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Boston, Cawley, Larrabee Lead U.S. Qualifiers Athletes, Coaches Speak at TFN Banquet

by Dick Drake

Los Angeles, Sept. 12-13--World records fell to veterans Ralph Boston and Rex Cawley and another was matched by Mike Larrabee as 62 athletes survived the United States' sudden death final Olympic Trials. And every athlete who placed one, two or three has made the Olympic qualifying standard, thus ensuring the US of three entries in every event and making the United States the only country to earn this distinction.

The New York Semi-Trials eliminated the usual heats and qualifying rounds of the Olympic Trials and as a result much of the drama that usually accompanies these Trials was absent and there were few surprise qualifiers or failures.

The most significant heartbreak victims were veterans Ron Morris, Rink Babka, and Jim Grelle (all of whom placed fourth in their specialties) as well as Darrell Horn (greatly hindered by an injured leg tendon), Willie Atterberry (who withdrew after one false start because of an injury), and Cliff Cushman (who fell on a hurdle).

Ten New York winners (including the AAU decathlon champion) failed to win here but only two failed to place in the first three. Unquestionably, the biggest shock was the fourth place finish of Henry Carr in the 200. Undefeated all year at the distance (excluding heats) and owner of a pending world record, he was one of those few athletes who had been considered a certainty to make the first three. Apparently a back injury sustained recently as well as a pitifully slow start accounted for his fourth-place loss to Paul Drayton, Richard Stebbins and Bob Hayes. The Committee, however, used their prerogative and advanced Carr to the Olympics because he was a New York winner. Jim Stevenson, the second New York winner who failed to place, finished last here at 215'9 $\frac{1}{2}$ " , more than 25-feet less than he threw in the Semi-Trials. Third LA placer Ed Red replaced Stevenson on the team.

Jim Beatty and Peter McArdle simply did not have it in their distance specialties, Charley Mays was beaten out of third place in the broad jump by $\frac{3}{4}$ " , Gary Gubner failed to qualify for the final of the shot put by $\frac{1}{2}$ " (losing out to Parry O'Brien), and Art Walker fouled all three of his triple jumps--including two jumps in the 55-foot region.

Before the meet, hurdler Willie Davenport said he would run 13.5 and win the highs. He ran into a head wind, finished in 13.6, and won comfortably from veterans Hayes Jones and Blaine Lindgren to supply the meet its most shocking upset. Jay Silvester provided Al Oerter his second loss since the 1961 AAU with a 198'7 $\frac{1}{2}$ " mark. Oerter, "not up for the meet," could manage only 193'4" .

The two youngest members of the team, Gerry Lindgren and Jim Ryun, both earned their positions in spectacular fashion.

In winning the 10,000 in 29:02.0, Gerry covered the distance in the second fastest time ever recorded by a US citizen. His time was 15.6 seconds better than he ran in the Russian meet. In the latter stages of the race, he simply pulled away from Billy Mills, whose 29:10.4 was the fourth fastest ever by a US citizen. Ron Larrieu, who waged a close battle with Doug Brown, finally emerged third with a life-time best of 29:20.4.

Ryun, who was only 1.5, 1.6, 0.9, and 0.7 seconds behind the leader in the miles at Modesto and Compton and the 1500s at the AAU and Olympic Semi-Trials, had only placed as high as third once and that was when Jim Grelle hadn't run (at Modesto). At Compton, Jim was 0.5 seconds behind Grelle but was a mere 0.1 behind at the AAU, and 0.0 (a matter of inches) behind at the Semi-Trials. Here in LA, the difference was only slight again, 0.0 to be exact, but Ryun had overtaken Grelle in great stretch drive. In fact, it was so great that it even appeared for a while that both Grelle and Ryun might overtake Tom O'Hara, who eventually finished second--0.3 seconds behind Dyrrol Bursleson's 3:41.2.

Boston, who wasn't pressing for a world record in the broad jump this time, sailed 27'10 $\frac{1}{4}$ " on his very first jump. He was assisted by a 5.8 mph breeze, which invalidated the effort as a record. He came back with a 26'11 $\frac{1}{4}$ " on his second jump and then a world record leap of 27'4 $\frac{1}{4}$ " , which was aided by only 2.24 mph of wind. He

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Track and Field News staged another one of its Celebrity Banquets during the Final Olympic Trials, and was pleased to have as its guests Ralph Boston, Dallas Long, Fred Hansen, George Young, Billy Mills, Ed Burke, Randy Matson, Sam Bell (USSR-US coach), Bob Timmons (coach of Jim Ryun), and Bill Easton (University of Kansas coach).

Here are some of the comments heard by the more than 100 members of the tour. Other comments will be published in the next Newsletter.

GEORGE YOUNG: I don't worry about the hurdles. Someone once said I have a barrier against them, but I don't... I was really up for the Russians. Yesterday was kind of a let down after the Russian meet. Maybe this is one of the reasons the race wasn't too fast. The crowd at the Russian meet was very good to the athletes, the Americans in particular. I fell in the 1960 Olympic Trials so I received a tremendous ovation but here for the Russian meet it was even greater. They were absolutely wild.

We had a run in with the Olympic Committee before the meet. Just before our race, some officials came down and erased our step markings. George Eastment said we couldn't use the marks. Five minutes before the race is no time to tell us not to use them. And I don't know of any International rule that prohibits using marks. He said at Rome we didn't get to do it. Well, I did do it and so did all the other runners. Gaston Roelants used them before every hurdle. It was the worst decision I've seen the Olympic Committee make, and I've seen them make some pretty pitiful ones. I blew my top not just because I was mad but because too many athletes have sat back and not said anything when something should have been said. We can't leave these sort of things up to the AAU or the Federation, we have to do it ourselves. They're (Olympic Committee) running the meet just like they did in 1960, and things have changed since then. One thing they need to recognize is the needs of married men. As the athlete grows older he has additional responsibilities. They have to think about these sort of things, but I don't think they thought about them at all.

I do think the AAU--and I distinguish them from the Olympic Committee--has made a lot of improvements, particularly Colonel Hull. They are going in the right direction now.

DALLAS LONG: There just wasn't the same electricity in the air like there was in the Russian meet. And I didn't point myself for the meet physically. But my entire goal is to be just right at Tokyo.

I think Parry (O'Brien) was a little concerned. He seems to live a charmed existence. He was unaware that he just made it into the finals by a half-inch over Gary Gubner. It was his fault. He thought they were taking five men instead of four into the finals.

The thing that impresses me the most about the Europeans is their inconsistency, particularly in big international meets. They usually get off their big throws in cow-pasture meets. I don't anticipate any competition from them. I think it'll be between Randy, Parry, and myself. Of course, the Europeans have improved, but we've responded even more than they have since the last Olympics. Only the Russian, Lipsnis, will challenge us. Yes, I think Parry will hang in there. He's a great, great competitor. A lot of people didn't give Parry a breath of a chance 10 months ago, but I always felt he would make the squad.

This is my last year. I think if I'm wise I'll take a cue from Randy and step aside. Although I think I could stay at the top internationally for a few years, I think my years are numbered and I do have a career to think about. My school work and plans are pretty ambitious.

BILLY MILLS: My wife is a great stimulus to my training. If I don't get up in the morning and go out and run, my wife doesn't fix me breakfast. And I love to eat, so she plays an important part.

I've been putting in about 80 miles a week but I've been injured. I'd like to put in 110 miles a week... I'll be shooting for both the 10,000 and marathon. Eight days is plenty of time to recover. I'll be most aiming for the marathon. Culver City was the first time I have run over 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles in competition. I was cautious in that race,

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took two more jumps in the finals, 26'7½" and 26'8¾", but passed up his last jump. His series averaged to 27'1 1/5" compared to his previous best of 26'11 1/24" at the Olympic Semi-Trials. His four non-windy marks averaged 26'10 15/16" compared to the Semi Trials non-windy marks of 26'8¾".

Despite difficulty over the fifth and eighth hurdles, Cawley finally broke the world's record in the intermediates, clocking 49.1 for 400-meters, which bettered the 49.2 record held by Glenn Davis and Salvatore Morale. After Atterberry withdrew after one false start and Cushman fell on the fifth hurdle, much of the excitement was eliminated and the race went according to form. Billy Hardin achieved a life-time best of 49.8 and Jay Luck grabbed third in 50.4.

In the 400, Ullis Williams unexpectedly spurred to the lead and forced the pace. Ollan Cassell also went out well, but Larrabee elected to remain in the middle of the pack--even as late as 250 meters. But from that point on it was all Larrabee. He powered past both Cassell and Larrabee and appeared to win more decisively than the one-tenth difference between himself and Williams would indicate. At any rate, he equalled the world 400-meter record of 44.9 and finally established himself as an all-time great at the age of 30. And once again, Williams, who ran 45.0, finished second in a world record race. Ullis has never held or shared the 400 or 440 record.

The finish of the decathlon was most dramatic. Going into the final event, the 1500, Dick Emberger and Russ Hodge both had an excellent chance of winning and also nabbing the third spot on the team. (Unlike the other events, two men--Paul Herman and Don Jeisy--had already been selected for the team.) Emberger ran one of the fastest recorded decathlon 1500s in 4:11.9 (equivalent of about a 4:30 mile), while Hodge, a big man at 6'3" and 220 pounds, crossed the line in the remarkable time of 4:12.7--just inches behind Bill Toomey who was credited with the same time. When it was all over Emberger and Hodge both ended up with 7728 points (on the new decathlon tables), but Emberger was declared the winner since he scored more points in more events than Hodge (seven to three). It was the second consecutive time Hodge has lost his placing as the result of a tie (the same thing occurred at the Russian meet) and it eventually cost him a spot on the Olympic team. Jeisy finished fifth with 7426 points, and it had been thought for a while that Hodge might replace Jeisy, whose fall in the hurdles and subsequent 18.1 clocking cost him considerable points. New York winner Paul Herman, possibly still bothered by an injury, finished third with 7701 points.

Bob Hayes easily captured the 100 in 10.1 but Mel Pender lost second only by the margin of Trenton Jackson's deltoid for the biggest achievement of his racing career. Paul Drayton, who has a habit of achieving his peak in time for the big meets, equalled his life-time best of 20.4 for 200-meters to score an impressive win on the normally slow Coliseum sprint surface.

In the 800, Darnell Mitchell dashed to the lead and held it until the 330 when Morgan Groth pulled even. Jerry Siebert, who was suffering the effects of a cold, was inches behind. They passed the quarter in that order and continued that way until about 600 yards when Groth and Siebert both shot past the fading Mitchell. Groth surged into the lead as they rounded the turn. Coming off the final bend, Tom Farrell, who had faded to last in the initial burst at the 600, moved the fastest of all down the home stretch and passed everyone but Groth, who won in 1:47.1.

When Lindgren withdrew from the 5000, Bob Schul and Bill Dellinger were clearly the class of the field and they finished in a purposeful deadheat in 13:55.6. Oscar Moore, a Negro known better for his efforts as a marathoner, held off Jim Murphy for third place in a life-time best and an Olympic qualifying time of 13:58.8.

George Young elected to follow the pace of Vic Zwolak in the

latter stages of the steeplechase but zoomed into the lead coming off the last water jump and pulled ahead to win in 8:44.2.

None of the pole vaulters looked particularly formful, and Fred Hansen beat John Pannel by virtue of one less jump at the winning height of 16'6". The high jump was likewise unspectacular, but the jumpers complained of a bad take-off area, which had just recently been reseeded with grass for the football season after being dirt for the Russian meet. Ed Caruthers beat John Thomas on the misses rule at 6'10".

Ira Davis and Bill Sharpe, fourth place in the 1960 and 1956 Olympic triple respectively, both leaped 53'1" on their first jumps, but Davis proceeded to turn in the second best leap and earn the victory. Sharpe's second place was unexpected, particularly since his knee had been twisted by a trainer two days before competition.

Parry O'Brien earned the distinction as the first American to represent Uncle Sam in four Olympic Games when he placed third in the shot behind Dallas Long and Randy Matson. The javelin team spots, always considered to be a toss-up, finally went to Frank Covelli, Les Tipton, and Ed Red. The hammer went according to form, with Hal Connolly.

100: (9/12) 1. Bob Hayes (Fla A&M) 10.1; 2. Trenton Jackson (Ill) 10.2; 3. Mel Pender (US Army) 10.3; 4. Gerry Ashworth (Strid) 10.4; 5. Darel Newman (Fres St) 10.4; 6. Charles Greene (Nebr) 10.4; 7. Richard Stebbins (Grambling) nt; 8. Bernie Rivers (New Mex) nt.

200: (9/13) 1. Paul Drayton (US Army) 20.4; 2. Richard Stebbins (Grambling) 20.5; 3. Bob Hayes (Fla A&M) 20.7; 4. Henry Carr (Ariz St) 20.8; 5. John Moon (US Army) 20.9; 6. Larry Dunn (US Army) 21.0.

400: (9/12) 1. Mike Larrabee (Strid) 44.9 (EWR); 2. Ullis Williams (Ariz St) 45.0; 3. Ollan Cassell (Houston TC) 45.6; 4. Theron Lewis (Southern) 46.3; 5. Dave Archibald (Cal) 46.3; 6. Bob Tobler (BYU) nt; 7. Bill Boyle (Notre Dame) nt.

800: (9/13) 1. Morgan Groth (Oregon St) 1:47.1; 2. Tom Farrell (St John's) 1:48.0; 3. Jerry Siebert (SCVYV) 1:48.3; 4. Fran Smith (Cornell) 1:48.7; 5. Barry Sugden (Ohio) 1:48.7; 6. Darnell Mitchell (Cleve Strid) 1:49.8.

1500: (9/13) 1. Dyrrol Burleson (EAAA) 3:41.2; 2. Tom O'Hara (Loyola) 3:41.5; 3. Jim Ryan (Wichita East HS) 3:41.9; 4. Jim Grelle (LATC) 3:41.9; 5. Archie San Romani (EAAA) 3:43.0; 6. Bob Day (UCLA) 3:46.1.

	440	880	1320	1500	Last lap
Burleson	60.6 (6)	2:04.8 (6)	3:04.3 (4)	3:41.2 (1)	52.7
O'Hara	60.2 (2)	2:04.2 (1)	3:04.0 (1)	3:41.5 (2)	53.2
Ryan	60.5 (5)	2:04.7 (5)	3:04.1 (3)	3:41.9 (3)	53.5
Grelle	60.4 (4)	2:04.3 (3)	3:04.0 (2)	3:41.9 (4)	53.6
San Romani	60.3 (3)	2:04.4 (4)	3:04.4 (5)	3:43.0 (5)	
Day	59.8 (1)	2:04.3 (2)	3:04.5 (6)	3:46.1 (6)	

5000: (9/13) 1. Tie between Bob Schul (Miami, Ohio) and Bill Dellinger (EAAA) 13:55.6; 3. Oscar Moore (NYPC) 13:58.8; 4. Jim Murphy (Air Force) 14:04.6; 5. Jim Beatty (NCTC) 14:21.6; 6. Tom Rodda (LATC) 14:28.2.

10,000: (9/12) 1. Gerry Lindgren (Spokane AC) 29:02.0; 2. Billy Mills (USMC) 29:10.4; 3. Ron Larriou (LATC) 29:20.4; 4. Doug Brown (Montana) 29:33.6; 5. John Gutknecht (NCTC) 29:40.0; 6. Peter McArdle (unat) 30:34.0; 7. John Macy (Houston TC) 31:00.0.

Steeplechase: (9/12) 1. George Young (Phoenix OC) 8:44.2; 2. Vic Zwolak (Vill) 8:46.2; 3. Jeff Fishback (SCVYV) 8:55.8; 6. Pat Traynor (Ridley Township Strid) 8:56.8; 5. Mike Lehner (Oregon) 8:56.8; 6. Bill Silverberg (Kan) nt; 7. Ron Davis (San Jose St) nt.

High Hurdles: (9/12) 1. Willie Davenport (US Army) 13.6; 2. Hayes Jones (Detroit VC) 13.6; 3. Blaine Lindgren (Utah TC) 13.8; 4. Russ Rogers (GSB) 13.9; 5. Bobby May (Rice) 13.9; 6. Elias Gilbert (Baltimore OC) 13.9.

Intermediate Hurdles: 1. Rex Cawley (PAA) 49.1 (WR); 2. Billy Hardin (LSU) 49.8; 3. Jay Luck (New Haven TC) 50.4; 4. John Bethea (Morgan St) 51.3; 5. Chris Stauffer (Baltimore OC) 52.3; 6. Tom Wyatt (Oregon St) 53.4.

High Jump: (9/13) 1. Ed Caruthers (Strid) 6'10"; 2. John Thomas (Boston AA) 6'10"; 3. John Rambo (Strid) 6'8"; 4. Otis Burrell (Strid) 6'8"; 5. tie between Lew Hoyt (Strid) and Gene Zubrinsky (US Army) 6'6".

	6'6"	6'8"	6'10"	7'0"
Caruthers	x	ox	x	oop
Thomas	x	x	ox	opp
Rambo	x	x	ooo	
Burrell	p	oox	ooo	
Hoyt	oox	ooo		
Zubrinsky	oox	ooo		

Pole Vault: (9/13) 1. Fred Hansen (unat) 16'6"; 2. John Pannel (unat) 16'6"; 3. Billy Pemelton (Abilene Christian) 16'0"; 4. Ron Morris (Strid) 15'6"; Gerald Pratt (unat) and Dave Tork (unat) passed at 15'0" and 15'6", failed to clear 16'0".

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LEINA, EAST GERMANY, JT, Salomon 260'11 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 2. Schenk 256'3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

LONDON, Mile, Green 3:59.2.

BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, 5000, Mecser 13:56.4.

OSLO, JT, Pedersen 300'11" (World record); 2. Rasmussen 273'5 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". 400, Trousil (CSR) 47.0. 800, Juzo (CSR) 1:49.5; 2. Pharo 1:49.8. 10,000, Tomas (CSR) 29:05.0; 2. Fwglem 29:09.4; 3. Beum 29:13.6. HJ, Sletten 6'10 $\frac{1}{4}$ ". DT, Danek (CSR) 208'6 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". 400H, Gulbrandsen 51.5. PV, Tomasek (CSR) 16'5". HT Matousek (CSR). 215'11 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 2. Krogh 211'5 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". 1600R, Czechoslovakia 3:09.0.

MONACO, 200, Berruti (It) 20.8. 400, Boccardo (Fr) 47.0. 800, Lurot (Fr) 1:48.7; 2. Chatelet (Fr) 1:48.8. 5000, Jazy (Fr) 13:59.2; 2. Gamoudi (Tun) 13:59.8; 3. Bernard (Fr) 14:03.2; 4. Fayolle (Fr) 14:06.0; 5. Vaillant (Fr) 14:09.8. PV, D'Encausse (Fr) 15'5". 400R, Italy 39.8; 2. France A 40.1; 3. France B 40.8; 4. Germany 41.0; 5. France C 41.5.

GREAT BRITAIN vs FRANCE, LONDON, 400, Brightwell 46.6. 1500, Simpson 3:44.7; 2. Wadoux (Fr) 3:45.0. 10,000, Hill 29:04.4; 2. Murray 29:10.4; 3. Vaillant (Fr) 29:18.4; 4. Fayolle 29:28.0. 400R, France 39.9; 2. Great Britain 40.2. 110HH, Duriez (Fr) 14.1; 2. Parker 14.2. TJ, Alsop 52'11". SP, Lucking 58'4". 400H, Cooper 51.2; 2. Warden 51.4. PV, D'Encausse (Fr) 15'9". 800, Carter 1:48.2; 2. Boulter 1:48.4; 3. Chatelet (Fr) 1:49.6; 4. Lurot (Fr) 1:50.0. 5000, Jazy (Fr) 13:56.4; 2. Herring 14:00.6; 3. Bernard (Fr) 14:08.2. 1600R, Great Britain 3:08.5; 2. France 3:09.7.

BUCHAREST, RUMANIA, 10,000, Cervan (Yugo) 29:31.6; 2. Farcivil (Yugo) 29:34.4; 3. Mustapha 29:57.2. 400H, Kovacic (Yugo) 50.9; 2. Jurca 51.5. HJ, Spiridon 6'10 $\frac{1}{4}$ "; 2. Jordanov (Bulg) 6'10 $\frac{1}{4}$ "; 3. Porumb 6'9 $\frac{1}{8}$ ". HT, Krumov (Bulg) 211'11"; 2. Bezjak (Yugo) 210'7".

LONDON, 1500, McKim 3:42.8; 2. Green 3:43.6; 3. Ibbotson 3:43.6; 4. Wilkinson 3:44.0.

KIEV, 400H, Anisimov 50.6. HT, Klim 228'7". 5000, Badiuk 13:53.4; 2. Orentas 13:54.8. 110HH, Mikhailov 14.1. BJ, Ter-Ovanesyan 26'8 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 2. Vaupsas 26'3 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 3. Klimov 26'1 $\frac{3}{4}$ ". DT, Bukhantsev 188'7 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". 400R, Team A 39.7. 400R (2nd race) Team A 39.5. 800R, National team 1:22.8.

HELSINKI, 5000, Larsson 13:51.2. HJ, Petterson (Swe) 6'11 $\frac{3}{4}$ ". DT, Haglund (Swe) 185'2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". JT, Kimunen 261'10 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". HT, Asplund (Swe) 211'0". 400R, Sweden 41.0.

POLAND vs WEST GERMANY, COLOGNE, 400, Badenski (Pol) 46.5; 2. Kinder 47.0. 800, Bogatzki 1:48.1; 2. Lipkowski (Pol) 1:49.7; 5000, Norporth 13:58.8; 2. Boguszewicz (Pol) 13:59.0. 110HH, John 14.1. HJ, Czernik (Pol) 7'1"; 2. Schilkowski 6'10 $\frac{1}{4}$ ". BJ, Stalmach (Pol) 25'6". DT, Piatkowski 195'5". HT, Rut (Pol) 216'10 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; Cieply (Pol) 215'4"; 3. Beyer 211'3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". 400R, Poland 39.5; 2. West Germany 39.6. 400H, Haas 51.0; 2. Gierjewski (Pol) 51.1; 3. Gieseler 51.2. 200, Foik (Pol) 20.9. JT, Sidlo (Pol) 264'1"; 2. Nikiciuk (Pol) 256'5 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 3. Salomon 253'1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". PV, Lehnertz 16'1"; 2. Sokolowski (Pol) 15'9"; 3. Butscher (Pol) 15'5". TJ, Jakolski (Pol) 53'4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". SP, Komar (Pol) 61'10 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 2. Urbach 61'9"; 3. Sosgornik (Pol) 61'3"; 4. Birlebach 60'7 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". 1600R, Poland 3:06.0; 2. Germany 3:06.1.

BUCHAREST, RUMANIA, PV, Kherbakov (Bulg) 15'9". TJ, Ciocina 53'3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

National News

CARRERAS INVITATIONAL, Kingston, Jamaica, Aug. 13 & 15--(13th) 100, Jackson (Ill) 9.5. 440, Williams (Ariz St) 46.7; 2. Lewis (Southern) 47.3; 3. Kerr (Jam) 47.3; 4. Cawley (PAA) 47.4; 5. Mal Spence (Jam) 47.8. Mile, Groth (Ore St) 4:00.4; 2. Leps (Can) 4:01.1; 3. Lindgren (Wash HS) 4:01.5; 4. Weisiger 4:02.8; 5. Moore (NYPC) 4:07.2; 6. Myton (18-year-old Jam) 4:18.2. Steeplechase, Fishback (SCVYV) 8:58.6; 2. Ellis (Can) 9:23.2. HH, Boston 13.9; 2. Cawley (PAA) 14.2; 3. J. Thomas (Bos AA) 14.9. HJ, Thomas 6'11"; 2. Boston 6'3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". TJ, Davis 51'10"; 2. Brooks (Jam) 50'2 $\frac{1}{4}$ "; 3. Samuels (Jam) 49'6 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". 440R, US (Boston, Williams, Cawley, T. Jackson) 40.7. (15th) 100m, Jackson 10.3; 2. E. Roberts (Trin) 10.3. 220y, Roberts 20.7; 2. Jackson 21.2. 400, Williams 46.4; 2. Mel Spence (Jam) 47.4; 3. Mal Spence 47.5. 880, Groth 1:46.4 (US record; second fastest ever); 2. Kerr (Jam) 1:46.5; 3. Myton (18-year-old Jamaican) 1:47.2; 4. Leps 1:48.6; 5. Weisiger 1:49.9. 3M, Lindgren 13:17.0 (Bettors American listed mark and equals world junior mark); 2. Moore 13:42.8; 3. Fishback 14:04.2; 4. Ellis 14:04.4. (Lindgren 4:24.6, 8:55.2, 13:17.0). 400H, Cawley 50.6. BJ, Boston 27'3 $\frac{1}{4}$ " (equals world record; series NJ, 26'7 $\frac{1}{2}$ ", 26'5", 26'11 $\frac{1}{2}$ ", 26'3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ", 27'3 $\frac{1}{4}$ "; no wind on any jump). PV, Jeisy 15'6". MileR, Combined team (R. Hoilette 47.8. Roberts 46.0,

Leps 49.0, Williams 45.1) 3:07.9; 2. Jamaica A (Mal Spence 48.0, L. Khan 47.7, Mel Spence 46.3, Kerr 46.9) 3:08.9.

ALL COMERS, Woodland Hills, Calif., Aug. 27--440, Toblen 48.4. Mile, Grelle 4:00.1. 6M, Higgins (LATIC) 29:08.2; 2. McGee (LATIC) 29:52.5. SP, Davis 62'9 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". FV, Pennel 16'3"; 2. White 16'0"; 3. Rose 15'0". HJ, Burrell 6'10 $\frac{1}{4}$ "; 2. Dobroth 6'8"; 3. Lane (unat) 6'8". TJ, Woods 48'4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

AAU DEVELOPMENT, New York City, Aug. 28--880 Farrell 1:50.4. Mile, Camien 4:08.2. 3M, Moore 13:41.1; 2. McArdle 13:54.1. MileR, US Army 3:11.4 (Moon 49.5, Dunn 47.4, Drayton 46.9, Cassell 47.6). HJ, Zubrinsky 6'10".

AAU DEVELOPMENT, Pelham Manor, NY, Aug. 30--660, Farrell 1:16.9 (50.3, at 440). HT, Hall 213'2"; 2. Gage 188'3". SP, Gubner 59'5". DT, Oerter 194'11 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". 35lb Wt Throw, Hall 64'9".

ALL COMER, Palo Alto, Calif., Aug. 28--HJ, Lowe (Calif HS) 6'10 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". DT, Weill 195'10"; 2. Kennedy 170'8". TJ, Walker 51'10" (54'1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " on seventh jump; had foul of 53'10" from jump or 54'0" from board).

ALL COMERS CHAMPIONSHIPS, Woodland Hills, Calif., Aug. 29--JT, Stuart 255'10"; 2. Covelli 252'2 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 3. Red 249'0"; 4. Ulrich 224'7 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". DT, Neville 175'9"; 2. Carr 173'4". BJ, Miller 25'0". PV, Pennel 16'4" (made 17'0" on fourth try); 2. Manning 16'0"; 3. Morris 16'0"; 4. Jeisy 15'6"; 5. Rose 15'6". SP, O'Brien 62'2 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 2. Davis 61'6 $\frac{1}{4}$ ". HJ, Burrell 7'0"; 2. Rambo 7'0"; 3. Lange 6'10". 880, Nelson 1:50.2; 2. Day 1:50.7. 440, Cawley 46.8; 2. Larrabee 46.8. 2M, Rodda 8:54.6; 2. McGee 9:04.0. 3M, Gurule 14:14.2. Special 2M, Schul 8:24.6 (world record; approximate lap times: 61.0, 2:06.0, 3:11, 4:14, 5:17, 6:21, 7:24); 2. Mills 8:45.6; 3. Silverberg 9:04.0. 1320, Grelle 2:54.8 (American record; lap times 55.8, 1:56.0, 2:54.8; exhibition only).

WEIGHT MAN'S ALL COMER, Long Beach, Calif., Sept. 5--SP, Matson 65'5 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 2. Davis 62'4 $\frac{1}{4}$ "; 3. Mills 61'5"; 4. O'Brien 60'11 $\frac{1}{4}$ ". (Matson's series: 63'1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ", 60'0", 65'5 $\frac{1}{2}$ ", 63'8 $\frac{1}{2}$ ", 63'11", 64'2 $\frac{3}{4}$ ".) JT, Red 259'11" (four over 255-feet); 2. Stuart 258'2"; 3. Tipton 237'7 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". DT, Neville 196'9" (life-time best); 2. Babka 191'5 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 3. Mills 184'8 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 4. McGrath 183'1 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 5. Kennedy 174'9". HT, Pryde 192'6".

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and pointed for second (just enough to qualify) since I didn't know what would happen after 18 miles.

I'm 7/16 Sioux but don't ask me how you figure it. I don't think I've inherited anything special.

I think my improvement since college was due to my own maturity. Before, I didn't have the heart it took. And I finally found out that I had low blood sugar. Once I started taking a protein supplement and vitamins my times started coming down leaps and bounds.

I've never had as much pressure as I had getting ready for this race. In all honesty, I thought I would win it, but Gerry changed things. This race was tactical and it takes a lot out of you. Gerry ruins you with his fast lap and then a slower lap. It's not the fast lap that kills you but the slower one when you're trying to recover.

BOB TIMMONS: (Before Jim Ryun's race) The problem has been not determining what Jim should do but trying to figure out what the others will do. We don't know whether it will be a strategy race or if they'll get up and go. We have been trying to get him to sprint. It's so difficult to know whether they'll make a move or who will go out and set the pace. If it turns out to be a strategy race, I hope he'll try to keep better contact and that he'll have better speed. I don't think he is ready to front run. I think he has to shoot for first, because if he shoots for third and misses he's out. So the only way I think he can do it is to try and go for first. We feel he can improve somewhat. He might be able to go a second to a second and a half faster than his 3:39.0. In the past Jim has made every effort to win but he hasn't done this. It has been very pleasing to see him try. When he would get tried going into the last 100 yards the effort was there but not the speed. So we have been working on his speed.

I don't think he knows how to protect himself. He has been bumped off the track. He doesn't understand contact and being bumped off the track because he doesn't have the experience. If someone were to say "Move over, Jim, I'm coming through," I think Jim would say "Come on through." It's just a matter of experience.

His workouts have been rather difficult. Some have said he might be burned out. We don't believe this. We think it is difficult to have people criticize us for thinking it might burn him out. As parents we are always striving to provide the best for our children, and it isn't any different with Jim. We think athletes should be shooting for that "A" like they do in scholastics. If they are world calibre we think they should shoot for that. We have to set these goals for them. We have just scratched the surface in track. I think we have to encourage people down at these levels. As long as he has goals that are worthwhile that he can work for and have enthusiasm for, I believe he can achieve them.