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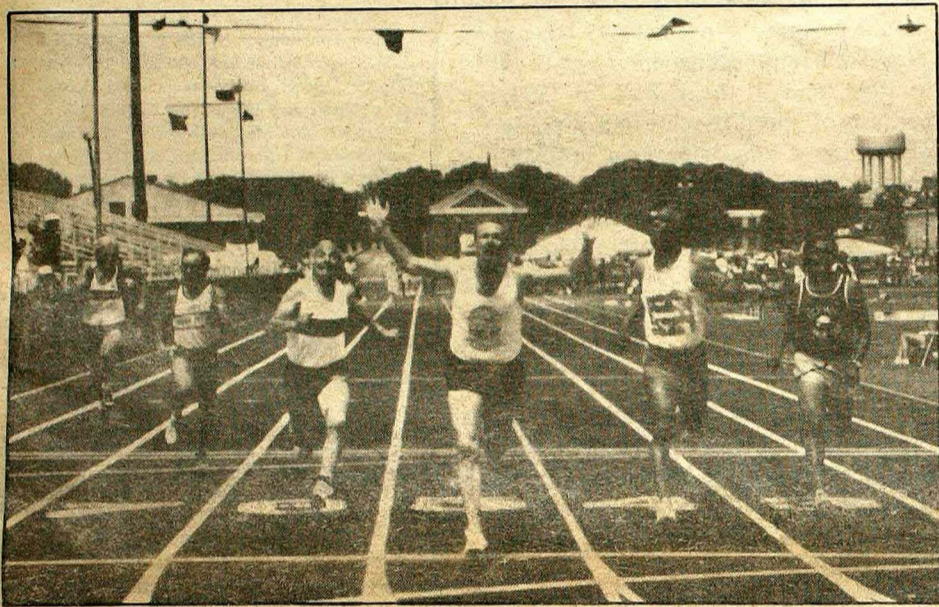
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World Games Bid Goes to Eugene 19th Nationals Draw 761 to New York



John Poppell, of Florida, raises hands in victory at finish line of the M55 200M, in 26:57, at the U.S. TAC National Masters Championships, Long Island, New York. Photo by Gretchen Snyder

TAC Panel Picks 'Track Capital of America' as U.S. Nominee to Host 1989 Event

by HAL HIGDON

When the decision came late Thursday, July 17, after nearly twelve hours of presentations and deliberations before a TAC subcommittee meeting in Nassau County, New York to decide (presumably) the site for the Eighth World Veteran Games, there were tears of joy shed by track chairman Jerry Donley, looks of resigned disappointment on the faces of near-miss suitors from San Diego and Los Angeles, and shouts of joy (not to mention hugs) from those representing victorious Eugene, Oregon.

The decision made in the Marriott

Hotel before the TAC Masters Meet to bring the 1989 Games to Eugene is not entirely secure. The vote of the eleven-person American selection subcommittee (although only seven voted) needs to be ratified at The Athletics Congress (TAC) convention, December, 1986, in Tampa, Florida (probably a formality). The Americans then will present Eugene as their candidate in a bid before the World Association of Veteran Athletes (WAVA) meeting at Melbourne, Australia in November, 1987. Yugoslavia reportedly also may bid and could upset U.S. plans. But, most likely, the world's best over-40

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11 World, 19 U.S. Records Set on Long Island

A record total of 761 athletes, age 30-and-over, took part in the 19th annual U.S. TAC National Masters Track and Field Championships from July 18-20 in Uniondale, Long Island, New York.

The number surpassed the previous high for a U.S. masters meet — the 702 who came to Houston for the nationals in 1983.

Competition was available in 26 five-year age divisions for men and women from 30-34 to 90+, with gold, silver and bronze medals awarded to the top three in each group.

The quality of the competition was high, as usual, with 11 new world and 19 new American records established.

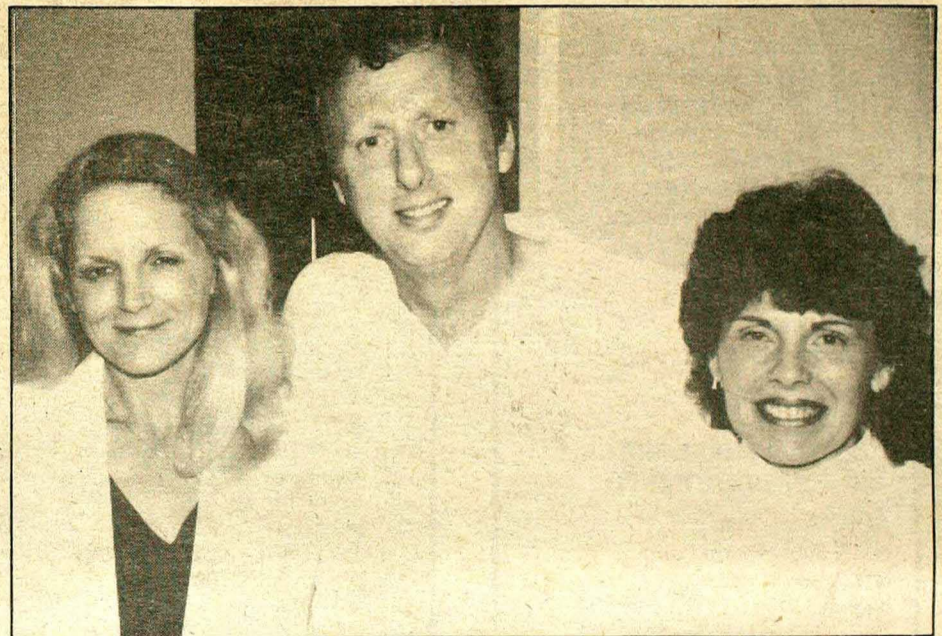
The three-day event was held at the Mitchel Athletic Complex (named after

American flying ace, General Billy Mitchel), about 35 miles east of Manhattan. Athletes were housed at Hofstra University, adjacent to the track, for \$20 per night, which encouraged many low-budget travelers to attend.

The meet was directed by Sandy Pashkin with the aid of the New York Masters Club and the meet sponsor, Etonic Shoes. There were the usual administrative problems, but competitors, generally, praised the facilities and the organization and seemed to have a good time.

The performances were outstanding. Jack Greenwood, formerly of Medicine Lodge, Kansas and now running out of Denver, turned 60 this year

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Eugene World Veterans Games Committee members after winning their bid to be the U.S. nominee for the 1989 World Veterans Games. From left to right, Linda Weston, Lew Thorne and Barbara Daugherty. Photo by Gretchen Snyder

McCubbins, Welch Top Super National 10K Field as Green Suffers First U.S. Loss

Perhaps the strongest field of masters road runners ever gathered in one spot took part in the 1986 U.S. TAC National Masters 10K Championships in Asbury Park, N.J. on August 9.

When the dust had cleared, Canada's Chris McCubbins and

England's Priscilla Welch had claimed the top masters prizes of \$1000 each, and Pennsylvania's Norman Green had lost to an American for the first time ever.

Phil Benson, race director of the annual Asbury Park 10K Classic, invited the top age-40-and-over runners in the

nation, as well as several from abroad. The Masters Championships were run in conjunction with the open race, but with separate chutes and with special recognition for the masters participants.

McCubbins took the lead among the masters runners from the start and

gradually pulled away to a 22-second victory in 30:49 over England's Mick Hurd (31:11). Another Britisher, Dick Milne, tried to stay with the top two, but dropped back to finish third in 31:27. Edwin Oxlade of Belfast, Northern Ireland, took fourth in

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SOUTH AFRICA AND YUGOSLAVIA

May I clarify some points concerning the letter from WAVA Secretary Owen Flaherty in the July issue?

1) Concerning South Africans, it's clear to all people that WAVA should not use the World Veterans Championships for political pressure. Nevertheless, my personal feeling, and that of a large majority of European Veterans Associations, is that we cannot accept South Africans in Veterans competitions, because South Africa is currently suspended by the IAAF, and WAVA is forming an agreement of cooperation with the IAAF. Furthermore, more than 90 percent of European countries have Veterans activity which is an integral part of the federation member of the IAAF.

2) As for the Yugoslavian application for the 1989 World Veterans Championships, there is a big misunderstanding that all Veterans (and particularly organizers and masters in the U.S.A.) must know: I have neither proposed Yugoslavia for the 1989 Games, or received an application from them. On the contrary, it is true that, as President of the EVAA, I was informed about the application

presented by the town of Split to Secretary Flaherty, and I have been asked to allow a Yugoslavian delegation to present their proposal to the EVAA General Assembly.

In a letter to some European members, I expressed my personal opinion that, for Italians, and probably a majority of Europeans, it should be more convenient to have a World Championships in Yugoslavia in 1989, and in the U.S.A. in 1991, because of the difficulty and expense of making a long trip again in 1989, after a very long trip to Australia in 1987.

Cesare Beccalli
President

European Veterans Athletic Association
Milano, Italy

MILLER CHIDED

This article by W. MacDonald Miller in the August issue of NMN was in very poor taste. Our Masters movement does not need ethnic jokes or the demeaning of women.

While I do not live in Cleveland, I have been married to a Jewish woman

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U.S. Pentathlon Draws 41 From 21 States

Boo Morcom long-jumped to a new world age 65-69 record to highlight the National TAC Masters Pentathlon Championships on July 13 in Shipensburg, Pennsylvania. The event drew 41 contestants from 21 states, Canada and Puerto Rico.

Morcom leaped 5:38 meters (17-7 $\frac{3}{4}$) to raise the existing M65 record of 5.19 (17- $\frac{1}{4}$), set by West Germany's Hans Bitter last year. The New Hampshire resident also scored 4869 points — more than anyone else in the age-factored scoring competition.

For the first time ever, the meet was held as a separate event, rather than as an extra event in a track meet. Many contestants said they participated for that reason, because it permitted them to compete without being delayed by other meet events.

Other division winners were Scott Thornsley, M30; Bill Forsyth, M35; Rex Harvey, M40; Gary Miller, M45; Jack Gilmore, M50; D. Skartvedt, M55; Bob Roemer, M60; Gil Gonzalez, M70; and the meet's oldest competitor, Harry McArdie, M80.

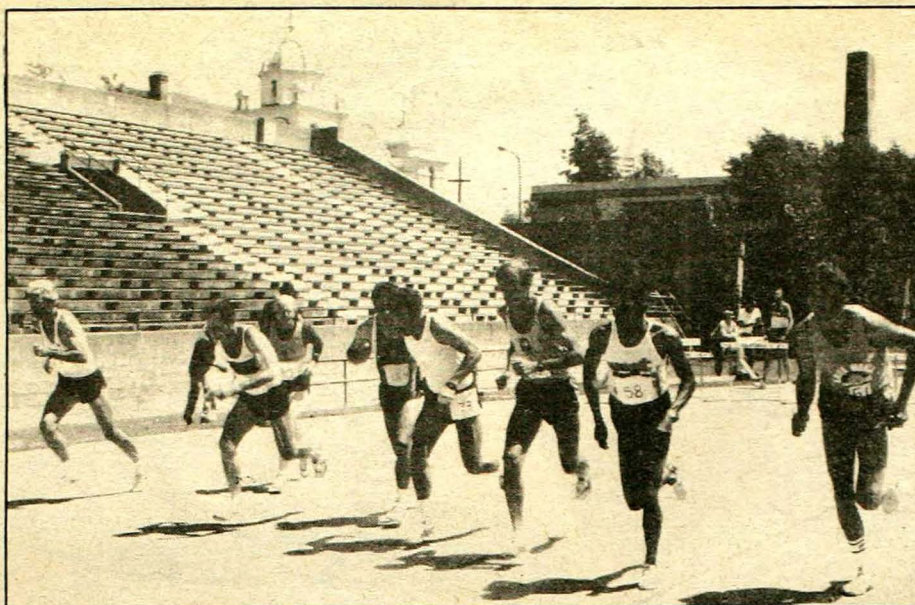
The meet owed a thank you to
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Morcom Sets World Vault Mark at Brown

Boo Morcom set a new world record for men aged 65-69 with a pole vault of 12-4 $\frac{1}{2}$ in the Brown University Masters Track & Field Meet on August 3 in Providence, Rhode Island.

Morcom's effort bested the world M65 mark of 11-10, set by West Germany's Herbert Schmidt in 1976.

More than 165 age-30-and-over athletes set 78 meet records in the event, directed by Neil Steinberg, who found time to win the M30 100 (11.2) and 200 (22.6). □



Start of M40 and M45 1500M, TAC Western Regional Masters Track and Field Championships, Berkeley, Calif., July 5, 6. Mel Elliott, far right, and Cliff Bedell, far left, finished in the M45 division in 4:17.1 and 4:22.2, respectively. Photo by Gretchen Snyder

Harvey, Hill Set Marks in National Decathlon

Not only did Rex Harvey direct an outstanding U.S. TAC National Masters Decathlon/Heptathlon Championships in Des Moines, Iowa on July 26-27, he also found time to set a new American masters record in the event.

Harvey, long one of Iowa's top multi-event open competitors, just turned 40 and won the age 40-44 national title with a total of 6262 IAAF points, eclipsing Dave Thoreson's 1981 M40 mark of 6212.

It was the third consecutive national championship for Harvey, having won the 35-39 crowns in 1984 and 1985. A thigh injury in the 100 meters kept him from a shot at the world M40 mark of 6784 points set by Wolfgang Linkmann in 1981. His highest score — 781 points — came with a soaring 15-0 in the pole vault, only 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ " off Roger Ruth's 14-year-old U.S. M40 record.

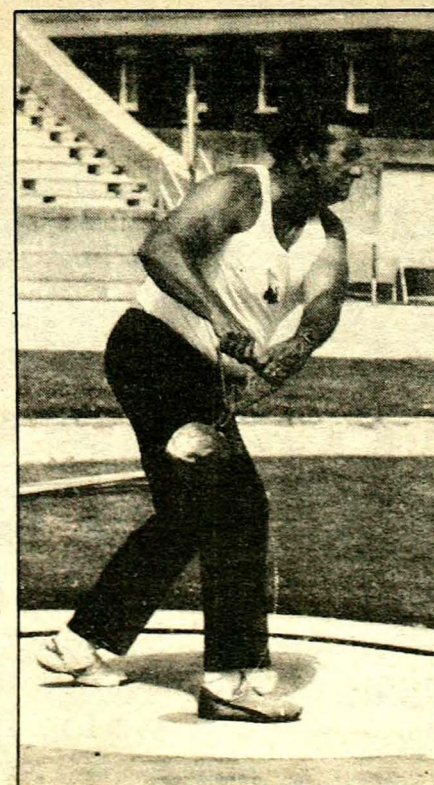
The Championships are considered

the most prestigious masters multi-event meet of the year and, year after year, produce some of the best veteran performances in the world.

Mike Hill, 35, of Boulder, Colorado, a former national champion, just turned 35 and, despite a painful shoulder injury, won the 35-39 category with a new U.S. M35 record 6862 points. The old mark was 6230, tallied by Atlanta's Phil Mulkey in 1971. Hill's best event was a 15.0 high hurdles, good for 821 points.

The meet was held this year at the excellent facility at Drake University, "the home of the Drake Relays," with Drake organizers Bob Ehrhart and Gary Osborn running the events smoothly. The weather was hot and

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Bob Backus, M50, warming up with 56 pound hammer at TAC Western Regional Championships, Berkeley, California. His best throw of the day was a heave of 9.09.

Photo by Gretchen Snyder

Caselli Breaks Two Distance Records in Western Regionals

The younger divisions provided close competition, but the older divisions provided world records in TAC's Western Regional Masters T&F Championships held at the University of California at Berkeley's Edwards Field on July 5-6.

Jaclyn Caselli, in a difficult distance double, broke Pat Dixon's W65 world record of 13:47.6 in the 3000 with a 13:15.6, and Ewa Erickson's W65 world best of 23:56.4 in the 5000 with a 22:41.7.

In the 100m, Australia's Bernie Hogan, pushed by five M65 sprinters, tied the age-group world record of 12.5. Anthony Castro ran 14.2, a tenth of a second below the M75 world record held by Josiah Packard.

Christel Miller lowered her W50 national record of 15.42 in the 80mH to 14.8.

Masters sprinters were led by Stan Whitley with meet bests in the 100m (10.8), 200 (22.0), and 400 (49.9).

The 800 runners impressed spectators with outstanding races. George Mason won the M40 contest in 1:58.5 from Harvey Franklin (1:59.3) and Graeme Shirley (2:00.2). In the M45 race, George Cohen ran 1:59.1 for a win over Cliff Bedell (2:03.3) and Mel Elliott (2:05.2).

Winners in the jump events included Nick Newton, who also took the 100m (11.4), 200 (24.1), and M50 high jump (5-7); Bruce Hotaling, M40 pole vault (12-6); Bob Roemer, M60 long jump (14-8 $\frac{3}{4}$); and David Horn, M45 triple jump (40-4).

Stew Thomson, M50, topped the M40-and-over shot putters with a 45-7 $\frac{3}{4}$. Thomson also won the discus (15-7) and hammer throw (147-3), and threw the 56# weight 32-8 $\frac{1}{4}$. Bob Backus, M60, heaved the weight 29-9 $\frac{1}{2}$.

World-record holder Larry Stuart, M45, outdistanced all javelin throwers with 194-3. E. Weston took the M40 contest with a 167-0 throw, eight inches better than Lloyd Higgins' 166-4, but Higgins won the discus with 156-1.

The women's competition was paced by Irene Obera's four W50 wins in the 100m (13.1), 200 (27.4), 400 (65.1), and long jump (13-9 $\frac{1}{4}$). Tina Stough won the W30 200 (27.2), 400 (60.8), and 800 (2:22.9). Miller was a multiple W50 winner, and Shirley Kinsey took four W55 events, including the 80mH in 17.1.

Janet Wilson avenged a W30 shot-put loss to Joan Stratton (38-1 $\frac{1}{4}$) with a 143-8 discus throw. □

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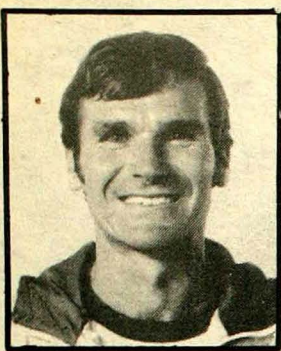
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by MIKE TYMN

Do The Legs Go First?

Before attempting to answer that question, I want to apologize to Wendy Miller, my fellow columnist, for intruding upon his lane. I want him to know, though, that his glib prose inspired this column.

Even though I didn't mention Wendy in my recent column on heroes, he is someone I've long wanted to emulate. So much so, that I'm not going to beat around the bush in this column. I'm going to get right up there, lift the hind leg, and cut loose.

Recently, I asked a number of elite masters runners if they agree with the many retired ballplayers and boxers who have said that the legs go first.

A couple of the runners agreed. One expressed the opinion that the stomach muscles are first to go. Others felt it was the reaction time or reflex action. Still another opined that it's the head that fails first.

I don't agree with any of them. It's the bladder that's first to go.

I came to this conclusion before a race not too long ago. I had just opened my fly and had taken aim when Enrique Ryan, Hawaii's best high school miler, walked into the john and joined me at the trough, one of those long metal types that several guys can share at once while watching little tributaries meet to become one great river. I was standing there trying to get a stream flowing when Enrique cuts loose with one that hit the back of the trough like a laser beam. You could hear the zing and just about feel the

spray. I almost expected it to penetrate the metal.

"Wow, the vitality of a 15-year-old 4:20 miler," I thought to myself, still trying to work up a stream as Enrique walked away. I decided then to see how much intensity I could generate against the back of the trough. But my stream sort of died half way to the back and tailed off to the bottom.

I don't think it was too long after my 40th birthday that I had to start getting up in the middle of the night to empty my bladder. By the time I was 45, I was getting up twice a night on occasions. Now, with 50 just around the corner, I sometime have to crawl out of bed three times a night, especially after guzzling a gallon of liquid refreshment following a hard workout during a hot, humid day.

I remember the times, as a kid, when I'd sleep over at my grandparents' house and my grandfather would get up in the middle of the night to empty his bladder. I wondered why he didn't have the foresight to take care of that before he went to bed. Now I understand.

There's one thing I don't understand, though. Occasionally, I'll wake up and have a hard time aiming downward, even after a totally inno-

Masters Win \$3350 in Utica Boilermaker

New Zealand's Graham Tattersall and Canada's Diane Palmason accelerated the American foreign trade deficit by pocketing first place masters prize money in the 1986 Utica Boilermaker 15K in Utica, N.Y. on July 13.

Each picked up \$500, as a total of \$3350 was given out to age-40-and-over runners. Tattersall covered the 9.3-mile course in 48:50, while Palmason spent 1:01:33 to earn her \$8.13-per-minute paycheck.

The \$3350 was divvied up among the 40-49 men (\$1150), 50+ men (\$650), 40-49 women (\$1000) and 50+ women (\$550).

The first place award of \$300 in the

M50-and-over group, which had cash prizes four deep, went to Canadian Ben Johns of Ottawa, Ontario, Canada, for his 52:01.

Anny Stockman of Rensselaer, N.Y., ran 1:01:43, just ten seconds slower than Palmason, to take the W50-and-over top prize of \$300.

The hot, humid weather which has plagued the East this year since spring, and this race in particular in previous years, disappeared. Aided by temperatures in the 60s, an overcast sky, and a wind at their backs, the men's winner, Joseph Kipsang, and the women's leader, Lisa Welch, both finished with course records of 44:07 and 50:19 in the 2,513 finishers race. □

Margaret Miller Breaks Two World Records

In less than two weeks, Margaret Miller, 61, of Thousand Oaks, Calif., knocked off two W60 world track records and an American road record. On July 16, she ran a 5:45.0 1500, and on July 23, she did a 12:25.6 3000, both in the L.A. City All-Comers

Meets at Birmingham H.S. in Van Nuys. The previous records (5:57.2) and (12:26.8) had belonged to Lieselotte Schultz of West Germany. On August 3, Miller ran 1:05:52 in the Santa Barbara Fiesta 15K to eclipse Helen Dick's W60 AR of 1:07:33. □

cent dream. After standing there for awhile, I finally give up, back up, and try an arcing trajectory. I try to relate those nights to something I did or ate in the preceding 24 hours, but I haven't been able to come up with any logical explanation yet.

After observing the vitality of young Enrique Ryan, I began to wonder if there is any correlation between intensity of effort in running, and age. So I asked a number of runners to assist me in an experiment. I promised each of them a six-pack to participate in my study.

Wendy would probably call my experiment a pissing contest. I'm not prepared to be that glib. I called it a stream intensity study. I had my subjects toe a line and see how far out they could stream. The results were much

what I expected. Those with 10-K times under 36 minutes averaged 32.3 years of age and scored an average 8 feet, 3 inches. Those with 10-K times between 36 and 40 minutes averaged 39.5 years of age and streamed an average 7 feet, 1 inch. Those with times over 40 minutes averaged 48.1 years and streamed just 5 feet, 3 inches.

No question about it, there definitely is a positive correlation between intensity of stream, age, and running times.

Many of the subjects thought the experiment was so much fun and so challenging that it was suggested we have regular matches. Heck, why not? It could be another event on the track & field program.

Before you completely discount this possibility, think about it. Not just anyone can go out there and start whizzing away. It takes preparation. First of all, you've got to load up with a liquid that will carry. You've got to get just the right trajectory, sort of like a javelin. And, it takes concentration. Unless you focus completely on shooting from one barrel, you are not going to achieve maximum distance.

I am working now on arranging the first great P---eraoo. Wendy Miller will be my first invited p---er. I sort of suspect that Wendy will have a hard time shooting from one barrel, but we can always make a biathlon out of it for his sake.

Regretfully, I'll have to return to my normal dull self the next issue. NMN editor Al Sheahan feels that there is room for only so much real serious stuff in this publication, and that's best left to good ol' Wendy, my idol. □



The start of the 1986 Boilermaker Road Race in Utica N.Y. on July 13.

Photo: Guy Danella

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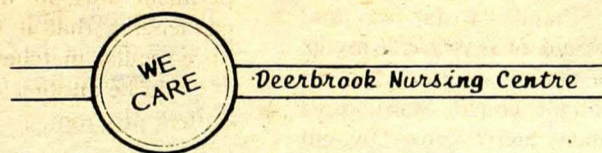
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On Approaching Every Problem With an OPEN MOUTH

by W. MacDONALD MILLER

Bix, Jazz and Doing One's Thing

There has been some indication these past few months that running, as my invention had come to be known, was dead. Oh, I don't mean dead-dead, but certainly losing some of its broad base appeal. Walking is in, triathlons are supposedly the fastest growing part of the competitive scene, and who can deny the obvious appeal of riding a bike around in those tight pants with a shammy crotch. I mean, get 'em on, sweetheart, and we'll go do a 100.

Okay, so things come and go. Life is a trendy affair and I'm reminded just how trendy everytime I see my white disco suit hanging there in the closet. But running? My well-documented and patented invention, (on these very pages) dead? I don't know if I can handle this.

We're not talking about thrusting oneself down one of those rubber mat tracks with painted stripes for a few seconds. We're not talking about big guys grunting, snorting and throwing balls, plates, and spears at no one in particular. We're not talking about jumping headfirst, backwards, into a big pile of pillows like some middle-aged slumber party. We're talking the real thing (Ted Hayward, forgive me): sweat bands, head bands, knee socks, Sony Walkmans, magenta outfits and pounding out nines. We're talking podiatrists and orthotics and shoe surveys and a host of wonderful people, none of whom comes quickly to mind, but certainly people for the most part.

I was devastated and in possession of nothing better to do but accept an invitation to Moline, Illinois as a weekend guest of a client (a customer who pays promptly). Now, Moline, Illinois is across the river from Davenport, Iowa. Davenport, Iowa, for

Brown Clears Record Height in Nebraska

J.C. Brown set a world high jump record for men age 55-59 with a leap of 5-8¼ at the Lincoln Track Club Championships at the University of Nebraska on July 13.

Brown upped the mark of 5-6½, set by Boo Morcom in 1976. (Editor's note: a week later in the nationals in New York, Brown raised the mark, again, to 5-8½.)

Also setting meet records were Tom Bassett, M40-49, 100 (11.9) and 200 (24.0); Bob Elwood, M50-59, mile (5:05.9) and 5000 (17:56.1); and Al Showen, M60-60, mile (5:29.4) and 5000 (19:27.9). □

those of you old enough to remember Flip Phillips, Illinois Jacket, Herbie Fields, and Sam Donahue, also remember Davenport as the birthplace of Bix Biederbeck, the Sea Jam Blues and all that jazz.

Once a year they remember Bix with a jazz festival on the banks of the Mississippi, nestled among what is generally referred to as the Quad Cities. This is farm country and the Quad Cities are deeply involved in farming. Companies named Dear John, International Harvester and Caterpillar have been major employees in what once was a thriving agricultural area. These days things are not so good in the Quad Cities. Unemployment puts them near the top of every list they put in the papers. Farmers and their mortgage holders are in a death watch that cries out for a solution to a very, very emotional issue.

What a backdrop for one of the best weekends I've ever had in my life. Wonderful people, friendly, polite and full of true grit. The music? Six to eight hours a day of the coolest music this side of heaven. Every big named jazz band in the land, right there in Davenport. What a town, Davenport. Corn-dogs, free kittens, prize drawings, the whole bit. Even sex was free in Davenport for this weekend. I'll be honest, I didn't get any myself, but my wife did.

The Jazz Festival, by big city standards, was quite different. I don't think I'd ever been to a music festival attended primarily by people. I mean real people; grandparents and twins in strollers and guys trying to look cool in T-shirts that said BETTENDORF PHYS ED. It was wall-to-wall people in lawn chairs and on blankets. Everyone had a beer in their hand and everyone was sane and civil. How could you use four letter words in front of your aunt? After a while some rowdies started a snake dance. I mean, can you believe - a snake dance? It couldn't have been all bad though, there were grandmothers in it.

While they were at it someone had

the good sense to hold a footrace. They call this race the Bix and believe an old storyteller, Running is alive and well in good ol' Iowa. The Bix is a seven mile affair, starts almost in the river, runs right up the bank for the first mile, then turns into three and a half miles of out and back running, with a boulevard separating the directions. My favorite race course, I'm pounding out nines, yelling at Geoff and Mark, encouraging Boston Billy and Alberto. I even break into applause with the rest of these midwesterners when Joanie comes by.

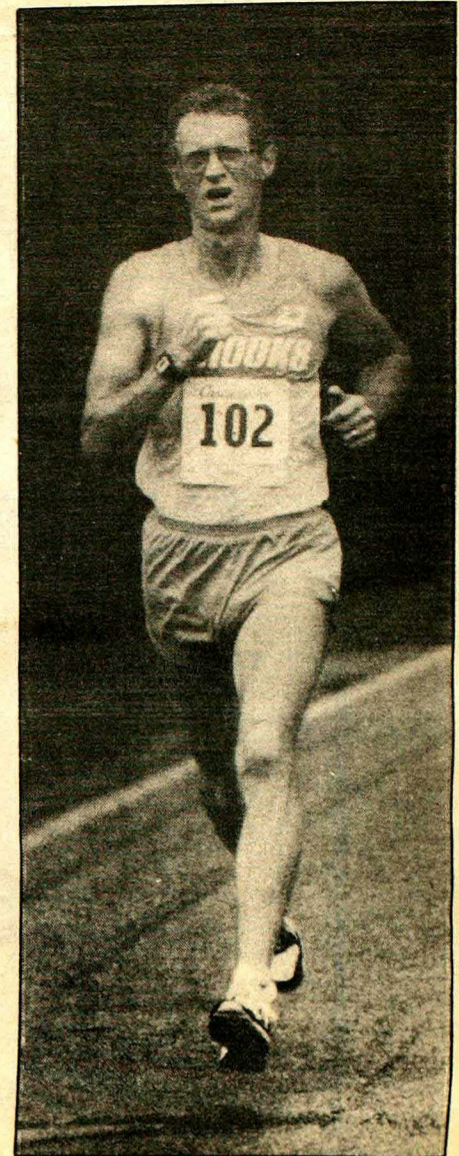
I'm so fired up that when I reach the top of the hill with one mile to go I let it get out of hand. My weight is about 25 up and I've drunk about four gallons of water during the race so I've got a full head of steam by the time I reach the bottom of the hill. I figure I'm close to sevens and I can barely make the turn into the finish line. The finish chutes are the longest I've ever seen but then I remind myself, 9,000 runners for seven miles calls for long finish chutes. Our line is moving along nicely when all of a sudden we stop. No prob, a slight delay to catch your breath.

Problem is, we don't get moving again and the runners in front and back of me start offering words of inquiry, "What the hell's going on up there - get this goddamn thing moving, if these bastards can't do a finish line any better than this I want my money back." A guy in front of me is yelling something stupid and I say, "Relax, Pal, that nine minute pace we ran takes a lot out of a guy." He says, "Ya, I know, but there's no excuse for this, a guy trains for weeks, runs his heart out and then they pull this crap, I'll never come back."

Just then he looks at me, smiles and puts out his hands. I slap ten and before I can think of anything to say he puts it all in perspective, "My first race, how about you?" Many races and many miles ago I know I would have said something else, but at that particular moment, only one response seemed appropriate, "Me too, great, eh?" I said.

He doesn't seem to hear me and launches right into a, "I'll tell you one thing, you've got to run your own race. I started out with the guys I train with at the Y but it doesn't work, you've got to do your own thing. You can't do what someone else is doing."

I'd not only heard that line a few times, I've used it myself on more than one occasion. Running one's own race and doing one's own thing — that does just about sum up the better part of it. □



Stewart Again! Bill Stewart, 41, of Ann Arbor, Mi., won the men's master's division of the Cascades 10K Dick Hatt Memorial Run for the second consecutive year.

Photo by Marcia Butterfield

Stewart, Hayward Win in Michigan

by PHIL LOOMIS

Bill Stewart did something a little different during the Cascades 10K Dick Hatt Memorial Run in Jackson, Mich. on July 26.

"Usually, I go out too damn fast and suffer a little toward the end, particularly on a hot day," the Ann Arbor resident explained. "Today, I decided to go real easy to start and finish fast. . . so I think I ran about a 5:20 pace the first three miles and then a 5:00 pace over the last three miles.

"It felt a lot easier that way."

It also earned him \$500 for his first place masters finish, which he managed in 32:47.

Second-place masters finisher, Joe Klingenberg, 41, of Bucyrus, Ohio, clocked 33:44, 11 seconds better than Nick Pappas' 33:55.

Tina Hayward, 45, retained her title as female masters winner in 37:48, fine time but a minute slower than last year — possibly due to sore hamstrings and high humidity.

Greg Meyer led all 628 finishers in 30:08. □



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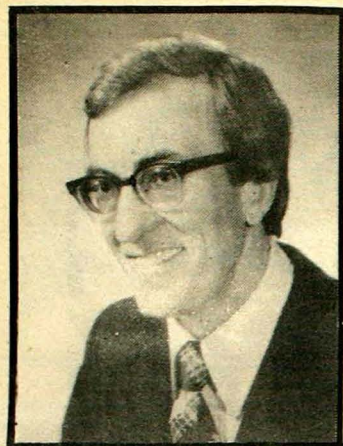
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FROM THE Editor

by AL SHEAHEN

Post-Campaign Depression

LOS ANGELES, August 15. My column this month falls under the heading: "personal therapy." So if you want to skip over to something else, I won't mind. In other words, I need this column more than you do.

First, this is our biggest issue ever — 48 pages. Not only do we have the inside scoop of how Eugene was chosen as the U.S. nominee for the 1989 World Veterans Games, we have the story and results of five — count 'em, 5 — of the biggest U.S. TAC National Masters Championships of the year — the outdoor T&F, pentathlon, decathlon, 10K and marathon. They all took place in a 28-day time span from July 13 to August 9.

Not only that, but we have stories and results from all six 1986 regional T&F championships, not to mention reports from Peachtree, Grandma's, Cascade 15K, Boilermaker 15K, San Francisco Marathon, Western States 100, Wisconsin, Los Angeles, Nebraska, Providence Point, Senior Olympics, and the British and Asian Veterans T&F Championships. Plus a few more. Whew!

And, as a special added attraction, we have an R rated column by Mike Tynn, a PG by Wendy Miller (who only mentions sex three times), and a few irate letters to the editor. Clearly a bofo issue.

My crack associate editor, Jerry Wojcik, worked night and day for a week before he collapsed and, at the insistence of his wife, Bea, bailed out a week ago for a well-deserved four-week drive across the country. I hope he returns.

My stiff-upper-lip, assistant editor, Angela Egremont, who speaks so beautifully in her lilting British accent that, compared to her, I sound like I'm talking with a mouth full of marbles, has persevered diligently for nearly a year, but has finally wised up and handed in her resignation, effective next month. She got tired of working for slave wages but, true to her English character, stayed on through this monster issue. Good show, Angela. Sorry to lose you.

Needless to say, we are now looking for a part-time secretary who knows a bit about masters athletics to come and work for equally low wages. If you know anyone crazy enough to be interested, drop us a line. We promise not to reveal your name.

My intrepid photo editor, Gretchen Snyder, vanished to her Berkeley hideaway after the New York nationals last month, but, eureka, in today's express mail arrived her magnificent photos of that event, cropped and ready to print.

I confess I snuck off to the Sierras for a couple of days to try to recover from what I call "post-campaign depression," but it wasn't enough time. I need a month.

I'd like to thank Hal Higdon for his comprehensive and fascinating report in this issue on how Eugene was picked to represent the U.S. in its bid for the 1989 World Veterans Games. It's usually my job to report on what went down at these meetings, but, in this case, I couldn't have done it. First, because I wasn't privy to what happened in the voting, and, second, because I had lost my reporter's objectivity.

It got lost one balmy day in early March when Mary Pat Hanker and Patty Gonser charmed Tom Sturak and me with a tour of the UCLA housing facilities. Four residence halls housing 3000 people are within a discus throw of Drake Stadium, the Olympic-training track used for dozens of world-class meets. The soft breezes and campus ambience made the adjacent city of Los Angeles seem miles away.

I said to myself: "Self, this is better than anything we've had at any previous World Games. What a wonderful place. We could do virtually everything here and hardly ever have to leave the campus or the surrounding Westwood Village area. No other World Games has had low-cost housing right next to the track like this — not Toronto, not Gothenburg, not Hannover, not Christchurch, not San Juan, certainly not Rome, and not even Melbourne."

Later, I met Bob Kiel, Christian Smith, Phill Lipman and others at UCLA — some of the nicest and most competent people you'd ever hope to meet. They are experts at putting on events like this.

At that point, I became a strong advocate to bring the 1989 World

Veterans Games to Los Angeles. I wondered why we hadn't submitted a bid five or 10 years ago.

"No other city could possibly have this much to offer the world's vets," I told myself and anyone who would listen.

I learned otherwise when I read the proposals of the five other cities who submitted bids. Sure, Los Angeles had housing-next-to-a-great-track, but so did Eugene, Raleigh, and, eventually, San Diego. And their written presentations were every bit as good as ours — all four were superior to any other written proposal for any World Veterans Games. And this was only to pick a U.S. city; the presentation to WAVA wouldn't be made until next year.

This wasn't going to be easy.

The site-selection viewing team of Bob Fine, Jim Puckett and Mary Cullen confirmed as much when they inspected the L.A. facilities. "Eugene was wonderful," they said. "The people were so nice."

Having been to Eugene a couple of times, I instinctively knew what they meant. By any standard, Eugenians are among the nicest people in the world.

The site-viewing team left L.A. to visit the other potential sites, and, in the end, made no specific recommendation to the full 11-person site-selection committee. (Mainly, I later learned, because it was split, 2-1, between Eugene and L.A.)

In planning for the New York presentation, I was dismayed to learn the L.A. Convention Bureau, which had been so helpful and which had promised to handle all the World Games' housing details gratis, did not have a suitable videotape to extoll the virtues of L.A.

"We'll make our own video," UCLA's Smith declared. So Smith, Kiel, myself and others spent two weeks producing a videotape which included Mayor Bradley, Senator Cranston, John Wooden, Rafer Johnson and George Cohen, all saying, in effect, "L.A.'s the Place." It wasn't 20/20, but it wasn't bad.

If you're curious as to what all this

cost, don't ask. Since you asked, if you figure the time spent by the UCLA people, the L.A. Masters Organizing Committee, the videotape, printing, etc., the equivalent cost of the L.A. bid was about \$65,000. That's more than has ever been spent on any World Games bid — well over the \$25,000 that Australia reportedly spent to get the 1987 Games.

What we learned in New York was that Eugene also exerted an enormous effort, probably matching L.A. in equivalent costs. And San Diego wasn't far behind. We also were told that all four bids were generally superior in content and professionalism to the bids normally made to host U.S. Open Track & Field Championships.

In short, the site-selection committee and the world's veteran athletes were in a no-lose position. Any one of the four cities looked easily better than any of the six previous World Veterans Games sites.

The presentations were exciting. As each city displayed its enviable wares, you wanted to go there to savor the experience.

Hill Carrow showed slides of Raleigh, with Duke U.'s wonderful, sturdy, eastern-looking, brick dormitories and outstanding facilities, with a professional organization that's in business just to stage events like this.

Barbara Daugherty, Tom Jordan, Linda Weston and Lew Thorne spoke to a hushed, awed room, and you could feel the warmth, sincerity and the track-wise community of Eugene in their voices. Eugene, everyone knew, would be a marvelous host.

David Pain and Lolitia Bache both said they would quit their jobs and devote full time to the Games if San Diego was chosen. Wow! What a commitment. No one else offered that. And what a great new track to be built next to low-cost dorms on the UC San Diego campus. Who could turn that down?

And, finally, Los Angeles, with its top facilities, beautiful UCLA campus, and still basking in the afterglow of an enormously successful Olympic Games.

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Tom Sturak, left, LA World Games Committee member; Bob Keil, center, UCLA Special Events; and Mary Pat Hanker, UCLA Housing Office; during presentation of LA bid for the VIII World Veterans Games.

Photo by Gretchen Snyder



Debbie Anderson of Indiana, catching her breath after finishing 3rd in 2:22.23 in W30 800M, U.S. National Masters Championships, Long Island, N.Y., July 18-20.

Photo by Gretchen Snyder

Write On

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for more than 40 years, and it seems like two years.

*George Heller
Paramus, New Jersey*

TRIPLE JUMP RANKINGS

You did not include the men's 55-59 age-group triple jump rankings in your August issue. Could you print the results in a later issue?

*Ed Mahany
Roseville, California*

(The missing rankings mysteriously disappeared on the way to the printer's, but surfaced in time for this issue. Here they are. — Ed.)

1985 MEN'S TRIPLE JUMP 55-59

RANK	NAME	STATE	AGE	MARK
1	BUCK BRADBERRY	AL	58	10.47
2	AL BRENDA	CA	56	10.39
3	ED MAHANY	CA	55	10.19
4	DENVER SMITH		59	10.05
5	DES MARGETSON	NY	59	9.98
6	CHARLES OLSON	MN	59	9.86
7	MERLE NICKELL	KY	58	9.55
8	LUIS ARROYO	PR		9.47
9	BILL COLE		56	9.44
10	R.G. WOLF	MN	57	9.42
11	ALAN COHEN	NY	55	9.40
12	BILL GENTRY	FL	55	9.38
13	SYD SALT	NJ	55	9.23
14	BOB RICHARDS	TX	59	9.10
15	HECTOR RENTA	PR		8.76
16	DOMINGO PILLOT	PR		8.63
17	H ROBINSON			8.48
18	HAROLD COLEN	NY	56	8.29
19	ERNIE HAMMOND			8.24
20	JACK DOORLAY	NY	59	7.98
21	B MADAN		59	7.64
22	R MORRIS			6.88

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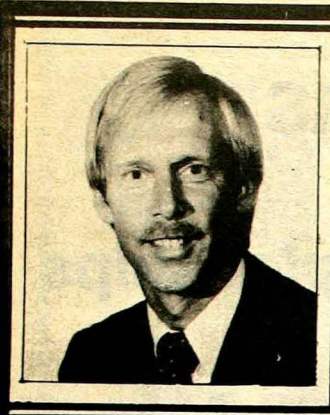
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THE FOOT BEAT

by **JOHN W. PAGLIANO, D.P.M.**

(Dr. Pagliano's column will resume next month — Ed.)

Davies, O'Neil Set Marks

Ellis Wins Providence Point's Not Over The Hill 5-Mile Run

Outpacing a field of more than 200 runners, 50-year-old Earl Ellis of Seattle led the entire race from start of finish to win Providence Point's inaugural Not Over The Hill Run for runners 50-and-over on July 12 in Issaquah, Wash. Ellis, a swimming coach at the University of Washington, was never seriously challenged as he completed the hilly, 5-mile course in 28:23.

"Without a doubt, this was one of the toughest races I've ever run," Ellis said. "The hills around Providence Point made the course extremely difficult."

Sixty-one-year-old Jim O'Neil from La Jolla, Calif., finished second overall but took first place in the M60-64 division in 29:47 which lowered the U.S. M60 8K record of 30:44, held by Rudy Nimmons.

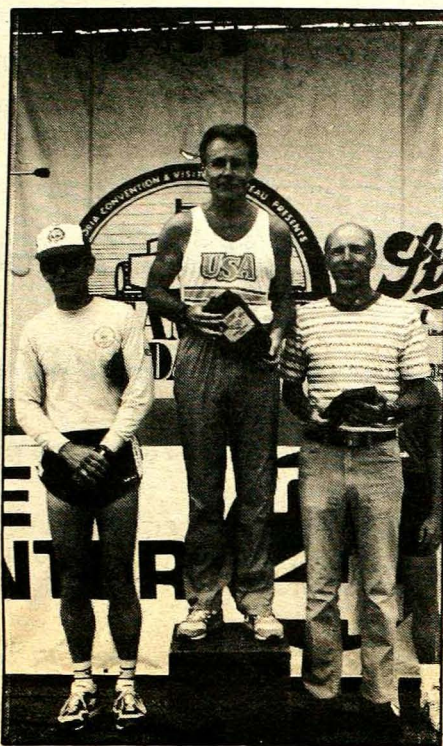
Nancy Hellyer, 50, fought off an early challenge by Nola Bruhn to capture the overall victory in the women's division in 34:06. Bruhn placed first in the W55 division in 38:19.

"The performances of Ellis and Hellyer were outstanding," commented Dr. George Sheehan, who attended the Not Over The Hill Run as a special guest of Providence Point. "Their times prove that people over the age of 50 are truly not over the hill!"

Sheehan, a 67-year-old author and lecturer on health and exercise, conducted a fitness clinic the evening prior to the event. An injury prevented him from competing.

Two masters division world record holders, Clive Davies, 70, and Mel "Old Iron Strides" Shine, won their respective divisions decisively. Davies ran an M70-74 national record 32:57, over a minute better than Sandy MacLean's 34:09. Shine took honors in the M75+ division in 42:02.

"I'm extremely impressed by both the quality and quantity of masters runners that competed in this first-ever race," said Dorla Allred, Vice President of sales and marketing for Providence Point. "We're definitely looking forward to another successful race next year." □



Four-mile winners in the 50-59 age classification of the Famous Barr Steamboat Classic in Peoria, June 14, were 1. Lou Jones of Decatur, Ill., 25:01; 2. Art Harris of Peoria, 25:11 and 3. Weldon Phelps of Dunlap, Ill., 25:34.

Photo by Dan Shea

Connie Wilson Mourned

Connie Wilson, W50 discus gold medalist in the 1985 TAC National Masters Championships in Indianapolis, died of cancer on July 23 at her home in Portland, Oregon after a two-month illness.

Wilson was a longtime activist in the Oregon masters program, and helped organize many events.

"She came back sick from a masters meet in Florida," her friend Birgit Hanssen said. "She ended up in the hospital for tests, followed by surgery. The cancer had spread. She suffered so much. Just two weeks ago, she had another surgery to relieve the pressure in her abdominal area. Her sister and a friend and myself took care of her so she could stay home to the end. Her sufferings are over, but the void she left behind will be impossible to fill." □

Milne First in Steamboat Classic

by DAN SHEA

PEORIA, Illinois — Four masters runners, topped by Englishman Dick Milne's fourth place, finished among the top 24 of 390 runners in the Famous Barr Steamboat Classic 15K in Peoria, Ill., on June 14. Milne, 40, of Beckingham, Lincoln, England, timed in 49:31, collected \$350 for his feat, the first money paid to masters runners in this 13th edition of Peoria's biggest race.

Also receiving cash prizes were Illinois runners Bob Johnson, 40, \$150, 18th (52:17); Dennis Manske, 40, \$100, 19th (52:27); and Joe Vega, 41, \$50, 24th, over the hilly 9.3-mile course.

In the 4-mile race, the masters run-

ners also did well. Chuck Koeppen, 40, won the M40 honors in 19:50. Ernie Billups, 49, won the M45 in 21:07. Lou Jones, 51, took the M50-59 division in 25:01, and Glenn Bradd, 61, was the M60+ champion in 28:31.

The women's age-group awards for the 40-44, 45-49, and 50+ divisions went to Shirley Allen, 43, 30:05; Marcia Stout, 48, who received \$250 prize money for first women's masters, 29:09; and Eleanor Wallace, 54, 31:29.

Famous Barr, a new Peoria department store, donated \$10,000 prize money, the first presented to runners in the Steamboat 15K. Jefferson Bank donated \$2,000 to masters competitors. □

McCubbins, Welch Win National 10K

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31:47. Barry Brown, who said his legs felt "dead" from 140-mile training weeks, was the first American and fifth master in 32:01.

Welch easily dominated the women's 40-and-over field, winning by nearly two minutes in 34:27. A new U.S. masters star appeared in the presence of Pennsylvania's Barbara Filutze, 40, whose 36:15 placed her second to Welch and first American master, more than a minute ahead of tough U.S. 40+ runners Angella Hearn (37:22) of New York, Juana Stavolone (37:40) of California, and Mary Williams (37:42) of Maryland.

California's Sal Vasquez won the men's age 45-49 title in 32:28, with New Jersey's Herb Lorenz (33:01) and Kirk Randall of Massachusetts (33:34) getting the silver and bronze, respectively.

Another Californian, Shirley Matson, copped the women's 45-49 crown in 37:51, with Jane Arnold (38:46) and Anna Thornhill (40:00) runners up.

Green, 54, whose only loss since he started competing as a master had been to Holland's Piet Van Alphen in the 1985 Brugge, Belgium International Veterans 25K, was upset by both Bill Olrich of Kentucky and Ben Johns of Canada, in the M50 division. Less than 15 seconds separated the three at the finish: Olrich (33:30), Johns (33:34), Green (33:43).

Vicki Bigelow flew in from the west coast to capture the W50 crown by 30 seconds over New Jersey's Helene Bedrock, 40:25 to 40:55.

Ken Jones (36:29) of New York and Toshiko d'Elia (43:01) of New Jersey won their respective 55-59 categories.

Two of the nation's top 60-64 runners went head-to-head for the first time. Jim O'Neil came in from San Diego to win decisively over Virginia's John Hosner, 36:41 to 38:32. Mary Storey, yet another Californian, won the W60 crown in 49:07.

Jack Start (41:07) and Becky Yencharis (1:00:45) took the 65-69 awards,

while Austin Newman (44:19) and Pearl Mehl (1:00:42) were the 70-74 winners.

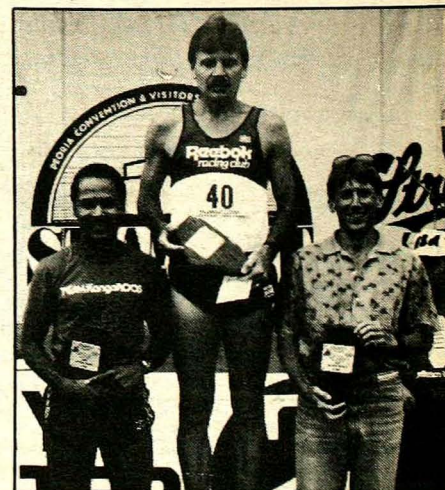
Ed Benham successfully defended his M75 title in 45:17, while Ruth Rothfarb was a great crowd pleaser on the victory stand as the race's oldest competitor, at 85, with a good 1:26:00.

Cash prizes were awarded by ten-year age groups, with the first five 40-49 men and women finishers each getting \$1000, \$500, \$300, \$200 and \$100. The first three 50-59 placers got \$200, \$100 and \$50. And the top three 60+ runners received \$100, \$50 and \$25. The first American 40+ runners received a minimum of \$250.


How was Benson able to attract so many of the top U.S. masters? "I sent a personal invitation to as many as I could locate," Benson told NMN. "I spent about \$4000 on air fare and hotel expenses for masters, which means a lot of runners just came on their own, because they knew the competition would be here."

Keith Brantley (28:57) and Leslie Welch (32:37) won the open divisions of the race, which drew 5200 starters.

Next year's TAC National Masters 10K Championships will be held on September 19, 1987 in Albany, New York. □



Four-mile champions in the 40-44 age group at the Famous Barr Steamboat Classic were 1. Chuck Koeppen of Carmel, Ind., 19:50, 2. Rich Friedlander of Chesterfield, Mo., 21:27; 3. Kirk Simpson of St. Louis, 22:10. Photo by Dan Shea

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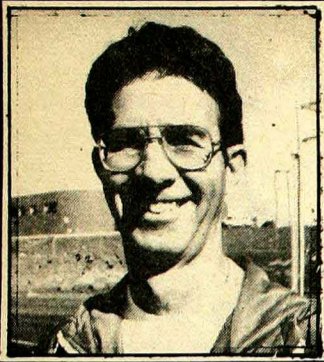
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40-44	Priscilla Welch
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MASTERS TRACK & FIELD REPORT

by **JERRY ALAN DONLEY**
Chairman, TAC Masters Track & Field Committee

What a Day!

What a day! To have six cities interested in raising \$500,000 to host over 4000 veteran athletes at the 1989 World Veterans Games was a remarkable achievement. To select one of the six presented a tremendous chore for the Site-Selection Committee, which it accomplished in one 12-hour marathon session. And, as you are now well aware, the bid of Eugene/Springfield, Oregon was accepted, — so we now start preparing for a presentation in Australia in 1989.

The selection of Eugene/Springfield gives the USA the opportunity to host a world meet of exceptional quality. The meet will be held at excellent facilities with the venue convenient to the housing. The entire communities of Eugene and Springfield will be involved in all aspects of the events. The media will provide unsurpassed coverage. And people from all over the world will have an opportunity to become acquainted with the exciting Pacific Northwest.

If you do not know it by now, let me tell you that I am tremendously thrilled

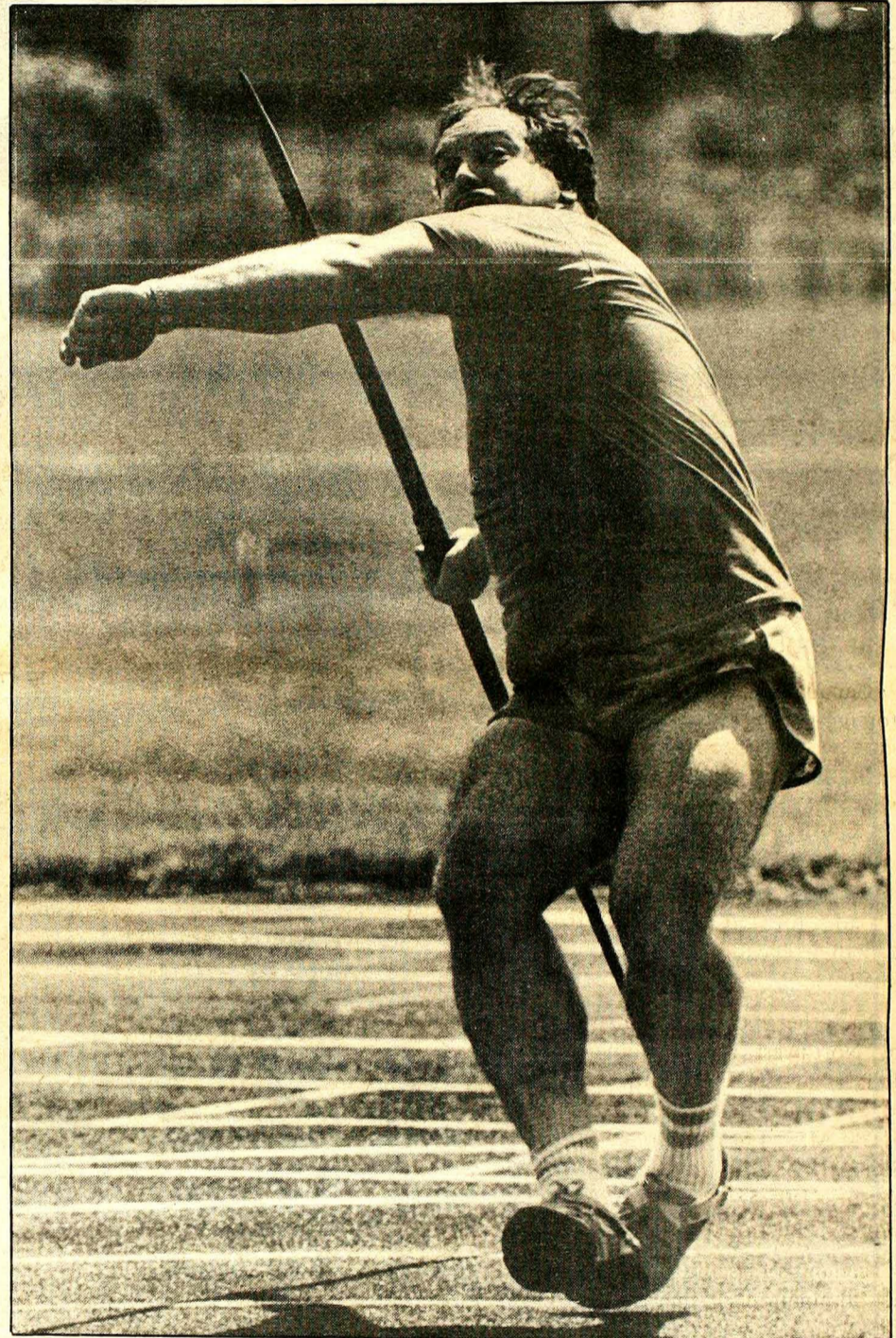
in the selection of Eugene/Springfield. But, I am also disappointed that five other communities had to be told "no thanks." That was not easy, and, if I am disappointed, you know full well the individuals who spent hours of time and expended tremendous energy in making the presentations were greatly disappointed.

All of the presenters came from a track & field running background and are competitive and individualistic. All knew their communities were the best available to host the world meet, and even though each of them will hold

Eugene/Springfield to a high degree of excellence, and will judge the performance on what they think they might have done, all have assured me that each of them will support the Eugene/Springfield effort without question or reservation.

While Eugene/Springfield will be the focal point of all efforts, the participation is needed of individual masters competitors from every part of the United States. I would like to see every single one of the masters competitors registered with TAC/USA participate

in this worldwide event, whether it be competing, officiating, or contributing time, talent, and energy. As stated by Barbara Daugherty, President of the Oregon Masters Track & Field Club, and chief presenter of the Eugene/Springfield bid, "The real winner of all of these efforts is the masters athletics program." That statement will be proven true, so let's move forward and do the work that needs to be done well and with a oneness of spirit that will bring the greatest amount of credit to masters athletics. □



Ed Hill, 43, of Birmingham, Alabama, throws the javelin 168 feet in the Harold Parsons Memorial Weight Pentathlon in Holland, Mich. on July 26. Hill scored 4403 points to lead all 23 competitors. Photo by the Grand Rapids Press

Hill Wins Parsons Weight Pentathlon

Ed Hill, 43, of Birmingham, Alabama scored 4403 points to top 23 participants in the Harold E. Parsons Memorial Weight Pentathlon in Holland, Michigan on July 26.

The meet was organized by Phil Partridge and based on age-factor scoring, which records the best mark for each event according to each year of age.

The weight pentathlon consists of the shot put, discus, javelin, hammer

and weight. The competitor receives a standard number of points for his longest throw in each event.

Arnolds Ticmanis, 80, was second with 3496 points; Gary England, 31, was third with 3380.

The meet is named for the man who won the first weight pentathlon in 1984. A month and a half after winning the event, Parsons died in his sleep. Partridge hopes to hold a third weight pentathlon next year. □

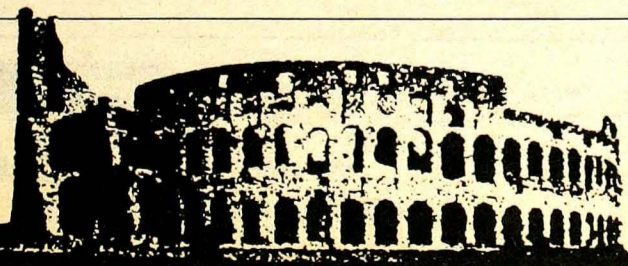


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My thanks to all the people in Los Angeles, Berkeley, San Francisco, Gresham and Mitchel Field, N.Y. for receiving me so kindly on my visit to America, and for helping to make my journey a pleasant one. Thanks to my good friends, Dave and Cynthia Jackson, for their help in L.A. and to Dave for the beautiful trophy.

*Bernie Hogan
Brisbane, Australia*

CONNIE WILSON

I am deeply saddened by the death of Connie Wilson. Though we only saw each other once a year, we always found time to talk. On our flight back from Indianapolis last year, we parted with the unanswered question why she won the discus while she had figured she could win the shotput.

Connie was one of the most pleasant people one could meet. She will never be forgotten.

*Christel Miller
Glendale, California*

**McCubbins, Welch
Take Cascade 15K
Masters Titles**

by JERRY WOJCIK

Canada's Chris McCubbins led a foreign-runner sweep in the M40 division of the Cascade Run Off 15K in Portland, Oregon, on June 29, with a winning time of 46:07. Guenter Mielke of West Germany followed in 46:19, some 25 seconds ahead of England's Mike Hurd. Graham Tattersall of New Zealand took fourth in 47:22, and Canadian David Surman was fifth in 48:57.

The other men's divisions were won by Northwest region runners: M45, John Davies, Boise, Idaho, 50:46; M50, Ray Hatton, Bend, Oregon, 51:38; M55, Earle Ketrick, Portland, 56:28; M60, Bill Williams, Poulsbo, Wash., 1:05:55; and M65+, Clive Davies, Tillamook, Oregon, 1:02:02.

England's Priscilla Welch continued her domination of American W40 runners with a women's eighth-place, no-contest 51:53 win. All the other masters divisions winners were easy victors: W45, Shirley Matson, Solana Beach, Calif., 55:51; W50, Nancy Hellyer, Steilacom, Wash., 1:03:38; W55, Colleen Mershon, Portland, Oregon, 1:15:50; W60, Doris Tisch, Vancouver, Wash., 1:20:20; and W65+, Josephine Hess, Selah, Wash., 1:25:29.

In the open races, Arturo Barrios of Mexico finished in 42:35, eight seconds ahead of Kenyan Ibrahim Hussein. Lorraine Moller of New Zealand, with a 49:06, handed Norway's Grete Waitz a rare loss by 31 seconds. □



Phil Raschker of Georgia, en route to a time of 17.50 in the 100-meter hurdles in the U.S. National Masters T&F Championships. Raschker won seven gold medals in the 19th annual event, the most (along with Canada's Karl Trei, M75) of any competitor.

Photo by Gretchen Snyder

1,239 in St. Louis Senior Olympics

by JERRY WOJCIK

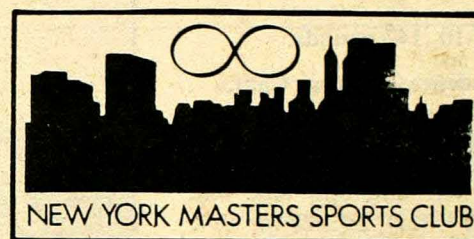
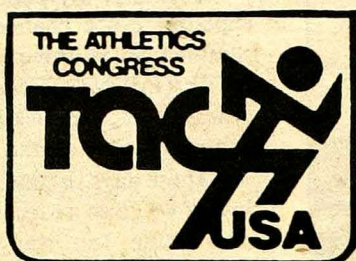
The Senior Olympics VII, held May 26-29 at the Jewish Community Centers Association and nearby sites in St. Louis, Mo., drew a large field of 1,239 age-55-and-over men and women. The T&F athletes altered eight world and three American single-age records in the competition.

Arling Pitcher, 84, accounted for three age world records in the dashes: 100y (16.5); 100m (18.0); and the 200 (37.5). Puerto Rico's Gilberto Gonzalez, 72, added two sprint records in

the 100y (12.9) and 200 (29.1). Helen Stephens, 68, had two records in the throws with a 32-6½ 6# shot put and a 72-10 throw with the 400g javelin. Marie Uebel got the age-74 world record in the long jump with 8-8½.

In addition to the Jewish Community Centers Association, sponsorship was provided by Central Hardware, McDonald's, Missouri Savings Association, and the St. Louis Post-Dispatch. □

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PROFILE

Paul Reese

Born: April 17, 1917, Hopland, Calif.

Schools: Attended high school in Sacramento and Chico, Calif.; Univ. of California, Berkeley, B.A., 1939, M.A., 1940 (Public Administration).

Occupation: Retired U.S. Marine Corps officer and school administrator.

Family: Married to Elaine (first wife, June, mother of his three children, is deceased).

HT./WT.: 5-10, 142 pounds.

Current Residence: Auburn, Calif.

Top Achievements: Currently holds or shares 13 single-age records, including 1:30:40 for half-marathon (age 68); 1:53:04 for 25-K (68); 2:22:28 for 30-K (68); and 2:16:47 for 20 miles (64); was the first over-60 runner to break 30 hours in the Western States 100-Mile endurance run; is still the oldest (64) to finish it; has completed 190 marathons with the best of 2:39:28 at age 54; clocked 6:28:25 for 50 miles at 52 and 17:15:35 for 100 miles at 54; won U.S. Masters National Championships in 1972 (age 55) at 5-K (17:49), 10-K (36:33), and marathon (2:56:33).

What Got You Started Running?

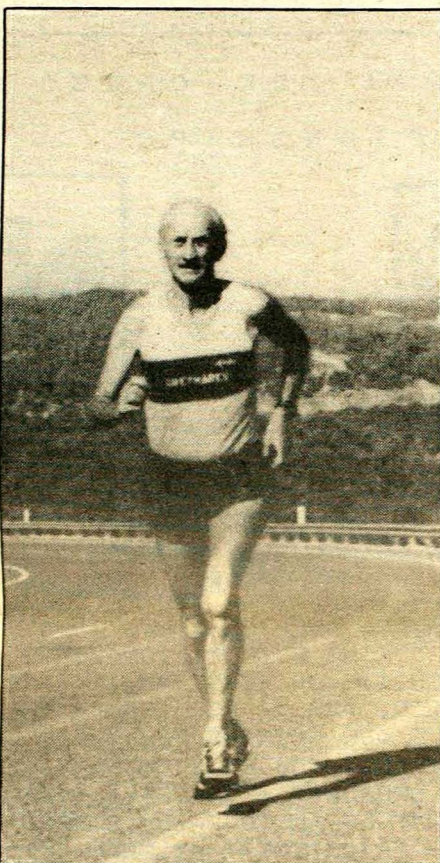
"I muddled into distance running in 1963 when my son, then in grade seven, became interested. I began running with him. And, in retiring from the Marine Corps I needed a little action to take up the slack."

Did You Run During Your School Days?

"My high school didn't have track or cross-country. In my sophomore year at Sacramento City College, when the track coach saw me on some running workouts for basketball, he asked me to come out for the 440 as part of the mile relay. The first quarter I ever ran, without any single practice at that distance, was 51:5. But I just stayed in the low 51s that year.

"At Berkeley, I didn't go out for track. I think I might have been a fair miler or two miler had I known then what I know now."

So You Were 47 When You Got Into Distance Running. How Long Did It



Paul Reese

Take For You To Fully Adapt To The Sport?

"Well, I guess 1972, when I was 54 and 55, was my best running year. I ran 13 marathons that year, 11 under three hours, one 50 miler, and one 100 miler."

Of All Your Achievements, Which Do You Consider Your Best?

"If you're looking for a conventional answer, you're not going to get one. I don't consider myself an elite age-group runner. People like Clive Davies and Jim O'Neil live in a different kind of world — one which, because of genes, training, desire, or whatever, I'll never enter. Fundamentally, I'm into running because it enhances living.

"My greatest achievement in sports is that once I saw I could excel if I went full-out — we're talking back in 1972 — I subsequently got my running head on straight and achieved an equilibrium in running, balancing all of the elements of running: competing, training, health, sociability, friendships, and paying my dues as a race director and in talking at clinics.

"With the single exception of Western States, which was for survival, I've never pointed to nor trained for any single race. I have no patterned scheduled."

Let's Put It This Way, Then: What Are Your Most Memorable Running Experiences?

"Guadalcanal, Bougainville, Guam, Peleliu, and Okinawa. Hey, that was competition.

"If you're talking about running, I guess I'd have to go with running with my friend Doctor Ralph Paffenbarger from Carson City to Sacramento two years ago. We covered 166 miles in four days. We weren't competing, just running to see if we could do it. That has to rank as the running highlight of my life."

You're Not Really a Competitive Person, Then, Are You?

"Basically, my philosophy, which I expound every chance I get, can be summed up in three words: ENJOY, EXPERIMENT, ENDURE. As the years mount, the trick is to endure. It's getting tougher all the time.

"These days, Elaine and I mostly enjoy. If we go to a race, we try to tie it in with some fun things, like a nice restaurant, sightseeing, things she enjoys as much as I. I did slip up one time, though. As my handler in the London to Brighton race, she had to drive 54½ miles on the wrong side of the road. She's never forgiven me.

"But I'm still intrigued with learning about running and I still like to experiment. I harbor certain curiosities, some of which will probably go unanswered."

Like What?

"Could I run across the country, 3,000 plus miles, at the rate of 50-K per day? Or, could I break three hours in the marathon now if I put my mind and body to it? Or, could I, next year at age 70, break the 30-hour deadline in Western States, and then live to tell the tale? Those kind of things."

What Does Your Training Amount to These Days?

"I average about seven miles a day at about 11-minute mile pace in the

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Auburn foothills. Whenever Elaine's after-work schedule permits, I jog two or three miles with her and this goes into my log as a 14-minute mile.

"There is one exception to this laissez-faire approach. A 64-year-old asked me to coach him for the marathon. When we're both well, which is infrequent, we go to the track once a week for intervals. If we both ever get well, we could be downright dangerous."

Has Anyone Ever Told You That You Look Like The Late Actor David Niven?

"Innumerable times I've heard that line. I was once chased through the Denver Airport by a group of high school girls shouting, 'David! David!' One guy almost punched me out because I refused to give him a David Niven autograph. He said, 'I know you're David Niven. Why are you saying you're not?' I don't think the resemblance is all that striking.

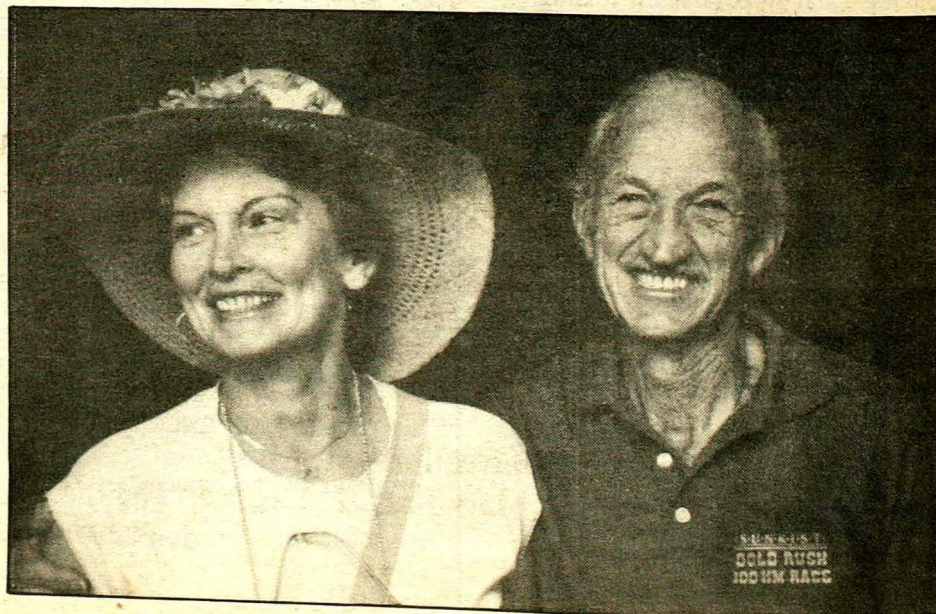
"Speaking of movie actors, I was once deplaning for the New York City Marathon and bumped into another passenger, and then realized it was Robert Redford. Or, more name dropping, I visited with Bruce Dern for an hour after he ran the Dipsea. He asked me to introduce him to the winner, Darryl Beardall, who had no idea who Dern was.

"Then, dammit, ten years later Dern makes a running movie, and who's in it? Beardall. And who's not cast? Reese!" □

—Mike Tymn

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Elaine and Paul Reese

Harvey, Hill Set Marks in National Decathlon

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humid, but there were light to moderate aiding winds, and a brief thunderstorm to cool things off.

The people of Des Moines welcomed the Championships. About half of the competitors stayed with host families in the area, and both the athletes and their hosts thoroughly enjoyed the experience. The object of masters track & field is to travel, meet new friends, and renew old friendships, as well as compete, and there was a lot of each done in Des Moines.

The officials, headed by Hugh Norman, who was in charge of multi-events at the 1984 Olympics, were knowledgeable, and enjoyed the athletes as much as the athletes appreciated them.

The exact number of American and world records set are not available at this time, since none of the old decathlon marks have been updated to the current 1985 IAAF scoring tables.

Fifty-one men started and 47 completed the decathlon. All five women finished the heptathlon, some very courageously with injuries of various sorts. The total of 56 exceeded last year's participation in San Diego by one.

Will Freeman, 32, the co-coach (with his wife) of the track and field team of Grinnell College in Iowa, won the 30-34 age division for the second year in a row with a total of 6327 points. His strongest event was a 15-7 pole vault.

Gary Miller, 48, of Glendale, Calif., added the M45 decathlon title to the pentathlon championship he won two weeks earlier in Shippensburg, Pa., with 4983 points, well off his own world M45 record of 5734.

Jack Gilmore, 52, of Spartansburg, S.C., also duplicated his pentathlon win in the M50 bracket, setting a new meet record of 4534 points.

M55 laurels went to Earl Ventura, 56, of Peola, Kansas, who upset Jerry Reiserer, 56, of Wichita, last year's M55 winner, with 3593 IAAF points.

The WAVA point-tables were used for the M60+ groups, and it was Denver Smith, of Louisville, Ohio emerging the M60 victor with 7069 points.

Gentleman Frank Bowles, 65, of Greeley, Colo. moved up from his silver-medal finish last year and won this year's M65 title, narrowly beating 1985's multi-event masters athlete-of-the-year Boo Morcom, of Wilmot,



Pennsylvania's Jim Sutton (#169) edges Ohio's Don Gammie (#41) in the 1500-meter run for men age 55-59 in the U.S. National Masters Track & Field Championships on Long Island, N.Y., July 20. Clay Puckett of Utah, in background, was third. The first two both broke Bill Fitzgerald's U.S. M55 record of 4:28.7. Sutton was timed in 4:25.24, Gammie in 4:25.54. Photo by Gretchen Snyder

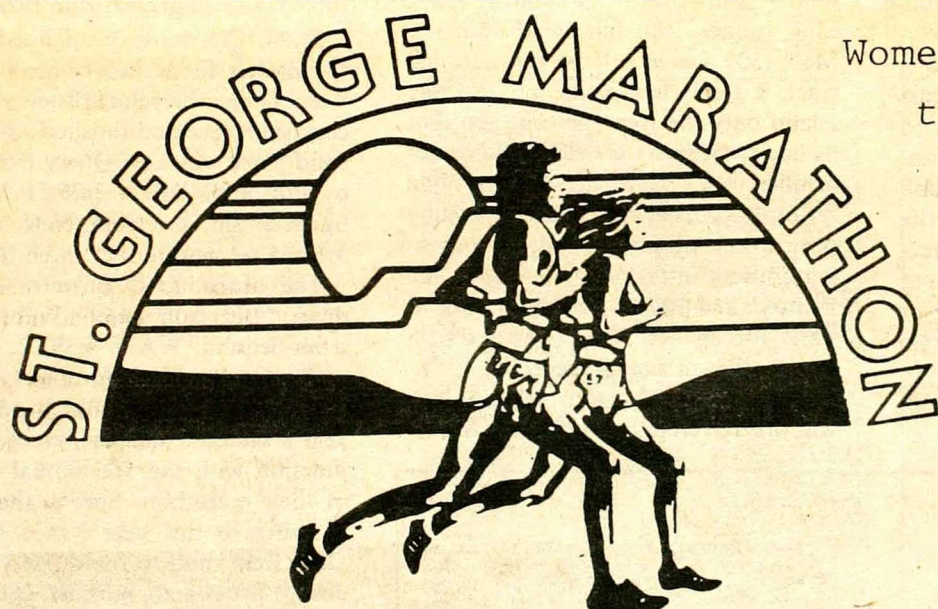
New Hampshire, 6920 to 6810. Morcom was severely hampered by a hamstring pull in the 100 meters, but, nevertheless, finished the competition in a manner befitting the kind of competitor he is.

Gilberto Gonzalez continued his assault on the older age group records with a new world age-73 mark of 8330. His 20.5 in the 110-meter hurdles is a new M70 U.S. record.

Arling Pitcher, 84, of Indianapolis,

scored an M80 meet record 5312 points. He was the favorite of the media, and an inspiration to all competitors.

Interest in the heptathlon by masters women is slowly increasing, and there was good competition this year, with Sherry Ball (W30), Kathy Pierce (W35), Christel Miller (W50) and Shirley Kinsey (W55) winning national titles. Pierce led all female scorers with 3803 WAVA points. □



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No Sanction Unless Course is Certified

by JENNIFER YOUNG

Many fine distance running performances cannot be recognized for age-record purposes because the course is not TAC certified.

It is a matter which **MUST** be acted upon if masters runners are to receive value for their money. It is an opportunity for the phrase "TAC sanctioned" to really mean something.

Currently, an event which receives a TAC sanction is not necessarily run over a TAC certified course. This is wrong and violates TAC rules. TAC's By-Laws clearly state that if a sanction is granted, provision must be made for the validation of records. And if a course isn't certified, then no records can be approved. Thus, it is improper to sanction a race with a non-certified course. Yet it is done all the time, and many runners suffer because they falsely believe that a "TAC sanctioned race" means the course is certified, because that's what TAC's rule book implies.

A course may be designated as "TAC certified" only if a national certifier, who is approved by the Certification Chairperson of the Road Running Technical Committee of TAC, has determined that the shortest possible route is measured with reasonable accuracy. Getting a course certified is not all that difficult. It behooves runners to press for course certification.

Once a course is certified, then and only then should a TAC sanction be awarded. And even then, it is up to the director, and not the runner, to file the paperwork if a record is achieved. Rule

180(3)a states "when a national record is to be claimed, the association, club or organization sponsoring or conducting the competition. . . shall take all necessary steps to have the record applied for."

That means following Rule 180.3(a)ii: "In the case of road running records, a record application shall be forwarded to the National Running Data Center (with all pertinent information)."

NRDC suggests that TAC change its By-Laws to create two types of sanction: A and B. "A" sanctions would require that a race/event conform to the current By-Laws; runners would know that marks set would be eligible for record or ranking consideration.

"B" sanctions would not.

I urge all masters runners to insist that TAC sanctions be issued only to races which have certified courses. Write to Masters LDR Chairman Bob Boal and ask him to do the same. Write to Ollan Cassell, the Executive Director of TAC/USA. Ask TAC to put some teeth into the current By-Laws or request that the By-Laws be rewritten and approved **THIS YEAR** to recognize Type A and Type B sanctions as noted above. □



1986 TAC National Masters Marathon 40-49 Team Champions from the Snohomish TC of Seattle: John Jordeth (2:32:42), Jim Pearson (2:41:40), Ron Jackson (2:39:06), Maurice Pratt (2:39:10) and Frank Fleetham (3:00:18). At the mike is Bob Langenbach, Pacific Northwest Masters LDR Chairman. Photo by Carole Langenbach

Swanson Captures Women's Crown

Jordeth Edges Green to Win U.S. Marathon

by CAROLE and BOB LANGENBACH

John Jordeth, 40, new to the masters ranks as of last October, won the U.S. TAC Masters Marathon Championship division of the 1986 Capital City Marathon in Olympia, WA on July 27 in 2:32:42. Norm Green, 54, just 11 seconds back, was the two-time defending national masters champion and had been favored to win again, but when Jordeth passed him at 15 miles, Green knew that his streak was over.

Little did he know that JJ (as his fellow Seattle-based Snohomish Track Club runners call him) had won the M40 1500 meter title at the national track & field championships on Long Island only the week before, and that he had come into the race with a tender achilles. A hamstring injury had seriously curtailed Green's training prior to the marathon, and, after chasing Jordeth until the last ¼ mile, the Pennsylvanian knew he would have to settle for an age 50-54 victory and a new American age-54 record.

Robert Lindsey from Fresno, CA was third overall in 2:34:34 and led his

Sacramento-area club, Pacific Flyers, to a third place team effort.

Snohomish Track Club won the team title in 7:50:58 through the individual accomplishments of Jordeth, Ron Jackson, and Maurice Pratt. Second place was the Oregon Road Runners Club made up of Tobey Skinner, Erik Sten, and John Strom for a total of 8:11:24. The Pacific Flyers finished third in 8:26:12, thanks to Lindsey, Jon Shelgren, and Fred Mattos.

Charlotte Swanson, a prominent local runner and previous masters winner of the Capitol City Marathon, won this year's women's TAC division in 3:02:04. Charlotte complained of not feeling her fittest before the race, but thanks to her bicycling fitness she ran a consistent race and finished strong. Second place was Levi Query from nearby Portland, OR in 3:06:51 followed by Wen-Shi Yu from New York in 3:14:45 to capture the 50-54 title.

The oldest TAC finisher was Andrew "Old Iron Legs" Webster, 72, from Sequim, WA in 4:39:22.

The Capital City Marathon Association deserves credit for hosting this year's national masters event in conjunction with the 5th annual running of their marathon. Special thanks are in order to this year's race director, Dave Kent, and to the CCMA's president, Carl Glatze, both of whom were key people in the original bidding for the hosting of the First Women's Olympic Marathon Trials held on this same course in May of 1984. □

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Beverly Cohen, wife of M55 contestant Al Cohen. Along with Miller and Harvey, she assisted in seeing that the meet results adhered to the national guidelines.

Next year's national pentathlon championship will be directed by Miller in Los Angeles on June 20, and will again be held as a separate event. □



Start of the U.S. TAC National Masters Marathon Championship in Olympia, Wash. on July 27

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and won four events and set three new world records in his new 60-64 age-division in the 400 and both hurdle events. In the 400, he overtook Bob Watanabe and Rudy Valentine to win in 57.65, breaking the old standard of 58.4, set by John Alexander of Texas in 1981. Greenwood blazed to a 14.98 in the 100-meter 33" hurdles, obliterating the previous world best of 16.2, run by Andre Findelli of France



Kathy Pierce, Cortland, N.Y., W35 1986 National outdoor shot put champion (32-7).

in 1983. He added a new world mark in the 300-meter hurdles (30") with an easy win in 46.31. He also won the 200 in 26.49, but was upset by Watanabe in the 100, 12.82 to 13.00, for one of his rare losses.

Jaclyn Caselli of California took more than three minutes off the world 10,000-meter record for women 65-69 with a 49:22.5, and added an American W65 record 6:26.49 in the 1500.

Pennsylvania's Jim Sutton, Ohio's Don Gammie and Utah's Clay Puckett staged one of the most exciting races of the meet in the 55-59 1500. Each of the trio had the lead during the race. Puckett tried to break it open midway through the third lap, but Sutton and Gammie went by on the final backstretch and raced head-to-head until the final 20 meters when Sutton pulled in front. Both were under the old American M55 record of 4:28.7, set by Bill Fitzgerald in 1980, with Sutton clocking 4:25.24 to 4:25.54 for Gammie and 4:29.83 for Puckett.

Sutton also edged Puckett in the 800, 2:10.73 to 2:12.35, and bested Gammie in the 5000 in another nail-biter, 16:55.50 to 16:56.53, for one of the top individual performances of the meet.

No records were set in the women's 40-44 1500, but it was the closest race of the meet and a great treat for the small crowd of spectators. Linda Upton led her Liberty AC (Mass.) teammate, Barbara Pike, through the first three laps. Pike moved up on her shoulder on the final turn and the two were inseparable right to the wire. Pike

won the photo, 4:59.47 to 4:59.51, to even their personal score, as Upton had taken the 800 the previous day, 2:25.66 to 2:27.33.

J.C. Brown of Missouri upped Boo Morcom's M55 high jump standard from 5-6½ to 5-8½. Morcom, now in the M65 division, established three American marks in the long jump (16-7¼), pole vault (11-6) and triple jump (31-11½).

The top gold-medal-getters of the weekend were Atlanta's Phil Raschker, who picked off seven first places in the W35 division, and Canada's Karl Trei, who garnered seven in the M75 bracket. Next were two Ohioans, Mary Bowermaster (W65), and Mary Anne Cavicchi (W55), who each won five events in their respective age categories. Bowermaster tied her own WR with a 3-8 high jump, and added an 11-2¼ long jump AR.

With a strong finishing kick, New Jersey's Austin Newman lowered Harold Chapson's M70 record in the 1500 from 5:21.1 to 5:19.38, and also won the 800 (2:40.16) and 5000 (20:37).

There were countless other outstanding performances. Among them:

M30

+ Greg Holmes of California won all the sprints, while New Jersey's Philip Hinck took the 5K, 10K and steeplechase.

+ Connecticut's Bob Walker won the 800 (1:54.63) and 1500 (4:05.52).

M35

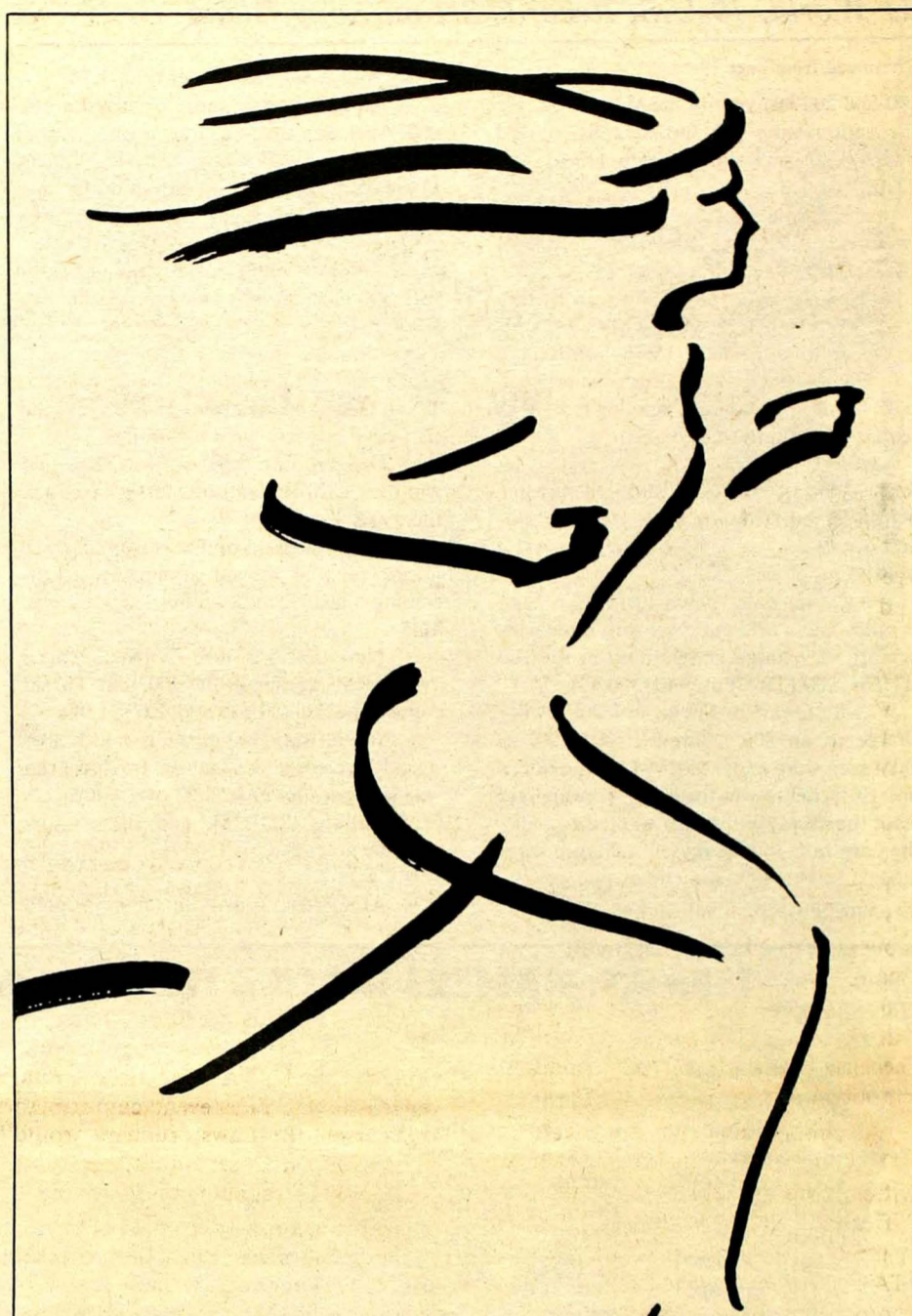
+ Bill Collins of Texas, who had won the

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Austin Newman of New Jersey, at finish of the 1500M, setting a new World Record for M70 of 5:19.38, in the U.S. TAC National Masters Championships, Long Island, New York.

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100 and 200 last year in the M30 division in the national meet in Indianapolis, moved up to M35 and did it again (10.93 and 22.18).

+ California's Eugene Driver successfully defended his 400 title with the meet's fastest time (48.89).

+ New Jersey's John Serrao strode to a fast 1500 win in 3:56.60, and Missouri's Ira Price captured the 5000 (15:16) and 10,000.

+ Wisconsin's Stan Druckrey notched both hurdles, including a pending U.S. M35 record 14.33 in the 110 highs.

+ Ray Funkhouser of New Jersey defended his 5K and 20K walk titles, while Virginia's Barry White took both the shot and discus.

M40

+ California's newly-turned-40 Stan Whitley had a brilliant meet with three wins against very tough competition in the 100 (11.20), 200 (22.72) and 400 (50.13).

+ Bill Stewart of Michigan led a cavalry charge to an 800 triumph in 1:58.90, as eight men were under 2:01. "I had no intention of trying to win the 800," Stewart said after the race, "but I also wanted to make the pace hot, to give myself a chance for a medal. In the 800, sometimes you get the breaks, sometimes the breaks get you; I was

lucky, but it sure felt faster than 1:58."

+ An unfortunate snafu occurred in the 800, when San Diego's Graeme Shirley, one of the top middle-distance masters runners in the nation, was denied entry into the fast section of the two-sectioned final. Running virtually alone, he clocked 1:59.05 to "tie" for third place with George Mason of California behind Stewart and John Jordeth of Washington.

+ Jordeth reversed the order with Stewart in the 1500, 4:03.13 to 4:05.36, with Texan Deon Dekkers third in 4:05.66 as the first eight runners were under 4:13.

+ Dekkers impressed with a 32-second win over Kirk Randall of Massachusetts in the 5000.

+ John Hartfield of Texas won all three jumps for the second straight year, including a near-record 6-8 in the high jump.

M45

+ New Jersey's Bob Williams edged Texas' Roy Turner in the 100, but Turner copped the 200 (23.53) and 400 (51.99).

+ World M45 800-meter record-holder (1:57.73) George Cohen of Los Angeles won his specialty in 1:58.92 over Chicago's Ernie Billups (2:01.58), and Billups successfully defended his 1500 title with a solid 4:09.9 win.

+ Al Oerter, four-time Olympic gold



Bernie Hogan of Australia winning the M65 100M in 13.26 at U.S. TAC National Masters Championships, Long Island. Photo by Gretchen Snyder

medalist, won the discus with an open world-class throw of 202-7.

M50

+ Hugo Hartenstein of Colorado took the 100 (11.83) and 200 (24.37), while New York's Cliff Pauling defended his titles in the 400 (53.37) and 800 (2:06.69).

+ The only other double winner in this tough division was Michigan's Max Green,

who walked to impressive 5K (25:03.50) and 20K (1:48.48) triumphs.

+ The Huntsville, Alabama TC foursome of Summerlin, Cisneros, Schropshire and Johnson set a new American M50 mark of 3:47.63 in the 4x400 relay.

M55

+ Besides Sutton's and Brown's heroics,

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	M30	M35	M40	M45	M50	M55	M60	M65	M70	M75	M80
100	Holmes	Collins	Whitley	Williams	Hartenstein	Popell	Watanabe	Hogan	Gonzalez	Castro	Boas
200	Holmes	Collins	Whitley	Turner	Hartenstein	Popell	Greenwood	Hogan	Bloomfield	Castro	Boas
400	Holmes	Driver	Whitley	Turner	Pauling	Smith	GREENWOOD	Hunt	Bloomfield	Fike	McArdle
800	Walker	Wilson	Stewart	Cohen	Pauling	Sutton	Sadul	Sponseller	Newman	Fike	McArdle
1500	Walker	Serrao	Jordeth	Billups	Wimberley	Sutton	Burdelle	Boots	Newman	Fike	McArdle
5000	Hinck	Price	Dekkers	Ashley	Almond	Sutton	O'Neil	Richardson	Newman	Benham	---
10000	Hinck	Price	Mayfield	Wilson	Miller	Jones	O'Neil	Neidnig	Brobston	Benham	---
HH	Crummel	Druckrey	Miller	Butler	Clark	Murphy	GREENWOOD	Gist	Miller	Trei	---
IH	Crummel	Druckrey	Mount	Knocke	DeJesus	Murphy	GREENWOOD	HUNT	GONZALEZ	HIX	---
SC	Hinck	Roney	Smith	Sheahen	Culling	Torres	Margetson	Dyas	---	---	---
HJ	Moore	Sullivan	Hartfield	White	Langenfeld	BROWN	Smith	Gist	Hume	Trei	Fox
PV	Cahill	Strode	Neutzling	Richard	Hoyle	Donley	Richards	Morcom	Johnston	---	Pitcher
LJ	Witherspoon	Wilson	Hartfield	White	Cline	Skartvedt	Lukens	Morcom	Gonzalez	Trei	Fox
TJ	Witherspoon	Beale	Hartfield	Henry	Jackson	Bradberry	Lukens	Morcom	HUME	Trei	FOX
SP	Burns	White	Hill	Hart	Wesselowski	Brusca	Walmsroth	Castaneda	Carter	Trei	McArdle
DT	Umshler	White	Hill	Oerter	Kintish	Brusca	Richards	Aldrich	Carter	Trei	Fox
HT	Daniels	Moore	Mead	Pichler	Twomey	Velez	Richards	McDermott	Detwiler	---	---
JAV	McMullin	Reiss	Buffaloe	Murphy	Conley	Brusca	Lukens	Nordgren	Hume	Trei	Pitcher
5K-W	---	Funkhouser	Godwin	Patrick	Green	Myerowitz	Heller	Gould	Tallmadge	Fike	---
20K-W	---	Funkhouser	Godwin	Finch	Green	Higgins	---	Gould	Tallmadge	---	---
400R	---	---	West Valley TC	---	West Valley TC	---	---	---	Dallas Masters	---	---
1600R	All-American TC	---	West Valley TC	---	Huntsville TC	---	Philadelphia Masters	---	Dallas Masters	---	---
3200R	Dallas Masters	---	West Valley TC	---	So. Calif. Striders	---	---	---	---	---	---
	W30	W35	W40	W45	W50	W55	W60	W65	W70	W75	
100	Angotti	Raschker	Mitchell	---	Obera	Cavicchi	Reardon	Bowermaster	Smith	Clarke	CAPITAL LETTERS indicates World Age-Group Record set. Underlined indicates American Age-Group Record set.
200	Angotti	Raschker	Mitchell	Davis	Obera	Cavicchi	Reardon	Bowermaster	Smith	Clarke	
400	Stough	Simmons	Duff	Davis	Obera	Cavicchi	---	---	Smith	Clarke	
800	Stough	Houlton	Upton	Davis	Redfield	Cavicchi	Gibbons	---	---	Clarke	
1500	Warner	Findley	Pike	Cullen	Klopfers	Cavicchi	---	Caselli	---	---	
5000	Warner	Findley	Reed	Joseph	Klopfers	Withers	Gibbons	---	B'dera	---	
10000	Moritz	Strubinger	Berger	---	---	d'Elia	---	CASELLI	---	---	
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TJ	---	Raschker	---	---	Miller	Kinsey	---	---	---	---	
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Joe Murphy of Dallas was a twin winner in the hurdles, Phil Brusca of Missouri tripled in the shot, discus and javelin, and John Poppell of Florida won the 100 (12.72) and 200 (26.57).

M60

+ San Diego's Jim O'Neil became the only participant to take part in all 19 national masters championships, easily defending his titles in the 5000 (17:57) and 10000 (36:37).

+ Bill Walmroth of Michigan won the shot with 42-9½, but lost to Olympian Bob Richards in the discus, 156-2 to 147-11, in the 10-man field. Richards also won the hammer throw.

+ New York's Ed Lukens won the long and triple jumps.

M65

+ Australia's world-record holder Bernie Hogan, on a month-long running tour of the states, crackled to wins in the 100 (13.26) and 200 (27.20).

+ Californians Bob Hunt and Burl Gist each won two, with Hunt establishing a new world M65 mark of 50.63 in the new 300-meter hurdles.

+ Mike Castaneda, President of the Southern California Striders, won the shot in 38-11, while another Californian, Dan Aldrich, bested Castaneda in the discus, 152-0 to 145-7. Connecticut's Tom McDermott was third in both events.

M70

+ Gilberto Gonzalez of San Juan successfully defended his national titles in the 100, intermediates and long jump, but was

upset by Texan Jeff Bloomfield in the 200 (29.91) and 400 (64.89). Gonzalez' long jump of 14-11 added ¼" to Claude Hills' American M70 record.

+ Californian Herb Miller set a new 80mH mark of 14.52.

+ Oregon's Ross Carter raised the discus AR to 139-1¼, and added a shot put victory.

+ Ian Hume of Canada lengthened Mazumi Morita's world M70 triple jump mark of 32-1½ to 32-2¼.

M75

+ Tony Castro of California won the 100 and 200, while Ohio's Byron Fike annexed the 400, 800, 1500 and 5K walk.

+ Maryland's Ed Benham took care of the 5K and 10K, remaining undefeated in his age group on the track and on the road.

M80

+ Arizona's Benjamin Fox won four events, including a world M80 triple jump leap of 23-6½, upping Herb Anderson's 22-8 standard.

+ New York's Harry McArdle also captured four golds, in the 400, 800, 1500 and shot put.

+ Indiana's Arling Pitcher and New York's Konrad Boas split the other four events.

M85+

+ Sorry to see no one show up in this division. Last year's winners Paul Spangler and Buell Crane didn't show, nor did 95-year-old Newton Barrett of Illinois.

W30

+ Joan Stratton of Lake Tahoe won the

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West Valley Track Club of California winning 4 X 400 relay for men 40-49 in 3:29.27 at U.S. National Masters Championships, with Matt Pruitt (#91) anchoring. Photo by Gretchen Snyder

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shot, discus and hammer, while New York's Joann Angotti took care of both sprints.

+ Long Beach, California's Tina Stough successfully defended her 400 (59.77) and 800 (2:21.05) titles, as did Texan Debbie Warner in the 1500 (4:44) and 5000 (17:45).

W35

+ Besides Raschker, Linda Findley of Canada impressed onlookers with a double win in the 1500 (4:54) and 5000 (17:43), and narrowly lost to Atlanta's Susan Houlton in the 800, 2:21.92 to 2:22.66.

+ Kathy Pierce of New York annexed the shot and discus.

W40

+ New York's Marilyn Mitchell took both sprints and Carole Leaf nabbed the shot and discus.

W45

+ Only a handful of women competed in this division, with Sally Davis of Massachusetts pocketing golds in the 200, 400 and 800.

W50

+ World and national champion Irene Obera of Fremont, California scampered to four wins in the 100 (13.74), 200 (28.91), 400 (66.23), and long jump, where she upped Christel Miller's AR from 13-3 to 13-11½.

+ Susan Redfield of Massachusetts beat a strong field in 2:39.16 in the 800, defeating North Carolina's Martha Klopfer by three seconds. Klopfer came back with two standout wins in the 1500 (5:26.98 to Redfield's 5:30.89) and 5000 (20:48).

+ Christel Miller, TAC's masters T&F women's rep, won four golds in the javelin, discus, TJ and set an AR 14.94 in the 80mH.

W55

+ Shirley Kinsey jumped to three first places, including a new U.S. triple jump mark of 21-9.

+ Ohio's Bernice Holland bagged the shot, discus and an AR 90-3½ javelin, breaking Kinsey's standard by over a foot.

W60

+ Florence Reardon of the Buckeye State was the top W60 gold medalist with three wins in the 100, 200 and long jump.

W65

+ Besides Bowermaster and Caselli, Arizona's Polly Herzer won the discus and javelin events.

W70

+ Marjorie Smith of New York won the 100, 200 and 400.

W75

+ Polly Clarke, of Estes Park, Colorado, TAC's 1985 female masters athlete-of-the-year, was on hand to accept her trophy and successfully defend her national W75 titles in the 100 (17.20), 200 (37.48), 400 (91.1) and 800 (3:52.09).

+ California's Edith Mendyka also chalked up four triumphs, including new AR's in the long jump (7-1¼) and javelin (64-11½).

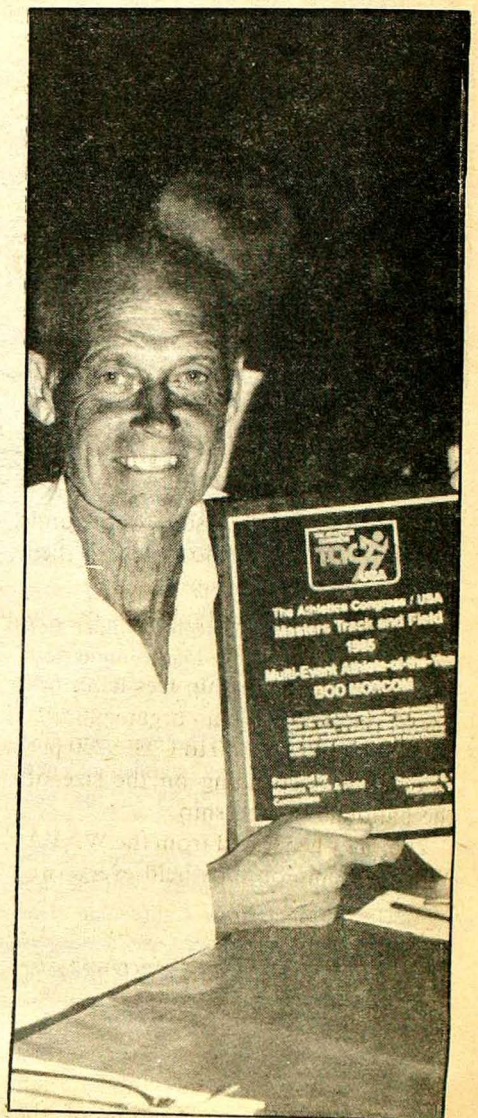
Daily coverage of the meet was provided by Newsday, with profiles, photos and results.

Video tapes of the competition were taken and are available from JMI Video (see ad on page 21).

The 20th edition of the Championships will be held in Eugene, Oregon on August 7-9, 1987, on the soon-to-be constructed, state-of-the-art Hayward Field track. □



Jackie Caselli from California, crossing the finish line with a new American record in the W65 1500M of 6:26.49, at the U.S. TAC National Masters Championships, Long Island, New York. Photo by Gretchen Snyder



Boo Morcom, M65, displays TAC 1985 Multi-Event Athlete-of-the-Year Award at banquet, U.S. TAC National Masters Championships, Long Island, New York.

Photo by Gretchen Snyder

NEW AGE-GROUP RECORDS SET AT 19TH U.S. MASTERS TRACK & FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS IN UNIONDALE, N.Y. — JULY 18-20, 1986

WORLD RECORDS

Event	Age	New Mark	Name	State	Old Mark	Held by
400	M60	57.65	Jack Greenwood	CO	58.4	John Alexander
10000	W65	49:22.5	Jacklyn Caselli	CA	52:53.3	Waltraud Kretschmer
100H	M60	14.98	Jack Greenwood	CO	16.2	Andre Findelli
300H	M60	46.31	Jack Greenwood	CO	---	---
300H	M65	50.63	Bob Hunt	CA	---	---
300H	M70	53.98	Gilberto Gonzalez	PR	---	---
300H	M75	67.75	Omar Hix	TX	---	---
HJ	M55	5-8½	J.C. Brown	MO	5-6½	Boo Morcom
HJ	W65	3-8	Mary Bowermaster	OH	3-8	Mary Bowermaster
TJ	M70	32-2½	Ian Hume	CAN	32-1½	Mazumi Morita
TJ	M80	23-6¼	Benjamin Fox	AZ	22-8	Herb Anderson

AMERICAN RECORDS

1500	M55	4:25.24	Jim Sutton	PA	4:28.7	Bill Fitzgerald
1500	M70	5:19.38	Austin Newman	NJ	5:21.1	Harold Chapson
1500	W65	6:26.49	Jacklyn Caselli	CA	6:57.42	Edna Laflin
110H	M35	14.33	Stan Druckrey	WI	14.7	Mike Kelly
80H	M70	14.52	Herb Miller	CA	15.02	Bert Morrow
80H	W50	14.94	Christel Miller	CA	15.42	Christel Miller
PV	M65	11-6	Boo Morcom	NH	11-6	Jim Vernon
LJ	W50	13-11½	Irene Obera	CA	13-3	Christel Miller
LJ	W65	11-2¼	Mary Bowermaster	OH	10-5¼	Mary Bowermaster
LJ	W75	7-1¼	Edith Mendyka	CA	---	---
LJ	M65	16-7½	Boo Morcom	NH	16-2½	John Satti
LJ	M70	14-11	Gilberto Gonzalez	PR	14-10¼	Claude Hills
TJ	W55	21-9	Shirley Kinsey	CA	21-1	Shirley Kinsey
TJ	M65	31-11½	Boo Morcom	NH	31-3	Fred White
DT	M70	139-1¼	Ross Carter	OR	138-2	Pete Gulgin
DT	M80	88-4¼	Benjamin Fox	AZ	84-4	John Whittemore
JAV	W55	90-3½	Bernice Holland	OH	88-10	Shirley Kinsey
JAV	W75	64-11½	Edith Mendyka	CA	64-1	Edith Mendyka
1600R	M50	3:47.63	Huntsville TC	AL	---	---



Who won? In the closest finish of the Nationals, officials tabbed Barbara Pike, left, as the winner of the W40 1500 over Linda Upton, 4:59.47 to 4:59.51.

Photo by Gretchen Snyder

Martha
5000 in
Champi

The International Scene

WAVA Funds — A Roman Odyssey

by ALASTAIR LYNN, Treasurer, WAVA

WAVA has few sources of funds. We don't get government handouts, and, indeed, we do not seek them, for such sources can have unacceptable political strings.

Basically, WAVA obtains the income necessary for operating expenses from two sources:

1) annual membership fees from national master/veteran organizations, varying from U.S. \$50 to U.S. \$250 per association, depending on the size of the national membership.

2) money generated from the WAVA World Championships held every two years.

It is the latter — the World Championships — which is the reason for this article. Specifically, it deals with the Rome Games in 1985.

According to the contract agreed between WAVA and the Italian organizers — a combination of the Italian Masters (IMITT), whose Presi-

dent is Cesare Becalli, and FIDAL, the organization overseeing track & field in Italy — WAVA was due to receive income two ways from the Rome Games:

- 1) U.S. \$10 per entry;
- 2) A "Scale Fee" as follows:
 - a) from each of the first 2000 entrants — U.S. \$0;
 - b) from each of the next 1000 entrants (2001-3000) — U.S. \$5;
 - c) from each of the next 1000 entrants (3001-4000) — U.S. \$8;
 - d) from each of the next 1000 entrants (4001-5000) — U.S. \$10;
 - e) from each entrant over 5000 — U.S. \$0.

That payment schedule was clearly stated in the contract before the start of the Rome championships.

Fine, you will say. All clear, straightforward and businesslike. From WAVA's point of view — yes. From the Rome organizers — no!

First, the WAVA fee. The total amount due, after various agreed expenses of the organizers were deducted, was U.S. \$35,055. Despite vigorous requests by WAVA to the Rome organizers, nothing was paid until the time of the Games when, by dint of grinding perseverance, the late Wal Sheppard and myself obtained U.S. \$30,555. This left U.S. \$4,500 to complete payment on this section of the contract.

Due to the manner in which many entry fees were paid, the Rome organizers ran into heavy check-cashing charges. They asked if WAVA would absorb part of the cost, and, wishing to be reasonable people within the limits of our obligations to WAVA's Associations, we agreed to contribute U.S. \$1,400 to their costs. The residue of the U.S. \$4,500 — U.S. \$3,100 — was eventually paid in March, 1986. So, by and large, we received this payment, albeit late and with much effort.

The saga of the Scale Fee is a much sadder story. The total due to WAVA for this part of the contract is U.S. \$13,800. The amount received at the date of writing this article — zero.

The Rome organizers claim they ran into excessive and unforeseen expenses. I can only accept that this is so, although no final statement on finances has ever been shown to WAVA. In any case, the contract stipulated payment **before** the Games, which obviously implies that the value of the payment is independent of the costs incurred.

It might be asked: why didn't WAVA obtain the payment before the Games began? Repeated requests were made but, despite promises, no payments were received. Of course, theoretically, it was possible to cancel the Games. But, bearing in mind that the fundamental objective is to enjoy running, jumping, throwing and walking competitions, this is not a viable option in the real world.

In any case, the Games were being organized under the wing of FIDAL, one of Europe's major track and field associations — which gave WAVA a feeling of confidence. Correspondence between WAVA and Cesare Becalli, the Games' President, merely pointed to FIDAL as co-signatory on the contract.

A letter in May, 1986, to L. Barra, General Secretary of FIDAL (who has

received copies of all correspondence), has not produced a reply. He was not prepared to discuss the matter with me during the IAAF meetings at Neuchatel. We have been reasonable, in that we have waived any right to interest, and have suggested payments staggered from July, 1986 to March, 1987.

We will, of course, continue in our efforts to obtain this money, examining all our options. It was the WAVA Executive Committee's intention to direct a proportion of this income to help foster Masters/Veterans movements in the currently-less-active countries. By failing to meet their contracted obligations, the Rome organizers are, therefore, seriously harming the development of such activities.

An obvious conclusion from this situation is that any request from Italy to organize any Masters/Veterans events must be regarded with a very critical and skeptical eye, despite their organizational efforts last year.

As a footnote, the WAVA contract with the Melbourne organizers stipulates a WAVA fee; however, a share in the net profits of the 1987 World Meet replaces the Scale Fee. □

Taylor Sets WR in British Championships

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Ron Taylor lowered the world 200-meter mark for men aged 50-54 to 23.1 to highlight the annual British Veterans Track & Field Championships at Wigan on July 14-15.

The time, subject to ratification by the WAVA Records Committee, was well under the mark of 23.4, held by America's Thane Baker since 1982.

Two former internationals, Ian Green and Brian Green, who won bronze relay medals in the 1970 Commonwealth Games, won their respective M40 and M45 finals.

United Kingdom Veterans records included a 66.20 by Keith Whittaker in the M55 400H, a 67.4 by Jim Arnold in the M60 400H, an 11:51.8 by Giles Brindley in the M60 steeplechase, a 17:39.7 by Carol Wild in the W40 5000, and a 152-11 (46.62) by Joe Phillips in the M50 javelin.

Leslie Duffy held off the late challenge of Alan Roper in an exciting M40 800, 1:58.5 to 1:59.4, with Vic Smith third in 1:59.8.

Frank Hearn won the M45 800 in 2:00 while Alan Balderston took the M40 in 52.5. □

Asian Championships Held in Indonesia

The 4th biennial Asian Veterans Athletic Championships were held in Jakarta, Indonesia on July 26-27.

Competition was held in 5-year age groups for men and women from age 35-and-up.

Among the top performances were:

- Kaihara Kosabu, M40, 100 (11.2) and 200 (22.8);
- Hieta Yoshiyuki, M55, 100 (12.4) and 200 (25.2);
- M. Gunasena, M50, 400H (61.9);
- P. Hoetapea, M70, 800 (2:47.0);
- Wanibuchi Hiroshi, M50, 1500 (4:29.2) and 5000 (16.34.20);
- Aloysious Sibidol, M65, shot put (11.84m/38-10).

New officers were chosen to represent the Asian region on the WAVA Council. The new president is Mr. Hariomataram of Indonesia, who replaces Milkha Singh of India. Hari Chandra remains the secretary of

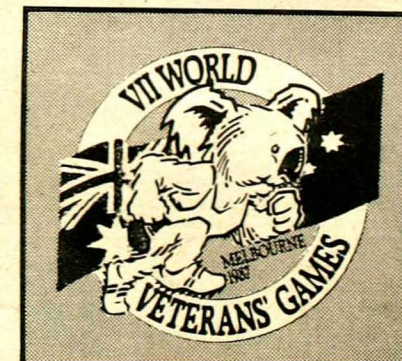
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The next Asian Championships will be held in Chinese Taipei in 1988. Complete results next month. □



Martha Klopfer of North Carolina winning W50 5000 in 20:47.50 in TAC National Masters Championships, Uniondale, N.Y., July 18-20.

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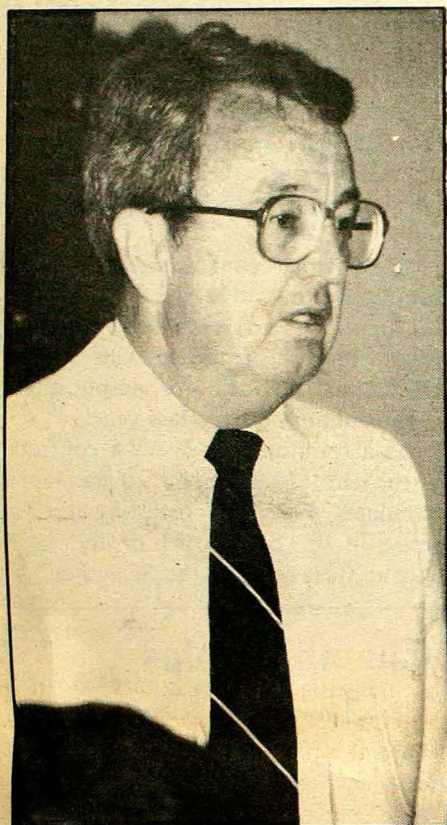
Complete details on Masters tour to Australia in 1987 for VII World Veterans Games.

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track and field athletes are expected to congregate during the summer of 1989 in the city (population: 106,000) that frequently has been identified as "The Running Capital of America."

The decision did not come easily, and not without some shedding of blood. For one, it took considerable politicking last summer in Rome when



J.J. Perry, explaining to Masters Site-Selection Committee the advantages of holding the 1989 World Veterans Games in Raleigh, North Carolina. Photo by Gretchen Snyder

it appeared the 1989 Games would go to Auckland, New Zealand almost by default. Two years previous, WAVA had determined that selection of the bi-annual Games site would be done four, rather than two, years in advance. This was necessary to give organizers time to prepare for an event that attracts up to 4,000 competitors and requires multiple races for both sexes in five-year age groups. The shift to four-year lead time made sense, except that by 1985 in Rome, only New Zealand had its act together soon enough to bid for 1989.

Most delegates in Rome conceded that the Kiwis were the only ones who had followed procedures, probably thus deserved the award, and certainly would organize superb Games — except this would have been the third time within the decade that the World Vets would have had to trek Down Under, the second time to New Zealand. (Christchurch, New Zealand hosted the Games in 1981; Melbourne, Australia will host them in 1987.) And that didn't make sense.

Enter the heavies

Enter the heavies: Sylvester Stein and David H.R. Pain. Stein is an expatriate South African living in Great Britain, who publishes *Running* magazine. Pain is a successful La Jolla, California attorney, who founded the masters movement in San Diego two decades ago. Stein and Pain rarely see eye-to-eye, particularly when it comes to the question of whether South Africans should be permitted to com-

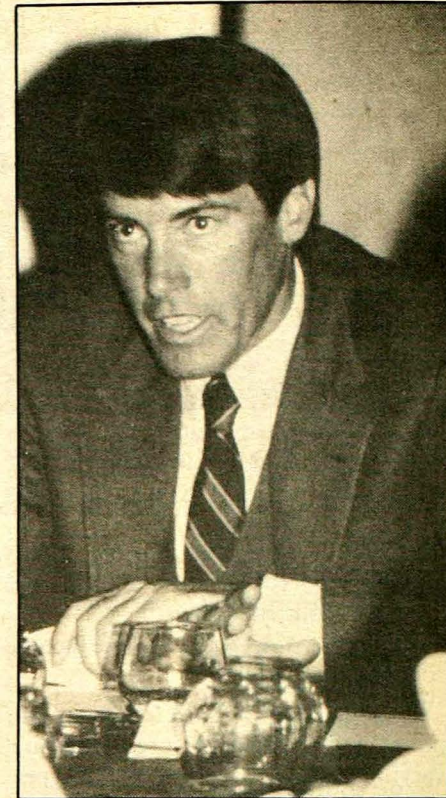
pete internationally in over-40 meets, a privilege they do not have in under-40 meets. Stein, militantly anti-apartheid, would ban the Boers. Pain, no apartheid apologist, would prefer that politics of any sort be kept out of sports.

That may be idealistic — and perhaps impossible — particularly when you consider that Pain is not above a little politicking himself when it comes to causes near his flinty heart, such as bringing the World Veteran Games to the U.S. for the first time. Pain was a prime mover in starting the first world meet, held north of the border in Toronto in 1975. The Games also came in 1983 to Puerto Rico, south of the border. But despite those close encounters of the masters kind, the Games never have been held in the U.S. — and that seemed a shame when you consider that over-40 running was, to borrow a verse from Bruce Springsteen, "Born in the U.S.A."

Ironically, Pain had been born in Britain before his family moved to Hollywood when he was young. At the WAVA meeting in Rome, the two expatriates, Pain and Stein, huddled and agreed that if New Zealand's bid could be blocked, one or the other would get his adopted country (Britain or the U.S.) to host the Games of 1989.

Pain and Stein handed a hatchet to TAC chairman Jerry Donley, who proposed to the delegates meeting in Rome that WAVA waive its rules and delay a site selection until 1987. "That was a very difficult thing for me to do," admits Donley, a respecter of rules. "I got a lot of angry stares."

Most came from the five WAVA officers, who (quite properly) felt that their previously determined rules had been overridden. Also angry were the New Zealanders who (also quite properly) felt they had followed those rules. When the vote to postpone came, the five WAVA officers were



Tom Jordan, speaking on behalf of Eugene as site for VIII World Veterans Games. Photo by Gretchen Snyder

among 24 delegates who voted no, compared to 38 who voted yes. New Zealand had been rejected, at least for 1989. Despite the bloodshed, most Vets agreed that the decision to hold the next Games or two in Europe or the Americas was right, even if done somewhat heavilyhandedly.

After you, Alphonse

Once the act was done, Pain and Stein played a game of, "After you, Alphonse," "No, after you, my dear Gaston." Pain lost — or won, depending on your point of view. Stein and the British preferred waiting until 1991 to host the Games, possibly in Birmingham, a suitor also for the 1992 Olympics. That left Pain, and the Americans, the duty of putting their organization where their mouth was and picking a Games city.

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WAVA BY-LAWS - Appendix A: Hurdles and Implements Specifications

HURDLES

Age	WOMEN					MEN				
	Race Distance	Hurdle Height	To 1st Hurdle	Between Hurdles	To Finish	Race Distance	Hurdle Height	To 1st Hurdle	Between Hurdles	To Finish
35-39	100m	.840m 33"	13.00m 42'8 1/2"	8.5m 27'10 1/2"	16.5m 34'5"					
40-49	80m	.752m 30"	12.00m 39'4"	8.0m 26'3"	12.00m 39'4"	110m	.991m 39"	-13.72m 45'	9.14m 30'	14.02m 46'
50-59	80m	.762m 30"	12.00m 39'4"	8.0m 26'3"	12.00m 39'4"	110m	.914m 36"	13.72m 45'	9.14m 30'	14.02m 46'
60-69	-	-	-	-	-	100m	.840m 33"	13.00m 42'8 1/2"	8.50m 27'10 1/2"	16.50m 34'5"
70 plus	-	-	-	-	-	30m	.762m 30"	12.00m 39'4"	8.00m 26'3"	12.00m 39'4"
35-39	400m	.762m 30"	45.00m 147'7 1/2"	35.00m 114'9 1/2"	40.00m 131'2 1/2"					
40-49	400m	.762m 30"	45.00m 147'7 1/2"	35.00m 114'9 1/2"	40.00m 131'2 1/2"	400m	.914m 36"	45.00m 147'7 1/2"	35.00m 114'9 1/2"	40.00m 131'2 1/2"
50-59	300m	.762m 30"	50.00m 164'0 1/2"	35.00m 114'9 1/2"	40.00m 131'2 1/2"	400m	.840m 33"	45.00m 147'7 1/2"	35.00m 114'9 1/2"	40.00m 131'2 1/2"
60-69	-	-	-	-	-	300m	.762m 30"	50.00m 164'0 1/2"	35.00m 114'9 1/2"	40.00m 131'2 1/2"
70 plus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Steeplechase distance for age-groups 460 and 465 shall be 2000m; there is no steeplechase for age-groups 470 and above.

IMPLEMENTS

AGE	SHOT PUT	DISCUS	HAMMER	JAVELIN
WOMEN				
35-49	4.00K	1.00K	-	600 gms.
50 plus	3.00K	1.00K	-	400 gms.
MEN				
40-49	7.26K (16lbs.)	2.00K	7.26K (16lbs.)	800 gms.
50-59	6.00K	1.50K	6.00K	800 gms.
60-69	5.00K	1.00K	5.00K	600 gms.
70 plus	4.00K	1.00K	4.00K	600 gms.



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In August, 1985, two months following Rome, American vets met during the TAC Masters Championships in Indianapolis. Nearly a dozen cities were offered, or suggested, as sites, among them: Miami, Florida; San Jose, California; the Raleigh/Durham/Chapel Hill triangle in North Carolina; Eugene, Oregon; and Los Angeles, California, the last of which still was on an athletic high following its successful staging of the 1984 Olympic Games.

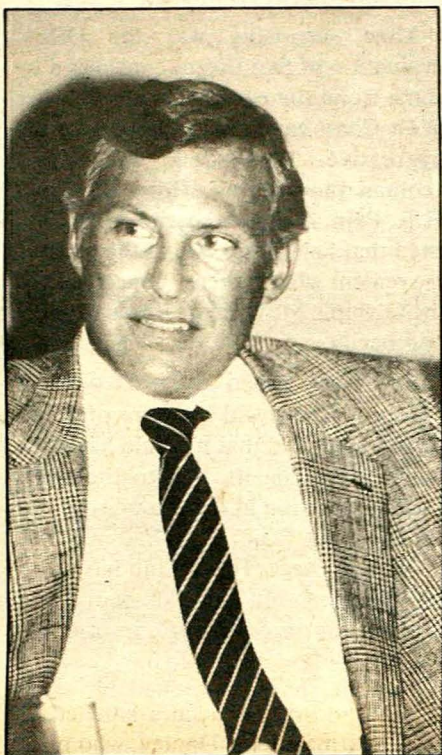
Surprisingly, Pain stated at that time that San Diego, where it all had begun, could not host the World Veteran Games. "We just don't have the facilities," he admitted. The track at Balboa Stadium, where national masters meets were successfully conducted between 1968 and 1973, was badly deteriorated. The aged stadium recently had been demolished, because it failed to meet California's stringent earthquake standards. Also surprisingly, Indianapolis, hosts of NCAA and TAC championships, and in 1987 the Pan American Games, showed no interest in attracting the World Vets.

In Indianapolis, Donley (Colorado) and Pain (San Diego, California) moved to organize a subcommittee to determine an American bidder. The subcommittee included themselves as well as myself (Hal Higdon, Indiana). Other volunteers, or recruits, included Al Sheahen (Los Angeles, California); Bob Fine (New York, but moving to Florida); Joe Valdes (Florida); Jim Puckett (Oregon); Bob Boal (North Carolina); Mary Cullen (Texas); and Dan Thiel (Louisiana).

Added to the ten-person subcommittee in an advisory capacity (although he would not participate in deliberations) was Ollan Cassell, TAC executive director and also a delegate to the International Amateur Athletics Federation (IAAF), governing body of worldwide track and field to which WAVA is now affiliated. "There definitely was an air of excitement about bringing the Games to the United States," said Fine, who may be WAVA's next president due to the untimely death of Australia's Wal Shephard, slated to accept that position.

Preliminary bids were due early in 1986 at which point six cities expressed interest. In addition to the five mentioned above, San Diego was now in the running. Pain had reconsidered his city's involvement, deciding that even though San Diego did not have a suitable primary track on which the Games could be held (it had an excellent secondary track at Point Loma, used by the British before the Olympics), maybe one could be built. Pain already was engaged in a successful fund-raising campaign to secure the

Games' financial underpinnings. (To date, he has obtained more than \$100,000 in pledges from American masters and hopes eventually to go over \$200,000.) Fund-raising obviously was his forte. Quickly, he also raised \$350,000 to build a new track at Balboa Stadium, obtaining a third of that sum, ironically, from the Los



Christian Smith, UCLA Vice-Chancellor for Conference Planning and Special Events, during presentation of LA bid for VIII World Veteran Games. Photo by Gretchen Snyder

Angeles Organizing Committee, whose profits from the Olympics had been \$225 million.

On-Site Selection Committee

In June, 1986, a three-person On-Site-Selection Committee (OSC) consisting of Fine, Puckett and Cullen visited all six bidding cities, spending several days in each, viewing facilities and housing, considering tourist attractions and amenities, and (perhaps most important) talking with local organizers and officials whose responsibilities it would become to run the Games should their bid prove successful. "We ate too much and trained too little," Fine described the trip, "but we got a good idea of the various strengths and weaknesses of each bidding city."

Fine, in early July, mailed copies of the complete OSC report to all subcommittee members, except for Pain and Sheahen, who, by then, headed the bidding delegations of their respective cities: San Diego and Los Angeles. Also excluded from the list of those mailed reports was Bob Boal, who was presumed close to the North Carolina bidders, though not heading their delegation. The report summarized each bidder's strengths and weaknesses; rated them as Excellent, Good, Fair or Poor; and also offered a

point ranking based on 18 items, including budget, venues, housing, even linguists. After receiving the complete report from Fine, Donley mailed each city a copy of the evaluation concerning itself — but not of the others, although showing all the complete point scoring. When Fine learned Donley had done this, he seemed slightly ruffled, but Donley logically responded, "I wanted each city to have a fair opportunity to defend itself against criticism."

Miami and San Jose quickly fell from contention. Neither city had been able to convince the OSC that the local organization was strong enough, given such short notice, to host a meet as large as the World Veteran Games. Both cities' bids were rated as "Poor." They scored 920 and 958 points respectively out of a potential 1500. Donley wrote Miami and San Jose, thanking them for their interest, suggesting, as tactfully as possible, that it would probably prove fruitless to pursue their bids further. Neither appeared for the final selection process at the Marriott Hotel in Nassau County, next to Hofstra University, site of the 1986 TAC Masters Championships.

Presentations Made

The four others (North Carolina, Eugene, San Diego and Los Angeles) appeared on Thursday, July 17, to each give a half-hour presentation and answer questions. Discussions between the OSC and the full subcommittee followed, filling the remainder of an hour given each city. Before this occurred, however, the ten appearing members of the subcommittee had been whittled to eight, not without some controversy.

The controversy involved the status of Pain and Sheahen, who, several



Barbara Daugherty, head of the Eugene World Veterans Games Committee, at Masters Site-Selection Committee hearing in New York, July 17. Photo by Gretchen Snyder

months earlier, had volunteered to resign because of the potential conflict of interest related to heading their bidding delegations. When other members of the committee pointed out that each city had, in effect, an "angel" involved in the selection process, the two reconsidered and asked to withdraw their resignations. Meeting at breakfast before the presentations, the subcommittee decided (in a close vote) to ex-

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clude Pain and Sheahen from both voting and discussions. Boal of Wake Forest, North Carolina, despite having been excluded somewhat arbitrarily from the OSC report mailing, was not challenged; nor was Puckett, who comes from Oregon, although Gresham, not Eugene. (Whether properly handled or not, the exclusion probably did not affect the inevitable selection.)

That left eight. To avoid a potential four-four deadlock, Donley assumed a non-voting stance as chairman. The subcommittee also established its voting rules to eliminate one of the four remaining cities per vote. Given four bidders, three votes were anticipated. The one receiving the least (or no) votes would be eliminated during each of the anticipated two preliminary votes. That would leave two finalists. To take the prize during the preliminaries, a bidding city would need to garner two-thirds of the votes: that is, five out of seven. Victory in the final vote would require only a simple majority: four out of seven. In the unlikely possibility that a tie should occur on the final vote (were someone to abstain or split his or her vote), Donley would enter the voting to break that tie.

Morning line

Based on the OSC Report, the morning handicap line suggested that Los Angeles and Eugene might be the two finalists. Each had been rated by the OSC as "Excellent," scoring 1454 and 1451 points respectively. North Carolina earned a "Good" and 1310

points. Weighing heavily against North Carolina's otherwise impressive bid was the fact that those meeting in Indianapolis in 1985 had suggested a July-August "window" for holding the Games.

This made sense, since competitors could more easily attend during summer vacations. But unfortunately for North Carolina, it was a time of year when temperatures in that state averaged a high of 88 daily with humidity in the 60-80 per cent range, hardly ideal conditions for holding distance races, much less sprints and field events. "The weather is the biggest



David Pain, often called the 'Father of the Masters movement' during presentation of San Diego bid for 1989 World Veterans Games.

Photo by Gretchen Snyder

drawback," conceded the OSC Report, while praising the organizational group that annually sponsors one of the more successful, and long-running, over-age-30 track meets (Southeastern Masters). Although some talk centered around opening the window wide enough to include May, if North Carolina received early voting support, the delegation from the triangle cities of Raleigh, Durham and Chapel Hill obviously operated under a handicap not of its making.

Most surprising was the OSC's evaluation of San Diego, considered by some to be the equal of the two other West Coast candidates, because of the aggressive, go-get-'em spirit and yeoman fund-raising efforts of David H.R. Pain. A certain sentiment also existed that San Diego was to the masters movement what Athens, Greece was to the Olympic Movement. It was where it had begun.

Yet San Diego earned only a "Good" rating and its score of 1,113 points suggested that it would have difficulty elbowing its way to the front from its position in the second row and outside lane. The OSC had written: "The San Diego Track Club has given full support, but there is too much dependency on one person in organizing this event." That one person, meanwhile, had abandoned his early plans to utilize a renovated Balboa Stadium for which he had raised \$350,000. The University of California at San Diego (UCSD) reportedly was undergoing an expansion program, which would include a new \$1 million track plus extra dormitory facilities that would have provided low-cost housing to overcome the high cost of the city's hotels (\$120 a night is not unusual) that often are filled with summer tourists. The only problem here was that the UCSD facilities would not be in place until the summer of 1988, after the American bid in Australia. "That makes me nervous," said Donley. Others shared his concern.

The presentation process involving the four cities, one at a time, began at 9:00 and continued to 4:00. After a short break, Donley gathered his seven voters in what Puckett declared would not be "a smoke-filled room." Quickly, it became apparent that the subcommittee felt it was in a no-lose position. "There was electricity in the air when we began our deliberations," remarked Donley. "We obviously knew we had four strong candidates, any one of which could do an excellent job in hosting the Games." No one bid was perfect, but pluses far outweighed any minuses.

First vote called

After a discussion lasting nearly an hour, Donley called for the first vote, each voter writing his choice on a slip of paper. Despite having the advantage of a strong plea from Boal on behalf of his home state, North Carolina failed to earn a single vote on the first round,



Lolita Bache, San Diego World Games Committee Organizer, at U.S. TAC National Masters Championships, Long Island, New York.

Photo by Gretchen Snyder

not even that of Boal, a realist. Coincidentally, the Southeast was experiencing at that moment a severe drought and heat wave with temperatures over 100 degrees, which probably did little to help North Carolina's case. The slips that Donley unfolded showed Los Angeles and Eugene tied with three votes each and San Diego with only one.

"Let's vote again and see which way that San Diego voter wants to swing," joked one subcommittee member, but most felt the issue was not that simple, so the discussion continued another half hour. The OSC admitted that had they known of UCSD expansion plans at the time of their inspection, it might have affected their report. But the question mark still surrounding the planned new facilities and housing — whether they would be in place by 1988, or even 1989 — proved most worrisome.

There was also the worry that Pain, despite his enthusiasm, maybe because of it, was "flying by the seat of his pants." Pain, excluded from the deliberations, was not present to defend himself, although in retrospect, it probably would not have made much difference. San Diego, despite being a great tourist destination, was unable to overcome its early handicap of inadequate facilities. When the second vote was taken, San Diego lost its one supporter.

The San Diego voter apparently had swung up the coast of Southern California to Los Angeles, that city garnering four votes to three for its rival in Eugene. But since this was only the second vote (narrowing the field from three to two), a simple majority was insufficient to carry the day. "It looks as though we might be close to a decision," commented one subcom-

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ATHLETES WHO ENTER A NEW DIVISION THIS MONTH, SEPT., 1986

ATHLETE (RESIDENCE)	BIRTHDATE	AGE GROUP
JUNE BARNES (WESTERVILLE, OH)	9- 1-21	65-69
MARGARET BETZ (CONKLIN, NY)	9-12-36	50-54
JUNE BYRNES (NEW ALBANY, OH)	9- 1-21	65-69
VIRGINIA LUCAS (US)	9-19-31	55-59
ADELE MILICEVIK (CAN-SCOTTSDALE, AZ)	9-21-26	60-64
ALMETA PARISH (SAN FRANCISCO, CA)	9-15-36	50-54
IVY GRANSTROM (CAN)	9-28-11	75-79
HILDE JOECKLE (WG)	9-12-21	65-69
A. RUHLLOW (WG)	9-30-36	50-54
HANNELORE SCHENK (WG)	9-17-46	40-44
LIESEL SCHEPE (WG)	9- 7-16	70-74
VERA WISCHMANN (WG)	9-20-11	75-79
MARIA ZAHN (WG)	9-17-36	50-54
D. E. S. CROOK (GB)	9-17-31	55-59
IRA DAVIS (PHILADELPHIA, PA)	9-25-36	50-54
JOHN DICK (HAYWARD, CA)	9-18-11	75-79
DAVE DOUGLASS (CULVER CITY, CA)	9-28-31	55-59
SVEN FALK (SWE)	9- 9-96	80 +
JIM HERSHBERGER (WICHITA, KANS)	9- 2-31	55-59
DON HUMMEL (CANTON, OH)	9- 8-11	75-79
WALTER HUTCHINS (PHILADELPHIA)	9-29-31	55-59
ED KEYSAR (SHERMAN OAKS, CAL)	9-17-21	65-69
TERRENCE KILMARTIN (GB)	9-10-31	55-59
FRED NORRIS (GB)	9- 4-21	65-69
AL OERTER (NY)	9-19-36	50-54
FRANKLIN PENNOCK (SAN JOSE, CA)	9-27-01	80 +
WALTER SCHREIBER (WG)	9-12-21	65-69
GEORGE SCOTT (NZ-LONG BEACH, CALIF)	9-14-36	50-54
ANDREW SEMPLE (AUSTRALIA)	9-29-26	60-64
JERRY SMARTT (WESTMINISTER, CA)	9-11-31	55-59
ARTHUR TAYLOR (CANADA)	9- 1-26	60-64
ART VESCO (SAN MARINO, CA)	9-27-11	75-79
DEWEY VROOM (WHITTIER, CALIF)	9-29-26	60-64
WILLIAM WINSLOW (DAYTON, OHIO)	9-11-21	65-69
TOM WOODRING (HI)	9-25-36	50-54
HERM WYATT (LOS GATOS, CA)	9-13-31	55-59

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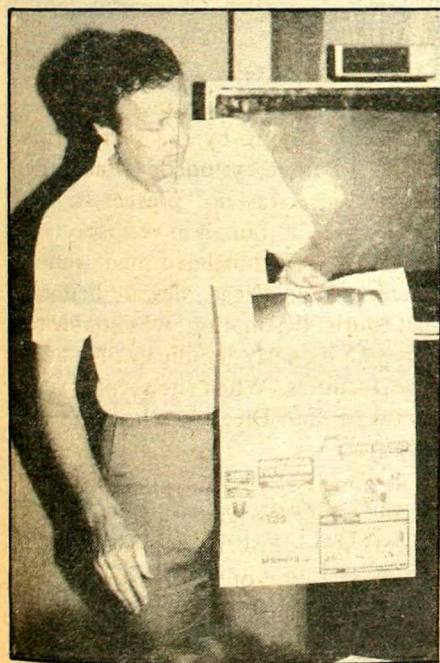
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mittee member, but others disagreed. They felt the margin between the two cities was narrower than even that close a vote suggested, so discussions continued.

Eugene shared one problem with now-defeated San Diego: an inadequate primary track. Fabled Hayward Field that had felt the spike of Steve Prefontaine, where Bill Bowerman had coached, that had served as the site for three Olympic Trials in track and field (two in the marathon) plus numerous NCAA and TAC championships and other world-class meets, was now decaying. One master athlete reported catching a spike in a bubble on the track and tumbling just before the finish line in a recent meet there. This problem, however, presumably would be resolved with a \$1 million track renovation, due for completion by June, 1987, before WAVA would make its decision.

Hayward Field Ambience

With renovation a given, Hayward Field's greatest appeal was an ambience akin to tracks such as Bislett in Oslo, where world records and great performances are frequent and expected. "The most hospitable of all the bidders," the OSC had reported. Eugene also boasted a large cadre of officials (even a waiting list within the city to become a track official) and a knowledgeable reservoir of track fans in a community of 106,000, where the sport has no competition from professional sport teams. Most impressive during the Eugene presentation had been masters hurdler Lew Thorne unfurling a dozen front sports pages from the Eugene **Register-Guard** showing lengthy articles accompanied by large, color photographs of competitors at previous master track meets in the city.

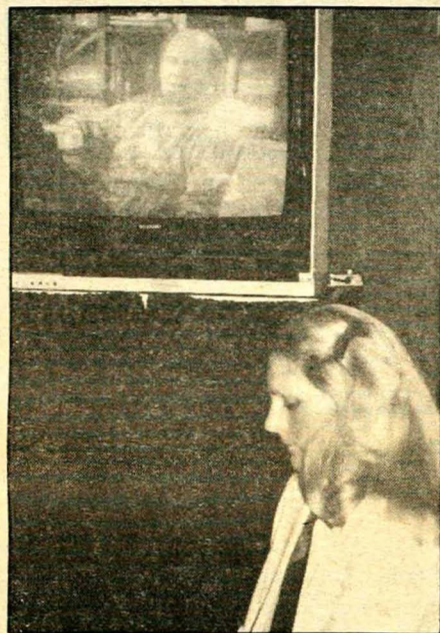


Lew Thorne, member of the Eugene World Veterans Games Committee, demonstrating the kind of coverage the event could expect in the local Eugene Register-Guard.

Photo by Gretchen Snyder

When Al Sheahan later was asked if the Los Angeles **Times** would provide similar coverage should the Games go to that city, Sheahan had to concede reluctantly that it would not.

But Los Angeles had more than enough advantages of its own. One was a large international airport ("biggest and best," according to the OSC) and facilities remaining in place from the Olympics, unmatched anywhere in the U.S., if not in the world. The World Veteran Games were scheduled for U.C.L.A., which also had low-cost housing and the ambience of nearby Westwood, sort of a Disneyland for Yuppies. A videotape showed during the presentation featured pleas by



Video promoting Eugene as site of VIII World Veterans Games. Linda Weston in foreground.

Photo by Gretchen Snyder

Mayor Tom Bradley, Olympic decathlon gold medalist Rafer Johnson and U.S. Senator and Presidential hopeful Alan Cranston that the Vets come to L.A. (A Eugene video offered similar pleas from Mary Decker Slaney and the Smothers Brothers.)

The final discussion centered as much on philosophy as facilities. Los Angeles offered glitter and the afterglow of an enormously successful Olympics; Eugene had the mystique of America's Running Capital and a committee that seemed intensely eager — more than any of the other delegations — to host the Games. Indeed, there was an All-Comer's meet at Hayward Field that very evening with people waiting to hear the news, good or bad. As discussions continued, the feeling became increasingly evident that subcommittee members, themselves serious runners, identified with those waiting at the All-Comer's meet. They didn't want to have to tell the Eugene delegation to call home and say that the news was bad.

Were such sentiments important? The balance point between Los Angeles and Eugene was so fine,

maybe they were. But there were other issues, and one finally rose to the top, even after the eleventh hour. Despite the lengthy mechanics of the bidding process, despite a deluge of paperwork and free pins, hats and t-shirts, inspections, politicking and everything that might affect a decision process, it came down in the competition between two evenly-matched candidates, inevitably, to a philosophical question: would world vets rather be a big fish in a small pond or a little fish in a big pond? As Jerry Donley unfolded the final votes, he laughed and said, "You guys amaze me!" The final vote had shifted toward the small pond: Eugene, six to one!

After the announcement, it appeared that world master competitors might have their "large pond" as well. Far from being discouraged about their near-miss rejection, the Los Angeles bidders already were talking about hosting the TAC Masters Championships the weekend before the Games. So those coming to the U.S. in 1989 could enjoy the glitter of L.A., and some tuneup competition, then get up to Eugene for some serious running to determine who is world's best.



Al Sheahan, making a point in favor of LA as site for VIII World Veterans Games in 1989.

Photo by Gretchen Snyder

The United States still has to overcome a possible bid from Yugoslavia in its quest to host the Eighth World Veteran Games, but all involved in the selection process agreed that Eugene, Oregon deserves its title as Running Capital of America — and maybe, in 1989, of the world. □

IN TRAINING



FOR THE VII WORLD VETERANS GAMES

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The choice would not come easy.

Higdon details the voting and the rationale for the decision. Needless to say, Eugene should do an excellent job and put on the best World Games, ever.

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Getting involved in this exercise was like being in a political campaign. You spend months of work and, in one brief moment, you either win or lose.

If you win, you're elated. You're going to bring \$10 million to your community. You'll be a bigshot. The director of the 1981 Games in Christchurch even parlayed it into a knighthood. But, after the elation wears off, you say, what the hell do we do now.

If you lose, you're depressed. You spent all that time and money — for what? For nothing? What should you have done differently? You've lost again. And it's tougher to lose, 4-3, than 20-0. In a way, you're relieved that someone else will have to do all the work and happy that you can get back to your normal routine. And yet, you can't shake Alan Jay Lerner's lyric: "I've grown accustomed to her face."

The words of Dr. George Sheehan offer some solace: "Success and failure

are both false: it is effort alone that counts."

After the vote, Pain was discouraged. But, the next day, far from depressed, he was again rolling in high gear. He huddled with Donley on ways to increase the pledge money for the Games to \$200,000. On the plane home, he wrote a contract to be signed by TAC and the Oregon Masters. Two weeks later, he was elected Chairman of WAVA's North American region, to replace Fine, who moved up. Clearly, Dave Pain is back and the masters program is the better for it.

Also far from depressed were Smith and his UCLA crew, who want to join with the L.A. Masters Committee to bid for the 1989 U.S. National Masters T&F Championships, so that participants en route to Eugene can stop off in L.A. for a major meet the week before — just like White Plains-to-Toronto in 1975.

1989 will be an exciting year for masters athletes. For those who decide to come to the west coast of the U.S.A., a good time and some great masters athletic events are a certainty.

As for me, I figure this piece just saved me \$1,000 in psychiatrist's fees.

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Northwest Regionals Feature Dashmen

by JERRY WOJCIK

The Athletic Congress' Northwest Regional Masters Track & Field Championships at Mt. Hood Community College in Gresham, Oregon, on July 11-12, was a showcase for the area's sprinters.

Paul Edens, M45, had masters bests in the 100m, 11.33; 200, 23.42; and 400, 53.44. In the 400 race, the top four finishers were inside 56.0. Bernie Hogan, Australia's world-record holder for the M65 100m and 200, ran 12.7 and 26.54 to win those M65 races. Submaster Penny Farster-Gilkey, W30, picked up three sprint firsts, including the 100 in 12.77. Caroline McLeod took the W50 100 in 15.23.

George Puterbaugh won the M60 400 in 1:03:32, and 800 in 2:33:54.

Richard Tucker, M40, had the day's best 800 in 2:00.47.

All 2000-meter racewalkers were led by Paul Kaald, M50, with 10:44.25. Dick Nordquist, M60, won the 400H with 1:13:29.

In a show of rare versatility, Chuck Chapin, with firsts in the M40 high, 5-1, and long jumps, 17-1/2, won the shot put with a strong 51-3, the discus with a solid 146-0, and the hammer with 133-1. Harvey Williams edged hurdler Nordquist in the M60 discus by one inch with 127-10. Gary Redaway's 195-11 in the M45 javelin outdistanced all other throwers' efforts.

Jim Puckett, who staged the Masters Nationals at Mt. Hood in 1979, was meet director. □

Mielke, Welch Win at Peachtree

Once again, foreign runners picked off the top masters cash prizes in a major American road race.

The top 40+ runner in this year's Peachtree 10K in Atlanta on the fourth of July was West Germany's Guenter Mielke with a 30:22.

Mielke placed 51st overall among the 25,000 finishers to win the \$1000 first place masters award. New Zealand's Graham Tattersall was second master

in 30:45 to win \$500.

England's Priscilla Welch clocked 33:21 to pick up a \$1000 check as first over-40 woman. She was followed by San Jose's Juana Stavolone, whose 36:11 was worth \$500.

The two top open awards of \$5000 also went overseas as John Doherty of England and Grete Waitz of Norway posted 27:56 and 32:10, respectively. □

2:26:04 for Clark in San Francisco

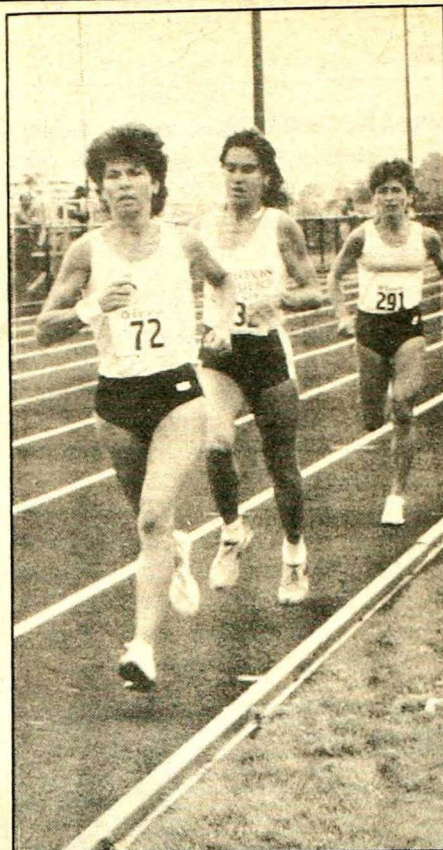
England's David Clark, 42, stormed to a 2:26:04 in the San Francisco Marathon on July 20 to take masters honors and place 11th overall in the field of more than 2100 runners. Clark averaged 5:34 per mile.

Elaine Delsman, 40, of Oregon was the first 40+ woman in 3:05:54, a

7:05-per-mile pace.

Clark finished over 14 minutes ahead of Joachim Bechtle, 42, (2:40:17) while Delsman had an eight-minute margin over West Germany's Margrit Meyer, 43, (3:13:18).

Local runner Don Paul led the M35 group with a good 2:22:40. □



Leading the field in the W30 5.000M are, left to right, Kathryn Martin, of New York and Debbie Warner, from Texas. Following is Linda Findlay, W35, from Canada. Findlay won in 17:42.55, followed by Warner (17:45.43) and Martin (18:00.30) in U.S. National Masters Championships. Photo by Gretchen Snyder

Villanova Hosts Eastern Regionals

by PETE TAYLOR

Ed Lukens, Bob Williams and Claude Hills turned in record performances on June 29 as TAC's Eastern Regional Masters Track & Field Championships were held at Villanova University in Villanova, Pennsylvania.

Lukens, 64, triple-jumped 10.67m (35-0) to better Ian Hume's age-64 mark of 33-10 3/4. Williams, the 46-year-old Plainfield, N.J. speedster, tied Nick Newton's age-46 mark of 22.9 in the 200 meter dash. Hills, 74, easily bettered his age standard in the 110-meter hurdles, running 22.2 to break the existing mark by almost two seconds.

Austin Newman, 70, turned in a fine 5:28.1 in the 1500. Al Walton rang up fast times in the M35 100 (10.9) and 200 (22.5). Submasters Robert Meyers (15-6 pole vault) and Ed Fern (6-7 1/2 high jump) were also outstanding. Marilyn Fitzgerald turned in good sprint times (14.2, 29.6 and 69.3) in the W50 bracket. □

First U.S. Senior Olympics Set

The U.S. National Senior Olympics will be held in St. Louis, Missouri, from June 27 to July 2, 1987. Event categories include golf, tennis, bowling, track & field, 10K run, archery, swimming and horseshoes.

Harris Frank, General Secretary, said the May Co. has agreed to sponsor the track & field category. Other cor-

Masters Heat Up in Southwest Regionals

by JERRY WOJCIK

Participants in TAC's Southwest Regional Masters T&F Championships at Rice University in Houston on June 29 did not need the heat of competition with the temperature at 97° but turned in hot performances anyway.

In the sprints, Bill Collins, M35, posted the day's bests in the 100m (10.76) and 200 (21.62). Danny Thiel, second to Collins in those races, ran the meet's fastest 400 (51.13). Roy Turner, M45, was a strong triple winner, in the 100 (11.68), 200 (23.22), and 400 (51.16).

In the 800, Chuck Wimberley won the M50 race in 2:15.74. The best times of the meet in both the mile (4:30.63) and the 5000 (16:05.8) were run by Dennis Dekkers, M40.

Among the hurdles winners were Joe Murphy, M55, in the 110mH (18.42) and 400H (1:09.05), and Omar Hix, M70, in the 300H with an exceptionally fast 50.7.

High-jumper John Hartfield won the M40 division with 6-7 3/4, an inch and a quarter shy of his age-group world record. J.C. Brown, M55, had the next best jump for M40-and-over with 5-6.

Ray Stanfield, meet organizer and assistant track coach at Rice, has expressed an interest in bidding for the US/TAC Masters Championships in the near future. □



Hungry athletes lining up for food at Saturday night banquet, U.S. TAC National Masters Championships, Long Island, New York, July 18-20. Photo by Gretchen Snyder

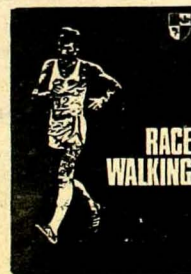
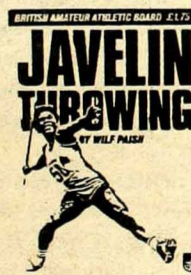
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200 Attend L.A. Meet

Nearly 200 athletes showed up for the annual Southern California TAC Masters Track & Field Championships at Occidental College in Los Angeles on June 28.

Tuning up for the nationals three weeks hence, competitors recorded impressive marks on the fast, wide-ovaled, Olympic-training facility.

Stan Whitley edged Dennis Duffy, 50.6 to 50.8, in the M40 400, and won the 100 in 10.8. Jesse Carrington logged an M50 double in the 400 (56.9) and 800 (2:12.7).

George Cohen blazed to a 1:59.4 in the M45 800 ahead of Jerry Hackett's 2:04.8. Eugene Driver won the three M35 sprints in 10.7, 21.7 and 51.8.

Australia's Bernie Hogan got off a plane from Brisbane for a month-long U.S. running vacation and, despite jet lag, won the M65 100 (13.2) and 200 (26.5). Bob Watanabe won the same events in the M60 bracket in 12.4 and 26.1.

Herb Miller lowered the U.S. M70 record to 15.0 in the 80-meter hurdles. Graeme Shirley came up from San Diego to pick off the M40 1500 in a fast 4:08.5, while Mel Elliott (4:18.2) and Russ Bonham (4:34.5) won 1500's in the M45 and M50 categories, respectively.

Tina Stough sizzled to three W30 wins in the 200 (27.3), 400 (60.6) and 800 (2:23.0).

The meet was directed by Doug Smith. □

Throwers, Walkers Big in Striders Meet

by JERRY WOJCIK

The Southern California Striders Meet of Champions at Golden West College in Huntington Beach, on May 31, had at least three large-scale statistics of note, in addition to fine performances and close contests.

One biggie came from Janet Wilson, of the So. Calif. Striders, who hurled the discus 153-0 in the W30 competition.

The second large statistic came with the platoon of walkers (27 men and women) who showed up for the 5K walk. Enrique Flores, M35, of the L.A. Walkers, posted the best time of the day with 23:15.

The third heavy-duty stat of note belonged to the 35# weight throw, simply because it was the first time, in recent memory, that the event was contested other than in a weight pentathlon in a Southern California masters meet. Former Yale hammer-thrower Stew Thomson, M50, SCSTC, passed all competitors with 48-3.

The financially successful meet was arranged by the Striders' Hugh Cobb, with much help from Mike Castaneda, Striders' president, and SCSTC members and volunteers, which resulted in television coverage on KABC and results published in the Orange County Register. □



Polly Clarke, W75, receiving her award for TAC Masters Track and Field Female Athlete-of-1985 from Jerry Donley, at TAC National Masters Track and Field Committee meeting, Long Island, New York, July 19.

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Loeschhorn First Master in Western States

John Loeschhorn, 42, of Irvine, Calif. was the first over-age-40 finisher in the Western States 100-mile Endurance Run from Squaw Valley to Auburn, Calif. on June 28.

Loeschhorn, the first American master in this year's Boston Marathon (2:27:03) and a top high school miler in the early 1960's, completed the difficult mountain course in 18:40:49 to place fifth among the 415 starters.

It was the largest field ever for the increasingly popular run, which received extensive network TV coverage last year. The course climbs sharply west from its 5 a.m. starting point, then winds through mountain trails in the Sierra Nevada range. Ninety-five runners finished under the 24-hour mark, and 210 crossed the finish line prior to the 30-hour cut-off point.

Chuck Jones, 27, clocked 16:37:47

to edge Jim Pellon, 36, by just 11 minutes for first overall. Doug Latimer, 48, placed eighth in 19:03. Martin Jones, 43, was 13th in 20:32, followed by Rob Volkenand, 55, 14th in 20:47.

Vicki Johnson, 41, was the first 40+ female and 22nd overall in 21:17, only nine minutes ahead of Bjorg Austrheim-Smith, 43.

Ruth Anderson, 56, who finished 179th in 28:56, said "the weather was good, except for the first 4.7 miles up to Emigrants Pass into a strong, cold headwind. There were a few patches of snow, but not enough to cause problems of footing or of following the trail. Many runners dropped out at the river crossing at Rucky Chucky some 80 miles into the course. Needless to say, I was happy to cross that line under the 30-hour cut off." □

Sprinters Shine in Midwest Regional

by JERRY WOJCIK

While distance runners were in short supply (just seven entrants in the 3000 and one in the 10000), sprinters were numerous and in good form in TAC's Midwest Masters Regional T&F Championships at York High School in Elmhurst, Ill., on July 12.

Morris Blueford won three M30 firsts in the 100m (10.9), 200 (22.83), and 400 (52.33). Ron Dennis was also a triple winner in the M45 100 (12.22), 200 (25.49), and 400 (57.50). Vernon

Lewis was a strong double winner in the 100 (12.8) and 200 (26.80).

In the M35 800, J. Feldhausen won in 2:03 over Mike Fletcher (2:04) and Craig Dean (2:05). Ernie Billups, M45, won the 800 (2:04) and 1500 (4:24) handily.

Hurdler Stan Druckrey, M35, rang up day's bests in the 110mH (14.3) and 400H (54.63). High jump world champion Dick Richardson, M50, did the 110mH in 19.9 and won his specialty with 5-8.

36 Meet Records Set in Wisconsin

Competitors in the Wisconsin United Athletic Club's 7th Annual T&F Meet on June 21 chalked up three dozen meet records on the Dan McLimon Memorial track at the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

Two of the M30 division records were by Morris Blueford in the 100m (11.1) and 200 (23.0). Dennis Mengeling avenged an earlier loss in the shot (48-7 to 43-3) to Patrick Burns with a meet record discus throw of 148-10.

In the M35 age-group, Stan

Druckrey won the 400mH (55.3) and the 110mH in a record 14.5.

The M40 competitors produced a 2-mile walk record by Jim Hess of 20:29.5, while Ron Dennis dominated the M45 division, with three meet records in the 100m (12.0), 200 (24.8), and long jump (17-9/4).

In the M50s, Tom Langenfield had the best high jump of the meet with a record 5-7, and Frank Giaimo long jumped to an M55 record 14-7 3/4.

Conway, Hearn First Masters at Grandma's

by JERRY WOJCIK

Dan Conway, 47, of Chetek, Wisc., was the first master in the 10th Annual Grandma's Marathon in Duluth, Minn., on June 21 with a time of 2:23:40. Angella Hearn, 40, of New York City, won the women's masters contest with a 2:44:38.

Bruce Mortenson, 42, of Minnetonka, Minn., was second to Conway by less than a minute in 2:24:34. England's Richard Wilde, 40, took the third M40-and-over spot in 2:30:22, just five seconds better than the W50-59 winner, Fritz Mueller, 50, of New York City. Alex Ratelle, 61, of

Edina, Minn., prevented a sweep by out-of-state runners in the 40+ races with a 2:51:22 win in the M60-69 contest.

Gail Ladage Scott, 40, of Durango, Colo., winner of the Dipsea 7.1 Mile Handicap on June 8 in California, settled for second to Hearn with 2:45:05. Toshi d'Elia, 56, of Ridgewood, N.J., won the W50-59 race in 3:15:12.

Starters numbered 5,273, and 4,409 finished under the five-hour mark in the race, which was directed by Scott Keenan. Nina Dodge was media director. □

MASTERS SCENE

NEW ENGLAND

• **Bill Boardman**, 45, rocketed to a masters 1st with 22:46 in the Firecracker 4 Mile, Wickford, RI, July 4. **Herb Silander**, 61, popped to the M60 win with 26:06, and **Cynthia Emery**, 37, exploded to 24:46. With two other 4-milers in the state at the same hour, and five races in nearby Connecticut and Massachusetts on the same day, **Carl Hammen**, 62, NMN results contributor, 2nd to Silander with 27:14, wonders where the meet organizers were in February when races were scarce.

• The Boston AA has adjusted entrants' qualifying times for the men's and women's open divisions of the Boston Marathon. The new times are 3:00 for the men and 3:30 for the women. Also adjusted will be the times for the women's age-group divisions, i.e. 3:40 for the W40-49; 3:50 for the W50-59; and 4:00 for the W60+. The times for the men's masters division will remain unchanged at 3:10 for 40-49; 3:20 for 50-59; and 3:30 for the 60+. The new qualifying times will be effective for the 91st running of the B.A.A. Boston Marathon, Monday, April 20, 1987.

• **Bob Youngs** broke the age-52 AR for the javelin with 165-5 in the 5th Annual Waltham T&F Meet at MIT in Cambridge, MA, June 14. **Don Kramer** won the M55 HJ with 4-11½, while another M55, **Louis Smith**, burned up the sprint lanes with a 13.2 100m, 26.8 200, and 58.1 400.

EAST

• Overall winners in the Randazzo Run 5K, Long Island, NY, June 1, were both 40-49 runners: **Paul Fetscher** (16.37) and **Briget Goldstein** (22.59).

• **Kevin Smith**, 40, and **Michael Bruno**, 40, staged a close finish in the 5th Ave. Mile Qualifier #2, Central Park, NYC, July 27, for 1st master, with Smith timed in 4:54 and Bruno one second back. **Izumi Yamamoto**, 44, was 1st W40+, 6:36.

• **Glen Shane** sped to a 2:04.9 in the M45 800 in the MAC T&F Championships in Kings Point, N.Y. on June 15. **Cliff Pauling** won the M50 800 (2:12.9) and 1500 (4:41.1).

• **Fred Uelses**, 46, of Boyertown, Pa., clocked a 32:50 in the Revolution Run 10K in Washington Crossing State Park, Pa. on July 4, and a 15:50 in the Run For the City 5K in Coatesville, Pa. on July 11.

• **Bill Robinson**, of Cohoes, New York, wasted no time in establishing himself as one of the top Masters milers in the East. He celebrated his fortieth birthday on July 22 and three days later ran a 4:13.7 mile on a downhill point-to-point course at the Bijou Mile in Saratoga Springs, N.Y. On July 28 he set a personal best on the track at Colonie High School with a mile clocking of 4:27.9. His time shattered the Masters record for the Colonie all-comers meet by fourteen seconds.

SOUTHEAST

• **Jack Bailey** beat **Bob Maydole** to the finish by two seconds with 4:54 in the Tryon St. Mile, Charleston, SC, July 11, to win the M40-49 race. **Charles Rose** took the M50-59 heat in 5:27. In the Summer Breeze 5K, which followed the mile runs, masters winners were **Jim Deni**, M40, (16:00) and **Nancy Lowden**, W40, (20:41).

• The city of Ormond Beach, Florida (just north of Daytona Beach) annually sponsors a 9-day program of athletic events and ancillary activities for seniors age 60-and-over. More than 1,000 entrants are expected for the year's 58-event, Senior Olympics from October 25 thru November 2. "Active" events include ballroom dancing, basketball, bowling, foot races, golf, horseshoes and track and field.

"Passive" events involve billiards, checkers, darts, fishing and speed knitting. "There is literally something for everyone who desires to compete," says director **Jack Warner**.

• **Harriett Boyd** set an age-62 mark with a discus throw of 69-3 in an All-Comers meet July 20 in DeLand, Florida.

MIDWEST

• **Otho Perkins**, 56, lowered the M55 age-group national record for the 20K to 1:14:29, erasing **Hubert Morgan's** 1:16:55 of September '84, in the Wolfpack TC's distance fete, Columbus, OH, June 17. **George Knox**, 75, and **Georgean Ruskin**, 65, filled in single-age records for the 10 mile with 1:56:09 and 1:55:26, respectively.

• The 3rd Annual Athlete's Foot Masters T&F meet, held at Augustana College in Rock Island, Ill. on June 28 drew 130 athletes. **Arling Pitcher**, M80, and **John Meisner**, M40, were awarded trophies as outstanding athletes of the meet. Pitcher ran the 200 in 39.7; Meisner high-jumped 6-2 and triple-jumped 38-3. **Fred Booker** rolled to a 10.9 and 22.5 in the M35 100 and 200.

• **Grace Butcher**, of Chardon, Ohio, whose "Focus on Breathing" was the subject of last month's Masters Training Advice, will be inducted into the Athletic Hall of Fame of Hiram College, Ohio on October 10. **Kincaid Early**, Director of Alumni Relations, said: "Alumni selected for this honor have had distinguished athletic records as students or coaches and have exemplified the ideals of their alma mater since graduation." Butcher, 52, was inducted into the Greater Cleveland Sports Hall of Fame on June 22 for her achievements in motorcycle racing and running. She was the three-time



Tom Sheahen, Maryland, negotiating water jump en route to victory in M45 3K Steeplechase, in 11:29.4, at U.S. TAC National Masters Championships, Long Island, New York. Photo by Gretchen Snyder

national champion or record holder in the 880 between 1958 and 1961. She competed in the 5000 in this year's National Masters T&F Championships in New York.

MID AMERICA

• **Rex Harvey** of Des Moines, IA, broke the age-39 WR in the decathlon with big points in the 42" hurdles (16.6) and the pole vault (14-0) for a 6090 total in the recent Lincoln TC Decathlon on the U. of Nebraska track. **Tom Thorne** of Neosho, MO, amassed 4148 for an AR for 42-year-olds with the international standards.

• **Edwin Alexander**, 52, Overland Park, KS, took three M50-59 1sts, in the 400 (63.9), 800 (2:17.1), and 1600 (5:28.1), in the Blue Valley Optimist Olympics, Stanley, KS, June 21.

SOUTH WEST

• Texas City's first Gulf Coast Masters T&F Meet on June 28 was a success in every way. The Dallas Masters won the team trophy. **Stan Thompson**, 75, of Hawaii, won the high point trophy of the meet with eight wins in the 110HH, HJ, LJ, TJ, PV, javelin, discus, shot put and the 2nd in the 50M, 100m and 200m. **Leon Carr**, coach and director of the meet, said: "We are planning for a bigger and better one next year."

• **Maureen Bixby** bested the entire women's field in the Oklahoma TAC 8K Championships, Oklahoma City, July 19, with 30:51. **Dave Williams**, 44, was 1st M40+ (26:38).

WEST

• **Jarod Garrison**, 59, Fullerton, CA, zipped through the Haroleen Walters Anti-Drug 8K, an evening race in Santa Fe Springs, CA June 26, in 32:10 for a national single-age record. **Octavio Canche**, 40, Pico Rivera, CA, 1st M40+, led a Legg Lake Runners quintet to the masters team title in 29:01, as did the race's namesake, **Haroleen Walters**, 43, El Toro, CA, 1st W40+ (29:34) with the 099-ERS Pico Rivera AC for a women's masters team win. **Richard Flores**, 51, Monterey Park, CA, was 2nd M40+ (29:05).

• Capitalizing on her handicap (issued to contestants on the basis of age, sex, times, etc.), **Gail LaDage Scott**, 40-year-old resident of Durango, CO, finally broke **Sal Vasquez's** 4-year-old Dipsea stranglehold on the tortuous 7.1-mile race from Mill Valley to Stinson Beach in No. California, with a time of 58:19. Vasquez, 46, finished the 76th running of the race in 50:19, not fast enough to overcome Scott's handicap. The 3rd finisher was also a masters, **Eve Pell**, 49, who led for most of the race until Scott rallied in the stretch. More than 1253 runners participated in the Dipsea, which was the race featured in the movie *On The Edge*, starring erstwhile masters competitor **Bruce Dern**.

• **John Dobroth**, holder of the M35 American HJ record (6-8¾ in May '79), won the June election for Municipal Court Judge in Ventura County, CA, located between L.A. and Santa Barbara on the Pacific. Unusual for an athlete to seek the bench? Why not? Dobroth has had loads of experience passing over the "bar."

• **John Montgomery**, 40, Del Mar, CA, (3:35:51); **Fred Nagelschmidt**, 62, Ventura, CA, (3:49:46); and **Teri Gerber**, 39, Tarzana, CA, (3:40:08) set single-age records in the 50K track race, Oxnard, CA, July 13.

• **Hulda Crooks**, 90, made page 3 of the Los Angeles Times and was featured on local and network TV stations in her unsuccessful attempt to climb 14,494-foot-high Mt. Whitney, the highest mountain in the contiguous 48 states. Altitude sickness, fatigue and the threat of lightning storms forced her to turn back 2½ miles short of the summit on August 13. Crooks, who had climbed the rugged trail to the top of the Sierra Nevada peak in California 22 times before, made it as far as Trail Crest Pass at 13,777 feet, but could go no farther. She is the oldest person to climb to the top, making it last year at age 89. She began the climb from the trail head at the 8,300-foot level. "I listen to my body talk. I know when it's time to sit down. Never overextend yourself," she said. She was accompanied by a score of friends, and even

NORTHWEST

• **Ross Carter**, 72, Eugene, OR, erupted to an age-group WR 45-6 shot put in the Volcano Classic T&F Meet, St. Helen's, OR, June 28, erasing his own record by ¼".

CANADA

• **Art Meaney**, 42, was 1st masters in the 59th Annual Evening Telegram 10 Mile, St. John's, Newfoundland, July 6, with a 52:40 3rd overall. Nova Scotian **Ray Hennebury**, 43, was 2nd M40+, and **Terry Boak**, 41, 3rd, 56:56. The race is one of Canada's oldest, dating back to 1921.

• **Joe McGuire**, 42, New Brunswick, became '86 Canadian masters marathon champion with 2:30:14 in the Championships in New Glasgow, Nova Scotia, June 14. **Eleanor Freeman**, W45, Prince Edward Island, was 1st W40+ in 4:07:50.

INTERNATIONAL

• **Mary Wixey**, a retired school teacher, set a W65 long jump WR of 3.48 (11-5) on her home track at Cheltenham, England, in April, and equalled it in the Italian Masters T&F Championships in Verona, June 14.

• **Noel Noble**, an Australian opera singer based in London and a staunch supporter of British veteran athletics, suffered a stroke some months ago and is recuperating at his home at 47 Greenend Rd., Bedford Park, London W4 IAH. Noble competed in many European and World Championships.

• **Roy Williams**, Commonwealth Games Decathlon Gold Medalist in Jamaica in '66, piled up 3659 points (LJ 5.90/JT 37.92/200 25.26/DT 43.38/1500 6:09.09) in the pentathlon in the New Zealand Veteran Championships in Auckland, March 29-31, and won six other M50 events. Sixty championship records were recorded in the meet.

• The North American Championships scheduled for October 4-5 in Tampa, FL, have been rescheduled for October 25 by meet director **Bob Fine**. See T&F schedule for details.

• **David Pain**, often called the "Father of the masters athletics program," has been elected North American Regional Chairman of WAVA by the North American Council. He replaces **Bob Fine**, who was named WAVA Executive Vice President to fill the spot left by the untimely death of **Wal Sheppard**.

• The Western Province (Cape Town, South Africa) Masters Committee felt concerned about the suffering at Crossroads, and organized a fun run to collect relief funds. About 430 people took part in the 5K run on June 21 and 1000 rand (\$390) was raised.

• **Zithulele Sinqe** was named the South African open athlete of the year for his 2:08:04 marathon in Port Elizabeth in May. The top female was **Myrtle Bothma**, who set Africa women's records in the 400 (50.12) and 400H (53.74).

• A group of American masters track & field athletes were invited to Peru in early August to compete over a five-day period. A pending new 4x200 M40 relay mark of 1:30.6 was set by **Mel Brooks**, **Stan Whitley**, **Dennis Duffy** and **Bill Knocke**, lowering the old standard of 1:32.0. □

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December 3-7. 8th Annual Convention of The Athletics Congress, Hyatt Regency, Tampa, Florida. TAC, PO Box 120, Indianapolis IN 46206 317/638-9155.

TRACK & FIELD NATIONAL

March 28-29. U.S. TAC National Masters Indoor Championships, Madison, Wisconsin. Ron Dennis, c/o WUAC, 6408 Westgate Rd., Monona, WI 53716. 608/221-8020.

June 20. U.S. TAC National Masters Pentathlon Championships, Occidental College, Los Angeles. Gary Miller, 1740 Grandview Ave., Glendale, CA 91201. 818/843-2139.

August 7-9. 20th U.S. TAC National Masters Championships, Eugene, Oregon. Frank Anderson, 939 East 21st Ave., Eugene, OR 97405. 503/345-2820.

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September 6 — October 5. Empire of America Masters Sports Series, Florida. Sept. 6: DeLand; Sept. 20: Tampa; Sept. 27: Gainesville; Oct. 5: Orlando. Finals in Tampa on Oct. 25 at North American Championships. Empire of America Masters Sports Series, Attention: Jimmy Carnes, 1330 N.W. 6th St., Suite A, Gainesville, FL 32601. 904/377-0134. 800/462-8462.

October 11. Greater Nashville AC & Nashville Striders Masters/Open Meet, Nashville, Tenn. Randall Brady, 205 Pebble Brook Dr., Nashville, TN 37221. 615/741-5247 (d); 356-0838 (e).

October 25. North American Championships, Tampa, Fla. Bob Fine, 4223 Palm Forest Dr., Delray Beach, FL 33445.

October 25-November 2. Ormond Beach, Florida Senior Olympics. 58 events for age 60-and-up. Ormond Beach Senior Center, 194 West Grand Blvd., Ormond Beach FL 32074. 904/677-0311; 256.

November 10-15. Golden Age Games, Sanford, Fla. M&W 55+. Greater Sanford Chamber of Commerce, 400 E. First Street, Sanford, FL 32772-0868.

November 16: 5th Annual Running Pentathlon. Masters and Open. Clearwater, Florida. Dick Lacey, 1207 S. Duncan Avenue, Clearwater, FL 33516. 813/447-7161.

December 28. Holiday Weight & Regular Pentathlon, Delray Beach, Fla. Randy Cooper or Phil Partridge, 222 NE 22 Lane, Delray Beach FL 33444. 305/278-2241.

MIDWEST

September 14. Ohio TAC Two Hour Track Run Championships and 5th Annual Wolfpack Throwing Classic. James Pearce, Jr., 2449 Southway Dr., Columbus, OH 43221.

MID-AMERICA

June 27 - July 2. U.S. National Senior Olympics, St. Louis, Mo. Golf, tennis, bowling, T&F, 10K, swimming, archery, etc. 55-and-up. Harris Frank, 7 N. Bemiston, St. Louis, MO 63105. 314/862-9400.

WEST

Thru December 31. All-Comers Meets, Punahoa, Hawaii. Each Sunday at 3:00 pm. Stan Thompson, 2106 Ahapii Pl., Honolulu, HI 96821. 808/734-8450.

September 6. Last Chance Meet, Cal State Northridge, Northridge, Calif. Youth/Open/Masters. Frank Reilly, 8307 Joan Lane, Canoga Park, CA 91304. 818/716-7280.

September 6-7. Tahoe Open and Masters Meet, South Lake Tahoe, California. Joan Stratton, PO Box 9089, South Lake Tahoe CA 95731 or Jack Korbens, 702/747-6574.

October 4. Club West Masters, U.C. Santa

Barbara, Goleta, Calif. Geo. H. Adams, P.O. Drawer K, Goleta CA 93117. 805/687-6323.

CANADA

September 6. Canadian Masters Inter-Club Championships, York University, Toronto. Arvo Tiidus, 14 Sage Ave., Toronto, Ontario M6B 3W5. 416/781-1169.

INTERNATIONAL

September 6-14. 3rd Oceania Championships, Western Samoa. Clem Green, 46 Hargreaves St., Wellington 2, New Zealand.

October 4-20. Masters Tour to Japan. International meet in Tokyo on 19th. Howard Nishimura, 204 S. San Pedro St., Los Angeles, CA 90012. 213/680-1020; or Bob Watanabe, 213/478-0805.

October 10-12. IV Pan American Masters Championships, San Juan, Puerto Rico. Roberto Santana, Municipality of San Juan, Call Box 70179, San Juan, Puerto Rico 00936. 809/782-1073.

October 18-19. Hong Kong International Veterans Meet, Hong Kong. M&W 35+ Athletic Veterans of Hong Kong, GPO Box 10368, Central Hong Kong.

October 25. North American Championships, Tampa, Florida. Bob Fine, 4223 Palm Forest Drive, Delray Beach, FL 33445, U.S.A.

November 6-9. III South American Veterans Championships, Santa Fe, Argentina.

November 28-December 6, 1987. VII World Veterans Games, Melbourne, Australia. Men 40+, Women 35+. No qualifying standards. World Veterans Games, P.O. Box 311, Greensborough, Victoria 3088, Australia. Phone: 03-4356743.

LONG DISTANCE RUNNING NATIONAL

January 1-October 31. U.S. TAC National Masters One-Hour Postal Championships. Mail results to: Cliff Sharp, Harding College, P.O. Box 765, Searcy AR 72143 501/268-6161.

January 1-October 31. U.S. TAC National Masters Two-Hour Postal Championships. Send results to: Bruce Robinson, 6322 Eileen Ave., Los Angeles CA 90043.

September 14. U.S. TAC National Masters Half-Marathon Championships. Philadelphia, PA. Steve Anderson, West Moreland Coal Co., 123 S. Broad St., Philadelphia PA 19107. 215/252-4500.

September 21. U.S. TAC National Masters 25K Championships, Joliet, Illinois. Henrietta Agney, 306 N. Larkin Ave., Joliet IL 60435. 815/744-5560.

September 28. U.S. TAC National Masters 40K Racewalk Championships, Ft. Monmouth, N.J. Elliott Denman, 28 N. Locust Ave., W. Long Branch NJ 07764. 201/222-9213.

October 12. U.S. TAC National Masters 20K Championships, Eisenhower Park, East Meadow, N.Y. Jack Dowling, 25-47 Beech St., East Meadow, NY 11554. 516/731-3452.

October 26. U.S. TAC National Masters 5K Cross-Country Championships, Van Cortlandt Park, New York City, Ted Foy, 54 W. 119th St. No. 2, New York NY 10026. 212/369-1271.

November 16. U.S. TAC National Masters 10K Cross-country Championships, Holmdel, New Jersey, Ron Salvio, Century 21 AC, Box 116A, Highway 33, Englishtown NJ 07726. 201/446-4959; 201/928-3852.

November 23. U.S. TAC National Masters 15K Cross-Country Championships, Van Cortlandt Park, New York City. Kurt Steiner, 1660 E. 21st St., Brooklyn NY 11210. 718/336-3025.

December 6. U.S. TAC National Masters 8K Championships, Tampa, Florida. Dick Lacey, 1207 S. Duncan Ave., Clearwater FL 33516. 813/447-7161.

NEW ENGLAND

September 21. The Governor's Cup 5 Mile Run, 3 Mile Walk, 1 Mile Fun Walk, Boston, Mass. M&W 40+. The Governor's
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Ernie Billups, Illinois, leading pack in the M45 1500M, U.S. TAC National Masters Championships, Long Island, New York. Billups won in 4:09.9. Photo by Gretchen Snyder

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Cup, Executive Office of Elder Affairs, 38 Chauncey St., Boston, MA 02111. 617/727-4092.

October 13. Tufts Women's 10K (formerly Bonne Bell), Boston, Mass. Conventures, Inc., 45 Newbury St., Boston MA 02116. 617/267-0055.

EAST

September 14. Philadelphia Distance Run Half-Marathon, Philadelphia, Pa. Philadelphia YMCA, 1421 Arch St., Philadelphia PA 19102. 215/241-1223.

October 5. Jersey Shore Half-Marathon & 20K Racewalk, Sandy Hook, N.J. Jersey Shore Half-Marathon, The Running Store, HWY 35, Eatontown, NJ 07724. 201/542-3077.

October 26. Freihofer's Run For Women 10K, Liverpool, N.Y. TAC Region 1 Masters Championship. SASE to Linda Oja, Freihofer's Run for Women, 333 Miles Ave., Syracuse, NY 13210.

November 2. New York City Marathon. New York RRC, 8 E. 89th St., New York NY 10128. 212/860-4455.

November 2. Marine Corps Marathon, Washington, D.C. MCM Office, P.O. Box 188, Quantico VA 22134.

SOUTHEAST

September 13. Run For My House 4 Mile, DeLand, Fla. John Boyle, P.O. Box 1824, DeLand, FL 32721. 904/736-0002.

September 27. Virginia 10-Miler, Lynchburg, Va. Marilyn Straub, 3020 Cranehill Dr., Lynchburg VA 24503. 804/528-2857.

November 16. 5th annual Running Pentathlon. Masters and open, Clearwater, Florida. Dick Lacey, 1207 S. Duncan Ave., Clearwater, FL 33516. 813/447-7161.

December 13. Humana Rocket City Marathon, Huntsville, Ala. Huntsville TC, c/o Harold Tinsley, 8811 Edgehill Dr., Huntsville AL 35802.

MIDWEST

September 13. Emily/Faygo Detroit 10K, Detroit, Mich. Emily/Faygo 10K, 873 Iroquois, Detroit, MI 48214. 313/824-3279.

September 14. Wolfpack 2 Hour/25K Track Run, Worthington, Ohio. John White, 4865 Arthur Pl., Columbus, OH 43220. 614/459-2547.

September 20. The Ultimate Runner IV (10K, mile, 100m, 400m, marathon in one day). Mike McGlynn, Jackson C.C., 2111 Emmons Rd., Jackson, MI 49201. 517/787-0800 x331.

October 19. Detroit Free Press International Marathon, Detroit, Mich. Detroit Free Press Marathon, 321 W. Lafayette, Detroit, MI 48231. 313/222-6676.

October 25. 7th Annual Wendy's 10K Classic, Bowling Green, Ky. David Mason, P.O. Box 1316, Bowling Green KY 42101. 502/781-2834.

October 25. Pleasant Run 5 Mile, Indianapolis, Ind. Garry Petersen, 5926 University Ave., Indianapolis, IN 46219. 317/357-2677.

October 26. America's Marathon/Chicago, Chicago, Ill. America's Marathon/Chicago, 214 W. Erie St., Chicago IL 60610. 312/951-0660.

November 2. Wolfpack 20/50K Road Races, Columbus, Ohio. John White, 4865 Arthur Pl., Columbus, OH 43220. 614/459-2547.

November 8. Ohio TAC Cross-country Championships, m-8K; w-5K. Lancaster, Ohio. See November 2.

November 16. Columbus Bank One Marathon. Ohio TAC Marathon Championships (O.M). Mike Collins, The Ohio Runner, P.O. Box 20215, Columbus, OH 43220. 614/889-9066.

Birmingham Takes U.S. Club Title

by JERRY WOJCIK

Submasters and masters representing clubs from as far away as California, Illinois, Michigan, and Pennsylvania converged on Emory University, the site of TAC's Southeast Regional Masters Track & Field Championships in Atlanta on June 7.

In addition to the usual slate of track & field events, the meet was to determine the "National Club Champion," which, when the day ended, was the Birmingham TC with 483 points, outscoring the Atlanta TC, the meet's sponsor, by 101. The Charleston TC was a distant third with 70.

Most of the big point-getters with four and five firsts were throwers because the inclusion of the 35# and 56# weight events allowed some competitors a chance at six possible wins. Tony Bianchi, M35, Charleston TC, picked up four firsts, a second, and a third in the throws. Birmingham TC's Ed Hill, M40, included formidable 57-3 35# and 36-3 56# weight tosses in his five firsts. Carl Klehm, M45, Chicago TC, and Carlos Fraundorfer, M50, West Florida "Y", were one-man wrecking crews with the implements for their clubs.

Perhaps guided by a "do-it-for-the-points" philosophy, the women were even more enthusiastic. Jenny Kyle, W30, Birmingham TC, got wins in the 100m, 800, shot, discus, and javelin. Sadie Howell, W45, placed in eight events from the 100 to the javelin for the Birmingham club. Complete results next month. □

MID-AMERICA

September 14. RRCA National 25K Championships, Minneapolis, Minn. Jeff Winter, 3515 Holmes, Minneapolis MN 55408.

October 12. Twin Cities Marathon, Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn. Jack Moran, P.O. Box 24193, Minneapolis MN 55424. 612/929-8646.

SOUTHWEST

October 25. Tulsa 15K Run, Tulsa, Okla. Tulsa Run, 1 Williams Center, P.O. Box 2400, Tulsa OK 74102.

WEST

September 27. Legg Lake Runners 8K, S. El Monte, Calif. 6:30 pm. Arthur Martinez, 9502 Reichling Lane, Pico Rivera, CA 90660. 213/942-8774.

October 4. Legg Lake San Gabriel River 10 Mile, S. El Monte, Calif. A Martinez, 9502 Reichling Lane, Pico Rivera, CA 90660. 213/942-8774.

October 5. Penofin 10K, Ukiah, Calif. Performance Coatings, Inc. P.O. Box 384, Ukiah CA 95482.

October 18. Golden Valley Masters 10 Mile, Fresno, Calif. M&W 40+. Don Trout, 1595 E. Magill, Fresno, CA 93710. 209/435-9993.

October 19. Moving Comfort 8K for Women, San Diego, Calif. Joni Pendleton, 7245 Decanture Cove, San Diego, CA 92120. 619/287-8694(h); 286-2555.

October 25. Senior Strut, Paramount, Calif. 1/2 mile, 2 mile and 4 mile race walks for age 60+ in 5-year divisions thru 95+.



Jack Greenwood, 60, of Aurora, Colorado, setting a new world record for men 60-64 with a time of 57.65 in the 400-meter run in the U.S. Masters Championships in Uniondale, N.Y., July 19. Bob Watanabe, of Los Angeles (hidden behind Greenwood in lane 3) was second in 59.84. Photo by Gretchen Snyder

Charter Suburban Hospital, 213/531-3110; 217, or Finish Line International 714/841-5417.

November 2. Phoenix 10K, Phoenix, Ariz. Harvey Beller, 602 N. 16th St., Phoenix AZ 85016. 602/241-0995.

NORTHWEST

September 20. Prefontaine Memorial 10K, Coos Bay, Oregon. Prefontaine Memorial Run, P.O. Box 1380, Coos Bay, OR 97420. 800/824-8486.

October 4. St. George Marathon, St. George, Utah. 25 Age-Groups. St. George Leisure Services, 86 S. Main St., St. George UT 84770. 801/673-6148.

November 1. 10th Annual Canada vs. USA Masters 10K Cross-country Challenge, Sunset Park, Seattle. Bob Langenbach, 4261 S. 184th St., Seattle, WA 98188. 206/433-8868.

CANADA

September 20. Canadian Masters Women's 5K RR Championships, Sunnybrook Park, Toronto. Doreen Carmichael, 105 Goulding Ave., Willowdale, Ont. M2M 1L3. 475-7733.

September 21. Canadian Masters 5K RR Championships, Sunnybrook Park, Toronto. Canadian Masters AA, 1220 Sheppard Ave. East, Willowdale, Ont. M2K 2X1. 495-4059.

INTERNATIONAL

September 28. Berlin Marathon, Berlin, W. Germany. Sport-Club Charlottenburg e.V.,

ON TAP FOR SEPTEMBER**TRACK & FIELD**

Don't hang up your spikes, yet; there's more action still to come this year. On the 6th are meets in Toronto and Lake Tahoe, where sprinters and jumpers can set PR's at the 6600-foot altitude. (Distance runners, use caution.)

Also on the 6th are the 3rd Oceania Championships in Western Samoa, and, in DeLand, Florida, the first of four meets in the Masters Sports Series. The second meet will be in Tampa on the 20th; the third in Gainesville on the 27th, leading up to the North American Championships next month.

Columbus, Ohio hosts a throwing event on the 14th.

LONG DISTANCE RUNNING

Three U.S. TAC National Masters Championships are on tap this month: the half-marathon in Philadelphia on the 14th, the 25K in Joliet, Illinois on the 21st, and the 40K Racewalk in W. Long Branch, N.J. on the 28th.

Nearly \$2000 will be awarded to masters in the National 25K in Joliet — including \$100 to the winner of each men's and women's five-year age division.

The Ultimate Runner 5-event Challenge in Jackson, Mich. on the 20th is not for the squeamish. The Prefontaine Memorial 10K goes off the same day in Coos Bay, Oregon, with the Governor's Cup masters-only 5-mile run set for Boston on the 21st.

The only known women-masters-only race takes place in Toronto on the 20th, with the Canadian Masters 5K Championships the next day at the same venue. □

Berlin-Marathon, Meinekestrasse 13, D-1000 Berlin 15. U.S. representative: Guenter Erich, 39 W. Parkway, Pequannock NJ 07440.

October 4-5. XIX World Veterans (IGAL) 10K and Marathon Championships, Richmond, B.C., Canada. Men 40+, Women 35+. Vancouver Masters Road Running Society, 4640 Fairlawn Drive, Burnaby BC Canada V5C 3R6 - Telex 04 51588. \$25 one race. \$40 both races. Travel details from Alouette Travel, 11954 224th St., Maple Ridge B.C. V2X 6B3 Canada. 604/467-5535; Telex 04 51251.

October 27. Dublin City Marathon, Dublin, Ireland. Marathon Tours, 1430 Mass. Ave., Cambridge, MA 02138. 617/492-3088.

March 15-17, 1987. 20th World Veterans (IGAL) Cross Country, 10K and 25K Championships, Israel. Men 40+, Women 35+. Barry Shaw, 6 Shmuel Hanatziv Street, Netanya, Israel 42281. Telephone: 053-31343. Telex: 341929. □

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Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include F45 CULLEN, F50 KLOPFER, F50 REDFIELD, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include 5,000 METER FINALS, F30 WARNER, F30 MARTIN, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include 10,000 METER RUN, F30 MORITZ, F35 STRUBINGER, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include M60 GREENWOOD, M60 SMITH, M60 SADUL, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include 2K STEEPLCHASE, M60 MARGETSON, M65 CAVICCHI, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include M30 WALKER, M30 GALLAGHER, M30 MITCHELL, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include F40 REED, F45 JOSEPH, F45 COLLIN, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include F55 DELIA, F65 CASELLI, F65 WETHERBEE, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include M65 GIST, M65 HUNT, M65 MORCOM, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include M65 DYAS, M65 McEVOY, HIGH JUMP FINAL, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include M35 SERRAO, M35 NOLAN, M35 TAYLOR, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include F50 KLOPFER, F50 RINDLAUB, F50 SATN, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include M30 HINCK, M30 KOLTHAY, M30 VOGT, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include M70 MILLER, M70 NIEBEL, M70 HUME, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include F35 RASCHKER, F35 CLARK, F35 GLASS, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include M40 JORDETH, M40 STEWART, M40 DEKKERS, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include F55 WITHERS, F60 GIBBONS, F70 B'DERA, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include M40 MAYFIELD, M40 PAPAS, M40 WILSON, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include M30 CRUMMEL, M30 HUDSON, M30 SHORT, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include F40 BLOOMFIELD, F50 MILLER, F55 KINSEY, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include M40 SHIRLEY, M40 TRACY, M40 RANDALL, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include M30 HINCK, M30 MEDINA, M30 TSCHORKE, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include M45 WILSON, M45 SHEAHAN, M45 FINCH, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include M30 RADIFF, M30 FRI, M35 DRUCKREY, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include F65 BOWERMASTER, F70 NELSON, M30 MOORE, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include M40 DAW, M40 HATMAN, M40 PETTY, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include M35 PRICE, M35 TAYLOR, M35 NOLAN, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include M50 MUELLER, M55 JONES, M55 DEVINE, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include M40 MOUNT, M40 BENISON, M40 JENSEN, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include M35 SULLIVAN, M35 RUBROW, M35 BLACK, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include M40 RANDALL, M40 SCOTT, M40 DAW, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include M40 DEKKERS, M40 RANDALL, M40 TRACY, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include M60 O'NEIL, M60 FAUL, M60 RUSH, etc.

Table with columns: Div, Name, State, Time. Rows include M40 JENSEN, M40 JENSEN, M40 JENSEN, etc.

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Table with columns: DIV, NAME, STATE, DISTANCE. Rows include F30 STRATTON, F30 ROSENBLUM, F30 WHITE, F40 BLOOMFIELD, M30 DANIELS, M30 VanAKEN, M30 GUZMAN, M35 MOORE, M35 KELMENSOM, M35 ROSS, M35 WHITE, M40 MEAD, M40 HILL, M40 HIGGINS, M40 WALLIN, M40 GLINN, M40 NEVILLE, M40 GOURLEY, M45 PICHLER, M45 NUNEZ, M45 CYPRUS, M45 McKENNA, M45 KLEHM, M45 HART, M45 WHITE, M45 BLOOMFIELD, M50 TWOMEY, M50 WOODHEAD, M50 OLSON, M50 LARSEN, M50 CARSTENSEN, M50 DOUGLASS, M50 KRASIN, M55 VELEZ, M55 PHILIP, M55 HALLE, M55 BRUSCA, M60 RICHARDS, M60 MOZHAEV, M60 CANTOR, M60 STEIN, M60 JAAGO, M60 PETERS, M60 BLACK, M65 McDERMOTT, M65 ALDRICH, M65 SLOVENSKI, M65 SHAW, M65 NORDGREN, M65 NEUMANN, M65 MORNINGSTAR, M70 DETWEILER, M70 GULGIN, M70 SHRADER, M70 McNAHON, M70 SKOMBERG.

Table with columns: DIV, NAME, STATE, DISTANCE. Rows include F30 ROSENBLUM, F30 KAYE, F35 GOMEZ, F35 PIERCE, F40 HUFF, F40 LEAF, F40 ROSENFELD, F40 BUFF, F45 CONLEY, F45 YOUNGS, F50 MILLER, F50 CIRULNICK, F55 HOLLAND, F55 KINSEY, F55 JOCOY, F60 NORDGREN, F65 HERZER, F75 HENDYKA.

Table with columns: DIV, NAME, STATE, DISTANCE. Rows include M30 McMULLIN, M30 VanAKEN, M30 GUZMAN, M35 REISS, M35 CHANDLER, M35 PETITTO, M35 WEAVER, M35 FORSYTH, M35 BEALE, M35 MOSACCHIO, M40 BUFFALDE, M40 McHABB, M40 WHITE, M40 HIGGINS, M40 SANDER, M40 BUSBY, M40 MURRAY, M45 MURPHY, M45 HALLAS, M45 McGRUBER, M45 SIMON, M45 ILLUZZI, M45 KAYE, M50 CONLEY, M50 YOUNGS, M50 MAASIK, M50 HAHN, M50 CRESOM, M55 BRUSCA, M55 VELEZ, M60 LUKENS, M60 RICHARDS, M60 STEIN, M60 JAAGO, M60 HERZER, M60 HARRIS, M60 CANTOR, M60 CAVICCHI, M65 NORDGREN, M65 MORNINGSTAR, M65 NEUMANN, M65 MORCON, M65 MINAFRA, M70 HUME, M70 McNAHON, M70 GONZALEZ, M70 LIGHTFOOT, M70 DETWEILER, M75 TREI, M75 D'ELIA, M80 PITCHER, M80 McARDLE, M80 BOAS, M30-39 HURRICANE SPORTS, M30-39 PAL, M40-49 WEST VALLEY TC, M40-49 MID-AMERICA MSTS, M40-49 DALLAS MSTS, M40-49 PHILADELPHIA MSTS, M40-49 NY PIONEERS, M50-59 WEST VALLEY TC, M50-59 NY POLICE DEPT, M50-59 NY MASTERS, M70+ DALLAS MASTERS, M30-39 ALL-AMERICAN TC, M30-39 HURRICANE SPORTS, M30-39 ANN ARBOR TC, M30-39 GREATER ROCHESTER, M30-39 SAN FRANCISCO TC, M40-49 WEST VALLEY TC, M40-49 DALLAS MASTERS, M40-49 ANN ARBOR TC, M40-49 SHORE AC, M50-59 HUNTSVILLE TC, M50-59 WEST VALLEY TC, M50-59 NYC POLICE DEPT, M50-59 NY MASTERS, M50-59 SO CAL STRIDERS, M60-69 PHILADELPHIA MSTS, M70+ DALLAS MASTERS, 4 X 800 METER RELAY, M40-49 WEST VALLEY 'A', M40-49 CENTRAL PARK TC, M40-49 HOUSTON HARRIERS, M40-49 WEST VALLEY 'B', M40-49 NY PIONEERS, M50-59 SO CAL STRIDERS, M50-59 NEW YORK MASTERS, 5,000 METER RACEWALK, M30-39 PAL, M40-49 WEST VALLEY TC, M40-49 MID-AMERICA MSTS, M40-49 DALLAS MSTS, M40-49 PHILADELPHIA MSTS, M40-49 NY PIONEERS, M50-59 WEST VALLEY TC, M50-59 NY POLICE DEPT, M50-59 NY MASTERS, M70+ DALLAS MASTERS, 4 X 400 METER RELAY, M30-39 PAL, M40-49 WEST VALLEY TC, M40-49 MID-AMERICA MSTS, M40-49 DALLAS MSTS, M40-49 PHILADELPHIA MSTS, M40-49 NY PIONEERS, M50-59 WEST VALLEY TC, M50-59 NY POLICE DEPT, M50-59 NY MASTERS, M70+ DALLAS MASTERS.

Table with columns: DIV, NAME, STATE, TIME. Rows include F40-49 LIBERTY AC, M30-39 ALL-AMERICAN TC, M40-49 WEST VALLEY TC, M50-59 HUNTSVILLE TC, M60-69 PHILADELPHIA MSTS, M70+ DALLAS MASTERS, 4 X 800 METER RELAY, M40-49 WEST VALLEY 'A', M40-49 CENTRAL PARK TC, M40-49 HOUSTON HARRIERS, M40-49 WEST VALLEY 'B', M50-59 SO CAL STRIDERS, 5,000 METER RACEWALK, F30 GREEN, F35 CALKINS, F40 RICHARD, F40 FLETTRICH, F45 HARTZ, F50 RANDAZZO, F50 BAKER-MYEROWITZ, F60 CONLES, F65 JUREIDINI, F65 TALLMADGE, M35 FUNKHOUSER, M35 PAEGLIS, M35 LATTARULO, M35 SCHUSTER, M40 GODWIN, M40 PANTONI, M40 FREEMAN, M40 GOLDMAN, M40 SINGH, M45 PATRICK, M45 FINCH, M45 DAVIS, M50 GREEN, M50 SHILLING, M50 SPITZER, M50 DENMAN, M50 KAUFMAN, M50 GREY, M55 MYEROWITZ, M55 FINE, M55 VALIENTE, M55 GOLDBSTEIN, M60 HELLER.

Table with columns: DIV, NAME, STATE, TIME. Rows include M65 GOULD, M65 LIRIT, M65 JOHNSON, M65 LANGFELD, M65 BYAS, M70 TALLMADGE, M70 SEEGER, M70 BRAZIN, M75 FIKE, 20K RACEWALK, F30 LICHTER, F35 CALKINS, F40 FLETTRICH, F45 HARTZ, F50 LAVECK, F50 KELLY, F55 RUSH, F60 MARCELLA, F65 JUREIDINI, M35 FUNKHOUSER, M35 PAEGLIS, M35 SCHUSTER, M35 LATTARULO, M40 GODWIN, M40 FREEMAN, M45 FINCH, M45 DAVIS.

Table with columns: DIV, NAME, STATE, TIME. Rows include M50 GREEN, M50 SHILLING, M50 SPITZER, M50 DENMAN, M50 KAUFMAN, M55 HIGGINS, M55 MYEROWITZ, M55 FINE, M55 VALIENTE, M65 GOULD, M65 JOHNSON, M70 TALLMADGE, M70 BRAZIN.



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1986 TAC/USA MASTERS NATIONAL OUTDOOR PENTATHLON SHIPPENSBURG UNIVERSITY SHIPPENSBURG, PENNSYLVANIA JULY 13, 1986

Table with columns: Name, Age, State, LJ, JAV, 200, DIS, 1500, SCORE. Rows include Scott Thornsley, David Beshears, John Finnegan, Rich Watson, Peter Van Aken, Bill Forsyth, Larry Long, Jasper Royal, Bill Dawkins, Steve Kennedy, Ivan Black, Don Torok, Allan Ray, Rex Harvey, Bill Smith, Gordon Reiter, Rick Cummings, Tom Cronan, Neil Silver, Joel Liles, Noel Prussman, Gary Miller, Jack Gilmore, Haig Bohigian, Joe Hayes, David Martin, D. Skartvedt, Jerry Reiserer, Allan Cohen, Tom Bartenfeld, George Taylor, Ned Curran, Bob Roemer, Ed Lukens, Denver Smith, Don Harris, Boo Morecom, Ham Morningstar, Gil Gonzalez, Harry McArdle, Kathy Pierce.

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SHOT PUT table listing athletes like Robin Rosenbloom, Betty Clair-Searcy, Laurie Rothrock, etc.

DISCUS table listing athletes like Kathy Evans, Laurie Rothrock, Sandy Pashkin, etc.

HAMMER THROW table listing athletes like Robin Rosenbloom, Ed Daniels, Paul Corrigan, etc.

WEIGHT THROW table listing athletes like Carl Klehm, Hal Brossman, Ray Feick, etc.

JAVELIN table listing athletes like Francine Kaye, Laurie Rothrock, Joan Youngs, etc.

M45, M50 table listing athletes like Bill Simon, Rich Kaye, Carl Klehm, etc.



TEAMS table listing various athletic teams like Ann Arbor TC, Anderson TC, Brown Bottom TC, etc.

SOUTHEAST Sunshine State Games Tampa, Fla.; July 12

100m table listing athletes like M40 N Galley, M45 J Hickman, etc.

200m table listing athletes like M40 N Galley, M45 L Roach, etc.

400m table listing athletes like M40 N Galley, M45 J Hickman, etc.

800m table listing athletes like M40 D Bowden, M45 G Freyer, etc.

1600m table listing athletes like M40 D Bowden, M45 R Vlav, etc.

5000m table listing athletes like M40 H Rodriguez, M45 P Crelin, etc.

110mH table listing athletes like M45 J Miller, M50 R Houge, etc.

5000m Racewalk table listing athletes like M40 F Harrison, M45 G Hill, etc.

Shot Put table listing athletes like M40 Burroughs, M45 Bennett, etc.

Discus table listing athletes like M40 N Galley, M45 Topper, etc.

Javelin table listing athletes like M40 Hampton, M45 Manning, etc.

High Jump table listing athletes like M40 J Johnson, M45 L Judd, etc.

Pole Vault table listing athletes like M40 F Harris, M50 R Houge, etc.

Triple Jump table listing athletes like M40 M Glenn, M45 L Judd, etc.

MIDWEST Wolfpack TC Pentathlons Columbus, Ohio; May 25

Pentathlon(LJ, JT, 200, DT, 1500) table listing athletes like M35 A Ray, M40 R Houge, etc.

Weight Pentathlon table listing athletes like M30 R Meindl, M40 J Larsen, etc.

800g table listing athletes like M40 J Pearce, M45 J White, etc.

400m Relay table listing athletes like Druckrey, Miller, Bagneski, etc.

Weight Triathlon SP, DT, JT table listing athletes like M35 A Ray, M40 J Winterhalter, etc.

Individual Events table listing athletes like LJ W65 E Yeomans, M70 H Yeomans, etc.

56# Weight Throw table listing athletes like M30 R Meindl, M35 N Bower, etc.

Wisconsin United Meet Madison, Wisc.; June 21

100m table listing athletes like M30 M Blueford, R Zahn, etc.

200m table listing athletes like M30 M Blueford, R Zahn, etc.

400m table listing athletes like M30 R Hansbro, C Oehler, etc.

800m table listing athletes like M30 B Vermilyea, D Winzenreid, etc.

1500m table listing athletes like M30 D Mathews, M40 N Prussman, etc.

5000m table listing athletes like M30 R Green, D Winzenreid, etc.

110mH table listing athletes like M30 R Zahn, M35 S Druckrey, etc.

400m Relay table listing athletes like Druckrey, Miller, Bagneski, etc.

2 Mile Walk table listing athletes like M30 P Malek, M35 R Plumb, etc.

Pole Vault table listing athletes like M30 R Meekma, J Vann, etc.

Long Jump table listing athletes like M30 R Zahn, K Whitmore, etc.

Shot Put table listing athletes like M35 T Robert, M40 R Ten Eyck, etc.

Discus table listing athletes like M40 S Truckenbrod, John Hess, etc.

Javelin table listing athletes like M30 M Daniel, M40 R Brown, etc.

400mH table listing athletes like M30 S Druckrey, etc.

Midwest Masters Regional Track and Field Championship York High School, Elmhurst, Ill. Sat. July 12, 1986

10,000 Meters table listing athletes like M40-44 Robert Maszak, etc.

3,000 Meter Race Walk table listing athletes like M30-34 Greg Getzelman, etc.

60-64 Kathy Johnson table listing athletes like M30-34 Jim Gieseeman, etc.

110 Meter Hurdles table listing athletes like M30-34 Jim Gieseeman, etc.

800M table listing athletes like M30-34 Russell Dahl, etc.

400M Relay table listing athletes like Druckrey, Miller, Bagneski, etc.

100M table listing athletes like M30-34 Morris Blueford, Ken Paulson, etc.

M35-39 Greg Miller table listing athletes like Mike Davis, etc.

M40-44 David Lamm table listing athletes like E. Elbel, Doug Lewis, etc.

M45-49 Ron Dennis table listing athletes like L. Stopoulos, Al Ramsden, etc.

M50-54 Dobrovolny table listing athletes like P. Stopoulos, Jim Lipsky, etc.

M60-64 Glenn Bradd table listing athletes like Vernon Lewis, Chuck Olson, etc.

M65-69 Wib Ragland table listing athletes like Stan Druckrey, Bruce Miller, etc.

M70-74 John Dick table listing athletes like Glenn Bradd, etc.

M80-84 Morris Blueford table listing athletes like Bruce Abels, N. Allbritton, etc.

M85-89 Harry Brown table listing athletes like R. Richardson, R. Sergenian, etc.

M90-94 Harry Brown table listing athletes like Harry Brown, Harry Brown, etc.

M95-99 Harry Brown table listing athletes like Harry Brown, Harry Brown, etc.

M100-104 Harry Brown table listing athletes like Harry Brown, Harry Brown, etc.

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Table of athletic results including Javelin, Shot Put, Hammer, Discus, Long Jump, Pole Vault, Triple Jump, M30-34, M35-39, M40-44, M45-49, M50-54, M55-59, M60-64, M65-69, M70-74, M75-79.

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Table of athletic results including 75-79, 80+, 85+, 90+, 95+, 100+, 105+, 110+, 115+, 120+, 125+, 130+, 135+, 140+, 145+, 150+, 155+, 160+, 165+, 170+, 175+, 180+, 185+, 190+, 195+, 200+, 205+, 210+, 215+, 220+, 225+, 230+, 235+, 240+, 245+, 250+, 255+, 260+, 265+, 270+, 275+, 280+, 285+, 290+, 295+, 300+.

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MID-AMERICA Senior Olympics VII St. Louis, Mo; May 26-29

TRACK AND FIELD MEN 50 METER DASH 55-59 60-64 65-69 70-74 75+ MEN 100 METER DASH 105-110 115-120 125-130 135-140 145-150 155-160 165-170 175-180 185-190 195-200 205-210 215-220 225-230 235-240 245-250 255-260 265-270 275-280 285-290 295-300 305-310 315-320 325-330 335-340 345-350 355-360 365-370 375-380 385-390 395-400 405-410 415-420 425-430 435-440 445-450 455-460 465-470 475-480 485-490 495-500 505-510 515-520 525-530 535-540 545-550 555-560 565-570 575-580 585-590 595-600 605-610 615-620 625-630 635-640 645-650 655-660 665-670 675-680 685-690 695-700 705-710 715-720 725-730 735-740 745-750 755-760 765-770 775-780 785-790 795-800 805-810 815-820 825-830 835-840 845-850 855-860 865-870 875-880 885-890 895-900 905-910 915-920 925-930 935-940 945-950 955-960 965-970 975-980 985-990 995-1000

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Table with columns for JAVELIN MEN, JAVELIN WOMEN, DISCUS MEN, and DISCUS WOMEN. Lists names and scores for various age groups.

Table with columns for STANDING BROAD JUMP MEN and STANDING BROAD JUMP WOMEN. Lists names and scores for various age groups.

Table with columns for HAROLD E. PARSONS MEMORIAL WEIGHT PENTATHLON. Lists names, scores, and age groups.

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SOUTHWEST

Gulf Coast Masters Track Meet, Texas City, Texas, June 28

Table listing track meet results for Gulf Coast Masters Track Meet, including 50 dash, 100 dash, 200 dash, 400 dash, 800 dash, 1000 run, 400 relay, 50 dash (men), 100 dash (men), 200 dash (men), 400 dash (men), 800 dash (men), 1000 run (men), 400 relay (men).

Table listing track meet results for Shot put, Discus, Pole vault, Long jump, 400 relay (men).

Table listing track meet results for 50-54, 55-59, 60-64, 65-69, 70-74, 75+ age groups for Shot put, Discus, Pole vault, Long jump.

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Southwest Regional Masters Championships Houston, Texas; June 29

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Table of athletic events including Shot Put, Discus, Javelin, and 5k Walk with names and times.

Small table listing names and times for M55 John Kelly, Joe Weston, and John Gallagher.

TAC Western Regional Masters T&F Championships, U.C., Berkeley, July 5-6, 1986

Main table of results for TAC Western Regional Masters T&F Championships, U.C., Berkeley, July 5-6, 1986.

Table of athletic events including 400 Meters, 800 Meters, 1500 Meters, and 4 X 100 Relay.

Table of athletic events including 2000 Meters, 5000 Meters, 4 X 200 Relay, and Javelin.

Table of athletic events including Discus, Shot, High Jump, Long Jump, and other events.

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Hammer

Table listing hammer throw results for various age groups and athletes, including G. Kelmanson, L. Higgins, J. Weston, etc.

56 lb. Hammer

Table listing 56 lb hammer throw results for F. Stewart Thomson and Eob Bachus.

Triple Jump

Table listing triple jump results for E. Moore, R. Shields, G. Schmidt, etc.

Pole Vault

Table listing pole vault results for E. Seese, R. Ying, G. Kreis, etc.

NORTHWEST

Silverton Runner's Club Senior Olympics, Silverton, Oregon May 24

Men's results:

Detailed text listing men's results for various events like 400m, 1500m, 5 mile run, long jump, high jump, pole vault, hammer, and javelin.

Shot put — (age 45-49) 1, Sposito 27.2; (age 50-54) 1, Schlewitz 33.3. (age 65-69) 1, Hintz 23.4. (age 70-74) 1, Ross Carter 44.3; 2, Coleman 28-11.

Women's results: Shot put — (age 65-69) 1, Claire Coleman 20.7.

Discus — (age 45-49) 1, Marti Thielman 55-6. (age 65-69) Coleman 45-9. 100 — (age 45-49) 1, Thielman 16.24. (age 60-64) 1, Jean Peterman 25.90.

Northwest Regional Masters & Sub-Masters Track & Field Championships Mt. Hood CC, Gresham, OR July 11-12, 1986

100 Meter - Men 30-34 1-Brian Valley 11.32 2-Stephen Heilman 11.54

35-39 1-Jack Casey 11.60 2-Michael Barmache 11.76 3-Wayne Gripp 12.22 4-Bruce Webber 12.66 5-Harvey Baker 12.83 6-Frank Lulich 13.26

40-44 1-Salmon Tamani 11.56 2-Emil Torquato 11.99 3-Ron Jensen 12.14 4-John Hanan 13.10 5-Brian Fendrich 13.40

45-49 1-Paul Edens 11.33 2-Bob Miller 11.85 3-Stan Sposito 12.12 4-Joe Thielman 12.28 5-Don Worrall 12.71 6-Lew Thorne 12.98 7-Wayne Sandvold 12.98 8-Paul Stepan 13.01

50-54 1-Dick Glasgow 12.28 2-Harold Hitt 12.51 3-Ralphe Stanfield 12.57 4-Jim Schlewitz 13.31 5-Art Afremow 13.73 6-Jerry Stanners 13.78 7-Donald Gray 14.42

55-59 1-John Poppell 12.45 2-Tom Norwood 14.34 60-64 1-Wm Bronson 13.45 2-Albert Johnson 13.56 3-Cal Boyd 13.89

65-69 1-Bernard Hogan 12.70 2-Robert Hunt 14.33 3-Jim Martin 19.52 70-74 1-John Satti 14.87 75-79 1-Hank Shinkosky 17.61 2-A.J. Puglizevich 18.41 3-Bud Deacon 18.52

80 + 1-Lew Thorne 24.51

100 Meter - Women 30-34 1-Penny Farster-Gilkey 12.77 40-44 1-Rose Schlewitz 16.91 45-49 1-Marti Thielman 15.88 50-54 1-Caroline MacLeod 15.23 60-64 1-Virginia Martin 20.89 2-Dorothy Torney 21.10 65-69 1-Irene Crane 22.92 2-Marjorie Hunt 25.02 75-79 1-Marilla Salisbury 29.09

200 Meter - Men 30-34 1-Dave Hagmeter 23.64 2-Stephen Heilman 24.44 35-39 1-Jac. Casey 24.36 2-Michael Barmache 24.56 3-Wayne Gripp 24.56 4-John North 25.06 5-Bruce Webber 26.66 6-Frank Lulich 27.46

Table listing various track events for men and women, including 400m, 800m, 1500m, and 200m walk.

Table listing 200 Meter - Women results for Penny Farster-Gilkey, Janet Sherman, Carolyn Wood, etc.

Table listing 400 Meters - Men results for Wayne Gripp, Frank Lulich, Salmon Tamani, etc.

Table listing 400 Meter Hurdles - Men results for Harvey Baker, Jim McAbee, Scott MacTarnahan, etc.

Table listing 3000 Steeple - Men results for Scott MacTarnahan, Bob Langenbach, John Hepner, etc.

Table listing High Jump - Men results for Gregory West, Stephen Heilman, Robert Richter, etc.

Table listing 400 Meters - Women results for Penny Farster-Gilkey, Janet Sherman, Rose Schlewitz, etc.

Table listing 800 Meters - Men results for Dave Hodges, Wayne Gripp, Richard Tucker, etc.

Table listing 800 Meters - Women results for Janet Sherman, Lori Schutt, Susan Means, etc.

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Table listing 110 HH - Men results for Steve Heilman, Lew Thorne, Jerry Stanners, etc.

Table listing 400 Meter Hurdles - Men results for Harvey Baker, Jim McAbee, Scott MacTarnahan, etc.

Table listing 3000 Steeple - Men results for Scott MacTarnahan, Bob Langenbach, John Hepner, etc.

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LONG DISTANCE RESULTS

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TAC National Masters Marathon Championship and Capital City Marathon, Olympia, Wash. July 27

Table of marathon results for TAC National Masters Marathon Championship and Capital City Marathon, Olympia, Wash. July 27. Columns include rank, name, age, time, and location.

TEAMS men 40-49

- List of team results for men 40-49, including Snohomish Track Club of Seattle, Oregon Road Runners Club, and Pacific Flyers.

Table of individual results for M40, M45, M50, M55, and M60 age groups.

Results from: Carole Langenbach

TAC National Masters 10K Championships Asbury Park, N.J. August 9

Table of 10K race results for TAC National Masters 10K Championships, Asbury Park, N.J. August 9. Columns include rank, name, age, state, and time.

Table of 10K race results for age groups 50-59, 60-69, and 70-79.

Table of 10K race results for age groups 60-69, 70-79, and 80 plus.

Table of 10K race results for age groups 70-79, 80 plus, and 85 plus.

WOMEN MASTERS AGE 40-49:

Table of women's 10K race results for age groups 40-49, 50-59, 60-69, 70-79, and 80 plus.

Table of 10K race results for age groups 30-39, 40-49, and 50-59.

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Table of 10K race results for age groups 80 plus, 85 plus, and 90 plus.

Table of 10K race results for age groups 90 plus, 95 plus, and 100 plus.

NEW ENGLAND

Table of Firecracker 4 Mile race results in Wickford, R.I., July 4.

EAST

Table of Randazzo Run 5K race results in Long Island, N.Y., June 1.

Gay Pride Run 8K Central Park, NYC, June 28

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Utica Boilermaker 15K Utica, N.Y., July 13

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Cascades 10K Jackson, Michigan July 20

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MIDWEST

Famous Barr Steamboat Classic 15K/4 Mile Peoria, Ill., June 14

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---4 Mile---

Table of 4 Mile race results.

from Dan Shea, Illinois Valley Striders

Table of various race results including Cascades 10K and other events.

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MID-AMERICA

Grandma's Marathon Duluth, Minn.; June 21

Table with 2 columns: Name and Time. Includes runners like R Supham, J Custy, J Viholmen, etc.

SOUTHEAST

Summer Breeze 5K Charlotte, S.C.; July 11

Table with 2 columns: Name and Time. Includes runners like C Fox, K Huekler, M40 J Deni, etc.

SOUTHWEST

State of Oklahoma TAC 8K Championship Oklahoma City July 19

Table with 3 columns: Name, Age, Time. Lists winners and participants for the Oklahoma TAC 8K Championship.

WEST

Heart/Caan Run Marathon Ventura, Calif.; May 4

Overall table for Heart/Caan Run Marathon. Includes runners like B Nelson, P Brown, M40+P Drobny, etc.

Carlsbad 5000 Elite Carlsbad, Calif.; June 1

Overall table for Carlsbad 5000 Elite. Includes runners like Steve Scott, Pattisue Plummer, M40 S Myhro, etc.



San Francisco Marathon July 20

Large table with columns: RACE, PLACE, NAME, HOMETOWN, AGE, TIME, PACE. Lists marathon results for San Francisco.

Flower Festival 10K San Diego, Calif.; June 15

Overall table for Flower Festival 10K. Includes runners like T Cotton, A Cabrera, M35 R Wells, etc.

Western States 100-Mile Endurance Run Squaw Valley to Auburn, California June 28

Table with 3 columns: Rank, Name, Time. Lists participants for the Western States 100-Mile Endurance Run.

NORTHWEST

Seattle Senior Sports Festival Seattle, Wash.; June 7

Table with 2 columns: Name and Time. Lists results for the Seattle Senior Sports Festival.

3,000 meter race walk

Table with 2 columns: Name and Time. Lists results for the 3,000 meter race walk.

Cascade Run Off 15K Portland, Ore.; June 29

Overall table for Cascade Run Off 15K. Includes runners like A Barrios, L Moller, M35 D Paul, etc.

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Providence Point's Not Over The Hill 5 Mile (50+) Issaquah, Wash.; July 12

Overall table for Providence Point's Not Over The Hill 5 Mile.

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INTERNATIONAL

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During your visit we will show you the holy sites which you have read about in your bible. You will be able to enjoy the different cultures of our people. The music and dancing of this very young, and yet so very old, country will thrill you and leave you with wonderful memories.

There will be a choice of three Championship events. The distances will be 10km and 25km and Cross Country.

The Championships will be held during the festive period of Purim, a holiday celebrated with fancy dress parades, music and dancing. There will be folklore evenings, parties and ceremonies.

Both 10km and 25km races will be run on smooth, wide, asphalt roads. The courses will be accurate and conducive to fast times.

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ENTRIES are open to all Women over the age of 35 and all Men over 40 years of age on the day of the race. Age categories will be as follows:

- Women:
 - W35 — 35-39 years
 - W40 — 40-44 years
 - W45 — 45-49 years
 - W50 — 50-54 years
 - W55 — 55-59 years
 - W60 — 60-64 years
 - W65 — 65-69 years
 - W70 — 70-74 years
 - W75 — 75 and older.
- Men:
 - M40 — 40-44 years
 - M45 — 45-49 years
 - M50 — 50-54 years
 - M55 — 55-59 years
 - M60 — 60-64 years
 - M65 — 65-69 years
 - M70 — 70-74 years
 - M75 — 75-79 years
 - M80 — 80 and older.

AWARDS will be presented to the first three individuals in each 5-year age group in all races. Specially designed medals and certificates will be awarded to all finishers in all races.

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