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Indoor Marks to Larrabee, Nelson

by Ekkehard zur Megede, Sports Editor Der Tagesspiegel
Berlin, April 7-8--America's AAU team, having only some of their aces with them in Europe because of the difficulties between the AAU and NCAA, showed at the famous banked board track at West Berlin's Deutschlandhalle their world class even with their, as some of the US athletes said, second string. Germany lost the first dual meeting indoors between the two teams, 56 to 101.

What we saw here in Berlin was great, very great indeed. Mike Larrabee established a new world record indoors in beating his countryman Jack Yerman by a tenth in 46.8 for 400-meters on the 190-meter track. Ted Nelson, the AAU indoor champ at 800-meters, also produced a world indoor mark in winning the 800-meters in a phenomenal 1:47.4. Germany's Dieter Bogatzki set the early pace but finished fourth and last, in 1:49.1! The highlight for the onlookers was the 3000-meters in which two great Olympians, Billy Mills and Harald Norpoth, runner-up in the 5000, met for the first time ever. In a great ding-dong battle, the German succeeded with his brilliant finish for a 7:55.8 victory, over Mills' 7:56.6.

Even in the women's match, the US girls triumphed. They won with 61 points to Germany's 52.

There were two races of the 60. Neither presented a task for the US duo of Larry Dunn and Mel Pender. In the first race, Pender had a very fast start and gained a two meter lead but Dunn just did catch Pender as both were credited with 6.0. Germany's Gert Metz was third in 6.1. The second 60-yard race went clearly to Dunn, who was in front after 30 meters and won again in 6.0.

The well-nigh twins, Larrabee and Yerman--both of whom have won Olympic gold medals, wear glasses, and are veterans, were in great shape. Both jumped into the lead at the gun, and Larrabee passed the 200 in 23.2--at which point the Germans had lost contact. In the last lap, Yerman tried to change the position but the Olympic 400 champ had enough reserve. Larrabee won by less than a meter in 46.8 to Yerman's 46.9. German hurdler Horst Gieseler established a new national mark of 47.9. These runners now stand one, two, and seven on the all-time 400-meter indoor list.

Ollan Cassell and Dieter Bogatzki both agreed that Ted Nelson has a tremendous kick, and expected a fast race. As a result, Bogatzki attempted to tire Nelson with a 52.9 first 400. Jorg Balke followed closely. Nelson trailed in fourth. In the last lap, he came from behind and succeeded in taking the lead. Bogatzki was finished but surprising Frank Tomeo and Balke still had a kick. Nelson crossed the finish in 1:47.4. Behind him there was a big fight for second. Balke just was second as he and Tomeo were given 1:48.6. John Woodruff covered the same distance in 1:47.7 in 1940 but it was on a 6 2/3 laps to the mile track (Dartmouth) so the mark was never accepted as a record. As a result, Nelson, Balke, and Tomeo stand one, two, three while Bogatzki is fifth behind Tom Farrell's converted 1:49.1.

Jim Grelle and Vic Zwolak came to Berlin after a defeat by Englishmen John Whetton and Alan Simpson over the mile. So the German team hoped to win this race. And so it happened. The young Berlin prospect Bodo Tummler killed the kick from Grelle with an impressive finish. The pace had been slow, the times were not especially fast. Tummler's time was 3:46.3.

Mills had had some good races just prior to his coming to Germany, while Norpoth had not competed since coming home from Japan although he had played soccer and remained in good track-condition through training. And so he was in very good condition to face Mills, who said that 3000-meters was "a little bit too short for me." Mills assumed the lead at the gun and set a very fast pace. He passed the kilometer mark in 2:39.0, with Norpoth and Lutz Philipp on his heels. The 2000 was passed in 5:21.4, at which point Philipp suddenly surged. Norpoth and Mills had no difficulty in keeping up but Frank Plating dropped back. When the bell rang, Mills was in the lead. At the next-to-last straight Norpoth started his final attack. It was a great rush. No question. Norpoth was the better man on this day at this distance. Mills tried to follow but Norpoth had something in reserve and won in 7:55.8. Mills, too, ran a great race: 7:56.6 for a new American best. Even Philipp broke eight minutes. Norpoth remained only 2.6 seconds outside the indoor record established this

year by Siegfried Herrmann of East Germany.

There were also two races in the 60-yard hurdles. Ralph Boston, the Bob Hope of the US team, asked when he arrived in Berlin: "Is it possible that five men can run the hurdles?" When I said yes, he grinned like a clown and said, "Then that's the opportunity to beat that boy Willie Davenport again." And so he did. As a non-scorer he won the first 60 highs in 7.1, only inches ahead of Davenport (also 7.1). Afterwards, he ran to Willie and put his arms about his shoulders and said, "Okay, that was it." The next day the race was run without Boston, and again Davenport was beaten, this time by his countryman Russ Rogers as both ran 7.2.

There was a great surprise in the pole vault. Wolfgang Reinhardt, silver medalist at Tokyo, was off form, mainly due to excessive studying. He vaulted 15'5" and took last. Billy Pemetton, the US indoor record holder, wasn't in good shape, either, finishing at 15'9" It was Jeff Chase who rescued the situation. He had no difficulties with 15'9" and even with 16'1 3/4". Then the bar was raised to 16'6 3/4", which would have been a new American indoor best. One trial was extraordinary but just in that moment an American military band entered the hall and the sudden music destroyed Jeff's hopes. Nevertheless, he had attained a lifetime best.

Boston had been ill here and hadn't trained much, but he still jumped 25'10 1/4" and 25'5 1/4". Second place went to Charley Mays as expected at 25'4".

On his sixth and final try in the triple jump, Darrell Horn reached 52'10 3/4" for a new US indoor record. He did it in beating the world indoor record holder, Michael Sauer, who took second at 51'10 Horn's series: 51'3", 51'2 1/2", 51'6 1/2", 51'8 1/2", 52'2", and 52'10 3/4".

60, Dunn (US) 6.0; 2. Pender (US) 6.0; 3. Metz (G) 6.1; 4. Hol dorf (G) 6.2. 60, Dunn 6.0; 2. Pender 6.1; 3. Metz 6.2; 4. Hol dorf 6.2. 400, Larrabee (US) 46.8 (WB); 2. Yerman (US) 46.9; 3. Gieseler (G) 47.9; 4. Mauel (G) 48.5. 800, Nelson (US) 1:47.4 (WB) 2. Balke (G) 1:48.6; 3. Tomeo (US) 1:48.6; 4. Bogatzki (G) 1:49.1. 1500, Tummler (G) 3:46.3; 2. Grelle (US) 3:46.6; 3. Franke (G) 3:47.6; 4. Zwolak (US) 3:48.6. 3000, Norpoth (G) 7:55.8; 2. Mills (US) 7:56.6; 3. Philipp (G) 7:59.4; Pflaging (US) 8:09.6. 4LapR, Uni ted States 2:55.6 (Mays, Cassell, Larrabee, Yerman); 2. Germany 3:01.6 (Ulbricht, Mauel, Hennige, Gieseler). 10LapR (4x3x2x1), United States 4:01.8 (Nelson, Dunkelberg, Cassell, Mays); 2. Germany 4:04.6 (Balke, Jaenisch, Ulbricht, Hubner).

60HH, Davenport (US) 7.1; 2. Rogers (US) 7.1; 3. John (G) 7.3; 4. Trzmiel (G) 7.6. 60HH, Rogers 7.2; 2. Davenport 7.2; 3. John 7.3; 4. Trzmiel 7.6.

HJ, Johnson (US) 6'10"; 2. Spielvogel (G) 6'10"; 3. Schillkowski (G) 6'10"; 4. Boston (US) 6'6 3/4". PV, Chase (US) 16'1 3/4"; 2. Pemetton (US) 15'5"; 3. Pinder (G) 15'5"; 4. Reinhardt (G) 15'5". LJ, Boston (US) 25'10 1/4"; 2. Mays (US) 25'4"; 3. Sauer (G) 24' 1/2"; 4. Baumert (G) 23'1 1/4". TJ, Horn (US) 52'10 3/4" (US IR); 2. Sauer (G) 51'10 3/4". Muller (G) 48'10 1/4"; 4. Boston (US) 47'8 3/4". SP, McGrath (US) 59'11 1/4"; 2. Wallin (US) 58'11"; 3. Birkenbach (G) 57'10"; 4. Glockler (G) 56'0".

Matson Tops World Shot Mark: 67'11 1-4"

College Station, Texas, April 9--Randy Matson, blasting away at a red-lined arc 67'10" from the toe board, brought roars of approval from a dotting crowd of 3,000 as he pushed his final put across the line for a new world record after coming close on five previous tries.

His 67'11 1/4" finale was a tremendous finish to the longest series in history. In order, the first five puts were 66'8", 62'2 1/4", 65'3" 66'10" and 66'9 3/4". His over-all average was 65'1 3/4" as compared to Dallas Long's six put series average of 55'7 3/4" last summer when he set the 67'10" record. Omitting Long's foul throw and Matson's 62'2 1/4" gives Long a slight lead, 66'8 3/4" to 66'8'7-20".

Matson also set a personal best in the discus and again raised his one-day shot-discus double as he threw 190'7". Scored on the Portuguese Table, this gives him 1989 points, 13 more than his previous one-day double best here on Feb. 27.

(Mason, Banks, Harris, Lewis). MileR, Southern 3:10.8 (Mason, Gates, Johnson, Lewis). 100, Anderson (Southern) 9.3. 440, Gates (Southern) 47.6. HJ, Ross (Southern) 6'10 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". DT, Dixon (Langston) 166'11".

LAMAR TECH 57, TEXAS TECH 44, NORTH TEXAS 44, TEXAS CHRISTIAN 26, TULSA 21, Denton, Tex., Apr. 9-10--440, Magee (NT) 46.3. LJ, Linscomb (NT) 24'7". 220t, Magee 21.1. MileR, North Texas State 3:13.7 (Fox, Pink, Horton, Magee).

TRIANGULAR: Charlottesville, Va., Apr. 9--220t, Cole (Md) 20.9. JT, Duil (Md) 227'10".

SEVEN-WAY, El Paso, Tex., Apr. 10--440R, Texas Western 41.2. DT, McArdle (Ariz) 183'3 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 2. Treadwell (Ariz) 176'7 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". 880R, Texas Western 1:25.3.

PRINCETON 79, COLUMBIA 75, Princeton, NJ, Apr. 10--HT, Doernberg (Col) 178'3".

YALE 76, ST JOHN'S 74, RUTGERS 42, New Haven, Apr. 10--HT, Hopkins (Y) 177'4". JT, Hinkle (Y) 227'3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

NEWS-PIEDMONT RELAYS, Greenville, Apr. 10--880R, Maryland State 1:25.2. HJ, Saier (Furman) 6'9". MileR, Maryland State 3:13.0.

NORTH CAROLINA, SOUTH CAROLINA, Chapel Hill, Apr. 10--100, White (NC) 9.5. 220t, White 21.3. 880, Crombie (SC) 1:51.5. DT, Swarts (SC) 166'7 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

TENNESSEE 104, INDIANA 41, Apr. 10--PV, Davis (I) 15'4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". MISSOURI 75, OKLAHOMA STATE 69, Stillwater, Okla., Apr. 10--HJ, Herndon (M) 6'9 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". 880, D. Perry (OS) 1:51.0. 220t, Allen (M) 21.3. MileR, Oklahoma State 3:13.9.

NEW MEXICO, COLORADO, Boulder, Colo, Apr. 10--440, Carter (NM) 47.5. 330IH, Miller (C) 37.0. HJ, Loughridge (NM) 6'8". LJ, C. Robinson (NM) 24'4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". TJ, C. Robinson 48'9". SP, Kennedy (NM) 56'3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". JT, Burgasser (NM) 227'9 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

FLORIDA, FLORIDA STATE, Tallahassee, Fla., Apr. 10--100, Cato (FS) 9.5. 880, Brown (F) 1:51.2. 330IH, Landis (FS) 37.6.

NORTH CAROLINA COLLEGE 65, WINSTON-SALEM 46, SMITH 18, Apr. 10--440R, NCC 40.5 (Roberts, Johnson, Amos, Tate). 330IH, Coleman (WS) 38.0. 220t, Roberts (NC) 21.0.

INVITATIONAL, Wichita, Kan., SP, Schlekeway (S Dak N) 56'11 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". MORGAN STATE, NORTH CAROLINA C, BALTIMORE OC, Quantico, Md., Apr. 10--220t, Roberts (NC) 21.3. HH, Wilson (NC) 13.9; & Betha (BOC) 13.9; 3. Pannell (Quantico) 14.1. LJ, Moore (BOC) 24'2". HT, Gleeson (Q) 164'6". 100H, Copeland (NCC) 9.5. MileR, NCC 3:11.3 (Roberts 46.3); 2. Morgan State 3:12.5 (Lee 47.0).

OKLAHOMA 87, KANSAS STATE 59, Norman, Okla., Apr. 10--440R, Oklahoma 40.9 (Aldredge, B. Calhoun, Deramus, Jackson). LJ, Hines (KS) 24'2". 100, Jackson (O) 9.5. PV, Farrell (O) 15'0". DT, Pellegrini (O) 167'0".

KANSAS 89, ABILENE CHRISTIAN 58, HOUSTON 31, Abilene, Tex., Apr. 10--440R, Kansas 40.7 (Suggs, Paul, Hanson, Dienelt); 2. Houston 40.9; 3. ACC 41.0. Mile, Handley (K) 4:09.6; 2. Christmas (ACC) 4:09.8. 440, Saunders (ACC) 47.5. -HH, Thompson (H) 14.1; 2. Chambers (K) 14.2. SP, Orrell (ACC) 57'8 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". 220t, Harrison (ACC) 20.8; 2. Dunn (ACC) 21.1; 3. Suggs (K) 21.2; 4. Maloch (H) 21.4. 440IH, Fox (ACC) 53.2. DT, Orrell (ACC) 170'2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". MileR, ACC 3:13.0; 2. Kansas 3:13.3.

SOUTHWESTERN RELAYS, Lafayette, La., April 10--100, Fountain (NE La) 9.5; 2. LeBlanc (NE La) 9.5. 120HH, May (Rice) 13.8w; 2. Mann (NE La) 13.9w. 440R, Rice 41.5; 2. Northeast Louisiana 41.5. 880R, Rice 1:25.0. MileR, Rice 3:12.5. DT, Hall (La Tech) 170'7". JT, McNabb (LSU) 249'8 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". JT (ex) Red (umat) 237'0".

NAVY 80, MANHATTAN 69, Annapolis, Md., Apr. 10--HT, Mead (M) 179'2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

COLONIAL RELAYS, Williamsburg, Va., Apr. 10--440R, West Virginia 7:43.5. Shuttle Hurdle R, VMI 62.8.

MEMPHIS RELAYS, Memphis, Apr. 12--PV, Wadsworth 16'1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA 75, STANFORD 70, Los Altos Hills, Calif., Apr. 10--440R, Stanford 40.9 (Frische, Rubin, McIntyre, Questad); 2. SC 41.4. PV, Eshelman (S) 15'6"; 2. Fodick (SC) 15'0". SP, Castle (SC) 56'3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". Mile, Schlicke (S) 4:07.3; 2. Andrews (S) 4:08.7; 3. Deubner (S) 4:09.2. 440, Buck (SC) 47.3. LJ, Clayton (SC) 24'7 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". 880, Bess (SC) 1:51.2; 2. Carr (SC) 1:51.4. 330IH, Walsh (S) 37.7; 2. Kerry (SC) 37.8. TJ, Samuels (SC) 48'5 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". 2 Mile, Schlicke (S) 9:01.1; 2. Kirkland (S) 9:01.3; 3. Goettelmann (SC) 9:03.0. DT, Carlsen (SC) 181'5 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 2. Stoecker (S) 173'1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". MileR, SC 3:13.3 (Carr, Gibb, Bess, Buck).

OREGON 75, WASHINGTON STATE 70, Apr. 10, Pullman, Wash, 2 Mile, Moore (O) 8:59.4; 2. Westman (WS) 9:01.8. HJ, Keppell (WS) 6'8". PV, Self (WS) 15'3 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 2. Yard (WS) 15'3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". TJ, Swanson (WS) 48'10". SP, Steinhauer (O) 60'2 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 2. Lorentzen (WS) 56'5". JT, Kipe (WS) 236'1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

AUSTIN PEAY, UNION, Clarksville, Tenn., Apr. 13--JT, Alavoutunki (AP) 233'1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

ALL COMERS, Long Beach, Calif., DT, Neville (PAA) 192'5 $\frac{1}{2}$ ";

2. Humphreys (PAA) 191'11 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

MARYLAND 111, N. CAROLINA 34, College Park, Md., Apr. 15--HJ, Costello (M) 6'8 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

ARIZONA, IOWA, Tucson, Apr. 14--SP, Green (A) 56'2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". JT, Tushaus (A) 229'3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". DT, McArdle (A) 174'1". 330IH, Randolph (I) 37.7. PV, Martensen (A) 15'3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

QUEENS IONA HIGH SCHOOL, New York, Apr. 14--LJ, Beamon (Jamaica HS) 24'10 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

NORTHWESTERN RELAYS, Natchitoches, Apr. 14--HH, Morgan (NE La) 13.7; 2. Mann (NE La) 13.7. 2 Mile, Robinson (SW La) 9:04.4.

BRIGHAM YOUNG 70, OREGON STATE 63, CALIFORNIA 48, Berkeley, Calif., Apr. 14--440R, Cal 41.4. Mile, Delaney (B) 4:05.8; 2. Cummings (B) 4:06.8; 3. Smith (O) 4:06.8; 4. Richards (B) 4:09.5. 440, Archibald (C) 47.4. SP, Samsam (O) 56'11 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 2. Roberts (O) 56'3 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 3. Bianco (B) 55'10". HJ, Winfield (B) 6'8". 330IH, Douglas (B) 37.5. 2 Mile, Smith (O) 9:03.0; 2. Barrus (B) 9:10.0. MileR, Cal 3:13.4 (Glenn, Courchesne, Fishback, Beaty).

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA JC RELAYS, Cerritos, Calif., Apr. 15--HJ, Caruthers (Santa Ana JC) 7'1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " (will not count as JC record since standards were 10 inches too far apart). PV, I-1-Koch (Citrus) 15'4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". II-1. Seagren (Mt SAC) 15'6 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". DistMedR, I-1. Santa Ana JC 10:12.8. II-1. Pierce 10:09.3; 2. Fullerton 10:13.7. TJ, Woods (E LA) 50'5"; 2. Lee (Pierce) 49'2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

SAN DIEGO STATE 82, LA STATE 63, San Diego, April 15--100, Picken (LA) 9.5. 330IH, Godfrey (SD) 37.6.

RICE 74, LSU 51, TEXAS 41, Houston, Apr. 16--440, Albright (L) 47.1. HH, Brown (R) 13.9; 2. Wilkerson (R) 14.2. 220t, Epps (R) 21.1. MileR, Rice 3:11.8 (Aldmon, Epps, Moss, Ellington).

BOWDOIN 85, VERMONT 63, Brunswick, Apr. 17--HT, Schulten (B) 201'3".

ARIZONA 100, LONG BEACH STATE 45, Long Beach, Apr. 17--JT, Tushaus (A) 245'6 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". SP, Green (A) 56'11 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

BELLFLOWER RELAYS, Bellflower, Calif., Apr. 17--TJ, Freeman (Calif HS) 48'7". PV, Steinhoff (Calif HS) 15'6 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

CORNELL, COLGATE, Ithaca, Apr. 17--HT, Gage (Cor) 189'3 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 2. Fraus (Cor) 170'5".

BYU 96, UCLA 49, Provo, Utah, Apr. 17--SP, Bianco (B) 57'6 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". HJ, Winfield (B) 6'8". Mile, Day (U) 4:06.2. 440, Tobler (B) 47.4. HH, Rockwell (B) 14.2. 2. PV, Pritchard (B) 15'0" and Skowron (B) 15'0". 220t, Dodson (U) 21.1. 330IH, Johnson (U) 37.0 and Douglas (B) 37.0.

QUEENS-IONA RELAYS, New York City, Apr. 17--LJ, Johnson (Morgan St) 24'0". HT, Fiore (Bos Col) 189'5 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 2. Matthews (St John's) 167'8 $\frac{1}{2}$ "; 3. Pollack (St John's) 166'4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". DT, Bakkenen (Harv) 169'9". PV, Uelses (LaSalle) 15'5 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

AUSTIN PEAY, VALPARISO, Clarksville, Tenn., Apr. 17--JT, Alavoutunki (AP) 231'9".

TARLETON RELAYS, Stephenville, Tex., Apr. 14--Polhemus (E Tex St) 56'10 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". DT, Polhemus 167'2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". LJ, Carswell (Tarleton) 24'5". HH, Miller (E Tex St) 14.1. 100, Lasater (E Tex St) 9.4. 220t, Lasater (E Tex St) 21.0.

WASHINGTON 78, OREGON STATE 66, Seattle, Wash., Apr. 17--SP, Samsam (O) 57'3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". LJ, Shinnick (W) 25'1". 330IH, Wyatt (O) 37.2; 2. Brown (O) 37.3; 3. Macy (O) 37.4. 2 Mile, Tracy Smith (O) 9:02.3. PV, Cox (O) 15'1".

SAN JOSE STATE 120, FRESNO STATE 36, CAL AGGIES 25, Fresno, Calif., Apr. 17--440R, San Jose State 40.8 (Hermen, Murad, Gardner, Smith); 2. Fresno State 41.5. 440, Smith (SJ) 47.2. 100, Workman (F) 9.5. 220t, Smith (SJ) 20.6; 2. Hermen (SJ) 20.8; 3. Workman (F) 21.0. SP, Kelso (SJ) 56'5". TJ, Bond (SJ) 50'5"; 2. Craig (F) 50'0".

GRAMBLING RELAYS, Grambling, La., Apr. 17--440R, Southern 41.0. 880, Southern 1:24.3. MileR, Southern Frosh 3:10.3 (W. Johnson, R. Johnson, Mason, Gates). 2 Mile, Southern 7:43.8.

ENCVENTRO INTERNATIONAL, Mexico City, Apr. 17--18--100m, Hines (Tex So) 10.2; 2. Bell (TS) 10.4. 200mt, Duncan (TS) 20.5; 2. Bell (TS) 20.9. 400m, Saddler (TS) 46.8. HH, Hicks (TS) 13.6; 2. Bristol (TS) 14.0. 400mR, Texas Southern 40.0. HJ, Hicks (TS) 6'8"; 2. Hartfield (TS) 6'8".

ALL COMERS, Los Altos Hills, Calif., Apr. 17--HJ, Lowe (Foothill JC) 7'0". DT, Weill (Indian TC) 183'4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

LEWIS AND CLARK 84, SOUTHERN OREGON 61, Ashland, Ore., Apr. 17--JT, Berentsen (S) 233'10 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

SOUTH CAROLINA STATE COLLEGE INVITATIONAL, Orangeburg, SC, Apr. 17--440R, N Carolina C 40.9. HH, Wilson (N Car C) 13.8. 220t, Tate (N Car C) 20.4. 880R, North Carolina College 1:24.7 (Tate, Roberts, Amos, Johnson). No information available on wind.

IDAHO STATE 80, PEPPERDINE COLLEGE 61, LA, Apr. 17--330IH, Burlison (P) 37.9.

AIR FORCE 74, OCCIDENTAL 71, Academy, Colo., Apr. 17--PV, Graves (O) 15'5 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". 330IH, Peterson (O) 38.0.

Freshmen Highlight Ohio Relays

by Rog Allaway

Athens, Ohio, April 10--Good performances in the freshman division highlighted the day as 14 meet records were broken in the sixth annual Ohio University Relays.

220t, Ray (Ky St) 21.3. 6Mile, L. Smith (Ohio) 30:45.2. HJ, Littlejohn (unat) 6'8 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". 880R, Tennessee A&I 1:25.4 (Obregon, Moore, Harris, Calloway). 2MileR, Ohio U 7:41.2 (Dawson, Crist, Fox, Crooks). DistMedR, Ohio 10:01.9 (Zimmermann, Sugden, Mitchell, Crooks). University: MileR, Kentucky State 3:12.0 (Cooksey, McBurrows, Kemp, Wallace). College: SprMedR, Tennessee A&I 3:25.7 (Garnor, Lloyd, Harris, Wilson).

Southern Runs 40.0, 1:23.2, 3:06.6

from Bennie Thomas and Paul Adams

Baton Rouge, La., April 10--Southern University's 440-yard relay team tied the American record and ran one-tenth over the world mark in the finals of the seventh annual Pelican State Relays. Altogether, it was a big day for Southern's sprint relay teams which thrice beat Grambling with the season's best times of 40.0 in the 440 relay, 1:23.2 in the 880 relay, and 3:06.6 in the mile relay.

The big race was the 440 relay, in which Grambling led through the third leg until Don Owens took off too soon and missed the baton from Dick Stebbins. The Southern foursome was composed of three frosh, Harvey Nairn, Karl Hartfield, and Webster Johnson, and junior George Anderson in the anchor spot. The 40.0 time missed the two-turn record by Australia but matched the US mark of 40.0 shared by Texas, Oregon, and Grambling (twice).

Grambling's Richard Stebbins saved some face for his school when he dashed to a 9.2 clocking in the 100-yard dash. The time has now been run by seven men. Southern's George Anderson was second in 9.4.

In the 880 relay, Grambling had nearly a three yard lead going into the final zone. But Southern's Freddie Banks produced a 20.4 anchor which just barely nipped Grambling, 1:23.2 to 1:23.3. Other splits for Southern included Everett Mason 21.9, Grundy Harris 20.5, and Theron Lewis 20.4. The 3:06.6 mile relay time occurred, believe it or not, in a heat! Southern's Robert Johnson led off in 46.8, Everett Mason followed in 46.2, then Lewis in 46.6, and finally Banks at 47.0. The second place team was timed in 3:20.2. In the finals, Grambling had done so poorly in the meet that the team scratched. So Southern was all alone again. Robert Johnson again led off, in 46.9, followed by Moses 47.9, Mason 46.5, and Gates 49.3.

The open 440-yard dash found two freshmen unable to make the Southern mile relay team producing exciting times. Webster Johnson just did nip Anthony Gates, 46.4 to 46.5. Southern's Fred Moss, another frosh, was third in 48.9.

100, Stebbins (G) 9.2; 2. Anderson (S) 9.4; 3. Dearion (Prairie View) 9.5. Heats, Anderson 9.4, Stebbins 9.5, Dearion 9.5. 220t, Harris (S Fr) 21.2 (21.3h). 440, W. Johnson (S Fr) 46.4 (47.7h), 2. Gates (S Fr) 46.5 (47.1h). 440IH, Williams (S) 53.5. 440R; Southern 40.0 (Nairn, Hartfield, W. Johnson, Anderson); 2. Prairie View 41.1. Heats, Grambling 40.2; Southern 40.4; Prairie View 41.2. 880R, Southern 1:23.2 (Mason, Harris, Lewis, Banks); 2. Grambling 1:23.3; 3. Prairie View 1:29.6. Heats, Grambling 1:23.7; Southern 1:23.9; Arkansas AM&N 1:26.0; Prairie View 1:26.0. MileR, Southern 3:10.6 (R. Johnson, Moses, Mason, Gates) (3:06.6h with Lewis for Moses).

Records Fall at Ohio State Relays

by Jack Clowser, The Cleveland Press

Columbus, O., April 17--Larry Snyder, Ohio State's retiring track coach who himself competed in the first Ohio State Relays 41

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years ago, watched an astonishing total of nine meet records bettered in today's renewal despite cold weather and boisterous winds that gusted over 40 miles an hour at times.

The Mid-American Conference, a powerful track loop, accounted for eight victories in the university-college division events. The Big Ten, which had seven of its institutions represented (but not indoor champion Wisconsin) recorded seven triumphs. Little Central State of Ohio chalked up two, not including the freshman mile relay, and three club entries annexed three victories in this open meet which attracted 960 entries.

100, Williams (Bowl Gr) 9.4w; 2. Jackson (Cent O St) 9.4w. 120HH, Jones (Mich St) 13.8w; 2. Washington (Mich St) 14.1w. 330IH, Lipscomb (Cent O St) 37.5; 2. Vogler (W'n Mich) 37.7. 3000-meter St, Bachelor (Miami, O) 9:11.4; 2. Carius (UCC) 9:20.2; 3. Clark (N Dame) 9:30.0; 4. Banton (unat) 9:35.8. 880R, Purdue 1:26.0. MileR, Michigan 3:12.5 (Hoey, Hughes, Geromets, Bernard 46.2); 2. Purdue 3:13.4; 3. Central Ohio State (3:13.6); 4. Bowling Green 3:14.0. 2MileR, Miami (O) 7:45.2. SpMedR, Ohio 3:25.3 (Sugden, Bogen, M. Orr, Mitchell); 2. Western Michigan 3:26.4. DisMedR, Ohio 9:59.4 (Sugden, M. Orr, Mitchell, Crooks); 2. Notre Dame 10:02.0; 4. 480ShuttleHurR, Michigan State 60.2; 2. Western Michigan 61.2.

HJ, Burgess (O Val TC) 6'8". FV, Canamare (Mich) 15'5"; 2. Albrecht (NW'n) 15'0". BJ, Garrett (Mich St) 25'0"; 2. Moore (Pur) 24'6 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". DT, Soudek (Ann Arbor TC) 184'7".

Greatest Double of 67' 3-4", 201'5 1-2"

Waco, Texas, April 14--Randy Matson became the ninth and youngest man to throw the discus over 200 feet with a sling of 201'5 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". In addition to raising the collegiate record more than eight feet in the discus, he pushed the shot over the 67-foot barrier for the third time in 11 days.

Throwing in a triangular with Baylor and Texas Tech, the 6'6 $\frac{1}{2}$ ", 255 pound Texas A&M soph first boomed the shot 67'3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " after throwing 67'6" warming up, and then improved upon his own five-day-old personal best of 190'7" and upon Bill Neville's collegiate record of 193'4".

The two throws raised his April 9th one-day shot-discus double score 22 points to 2011. It is the third time this year he has raised the one-day double mark.

Floerke's 266'5 1-2" Best Since '63

by Jim Spier

Lawrence, Kan., Apr. 16-17--Kansas State's Bill Floerke, Wichita East High School's Jim Ryun, and New Mexico's Clarence Robinson led an assault on the record book at the 40th edition of the Kansas Relays.

Bill Floerke of Kansas State had a magnificent 266'5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " toss in the javelin to break Ed Red's 1963 meet mark of 256'1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". In the process, he recorded the best mark by a US citizen since Larry Stuart threw 267'3" on March 30, 1963--more than two years ago. Floerke, a junior at Kansas State and a brother of Olympic triple jumper Kent, had the best mark in the US last year at 266'0".

Robinson's excellent performances in the long jump and the triple jump, 26'2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " and 50'6 $\frac{1}{2}$ ", respectively, broke Bill Miller's meet mark of 25'6" by over eight inches and John Kelly's 50'3".

These were overshadowed, though, by the running prowess of 18-year-old Ryun. The prep sensation first ran a fine 4:04.8 mile in the high school division on Friday. The big moment came when he anchored the record-breaking two-mile relay. The announcement was made previous to the race that East High was to try for the 7:43.8 interscholastic two-mile relay record set by Archbishop Molloy of New York City last year. With this in mind and the time being kept on the stadium clock, the fans anticipated the new mark enthusiastically when Ryun took the baton. He blazed a fantastic 1:47.7 anchor leg to give him school the new national mark of 7:43.0. The other legs were run by Doug Boyle 1:58.4, Bob Mark 2:01.5, and Mike Petterson 1:55.4.

In the university division, no one school dominated the relays as Nebraska, Oklahoma, Southern Illinois, Oklahoma State, Kansas, Missouri and Abilene Christian each earned gold relay medals. Charlie Greene anchored the victorious 440 yard relay for Nebraska as the team ran 40.5. In the half-mile relay, Oklahoma had Phil Aldridge, Lee Calhoun, Frank Deramus, and Jim Jackson turn in a 1:23.5 for the third fastest time of the year in the US. The mile relay was unusually close as no more than 10 yards separated the first six teams. Gary Carr's 46.2 final carry just did give Southern Illinois the win in 3:09.2. Nebraska, fifth going into the final lap, got an excellent 45.5 from Dave Crook but had to settle for second in 3:09.3. Other

place winners were Oklahoma State (3:09.6), Kansas State (3:10.2), and Drake (3:10.5). The 440 relay established a meet record.

Oklahoma State continued their unbeaten streak in the two-mile relay with a 7:21.2 for a meet standard. The brothers Perry, John and Dave, ran 1:48.7 and 1:48.9. Robin Lingle anchored Missouri to the distance medley relay crown with a 4:06.8 mile to give the Tigers a 9:47.4 clocking, bettered the meet standard. Finally, Abilene Christian scored its first Kansas victory since 1960 with a triumph in the sprint medley at 3:20.3.

Randy Matson, arriving in Lawrence just one hour before the start of the shot put, heaved the ball 65'10 $\frac{3}{4}$ " to grab the put as expected. He had several puts over 65-feet but did not come close to the world record as the crowd had hoped. He announced he would not compete in the discus, which was held Friday. Jon Cole of Arizona won with a respectable 175'6".

OPEN

100, Z. Williams (Tex W'n) 9.5h. Mile, Scott (Okla City U) 4:08.9. HH, May (Rice) 14.2. 400IH, Miller (Colo) 51.9 (53.1h); 2. Bonds (McMurry) 52.5h (53.3h); 3. Pickett (Houston Fr) 53.0; 4. Fox (ACC) 53.1 (53.3h); 5. Peters (Mo) 53.4 (52.9h). Heat, Mace (Ark) 53.1. 5000, Scott (Okla City U) 14:58.4. 10,000, Courkamp (Denver) 31:26.2; 2. Farmer (Okla St) 31:27.6; 3. Chisholm (Okla City U) 31:29.8. 3000St, van der Wal (Kan St) 9:21.6; 2. Courchamp 9:22.6; 3. Nightengale (Kan St) 9:28.4; 3. Chisholm (Okla City U) 9:34.4; 5. Laken (Ft Hays St) 9:38.2.

HJ, Hemdon (Mo) 6'8"; 2. Belland (Lincoln, Mo) 6'8". FV, Brattlof (Rice) 15'6"; 2. Farrell (Okla) 15'6". LJ, Robinson (NM) 26'2 $\frac{3}{4}$ "; 2. Hines (Kan St) 24'4"; 3. Mace (Ark) 24'3". TJ, Robinson 50'6 $\frac{3}{4}$ "; 2. Brooks (Nebr) 48'2 $\frac{3}{4}$ "; 3. K. Floerke (unat) 47'11". SP, Matson (Tex A&M) 65'10 $\frac{3}{4}$ " (64'2 $\frac{3}{4}$ ", 65'8 $\frac{3}{4}$ ", 62'5 $\frac{3}{4}$ ", F, 65'10 $\frac{3}{4}$ "); 2. Orrell (ACC) 57'10"; 3. Crews (Mo) 56'6 $\frac{3}{4}$ "; 4. Polhemus (E Texas St). 56'6". DT, Cole (Ariz) 175'6"; 2. Orrell (ACC) 172'4"; JT, B. Floerke (Kan St) 266'5 $\frac{3}{4}$ "; 2. Wingham (Ariz St) 243'2 $\frac{3}{4}$ "; 3. Broadus (NM) 232'8 $\frac{3}{4}$ "; 4. Arbeau (Colo) 227'6 $\frac{3}{4}$ ".

UNIVERSITY DIVISION

440R, Nebraska 40.5 (Millsap, Crook, Headley, Greene); 2. Texas A&M 41.1; 3. New Mexico 41.1; 4. Kansas 41.2. Heats, Nebr 41.1; NM 41.2; Tex A&M 41.2; Kan 41.3; SMU 41.5; Mo 41.5. 880R, Oklahoma 1:23.5 (Aldredge, L. Calhoun, Deramus, Jackson); 2. Texas A&M 1:24.6; 3. Nebraska 1:24.6; 4. Kansas 1:24.8; 5. New Mexico 1:25.7. Heats, Okla 1:24.3; Kan 1:24.6; Nebr 1:24.7; NM 1:25.0; Tex A&M 1:25.9; Baylor 1:26.0.

1MileR, Southern Illinois 3:09.2 (Coventry, Cornell, Fendrich, Carr 46.2); 2. Nebraska 3:09.3 (Crook 45.5); 3. Oklahoma State 3:09.6 (J. Perry 46.9, D. Perry 46.9); 4. Kansas State 3:10.2; 5. Drake 3:10.5. Heats, Drake 3:13.3; Nebr 3:13.3; So Ill 3:13.4.

2MileR, Oklahoma State 7:21.2 (J. Perry 1:48.7, D. Perry 1:48.9); 2. Wisconsin 7:30.0; 3. Drake 7:38.5; 4. Missouri "B" 7:39.2; 5. Colorado 7:40.9.

4MileR, Kansas 16:45.8 (Yergovich 4:12.5, Paul 4:13.8, Lawson 4:08.2, Hadley 4:10.3); 2. Oklahoma State 17:13.2; 3. Houston 17:17.6; 4. Minnesota 17:28.0; 5. Arkansas 17:29.6.

SprMedR, Abilene Christian 3:20.3 (Saunders, Dunn, Harrison, Christmas 1:49.8); 2. Baylor 3:22.8; 3. Oklahoma 3:23.6; 4. Missouri 3:24.6 (Lingle 1:50.3).

DistMedR, Missouri 9:47.4 (Rawson 1:52.5, Ray 48.3, Conrad 2:59.7, Lingle 4:06.9); 2. Kansas 9:50.8; 3. Abilene Christian 9:51.8; 4. Minnesota 9:58.4; 5. Houston 9:59.6.

COLLEGE DIVISION

440R, Texas Western 40.8 (Allen, Z. Williams, T. Williams, Glosson); 2. Lincoln (Mo) 41.0. Heats, Tex W'n 41.5; Lin 41.5. 880R, Texas Western 1:23.8 (Glosson, Allen, T. Williams, Z. Williams); 2. Lincoln 1:24.8; 3. NE Missouri St 1:25.8. Heats, Tex W'n 1:26.3; Loyola of Chicago 1:27.0.

1MileR, Lamar Tech 3:09.5; 2. Lincoln 3:10.4; 3. Loyola 3:10.7; 4. Texas Western 3:12.5. Heats, Tex W'n 3:13.9; Lincoln 3:14.1.

2MileR, Eastern Michigan 7:32.8 (Lewis, Andrews, Norman, Mason); 2. Lincoln 7:33.0; 3. NE Missouri 7:34.0; 4. Ft Hays St 7:41.6.

SprMedR, Lincoln 3:22.5 (Jordan, Tidwell, Wheatfall, Harris); 2. NE Missouri 3:23.0; 3. Loyola 3:23.8.

DistMedR, Ft Hays St 10:00.0 (Harms, Pickering, Katz, Mason); 2. NE Missouri 10:09.8; 3. Colorado State 10:11.6.

DECATHLON

1. Mulkey (unat) 7080; 2. Rogers (Kan St) 6969; 3. Kelly (Lin) 6799; 4. Ellis (Okla) 6481.

Covelli Hits 262'0"; Silvester 200'6"

by Dennis Anderson

Phoenix, Ariz., April 17--An Olympian-studded field set four

all-time state records here tonight in the first annual Valley of the Sun Classic staged at Montgomery Stadium before a disappointing crowd of 5200.

First off, Jay Silvester came out of the Utah snow country and in his first outdoor appearance of the year spun the discus 200'2" to win the most valuable performer award. Silvester's distance bettered the all-time state best of 190'7 $\frac{3}{4}$ " set by Utah State's Glenn Passey in Tucson three years ago. Silvester made it a double by edging John McGrath in the shot put, 60'11 $\frac{1}{4}$ " to 60'10". McGrath could only manage 180'1 $\frac{1}{4}$ " in the discus.

Buzz Manning gave Arizonans their first look-see at a 16-foot pole vault, but Mel Hein and Phil White matched Manning's 16'3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " effort and Jeff Chase won it at 16'3" for a life-time best, as all eclipsed the 15'7 $\frac{3}{4}$ " jump set by Southern California's Bill Fosdick a few weeks back.

Jim Grelle said after the mile, "I didn't kick at all." But he finished in 4:00.4, ahead of Cary Weisiger's 4:01.8, Billy Mills' all-time best of 4:04.1 and Bob Schul's first outdoor race of the season, also at 4:04.1. Grelle's time bettered Alex Henderson's state standard of 4:03.1 set in 1958.

Frank Covelli accounted for the fourth record-breaking mark of the night when he threw the javelin 262'0", bettering his own state mark by 25 inches. It was Covelli's initial competition of the year, and only six inches off his 1964 best. Covelli, who has switched over to the European overhead throwing method, had five throws over 250-feet and commented, "I'll definitely throw over 270-feet this year."

The meet's most exciting race came in the 880 where Ted Nelson came on in the last 120 yards to win in 1:51.6, a tenth better than Jim Heath and three-tenths faster than a surprising Jim Dupree who moved well in the final 220.

A disappointing event was the long jump, where the contestants were bothered by a take-off board two-inches lower than the runway. Ralph Boston jumped 24'1 $\frac{1}{4}$ ", and Gayle Hopkins, who had hoped for a 27-foot jump here, edged him with a 24'2 $\frac{3}{4}$ " leap.

100, Dunn (Striders) 9.5. 220, half turn, Dunn 20.8; 2. Plummer (Striders) 21.0. 440, Larrabee (Striders) 47.1; 2. Vanderknyff (Striders) 47.3; 3. Toomey (Striders) 47.6. 880, Nelson (Striders) 1:51.6. 2. Heath (Pendleton MC) 1:51.7. Mile, Grelle (unat) 4:00.5; 2. Weisiger (unat) 4:01.8; 3. Mills (Pendleton MC) 4:04.1; 4. Schul (unat) 4:04.1; 5. Kennedy (Striders) 4:04.6. 2Mile, Young (unat) 8:47.2; 2. Hughes (unat) 8:54.2; 3. Burson (NM W'n) 8:54.6; 4. Rawson (Pendleton MC) 8:57.8. 120HH, Shy (Mt SAC JC) 13.9. 330H, Vanderstock (Mt SAC JC) 37.1. MileR, Camp Pendleton 3:11.8 (Edmunds 48.5, Freeman 47.6, Metzger 47.8, Winder 48.0); 2. Striders 3:11.9 (Dupree 47.6, Whitney 49.4, Toomey 47.6, Vanderknyff 46.6).

HJ, Dobroth (Striders) 6'10 $\frac{3}{4}$ "; 2. Caruthers (Santa Ana JC) 6'10 $\frac{3}{4}$ " 3. Johnson (Striders) 6'10 $\frac{3}{4}$ ". FV, Chase (SCVYV) 16'3"; 2. Manning (Striders) 16'3"; 3. Hein (Striders) 16'3"; 4. White (Pas AA) 16'3". LJ, Hopkins (Pas AA) 24'2 $\frac{3}{4}$ "; 2. Boston (Striders) 24'1 $\frac{1}{4}$ ". (Takeoff board 2" lower than the runway). SP, Silvester (unat) 60'11 $\frac{1}{4}$ "; 2. McGrath (Pas AA) 60'10". DT, Silvester 200'2"; 2. McGrath (Pas AA) 180'1 $\frac{1}{4}$ "; 3. O'Brien (Pas AA) 179'8"; 4. Puce (Striders) 177'3 $\frac{1}{4}$ ". JT, Covelli (Pas AA) 262'0"; 2. Stuart (Striders) 252'4"; 3. Frye (Pendleton MC) 235'6".

Four Prep Records Broken

Four high school records were bettered on April 17.

Richmond Flowers of Lanier High in Mobile, Alabama, who has already run the 120 high hurdles in 13.7 five times, two of which were legal, exploded in the Southwestern Relays at Mobile. He first clocked a legal 13.6 in a heat, and then came back to run a 13.5 final on the windless day.

William Hurd of Manassas High in Memphis, Tennessee, ran a 9.3 100-yards. The mark is in the process of being verified.

Forrest Miller of Eastmont, Washington threw the javelin 232'9" to better Delmon McNabb's 1963 mark of 231'1 $\frac{1}{4}$ ". Wichita East High School of Kansas, in an announced try at the two-mile relay mark held by Archbishop Molloy in New York City, did better the record by eight-tenths to 7:43.0 with Jim Ryan running 1:47.7. The other runners in order were Doug Boyle 1:58.4, Bob Mark 2:01.5, Mike Petterson 1:55.4.

National News

PRAIRIE VIEW RELAYS, Prairie View, Texas, April 3--SprMed R, Southern 3:20.3 (Lewis, Harris, Banks, Dotson). 440R, Southern 40.6 (Nairn, Hartfield, W. Johnson, Anderson). 2MileR, Southern 7:45.3 (Dotson, Brown, Mosses, Halford). 880R, Southern 1:24.1