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Ryun Fights 12 Man Field to 1:47.2 Half

by Jack Shepard

Albuquerque, N.M., June 9-10--Jim Ryun didn't even break the meet record (he's excused since it's his 1:44.9 world best), but his high-altitude 1:47.2 half-mile was the most exciting happening at the National Federation championships. Ryun, who had spent the last week training at 7500-foot Alamosa, Colo., came down to mile-high Albuquerque to record the best time in the world this year. He added a 4:09.3 triumph in the mile, the event he likely will concentrate on in the NCAA and AAU meets.

The 880 was a whiz-bang affair as 10 men ran 1:52.0 or better. Ryun was content to lay well back in the field of 12 with 220 splits of 26.9 and 26.5. Texas' Bob O'Bryan led through the quarter in 52.6 with Jim striding up through the pack with a 53.4 clocking. Around the turn, Jim continued to go between men, avoiding a developing box, then moved outside and away from the crowd down the backstretch. His third 220 was only 27.2, but still the pack faded. Jim sprinted through the final furlong in 26.6, but seeing the race was won he eased off down the straightaway. Ray Arrington of Wisconsin sped to a 1:48.8 clocking, well under his lifetime best of 1:50.0, and Oklahoma State's Jim Metcalf ran 1:49.0. Ryun won the mile easily after running deep in the pack until 330 from home.

The intermediate hurdles saw the first seven finishers record lifetime bests in either a heat or the final. Alabama's Dave Adkins moved to third in the nation with a beautiful 50.5 to nip Houston's Tony Pickett (50.7) in a thrilling stretch run. Even at the final barrier, Pickett came off the hurdle badly and that was the race. Biggest surprise was seventh-placer Bob Bornkessel. The junior from Shawnee-Mission North High School in Kansas ran 53.0, but won his heat in 52.6. Adkins had quite a weekend as he also ran a 47.0 heat in the 440 and then ran 46.9 behind Iowa State's Steve Carson (46.4). Kansas' Dwight Peck was third in 47.0 after a 46.8 heat.

The high hurdle final was a swift as the top three recorded personal bests. Wisconsin's Mike Butler caught early leader George Byers of Kansas at the finish as they and Rice's Jimmy Wilkerson all ran 13.7. Arizona's Dale Frederick, SMU's Jerry Utecht and ACC's John McGuire all fell.

The mile relay was another sizzling race. Rice, without lead-off star John Moss, improved its all-time best to 3:05.7 with 45.8 and 45.6 legs from Dale Bernauer and Conley, but they could not stave off the closing rush of Iowa, which won in 3:05.2 off final legs of 45.1 and 45.6 by Mike Mondane and Jon Reimer. The Lamar Tech TC improved its best to 3:07.0 with frosh Randy Clewis running a 45.8 third leg.

(a=Friday; b=Saturday)

100 (b, 1.3 mph aiding wind). Freeman (Murray St) 9.5; 2. Richburg (Kent St) 9.6. 220 (a, no wind), Richburg 20.7; 2. Olison (Kans) 20.8; 3. Belzung (Rice) 20.9; 4. Columbus (Colo St) 20.9; 5. Matison (NM) 21.0; 6. C. Hight (LSU) 21.1. Heats (no wind) I-1. Brown (Rice) 20.8; 2. C. Hight 21.0. II-1. Richburg 20.8; 2. Belzung 21.0; 3. Columbus 21.1. 440 (b). Carson (Ia St) 46.4; 2. Adkins (Ala) 46.9; 3. Peck (Kans) 47.0. Heats (b) I-1. Carson 46.8; 2. Bush (Auburn) 47.0; 3. O'Bryan (Tex) 47.0. II-1. Peck 46.8; 2. Adkins 47.0.

880 (a). Ryun (Kans) 1:47.2; 2. Arrington (Wisc) 1:48.8; 3. Metcalf (Okla St) 1:49.0; 4. O'Bryan (Tex) 1:50.1; 5. DiOrio (NM) 1:50.1. Mile (b). Ryun 4:09.3; 2. Wiczorek (Ia) 4:10.8. 3 Mile (b). G. Scott (NM) 14:22.0; 2. Harrison (Colo St) 14:26.8; 3. Stenburg (Duke) 14:37.0. 5 Mile (a). Bair (Kent St) 15:18.4. 6 Mile (a). Harrison 30:29.0; 2. Eller (NM) 30:41.0; 3. Tarry (Kan St) 30:42.0. 3000St. (a) Nightingale (Kans St) 9:05.0; 2. Loudat (NM) 9:05.0; 3. McCubbins (Okla St) 9:15.6.

120H (b, 2.24 mph). Butler (Wisc) 13.7; 2. Byers (Kans) 13.7; 3. Wilkerson (Rice) 13.7; 4. Morriss (Hous) 14.1. Heats. I-(10+ mph)-1. Byers 13.8; 2. Frederick (Ariz) 13.9; 3. Morriss 13.9; 4. McGuire (ACC Fr) 14.0; 5. Hager (Fla) 14.0. II (9.6 mph)-1. Wilkerson (Rice) 13.9; 2. Butler 14.0; 440H (a). Adkins 50.5; 2. Pickett (Houston) 50.7; 3. Hager (Fla) 51.0; 4. Hardwick (Okla) 51.5; 5. Robinson (Ariz) 51.9; 6. Carlson (Drake) 52.3; 7. Born-

kessel (N, Shawnee-Mission, Kans HS) 53.0. Heats: I-1. Pickett 51.8; 2. Carlson 52.0; 3. Hardwick 52.3; 4. Robinson 52.3; 5. Utecht (SMU) 52.8. II-1. Bornkessel 52.6; 2. Hager 52.6; 3. Adkins 52.7.

HJ (b). Caruthers (Ariz) 7'1"; 2. Kastens (Highline JC) 6'8 1/2"; 3. Gaines (Kans) 6'8 1/2". PV (b). Burnette (Ia) 15'6". LJ (a). (no win Ard (Kans) 25'2 3/4"; 2. Chilton (Knox TC) 25'2 1/4"; 3. C. Robinson (NMTC) 24'8". TJ (b). Baxter (NM) 52'4"w (50'8"), 52'1 3/4", 52'4"w. 50'9"w, 50'7", 51'8"); 2. C. Robinson 52'1"w/51'8 3/4" legal; 3. H. Jackson (Wn Ky/Fr) 50'9 3/4" legal; 4. Ard (Kans) 50'6 3/4" legal; Gaine 49'8" legal; 6. I. Robinson (MN) 48'5" legal.

SP (a). Harvey (Mich) 58'9 1/4"; 2. Mooney (Tex Tech) 57'2 3/4"; 3. Resley (Tex A&M) 56'2 3/4"; 4. Holliday (Wich St) 56'0". DT (b). Lister (Okla St) 174'2"; 2. Staley (Utah St) 173'1"; 3. Schwartz (Hocking Valley TC) 171'10"; 4. Roost (Utah St) 171'1". JT (a). McNabb (LSU) 266'3"; 2. Stenlund (Hock Val TC) 249'1"; 3. Collins (Clemson Fr) 232'6". HT (a). B. Narcessian (RI) 200'0".

440R (b). Rice 40.4 (Brown, Cloud, Belzung, Bernauer); 2. New Mexico TC 40.9 (Caminiti, Singer, Matison, Plummer); 3. Colorado State 41.1. MileR (b). Iowa 3:05.2 (Ferree 47.5, Frazier 47.0, Mondane 45.1, Reimer 45.6); 2. Rice 3:05.7 (Casey 47.3, Cloud 47.0, Bernauer 45.8, Brown 45.6); 3. Lamar Tech TC 3:07.0 (Thomas 47.8, Favazza 47.1, Clewis 45.8, Harrison 46.3); 4. Kansas 3:10.6 (Olison 47.3); 5. Abilene Christian 3:12.7; 6. Oklahoma 3:13.6; 7. New Mexico 3:14.5 (Matison 46.7).

Team scores: 1. New Mexico TC 85 1/3; 2. Jayhawk TC (Kansas) 69; 3. Colorado State 34; 4. Rice 32; 5. Iowa 28; 6. Oklahoma State 26 1/3; 7. Utah State 23; 8. Kent State 20; 9. tie, Wisconsin and Alabama 18.

Wow! Matthews 45.4, Boggess 45.6

from Bob Tracy

Sioux Falls, S.D., June 9-10--Vince Matthews, the Arkansas AM&N mile relay team, Jim Hines and Van Nelson starred at the 16th annual NAIA meet.

Matthews passed up this meet last year when Theron Lewis the 440 in 45.2, but he showed up at Sioux Falls this time looking for a fast 440 time after a brief outdoor campaign on slow eastern track. His best of three open 440s was 46.3, but he had spun a 44.9 anchor lap at the Penn Relays and was a fourth-place finisher in last year's AAU quarter. After prelims of 48c and 47.3 on Friday, he went out fast in Saturday's 440 final. Prairie View A&M frosh Thurman Boggess made a strong home stretch bid, but Matthews held him off. The final times were splendid. Matthews finished in 45.4 with Boggess crossing the line in 45.6, making them sixth and tied for seventh on the all-time quarter-mile list. Boggess' time broke Lee Evans' frosh record of 45.8 set last year.

The Arkansas AM&N mile relay team finished third, fourth, fifth and sixth in the open 440. Elbert Stinson's 45.9, Harold Francis' 46.0 and frosh Henry Smothers' 46.0 are the fastest-ever third, fourth and fifth-place finishes ever, and added to frosh Walter Smith's 47.0 in sixth place total 3:04.9. However, when that same foursome returned to the track less than two hours later, they had to run without good competition but still clocked 3:05.4. This fine time continued their pattern of one fast race per month. They ran 3:07.5 (April), 3:06.1 (May) and 3:05.4 (June) but could place only third in the Texas Southern Relays (3:12.8), win the Civitan Relays college division race (3:11.4) and place fifth at the California Relays (3:10.3).

Hines could only manage a 9.6 to win the 100 final after prelims of 9.7 and 9.5. Rain on the two days preceding the meet resulted in slow times on Friday, but by Saturday evening the temperature was 75 degrees and the track had dried considerably. The Texas Southern junior began his second day's work with a swift anchor leg on the 440 relay that barely caught Arkansas AM&N but left him four yards behind Southern's William Miller. He then ran heats and semifinals of the 220 but saved his best effort for his fourth race of the day. In the 220 final, he blasted out of his blocks, ran the curve well and

finished strongly for a personal best of 20.3. Only Tommie Smith, Henry Carr and Willie Turner have run faster.

Although several sprinters were outstanding, only one distance runner performed as well as the top speed-burners in a meet where the field events played second fiddle to the races. St. Cloud State's Van Nelson won his second consecutive double (last year he took the three-mile and mile, and placed fourth in the steeplechase.) On the first day, he lapped the field but the slow track caused him to run only 28:52.0. He came back the next day with another solo performance, but the time was better. His 13:29.8 has been bettered by only three other Americans outdoors this year. This was his eighth three-mile clocking between 13:13.2 and 13:45.0 since Feb. 18, including three indoor races.

Fort Hays State's John Mason took the steeplechase on Friday in 9:01.0 then came back Saturday to run the mile in 4:07.3 and claim second in the three-mile with a 14:06.0 effort. His steeplechase and mile times were 21.4- and 2.3-seconds better than Nelson's were last year, but he was 15.0-seconds slower in the three-mile.

Another frosh record fell, this time in the 440--barrier version. Prairie View A&M frosh Jesse Ball, whose best time two weeks before the meet was 54.0, won the event in 51.0 to clip 0.3-seconds from Geoff Vanderstock's two-year-old mark. Southern's Willie Davenport, who failed to qualify for the intermediate final, won the highs in 13.5--his best time of 1967.

100, Hines (Tex So) 9.6; 2. Harris (Sn) 9.6. Heats: Hines 9.7. Semis: Hines 9.5. 220, Hines 20.3 (wind ok); 2. Ford (Sn) 20.7; 3. Harris 20.7; 4. Farmer (Fres Pac) 20.9. Heats: I-1. Ford 21.0. II-1. Harris 21.2. 440, Matthews (JC Smith) 45.4; 2. Boggess (Pr View A&M/Fr) 45.6 FrR; 3. Stinson (Ark AM&N) 45.9; 4. Francis (Ark AM&N) 46.0; 5. Smothers (Ark AM&N/Fr) 46.0; 6. W. Smith (Ark AM&N/Fr) 47.0. Heats: II-1. Boggess 47.2. Semis: I-1. Stinson 46.5; 2. Matthews 47.3. II-1. Mason (Redlands) 47.2; 2. Boggess 47.5;

880, R. Johnson (Sn) 1:50.1... Hunt (Tex So) didn't place. Mile. Mason (Ft Hays St) 4:07.3. 3Mile, Nelson (St Cloud St) 13:29.8; 2. Mason 14:06.0; 3. Henry (Cent Wash St) 14:07.8. 6Mile, Nelson 28:52.0. 3000mSt, Mason 9:01.0; 2. Clark (Harding) 9:12.8; 3. McMahon (Okla Bap) 9:16.8; 4. Henry 9:22.2; 5. R. Camien (Emp St) 9:22.2.

120HH, Davenport (Sn) 13.5 (wind ok); 2. Coleman (W-Salem) 13.9; 3. Mann (NE La) 14.2. Heats: I-1. Davenport 13.9; 2. Mann 14.0. II-1. Coleman 13.8. 440H, Ball (Pr View A&M/Fr) 51.0 FrR; 2. Coleman 51.1; 3. Schierling (Emp St) 51.4; 4. Nielsen (Gustavus Adolphus) 51.8. Heats: Schierling 52.0; Davenport (Sn) and Sams (Sn) didn't qualify.

HJ, Hartfield (Tex So) 7'0". PV, Dukesherer (Kearney St) 15'5³/₄". LJ, Fox (McMurry) 24'3³/₄". TJ, Craft (En III) 49'2³/₄". ... 4. Hartfield 47'11". SP, Feuerbach (Emp St/Fr) 56'2³/₄". DT, Irwin (Tex So) 170'5". JT, Lenfant (SWn La) 235'5"; 2. Vander Griend (Wn Wash) 230'4".

440R, Southern 40.0 (Davenport, Harris, Ford, W. Miller); 2. Texas Southern 40.4; 3. Arkansas AM&N 40.4; 4. Miler, Arkansas AM&N 3:05.4 (W. Smith, Smothers, Francis, Stinson); 2. Prairie View A&M 3:11.7.

Team scores: 1. Southern 77; 2. Texas Southern 63; 3. Arkansas AM&N 45; 4. Fort Hays State 38; 5. Prairie View A&M 30; 6. Emporia State 28; 7. Central Washington State 27; 8. St. Cloud State 23; 9. Oklahoma Baptist 16; 10. Winston-Salem 16.

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World Records for Seagren, USC 440 Relays

by George Grenier

San Diego, Calif., June 10--It was Southern Cal's night here as the Trojan athletes came up with two new world records. One, fantastic 440 relay clocking that chopped a full six-tenths of a second off a mark that has ticked downward by tenths each time. The 39.0 equalled the record for the shorter metric distance of 400-meters. The other mark came when Bob Seagren finally took back the record that he had been seeking for a year with a clear vault over 17'7" (5.36m).

The Trojan quartet thought they could do 39.3, and coach Von Wolfe had predicted a 39.0 as possible if they had perfect passes. The hopes of a record dimmed and Wolfe's face grew longer as first UCLA and then the Striders scratched from the relay. An all-star team of George Anderson, Bob Beamon, Jim Kemp and John Carlos was gathered to supply the opposition for the Trojan foursome of Earl McCullough, Fred Kuller, O.J. Simpson and Lennox Miller. The Trojans had lane seven and the all-stars were in six to take advantage of the broad sweep of the turns. Southern Cal was ahead at the first exchange and winging until the third exchange when a stretching O.J. just reached a twisting-back Miller to get the stick off in the final yard of the zone. Wolfe clocked his charges in 39.0, and said "Damn, 'I missed the flash.'" When the time was announced, Wolfe's downcast face broke into a wide smile and the bad pass was forgiven and forgotten. For the record, this 39.0 finally exceeds both the turn and two-turn records. It is the first time the 440-yard relay record has even been within a half-a-second of the 400-meter mark.

Wolfe's smile became even broader after Seagren cleared 17'7" by four to five inches on his fifth vault of the night at 8 p.m. after a mere two hours of competition. Seagren passed 16'0" and 15'6", made 16'0" on his first try, passed 16'4", made 16'8" on his first and 17'3¹/₄" on his first. This mark erased Fred Hansen's stadium mark of 17'2", which at the time was a world record in 1964. The bar was raised to 17'7¹/₄"; Seagren came close on his first attempt. Pandemonium reigned when he cleared the bar on his second effort to regain the record from John Pannel. After consultation with Seagren, who carefully supervised the measurement, officials raised the bar to 17'10". The first attempt was the best, just knocking the crossbar off with his hands. Seagren explained his failure in LA the night before when he could vault but 16'0" and lost to Dick Rallsback on a new pole. He broke that pole in the warm-up here, so he switched to his old pole. He says, "I'll never use another." He said the pole breaking in the warm-up didn't bother him because after 16 breaks he's used to it.

Earlier in the week, Ron Clarke had announced he would step for the world two-mile record to add to his world record collection. But at mid-week, he caught a virus and was laid up for three days, thought of not running. The race started slowly as Smith led with 64.5 first lap (Clarke 65.3), a 2:08.5 half (Clarke 2:09.0). But at announcer Dwain Esper's insistent urging with Michel Jazy's world record lap times, Clarke apparently was goaded into pulling abreast of Smith in 3:14.0 and spurting to a 4:13.5 mile with a 59.5 inter-quarter (probably the fastest on record in a quality race) to put him within two seconds of Jazy's pace. Smith had 4:16.3 at the mile and had broken contact with the pack. Clarke's next lap of 63.0 carried him to within a second of Jazy's pace and gave him a five-second lead on Smith. With no competition, Clarke slowed to 6:20.8 and 7:25.0 and managed a 60.1 last lap to record the equal third fastest time of 8:25.2. Pat Traynor made another of his characteristic late burst of speed to overtake Smith with a 58.5 last lap to 60.8 to clock 8:3 to 8:35.0.

Earl McCullough got the jump on Ron Copeland at the start again, and held him off at the tape in 13.6. Tom Von Ruden edged Villanova's Frank Murphy in a four-man blanket finish, which for some reason the timers clocked in tenth second separations from 1:49.6 to 1:49.9. Martin Liquori waged a nip and tuck battle with Dave Patrick over the final 330 yards, but the high schooler proved too much for Patrick in the last 100 yards. A much improved Danielson slipped past Patrick in the closing yards as Patrick gave up his battle with Liquori. The New Jersey prep's time improves his third fastest by a high schooler position by a full second in the space of a week to 4:00.1. He was unapproachable for comment after the meet since he was closely guarded by a cordon of Villanova athletes whom he intends to join next fall. Ron Whitney ran a smooth intermediate hurdle race to the 10th barrier with a sub 50.0 pace, and then had to chop to take the hurdle off balance. The 440 hurdles finished in the middle of the track. The 10th hurdle was right off the turn, causing the hurdlers to clear it at an angle. Paul Nash closed fast in the 220 and just missed catching Arizona State's Jerry Bright as both returned 20.7.

100, L. Miller (So Cal) 9.4; 2. Nash (So Afr) 9.5; 3. Carlos (E Tex St/Fr) 9.5; 4. G. Anderson (Hous Strid) 9.5. 220, Bright

(Ariz St) 20.7; 2. Nash 20.7; 3. RR Smith (LACC) 20.9; 4. Carlos 21.0. 440, Kemp (unat) 46.6; 2. Frey (Strid) 47.1; 3. von Hofwegen (Cerritos JC) 47.3; 4. Dave Morton (Memorial HS, Houston, Tex) 47.3.

880, Von Kuden (unat) 1:49.6; 2. Murphy (Vill) 1:49.7; 3. Nelson (Strid) 1:49.8; 4. Hansen (Pierce JC) 1:49.9. Mile. Liquori (Essex Catholic HS, Newark, NJ) 4:00.1; 2. Danielson (BYU Fr) 4:01.4; 3. Patrick (Vill) 4:02.5; 4. McCalla (USAF) 4:05.4. (Liquori's splits: 62.0, 2:03.0, 3:03.4). 2Mile, Clarke (Aus) 8:25.2 (65.3, 2:09.0, 3:14.0, 4:13.5, 5:16.5, 6:20.8, 7:25.1); 2. Traynor (USAF) 8:34.6; 3. Tr. Smith (SMAA) 8:35.0; 4. Lawson (unat) 8:37.4; 5. Pearce (Tex Wn Fr) 8:46c.

120HH, McCullough (So Cal) 13.6; 2. Copeland (UCLA) 13.6; 3. Hall (Vill) 13.7; 4. Gibson (El Paso TC) 14.0; 5. Proctor (Muir HS, Pasadena) 14.2. 440IH, Whitney (Strid) 51.0; 2. LaCore (Strid) 52.0; 3. Alexander (USN) 52.9.

HJ, Burrell (unat) 6'10"; 2. Dobroth (unat) 6'8"; 3. Higgins (PAA) 6'8". PV, Seagren (So Cal) 17'7" WR. AR. CR; 2. Wilson (So Cal) 16'0"; 3. Vaughn (UCLA Fr) 15'6"; 4. Hein (Strid) 15'6". SP, Matson (Tex A&M) 67'10³/₄"; 2. Woods (unat) 61'10¹/₄". DT, Oerter (NYAC) 194'0"; 2. Carlsen (So Cal) 192'5"; 3. Matson (Tex A&M) 181'10"; 4. Neville 177'8".

440R, Southern California 39.0 WR. CR (McCullough, Kuller, Simpson, Miller); 2. All-Star team 40.1 (G. Anderson, Kemp, Beaumont, Carlos).

Burke, Danek, Smith, Turner in Season Best

Sacramento, Calif., June 10--Sprinters Tommie Smith and Willie Turner along with weightmen Ed Burke, George Frenn and Ludvik Danek came up with the leading performances of the PAAAU Championships-turned-Sacramento Invitational as each produced a seasonal best. Three were world bests for 1967.

It was 18-year-old Turner with the most startling credentials. For, according to the Portuguese Scoring Tables, the Oregon State freshman is the greatest combination 100-yard, 100-meter/200-meter, 220-yard sprinter in history--greater than the likes of Smith, Bob Hayes, Harry Jerome and Henry Carr. It all developed after he chased Smith to a sizzling 220 turn time of 20.2 to 20.1 on the same Hughes Stadium track that produced Smith's world record here last year. After only three major invitational meets, Turner has equalled the world 100-meter record of 10.0 and come within two-tenths of the world 220-yard mark to become the equal second fastest furlong runner with Carr with his 20.2. He claimed the yearly 220 standard to boot. He annexed the 100-yard title here with a windy 9.4 as he nudged Scot Menzies Campbell with the same clocking. Lee Evans, who finished in a career best of 20.7 for third in the 220, posted his third swifted quarter-mile clocking of 45.7.

The first three finishers in the discus achieved seasonal bests, led by Ludvik Danek's 212'6" which missed Randy Matson's year leader of 213'9". Rink Babka, whose first competition was on May 20, popped the platter out 208'6", while Olympian Dave Weill came up with a surprising life-time best by 5'8¹/₂" with a 206'8" toss. Jay Silvester was fourth at 201'4" to complete a splendid competition.

The first two finalists in the hammer recorded yearly highs. Ed Burke, hot to hit 235-feet, managed a best-ever of 229'4" to top his best, set in 1965, of 228'8". All his throws were impressive, four reaching 220-feet or further and one other at 228-feet. George Frenn lifted the hammer 220'11", far beyond his previous high of 213'4" set this year, and watched all six of his efforts exceed 210-feet.

100 (4.69 mph aiding wind), W. Turner (Ore St Fr) 9.4; 2. Campbell (Athens) 9.4. 220 (4.0 mph), To. Smith (San Jose St) 20.1; 2. W. Turner 20.2 FrR; 3. Evans (San Jose St) 20.7; 4. Campbell 20.8; 5. Gray (Montgomery HS, Santa Rosa) 21.0. 440, Evans 45.7; 2. Shackelford (San Jose St) 47.0.

880, Lilly (Ore St Fr) 1:50.2. Mile. Dean (Athens) 4:03.5; 2. Romero (Reedley HS) 4:08.0. 5000m, Dent (Pas CC) 14:30.6; 2. Delgado (Athens) 14:31.6... 5. Romero 14:48.2 (one hour after mile). 3000mSt, Roelants (Belg) 8:45.4; 2. Richards (BYU) 9:05.8.

120HH, Livers (Athens) 13.8; 2. R. Rogers (San Jose St) 14.0. 440IH, Wyatt (Athens) 51.4; 2. Gairdner (SCVYV) 52.5.

HJ, C. Johnson (Cal Fr) 7'3¹/₄". PV, White (Athens) 16'0"; 2. tie. Miguel (Cal) and Phillips (Athens) 15'6"; 4. Chase (SCVYV) 15'6". LJ, Horn (Athens) 25'11"; 2. B. Miller (unat) 25'7³/₄"; 3. D. Smith (Athens) 25'3¹/₄"; 4. Jessie (Imp Val JC) 24'8³/₄"; 5. Kennedy (Cal) 24'6¹/₄". 6. Gray 24'6¹/₄". TJ, Horn 51'8¹/₄"; 2. L. Jackson (SCVYV) 50'1¹/₄"; 3. Danna (BYU) 50'1¹/₄"; 4. D. Smith 49'1¹/₄"; 5. Tucker (San Jose St) 48'7³/₄".

SP, Maggard (SCVYV) 62'9¹/₄"; 2. Larson (Hayward St) 57'8¹/₂"; 3. Bruce Wilhelm (Olda St) 56'11"; 4. Briles (Athens) 55'6¹/₄". DT, Danek (Czech) 212'6"; 2. Babka (PAA) 208'6"; 3. Weill (SCVYV) 206'2"; 4. Silvester (unat) 201'4"; 5. Bakkensic (Athens) 178'11".

HT, Burke (Strid) 229'4"; 2. Frenn (PAA) 220'11"; 3. Pryde (SBAC) 199'0"; 4. Thomson (NYAC) 177'10"; 5. Ballard (SCVYV) 177'5"; 6. Vandegriff (Clayton Valley HS) 173'11" HSR. JT, Conley (SCVYV) 237'8".

Toomey Nabs Third Straight AAU Decathlon

Los Angeles, Calif., June 10-11--Bill Toomey rebounded from a knee injury that had kept him inactive this spring to win his third consecutive AAU decathlon title. His two-day total of 7880 was worse than any of his three marks of 1966, but it demonstrated a marked improvement over his physical condition of the past three months. An injury to a knee cartilage sustained at the AAU indoor meet had required an operation that kept him out of competition until this meet. However, Toomey managed to establish a 126-point lead over Bill Smith at the end of the first day's competition. A 219'11" javelin throw, his best-ever in decathlon competition, helped increase his lead over Smith as Dave Thoreson, Toomey's Strider teammate and roommate at Santa Barbara, finished strongly to claim second place. Both Thoreson (7524) and Smith (7341) registered life-time bests.

Toomey and Thoreson will represent the US at the Pan-American Games, and will be joined by Smith--a former Ohio State athlete--in the three-way meet with the Germans and British Commonwealth. Russ Hodge, still suffering from an injury sustained at the Mt. SAC decathlon, did not enter here. He did put the shot, but no mark was given. However, Russ expects to be ready for the Los Angeles meet, July 8-9, and will probably be added as a non-scoring fourth member of the US squad.

As frequently happens in the decathlon, several competitors were injured and failed to finish. In that group here were Mexico's Roberto Carmona, the Mt. SAC winner; Canadian Gerry Moro and Phil Shinnick.

- Toomey (Strid) 7880 (4073 first day)
11.0/804 24'4¹/₂"/907 46'1¹/₂"/731 6'3¹/₄"/779 49.0/872
15.0/848 139'3"/733 13'1¹/₂"/807 219'11"/845 4:32.3/57
- Thoreson (Strid) 7524 (3769 first day)
11.6/665 22'10¹/₂"/814 39'3³/₄"/598 6'8³/₄"/900 50.3/792
15.8/767 133'4"/698 15'0"/950 190'11"/739 4:28.3/60
- Bill Smith (unat) 7341 (3947 first day)
10.6/905 24'1³/₄"/893 44'9"/705 6'2"/751 52.0/720
15.3/817 144'6"/763 11'11³/₄"/714 196'2"/759 5:18.3/31
- Lennart Hedmark (LA St/Sweden) 7175 NR (3576 first day)
11.6/665 22'8"/802 43'6"/683 5'11³/₄"/695 51.8/728
15.1/837 146'6"/775 11'11³/₄"/714 200'5"/775 4:44.3/49
- Norm Johnston (Iowa Staters TC) 7054 (3596 first day)
11.0/804 21'5"/721 39'1"/593 6'1"/725 51.2/753
14.8/870 126'8"/658 11'5³/₄"/672 165'5"/639 4:25.7/61
- Sam Goldberg (unat) 7043 (3615 first day)
11.1/780 21'9"/742 37'4¹/₂"/528 6'1"/725 49.9/810
15.7/777 134'11"/708 11'11³/₄"/714 174'4"/674 4:35.2/55
- Stempel (unat) 6856; 8. Warkentin (Fres St) 6843; 9. Herman (SBAC) 6710; 10. Pearman (Cornell Fr) 6692; 11. Walsh (Lon Island AC) 6687; 12. Bannister (New Hamp) 6645; 13. Long (LB St) 6497; 14. Lovell (Athens) 6418; 15. Donahue (Redwood City Strid) 6109. dnf, Moro (Strid), McLaughlin (unat), Carmona (Mexico), Shinnick (Tacoma TC), all injured.

National News

Results of meets only partially reported previously:
SOUTH ATLANTIC AAU, Catonsville, Md., June 4--JT, Skinner (Del TC) 245'7". 440, Burnett (PPC) 47.0.

New meets not reported previously:
NEW ENGLAND AAU, Framingham, Mass., June 1--6Mile, Buschmann (Spartan AC) 29:26.0.

KENTUCKY AAU, Louisville, Ky., June 3--100 (wind ok), Green (Eminence, Ky HS) 9.5. 220s (wind ok), Green 20.6. DT, McDonald (Lincoln) 171'3". TJ, Jackson (Wn Ky Fr) 50'1¹/₂".

DELAWARE AAU, Wilmington, Del., June 8--JT, Skinner (Del TC) 268'7" (also measured 267'6").

SPAAAAU, Eagle Rock, Calif., June 9--100 (wind ok), Smith (St) 9.5; 2. Dunn (Strid) 9.6. 220t (wind ok), Smith 20.9; 2. Kemp 21.440, Newton (Whittier HS) 46.9; 2. Kemp 46.9. 880, Buck (So Cal) 1:49.6; 2. J. Perry (unat) 1:50.1; 3. Bork (Strid) 1:50.1; 4. Ruck (L Beach St Fr) 1:50.6. Mile, Kruger (UCLA) 4:06.3; 2. Von Rudt (unat) 4:07.1. 3M, Woelk (Strid) 13:57.6; 2. Macias (Belmont HS) 14:20.8; 3. Oleson (SMCC) 14:21.6. 6M, Gurule (unat) 29:34.0; 2. Deines (Oxy) 29:55.2. 120HH, Copeland (UCLA) 13.8; 2. Ferry (Cal) 14.1. HJ, Heet (So Cal) 6'10". PV, Raifback (UCLA) 16'8".

Seagren (So Cal) 16'0"; 3. Heglar (PAA) 15'6"; 4. Hein (Strid) 15'6"; 5. Steben (Oxy) 15'6". SP, Woods (unat) 61'10¹/₂"; 2. Davis (PAA) 60'9"; 3. O'Brien (unat) 59'10³/₄"; 4. Marcus (UCLA) 58'9¹/₂". DT, Danek (Czech) 205'6"; 2. Carlsen (So Cal) 196'11"; 3. Neville (PAA) 188'9"; 4. Wassell (UCLA) 178'5"; 5. Harper (Strid) 176'11"; 6. O'Brien 175'2". JT, Covelli (PAA) 244'4"; 2. Stuart (Strid) 235'4"; 3. Nelson (unat) 232'5".

NCAA COLLEGE DIVISION, Ogden, Utah, June 9-10--DT, McDonald (Lincoln) 178'11". HT, O'Donoghue (Boston St) 162'4". 6M, Colehour (E Ky) 29:58.4; 2. Burfoot (Wesleyan) 30:08.8; 3. Fitts (Courtland St) 30:26.6. JT, San Fillippo (Cal Poly/Pom) 221'5". LJ, Turner (Cal Poly/SLO) 24'5". 3M, Fitts 14:24.8; 2. Burfoot 14:25.8; 3. Colehour 14:39.4. SP, Hannafield (L Beach St) 58'5³/₄"; 2. Young (Portland St) 56'1¹/₄". Mile, Martinez (Sn Colo) 4:16.7. 440, Banks (NE Mo St) 47.3. 100 (windy), Rovere (E Tenn St) 9.2; 2. Adare (Wheaton) 9.3; 3. C. Turner (Cal Poly/SLO) 9.4; 4. McNeil (Pepperdine) 9.5; 5. Bassett (Nebr Wes) 9.5. PV, Hanna (Ind St) 15'6". 100 Heats: 1-1. Rovere 9.4. 11-1. Turner 9.4. (No wind info.) HH, Clements (Long Beach St) 14.1. 220t (windy) Rovere 20.6; 2. Banks 20.8; 3. Bassett 21.2. 440IH, Bell (American U) 51.0; 2. Clements 52.6; 3. Reimers (Sac St) 52.6; 4. Sherlock (Nev) 52.8. 440R, Cal Poly/SLO 40.8. 3000St, Drennan (Arlington St) 9:49.8. HJ, Mills (Long Beach St) 6'6". MileR, Southern Colorado 3:15.0. TJ, Wygant (Santa Barbara UC) 48'6³/₄". 440R Heats: Cal Poly/SLO 40.9. 220 Heats: Rovere 20.7 (no wind info). 4310-ft. altitude.

ARIZONA AAU, Phoenix, Ariz., June 10--SP, Cole (unat) 61'6". DT, Cole 202'3". PV, Markham (Ariz St) 15'6"; 2. Martensen (Ariz) 15'6".

OREGON FEDERATION, Corvallis, Ore., June 10--HT, De Autremont (Staters) 189'2". 3000St, Lehner (Ore TC) 9:19.8. Mile, T. Thompson (Staters) 4:11.6. JT, Burns (Portland TC) 237'10"; 2. Lowry (Ore St) 233'0". PV, Glaeser (Ore St) 15'7". DT, Volmer (Ore St) 180'10"; 2. Tollefson (Ore St) 172'11". 880, Thompson 1:50.3. 3M, Grelle (Mult AC) 13:43.4; 2. Morrow (Ore TC) 14:02.8.

CANADIAN PAN AMERICAN GAMES TRIALS, Vancouver, B.C., June 10--100m, Jerome (VOS) 10.1. AC, LA, Calif., June 10--JT, Covelli (PAA) 244'4"; 2. Red (PAA) 232'4".

MET AAU, Yonkers, N.Y., June 10--HT, Gage (NYAC) 211'9" (also 210'6"); 2. Mead (NYAC) 182'4"; 3. Doernberger (NYAC) 180'2"; 4. Fiore (NYAC) 177'6"; 5. Sherman (St. John's) 174'7". JT, Sosny (Bruce TC) 238'11". TJ, Cooper (NYPC) 48'11"; 2. Mousiades (NYAC) 48'8³/₄". 440IH, Rogers (GSB) 52.4; 2. D. Johnston (NYAC) 52.7. Heats: 1-1. Miller (Strid) 52.6. (Not eligible for finals., guest competitor.)

EASTERN INTERSCHOLASTICS, Yonkers, N.Y., June 10--JT, Murro (Essex Catholic, Newark, NJ HS) 245'11". TJ, Gadson (Taft, NYC HS) 48'7¹/₄".

AAU MARATHON, Holyoke, Mass., June 11--1, Daws (Twin CTC) 2:40:07.4; 2. McDonagh (Millrose AA) 2:43:42. Winrow (NY-AC) 2:47:40.0. (84 starters failed to finish; 92-degree heat; Laris dnf; Higgins, last year's winner, finished 18th)

MIDDLE ATLANTIC AAU, Wilmington, Del., June 11--100, Gaines (Clearview HS, Mullica Hill, NJ) 9.3 EHSR. 220s, Randolph (Wn Mich Fr) 20:6. 440, Burnett (Phila PC) 46.8. 440IH, James (Phila PC) 52.1. TJ, Krow (Penn AC) 50'1¹/₂". JT, Skinner (Del TC) 236'6".

Foreign News

MERICAMP MEMORIAL, Paris, Fr., June 7-8--400m, Nallet 46.7. 5000m, Wadoux 13:43.6; 2. Tenu (Ken) 13:48.6; 3. Bernard 13:50.8; 4. Jourdan 13:52.4; 5. Tijou 13:53.0; 6. LeFlohic 13:59.6. 3000mSt, Kogo (Ken) 8:31.6; 2. Joni (Hun) 8:39.6; 3. Bontoux 8:39.6. 400mIH, Poirier 50.8; 2. Hebrard 51.3. HJ, Czernik (Pol) 6'10³/₄". PV, D'Encausse 16'1"; 2. Nordwig (E Ger) 15'7". LJ, Pani 25'5¹/₄". 400R (first night), France 39.1 EER (Berger, Piquemal, Delecour, Bambuck); 2. Poland 39.7 (Badenski, Werner, Jaworski, Maniak); 3. France B 40.2; 4. Great Britain 40.3. 400mR (second night), France 39.5 (Berger, Piquemal, Delecour, Bambuck).

MUNSTER, W. GER. --1500m, Odlozil (Cze) 3:44.8; 2. Gosewinkel 3:44.9; 3. Lange 3:44.9. 3000m, Norpoth 7:45.0 European record, second fastest ever; 2. Meccser (Hun) 7:55.2; 3. Gerlach 7:57.4; 4. Girke 8:00.4; 5. Kogo (Ken) 8:04.8.

HAMBURG, W. GER. --HT, Beyer 217'3¹/₂". JT, Timmier 265'4". DUISBURG, W. GER. --HT, Fahsl 210'1¹/₂".

MUNSTER, W. GER. --PV, Lehnertz 16'1"; 2. Reinhardt 15'9". LEIPZIG, E. GER. --100m, Figuerola (Cuba) 10.3.

FINLAND--DT, Haglund (Swe) 186'2". JT, Kuisma 256'7¹/₂".

MILAN, IT. --110mIH, Ottoz 13.7. DT, Simcon 192'11¹/₂".

400mR, Italian National Team 40.4.

WARSAW, POL. --DT, Piatkowski 199'0". Dec, Grzegorzewski 7241 NR.

ZURICH, SWITZ. --JT, von Wartburg 257'1¹/₂".

KIEV, USSR--400mIH, Anisimov 51.5. LJ, Khamasa 25'3¹/₂". TJ, Vovk 53'2¹/₄".

BAKU, USSR--HJ, Bolshov 6'11¹/₈". 2. Mdivani 6'11¹/₈". LJ, Sarayev 25'11".

LENINGRAD, USSR--1500m, Tsimbirtchev 3:45.0. 5000m, Sharafutdinov 13:45.4; 2. Tyurin 13:48.6. 3000mSt, Belyayev 8:45.0. DT, Truseniyov 191'11". HT, Nikulin 221'6".

USSR 118, E. GER. 105, Karl Marxstadt, E. Ger., June 10-200m, N. Ivanov (SU) 20.9. 1500m, Matuschewski (EG) 3:43.8; 2. Zhelobovski (SU) 3:44.5. 10,000m, Haase (EG) 28:42.2; 2. Eisenberg (EG) 28:44.2; 3. Dutov (SU) 28:47.2. 3000mSt, Kuryan (SU) 8:39.6; 2. Morozov (SU) 8:39.6. HJ, Gavrilov (SU) 6'11¹/₈". 2. Moroz (SU) 6'11¹/₈". PV, Bliznyetsov (SU) 16'5"; 2. Nordwig (EG) 16'3. Fyeld (SU) 16'1". LJ, Lepik (SU) 25'3¹/₄". TJ, Ruckborn (EG) 54'1³/₄"; 2. Saneyev (SU) 53'8"; 3. Neumann (EG) 52'11"; 4. Zolotareyev (SU) 52'6³/₄". SP, Guschin (SU) 62'10"; 2. Karasov (SU) 61'3³/₄". DT, Thorith (EG) 198'3¹/₂"; 2. Yaras (SU) 193'5"; 3. Los (EG) 186'11"; 4. Iakhov (EG) 186'2"; HT, Klim (SU) 229'8"; 2. Kondrashov (SU) 225'11¹/₄"; 3. Losch (EG) 213'1¹/₂". JT, Stolle (EG) 260'6"; 2. Lasis (SU) 256'4¹/₂"; 3. Paama (SU) 254'3". 400mR, E. Germany 39.4 ENR (Erbstosser, Klaun, Burde, Eggers); 2. USSR 40.3. 1600mR, USSR 3:09.4; 2. East Germany 3:09.7.

LONDON--3Mile, Graham 13:30.0; 2. McCafferty 13:32.4. BELLAC, FR. --PV, D'Encausse 16'5".

SEINNE, FR. --100m, Figuerola (Cuba) 10.2; 2. Ramirez (Cuba) 10.3. 110mHH, Duriez 14.0; 2. John (WG) 14.0. DT, Milde (EG) 197'8¹/₂"; 2. Piatkowski (Pol) 196'2"; 3. Begier (Pol) 195'2"; 4. Simeon (It) 183'3".

MANTES, FR. --JT, Wakalina 256'1¹/₂".

HARVARD-YALE 11, OXFORD-CAMBRIDGE 5, London, Eng. June 13--1Mile, Shaw (Harv Fr) 4:03.4. LJ, Hill (Yale) 24'8³/₄". T. Hill 50'6¹/₂".

All-Time Discus Performers

213'11 ¹ / ₂ "	Ludvik Danek (Cze) 66	196'8"	Lars Haglund (Swe) 64
213'9"	Randy Matson (US) 67	196'3"	Vytautas Jaras (SU) 67
210'6"	Jay Silvester (US) 65	195'11"	Jerzy Klockowski (Pol) 67
209'5"	Rink Babka (US) 66	195'2 ¹ / ₂ "	Vladimir Lyakov (SU) 67
207'5"	Al Oerter (US) 66	195'1 ¹ / ₂ "	Kim Bukhantsev (SU) 67
206'8"	Dave Weill (US) 67	195'0"	Pentti Repo (Fin) 64
206'0"	Gary Carlsen (US) 67	194'10"	Lothar Milde (EG) 66
205'6"	Bill Neville (US) 65	194'6"	Fortune Gordien (US) 66
204'8"	Jon Cole (US) 67	194'6"	Jens Reimers (WG) 66
203'5"	Bob Humphreys (US) 62	193'11 ¹ / ₂ "	Hartmut Losch (EG) 66
202'6"	Silvano Simcon (It) 67	193'7"	Geza Fcjer (Hun) 66
202'2 ¹ / ₂ "	Vlad. Truseniyov (SU) 62	193'5"	Jiri Zemba (Cze) 63
201'1 ¹ / ₂ "	Detlef Thorith (EG) 66	193'4"	John McGrath (US) 64
200'4"	Ed. Piatkowski (Pol) 66	192'11"	Ernst Soudek (Aut) 66
199'0"	Jozsef Szecsenyi (Hun) 62	192'9 ¹ / ₂ "	Vik. Kompanyets (SU) 66
198'10"	George Puce (Can) 67	192'9 ¹ / ₂ "	Dick Crane (US) 64
198'5 ¹ / ₂ "	Zenon Begier (Pol) 65	192'4"	Fritz Kuhl (Fr) 66
196'10"	Parry O'Brien (US) 65	191'6 ¹ / ₂ "	Janos Farago (Hun) 67

All-Time 440 Yard-400 Meters List

(m=400-meter mark)			
44.8	Tommie Smith (US) 67	45.6m	Andrzej Badenski (Pol)
44.9	Adolph Plummer (US) 63	45.9	Dave Crook (US) 66
45.0	Wendell Mottley (Trin) 66	45.9	Elbert Stinson (US) 66
44.9m	Otis Davis (US) 60	45.6m	Milkha Singh (Ind) 60
44.9m	Carl Kaufmann (WG) 60	45.9	Robbie Brightwell (GB)
44.9m	Mike Larrabee (US) 64	45.6m	Ollan Cassell (US) 64
45.2	Theron Lewis (US) 66	46.0	Herb McKenley (Jam)
45.0m	Ulis Williams (US) 64	45.7m	Ted Woods (US) 60
45.3	Lee Evans (US) 67	46.0	George Kerr (Jam) 60
45.4	Vince Matthews (US) 67	45.7m	Earl Young (US) 60
45.2m	Lou Jones (US) 56	45.7m	Adrian Metcalfe (GB)
45.6	Thurman Boggess (US) 67	45.7m	Peter Laeng (Swz) 62
45.7	Glen Davis (US) 53	46.0	Bob Tobler (US) 63
45.4m	Henry Carr (US) 63	46.0	Rex Cawley (US) 63
45.8	Jim Lea (US) 56	46.0	Kent Bernard (Trin)
45.8	Eddie Southern (US) 58	45.7m	Josef Trousil (Cze) 66
45.5m	Mal Spence (S Afr) 60	45.7m	Jan Werner (Pol) 66
45.9	Robbie Brightwell (GB) 62	46.0	Harold Francis (US)
45.6m	Ollan Cassell (US) 64	46.0	Henry Smothers (US)