

— Oslo Diamond League: Usain Bolts —

by **Winston Sinclair**

Oslo, Norway, June 7—Both of last year’s IAAF AOYs, Usain Bolt and Sally Pearson, emerged victorious at the ExxonMobil Bissett Games, the fifth stop on the Samsung Diamond League circuit. But they had to

a good duel between [us] and I know he is strong at the start. It’s about technique and execution, so I know this won’t be a problem [in Oslo].”

Indeed, Powell—clad in fluorescent yellow spikes—got the best start ahead of

was alright. Now I’m going home to top things up. I’ll look to go fast [at] the trials.”

Powell said, “It was an awesome race. I was there until 85 meters, then my legs got tired. Usain is a lot stronger at the end, so that was it. But it’s good to go to the Trials

with such a fast time.

It gives me confidence.”

Bolt ran his career 100 record versus Powell to 11–1, the last 10 coming consecutively.

Powell last prevailed in Stockholm in ‘08.

Pearson needed some 29 hours to get from Australia to Norway for her first European meet on the road to London. After heptathlon star Jessica Ennis false started out of



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Bolt's 9.79 equaled the No. 8 time of his career

work for their wins.

Jamaican superstar Bolt—also *T&FN*’s AOY choice—ran hard for a 9.79 victory ahead of countryman Asafa Powell’s 9.85 and just 0.03 shy of his season-leading clocking a week ago in Rome.

Australia’s Pearson—2nd in our women’s voting behind Kenyan distance star Vivian Cheruiyot—sliced over the 100 hurdles in 12.49 to match her world-pacing effort from early March and hold off the 12.56 PR by young American Kristi Castlin.

After Bolt bested Powell (9.91) in Rome, the World Record holder had said, “It was

islander Lerone Clarke with Bolt a fraction farther back. Bolt needed only a few strides to gobble up Clarke, but didn’t rein in Powell until around the 60-meter mark.

Then Bolt’s ground-eating strides gave him a narrow lead and the Olympic champion kept pumping his arms all the way to the line—which he needed to do since Powell did the same instead of his usual ease-off in the final meters. Powell’s 9.85 is his seasonal best; Clarke followed well back at 10.10.

“I really enjoyed it!” Bolt enthused about his final race before Jamaica’s Olympic Trials on the last weekend in June. “My execution

the final, Pearson got her usual sharp and was never really challenged.

Castlin ran a strong 2nd the entire race. The 23-year-old Virginia Tech grad sliced 0.12 off the 12.68 PR she had run in early May in the Cayman Islands.

Beijing silver winner Pearson said, “I’m a

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2012 Men's World Leaders

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Track Events

100.....	9.76.....	Usain Bolt (Jamaica)
200.....	19.91.....	Yohan Blake (Jamaica)
400.....	44.19.....	LaShawn Merritt (US)
800.....	1:41.74.....	David Rudisha (Kenya)
1500.....	3:29.63.....	Silas Kiplagat (Kenya)
Mile.....	3:49.22.....	Asbel Kiprop (Kenya)
Steeple....	7:54.31.....	Paul Keoch (Kenya)
3000.....	7:29.94i.....	Augustine Choge (Kenya)
.....	7:29.94i.....	Edwin Soi (Kenya)
5000.....	12:56.98.....	Mo Farah (Great Britain)
10,000.....	27:01.98.....	Wilson Kiprop (Kenya)
110H.....	12.97.....	Xiang Liu (China)
400H.....	47.92.....	Javier Culson (Puerto Rico)

Road Events

½-Mar.....	58:47.....	Atsedu Tsegay (Ethiopia)
Mar.....	2:04:23.....	Ayele Abshero (Ethiopia)
20W.....	1:17:30.....	Alex Schwazer (Italy)
50W.....	3:38:08.....	Sergey Kiryapkin (Russia)

Relay Events

4 x 100.....	37.82.....	Racers TC (Jamaica)
4 x 200.....	1:21.21.....	Texas A&M (US)
4 x 400.....	3:00.02.....	Florida (US)
4 x 800.....	7:15.99.....	Texas A&M (US)
4 x Mile.....	16:16.79.....	Princeton (US)
SpMed.....	3:16.46.....	Georgia
DisMed....	9:19.31.....	USA Blue Penn
4 x 1H.....	54.30.....	Star Athletics (US)

Field Events

HJ.....	7-9¼ 2.37i.....	Mutaz Essa Barshim (Qatar)
.....	7-9¼ 2.37.....	Ivan Ukhov (Russia)
PV.....	19-6¼ 5.95i.....	Renaud Lavillenie (France)
LJ.....	27-4¾ 8.35.....	Greg Rutherford (Great Britain)
TJ.....	58-1 17.70i.....	Will Claye (US)
SP.....	72-2¼ 22.00i.....	Ryan Whiting (US)
DT.....	231-10 70.66.....	Robert Harting (Germany)
HT.....	271-8 82.81.....	Ivan Tikhon (Belarus)
JT.....	289-1 88.11 ..	Vítězslav Veselý (Czech Republic)
Dec.....	8519.....	Hans Van Alphen (Belgium)

bit jet-lagged but I'm doing well. I like being chased. It keeps me hungry. I'm not feeling pressure because I'm feeling confident."

In the 5000, 10 of Ethiopia's best battled to determine places for London. By the last lap, and especially in the final straight, Dejen Gebremeskel and Hagos Gebrhiwet traded sprint strides like Bolt and Powell. Worlds bronze medalist Gebremeskel used a 54.36 final circuit to just hold off his teammate

by 0.07 at 12:58.92. The 12:58.99 PR by Gebrhiwet held 2nd ahead of Imane Merga (12:59.77).

Next in 4th and 5th came the Bekele brothers, Tariku (13:00.41) ahead of Kenenisa (13:00.54). Whether the WR holder will be chosen to defend his Olympic title remains to be seen.

In the men's Dream Mile, Asbel Kiprop clocked a season-leading 3:49.22 to win

2012 Women's World Leaders

Track Events

100.....	10.81.....	Carmelita Jeter (US)
200.....	22.09.....	Sanya Richards-Ross (US)
400.....	49.39.....	Sanya Richards-Ross (US)
800.....	1:56.94.....	Pamela Jelimo (Kenya)
1500.....	3:56.54.....	Abeba Arigawi (Ethiopia)
Mile.....	4:28.41i.....	Sally Kipyego (Kenya)
Steeple....	9:07.14.....	Milcah Chemos (Kenya)
3000.....	8:31.56i.....	Meseret Defar (Ethiopia)
5000.....	14:35.62.....	Vivian Cheruiyot (Kenya)
10,000 30:	24.39.....	Tirunesh Dibaba (Ethiopia)
100H.....	12.49.....	Sally Pearson (Australia)
.....	12.49.....	Pearson
400H.....	53.87.....	Irina Davydova (Russia)

Road Events

Half-Mar...	66:38.....	Florence Kiplagat (Kenya)
Mar.....	2:18:37.....	Mary Keitany (Kenya)
20W.....	1:25:27.....	Elmira Alembekova (Russia)

Relay Events

4 x 100.....	42.19.....	USA Red Penn
4 x 200.....	1:30.01.....	LSU
4 x 400.....	3:21.18.....	USA Red Penn
4 x 800.....	8:15.57i.....	Moscow (Russia)
4 x 1500...	17:29.00.....	Oregon
SpMed.....	3:42.85.....	USA Blue
DisMed....	10:55.01i.....	Washington
4 x 1H.....	52.38.....	Star Athletics (US)

Field Events

HJ.....	6-9 2.06i.....	Anna Chicherova (Russia)
PV.....	16-5¼ 5.01i.....	Yelena Isinbaeva (Russia)
LJ.....	23-8¾ 7.23i.....	Brittney Reese (US)
TJ.....	49-¾ 14.95(A)...	Caterina Ibargüen (Colombia)
(lo-alt)....	48-8¼ 14.84i.....	Olga Rypakova (Kazakhstan)
SP.....	69-0 21.03.....	Valerie Adams (New Zealand)
DT.....	226-0 68.89.....	Nadine Müller (Germany)
HT.....	256-6 78.19.....	Oksana Menkova (Belarus)
JT.....	227-6 69.35.....	Sunette Viljoen (South Africa)
Hept.....	6906.....	Jessica Ennis (Great Britain)

from fellow Kenyan Caleb Ndiku (3:50.00) and Ethiopia's Mekonnen Gebremedhin (3:50.02).

Over the 400 hurdles, Puerto Rico's Javier Culson trimmed 0.08 off his world-leading time as his 47.92 won comfortably from Trinidad's Jehue Gordon (48.78). World champion Dai Greene ran 48.98 for 4th and the Briton—who pulled out of Rome last week due to a stomach virus—said, "That wasn't a good race for me. I pushed hard for 250 meters and had nothing left."

2012 U.S. Men's Leaders

Track Events

100.....	9.87.....	Justin Gatlin (unattached)
200.....	19.95.....	Wallace Spearmon (Saucony)
400.....	44.19.....	LaShawn Merritt (Nike)
800.....	1:44.32.....	Nick Symmonds (Oregon TC)
1500.....	3:34.11.....	Russell Brown (Oregon TC)
Mile.....	3:52.01.....	David Torrence (Nike)
Steeple....	8:19.14.....	Donn Cabral (Princeton)
3000.....	7:33.45+i.....	Galen Rupp (Oregon TC)
5000.....	12:58.90.....	Galen Rupp (Oregon TC)
10,000.....	27:31.38.....	Chris Derrick (Stanford)
110H.....	13.03.....	Aries Merritt (Reebok)
400H.....	48.20.....	Bershawn Jackson (Nike)

Road Events

½-Mar.....	61:30.....	Scott Bauhs (adidas)
Mar.....	2:09:08.....	Meb Keflezighi (New York AC)
20W.....	1:22:13.....	Trevor Barron (New York AC)
50W.....	4:04:38.....	John Nunn (US Army)

Relay Events

4 x 100.....	38.30.....	Auburn
4 x 200.....	1:21.21.....	Texas A&M
4 x 400.....	3:00.02.....	Florida
4 x 800.....	7:15.99.....	Texas A&M
4 x Mile.....	16:16.79.....	Princeton
SpMed.....	3:17.25.....	Iowa
DisMed....	9:19.31.....	USA Blue Penn
4 x 1H.....	54.30.....	Star Athletics

Field Events

HJ.....	7-8¾ 2.36.....	Jesse Williams (Nike)
PV.....	19-2¾ 5.86(A)i.....	Brad Walker (Nike)
(lo-alt)....	19-¼ 5.80i.....	Walker
LJ.....	27-¾ 8.25.....	Will Claye (Nike)
TJ.....	58-1 17.70i.....	Will Claye (Nike)
SP.....	72-2¼ 22.00i.....	Ryan Whiting (Nike)
DT.....	214-9 65.46.....	Russ Winger (Asics)
HT.....	249-3 75.97.....	Michael Mai (US Army)
JT.....	271-5 82.73.....	Sean Furey (Mizuno)
Dec.....	8067.....	Isaac Murphy (Texas)

— Oslo Samsung DL —

Bislett Games; Oslo, Norway, June 7—
100(0.6): 1. Bolt (Jam) 9.79 <9.82 [x,
=19 W>; 2. Powell (Jam) 9.85; 3. Clarke
(Jam) 10.10;

4. J. Warner (Can) 10.20; 5. Magakwe (SA)
10.30; 6. Devonish (GB) 10.40; 7. Cerutti (Ita)
10.52;... dq—Lewis-Francis (GB).

400(non-DL): 1. Levine (GB) 45.11 PR; 2.
Wissman (Swe) 46.24.

800(non-DL): 1. Warburton (GB) 1:44.98
PR (51.06, 1:18.36); 2. Learmonth (GB)
1:47.14 PR; 3. Svensson (Swe) 1:47.31 PR.

1500(non-DL): 1. Makhloufi (Alg) 3:33.26
(2:51.37); 2. Hallil (Alg) 3:36.84 PR; 3.
Sandells (Fin) 3:38.08 PR; 4. Vojta (Aut)
3:38.09.

Mile: **1. Kiprof (Ken) 3:49.22 (WL)**
(2:52.01); 2. Ndiku (Ken) 3:50.00; 3.
Gebremedhin (Eth) 3:50.02; 4. Gathimba
(Ken) 3:50.24 PR; 5. Laâlou (Mor) 3:50.43;
6. Magut (Ken) 3:50.68 PR; 7. Birgen (Ken)
3:50.73; **8. Driouch (Qat) 3:50.90 PR (8, 8**
WJ); 9. Wote (Eth) 3:53.02 PR;

10. Gregson (Aus) 3:53.62; 11. Komen
(Ken) 3:53.90; 12. Ingebrigtsen (Nor) 3:57.35
PR;... dnf—Kombich (Ken);... rabbit—A.

2012 U.S. Women's Leaders

Track Events

100.....	10.81.....	Carmelita Jeter (Nike)
200.....	22.09.....	Sanya Richards-Ross (Nike)
400.....	49.39.....	Sanya Richards-Ross (Nike)
800.....	1:57.37.....	Alysia Montaño (Nike)
1500.....	4:01.59.....	Morgan Uceny (adidas)
Mile.....	4:28.48i.....	Katie Flood (Washington)
Steeple....	9:25.28.....	Emma Copburn (unattached)
3000.....	8:50.95.....	Liz Maloy (New Balance)
5000.....	15:08.52.....	Julia Lucas (Oregon TC)
10,000.....	31:19.87.....	Amy Hastings (Brooks)
100H.....	12.55.....	Kellie Wells (Nike)
400H.....	54.80.....	Lashinda Demus (Nike)

Road Events

½-Mar.....	68:52.....	Shalane Flanagan (Nike)
Mar.....	2:25:38.....	Shalane Flanagan (Nike)
20W.....	1:35:56.....	Maria Michta (Walk USA)

Relay Events

4 x 100.....	42.19.....	USA Red Penn
4 x 200.....	1:31.28.....	Texas A&M
4 x 400.....	3:21.18.....	USA Red Penn
4 x 800.....	8:27.04.....	Tennessee
4 x 1500... 17:40.99.....		Georgetown
SpMed.....	3:42.85.....	USA Blue
DisMed....	10:55.01i.....	Washington
4 x 1H.....	52.38 ¶.....	Star Athletics

Field Events

HJ.....	6-7½ 2.02i.....	Chaunté Lowe (Nike)
PV.....	16-0 4.88i.....	Jenn Suhr (adidas)
LJ.....	23-8¾ 7.23i.....	Brittney Reese (Nike)
TJ.....	45-9¾ 13.96.....	Erica McLain (Nike)
SP.....	65-3¼ 19.89i....	Jill Camarena-Williams (NYAC)
DT.....	222-3 67.74 ¶.....	Stephanie Brown Trafton (Nike)
HT.....	243-5 74.19 ¶.....	Jessica Cosby (Nike)
JT.....	200-4 61.06.....	Rachel Yurkovich (Nike)
Hept.....	6337.....	Sharon Day (Asics)

Rotich (Ken) (54.53, 57.08 [1:51.61]).

5000: 1. Gebremeskel (Eth) 12:58.92; 2.
Gebrihiwet (Eth) 12:58.99 PR; 3. Merga (Eth)
12:59.77; 4. T. Bekele (Eth) 13:00.41; 5. K.
Bekele (Eth) 13:00.54;

6. Kipsiro (Uga) 13:00.68; 7. Sihine (Eth)
13:01.39; 8. Demelash (Eth) 13:03.30 PR;
9. Alamirew (Eth) 13:08.12; 10. Atnafu (Eth)
13:08.13 PR;

11. Bett (Ken) 13:08.35 PR (10:32.47);
12. Kuma (Eth) 13:09.32; 13. Rotich (Ken)
13:09.58; 14. Gabius (Ger) 13:13.43 PR;
15. Weldeaslasi (Eri) 13:17.25;

16. Blincoe (NZ) 13:26.43; 17. Kwalia
(Qat) 13:31.63; 18. Gelant (SA) 13:32.21;
19. Buraas (Nor) 13:39.81;... rabbits—V.
Rono (Ken) (2:33.81, 5:16.55); Ndiwa (Ken)

(7:51.61).

110H(1.0): 1. Fourie (SA) 13.69; 2. Deghelt (Bel) 13.73; 3. Vukicevic (Nor) 13.88.

400H: 1. **Culson (PR) 47.92 (WL)**; 2. Gordon (Tri) 48.78; 3. Gaymon (US) 48.97; 4. Greene (GB) 48.98;

5. Fredericks (SA) 49.16; 6. Green (GB) 49.70; 7. Yates (GB) 50.46; 8. Fleischhauer (Ger) 50.55.

Field Events

PV: 1. Lavillenie (Fra) 19-1 (5.82) (18-1¼ [2], 18-9¼ [3], 19-1, 19-5 [xxx]) (5.52 [2], 5.72 [3], 5.82, 5.92 [xxx]);

2. Mohr (Ger) 18-5¼ (5.62); 3. Michalski (Pol) 18-1¼ (5.52); 4. Borges (Cub) 18-1¼; 5. Jeng (Swe) 17-9¼ (5.42); 6. Otto (Ger) 17-9¼; 7. Clavier (Fra) 17-9¼;... nh—da Silva (Bra), Mazuryk (Ukr) & Wojciechowski (Pol).

TJ: 1. Adams (Rus) 56-1 (17.09) (f, f, 56-1, 55-2¾, 55-5½, 54-11¼) (f, f, 17.09, 16.83, 16.90, 16.74);

2. Taylor (US) 55-11¼ (17.06) (55-7½, 54-10¾, 55-7¾, 55-11¼, 54-9½, 55-5½) (16.95, 16.73, 16.96, 17.06, 16.70, 16.90);

3. El-Sheryf (Ukr) 55-10½ (17.03); 4. Compaoré (Fra) 55-5½ (16.90); 5. P. Nielsen (Den) 55-4¾w (16.88) (54-4/16.56);

6. Copello (Cub) 54-9½ (16.70); 7. Hernández (Cub) 53-7¾ (16.35); 8. Achike (GB) 52-10¾ (16.12).

SP: 1. Majewski (Pol) 70-1 (21.36) (67-6¾, f, 68-9¼, 69-5¼, 70-1, 68-9¼) (20.59, f, 20.96, 21.16, 21.36, 20.96);

2. Armstrong (Can) 68-3¾ (20.82); 3. Storl (Ger) 67-10¾ (20.69); 4. Christensen (Den) 64-7¼ (19.69); 5. Fortes (Por) 64-2¼ (19.56); 6. Thorsteinsson (Ice) 61-2¾ (18.66); 7. L. Arrhenius (Swe) 61-¾ (18.61).

JT: 1. **Vesely (CzR) 289-1 (88.11) PR (WL) (272-6, 268-0, 289-1, 262-4, p, p) (83.07, 81.70, 88.11, 79.96, p, p)**;

2. Avan (Tur) 275-0 (83.82); 3. Thorkildsen (Nor) 270-0 (82.30); 4. Mannio (Fin) 269-8 (82.20); 5. de Zordo (Ger) 267-2 (81.44);

6. Vasiļevskis (Lat) 265-7 (80.96); 7. Farquhar (NZ) 258-8 (78.84); 8. Zaytsev (Uzb) 255-3 (77.81); 9. Pitkämäki (Fin) 241-4 (73.57).

OSLO DL WOMEN

100(-1.2) (non-DL): 1. Okparaebo (Nor) 11.31; 2. C. Williams (US) 11.44; 3. Brooks (Jam) 11.44; 4. Asumnu (Ngr) 11.44; 5. Douglas (GB) 11.55; 6. Townsend (US) 11.56.

200(1.5): 1. Ahoure (CI) 22.42 NR; 2. Oyepitan (GB) 22.71; 3. Williams 22.75; 4. Ryemyen (Ukr) 22.78;

5. Brooks (Jam) 23.16; 6. Stewart (Jam) 23.19; 7. Simpson (Jam) 23.32.

400: 1. Montsho (Bot) 49.68 (*third fastest of career*); 2. Hall (Jam) 50.71 PR; 3. Dunn (US) 51.22; 4. Antyukh (Rus) 51.51;

5. Williams (Jam) 51.56; 6. Hjelmer (Swe) 51.99; 7. Gayot (Fra) 52.47; 8. Sanders (GB) 52.79.

1500: 1. Aregawi (Eth) 4:02.42; 2. G. Dibaba (Eth) 4:03.28; 3. Mishchenko (Ukr) 4:03.33; 4. Obiri (Ken) 4:04.42; 5. Lakhouad (Mor) 4:04.45; 6. Uceny (US) 4:05.30;

7. Måkestad Bovim (Nor) 4:06.31 (3:17.91); 8. Pierce (US) 4:06.91; 9. Twell (GB) 4:07.49; 10. Plis (Pol) 4:07.87;

11. Klocová (Svk) 4:07.99 NR; 12. Fernández (Spa) 4:08.82;... rabbit—Luchkina (Rus) (65.62, 68.32 [2:13.94]).

St: 1. **Chemos (Ken) 9:07.14 NR (WL) (4, 5 W) (6:08.83 WL)**; 2. **Assefa (Eth) 9:09.00 NR (7, x W)**; 3. **H. Ayalew (Eth) 9:09.61 PR (9, x W)**;

4. Njoroge (Ken) 9:25.21; 5. Chepkurui (Ken) 9:27.40 (3:01.86); 6. Krause (Ger) 9:33.10; 7. Rotich (Ken) 9:33.19;

8. Adamu (Eth) 9:36.40; 9. McColgan (GB) 9:38.45 PR; 10. Bekele (Eth) 9:39.09; 11. Hofstede (Hol) 10:21.29.

100H(0.7): 1. **Pearson (Aus) 12.49 (=WL)**; 2. Castlin (US) 12.56 PR (14, x A); 3. Porter (GB) 12.70;

4. Lopes-Schliep (Can) 12.74; 5. Jones (US) 12.75; 6. Carruthers (US) 12.76; 7. Urech (Swi) 13.15;... dq—Ennis (GB).

400H(non-DL): 1. Barr (Ire) 56.73.

Field Events

HJ: 1. Lowe (US) 6-5½ (1.97) (5-10¾, 6-¾, 6-2¾, 6-4, 6-4¾ [2], 6-5½, 6-6¼ [xxx]) (1.80, 1.85, 1.90, 1.93, 1.95 [2], 1.97, 1.99 [xxx]);

2. Hellebaut (Bel) 6-4 (1.93); 3. Aitova (Kaz) 6-2¾ (1.90); 4. tie, Iljustsenko (Est) & Beitia (Spa) 6-2¾.

LJ: 1. Kucherenko (Rus) 22-10w (6.96) (22-10w, 21-5¼w, 22-5¾w,

21-0, p, f) (6.96w, 6.53w, 6.85w, 6.40, p, f); 2. Sokolova (Rus) 22-7¼w (6.89) (22-7¼w, p, 22-2¼, 22-6¼, 22-5¼, 22-4½) (6.89w, p, 6.76, 6.86, 6.84, 6.82);

3. DeLoach (US) 22-1 (6.73) (21-8, 21-11, 21-3¼, f, 22-1, 22-3) (6.60, 6.68, 6.48, f, 6.73, 6.78);

4. Proctor (GB) 21-4¼ (6.51); 5. Spanović (Ser) 21-3¼ (6.48); 6. Radeviča (Lat) 21-2¼w (6.46) (21-½/6.41); 7. Zaytseva (Rus) 19-11 (6.07).

DT: 1. Perković (Cro) 212-10 (64.89) (207-8, 208-6, f, 212-10, 208-11, f) (63.31, 63.56, f, 64.89, 63.69, f);

2. Müller (Ger) 208-8 (63.60); 3. Barrios (Cub) 208-6 (63.57); 4. Glanc (Pol) 206-8 (63.00); 5. Artić (Mol) 191-5 (58.35); 6. Grasu (Rom) 186-0 (56.71).

— International Circuit —

EURO CUP 10KS

Bilbao, Spain, June 3—

Teams: 1. Spain 1:24:45.71; 2. Portugal 1:26:13.34; 3. France 1:26:33.60.

10,000: 1. Arikan (Tur) 27:56.28 PR; 2. Lamdassem (Spa) 28:04.22; 3. Castillejo (Spa) 28:07.50; 4. Penas (Spa) 28:33.99; 5. La Rosa (Ita) 28:34.54.

Women's Teams: 1. Great Britain 1:36:25.47; 2. Italy 1:36:40.13; 3. Portugal 1:36:51.26.

10,000: 1. Moreira (Por) 31:23.51 PR; 2. Pavey (GB) 31:32.22; 3. Daunay (Fra) 31:35.81 NR; 4. Mockenhaupt (Ger) 31:36.76; 5. Ejafani (Ita) 31:45.14 PR;

6. Straneo (Ita) 32:15.87 PR; 7. Purdue (GB) 32:18.44; 8. Dias (Por) 32:20.89; 9. Steel (GB) 32:34.81 PR; 10. Romagnolo (Ita) 32:39.12 PR.

BELLINZONA

Bellinzona, Switzerland, June 5—

100(-0.2): 1. Sanneh (Gam) 10.27.

400: 1. Boyd (US) 46.14.

1500: 1. Polonet (Ken) 3:41.17.

110H(-0.4): 1. Abate (Ita) 13.35; 2. Pozzi (GB) 13.38; 3. Sharman (GB) 13.63.

DT: 1. Alekna (Lit) 225-8 (68.79) (222-1, 225-8, f, f, 214-5, 219-3) (67.71, 68.79, f, f, 65.37, 66.83); 2. Israel (Est) 207-3 (63.19); 3. Gudzius (Lit) 206-4 (62.90).

BELLINZONA WOMEN

100(-0.6): 1. M. Barber (US) 11.43.

800: 1. Zhushman (Ukr) 2:02.87; 2. Cusma Piccione (Ita) 2:03.22.

100H(-0.7): 1. Jones (US) 12.87; 2. Urech (Swi) 13.08; 3. Cattaneo (Ita) 13.10.

400H: 1. Matusinska (Pol) 57.22.

HJ: 1. Palsyte (Lit) 6-2 (1.88).

What Are All Those Symbols?

We realize that there is a lot of material to absorb in our agate ("agate" is journalese for small-type results), so let's see if we can't clarify it a bit for you.

A combination of numbers and letters in parentheses, such as "9, x W" would mean that the person had moved to No. 9 on the all-time world list, with a performance outside the top 10. Had it say, been the No. 9 performance, the notation would have been 9, 9 W.

You might also find something like "x, 6 A". The x in the first position means the mark is not a PR, but the performance is No. 6 in U.S. history.

We note all-time list positions for World (W), U.S. (A), College (C), Juniors (WJ or AJ) and High School (HS).

We also denote yearly list leaders for the World (WL), U.S. (AL), College (CL; Division I only) and High School (HS).

MONTREUIL-SOUS-BOIS

Montreuil-sous-Bois, France, June 5—
800: 1. Olivier (SA) 1:46.13; 2. El Manaoui (Mor) 1:46.49; 3. Bosse (Fra) 1:46.79;
4. El Amine (Mor) 1:46.94; 5. López (Spa) 1:47.11; 6. Castillo (Cub) 1:47.16; 7. Kivuva (Ken) 1:47.81; 8. Ismail (Sud) 1:48.14.
110H(-1.0): 1. Porter (US) 13.35; 2. Clarke (GB) 13.36; 3. Fourie (SA) 13.64; 4. Bascou (Fra) 13.66; 5. Townsend (US) 13.68; 6. Lavanne (Fra) 13.71.
400H: 1. Green (GB) 49.22; 2. Tinsley (US) 49.26; 3. Hann (Sen) 49.35; 4. Gaymon (US) 49.49; 5. Williams (GB) 49.88.

Field Events

HJ: 1. Idris (Sud) 7-4½ (2.25) NR; 2. Torro (Fin) 7-4½; 3. Mudrov (Rus) 7-3¼ (2.22); 4. Diarra (Fra) 7-3¼;
5. Spank (Ger) 7-2¼ (2.19); 6. tie, Dmitrik (Rus) & Zhang (Chn) 7-2¼; 8. Parsons (GB) 7-2¼; 9. Bernard (GB) 7-2¼.
HT: 1. Fajdek (Pol) 267-0 (81.39) PR (254-9, 257-8, 261-8, f, 256-3, 267-0) (77.66, 78.54, 79.76, f, 78.11, 81.39);
2. Pars (Hun) 263-2 (80.22) (f, 259-9, 258-6, 263-2, f, 262-8) (f, 79.18, 78.81, 80.22, f, 80.06);
3. Nazarov (Taj) 254-11 (77.70); 4. Lomnický (Svk) 250-7 (76.38); 5. Vizzoni (Ita) 248-10 (75.84); 6. Bigot (Fra) 245-10 (74.94);
7. Pouzy (Fra) 239-11 (73.13); 8. Ziółkowski (Pol) 239-10 (73.10); 9. Melich (CzR) 232-3 (70.78); 10. Lingua (Ita) 232-1 (70.74).

MONTREUIL-SOUS-BOIS WOMEN

100(-2.0): 1. Ahoure (CI) 11.32; 2. Asumnu (Ngr) 11.46; 3. Brooks (Jam) 11.49;... dq—Jones-Ferrette (VI).
400: 1. Zadorina (Rus) 51.39; 2. Hall (Jam) 51.84; 3. Hurtis (Fra) 52.16; 4. Baker (US) 52.25.
800: 1. Bouras (Alg) 1:58.78 PR; 2. Arzamasava (Blr) 1:59.63; 3. Akkaoui (Mor) 1:59.97; 4. Wafula (Ken) 2:01.12; 5. Tkachuk (Ukr) 2:02.12; 6. Moh (Fra) 2:02.24 PR.
5000: 1. Diriba (Eth) 15:11.53 PR; 2. Godfay (Eth) 15:18.50; 3. Bárca (Rom) 15:22.64 PR; 4. Noujani (Mor) 15:33.43; 5. Chelanga (Uga) 15:38.90 PR.
400H: 1. Child (GB) 55.25; 2. Titimets (Ukr) 55.46; 3. Leach (US) 55.57; 4. Pedroso (Cub) 56.24; 5. Lambarki (Mor) 56.54; 6. Harrison (US) 56.55.
PV: 1. Gadschiew (Ger) 14-9 (4.50); 2. Buisson (Fra) 14-1¼ (4.30);... nh—Ryzih (Ger).
TJ: 1. Knyazheva (Ukr) 46-8¼ (14.23) PR; 2. Marie-Nelly (Fra) 46-½ (14.03) PR; 3. Nzola Meso Ba (Fra) 46-0 (14.02); 4. Veld'áková (Svk) 45-10 (13.97).
DT: 1. Sendriutė (Lit) 205-5 (62.61); 2. Strokova (Rus) 200-10 (61.23); 3. Robert-Michon (Fra) 198-0 (60.37); 4. Artic (Mol) 197-9 (60.28); 5. Wisniewska (Pol) 194-4 (59.23).

MUNICH

Munich, Germany, June 5—
PV: 1. Mohr (Ger) 18-9¼ (5.72); 2. Pavlov (Rus) 18-4½ (5.60); 3. Lewis (GB) 18-½ (5.50); 4. Wurster (Can) 17-8½ (5.40); 5. tie, Lobinger (Ger), Gruber (Ger) & Revenko (Ukr) 17-¾ (5.20); 8. Hooker (Aus) 17-¾.
LJ: 1. da Silva (Bra) 26-7¼ (8.11); 2. Visser (SA) 25-3¼ (7.70); 3. Koenig (Ger) 24-5¼ (7.46); 4. Beckford (Jam) 24-5 (7.44); 5. Jensen (Den) 24-2¼ (7.37).
Women:
LJ: 1. Sokolova (Rus) 22-3¼ (6.80).

OPOLE

Opole, Poland, June 6—
HJ: 1. Ukhov (Rus) 7-9¼ (2.37) out PR (=WL, out WL) (7-1, 7-2½, 7-4¼, 7-5¾, 7-8 [outWL], 7-9¼, 7-10¾ [xxx]) (2.16, 2.20, 2.24, 2.28, 2.34, 2.37, 2.41 [xxx]);
2. Bába (CzR) 7-4¼ (2.24); 3. Sleboda (Pol) 7-4¼; 4. Kiecana (Pol) 7-2½ (2.20); 5. Theiner (Pol) 7-2½; 6. Bednarek (Pol) 7-2½.
Women:
HJ: 1. Mikolajczyk (Pol) 6-3½ (1.92) PR; 2. Stepaniuk (Pol) 6-2¼ (1.89); 3. Dobrynska (Ukr) 6-1¼ (1.86).

HUELVA

Huelva, Spain, June 7—
800: 1. Reina (Spa) 1:45.58; 2. López (Spa) 1:45.58; 3. Marco (Spa) 1:46.13.
1500: 1. Rodríguez (Spa) 3:34.47; 2. Bustos (Spa) 3:34.77 PR; 3. Castillo (Cub) 3:35.03 NR; 4. Ruiz (Spa) 3:35.16; 5. Ali (Bhr) 3:35.49; 6. Demczyszak (Pol) 3:36.15 PR;
7. Teweldebrhan (Eri) 3:36.50 PR; 8. Olmedo (Spa) 3:36.50; 9. Alemayehu (Eth) 3:37.06; 10. Higuero (Spa) 3:37.54; 11. Abad (Spa) 3:38.62.
St: 1. García (Spa) 8:15.20 PR; 2. Ezzine (Mor) 8:16.93; 3. Merzoughi (Spa) 8:18.03 PR; 4. Jiménez (Spa) 8:24.19; 5. Uliczka (Ger) 8:24.43 PR.
5000: 1. Oleitip (Ken) 13:08.59 PR; 2. Menjo (Ken) 13:10.55; 3. McCormick (GB) 13:18.81 PR; 4. Kiplimo (Uga) 13:21.57; 5. Menjo (Ken) 13:23.88.
400H: 1. Thomas (Aus) 49.37; 2. Bultheel (Bel) 49.86; 3. Mägi (Est) 49.98 PR.
TJ: 1. Docavo (Spa) 54-10¼ (16.72) PR.
SP: 1. Kusiak (Pol) 64-5 (19.63).

HUELVA WOMEN

800: 1. Masná (CzR) 2:01.38; 2. Manou (Aus) 2:01.54; 3. Hartmann (Ger) 2:02.30.
1500: 1. Wangari (Ken) 4:03.87 PR; 2. D. Sujew (Ger) 4:07.35; 3. Krebs (Ger) 4:07.73; 4. Feyne (Eth) 4:08.30 PR; 5. E. Sujew (Ger) 4:08.96 PR; 6. Macías (Spa) 4:09.12.
St: 1. Diro (Eth) 9:21.54 PR; 2. Domínguez (Spa) 9:24.26; 3. Kirui (Ken) 9:35.61 PR; 4. Möldner-Schmidt (Ger) 9:35.67.
PV: 1. Pinero (Spa) 13-9¼ (4.20).
DT: 1. Robert-Michon (Fra) 193-11 (59.11).

RHEDE

Rhede, Germany, June 7—
400: 1. Makwala (Bot) 45.89.
800: 1. Amos (Bot) 1:46.27.
LJ: 1. Visser (SA) 26-7¾ (8.12); 2. Yun (Chn) 26-6½ (8.09).
HT: 1. Jons (Swe) 242-1 (73.79).

RHEDE WOMEN

400: 1. Cremer (Ger) 52.13.
400H: 1. Hogrebe (Ger) 57.74 PR.
LJ: 1. Johny (Ind) 21-8 (6.60).
TJ: 1. Demut (Ger) 45-5 (13.84); 2. Li (Chn) 45-3½ (13.80).
HT: 1. Manz (Ger) 204-5 (62.30) PR.
JT: 1. Li (Chn) 205-1 (62.50) PR; 2. Stahl (Ger) 204-2 (62.23); 3. Lu (Chn) 201-1 (61.31); 4. Du (Chn) 197-9 (60.29).

ST. PÖLTEN

St. Pölten, Austria, June 7—
400: 1. Williams (GB) 45.54; 2. Sanford (Isr) 46.08.
TJ: 1. Spasovkhodskiy (Rus) 53-5¼ (16.30).
DT: 1. Fazekas (Hun) 211-10 (64.58); 2. Varga (Cro) 204-5 (62.30).
Women:
800: 1. Belleau-Béliveau (Can) 2:02.04 PR.
100H(-0.2): 1. Schrott (Aut) 12.99.
HJ: 1. Kuntsevich (Rus) 6-1½ (1.87).

TURIN

Turin, Italy, June 8—
100(0.5): 1. Chambers (GB) 10.29.
400: 1. Maslák (CzR) 45.17 NR; 2. Boyd (US) 46.09.
800: 1. Hamada (Egy) 1:44.98 NR; 2. Bala (Qat) 1:46.12; 3. Seck (Sen) 1:47.13.
5000: 1. Meli (Ken) 13:22.90 PR; 2. Ayeko (Uga) 13:23.25 PR; 3. Wamulwa (Zam) 13:26.09; 4. Kiplimo (Ken) 13:26.65; 5. Obrubansky (Ukr) 13:27.15 PR.
110H(0.7): 1. Shubenkov (Rus) 13.21; 2. Darien (Fra) 13.24; 3. Abate (Ita) 13.28 NR; 4. Clarke (GB) 13.38; 5. Pozzi (GB) 13.43.
HJ: 1. Ukhov (Rus) 7-4½ (2.25).

TURIN WOMEN

800: 1. Santiusti (Cub) 2:00.93.
100H(0.6): 1. Jones (US) 12.97; 2. Kondakova (Rus) 12.97.
HJ: 1. Friedrich (Ger) 6-3½ (1.92); 2. Lowe (US) 6-3½; 3. Radzivil (Uzb) 6-3½; 4. Aitova (Kaz) 6-2¼ (1.89).
TJ: 1. La Mantia (Ita) 46-10¾ (14.29); 2. Valyukevich (Rus) 46-4¾ (14.14).
SP: 1. Schwanitz (Ger) 62-3¾ (18.99); 2. Rosa (Ita) 59-3 (18.06).

ISTANBUL

Istanbul, Turkey, June 9—

800: 1. El Amine (Mor) 1:47.77.

St: 1. Getahun (Eth) 8:20.08.

HJ: 1. Stanys (Lit) 7-4¼ (2.24).

HT: 1. Pars (Hun) 257-5 (78.46); 2. Apak (Tur) 253-7 (77.30); 3. Ziolkowski (Pol) 250-8 (76.41); 4. Nazarov (Taj) 248-0 (75.59).

ISTANBUL WOMEN

200(0.5): 1. Pyatachenko (Ukr) 23.08.

800: 1. Paliyenko (Rus) 2:00.42; 2. Kolarova (Bul) 2:01.91.

1500: 1. Bulut (Tur) 4:03.42 PR; 2. Suna (Tur) 4:09.53 PR.

St: 1. Ozata-Erismis (Tur) 9:44.28.

5000: 1. Mekasha (Eth) 15:18.81.

100H(2.6): 1. Talay (Blr) 12.95w;... dnf—Denby (US).

400H: 1. Stambolova (Bul) 54.40; 2. Williams (US) 55.01.

TJ: 1. Borodina (Rus) 46-10¼w (14.28); 2. Knyazheva (Ukr) 46-4¾ (14.14).

JT: 1. Jelaca (Ser) 176-4 (53.75).

VILLENEUVE-D'ASCQ

Villeneuve-d'Ascq, France, June 9—

100(1.1): 1. Vicaut (Fra) 10.15; 2. Waugh (Jam) 10.32; 3. Aikines-Aryeetey (GB) 10.35.

200(-0.5): 1. Malcolm (GB) 20.70; 2. K. Borlée (Bel) 20.82; 3. Jobodwana (SA) 20.84.

400: 1. Fonsat (Fra) 45.30 PR; 2. J. Borlée (Bel) 45.38; 3. Venel (Fra) 45.57; 4. Solomon (Tri) 46.10; 5. Steffensen (Aus) 46.11;... 8. Torrance (US) 46.77.

800: 1. Aman (Eth) 1:44.32; 2. Bosse (Fra) 1:44.97 PR; 3. Kipkoech (Ken) 1:45.01 PR; 4. Mutua (Ken) 1:45.16; 5. Bube (Den) 1:45.18; 6. Olivier (SA) 1:45.75.

1500: 1. Baddeley (GB) 3:36.70; 2. Wote (Eth) 3:37.07; 3. Rassioui (Mor) 3:37.23; 4. Touil (Alg) 3:37.79; 5. Kombich (Ken) 3:38.31; 6. Wolde (Eth) 3:38.43.

St: 1. Koech (Ken) 8:06.71; 2. Mekhissi-Benabbad (Fra) 8:10.90; 3. Gezzar (Fra) 8:18.89; 4. Nganga (Ken) 8:19.25; 5. Chelimo (Ken) 8:24.72; 6. Kitum (Ken) 8:26.40.

5000: 1. Edris (Eth)—18) 13:06.92 PR; 2. Iguider (Mor) 13:09.17 PR; 3. Komen (Ken) 13:12.56; 4. Durand (Fra) 13:17.90 PR; 5. Bett (Ken) 13:19.59.

Field Events

PV: 1. Lavillenie (Fra) 19-1 (5.82); 2. Michalski (Pol) 18-5¼ (5.62); 3. tie, Filippidis (Gre) & Mesnil (Fra) 18-1¼ (5.52); 5. Dilla (Ger) 17-9¼ (5.42); 6. Hooker (Aus) 17-9¼; 7. Denecker (Fra) 17-9¼.

DT: 1. Alekna (Lit) 226-6 (69.04) (2, 2 over-40 behind Oerter) (223-3, 226-6, 224-7, 226-1, 216-11, 224-5) (68.05, 69.04, 68.47, 68.91, 66.12, 68.40);

2. Kanter (Est) 216-8 (66.05); 3. Olgundeniz (Tur) 215-11 (65.81); 4. Czajkowski (Pol) 209-8 (63.91).

VILLENEUVE-D'ASCQ

WOMEN

100(0.5): 1. Ahoure (CI) 11.21; 2. Asumnu (Ngr) 11.29; 3. Jones-Ferrette (VI) 11.36.

800: 1. Bouras (Alg) 2:00.53; 2. Arzamasava (Blr) 2:00.69; 3. Lavric (Rom) 2:01.54; 4. Negesa (Uga) 2:01.94; 5. Cichocka (Pol) 2:01.96.

PV: 1. Kiryashova (Rus) 14-9 (4.50).

LJ: 1. Lesueur (Fra) 21-9½ (6.64).

HT: 1. Wlodarczyk (Pol) 241-9 (73.69); 2. Z. Marghieva (Mol) 234-3 (71.41);

3. Fiodorow (Pol) 233-8 (71.22);

4. Falzon (Fra) 224-3 (68.35); 5.

Sedykh (Fra) 221-8 (67.57) PR.

MANNHEIM

Mannheim, Germany, June 9—

100(2.3): 1. Jakubczyk (Ger) 10.17w.

200(1.9): 1. Menga (Ger) 20.33 PR.

400: 1. Krüger (Ger) 45.97 PR.

800: 1. Amos (Bot) 1:43.11 NR (2, 2WJ).

110H(0.7): 1. John (Ger) 13.39.

LJ: 1. Howard (Ger) 25-6¾ (7.79).

MANNHEIM WOMEN

100(1.5): 1. Sailer (Ger) 11.19.

200(1.5): 1(1.5)—1. Weit (Ger) 23.08 PR.

100H(1.5): 1. Nytra (Ger) 12.74; 2.

Hildebrand (Ger) 12.94 PR.

LJ: 1. Krauel (Ger) 21-4 (6.50).

TJ: 1. Elbe (Ger) 45-4½ (13.83).

SOFIA

Sofia, Bulgaria, June 9—

110H: 1. Arnaudov (Bul) 13.86 PR.

400H: 1. Al-Shammari (Kuw) 50.47.

LJ: 1. Dobrev (Bul) 25-8¼ (7.83) PR.

TJ: 1. Halevi (Isr) 55-2 (16.81) PR; 2.

Atanasov (Bul) 54-10¼ (16.73) PR.

SP: 1. Ivanov (Bul) 65-4 (19.91).

JT: 1. Prvulović (Ser) 231-7 (70.60); 2.

Neshev (Bul) 220-0 (67.06).

SOFIA WOMEN

100(0.5): 1. Laleva (Bul) 11.44.

400: 1. Saka (Tur) 51.60.

St: 1. Mingir (Tur) 9:13.53 NR (14, x W).

HJ: 1. Demo (Ita) 6-¾ (1.85) PR.

LJ: 1. Irozuru (GB) 22-3¾ (6.80) PR.

SP: 1. Mavrodiava (Bul) 59-8½ (18.20) PR.

U.S. OUTDOOR SCHEDULE

National Champs

June

15-17USATF Juniors; Bloomington, Indiana

21Olympic Trials HT; Beaverton, Oregon

22-7/1Olympic Trials; Eugene, Oregon

26-7/1USTAF Youth; Arlington, Texas

August

2-5USATF Masters; Lisle, Illinois

Major HS Meets

June

14-16New Balance Nationals; Greensboro, North Carolina

15-17USATF Juniors; Bloomington, Indiana

26-7/1USATF Youth; Arlington, Texas

July

10-15World Juniors; Barcelona, Spain

23-29USATF Junior Olympics; Baltimore, Maryland

28-8/4AAU Junior Olympics; Houston, Texas

VALMIERA

Valmiera, Latvia, June 8-9—

100(0.8): 1. Sakalauskas (Lit) 10.15.

110H(-0.7): 1. Olijar (Lat) 13.84.

LJ: 1. Misans (Lat) 25-10¾ (7.89).

TJ: 1. Syunin (Est) 53-8¼ (16.36).

SP: 1. Urtans (Lat) 63-9¾ (19.45).

DT: 1. Gudzius (Lit) 207-11 (63.37) PR; 2.

Israel (Est) 206-10 (63.04).

HT: 1. Sokolovs (Lat) 256-7 (78.21).

JT: 1. Vasiljevskis (Lat) 283-9 (86.50)

(254-4, f, 263-1, 283-9, p, 270-2) (77.53, f, 80.18, 86.50, p, 82.34);

2. Mätas (Est) 264-1 (80.49); 3. Laanmäe (Est) 252-6 (76.97); 4. Kovals (Lat) 250-9 (76.42); 5. Rags (Lat) 244-4 (74.48).

VALMIERA WOMEN

100(0.4): 1. Grincikaitė (Lit) 11.47.

800: 1. Balciunaitė (Lit) 2:05.12.

St: 1. Jelizarova (Lat) 9:33.53 NR.

100H(0.2): 1. Tamosaitytė (Lit) 13.24; 2. Galitskaya (Rus) 13.25.

LJ: 1. Grabustė (Lat) 21-9 (6.63).

TJ: 1. Matule (Lat) 45-¼ (13.72) PR.

SP: 1. Skujytė (Lit) 55-7½ (16.95).

DT: 1. Sendriutė (Lit) 210-1 (64.03) PR.

JT: 1. Palameika (Lat) 198-8 (60.55); 2. Ozolina-Kovale (Lat) 195-9 (59.67).

**in tomorrow's eTN:
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NCAA Championships**