' performances only, even where placed men could qualify for ranking lists, and this just is not good enough today so your co-operation would be appreciated . . . In reply to a Preston reader, the reason we have not given further details of the Preston C.C. Relay is because the extra information received was not what we asked for (particularly individuals and times in placed teams) and we did not consider the further details warranted publication . . . Attention of West Country athletes is drawn to their own area Championship Meeting at Devonport on June 17th. Few, if any West Country meetings include such a range of open field events. THE EDITOR

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Views expressed in readers' letters are not necessarily those of the Editor or the publishers

ARE JUNIOR EVENTS "OPEN"

Dear Sir.

I believe that the A.A.A. definition of a Novice is a person who at the time of competition has never won a prize in an Open Competition for the same type of event.

I also understand that County Championships are classed as Open Competitions, but are Junior County Championships, which are confined to the 17 to 19 years age group, also classed as Open Competitions?

I believe that an Open Competition has to be open to all athletes who have

reached the age of 18 years.

If a Junior County Championship is considered to be an Open Competition, then it would seem possible for a 17 yrs. old Junior to win the race and remain a novice and an 18 yrs. old Junior to finish behind him and lose his novice status. On these grounds, I should imagine that a Junior race cannot be considered to be an Open Competition. Do you agree?

Yours sincerely,

Vic Fowle

WOMEN'S PENTATHLON

Dear Sir.

I have made it a practice when in disagreement with authority to try to settle such difference by private correspondence. I disagree with the W.A.A.A. in their decision of 1959, that, "when the pentathlon is completed on one day, the 200 metres race shall be the second event to be contested. Last year I wrote to some ladies in authority and also discussed with others the order of events, suggesting that it would appear to be reasonable for this exhausting run against the clock to be the last event of the competition. This suggestion may have been discussed in committee but on this point I have no information. Having failed to get action on what I consider

to be a sensible suggestion, may I try an alternative approach?

The purpose of this letter is to ask those women's clubs who may be in agreement with me on this point, to press the W.A.A.A. to rescind their 1959 decision and to lay down that the 200 metres shall be the last event when the pentathlon is held on one day.

As a matter of interest, on Saturday, 6th May, at Welwyn Garden City the programme gave the 200m. as the last event in the pentathlon. However, the referee decided to alter the order of events to comply with the ruling of the

W.A.A.A.

Yours sincerely,

Fred Housden

BOOK REVIEW

British Best Performances of All Time, compiled by the N.U.T.S. 5s. (post free) from A. Huxtable, 78 Toynbee Road, London, S.W.20. This comprehensive compilation contains, to quote from the foreword by Harold Abrahams, "Britain's athletic V.I.P's". It is the first time a complete collection of U.K. best performances (men and women) has been published; marks are fully detailed with placing in event, meeting, venue and date. Relays are included complete with team composition. A supplement bringing the depth for the great 1960 Olympic season to 50 men's and 30 women's marks is published separately at 1s. (post free).

BARNET BOYS' RELAY April 29th

1, Luton H. & H. 41.25 (rec); 2, Mitcham 41.28; 3, Ponders End 41.41; 4, Wandsworth 41.46; 5, Walton 42.39; 6, Highgate 42.42; 7, Southgate 42.57; 8, Watford 43.06; 9, King Edward VI Sch. 43.08; 10, Ponders End "B" 43.15; 11, Shaftesbury 43.22; 12, St. Albans 43.26; 13, VPH 43.35; 14, Crown & M. 43.42; 15, Mitcham "B" 43.45; 16, Reading 43.58; 17, Welwyn 44.13; 18, Romford 44.14; 19, Barnet 44.20; 20, Luton "B" 44.40; Fastest times: K. Bird (Pond. E.) 10.04, D. Cope (Mitcham) 10.05, R. Sandford (Wandsworth) 10.05.

WALKING

by A. D. McSweeney

DON THOMPSON NATIONAL 20 MILES WINNER

FTER second place to Tom Misson at A Imber Court in 1959 and second place to Stan Vickers at Gomersal (Yorks.) last year DON THOMPSON scored his first National win at 20 miles in the 42nd Annual R.W.A. Championship at Chiswick. Don, of course, has been undisputed winner over the longer distances for some years, but it is a great tribute to him that after hammering out the stayers' races for a long period, he is now fast enough at the distance of 20 miles to beat the best.

I expected a time of 2h. 40m. but the day turned out very warm indeed and 2h. 44m. 49s. was extremely good under the circumstances. Excellent performances were put up by the next three men to finish: John Edgington (Godiva H.) 2:48.58; 3rd Ray Middleton (Belgrave) 2:51.12; 4th Bill Fogg (Enfield and Met. Police) 2:52.18, and these were all personal bests. Former winners Eric Hall (Belgrave and Lol Allen (Sheffield) were 6th and 7th, close up, but they lacked that training necessary to fight for a place, although they both tried hard and used their experience to the best advantage. Bob Clark (Poly) was a tired fifth after challenging Thompson for the first ten miles, while Arthur Thomson (Met) had an unhappy time in the sun and retired well before the end.

Thompson, Clark, Allen and Easlea were the leaders, passing the stadium gates at one mile, but Easlea gave way to Fogg and Hall soon after. The East German quartet were tucked away rather unobtrusive at this stage. By halfway Thompson had the measure of Clark, and although Middleton and Edgington were moving through very nicely it looked as though Thompson would have the second half on his own. quite suddenly, Hannes Koch of East Germany moved up into the reckoning and by the twelve miles point it was clear that he was gaining fast on Thompson and must soon catch him unless he himself slackened. Before 15 miles the battle was joined, with the muscular build and gymnastic-like action of the German in direct contrast to that of Thompson — and of most of our walkers, who looked very angular in com-parison. Then Koch was ruled out, which eased the tension for Thompson, but as the German refused to stop his disqualification was unknown to most present who thought the fight was still on. In any case Thompson pulled away over the last three miles, which was a good thing, because the German continued on into the stadium half a lap behind Thompson as though still in the race.

Altogether it was not a happy visit for the East Germans, for Lefanczik was also ruled out and Hadrych retired leaving Horst Astroth as their only finisher. He walked in very good style indeed to finish 8th in 2h. 54m. 47s.

The Team Championship, as in the 10 Miles a few weeks back, proved another very close affair with Sheffield United H. coming out on top by only one point from Belgrave, the holders, with Leicester, who were first club to finish four men, third only another six points away. Sheffield had Allen and Albert Johnson of their old team to lead the new youngsters Ray Ibbotson and Ken Woodward and they just got home. But there was little margin for error for Sheffield's next two men had been declared as individuals and their fifth scorer was in the sixties. So Sheffield went home to prepare for the 50km. in their home town in mid-June, and a possible treble.

Belgrave kept the 8 to score Nijmegen Shield which is some consolation for the fact that they have been unable to get out their strongest team in any of the big races

this year so far.

The facilities afforded by the Polytechnic Harriers and the Trustees of the Stadium were much appreciated by all at Chiswick on Saturday and the course, confined by reason of main roads to a five miles zig-zag circuit, much pleasanter than expected by

May 10th

Belgrave H. 7M. Track Champ., Battersea Park. 1, R. Middleton 53:28.6; 2, G. Williams 56.17; 3, R. C. Hall 58.34. H'cp: W. Belderson.

Cambridge H. 2M. H'cp, Charlton Park. 1, L. Illingworth (320) 14.10; 2, E. Pallant (530) 14.12; 3, B. B. Lee (400) 14.21.

May 13th

R.W.A. National 20 Miles Champ., Chiswick. 1, D. J. Thompson (Met) 2h.44m.49s.; 2, J. Edgington (Godiva) 2:48.58; 3, R. Middleton (Belg) 2:51.12; 4, C. Fogg (Enfield) 2:52.18; 5, R. Clark (Poly) 2:53.46; 6, E. Hall (Belg) 2:54.21, 7, L. Allen (Sheff) 8. H. Astroth (E. Germany) 2:54.38; 2:54.47; 9, J. Godbeer (Cam) 2:55.12; 10, A. Johnson (Sheff) 2:55.40; 11, N. Thompson (Met) 2:56.42; 12, R. Davies (Wood-(Continued on page 23)

MIDLAND 6M. CHAMPIONSHIP

At Perry Barr, May 3rd

1. B. B. Heatley (Cov. Godiva) 28:16.4 28:18.0 2. H. R. Fowler (N. Staffs & S.) 3. P. J. Killeen (Birchfield) 29:25.8 4, W. Aston (Bilston T) 29:30.8; 5, B. H. Browning (Birch) 29:34.2; 6, M. J. Price (Bristol) 29:43.8; 7, T. R. Turney (Cov. Godiva) 30:30.8; 8, C. M. Gray (Small Hth) 30:31.8; 9, P. C. Leake (Leicester Coll) 30:34.6; 10, I. J. Brotherton (Birch) 30:40.0; 11, J. A. Mills (Sparkhill) 30:47.2; 12, L. B. Cook (Bilston A.C.) 30:48.8; 13, T. H. Buckingham (Leamington) 30:50.6; 14, P. Burns (Godiva H) 30:51.6; 15, M. Whittaker (Stafford) 30:53.2; 16, R. T. Taylor (Shaftes) 31:28.6; 17, M. N. Turner (Kingsbridge) 31:32.2; 18, F. White (Birch) 31:43.8; 19, P. S. Goodfellow (N. Staffs) 31:58.0; 20, H. Lloyd (Godiva) 32:00.0; 21, C. Randall (Wolverhampton) 32:08.4; 22, M. G. L. Cooper (Birch) 32:17.4; 23, J. R. Bratt (Tipton) 32:21.0; 24, B. Webster (N. Staffs) 32:26.4; 25, F. Dewsnap (N. Staffs) 32:45.2; 26, D. Davies (Wolver) 32:49.8; 27, A. P. Silverman (Sparkhill) 32:57.6; 28, C. Hunt (Wolver) 33:11.0; 29, M. Coney (Leam) 33:13.6; 30, J. L. Hussey (Stafford) 33:52.8; 31, T. E. Hall (Stafford) 35:14.0; 32, W. T. Hughes (Banbury) 37:45.2; 33, L. Jennings (Stafford) 37:47.0.

MIDLAND MARATHON CHAMPIONSHIP

May 6th

INTER-BANKS "10" April 15th

1.	P. A. Wilkinson (Westminster)	52.48
2.	G. Freeman (Barclays)	54.32
3.	M. C. Caudwell (Westminster)	54.46
4,	J. D. Wood (Barclays) 55.17; 5,	J. S.

Page (Bk. of Eng.) 55.27; 6, C. J. Mills (Lloyds) 55.45; 7, G. J. Scovell (Lloyds) 55.50; 8, M. Morrell (Midland) 56.35; 9, R. Morley (Midland) 56.37; 10, B. Chalton (Midland) 56.40; 11, B. Middleton (Nat. Provincial) 56.49; 12, G. D. Cross (Chartered) 56.52; 13, L. F. Clark (Lloyds) 57.00; 14, R. Turner (Nat. Prov) 57.05; 15, J. Style (Barclays) 57.05; 16, E. M. Bishop (Ottoman) 57.33; 17, I. MacDonald (West) 57.40; 18, G. M. Pearson (West) 57.51; 19, H. Williams (Williams Deacons) 58.18; 20, K. Haigh (Barclays) 58.30; 21, M. Tomlins (West) 58.32; 22, C. Henty (Nat. Prov) 60.25; 23, R. Deed (West) 60.47; 24, R. F. Budd (Lloyds) 60.56; 25, A. R. Roodhouse (Bk. of Eng) 61.21; 26, P. J. Bull (Bk. of Eng) 61.53.

The above gained I-B Standard.

Tea	ms:			Pts	÷.
1.	Barclays	(2.4.14)	E)	2	0
2.	Westminster	(1.3.16)	5)	2	0
3.	Lloyds	(6.7.12	2)	2	5
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DUNCAIRN NOMADS "15"

Of a record entry of 47, 36 started and 33 finished. (No details of athletes' clubs available.)

1, J. Ringland 1:19.39; 2, J. Mahood 1:20.48; 3, S. Vennard 1:21.12; 4, R. Brown 1:22.10; 5, M. Thompson 1:22.28; 6, R. Kirkland 1:22.34; 7, J. Barrett 1:22.55; 8, H. Fleming 1:23.14; 9, A. Pawsey 1:23.32; 10, J. Foy 1:24.21. H'cp: P. Cassidy (10.0) 1:14.37. 1st Junior: R. Brown 1:22.10 (rec.). Teams: (agg.) 1, 9th O.B. 4:05.48 (rec.). Junior Teams: 1. Co. Antrim 4:14.05 (rec.).

DHEKELIA (Cyprus) "20"

In unseasonably cool weather, Sgt. Cox took an early lead but was caught at six miles by 2/Lt. Woodward. These two stayed together and at the 12 mile point were 3 minutes up in 1.14. At 14 miles Woodward started to open a gap and made 3 minutes in as many miles, but slowed. Egan made up ground over the last few miles but was unable to catch Cox.

1. Woodward (Dhekelia)	. 2:10.16
2. Cox (RAF Episkopi)	. 2:14.09
3. Egan (RAF Nicosia)	. 2:15.53
4. McCarthy (RAF Episkopi) 2	:25.10; 5.
Clarke (Dhekelia) 2:25.50; 6, Cot	ter (RAF
Episkopi) 2:27.15; 7, Easey (Dhekelia)
2:28.00. 13 started; 7 finished.	

LOUGHBOROUGH COLLS. 143, WOODFORD GREEN 125, ARMY 123

Loughborough, May 6th

ON the newly laid track at Ashby Road, Stadium, heavy rain deadened the surface and a gusty wind favoured sprinters, high hurdlers and jumpers. David Jones was followed home in an assisted 9.6 100 yards by namesakes Berwyn (Lough) 9.7 and colleague Ron, 9.8. Tony Jones overhauled Mike Fleet in the last 30 yards to gain an impressive 880 win for the Army in 1:53.7 and Ben Grubb ran well to take the steeplechase despite a heavy fall. Best of the field events was Eric Cleaver's discus throw of 163'0".

100: D. Jones (W) 9.6 (wind); 2, B. Jones (L) 9.7; 3, R. Jones (W) 9.8. 220: D. Jones (W) 21.9; 2, Bailey (L) 22.6; 3, Barrow (L) 23.2. 440: R. Jones (W) 51.7; 2, Rider (W) 51.9; 3, Johnson (L) 52.1. 880: 1, Jones (A) 1:53.7; 2, Fleet (L) 1:54.0; 3, Harvey (A) 1:55.7. Mile: 1, Williams (L) 4:20.0; 2, Jackson (W) 4:24.1; 3, Kitchener (A) 4:26.0. 3,000 SC: 1, Grubb (A) 9:15.0; 2, Stearns (W) 9:28.2; 3, Burt (A) 9:34.1. 120H: 1, Andrews (A) 15.5; 2, Watkins (A) 15.7; 3, C. Jones (W) 15.8. 440H: 1, Cooper (L) 54.8; 2, Woodland (A) 55.6; 3, Warden (L) 59.1. LJ: 1, Akanbi (L) 22'5"; 2, Seale (L) 21'93"; 3, Frost (A) 21'4". **HSJ:** 1, Walker (L) $45'9\frac{1}{2}''$; 2, Arnold (L) $45'2\frac{3}{4}''$; 3, Frost (A) $43'0\frac{1}{4}''$. **HJ:** 1, Leavold (L) 6'0"; 2, Bryan (A) 5'10"; 3, Sowemimo (W) 5'10". PV: 1, Lyons (A) 12'6"; 2, Dixon 11'6"; 3, Smith (A) 11'6". SP: 1, Chinnery (W) 51'11"; 2, Pearman (L) 49'3"; 3, Clark (W) 48'7". **DT**: 1, Cleaver (A) 163'0"; 2, Sheldrick (L) 154'10"; 3, Chinnery (W) 148'9". **JT**: 1, Davies (W) 183'1"; 2, White (A) 165'11"; 3, Day (L) 165'7". 4 x 110: 1, Woodford 42.9; 2, Lough. C. 43.0; 3, Army 45.9, 4 x 440: 1, Lough. C. 3:27.2; 2, Woodford 3:31.2; 3, Army 3:38.4.

"PERCY FISHER" MEMORIAL TROPHY Junior Meeting At Victoria Park April 29th

Ilford 138 pts. beat Hornchurch 132, Eton Manor 86, Hornsey (St. Mary's) 65, VPH 55, Hercules 46, QPH 35, Harold Hill 21, Grafton 5. 100: (A) McKewan (H'church) 10.5; (B) Clark (EM) 10.5. 220: (A) Clark (EM) 23.5; (B) Wendley (QPH) 24.8. 440: (A) Tye (H. StM) 54.6; (B) Bishop (I) 54.9. 880: (A) Jarvis (I) 2:02.9; (B) Sargent (I) 2:07.8. Mile (A) Williams (VPH) 4:35.6; (B) Foulkes (H'church) 4:46.8. HJ: (A) Murell (H'church) 5'7"; (B) Wood (I) 5'3". LJ: (A) Wood (I) 20'5½"; Thorougood (I) 18'101". SP: (A) Radley (I) 47'8½"; (B) Wood (I) 35'8". DT: (A) Saxby (H'church) 141'10". (B) Barrett (H'church) 92'9".

INTER-CLUB VACANCY

Feltham A.C. have vacancies for a women's inter-club fixture at Feltham Arena on July 1st. Write to A. Meade, 53 The Avenue, Sunbury-on-Thames.

Basil Heatley (Coventry Godiva) leads Roy Fowler (N. Staffs) with two laps to go in the Midland 6 Miles Championship.



Gerry Cranham

VAUX BREWERIES

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(Under I.A.A.F., A.A.A, and W.A.A.A. Laws)

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LIST OF EVENTS

INVITATION (MEN)

100 METRES: 200 METRES: ONE MILE Six Prizes for Each Event THREE MILE TEAM RACE for the VAUX GOLD TANKARD (Valued £250) (Eight may be entered, four may run with three to count)

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Second Team to receive three prizes valued 5 guineas each Third Team to receive three prizes valued 3 guineas each Fourth Team to receive three prizes valued 2 guineas each Fifth Team to receive three prizes valued 1 guinea each Sixth Team to receive three prizes valued 1 guinea each First individual to receive a prize valued at 7 guineas

INVITATION (LADIES)

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2/-	5.	POLE VAULT (Open)	7	gns.	5	gns.	3	gns.	2	gns.	1	gn.	1	gn.
2/-	6.	440 YARDS FLAT (Juniors) (Open)	7	gns.	5	gns.	3	gns.	2	gns.	1	gn.	1	gn.
2/-	7.	1500 METRES S'CHASE (Juniors) (Open)	7	gns.	5	gns.	3	gns.	2	gns.	1	gn.	1	gn.
2/-	8.	HIGH JUMP (Juniors) (Open)	7	gns.	5	gns.	3	gns.	2	qns.	1	gn.	1	gn.
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Competitors in events 6, 7 and 8 to be aged 17 years and over but under 19 years of age on on 1st April, 1961.

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Competitors in event 12 to be aged 13 years and over but under 15 years of age on 1st April, 1961.

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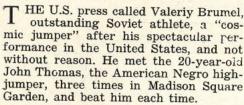
VALERIY BRUMEL

-COSMIC JUMPER

by

G. KONOVALYUK

Soviet Sports Commentator



The crowd rose to their feet to cheer the Soviet athlete when he sailed over the bar set at 7'3" in his initial appearance at Madison Square. Brumel went on to take the U.S. indoor title with a jump of 7'2", and wound up his tour by clearing 7'3½". The best results achieved by Thomas were 7'1", 7'0" and 6'10", respectively.

Valeriy Brumel celebrated his 19th birthday on April 14. He was born in Tolbuzino, a village in Siberia, where his parents were geologists and the family moved frequently from place to place.

Valeriy was 10 years old when his father went to Lugansk, a big industrial centre in the Ukraine. Soon after enter ing the Secondary School at Lugansk, Valeriy took up volleyball, football and athletics.

Pyotr Shein, a coach of the local Avangard Club's junior track and field section, spotted Brumel one day when



the lad was practising the high jump and offered to coach him.

Thanks to Valeriy's physique and hard work and to Shein's method of training, the boy cleared 6'4\frac{3}{4}" in 1958 and established a U.S.S.R. junior record of 6'7\frac{1}{8}" the following year. (Baleriy is 6'0\frac{3}{4}" tall).

Brumel had a very busy time last year. He crammed for his entrance exams at the Moscow Physical Culture Institute and trained for the Olympic Games. He came through both tests with flying colours. He passed his exams., took part in several pre-Olympic meets with great success, won a berth on the U.S.S.R. Olympic squad, and racked up a new U.S.S.R. and European record $(7'1_2^{1''})$ in the high jump in a Moscow meet shortly before leaving for Rome.

After winning a silver medal in the Eternal City, Brumel continued his attack on the record. He raised it to $7'1\frac{7}{5}''$ in Odessa (indoors), $7'2\frac{1}{5}''$ in Lugansk, $7'2\frac{5}{5}''$ in Uzhgorod, and finally, to $7'4\frac{5}{5}''$ in Leningrad.

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May 3rd

Highlights of this match at Loughborough were Adrian Metcalf's 220-440 double in 21.7 and 48.7, and Martin Lucking's ground record of $57'7\frac{1}{2}''$ with the shot.

100: 1, Cmela (UL) 9.8 (wind); 2, B. Jones (LC) 9.8; 3, Bailey (LC) 9.9. 220: 1, Metcalfe (O) 21.7 (wind); 2, Cmela (UL) 21.9; 3, Todman (O) 22.3. 440: 1, Metcalf (O) 48.7; 2, Holt (O) 50.5; 3, Griffith (UL) 51.4. 880: 1, Fleet (LC) 1:56.8; 2, Holt (O) 1:56.9; 3, G. Wenk (UL) 1:58.0. Mile: 1, Bell (O) 4:12.7; 2, Thorn (O) 4:13.1; 3, Ashdown (LC) 4:17.0; Boulter (O) n.s. 4:15.4. 2M: 1, James (O) and Bell (O) 9:17.8; 3, Mitchell (UL) 9:21.4; Cummings (O) n.s. 9:17.8. 3000m. S/c: 1, Meddings (LC) 9:42.8; 2, James (O) 9:47.8; 3, Longdon (LC) —. 120H: 1, Pilbrow (O) 14.7 (wind); 2, Sunderland (O) 15.2; 3,

Callum (UL) 15.9. 220H: 1, Cooper (LC) 24.5; 2, Macklin (O) 25.0; 3, Sunderland (O) 25.0. 440H: 1, Cooper (LC) 54.1; 2, Bryan (UL) 55.4; 3, Futter (UL) 57.0. LJ: 1, Seale (LC) 22'11\(^2\)," 2, Ellis (O) 22'5\(^2\)," 3, Akanbi (LC) 22'5". HJ: 1, Van Dyk (O) 6'0"; 2, Ward (UL) 5'11"; 3, Leavold (LC) 5'10". PV: 1, Hutton (O) 12'3"; 2, Dixon (LC) 11'6"; 3, Dixon (O) 11'0". HSJ: 1, Walker (LC) 47'5\(^1\)," 2, Dyrda (UL) 44'11\(^3\)," 3, Smith (UL) 44'4\(^1\)," SP: 1, Lucking (UL) 57'7\(^1\)," (Gd. rec.); 2, Sheldrick (LC) 46'6\(^1\)," 3, Pearman (LC) 46'\(^3\)," 0. DT: 1, Sheldrick (LC) 156'1"; 2, Muller (O) 147'6\(^1\)," 3, Lucking (UL) 145'9". JT: 1, Lane (O) 216'7"; 2, Nash (UL) 201'8\(^1\)," 3, Day (LC) 178'10". 4 x 110: 1, Loughborough 42.6; 2, London 43.3; Oxford disq. 4 x 440: 1, Oxford 3:20.3; 2, London 3:22.7; 3, Loughborough 3:23.6.

SOUTHERN COUNTIES A.A.A.

A.A.A. Senior Honorary Coaches' Practical Examination. This will be held on June 11th, 1961, at Motspur Park when the Chief National Coach and the Area National Coach will be examining. If any prospective Senior Coach, who has passed the written part of this examination, wishes to be a candidate for the practical section on June 11th, he should write, as soon as possible, to Mr. B. G. Dunn, Hon. Coaching Secretary, Southern Counties A.A.A., 20 Highfield Road, Hereford.

Tests for the Honorary Coaching Award. The Area National Coach will be examining candidates for the above at Paddington Recreation Ground Track, on 19th May for Middlesex C.A.A.A.; on 2nd June, at the Gosling Stadium, Welwyn Garden City, for Hertfordshire C.A.A.A.; on 7th June for Essex C.A.A.A. and on 9th June for Surrey C.A.AA. Prospective Coaches who wish to be examined on one of these dates should write, as soon as possible, to their County Coaching Secretary, whose address will be found in the A.A.A. Handbook.

BLACKPOOL INTER-CLUB MEETING At Witton Park, May 6th

Crusader A.C. 46 pts. beat Blackpool & Fylde 37; Blackburn 24.

B/P-Blackpool. B/B-Blackburn

100: 1. M. Dennis (B/B) 9.7: 2. S. Ryder (C); 3, R. Grace (B/B). 220: 1, M. Dennis (B/B) 22.5; 2, T. Linnane (C); 3, I. Duerden (B/P). 440: 1, T. Linnane (C) 50.7; 2, T. Ash (B/B); 3, D. White (C). 880: 1, D. MacLean (C) 1:58.6; 2, P. Doyle (C); 3, G. Brown (B/B). Mile: 1, D. Swarbrick (B/P) 4:23.0; 2, P. Eaves (B/P); 3, M. Bell (B/B). 3M: 1, L. Hopkinson (B/B) 14:52.8; 2, F. Howe (B/P); 3, H. McGuigan (C). Team: 1, Blackpool; 2, Blackburn; 3, Crusader. HJ: 1, C. Boremamen (C); 2, K. Byrne (C). LJ: 1, R. Handscombe (B/P) 20'5"; 2, A. Bentley (B/P); 3, R. Byrne (C) JT: 1, K. Byrne (C) 119'10"; 2, F. Hessy (B/P); 3, J. Iddon. 4 x 110: 1, Crusader 46.0; Blackpool; 3, Blackburn.

Invitation Events: 100: (A) A. Heath (Horwich); 2, R. Walsh (Sale); 3, A. Mason (B/P); (B) C. Robinson (Horwich); 2, R. Normanton (Sale); 3, E. Ryan (MDLC). 880: 1, M. Berisford (Sale) 1:54.5 (Track rec.); 2, T. Ash (B/B); 3, G. Brown (B/P). 220: (A) 1, A. Heath (Hor); 2, C. Robinson (Hor); 3, R. Walsh (Sale); (B) 1, B. Normanton (Sale); 2, M. Taylor (Sale); 3, E. Ryan (MDLC).

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No. 72, F. Stebbings
(Croydon) No. 76, D. Bignell (Windsor) No. 85 and
R. Howe (Walthamstow)
No. 73 during the 1500m.
junior steeplechase.

THE LEYTON FLOODLIT MEETING IN PICTURES

Eton Manor Track, May 3rd

PHOTOGRAPHS

Ed Lacey and

Ron Hayes



Madeleine Weston (Selsonia) wins the women's 100 yards in 11.0 sec. from No. 8, M. Dew (Selsonia) 11.1 and No. 5, J. Taylor (Mitcham) 11.2.

George Knight (Essex Beagles) leads Dave C h a p m a n (Woodford Green), the eventual winner, and Terry Smith (Ipswich) in the 3 miles.



THE SOUTHERN and SURREY "20"

Geoff Winchester (Walton) and Ken Honney (Walton) together just in front of Brian Shave (Herne Hill) at the halfway mark in the Southern "20."



Dave Chapman (Woodford Green) puts in a storming finish to win the 3 miles from Frank Seal (Ponders End) and George Knight (Essex Beagles).



TONY TOWL WINS SOUTHERN "20" By SAM FERRIS

ON Cup Final Day, 6th May, it was not surprising to find that all roads led to Wembley; my interests, however, led me about 20 miles along the Brighton road to Redhill where I hoped to find a practical setting necessary for the event quoted in my diary as "The Southern Counties A.A.A. & Southern County A.A.A. 20 Miles Road Running Championships", venue, Battlebridge Track, Redhill.

Eager anticipation can eventually cause disappointment but years of experience had taught me that anything in connection with athletics bearing a Surrey label would be the acme of perfection. It was no surprise, therefore, to find a retinue of top-grade A.A.A. officials impartial to the calls of Wembley—although I did have a faint suspicion that someone was "transistorised"!

It was a pleasure to meet Herbert Bignall, now President of Surrey A.A.A., and with a personal interest in this event, inasmuch as the individual trophy for the winner of the Surrey title was named the "Nora & Stella" Cup and presented to the County by the proud Herbert in honour of the birth of his twins—now grown up and married. Herbert was one of my greatest rivals in our frolicsome period of youth—road running incidentally!

Fifty-four road runners—all grades—completed the efficient picture as they set about negotiating the first mile of a really testing course consisting of four laps, one of 4 miles 104 yards and three of 5 miles 552 yards, making up a 20 miles course, which, I am assured, is as near accuracy

as anyone can vouch.

As holder of the Surrey title Tony Towl, the diminutive and stylish Herne Hill boy, was eager to get another "nick" on this handsome trophy. Devastating in his approach to front running, Tony tackled the long steep gradient, which established the first mile of the course, as if he was anxious to get into orbit. It took Tony six minutes to smooth out this first mile but what a punishing six minutes! Gerry McIntyre was the only one daring enough to follow Tony and I feel that Gerry paid dearly for such early pace because he did not seem to have the punch that I normally associate with this Irish international. Admitted he held on to second place but Gerry is a tough 'un to get by, whether on his feet or knees.

To balance that climb there just had to be some means of getting down to sea level and Tony's feet scarcely touched the ground as he glided on to the third mile where half-a-minute separated him from McIntyre. Gerry was equal distance in front of Shave and Butcher who had just discarded the company of Honney, Winchester and Apps. On to 5 miles where I gave Towl a generous 25.30 with McIntyre exactly a minute in arrears. Almost another minute up and along came a bunch of half-a-dozen -Honney, Winchester, Butcher, Shave, Pawsey and Apps. Heavy rain and wind soon split up this little party but before 10 miles three of them-Honney, Winchester and Shave — were still on friendly terms and happy with their time (53.50) at that stage. Of course, Tony Towl and Gerry McIntyre had already passed this way-Tony in 50.30 and Gerry in 52.00. Butcher was clocking 54.10, Apps 55.00 and Turner 55.30 to take the next three placings.

Tony Towl was sticking to his task regardless and passed the 15 miles mark in 1:16.30, almost half-a-mile ahead of McIntyre who had an equal "couldn't care less" distance in front of Shave and Winchester. I fully expected these two old pals to see the lot through together but had a big surprise when, only a mile from home, Brian suddenly folded up and urged Geoff to "go it alone." Meanwhile Tony Towl, with his continuous relaxed running, can be congratulated on a superb performance, more so when one realises that Tony has been dogged persistently by a foot fracture which hinders concentrated training so necessary if one wants to compete frequently in the Something tells me "Tony'll top class. shake 'em one day." Hearty congrats too for Gerry McIntyre who frequently turns in this kind of performance with little apparent effort. "Burra Salaams" to those happy band of officials who stood over twoand-a-half hours in one spot and attended to 38 braves who finished the course.

WELSH NOTES by Bernard Baldwin

TROEDYRHIW Boys' Club near Merthyr staged some road races on the Thursday evening of May 4th. was an amazing break in the downpour, which had lasted all day, and a good crowd turned out to watch in the dry. Ken Flowers beat Adrian Aylett in the Open 4 Miles (both Hereford L.I.) with George Matthiudis of Newport H. third. My school's team, Mill Street Secondary, Pontypridd, won the Boys' 12 Miles, with our best boy Brian Perry showing good form in chasing the winner S. Aylett of Gilwern home. The Marshall brothers of Merthyr A.C., Eric and Alan, made a good job of the organisation, especially the marking of the course.

The South Wales Track League, which has had a checkered existence, since its inception 7 years ago, proved to be a sound organisation last year. I saw 150 athletes competing in one match at Maindy Stadium last season — a rare sight in these parts. The first of this season's matches was held at Maindy on Monday last and another four have been planned: 16th May, at Newport. May, at Bargoed Park. 12th June, at Mountain Ash Rec. 20th June, at Maindy Stadium, Cardiff. Secretary Alf Jensen of Roath Harriers, can always be contacted at Maindy Stadium, or at 47 Lower Cathedral Road, Cardiff. Runners' Club (Glam), who are promoting the match in Mountain Ash on 12th June are providing prizes valued at half a guinea for each final winner, as a small incentive.

Cardiff Training College will have Peter Radford in their team this year. Peter clocked 9.6 at Maindy a fortnight ago.

An Open Pole Vault is the only athletics event on the Pontypridd Council's "All Events" programme this year. It is to be held in the evening of 24th June, and will be followed by the TAFF STREET DASH, an Invitation 100 yards along the most congested street in Wales, Taff Street, Pontypridd. R.R.C. (Glam) promote both these events. Details from R.R.C. Sec., Picton Villa, Mountain Ash, Glam.

Talking of Pole-vaulters — Morton Evans was selected to represent the A.A.A. in the match with London University on 17th May. Although Morton has elected to compete in the Southern rather than the Welsh Championships this year, it will be the first time he has foregone the home event, and he will obviously still be considered by Wales. He clears 12ft. regularly nowadays.

GLAMORGANSHIRE CHAMPIONSHIPS Bargoed, May 13th Highlight was the new Welsh Native

record by Brian Sexton in the Javelin. His throw of 218'5" added 21'5" to his county record and 8'1" to his own Native record. 100: 1, J. C. Jones (St. Luke's) 10.4; 2, D. J. Williams (Birchgrove) 10.5; 3, D. Edwards (B'grove) 10.6. 220: 1, J. C. Jones 22.8; 2, D. C. Ruddle (B'grove) 23.3; 3, D. Edwards 24.4. 440: 1, D. J. Williams 51.8 (eq. rec.); 2, C. Isaac (Merthyr) 53.5; 3, D. P. Edwards 54.0. 880: 1. A. R. Jones (Bridgend) 1:55.0; 2, G. Matthews (Roath) 1:57.2; 3, M. Johns (B'grove) 1:59.3. Mile: 1, D. Robbins (P. Talb) 4:32.6; 2, H. Tawton (Roath) 4:39.4; 3, P. Darney (B'grove) 4:46.0. 3M: 1, N. Horrell (Rhondda) 14.41; 2. D. Gallivan (Roath) 14:53.5; 3, J. Burrow (Roath) 15:45.3. 3,000m.SC: 1, B. Griffiths (Roath) 9:46.5; 2, J. O'Brien (P. Talb) 10:28.5; 3, J. Francis (Barry) 10:43.8. HJ: 1, J. Lister (B'grove) 6'0"; 2, J. Sherlock (B'grove) 5'10"; 3, K. Phillips (Swansea) 5'10". PV: 1, J. D. Ball (St. Luke's) 12'0". JT: 1, B. G. Sexton (Roath) 218'5" (Welsh Nat. rec.); 2, D. Harris (Merthyr) 138'7". DT: 1, T. Emmes (B'grove) 122'11"; 2, P. 100'8"; 3, B. Penny Schreder (Unat) (Swansea) 99'11".

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GEOFF HODGSON WINS THREE PEAKS DESPITE poor weather, 64 of the 87 FELL RACE

DESPITE poor weather, 64 of the 87 entrants lined up for the Three Peaks Fell Race promoted by Cayton-le-Moors H. on April 30th, over 22 miles of rough moorland involving the ascent and descent of over 4,000 ft.

Soon after the start I. Watson (Macclesfield) took the lead and at the summit of Ingleborough (2,373ft.) was 50 yards ahead of the field. At the 8 mile check point D. Hodgson (St. Marks) had almost caught the leader, and J. West (Clayton) was another 100 yards back, just ahead of a bunch including record holder F. Dawson

(Salford).

At the summit of Pen-y-ghent (2,273ft.) Watson still led from D. Hodgson and G. Garnett (Bingley) with the main bunch a minute behind, but the steep climb was taking its toll and Watson retired shortly afterwards. By Ribblehead (17 miles) D. Hodgson was in the lead with R. Hill (M/r Univ.) running strongly in second place and G. Hodgson third, just ahead of Heaton, Dawson, Booth, Ellis and Bradshaw. Spectators were unable to follow the ascent of Whernside (2,419ft.) closely due to mist on the summit, but the large crowd at the finish saw G. Hodgson emerge as the winner, finishing in fine style almost 3 mins. ahead of D. Hodgson.

This year's event was sponsored by *The Daily Mirror* who presented a team trophy, won appropriately enough by Clayton H., the organisers, with last year's winners, Bingley, second. Fifteen gained 1st class

standards.

G. Hodgson (Blackpool) 3:05.10
 D. Hodgson (St. Mark's) 3:08.05

3. P. T. Booth (Bury & R.) 3:10.57 4, A. Heaton (Clayton) 3:11.43; 5, R. Hill (M/r Univ.) 3:11.55; 6, F. Dawson (Salford) 3:15.20; 7, G. Bradshaw (B'pool) 3:16.10; 8, S. Ellis (Ken) 3:19.16; 9, G. Brass (Clay) 3:23.41; 10, G. Barrow (Pres) 3:24.27; 11, B. Boardman (Clay) 3:24.42; 12, G. Garnett (Bing) 3:25.28; 13, D. Mitchell (Bing) 3:26.19; 14, P. Dean (Bing) 3:27.0; 15, J. West (Clay) 3:29.35; 16, D. Spenser (Bar) 3:30.11; 17, K. Heaton (Clay) 3:31.10; 18, A. Spink (Bing) 3:32.27; 19, D. Wood (St. Marks) 3:34.26; 20, K. Pearson (Ken) 3:34.48; 21, S. Bradshaw (Clay) 3:37.05; 22, E. Foley (Bol) 3:39.08; 23, A. Patton (Clay) 3:39.46; 24, B. Clark (Pres) 3:47.31; 25, P. Stewart (Ken) Teams: (agg. of 3) 1, Clayton 10:00.06; 2, Bingley 10:18.47; 3, Leeds St. M. 10:41.20; 4, Kendal 10:41.56; 5, Preston 11:13.00; 6, Harehills 12:40.05.

> BRECHIN "12" May 6th

1. W. Lyall (Edin. Southern) 63.26 2. P. Carmichael (Morpeth) 63.34 3. H. Scott (Perth Strathtay) ... 67.45 4, D. R. Simpson (Dundee H) 72.01; 5, C. Greenlees (Perth Strat) 72.02; 6, J. G. McLean (Bellahouston) 72.45; 7, D. Miller (Perth) 73.39; 8, A. Watt (Bella) 73.49; 9, E. Nichols (Dundee) 75.56; 10, A. Whiting (Aberdeen) 81.12; 11, J. Petrie (Dundee Thistle) 96.18.

H'cp: 1, Carmichael (Morpeth) 4.12, 59.22; 2, W. Lyall (Edin) 3.36, 59.50; 3, J. G. McLean (Bella) 10.48, 61.57.



GEOFF HODGSON (Blackpool) winning the Three Peaks Fell Race.

A. Taylor

Overseas News

By MELVYN WATMAN

BUDD TIES SPRINT RECORD

OLYMPIC 100 metres finalist, Frank Budd (USA), equalled the 100 yards world record of 9.3 at Villanova, Pennsylvania, on May 6th. He later ran a straight 220 yards in 20.2, only a fifth slower than Dave Sime's world mark. Budd, the A.A.U. Indoor 60 yards champion, was timed in 9.2, 9.3 and 9.4, with a reserve watch showing 9.2. Budd, a Negro, was born in Long Branch, New Jersey, on September 20th, 1939. A former polio victim, he stands 5'9\frac{3}{2}" and weighs 170 lbs.

Unhappy sprint news is that Armin Hary—the fastest, and most controversial, speedster of them all—may race no more. The Olympic champion has stated that, as a result of an injury to his left knee sustained in a car crash last November, he has retired from competition. He said doctors had forbidden him to train for several months. Only recently, Hary (whose suspension was lifted on May 7th) said he would compete in Frankfurt at the end of

May.

Some quotes concerning Dennis Johnson's starting technique (as published in "Track & Field News," Los Altos, Calif.): Chuck Coker, Occidestral College coach: "He creeps up slowly to the set position after the others are up and waiting. It's not legal and he should be disqualified-or taught a lesson with a few fast guns." Cordner Nelson, "Track & Field News" Editor: "He appears to be only an average starter. Thus, charges that he beats the gun are untrue. He does, however, take advantage of the other sprinters. If they obey the starter's command to "set," as they are supposed to do, they must wait in that difficult, tense position for an extra two seconds while Johnson gets ready. This is obviously unfair." Bud Winter, Johnson's coach: "The motivation behind his slow set is to keep him more relaxed in the set position, and that is the only motive."

Summary of recent U.S.A. results:—

15.4. Lafayette: 2M: Fred Norris (GB) 9:15.5, Ian Stewart (GB) 9:18.4.

21/2.4. Lawrence: 1M: Jim Grelle 4:07.4, Ernie Cunliffe 4:11.0; 400mH: Clif Cushman 51.0, Rex Stucker 51.7; PV: J. D. Martin & George Davies 14'10"; SP: John Fry 57'3", Mike Lindsay (GB) 56'9\frac{3}{4}"; DT: Fry $170'7\frac{1}{2}''$, Lindsay $165'4\frac{1}{2}''$; Dec: Phil Mulkey 7,268.

22.4 Columbus: 100y: Ira Murchison 9.7, Nate Adams 9.7; 1,000y: Tom Sullivan (18) 2:12.7.

22.4. Long Beach, Calif: 440y: Eddie Southern 46.8; DT: Rink Babka 178'5½", Bob Humphreys 175'5½", Parry O'Brien 171'0"; HT: Hal Connolly 215'0".

22.4. Odessa, Texas: 220y(s)/440y: Ted Nelson 20.6/46.5 (aged 18, not 16 as

reported earlier).

22.4. Hanover, N.H.: 120yH/HJ/SP/JT: John Thomas 14.9/6'6"/47'4\frac{1}{2}"/168'7".

22.4. Quantico: 100y: Ed Collymore 9.5. 22.4. Los Angeles: 120yH/220yH/LJ (all windy): Jim Johnson (Rafer's younger brother) 14.2/23.4/24'10"; PV: John Cramer 15'13".

22.4. (Arizona): DT: Karl Johnstone

179'0", Jim Burke 176'8".

22.4. Corvallis, Ore: LJ: Darrell Horn

25'61".

2.4. Palo Alto: 100y: Harry Jerome (Can) 9.6...4, Roscoe Cook 9.9; 440y: Rex Cawley 46.3, Kevin Hogan 47.8; 880y/1M: Dyrol Burleson 1:50.3/4:11.5; 120yH: Jerry Tarr 14.0; 220yH(s): Cawley 23.4; HJ: Bob Avant 6'8½"; PV: Jim Brewer 14'8"; SP: Dallas Long 63'9"; DT: Dave Weill 175'0"; Jim Wade 173'0½".

22.4. Natchitoches, La: 100y: Pat Garrett

9.5.

22.4. Champargn: 440y: George Kerr (WI) 46.7.

22.4. Auburn, Ga: SP: Ed Nutting 58'3", Dick Crane 58'1"; DT: Crane 175'3".

22.4. Norfolk, Va: 1M: Pete Close 4:07.4; PV: Don Bragg, Henry Wadsworth, Aubrey Dooley & Mel Schwerz 14'6" (Bragg 15'1\frac{1}{4}" exhibition).

SOUTH AFRICA

Results of national championships, at Paarl on April 1st/3rd: 100y: Jeffreys 9.6; 220: Jeffreys 21.0; 440: Davis 47.1; 880: McCay 1:51.4, Moran (USA) 1:52.1; 1M: Moran 4:11.1, Olivier 4:13.0; 3M: Olivier 14:21.6; 6M: Wiid 30:28.4; 3000ST: Preen 9:40.0; 120H: Malan 14.4; 220H: Burger 24.0; 440H: MacDonald 52.5; HJ: Gardner (USA) 6'8", Labuschagne 6'6"; PV: Uelses 14'6", Burger 13'6"; LJ: van Rooyen 24'7½"; HSJ: van Niekirk 48'5"; SP: Botha 56'1½"; DT: Malan 166'9½"; HT: Koen 180'8"; JT: Cantello (USA) 240'6", Erasmus 199'6"; Wiid 2:24:37.8; 50kmW: Hazle Mar: 4:27:55.

John Uelses pole vaulted 14'9" at Port Elizabeth on April 5th. Ed Moran took the mile in 4:10.5, Bob Gardner high jumped

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KEN WOOD WINS SWARD MILE IN 4:01.8

AIN feature of the Sward Trophy Meeting was the great mile by Ken Wood. Mike Berisford took the lead after 1½ laps and stepped up the pace. moved up to 2nd at 21 laps but was then 12 yards down and with Berisford putting in 59.5 and 59.3 for his last two laps, he had to run desperately hard to get on terms, which he did at the beginning of the final straight. Though Berisford was far from done, Wood had the stronger finish and won by two yards in the season's fastest time of 4:01.8. Unofficial lap times for both: Wood 62.0, 62.3, 59.3, 58.2; Berisford 61.0, 62.3, 59.5, 59.3.

John Snowdon's 4:03.6 in third place was perhaps even more of a surprise, for fine runner though he is, few could have expected such pace from him at this distance.

He may surprise us even more.

Best of the other performances were Derek Haith's two miles in 8.48 after Herring had done the donkey work; Ann Fordyce holding Mary Rand (Bignal) all the way to win the 80m. hurdles; Suzanne Allday's double in shot and discus; and Dick Miller's 227ft. with the javelin. Vincent Gabriel (HJ) and Harry Kane (440 Hdls.) also had excellent performances.

SWARD TROPHY 1, T.V.H. 49 pts.; 2, Herne Hill 33; 3,

KENT COUNTY CONSTABULARY SPORTS CLUB

ANNUAL

ATHLETIC MEETING (Under A.A.A. Laws and B.C.F. Rules)

County Police Sports Ground Sutton Road, Maidstone

SATURDAY, 1st JULY, 1961

Principal races commence at 2 p.m.

MEN'S OPEN EVENTS 100yds. Flat Handicap 220yds. Flat Handicap 440yds. Flat Handicap 880yds. Flat Handicap 440yds. Flat Handicap 880yds. Fla One Mile Flat Handicap

1 Mile Medley Relay Handicap 550vds. Bicycle Handicap Half Mile Bicycle Scratch
5 Mile Bicycle Scratch
Tug-of-War (Catchweights)

Excellent prizes - Value over £400 Entry fees-First entry ls. 6d., each additional entry ls. Od.

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Full details from: Chief Inspector R. Galgey (Hon. Secretary) County Police Headquarters, Sutton Road, Maidstone, Kent Telephone: Maidstone 4781

L.A.C. 32; 4, Blackheath 21; 5, S.L.H. 18; 6, Poly 17.

120 Hdls: 1, J. L. Taitt (HH) 14.7 (14.6 ht.); 2, C. Miller (Shaft) 15.2; 3, V. C. Matthews (LAC) 15.4; 4, R. Tolson (Bel) 16.0; 5, B. Tuffey (Poly) 17.2; 6, M. J. Hurman (TV) 18.8. 440 Hdls: 1, H. Kane (LAC) 54.2; 2, R. T. Fitzgerald (TV) 56.3; 3, J. W. B. Robertson (SLH) 58.9; 4, P. Pepe (Bel) 59.2; 5, M. Gatehouse (Shaft) 60.3; 6, R. J. Harker (B'heath) 61.8. 3,000m S'chase: 1, E. G. Ellis (TV) 9:20.2; 2, D. G. Taylor (HH) 9:28.2; 3, F. D. Gilson (SLH) 9:47.8; 4, J. R. Baldwin (B'heath) 9:57.4; HJ: 1, V. I. Gabriel (TV) 6'4"; 2, G. Hickey (B'heath) 6'0"; 3, R. Bell (Ruis) 6'0"; 4, M. J. Hurman (TV) 5'10"; 5, R. Schofield (Poly) 5'8"; 6, J. Herd (Wim) 5'6". PV: 1, M. C. Evans (TV) 12'6"; 2, M. E. Nugent (SLH) 11'6"; 3, J. Herd (Wim) 10'6"; 4, C. Andrews (LAC) 10'6"; 5, J. E. Day (B'heath) 10'0"; 6, R. Dunkley (Poly) 9'6". LJ: 1, J. D. Howell (HH) 23'101"; 2, J. Lissaman (B'heath) 22'6\frac{3}{4}"; 3, R. D. Collinson (TV) 22'4\frac{1}{4}"; 4, P. T. Johnson (LAC) 21'4½"; 5, J. T. Clarke (SLH) 21'3¼"; 6, J. Herd (Wim) 21'3". SP: 1, R. Guest (LAC) 46'10\(\frac{3}{4}\)"; 2, F. C. Crozier (TV) 45'0\(\frac{1}{4}\)"; 3, A. Forbes (Shaft) 42'7"; 4, P. R. R. Jackson (B'heath) 41'11"; 5, V. M. de Luca (HH) 41'2½"; 6, R. Harvey (Wim) 39'9½". **DT**: 1, D. S. Ward (TV) 140'0"; 2, H. J. Doyle (HH) 137'4½"; 3, G. Davis (LAC) 132'11½"; 4, Buttriss (Poly) 131'8"; 5, C. Purves (B'heath) 131'6"; 6, N. Kitchen (Wim) 128'10". JT: R. D. W. Miller (LAC) 227'0"; 2, C. G. Smith (TV) 215'5"; 3, B. Stankovic (Poly) 195'0"; 4, M. Ruda (SLH) 176'4½"; 5, B. J. Kettle (HH) 173'0"; 6, W. Couzens (Bel) 167'02". HT: 1, L. M. Hall (TV) 178'52"; 2, D. Anthony (Poly) 172'9"; 3, P. O. Seddon (HH) 150'11½"; 4, N. Kitchen (Wim) 71'8".

NORRKOPING TROPHY

1, Spartan 31 pts.; 2, London Olympiades 28; 3, Mitcham 26; 4, Ilford 241; 5, Essex

L. 17; 6, Middlesex L. 13\(\frac{1}{2}\).

80m. Hdls: 1, A. Fordyce (S) 11.4 (eq. meet. rec.); 2, M. Bignal (LO) 11.4; 3, M. Lusted (M) 12.4; 4, M. Caton (E) 13.0; 5, D. Sparrow (I) 13.1; 6, A. M. Gibson (Wim) 14.3. HJ: 1, S. Etherton (LO) 5'1"; 2, C. Osbourne (M) 5'1"; 3, D. Cooper (S) 4'10"; 4eq., G. Kelly (Mx), D. Sparrow (I) 4'8"; 6, A. M. Gibson (Wim) 4'8". LJ: 1, J. Whitehead (LO) 18'7"; 2, S. Webb (Mx) 17'9\frac{1}{4}"; 3, J. Farley (E) 17'6\frac{1}{2}"; 4, S. Hoskin (S) 17'5½"; 5, P. Perkins (I) 17'0¾"; 6, J. Taylor (M) 16'2¼". SP: 1, S. Allday (S) 46'0½" (meet rec); 2, R. Morgan (I) 39'4½"; 3, J. Linsell (E) 38'0"; 4, J. Honour (LO) 35'1¼"; 5, J. Fleming (M) 31'8"; 6, A. M. Miller (Wim) 28'5¾". DT: 1, S. Allday (S) 138'10" (meet rec); 2, S. J. Koht (M) 123'5"; 3, J. Tweedy (I) 118'0"; 4, E. M. Robertson (Wim) 106'6"; 5, S. Gibson (LO) 104'6"; 6, M. Phillips (E) 101'0". JT: 1, R. Morgan (I) 138'6"; 2, M. Podmore (E) 133'6"; 3, A. Robson (LO) 125'11"; 4, J. Fleming (M) 123'5"; 5, M. Whiting (Mx) 97'6"; 6, Dodd (S) 80'9". 4 x 110: 1, Mitcham 48.4; 2, Spartan 49.0; 3, Mx. L. 49.0; 4, Ilford 49.4; 5, L.O. 49.6; 6, Wimbledon 54.0.

Other Events

Southern Counties 4 x 110 Relay Champ: 1, T.V.H. (B. Shaw, D. Brown, A. Meakin, D. New) 42.8; 2, Poly 42.9; 3, Belgrave 44.2 4, Erith 45.6; 6, Border 46.0. L.A.C. disq. Sward Mile: 1, K. Wood (Sheffield) 4:01.8; 2, M. Berisford (Sale) 4:02.1; 3, J. P. Snowdon (Surrey A.C.) 4:03.6; 4, E. Caiger (Hercules) 4:07.6; 5, E. Shirley (Finchley) 4:08.7; 6, G. Goddard (Melton M.) 4:15.4. 2M: 1, D. A. F. Haith (TVH) 8:48.0; 2, J. B. Herring (B'heath) 8:50.2; 3, J. Hogan (Poly) 9:01.0; 4, R. Ashworth (Wim) 9:01.0; 5, A. Sunderland (Shaft) 9:01.6; 6, W. L. J. Card (TVH) 9:08.0. Teams: 1, Poly 16 pts.; 2, T.V.H. 18; 3, S. L. H. 31. Medley Relay (440, 330, 220, 110):1, Poly 1:57.5; 2, Belgrave 1:58.2; 3, Blackheath 1:59.1; 4, Herne Hill 1:59.3; 5, T.V.H. 1:59.3; 6, S.L.H. 2:02.5. Women's 880: 1, J. Jordan (Spartan) 2:12.1; 2, J. Briggs (Selsonia) 2:15.4; 3, P. Brown (Mitcham) 2:15.9; 4, E. Joyce (Gosport) 2:16.2; 5, J. Smith (Hampstead) 2:16.5; 6, A. Smith (Mitcham) 2:18.4.

HORNCHURCH INVITATION MEETING May 11th

Derek Ibbotson ran a storming race to beat off a great challenge by Nat Fisher in the 3,000 metres. Eric Shirley was in his best form to win the 1,500m. Steeplechase and Ann Fordyce gave Pat Nutting a great fight in both heat and final of the women's 80m. hurdles.

150: 1, L. Carter (Ruislip) 14.5; 2, A. McIlroy (Thurrock) 14.5; 3, J. Bender (Poly) 14.5; 4, Cheskin (Herc) 14.5. 300: 1, N. Overhead (Watford) 31.2; 2, A. Burgess (Poly) 31.2; 3, M. Potter (Poly) 31.4; 5, R. Jones (Wood Gn) 31.5. 1,000m: 1, S. Purkiss (Rom) 2:23.3; 2, J. Wenk (Wel) 2:23.3; 3, T. Harris (Mitch) 2:25.0; 4, J.

Sullivan (QPH); 5, K. O'Mahoney (Wigmore); 6, T. Ellwood (Sparkhill). 3,000m: 1, D. Ibbotson (Longwood) 8:14.4; 2, N. Fisher (Eton M) 8:14.7; 3, B. Edelen (Chelms) 8:17.5; 4, S. Eldon (Windsor). 1,500m. SC: 1, E. Shirley (Finch) 4:12.7; 2, D. Stearns (Wood Gn) 4:14.4; 3, M. Herriot (Sparkhill) 4:16.5; 4, G. B. King (Essex B) 4:16.8. LJ: 1, F. Alsop (Hornchurch) 23'11½"; 2, J. Howell (HHH) 23'6½"; 3, G. Britten (Essex B) 22'2¼". HSJ: 1, F. Alsop (Horn) 47'7½"; 2, G. Britten (Essex B) 46'9"; 3, J. Howell 43'7¾"; 4, D. A. Waads (Southend) 42'10½".

Youths

150: 1, R. McEwan (Horn) 15.4; 2, J. Headley (Rom) 15.8; 3, J. Gardner (Chelms) 16.2; 4, J. Poulten (Horn) 16.5. 1,000m: 1, F. Roskilly (NLH) 2:33.8; 2, O. Reed (Orp) 2:36.9; 3, R. Williams (Horn) 2:37.8; 4, A. Sell (Guild).

Women

150: 1, M. Dew (Sel) 16.6; 2, B. Fletcher (IIf) 16.8; 3, M. Hall (Herc) 17.0; 4, A. Pym (IIf) 17.0. 80m. Hdls: 1, P. Nutting (Ruis) 11.4; 2, A. Fordyce (Spar) 11.4; 3, M. Botley (Rainham) 12.0; 4, P. Gaze (Shaft) 12.4. 1,500: 1, R. Ashby (Guild) 4:37.5; 2, P. Brown (Mitch) 4:40.9; 3, S. Jarville (LO) 4:61.3. HJ: 1, F. Slaap (Ruis) 5'2"; 2, G. Matthews (Ruis) 5'1"; 3, L. Knowles (Horn) 5'0". 4 x 110: 1, Selsonia 49.2; 2, Ilford; 3, Ruislip; 4, Romford.

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ENTRIES CLOSE 27th MAY

CAMBRIDGE BEAT OXFORD 75-60

CAMBRIDGE recorded its second postwar victory against Oxford by 75 points to 60 points at the White City on May 13th. No fewer than 6 series records had been set up in the 1960 match and yet, helped once more by excellent weather, five records were created and two equalled in what was surely one of the finest in this illustrious series.

After his usual slow start Adrian Metcalfe finished last in 10 secs. in a very keenly contested 100 yards, won unexpectedly by Dewi Roberts in 9.9 for Cambridge. Later Metcalfe ran powerfully to win both 220 yards (21.5) and 440 yards (48.1) in match record times. He finished strongly on both occasions and over the longer distance had the satisfaction of beating A. G. K. Brown's record set up as long ago as 1937.

Herb Elliot achieved an excellent double over 880 yards in 1:49.9 and the mile in 4:7.2. He was made to run hard for his victory in the 880 yards (\frac{1}{4}-55.4) by Ray Norton and John Holt, who set the pace for most of the race. Tribe of Cambridge, and his team-mate, Martin Heath, led in the mile—\frac{1}{4} mile 62.2; \frac{1}{2} mile 2:7.8; \frac{3}{4} mile 3:11.0. There was some spirited running by all three Oxford runners in the last lap but they were unable to match Herb's 56 sec.

The 3 miles went to Cambridge after a spirited finish. This was indeed an allegro con Brigult.

Michael Parker achieved his expected double in the 120 and 220 yards hurdles and it is obvious the first British valid 14.2 is not far off.

A likely candidate for another double, David Harrison, was a little disappointing in the discus, where he barely salvaged third place, although he won the shot comfortably enough.

Michael Ralph made a splendid comeback in the hop, step and jump, equalling his own match record with 49'6" and led in the early stages of the long jump, a desperately close competition in which 3½ inches separated the 4 competitors. The H.S. & J. has produced some excellent competition since its inclusion in this match in 1959. How long will it be before the steeplechase and hammer are included?

Hutton equalled his personal best of 13'3"

in the pole vault and created a match record.

The fast improving Colin Bacon managed with a personal best of 223'9½" to oust the Oxford president, Roger Lane, from first place after a keenly fought duel.

Len Gebbett

*—Meeting record equalled †New meeting record

100: 1, D. W. Roberts (C) 9.9*; 2, B. A. Smouha (C) 10.0; 3, D. J. Hahn (O) 10.0; 4, A. P. Metcaife (O) 10.0.

220: 1, A. P. Metcalfe (O) 21.5†; 2, B. A. Smouha (C) 22.0; 3, W. J. Todman (O) 22.0; 4, J. T. Price (C) 22.2.

440: 1, A. P. Metcalfe (O) 48.1; 2, M. H. Davies (C) 48.9; 3, J. T. Price (C) 49.2; 4, W. J. Todman (O) 51.3.

880: 1, H. J. Elliot (C) 1:49.9†; 2, J. B. Holt (O) 1:5).4; 3, P. F. Burrows (C) 1:52.7; 4, R. A. Norton (O) 1:52.8.

Mile: 1, H. J. Elliot (C) 4:7.2; 2, R. Thorn (O) 4:8.4; 3, R. Bell (O) 4:9.2; 4, J. P. Boulter (O) 4:10.2; 5, M. R. Heath (C) 4:12.7; 6, M. A. Tribe (C) 4:16.2.

3 Miles: 1, T. J. Briault (C) 14:2.2; 2, S. H. James (O) 14:2.8; 3, D. H. Brennan (C) 14:11.6; 4, D. M. Turner (C) 14:32.8; 5, W. A. Cummings (O) 14:38.6; 6, R. E. Bell (O) 14:56.8.

120 Hdls: 1, J. M. Parker (C) 14.4†; 2, M. C. Robinson (C) 14.7; 3, P. Pilbrow (O) 14.8; 4, P. Sunderland (O) 15.2.

220 Hdls: 1, J. M. Parker (C) 24.1; 2, M. C. Robinson (C) 24.4; 3, R. W. Macklin (C) 24.5; P. Sunderland d.n.f.

HJ: 1, C. Van Dyck (O) 6'2"; 2, A. C. Leisenring (C) 6'1"; 3, F. G. De L. Rutherford (O) 6'0"; 4, J. A. B. Tolson (C) 5'10".

LJ: 1, P. R. Liles (C) 22'10\frac{3}{4}"; 2, J. K. Ellis (O) 22'10\frac{1}{2}"; 3, C. J. Simey (C) 22'10\frac{1}{4}"; 4, M. Ralph (O) 22'7\frac{1}{4}".

PV: 1, J. Hutton (O) 13'3"†; 2, W. Fortenbaugh (O) 12'6"; 3, J. McK. Wellwood (C) 12'0"; 4, A. J. Brand (C) 11'6".

H.S. & J.: 1, M. Ralph (O) 49'6"*; 2, E. R. Robinson (C) 47'6\frac{1}{4}"; 3, F. Esiri (O) 45'0"; 4, J. F. McWhor (C) 44'11\frac{1}{4}".

SP: 1, D. R. Harrison (C) 52'5\frac{3}{4}"; 2, D. M. Waterhouse (O) 49'7"; 3, J. A. Muller (O) 45'0\frac{1}{4}"; 4, J. E. Owen (C) 43'10\frac{1}{4}".

DT: 1, J. A. Muller (O) 144'1¼"; 2, D. R. Harrison (C) 143'5½"; 3, M. W. Pemberton (O) 143'0½"; 4, J. N. Marr (C) 128'7".

JT: 1, C. J. Bacon (C) $223'9\frac{1}{2}''$; 2, R. A. Lane (O) $223'0\frac{1}{2}''$; 3, J. R. Sale (C) $201'11\frac{1}{2}''$; 4, L. Krogh (O) 196'1''.

OTHER RESULTS

Sutton & Cheam H. "Bowyer Shield" H'cps. 60: C. Bell (scr) 6.9. 150: P. Lavell (10) 15.8. 330: A. French (45) 31.9. 600: T. Naish (scr) 74.1. 3M: 1, G. Boyer (130) 3:08.2; 2, T. Naish (scr) 3:10.8. 1½M: G. Boyer (scr) 7:43.5. Shield winner: A. French. "Smith Cup" H'cps. LJ: A. Woodland (3'0") 20'3". HSJ: P. Lavelle (6'0") 41'4". SP: C. Bell (8'0") 38'101". DT: A. Coakes (scr) 112'2". JT: S. Horn (scr) 153'4". Cup winner: P. Lavelle. "Youths Cup" H'cps. 60: P. Covey (4) 7.2. 150: K. Clark (scr) 16.5 300: G. Gibbs (30) 33.8. 600: G. Boyer (35) 80.3. 3M: P. Covey (110) 3:20.9. Cup winner: P. Covey. Junior Ladies' H'cps. 60: J. Covey (scr) 7.9. 75: J. Hawkins (10) 8.2. HJ: J. Covey (scr) 4'3". LJ: V. Dolling (5'0") 15'8". SP: S. Weaver (12'0") 37'9".

April 8th

Leamington A.C. 3M. Road Relay Trial. 1, M. Turner 14.52; 2, F. Woodward 15.04; 3, C. Hayden 15.07; 4, J. Mullis 15.30; 5, D. Kelly 15.47; 6, R. Jennings 16.01. H'cp: 1, J. O'Brien (2.20) 13.57; 2. R. Hayden (2.45) 14.00; 3, R. Jennings (1.35) 14.26; 4, C. Hayden (0.35) 14.32; 5, B. Olive (2.00) 14.34; 6, M. Turner (0.09) 14.43.

April 9th

Sutton & Cheam beat Mitcham 15-40 (U/14) 1, G. Boyer (S) 11.19; 2, B. White (S) 11.58; 3, C. Felix (S) 12.20; 4, R. Hoskins (S) 12.27; 5, A. Ebbsworth (S) 12.44; 6, C. Marshall (M) 12.51.

Hercules A.C. 3M. Champs. 1, P. Duggan 14:58.2; 2, R. Symons 15:01.6; 3, A. Griffith 15:22 (Jnr); 4. K. Nelson 15:27 (Jnr); 5, F. Bender 15:29; 6, K. McBrearty 15.34; 7, A. Turner 15:38 (Jnr); 8, M. Beard 15.43; 9, D. Hale 15:46 (Yth); 10, T. McNie 15:59 (Yth).

Erith A.C. Club Handicaps: 330: 1, J. Toms (6) 36.8; 2, A. Cook (Scr) 37.5; 3, M. Halls (5) 38.0. 660: 1, M. Still (scr) 1:31.1; 2, P. Millard (24) 1:31.1. 3, P. Wood (28) 1:31.8; LJ: 1, M. Still (4'0") 22'1½"; 2, E. Dwight (3'8") 21 11"; 3, J. Toms (3'6") 21'3".

April 15th

Mitcham A.C. 12M. Road Champs. 1, M. Gillett 64.19; 2, A. Fruin 65.41; 3, J. Fitzgerald 69.42. H'cp: M. Hearn (30.0) 59.11.

Wrexham A.C. 10M. Yacht H'cp and Champ. 1, R. O. Yeomans 60.42; 2, G. L. Baldwin 61.17; 3, B. E. J. Waters 62.17; 4, D. Williams 66.36; 5. J. Owen 72.50; 6,

D. L. Griffiths 72.55. Fastest Times: 1, B. E. J. Waters 56.17; 2, R. O. Yeomans 58.12; 3, G. L. Baldwin 60.17.

April 15th

Wimbledon A.C. beat Erith & Dist. 146-

METROPOLITAN BOROUGHS OF BERMONDSEY, CAMBERWELL & SOUTHWARK

You are invited to enter for the

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ATHLETICS COMPETITION

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On SATURDAY, 8th JULY, 1961 at 2.30 p.m.

IF YOU LIVE, WORK, OR ATTEND A FULL-TIME DAY COLLEGE IN THE METROPOLITAN BOROUGHS OF BERMONDSEY, CAMBERWELL OR SOUTHWARK, YOU ARE INVITED TO REPRESENT YOUR BOROUGH IN THE ABOVE COMPETITION BY ENTERING FOR ONE OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING EVENTS:—

Men's Events (Over 19 years on 1st April, 1961):—100 yards, 220 yards, 440 yards, 880 yards, 1 Mile, Medley Relay (110, 110, 220, 440 yards), 120 yards Hurdles, Long Jump, High Jump, Throwing the Discus, Throwing the Javelin, Putting the Shot.

Women's Events (Over 15 years on 1st April, 1961):—100 yards, 220 yards, 440 yards, Medley Relay (110, 110, 220, 440 yards), 80 Metres Hurdles, Long Jump, High Jump, Throwing the Discus, Throwing the Javelin. (For events longer than 220 yards competitors must be over 16 years of age on 1st April, 1961.)

Junior Events Male only, over 17 and under 19 years on 1st April, 1961:—100 yards, 220 yards, 440 yards, 880 yards, 1 Mile, Long Jump, High Jump.

ATTRACTIVE TROPHIES WILL BE AWARDED TO THE WINNERS AND RUNNERS-UP IN EACH EVENT AND TO THE TEAMS WINNING THE RELAY RACES. POINTS WILL BE AWARDED FOR PLACINGS, AND THE WINNING BOROUGH WILL RECEIVE THE "SOUTH LONDON OBSERVER" CUP, AN "INVITATION ONE MILE" EVENT WILL INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:—E. CAIGER, T. HARRIS, M. HOWE, A. ROGERS, K. SMITH.

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Camberwell: The Entertainments Officer, Town Hall, Camberwell Road, S.E.S. (Tel: ROD 6311).

Southwark: The Town Clerk, Town Hall, Walworth Road, S.E.17. (Tel: ROD 5464).

78. 100: R. Clarke (W) 11.2; 220: A. Halls (E) 24.4; 440: P. Pepe (W) 53.2; 880: R. Lovegrove (W) 2:01.1; 2M: W. Cummings (W) 9:42.0; LJ: P. Hedge (W) 19'91"; HJ: R. Clarke 5'6"; DT: N. Kitchen (W) 118'8". JT: R. Miller (W) 190'12" (rec.); SP: R. Harvey 42'71"; 4 x 110R: Wimbledon 46.9. (Juniors) 100: T. Barth (W) 10.6; 220: T. Barth (W) 24.4; Mile: K. Shaughnessy (W) 4:36.4; HJ: C. Townsend (W) 5'4"; DT: R. Harvey (W) 114'3"; JT: R. Harvey (W) 164'31" (rec.); HSJ: R. Harvey 39'3"; (Youths) 100: G. 4 x 110R: Erith 47.4. Taylor (W) 118. 880: G. Taylor (W) 2:15.2; LJ: D. Lankmans (E) 16'91"; 4 x 110: Wimbledon 55.2.

Shaftesbury H. Track Trials: 100: R. Bruck 10.6; 220: M. Gatehouse 23.6; 440: P. Zweicker 51.8; 880: R. Chase 1:57.9; 1M: A. Sunderland 4:18.8; 2M: M. W. Steven 10:01.8; 110H: C. Miller 12.8; HJ: A. Orton 5'6"; LJ: I. Landless 16'11"; HSJ: J. Smith 39'1"; DT: A. Orton 100'9"; JT: C. Fielding 147'2"; SP: A. Forbes 38'4". (Juniors) 100: C. Aperghis 11.0; 440: G. Imber 56.8; 880: P. Richardson 2:08.2; 1M: P. Richardson 1:42.0; HJ: J. Phillips 5'4"; LJ: J. Phillips 18'5"; DT: A. Johnson 138'1"; SP: G. Dollman 42'9½". (Youths) 100: J. Yiannakis 10.8; 220: M. Lynn 25.6; 1M: K. Mackay 5:9.3; 80H: H. Fairweather 11.5; HJ: J. Ratcliffe 5'0"; LJ: H. Fairweather 16'92"; HSJ: H. Fairweather 38'6". (Boys) 100: J. Cudd 11.9; 880: M. Smith 2:9.3.

CITY OF ROCHESTER A.C. (Founded 1906)

THE CITY'S CHARTER CELEBRATIONS

OPEN ATHLETIC MEETING

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

Winget's Sports Ground, Rede Court, London Road, Strood, nr. Rochester SATURDAY, 24th JUNE, at 3.0 p.m.

PRIZES VALUED £110

100	Handicap	EVENTS—Mer	rizes £5	Val	
	Handicap		£5	£3	£2
	Handicap		£5	£3	52
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(449)	$c 220 \times 220$	0 x 880)			£13
100yds.	Veterans'		£5	£3	£%
	22	Ladies	2022	-	NO.
	Handicap		£5 £5	£3	£2
	Handicap			£3	£2
440yds	(4 x 110)	Relay Handica	p		£13
E	ntries clos	e Saturday, 10t	h June		
Entr	ry Fees: 1/	6 ind. events, 5	/- relo	iys	
Entries	to S. Fry, Frinds	"Hillrise," 12 bury, Rochester	Banks Kent	Ro	ad,

April 16th

Surrey A.C. Meeting, Norbition. 80: D. Wright (10) 8.4; 150: D. Wright (20) 15.3; 440: A. Beavitt (70) 49.3; Mile: J. Brown (180) 4:24.9; LJ: A. Tymms (Scr) 22'3". (Club Jnr. rec.); SP: K. Hibbs (12'6") 41'7½". (Jun/Yth) 80: B. Travis (12) 8.2; 150: D. Ratchford (15) 15.8; 440: M. Joyce (50) 47.3; HSJ: D. Chitty (10')46'9½"; JT: R. Fenner (70') 189'4½"; B. Travis 160'9" (Club Yth rec.). (Boys) 80: D. Gleeson (1) 10.0; 150: D. Gleeson (2) 18.9. (Ladies) 80: S. Thompson (5) 10.1; 150: V. Warren (20) 17.7; DT: V. Hopkins (45') 116'1"; LJ: S. Thompson (2'6") 16'10".

April 18th

Blackheath H. 112 pts. beat Herne Hill H. 100, Victoria Pk. H. 74, Met. Police 32. H.H.H. 6M. Club Champ. 1, J. Heywood 30.59; 2, R. Williams 32.58.6; 3, A. Newson 34:16.6. In a triple jump competition Mike Turvey set a new club record with a jump of 45'11\frac{3}{4}".

(Other results next week)

TUG-OF-WAR ASSOCIATION NOTES

A booklet containing a comprehensive list of 1961 fixtures has been produced. It includes advice on the conduct of the T. of W. Draw and details of the Toucan League. The booklet is free but donations towards cost and postage will be welcomed.

The new T. of W. badge, price 10s. 6d. will be available within the next week or so. Flashes "Judge" are 3s. 6d. Cost must be sent with order.

Guinness Brewery lead the N.W. London section of the Toucan League with 12 pts., followed by Martin Baker 10 pts.; and De Havilland and R.A.F. Northolt equal third.

It is possible that, through the support of the A.A.A., the Association may possess its own scales during this season. Provisional arrangements are that member clubs may hire them at a charge of 10s. to cover maintenance and repair costs. Clubs will be responsible for collecting and returning the scales which can be conveyed by car.

Members' attention is drawn to the weights for our own Championships at Macclesfield on Aug. 26th: 88, 100 and 104 stone, and Catchweight events, plus a special 104st. event for clubs having joined since the 1960 Championships.

Hon. Secretary: W. G. Hillyard, A.F.I.C.D., 31 Westlands Way, Oxted, Surrey (Oxted 2166).

GODIVA PRESS DERBY

In Manchester to Blackpool Relay

Stage 1. Godiva (Adcocks) started in great style, with a 100 yards lead in 22.35 from Walker (N. Staffs) 22.53, Price (Wolverh'n) 22.57, Wood (Tipton) 22.59, Guilford (Derby) 23.02 and Woods (B'pool) 23.24.

(2). J. T. May (21.09) took Derby into the lead 18 sec. ahead of Godiva, with Tipton 3 sec. further behind. Derek Ibbotson broke the stage record (20.49), the only one to go, in taking Longwood from 16th to 4th with 20.34. Third fastest was Nightingale (Bolton) 21.19.

(Bolton) 21.19.

(3). Derby were now almost a minute in front, with Tipton 2nd and Godiva 3rd. M/r & D.L.C. had come from 17th on stage 1 to 5th, with B. Hall fastest here with 22.32, next being Sharpe (Derby) 22.50, S. G. Taylor (MAC) 22.51.

(4). Derby's lead dropped to 18 sec. over Godiva, with Tipton now 3rd another 14 sec. back. Fastest: P. Montague (M/r DLC)

28.13, R. Turney (Godiva) 28.16.

(5). Thorneycroft ran fastest leg of 25.43 to take Tipton to within 6 sec. of the leaders and Godiva were only 16 sec. further behind. Next fastest Thompson (MAC) 25.46.

(6). Deakin (23.01) now took Derby away to lead by 1 min. 23 sec., Godiva regaining second place through Crossfield (23.57). Only other runner to beat 24 mins.

was Thompson (Birchfield) 23.36.

(7). Derby lost a little ground here but were still over a minute ahead of Godiva. Bolton had been moving up steadily and now, thanks to Freary, took over 3rd place for a brief spell, with Tipton and Blackpool close up. Fastest: H. R. Fowler (N. Staffs) 27.49, Freary 27.56.

(8). Godiva (Lloyd) made inroads into Derby's lead and were less than 200 yards behind. Blackpool (Eaves) had moved up to 3rd. Fastest: G. Rhodes (N. Staffs) 16.24,

W. Feast (Birch) and Eaves 16.51.

(9). Dom. Keily with a brilliant run of 28.36, increased Derby's lead to 63 sec., the only other runner to beat 29 mins. being Rickhuss (Tipton) 28.52. Blackpool were third with a strong tail to follow.

(10). Cull, with fastest time of 21.31 ensured Derby's success, while Stubbings (22.00) brought Godiva in a minute ahead

of Blackpool).

(11). Well though Basil Heatley (33.47) ran, he had no chance of catching Mike Bullivant (34.04) and Derby ran out good winners of a closer race than had been expected. Next fastest was Brian Craig

(34.34) who brought Blackpool into a well deserved third place. Final positions:

Derby & Cty. 4h.35m.34s. 1. 2. Coventry Godiva 4h.36m.49s. 3. Blackpool & F. 4h.38m.36s. 4, Tipton 4:41.35; 5, Bolton 4:42.27; Birchfield 4:44.15; 7, N. Staffs 4:47.49; 8, M/r & DLC 4:48.11; 9, Sheffield UH 4:49.14; 11, Rochdale 10, Manchester 4:48.11; 4:50.49; 12, Pembroke 4:52.39; 13, Rotherham 4:53.36; 14, Hull 4:56.24; 15, Longwood 4:57.31; 16, Wolverhampton 4:59.29; 17, Salford 5:00.03; 18, Hallamshire 5:03.34; 19, Sale 5:09.10; 20, Sefton 5:11.08.

WALKING—contd.

ford) 2:57.07; 13, A. Staines (Leics) 2:57.53; 14, R. Green (Surrey WC) 2:58.16; 15, C. Young (Essex B) 2:58.21; 16, P. Stapleford (Leics) 2:59.58; 17, J. Sankey (Lancs) 3:00.18; 18, R. Hyland (L. Vids) 3:00.46; 19, K. Mason (Surrey WC) 3:01.12; 20, W. Smith (Leics) 3:01.57; 21, P. Markham (Leics) 3:02.39; 22, R. Ibbotson (Sheff) 3:03.14; 23, K. Woodward (Sheff) 3:03.36; 24, H. Neilson (Woodford) 3:04.52; 25, K. Bailey (Belg) 3:05.17.

Teams: 1, Sheffield U.H. (7, 9, 20, 21) 57; 2, Belgrave H. (3, 6, 23, 26) 58; 3, Leicester W.C. (12, 15, 18, 19) 64; 4, Surrey W.C. 93; 5, Poly H. 101; 6, Essex B. 122; 7, Coventry Godiva H. 127; 8, Woodford Grn.

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"Nijmegen" Shield: Belgrave H. Area Trophy: South.

OVERSEAS NEWS-contd.

6'8" and world record holder, Al Cantello, threw the javelin 204'4". Three days later, in Johannesburg, Gardner starred with a 6'9\frac{1}{4}" jump. Uelses cleared 14'6\frac{1}{2}", Moran clocked 4:17.3 and Cantello threw 220'1". Other outstanding marks this season include sprint times of 9.5, 20.8 (turn) and 29.9 (300y) by Judge Jeffreys, and a 14.1 high hurdles by Poena Malan.

SOUTHERN "20"-contd.

(Belg) 1:58.37; 16, K. Parris (Epsom) 1:58.59; 17, P. Ray (Poly) 1:59.27; 18, D. Jones (Ilford) 1:59.32; 19, J. Fitzgeraid (Mitcham) 1:59.40; 20, R. Morley (Blackheath) 1:59.54; 21, J. Withers (Blackheath) 2:00.07; 22, P. Bedley (SLH) 2:00.30; 23, A. Blatchford (Epsom) 2:01.46; 24, G. Licorish (Herne H) 2:02.46; 25, J. Blakeby (Ilford) 2:02.50.

Surrey Champ: 1, Towl; 2, Winchester;

3, Honney.

Teams: 1, Walton (2.3.17) 22 pts.; 2, Epsom & E. (5.8.10) 23; 3, S.L.H. (6.7.12) 25

Surrey Team: 1, Herne Hill (1.4.15) 20 pts.; 2, Walton (2.13.19) 24; 3, Epsom & E. (5.9.11) 25.

Advertise **YOUR** event and increase your entries

LANCASHIRE COUNTY SENIOR AND JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

(Under A.A.A. Laws)

Leverhulme Park Stadium, Bolton FRIDAY, JUNE 2nd, 7.00 p.m. SATURDAY, JUNE 3rd, 2.00 p.m.

Friday programme: Junior, 120 yds. hurdles final; Javelin final; One Mile Walk final; Long Jump final; 1500m. Steeplechase final. Senior: 220 yds. heats; One Mile heats; finals 6 Miles; 4 x 110 yds. Relay; Hammer; Hop, Step and Jump.

Finals and remaining championship events on Saturday.

ENTRIES CLOSE MAY 23rd
To J. C. Rice, 42 Mimosa Road, Liverpool, 15

Note: "Red Rose" Open 20 Miles, Morecambe, September 9th

LEICESTERSHIRE AGRICULTURAL SHOW

ATHLETIC MEETING

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

Organised by Leics. and Rutland A.A.A.
on behalf of Leics. Agricultural Society

AT BRAUNSTONE AIRFIELD, LEICESTE. Full Size Grass Track

Saturday, JUNE 10th, 1961 2.15 p.m. INTERNATIONAL LEVEL INVITATION EVENTS

100/150y. 330y. 3 Mile 2 Miles

Men's Events	Prize Values	ntry
100y.; 220y.; Open Hcps. 880y.; 1 Mile do.	£7 £3 £2 £7 £3 £2	2/-
7 Mile Open Walk (scr.)	£7 £3 £2	
(Handicap) 220y. 880y.; Youths' Scratch		2/-1/6
Ladies' Events: 4 x 110y. Relay 4 at 25/- 4 a 100y.; 220y.; Open Hcps.	t £1 4 at 15/- £4 £2 £1	5/- 2/-
Schoolboy Events: 100y, Scratch Plaques 1: 4 x 110y, Relay Plaques 1: 2 Miles Walk Plaques 1:	st 2nd & 3rd nd & 3rd teams st 2nd & 3rd	1/-4/-

Entries Close - Thursday, May 25th, 1961

General Enquiries/Entries—Harold Yardley, 43, Tollemache Ave., Leicester.

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KODAK SPORTS HARROW

(Under A.A.A. Rules)
SATURDAY, JUNE 3rd

MEN'S OPEN HANDICAPS: 100, 220, 880yds., 1 Mile; Juniors: 440yds. and 1 Mile (Scratch); Youths: 440yds. and 880yds. (Scratch).

TUG-OF-WAR 104 STONE

2 MILES INVITATION TEAM RACE
Incorporating all L.B.H. Clubs
LADIES 'OPEN HANDICAPS: 100 & 220yds.,
4 x 110yds. Relay; Juniors & School girls'
Handicaps: 80yds. & 120yds., 4 x 110 Relay.
Entries Close Saturday, May 20th

Fees: 2/- first event, 1/- others. Junior and Youths 2/- Two Events. Tug-of-War 10/-; Relays 5/-.

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S.T.C. (Woolwich) ATHLETIC & SOCIAL CLUB

ANNUAL

SPORTS AND GALA (Under A.A.A., W.A.A.A. and B.C:F. Rules)

SATURDAY, 10th JUNE, 1961 AT THE SPORTS GROUND IVOR GROVE, NEW ELTHAM

FIRST OPEN EVENT 2.45 p.m.

OPEN EVENTS VALUABLE PRIZES

100 yds. H'cap—Men 220 yds. H'cap—Ladies 220 yds. H'cap—Men 1 Mile H'cap—Men 100 yds. H'cap—Ladies 880 yds. H'cap—Men Ladies 4 x 110y Relay H'cap 3M. Walk—Men Men 4 x 110 yards Relay Handicap

440 yards Handicap 880 yards Handicap 3 Mile Point-to-Point 5 Mile Scratch

Entries — All entries on Official A.A.A., W.A.A.A. or B.C.F. Forms not later than May 23rd (first post) to Mr. F. Coomber, Standard Telephones & Cables, Limited, Henley Road, North Woolwich. E.16.

Entry Fees—First event 1/6. Each additional event 1/-. Relay Team 4/- per Team. Cycling Events: First Event 2/-. 1/6 Each additional event.