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2,600 from 44 countries compete in Sweden

'Fantastic' may be the best word to describe the 1977 Second World Masters Championships

By BOB FINE

One can run out of adjectives in attempting to describe the results of the Second World Masters Championships held in Gothenberg, Sweden, Aug. 8 to 13.

It was the largest world championships ever in track and field with 2,600 competitors from 44 countries, up 1,000 competitors and 12 countries from the first championships held in 1975 in Toronto, Canada.

A statistician would enter nirvana in analyzing this meet. Eighty per cent of the meet records were broken. Twenty-three countries had winners in the meet as compared to 12 countries in Toronto. Many defending champions bettered their performances in Sweden but failed to repeat their victories. Germany, Norway and Sweden had the biggest improvement in perfor-

mances, due in part no doubt to the location of the meet. Of 137 defending champions only 18 successfully defended their championships.

The outstanding series of performances had to be the seven gold medals that Jack Greenwood won with meet-setting records in the 100 (11.7), 200 (23.7), 400 (52.9), 110-meter high hurdles (15.1) and the 400-meter hurdles (58.2), plus the two relays, all in division 2A.

The leading medalist in the meet was Dr. Herb Anderson, age 75, won 10 gold, three silver and one bronze.

Other leading Americans were Dick Lacey, who successfully defended his two hurdle titles and added a second in both the 200 and the high jump; Lou Gregory, 4B, who won the 1500-meter, marathon and cross-country and took 2nd in the 5000 and third in

both the 800-meter and the 10,000-meter; "Boo" Morcum, who won the 400-meter, pentathlon, hop, step and jump, took second in the intermediate hurdles, long jump and triple jump, third in the high hurdles, fifth in the 800 meters and won his pole vault with a performance that would have taken second in the age division 10 years his junior.

The quality of the performances was so high in divisions one and two that to just qualify for the finals meant that one was truly a world class athlete. For example, to qualify for the 800-meter, 1A, a 2:00.1 was required. In 75 events in divisions one and two the average placing of the Toronto Champion would have been fourth in Sweden.

The outstanding individual performance was the 5,000-meter run in 1A of Gaston Roeleants of

Belgium in 14:03.0. Even though Gaston has been a world caliber athlete in open competition for over two decades, his 5,000-meter run was almost unbelievable. His first three miles were all in record time for their respective distances—one mile in 4:24, two miles in 9:00 and three miles in 13:35. Sixteenth place in 1B, 5,000 meters, would have won in Toronto. Twenty-seventh place in 1B, 1500 meters, would have been fifth in Toronto.

More women competed than ever before and they duplicated the men's record-breaking performances, with Miki Gorman of the US winning the 1500-meter and 3000-meter in the 1B class.

Results follow, with the first three places and times listed for each event. Only the U.S. finishers are listed after third place.

Results of the World Masters Championships

100 Meter

- 1A
R. Austin, Australia, 10.8
E. Burg, Germany, 11.1
W. Crutchfiell, US, 11.1
S. L. Riddich, US, 11.3
7. V. Parish, US, 11.4
- 1B
C. Williams, England, 11.2
R. Mac Pearson, Guyana, 11.5
P. Mirkes, Germany, 11.5
7. R. Marling, US, 11.9
- 2A
J. Greenwood, US, 11.7
R. Stolpe, US, 11.7
G. Gaas, Germany, 11.9
4. E. Schuler, US, 11.9
7. R. Roemer, US, 12.4
- 2B
B. Hogan, US, 11.9
K. Hoppstadter, Germany, 12.3
S. Stein, England, 12.3
S. T. Patsalis, US, 12.7
8. M.C. Buschman, US, 13.1

- 3A
F. Assmy, Germany, 12.5
P.E.A. Duncan, Canada, 12.6
W. Rumig, Sweden, 12.7
7. Morales, US, 13.4
- 3B
O. Granas, Norway, 13.4
A. Castro, US, 13.5
A. Brhlik, Czech., 13.5
7. J. Caruso, US, 13.8
- 4A
J. Packard, US, 13.9
G. Simpson, Australia, 14.6
S. Lum, US, 15.2
- 4B
H. Anderson, US, 14.8
H. Chapson, US, 15.4
N. Martin, England, 15.6
4. F. Pennock, US, 17.8
- 5
D. MacLean, Scotland, 21.7

200 Meter

- 1A
R. Austin, Australia, 21.9
J. Rabie, US, 22.9
R. Diaz Velez, Puerto Rico, 23.0
3. (Tie) R. Adams, US, 23.0
5. L. Colbert, US, 23.4
7. B. Lida, US, 23.5
8. A. Budd, US, 23.5
- 1B
C. Williams, England, 22.9
R. Mac Pearson, Guyana, 23.5
A. Faure, Venezuela, 23.8
5. R. Marlin, US, 24.1
7. Darkins, US, 24.7
- 2A
J. Greenwood, US, 23.7
G. Baas, Germany, 23.9
R. Stolpe, US, 23.9
4. R. Watanabe, US, 24.7
6. B. Sieben, US, 24.9
- 2B
B. Hagan, US, 24.6
K. Hoppstadter, Germany, 25.2
S.R. Stein, England, 25.4
5. B. Hunt, US, 25.8
8. J. Upham, US, no time.
- 3A
F. Assmy, Germany, 26.0
P.E.A. Duncan, Canada, 26.4
W. Romig, Germany, 28.0

- 3B
O. Granas, Norway, 28.7
R. Lacey, US, 28.8
J. Dengler, Germany, 28.9
4. A. Castro, US, 28.9
6. M. D'Elia, US, 29.7
- 4A
J. Packard, US, 29.2
G. Simson, Australia, 30.8
B. Till, Canada, 32.0
4. R. Brecenbeck, US, 33.7
8. S. Lum, US, 36.2
- 4B
H. Anderson, US, 31.7
Chapson, US, 32.8
S. Wada, Japan, 34.0

- 5
S. Falck, Sweden, 41.2

400 Meter

- 1A
M.S. Clouth, Australia, 49.5
G. LeRoy, England, 50.5
T. Blue, Australia, 50.5
6. R. Adams, US, 51.9
8. B. Lida, US, 52.8
- 1B
J.P. Hesselberg, Norway, 52.1
L. Snelling, Australia, 53.0
Hari Chandra, Singapore, 53.8
S. T. Connelly, US, 54.6

- 2A
J. Greenwood, US, 52.9
G. Baas, Germany, 54.5
D. Smith, US, 54.9
4. B. Valentine, US, 55.2
6. B. Sieben, US, 56.1
- 2B
P. Marcom, US, 57.3
A. Huggins, England, 58.6
B. Hunt, US, 58.7
6. H.A. Fairbank, US, 60.2
7. M. Bass, US, 61.3
- 3A
W. Muller, Germany, 61.5
A.C. Smith, Australia, 63.4
J. Stevens, Australia, 63.4
- 3B
C. Kline, US, 67.0
M. Jenkinson, Australia, 68.8
L.F. Rolls, England, 68.8
4. S. Madden, US, 71.5
5. J.M. Clarke, US, 72.8
- 4A
J. Packard, US, 64.6
G. Simpson, Australia, 72.7
B. Till, Canada, 74.6
4. R. Bredenbeck, US, 76.0
5. P. Fairbank, US, 77.1
- 4B
H. Anderson, US, 69.9
H. Chapson, US, 70.9

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Results of the World Masters Championships

continued

800-Meter

- 1A
T. Blue, Australia, 1:54.8
N.S. Clough, Australia, 1:55.6
K. Mainka, Germany, 1:55.6
8. W. Olivier, US, 1:59.7
9. P. Richardson, US, 2:00.6
12. Convoart, US, 2:03.3
- 1B
J. Hasselberg, Norway, 1:57.9
P. Majoor, Holland, 1:59.3
E. Whitlock, Canada, 1:59.9
7. T. Connelly, US, 2:04.0

- 2A
D. Smith, US, 2:05.7
G. Paterbough, US, 2:08.8
B. Sieben, US, 2:09.0
7. S. Schneider, US, 2:13.2
9. A. Bryant, US, 2:14.5
10. V. Koerner, US, 2:15.5
12. A. Messenger, US, 2:17.0

- 2B
J. Gilmour, Australia, 2:14.5
O. Hasle, Norway, 2:15.6
W. Sheppard, Australia, 2:15.7
4. M. Hernandez, US, 2:15.8
5. Morcom, US, 2:16.2
8. H. Lampert, US, 2:17.1
11. H. A. Fairbank, US, 2:18.5

- 3A
R. Isman, Turkey, 2:23.1
J. Stevens, Australia, 2:24.57
H. Strannhage, Sweden, 2:28.2

- 3B
B. Andberg, US, 2:28.0
M. Jenkinson, Australia, 2:33.0
L.F. Rolls, England, 2:35.0
4. C.R. Kline, US, 2:37.2
5. S. Madden, US, 2:39.6
7. N. Bright, US, 2:40.5
9. J.M. Clarke, US, 2:43.7

- 4A
K. Kiuchi, Japan, 2:50.0
R. Bredenbeck, US, 2:50.6
P. Fairbank, US, 2:54.0

- 4B
H. Chapson, US, 2:41.4
H. Anderson, US, 3:10.3
L. Gregory, US, 3:11.0

1500 Meter

- 1A
C. Huyssen, Belgium, 3:56.7
T. Blue, Australia, 3:57.3
N. Fisher, England, 3:57.5
6. W. Olivier, US, 4:00.7

- 1B
P. Majoor, Holland, 4:05.6
E. Whitlock, Canada, 4:06.1
A. Hughes, England, 4:09.3
6. G. Vernosky, US, 4:15.3
15. K. Brown, US, 4:36.8

- 2A
D.P.F. Turnbull, N. Zeal., 4:23.5
R. Boutard, France, 4:23.6
R.J. Mattock, England, 4:24.8
4. D. Smith, US, 4:25.0

- 2B
J. Eilmour, Australia, 4:28.3
M. Hernandez, US, 4:29.7
F. Leitner, Australia, 4:32.1

- 3A
R. Isman, Turkey, 4:54.5
T. Koskela, Finland, 4:58.0
A. Burgoyne, Australia, 4:59.2
11. K. Proctor, US, 5:45.5
13. G. Mueller, US, 6:23.3

- 3B
B. Andberg, US, 5:04.8
M. Jenkinson, Australia, 5:31.1
Rolls, England, 5:22.2
S. N. Bright, US, 5:26.9
6. S. Madden, US, 5:27.2

- 4A
K. Kiuchi, Japan, 5:34.0
R. Bredenbeck, US, 5:38.9
P. Fairbank, US, 5:42.7
7. P. Hobe, US, 7:38.1

- 4B
H. Chapson, US, 5:30.1
L. Gregory, US, 6:03.0

5000 Meter

- 1A
G. Roelants, Belgium, 14:03.0
R. Falser, England, 14:29.4
Goem Gomez, England, 14:41.0
12. J. Metsing, US, 15:22.3

- 1B
A.A. Manuel, Spain, 15:15.0
L. O'Hara, England, 15:16.8
P. Pystinen, Finland, 15:18.5
5. G. Vernosky, US, 15:57.6
9. P. O'Brien, US, 16:11.0
11. P. Mundle, US, 16:14.1
17. W. McConnell, US, 16:28.0

- 2A
A. Tayler, Canada, 16:02.0
H. Hinderks, Germany, 16:07.3
J. O'Neil, US, 16:15.4
13. J. Forshee, US, 17:02.6

- 2B
J. Gilmour, Australia, 16:29.0
E. Ostbye, Sweden, 16:35.3
G. Johansson, Sweden, 16:58.0
15. J. Oleson, US, 18:03.8

- 3A
E. Samuelsson, Sweden, 17:46.8
E. Jarvinen, Finland, 18:00.6
R. McMinnis, England, 18:11.2
9. C. Seekins, US, 19:28.2

- 3B
E. Kruzycki, Germany, 18:29.1
B. Andberg, US, 18:42.6
C. Martin, Spain, 19:10.3
16. Fredrich, US, 24:16.1

- 4A
F. Nordin, Sweden, 19:59.3
R. Sears, US, 20:05.3
V. Blanco, Spain, 20:41.4
5. P. Fairbank, US, 21:36.8
9. R. Bredenbeck, US, 22:28.1

- 4B
P. Spangler, US, 21:20.2
L. Gregory, US, 21:52.4
Tor-Leif Njaa, Norway, 22:33.0

10,000 Meter

- 1A
H.R. Fowler, England, 31:45.7
R. Gomez, England, 31:59.3
D. de Braijn, Holland, 32:59.3
5. J. Metsing, US, 32:22.6

- 1B
M. Alomso, Spain, 32:08.9
L. O'Hara, England, 32:10.3
P. Pystinen, Finland, 32:36.4
10. P. O'Brien, US, 34:07.6

- 2A
Hinderks, Germany, 33:43.2
J. O'Neil, US, 33:58.6
P. Malm, Sweden, 34:14.2
7. J. Forshee, US, 36:25.6

- 2B
E. Ostbye, Sweden, 34:13.4
F. McGrath, Australia, 35:31.0
L. Dreher, US, 35:37.2
11. J. Oleson, US, 38:09.8
12. R. Bruce, US, 38:10.2
14. M. Knox, US, 38:43.0

- 3A
E. Samuelsson, Sweden, 37:14
E. Jarvinen, Finland, 38:03
R. McMinnis, England, 38:27

- 3B
E. Kruzycki, Germany, 38:10.5
S. Hidaka, Japan, 39:56.0
C. Martin, Spain, 40:31
5. N. Bright, US, 40:58.2

- 4A
E. Nordin, Sweden, 40:48.5
R. Sears, US, 41:21.0
P. Fairbank, US, 44:16.2

- 4B
P. Spangler, US, 48:44.5
R. Tornas, Norway, 53:58.2
L. Gregory, US, 61:04.3

110-Meter Hurdles

- 1A
M. Mandl, Austria, 15.2
L. Lindhe, Sweden, 15.6
G. Ortmanns, Germany, 15.7
6. L. Weed, US, 16.8
8. L. Trout, US, 17.0

- 1B
D. Jackson, US, 16.1
J. R. Wallace, US, 17.8
I. Steedman, Scotland, 18.0
7. D. Douglas, US, 22.3
8. A. Brenda, US, 23.4

- 2A
J. Greenwood, US, 15.1
J. Mrazek, Czech., 16.1
B. Pedersen, Denmark, 16.8
8. H. Hunter, US, 21.4

- 2B
T. Patsalis, US, 17.6
B. Hunt, US, 17.7
R. Morcom, US, 17.8
4. E. Reiner, US, 19.5

- 3A
R. Reckwardt, Germany, 19.5
M. Neuhof, US, 19.7
I. Hume, Canada, 19.8
4. V. Morales, US, 19.8

- 3B
R. Lacey, US, 20.9
H. Gehm, Germany, 21.2
C. Hills, US, 22.4
5. J. Dick, US, 25.1
6. W. Frederick, US, 28.1

- 4A
W. McFadden, US, 23.7
G. Simson, Australia, 24.0
T. Hines, England, 28.8

- 4B
H. Anderson, US, 26.6

400-Meter Hurdles

- 1A
M. Clough, Australia, 54.3
D. Burger, US, 57.9
V. Wikstrom, Finland, 58.4

- 1B
J. Hesselberg, Norway, 58.3
H. Whitaker, England, 60.5
H. Knudsen, Norway, 60.6
4. A. Sheahen, US, 62.4
6. J. Wallace, US, 64.8

- 2A
J. Greenwood, US, 58.2
A. Findeli, France, 62.6
A. Danckoerts, Belgium, 62.8
4. R. Valentine, US, 62.8
6. R. Roemer, US, 66.4

- 2B
L. Lindblom, Sweden, 64.7
Morcom, US, 65.3
B. Hunt, US, 66.0
7. M. Buschman, US, 76.8

- 3A
H. Strannhage, Sweden, 74.3
A. Lampard, Australia, 74.6
A. Smith, Australia, 77.3

- 3B
R. Lacey, US, 76.0
C. Hills, US, 76.8
Bierlein, US, 88.6
4. W. Frederick, US, 90.0
5. J. Dick, US, 90.9
6. W. Bigelow, US, 93.0

- 4A
G. Simpson, Australia, 90.8
T. Hines, England, 1:07.2
A. Brosz, Canada, 2:09.6

- 4B
H. Anderson, US, 92.5

3000-Meter Steeplechase

- 1A
G. Roelants, Belgium, 8:56.6
A. Ida, Germany, 9:20.6
D. Worling, Australia, 9:29.2
13. B. Carrading, US, 11:00.0
16. C. Hill, US, 11:26.0
17. W. Tersago, US, 11:29.0

- 1B
H. Higdon, US, 9:39.0
M. Alonzo, Spain, 9:46.2
P. Blanchou, France, 9:53.0
7. W. McConnell, US, 10:38.0

- 2A
A. Taylor, Canada, 10:18.6
E. Larsson, Norway, 10:18.8
R. Boutard, France, 10:57.0
9. J. Noble, USA, 12:42.6

- 2B
A. Merett, Australia, 11:29.8
H. Lampert, US, 11:38.2
A. Waterman, US, 11:39.2
8. J. Hutchinson, US, 13:54.4

- 3A
H. Melin, Finland, 13:11.8
J. Young, Canada, 13:35.2
C. Green, N. Zealand, 14:08.2

- 3B
R. Boal, US, 12:47.4
J. Jamieson, N. Zealand, 14:23.8
R. Mac Tarnahan, US, 15:02.2
4. W. Bigelow, US, 15:13.4

- 4A
R. Wiseman, England, 18:03.0

5000-Meter Walk

- 1A
S. Ladany, Israel, 23:15.6
G. Davidsson, Sweden, 23:30.5
L. Back, Sweden, 23:45.4

- 1B
H. Roder, Germany, 23:52.9
K. Svensson, Sweden, 24:17.5
J. Bromley, England, 24:47.8

- 2A
Simu, Sweden, 23:57.0
H. Persson, Norway, 24:47.2
A. Scott, Sweden, 25:33.4

- 2B
N. Nilsen, Norway, 24:46.1
J. Ljunggren, Sweden, 25:00.4
D. McMullen, England, 25:42.5

- 3A
A. Svensson, Sweden, 25:27.9
Poole, England, 26:33.5
H. Jones, Australia, 27:00.2
4. D. Johnson, US, 27:26.8

- 3B
H. Horstman, Germany, 28:59.1
Lagergren, Sweden, 30:45.6
Albers, Germany, 31:06.6
8. L. O'Neil, US, 35:20.8

- 4A
C. Unruh, US, 30:52.0
C. Grees, Sweden, 32:04.12
E. Schulze, Germany, 32:24.6

- 4B
A. Roberts, England, 29:24.4
H. Pulver, Germany, 34:04.4
J. O'Rourke, Australia, 36:16.0

- 5
A. Theobald, Australia, 30:42.0
F. Schreiber, Sweden, 36:20.0

Pentathlon

- 1A
D. Clarke, England, 3,789
R. Ball, England, 3,679
R. Urpinen, Finland, 3,473
S. P. Conley, US, 3,257

- 1B
G. Drewniak, Germany, 3,079
J. Schwankner, Germany, 3,047
W. Krucken, Germany, 2,780

- 2A
V. Bartl, Sweden, 3,805
V. Javanoinen, Finland, 3,676
R. Hochreiter, Australia, 3,519

- 2B
R. Morcom, US, 3,573
W. Schreiber, Germany, 3,260
T. Tyversen, Norway, 2,836
7. M. Buschman, US, 2,342

- 3A
V. Morales, US, 4,465
A. Kock, Germany, 4,272
K. Langer, Germany, 3,862

- 3B
C. Hills, US, 3,122
A. Brhlik, Czech., 2,764
H. Gehm, Germany, 2,582

- 4A
A. Brosz, Canada, 678
G. Simpsso, Australia, 542
A. Timcmanis, Canada, 494

- 4B
H. Anderson, US, 1640
K. Neubert, Germany, 265

Cross-Country

- 1A
G. Roelants, Belgium, 28:57
H.R. Fowler, England, 29:16
R. Gomez, England, 30:30
15. J. Lamade, US, 31:25

- 1B
W. Stoddart, Scotland, 31:00
A. Alonzo, Spain, 31:05
P. Pystinen, Finland, 31:19
4. H. Higdon, US, 31:50
12. G. Vernosky, US, 32:32
13. P. O'Brien, US, 32:33

- 2A
G. Lotsberg, Sweden, 32:50
A. Taylor, Canada, 32:58
P. Malm, Sweden, 33:05

- 2B
F. McGrath, Australia, 34:56
G. Johansson, Sweden, 35:17
L. Larsson, Sweden, 35:32

- 3A
E. Samuelsson, Sweden, 36:29
R. McMinnis, England, 37.10
E. Jarvinen, Finland, 37:21
9. J. Archer, US, 40:56

- 3B
E. Kruzycki, Germany, 38:10
R. Boal, US, 40:32
R. Seydler, Germany, 41:40
8. N. Bright, US, 43:54

- 4A
E. Hjortling, Sweden, 42:55
M. Raschke, Germany, 45:48
R. Hobe, US, 60:07

- 4B
L. Gregory, US, 56:57
P. Spangler, US, 58:13

- 5
F. Schreiber, Sweden, 56:17

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Results of the Masters Championships

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In the five-man cross-country national team rankings, Sweden with 63 points, edged the U.S. in the 1B class. The U.S. team had 66 points with team members including H. Higdon, G. Vernosky, P. O'Brien, C. Hageigans and H. Gezorke. In class 3B the U.S. was second to Germany, which had 11 points to the U.S. 33. U.S. team members were R. Boal, N. Bright and E. Werbel (3-man teams).

Representatives from the following countries in this meet:

Argentina	Finland	Korea	Roumania
Australia	France	Malta	Switzerland
Austria	Germany	Mexico	Scotland
Belgium	Guyana	Monaco	Singapore states
Brazil	Holland	New Zealand	Spain
Canada	Hungary	Northern Ireland	Sweden
Columbia	Iceland	Norway	Trinidad-Tobago
Czechoslovakia	Ireland	Paraguay	Turkey
Denmark	Israel	Portugal	United States
England	Italy	Rhodesia	Wales
	Jamaica		Venezuela
	Japan		Yugoslavia

World Masters Championships age classes

Women

Between age 35 and 39,	Age Class 1A,	below =	M1A
" " 40 " 44,	" " 1B,	" " =	M1B
" " 45 " 49,	" " 2A,	" " =	M2A
" " 50 " 54,	" " 2B,	" " =	M2B
" " 55 " 59,	" " 3A,	" " =	M3A
" " 60 " 64,	" " 3B,	" " =	M3B
" " 65 " 69,	" " 4A,	" " =	M4A
" " 70 " 74,	" " 4B,	" " =	M4B
over 75	" " 5,	" " =	M5

Men

Between age 40 and 44,	Age Class 1A,	below =	M1A
" " 45 " 49,	" " 1B,	" " =	M1B
" " 50 " 54,	" " 2A,	" " =	M2A
" " 55 " 59,	" " 2B,	" " =	M2B
" " 60 " 64,	" " 3A,	" " =	M3A
" " 65 " 69,	" " 3B,	" " =	M3B
" " 70 " 74,	" " 4A,	" " =	M4A
" " 75 " 79,	" " 4B,	" " =	M4B
over 80	" " 5,	" " =	M5

4 x 100-meter Relays

- 1
USA—van Parrish, W. Cratchfield, A. Budd, L. Riddick—43.9
England—44.8
Germany—45.0
- 2
USA—Scholer, Greenwood, Hall Stolpe—47.5
Germany—47.9
England—49.5

3

- Germany—52.0
Canada—53.8
USA—Connor, Hill, Castro, Stolpe—55.9

4 x 400M Relay

- 1
England—3:28.7
USA—Bob Lido, Art Conro, R. Adams, Larry Colbert—3:29.2
Australia—3:33.5
- 2
USA (team members not listed)—3:39.6
England—3:53.6
Australia—4:06.0

3

- Australia—4:18.5
Sweden—4:31.3
USA—4:42.0

20 Km. Walk

- 1A
S. Ladany, Isreal, 1:38:07.4
L. Andersson, Sweden, 1:39:39.0
H. Koch, Germany, 1:39:42.4

1B

- K. Svensson, Sweden, 1:41:25.2
H. Roder, Germany, 1:41:49.2
E. Ruina, Italy, 1:45:28.8
12. R. Fine, US, 1:58:39.8

2A

- S. Simu, Sweden, 1:47:54.8
Harold Persson, Norway, 1:48:01
H. Kloppe, Germany, 1:49:08

2B

- J. Ljunggren, Sweden, 1:44:50
H. Nilsen, Norway, 1:48:06.6
O. Sandvik, Norway, 1:50:31.8

3A

- M. Gould, Canada, 1:47:37.2
A. Svensson, Sweden, 1:50:12
H. Jones, Australia, 1:58:04.8
4. D. Johnson, US, 2:00:12.6

3B

- J. Stork-Zofka, Czech., 2:01:41.2
H. Horstmann, Germany, 2:03:20.2
H. Maegel, Germany, 2:07:18.1

4A

- C. Unruh, US, 2:18:09.8
G. Stielow, Germany, 2:26:21.4
E. Schulze, Germany, 2:27:44.6

4B

- A. Roberts, England, 2:08:42.8
F. Schreiber, Sweden, 2:41:36
W. Keeler, England, 2:41:36

(Sweden was the top team in all classes of the 20-Km. Walk except 3B, which was won by Germany with Sweden second.

Marathon

- 1A
E. Austin, England, 2:25:57
T. Valash, Finland, 2:30:42
H. Kirschke, Germany, 2:31:12
12. R. Langenbach, US, 2:35:23

1B

- W. Stoddart, Scotland, 2:33:28
L. Strand, Sweden, 2:36:42
H. Higdon, US, 2:38:54
4. P. O'Brien, US, 2:40:26
10. H. Gezorke, US, 2:47:31
11. M. Healy, US, 2:47:53

2A

- H. Hinderks, Germany, 2:40:11
K. Hernelind, Sweden, 2:43:35
J. O'Neil, US, 2:47:39

2B

- E. Ostbye, Sweden, 2:38:38
J. Eilmour, Austria, 2:50:14
H. Schwartz, Germany, 2:51:38
4. J. Oleson, US, 2:56:21
8. R. Bruce, US, 3:00:55

3A

- R. MacMinnis, England, 3:00:29
E. Jarvinen, Finland, 3:06:45
J. Archer, US, 3:17:28
9. C. Seekins, US, 3:33:41

3B

- R. Seydler, Germany, 3:18:48
S. Lee, England, 3:35:00
H. Michon, France, 3:38:31
5. N. Bright, US, 3:40:07
9. B. Andberg, US, 3:56:37

4A

- R. Sears, US, 3:32:31
S. Jdrnmyr, Sweden, 4:10:59
C. Bendig, England, 4:12:36

4B

- L. Gregory, US, 3:47:20
P. Spangler, US, 4:06:54
G. B. Vang, Norway, 4:34:11

4 x 400-Meter Relay Special

- Germany 3:41.1
USA (Maroney, Valentine, Clark, Adams) 3:53.4
USA (team not listed) 3:55.1
7. USA 4:05.2
8. USA 4:07.9

Note: until we get clarification of the metric measurements involved, we will have to hold results of the high jump, long jump, triple jump, pole vault, shot put, discus, javelin and hammer throw. U.S. winners in these events included R. Morcom in the class 2B high jump, T. Chilton in the 1A long jump, T. Patsalis in the 2B long jump, H. Anderson in the 4B long jump, T. Patsalis in 2B, W. McFadden in 4A and H. Anderson in 4B, all in the triple jump, Morcom in the 2B pole vault, J. Vernen in the 3A pole vault, R. Doms in the 4A shot put, A. Oerter in the 1A discus, W. Morales in 3A, E. Curtice in 4A and Anderson in 4B of the javelin and T. McDermott in the 2B hammer throw.

WOMEN'S RESULTS

(Only winners and US entries listed)

100 Meter

- 1A
T. Rautanen, Finland, 12.1
3. E. Strecker, US, 12.7
7. C. Sherrard, US, 13.2

1B

- I. Obera, US, 13.0
3. A. Parish,
8. C. Miller, US, 13.9

2A

- M. Kyle, Northern Ireland, 13.1
8. E. Rose, US, 15.2

400 Meter

- 1A
K. Holland, Australia, 56.5

1B

- H. Werner, Germany, 62.3
2. I. Obera, US, 62.4
3. A. Parich, US, 62.7

2A

- M. Kyle, North. Ireland, 62.8
3. E. Rose, US, 70.1

1500 Meter

- 1A
T. Syrjala, Finland, 4:30.6

1B

- M. Gorman, US, 4:46.1
M. Czarapata, US, 4:55.9
14. D. Wissmar, US, 6:18.0

3000 Meter

- 1A
S. Larsson, Sweden, 9:49.1

1B

- M. Gorman, US, 10:15.4
2. M. Czarapata, US, 11:00.0
5. L. Sippelle, US, 11:17.8
7. D. Stock, US, 11:23.1
19. A. Kleyhans, US, 13:43.4
20. D. Wissmar, US, 14:02.6
23. L. Hardman, US, 21:00.7

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Meet records from Toronto for comparison purposes

Meet Records Established in Toronto, August 11-16, 1975

Woman				Man			
100 metres				400 metres			
M1A	A Parish	USA	13,2	M1A	A Parish	USA	1:03,0
M1B	C Payne	England	12,3	M1B	C Mills	N Zealand	58,9
M2A	M Kyle	N Ireland	12,9	M2A	M Kyle	N Ireland	1:01,2
M2B	A E McKenzie	S Africa	14,9	M2B	A E McKenzie	S Africa	1:05,3
M3A	E Yeomans	Canada	18,3	M3A	E Yeomans	Canada	1:38,3
M3B	I Soumier	Canada	16,2	M3B	B Hicks	USA	1:33,7
M4	P Clarke	USA	17,8	M4	P Clarke	USA	1:24,9
1500 metres				5000 metres			
M1A	S Buchanan	USA	4:46,0	M1A	S Buchanan	USA	18:48,4
M1B	M Klopfer	USA	5:05,7	M1B	D Stock	USA	19:26,4
M2A	B Fitzpatrick	Canada	6:10,0	M2A	T d'Elia	USA	19:26,8
M2B	A E McKenzie	S Africa	5:07,3	M2B	A E McKenzie	S Africa	19:33,4
M3A	E Yeomans	Canada	6:53,0	M3A	E Eriksson	Sweden	24:02,6
M3B	G Mueller	Germany	6:40	M3B	G Mueller	Germany	25:07,0
Long jump				Triple jump			
M1A	D Jackson	U S A	6M37	M1A	D Jackson	U S A	13M63
M1B	S Davidson	U S A	6M52	M1B	V Guardia	Venezuela	12M78
M2A	R Morcom	U S A	5M57	M2A	G Bartlett	Australia	11M00
M2B	G Farrell	U S A	4M98	M2B	G Farrell	U S A	10M79
M3A	H Schneider	Germany	4M89	M3A	I Hume	Canada	10M45
M3B	J Caruso	U S A	3M93	M3B	J Caruso	U S A	8M57
Pole vault				Shot put			
M1A	W Kostric	Canada	4M42	M1A	E Maccomas	U S A	16M23
M1B	R Ruth	Canada	4M27	M1B	J Pavelich	Canada	12M53
M2A	D Brown	U S A	3M27	M2A	H Hombrecher	Germany	17M56
M3A	I Hume	Canada	2M80	M2B	N Heard	U S A	13M59
				M3A	K Maksymczyk	England	10M14
				M3B	T Resell	Norway	12M15
				M4	F Posluschni	Germany	12M15
Discus				Javelin			
M1A	E R Maccomas	USA	49M90	M1A	B Conley	USA	62M78
M1B	S Duplessis	S Africa	45M02	M1B	H Werner	Canada	54M56
M2A	K Joupilla	Finland	51M62	M2A	R Mikelsons	Canada	47M34
M2B	T McDermott	USA	43M78	M2B	B Morales	USA	49M40
M3A	K Maksymczyk	England	42M76	M3A	C McMahon	USA	37M80
M3B	K Carnie	USA	32M30	M3B	R Macconaghys	USA	34M58
M4	S Herzman	USA	33M08				
Hammer				Marathon			
M1A	A Payne	England	63M22	M1A	E Austin	England	2:28,23
M1B	T Mullins	Australia	53M34	M1B	A Wolshom	England	2:29,53
M2A	D Van Hegan	England	40M76	M2A	L Carlson	Sweden	2:45,55
M2B	T McDermott	USA	39M52	M2B	F McGrath	Australia	2:40,44
M3A	J Fraser	Scotland	44M50	M3A	G Porteous	Scotland	2:51,17
M3B	A Reiser	Germany	32M92	M3B	E Laiho	Finland	2:49,08
				M4	G Vang	Norway	4:02,55

5000 metre walk

- M1A C O'Neill USA 35:06
M1B T Lalonde Canada 30:41
M2A M Ohlsson Sweden 30:30
M3A B Tibbling Sweden 29:49
M3B N Wedemo Sweden 32:32

Marathon

- M1A D Gookin USA 3:09:42
M1B H Gallez Belgium 4:18:15
M2A R Anderson USA 3:17:34
M3A J Kazdan Canada 4:48:28

Men

100 metres

- M1A T Baker USA 11,1
M1B J E Greenwood USA 11,6
M2A R Stolpe USA 11,7
M2B A Guidet USA 12,1
M3A Y Brange Sweden 12,9
M3B J Caruso USA 13,6
M4 W McFadden USA 14,6

400 metres

- M1A M Garbisch Germany 50,7
M1B D Sheek USA 52,9
M2A R Stolpe USA 55,1
M2B A Guidet USA 57,4
M3A F S Sjostrand USA 1:00,2
M3B C Kline USA 1:05,8

1500 metres

- M1A A Thomas Australia 3:59,5
M1B A Hughes England 4:15,3
M2A B Fitzgerald U S A 4:23,4
M2B O Elvland Sweden 4:48,9
M3A W C Andberg U S A 5:01,3
M3B N Bright U S A 4:59,8
M4 H Chopson U S A 5:35,5

10000 metres

- M1A R Fowler England 31:19,6
M1B R Franklin England 34:01,6
M2A T Orr Australia 34:09,2
M2B F G McGrath Australia 34:05,4
M3A R W McMinis England 38:17,0
M3B T Jensen Sweden 39:16,0

400 metres hurdles

- M1A G Shofto England 60,0
M1B J Greenwood U S A 57,8
M2A W Sheppard Australia 1:05,3
M2B A Guidet U S A 1:07,9
M3A G Brakeland U S A 1:12,9
M3B R Lacey U S A 1:24,5

Pentathlon

- M1A P Conley U S A 2704
M1B V Bartl Sweden 2249
M2A R Roemer U S A 2007
M2B B Morales U S A 1789
M3A H Schneider Germany 1472
M3B K Carnie U S A 1161

200 metres

- M1A M Garbisch Germany 22,7
M1B J E Greenwood USA 23,8
M2A R Stolpe USA 24,7
M2B A Guidet USA 25,3
M3A F S Sjostrand USA 27,2
M3B M Carnie USA 29,6
M4 F Schreiber Sweden 44,7

800 metres

- M1A L Means USA 2:00,2
M1B L Vagnsyr Norway 2:02,6
M2A B Fitzgerald USA 2:01,9
M2B J Stevens Australia 2:21,3
M3A R M Isman Turkey 2:23,9
M3B N Bright USA 2:27,2

5000 metres

- M1A R Fowler England 14:52,0
M1B B Ternhester Sweden 16:25,0
M2A T Orr Australia 16:41,0
M2B J Gilmour Australia 17:02,0
M3A R McMinis England 18:26,4
M3B T Jensen Sweden 19:04,2
M4 R Barlow Australia 21:06,4

110 metres hurdles

- M1A L Marien Belgium 14,7
M1B J Greenwood U S A 15,6
M2A A Findeli France 15,9
M2B B Gist U S A 18,9
M3A G Brasland U S A 20,2
M3B R L Lacey U S A 23,6

3000 metres steeplechase

- M1A H Higdon U S A 9:18,6
M1B B Ternhester Sweden 10:28,0
M2A T Orr Australia 10:36,6
M2B O Elvland Sweden 11:43,6
M3A R S Bool U S A 12:33,6
M3B N Bright U S A 12:24,8

High jump

- M1A S Pettersson Sweden 1M95
M1B E Austin U S A 1M65
M2A G A Bartlett Australia 1M58
M2B B Gist U S A 1M58
M3A I Hume Canada 1M45
M3B A Reiser Germany 1M40

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'Veterans' substituted for 'Masters'

10,000 Meter

- 1A
Konings-Rypers, Holland, 37:12.2
6. M. Miller, US, 55:09.8

- 1B
L. Sippelle, US, 39:57.8
2. D. Stock, US, 40:28.2
3. M. Garaite, US, 40:33.0
8. A. Kleyhans, US, 45:55.6

- 2A
U. Seger, Sweden, 41:21.8
3. I. McConnell, US, 48:29.6

- 2B
A. Haushofer, Germany, 46:33.8

- 3A
H. Jockle, Germany, 46:31.6

- 3B
A. Werbel, US, 54:03.4

5000-Meter Walk

- 3A
B. Tibbling, Sweden, 28:19.5

- 3B
N. Wedemo, Sweden, 31:42.0

- 4A
L. Kaila, Finland, 42:50.1

- 4B
K. Leist, Germany, 43:17.1

Long jump winners included M.E. Fairbank in 3A and E. Ericksson in 3B, both of the US. L. Grobler of the US was winner in the 2 B division.

New worldwide group formed at Sweden to oversee regional, world competition

BY ROBERT G. FINE,
Chairman, AAU Masters
Track & Field Committee

A World Veterans Athletic Association was formed in Sweden. Don Farquharson of Canada was elected president.

Bob Fine of the United States was elected as the North American representative to the 11-person World Executive Council.

In addition to the Executive Council, consisting of four officers—one representative from each of the continents (including Oceania) and one woman, there is a general assembly with each country having at least one representative, plus one additional representative for every 500 athletes up to a maximum of five.

The United States thus will have five representatives to the general assembly. The proposed World Veterans constitution must be approved by the A.A.U. Masters

Track and Field and Long Distance Committees at the Columbus A.A.U. convention. Both of the committee chairmen support this constitution and it should be accepted.

The word "Veteran" was substituted for "Masters," with the United States voting against the change. It should be pointed out that most of the European countries use "Veterans."

We will now have a structure for the site selection for Regional and World Championships. It was emphasized throughout the meeting and voting on the constitution that every man over 40 and women over 35 should compete regardless of "professionalism" and country of origin. This is important as President Paulin of the I.A.A.F. attended the meet and has taken the position that the Veterans should form our own organization, with complete autonomy, so long as the technical rules (for holding events) are

adhered to. If this is accepted by the I.A.A.F. it would mean that South Africans and "professionals" could compete. The United States delegate to the I.A.A.F. will support this position. If passed, there will be no further problems on the international level.

On the national level, the A.A.U. is undergoing major structural changes. The standing sports committees, of which Masters T & F and Masters LDR are two, would have just about complete autonomy. We would receive dues, sanction meets and register athletes directly. We can contract with the A.A.U. to perform these services at a set fee. This would mean that most of the A.A.U. dues would go directly into our sport and that the problems that some Masters have had with their local associations can be eliminated.

The power would go to the National Committee (which we run) rather than the 58 associations. This could lead to a self-sustaining National Masters organization completely independent of any interference. There are many possible things that we can do under such a structure; such as permitting non-AAU athletes to compete in AAU Championships for a surcharge on the fee; with sponsors, we could eliminate entry fees for Regional and National AAU Championships; we can give, as part of the AAU dues, the National Masters Newsletter and also the Age-Group Records; permanent num-

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Attention all women Masters [40 and over]

Katharine Brieger, 1211 Grizzly Peak Blvd., Berkeley, Calif. 94708, has been appointed as the Masters Women's Track and Field Statistician by Irene Obera, the Women's Masters Track and Field Sub-Committee Chairperson.

Kathy, who will be working with Pete Mundle, will be composing Women's Masters Age Records, from age 40 and up, to be published as part of the Masters

Age Records put out each year by Track and Field News.

We believe that this will give further impetus to the women's masters program and will also aid in the creation of age-grading tables for women.

In order to make this program a success we need your cooperation in listing your best performances in the following events for each year over 40: 100 yds. - 100 meters; 220 yds. - 200 meters; 440

yds. - 400 meters; 880 yds. - 800 meters; one mile, 1500 meters, 3000 meters, two miles, three miles, 5000 meters, 6 miles, 10,000 meters, one-hour run, marathon, high jump, long jump, shot put (indicate weight), discus and javelin (indicate weight).

SINCE WE ARE JUST GETTING STARTED, PLEASE DO NOT BE SHY ABOUT YOUR PERFORMANCES.

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bers can be issued. These changes will be discussed at the AAU Convention this October. If passed, the only problems that the Masters will have in this country will be of our own making.

Thus, on both the national and international level things are progressing at a rapid rate—better than I had hoped for.

Any suggestions to expand or improve our program would be welcomed.

Letters

Let's list the weight of the implements

Dear Sir:

Having just received my copy of the first edition of the Masters Newsletter let me say I am very much pleased with your efforts. I would like to make one suggestion—please, but pretty please, always list the weight of the implements used in the shot,

discus, javelin and hammer and weight throw when listing results and please request all persons submitting results to do the same!

It is most frustrating and impossible to compare performances when one has no idea what weight implements have been used. I know because I am a member of the association of track and field statisticians and am now keeping statistics on the Masters hammer and weight throws.

As to John Whittemore's comment on the pentathlon and

decathlon, I am in complete agreement (even though I am a weight man). The tables were made up based on the regular weight implements (olympic) and for these two events should be kept that way. However, for the individual events I have already suggested to Chairman Fine that the hammer and other weight events should be as follows:

Shot: 16 lb for 1A and 1B; 12 lb. for 2A and 2B and 8 lb. for 3A and

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The Master Walker

By ALAN WOOD

Shaul Ladany, the ultra-distance Israeli, showed some speed in copping the 5K. and 20 K. Masters World Championships in Goteborg, Sweden. And the U.S. had a double winner in Chesley Unruh, 70, in 4A.

Overall, the U.S. led in titles, and 75-year-old Coloradian Herb Anderson swept 4B with ten gold medals, two silvers and a bronze.

The Potomac Valley guys (8) and gal (1) set a 24-hour walk relay record at Fort Meade, Md., Aug.

Alan B. Wood of Pompton Plains, N.J., is publisher of a newsletter called *The Master Walker*.

News note

The National Masters AAU 10-Kilometer Cross-Country Championship will be held at 10 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 13, at Bluemont Park, Arlington, Va.

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6 and 7—168 miles, 1700 yards. Three masters went the full time: Sal Corrallo, Wes Mathews and PV prexy Ed Barron.

Physical fitness is like life insurance. Both of them help you feel secure in the knowledge that you have done what you can to protect yourself. And, the longer you wait to try them, the higher the "premium" becomes.

Today's Masters are still eager to compete, even though or possibly because 20 or more years ago they barely scratched the surface of training as we know it now.

After some high school, college and service running I was mostly inactive for 12 years. A combination of various physical ailments, the Aerobics book, and watching the 1968 Olympics on TV got me going again. I was too far out of shape to seriously consider running, so I began with three or four long strolls a week. Good things started happening. Four months later was my first race: a 10-miler in Asbury Park. The course was six laps of the boardwalk. The race progressed, and as I approached the start-finish line, Dave Romansky breezed by to hit the tape a winner. No, I didn't finish second—I still had two laps to go. Romansky won by more than a mile in a record 1:10 plus; I was 12th of 13 finishers in 1:53:09. But I got a medal, and the veteran walkers seemed to think I did very well. All of a sudden, finishing far back didn't seem so bad.

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Randalls Island		New York City					
		August 28, 1977					
	Discus	Shot	Javelin	Hammer	Wt Throw	Score	
51	Dean Diehl	29.12	9.84	54.34	22.49	8.94	
		454	448	569	344	381	2196
54	Rich Kurmik	38.98	14.31	49.94	30.82	10.71	
		665.5	747	632.5	503.5	512	3060.5
55	Ray Bury	31.92	11.49	56.01	29.16	9.18	
		517	565	711.5	473.5	399	2666
56	C. Wehmayer	36.30	13.10	32.0	26.0	10.01	
		611	671	364	414	461	2521
56	H. Friedman	31.62	9.91	34.81	21.44	7.70	
		510.5	458.5	410.5	322	281	1977.5
40	Al Oerter	62.26	15.53				
		1077	820				
40	R. Flanagan	32.46	10.67	37.37	26.68	9.02	
		529	509	451	427	387	2303
41	F. Illuzzi	25.92	9.58	39.69	19.40	8.00	
		378	429	486.5	277	305	1876.5
43	Kurt Krastin	27.31	9.81	29.15	24.74	9.12	
		411.5	445	315	389.5	315	1877
45	Walter Lowe	20.92	8.84	38.00	19.91	6.98	
		249	373	461	288.5	220	1691.5
45	Tom Jackson	27.80	10.53	41.05	20.27	8.57	
		423	499	507	296.5	351	2076.5
45	D. Gonzalez	46.69	13.00	42.10	33.62	12.67	
		813	665	522	552	643.5	3195.5
45	P Carstenen	25.66	11.10	30.73	27.05	8.01	
		371.5	539	343	434	306.5	1994
47	Tom Hill	34.67	10.42	35.89	28.48	9.63	
		577	491	428	461	432.5	2389.5
48	C Weddarburn	23.73	7.38	29.90	21.66	8.11	
		323	254	328	325	314.5	1545.5
49	Gus Phillip	29.37	9.99	29.96	36.50	10.68	
		460	459.5	329.5	600	510	2359
51	Herb Cantor	35.90	10.47*	37.18	25.50	8.28	
		603	648.5	448	404.5	328	2432
56	M. Minafra	28.78	8.75	20.87	20.20	6.44	
		446	366	157	196	171	1336
16	H Lookabaugh	25.50	8.95	21.00	18.55	7.63	
		368	381.5	160	258	275	1442
16	E Jackson	21.36	8.16	25.64	13.30	6.28	
		261	318.5	251.5	128	156	1115
16	C Reilly	39.25	10.33	20.95	16.92	9.71	
		594	485	159	220	438	1826
18	S Peachey	24.08	9.09	19.26	14.00	8.47	
		332	392	123	146	343	1336
18	C McErlean	33.91	9.61	22.54	21.53	8.39	
		560	431	191	323	337	1843
58	S Blundetto	18.03	6.95	16.72	15.64	5.32	
		167	217	66	188	64	702
43	A. Cirulnick	23.46	8.04	14.53	16.22	6.70	
		316	309	13.5	203	195	1036.5
16	W Smith	38.55	15.15	37.12	30.29	12.43	
		657	798	447	494	638	3024
17	F Blundetto	37.40	14.44	45.54	26.94	11.93	
		633.5	755	572	432	594.5	2987
19	C Zigarelli	29.40	11.78	56.40	23.12	12.07	
		461	584.5	716.5	357	604	2723
20	Ray Leger	31.54	10.51	37.38	31.30	10.28	
		509	497.5	451	512	481	2480.5
21	F Moynihan	37.33	11.62	31.05	45.68	14.30	
		632	574	348	741.5	746.5	3042
22	F Van Aken	35.23	12.20	48.86	40.51	12.43	
		589	612.6	618	664	629	3112.5
28	Bob Jarry	33.90	10.39	53.50	24.38	7.77	
		560	489	679.5	382	287	2597.5
28	J Radimer	39.13	13.00	31.80	38.19	11.93	
		668.5	665	361	627.5	594.5	2916.5
29	Brett Buroh	39.16	13.44	51.84	49.02	15.53	
		669	693	557.5	789.5	820	3629
61	Paul Sereghy	36.62	11.32	23.73	28.47	11.83	
		618	554	215	461	588	2436
64	Bill Eipel	31.61	12.28	35.31	27.20	8.54	
		510	618	418.5	437	348	2332.5
66	P Partridge	31.33*	7.79*	33.88*	21.60*	8.08*	
		593	515.5	451	426	467	2452.5
66	J McCluskey	24.06	9.11	22.28	19.88	7.32	
		331.5	394	186	288	249	1448.5
67	Warren Pike	24.76	9.29	20.57*	24.43	7.64	
		349	407	194	383	276	1609
68	B Gordon	17.84	6.41	12.95	16.05	5.63	
		161.5	168	0	198	95	623.5
73	Curtis Wright	16.23	7.73	13.14	19.87	6.95	
		113	283.5	0	288	217	901.5

* In this meet men over 60 have their choice of standard implements. If they choose to throw lighter or heavier than is standard for their age they get more or less points, adjusted by Conversion Tables.

Heroes: Herb Cantor who put down lines and figured scores & Mrs. Cantor. Bill Eipel who cut grass, put down lines and figured scores. Curtis Wright who furnished implements for ladies events. Gus Phillip who rounded up equipment at close of meet. EVERYBODY for helping make it go.

Celebrities: Joe McCluskey U S A medalist in 1932 Olympics. Dagoberto Gonzalez, former member of Columbia Olympic team. Al Oerter, winner of gold medal in four successive Olympic Games—a feat never equalled before, never since.

Notes: Krastin over Illuzzi by 1/2 point, the closest ever.

It takes about a month to get medals and engraving. Sorry. There were a lot of late entries.

Wear them as costume jewelry. They attract a lot of attention.

Discus Bat Thru: Gonzalez 115.25 Moynihan 83.5 The old folks' revenge. Partridge 107.83 Leger 74.79 5 out of 6 top "money" Sereghy 107.58 Jarry 71.37 winners over 60. Eipel 95.92 Zigarelli 64.29 Wright 95.79 Blundetto 61.37 Pike 94.75 Cirulnick 59.54 Blundetto 55.71 Dombrowski 54.27

16 * flatiron from discus circle Age + distance = score

Results of the USTFF National Masters Championships in Chicago

IN THE WAKE OF THE MEET

A rather sad story emerged from the meet concerning ages and divisions. For the benefit of everyone involved, best we move forward without further comment.

In the 100 METERS, Jimmy Weaver was strong and quick. Bob Watanabe surprised Jack Greenwood, and Dick Marlin and Ossie Dawkins tied into a good one. Gerald Fitzgerald's 10.5 in the submasters was spectacular. The 200 METERS was a turnaround for Dawkins and Greenwood. Hillary Sumner came back blazing in 21.9. 400 METERS featured a great race by Greenwood as well as Raynah Adams and Billy Gaedke. In the submasters, Sumner was devastating at 48.7. The 800 METERS saw tremendous efforts by Raynah Adams, Ocie Trimble, Dehn Smith and Richmond Morcom as well as Harold Chapson. 1500 METERS featured a dog fight for Ole Olson and fine runs by Lynn Wood, George Verosky, Dean Smith and Harold Chapson again. 5000 METERS had strong front running by Bill Orlich and George Verosky. Jim O'Neill was beautiful after a full 20K earlier that day. 10,000 METERS brought about one of our best races between Hal Higdon and Bill Orlich. Different divisions but dead even. Jim O'Neill sparked and Wayne Vaughn amazed everyone in the submasters with 31:19.

The STEEPLE CHASE produced a fine effort by Roland Anspach and Bob Boal. HIGH HURDLES featured Phil Mulkey, Jack Greenwood and Richmond Morcom with tremendous efforts. 400 INTERMEDIATES produced a 59.9 from Austin Allen and an excellent 59.5 from Jack Greenwood. Larry Larson and Sal Corrallo dominated the 5K WALK.

Jerry Donley was way up at 13' in the POLE VAULT, Phil Mulkey at 12' and the amazing Richmond Morcom at 11'. Bob Humphreys was way out in the DISCUS with Jack Thatcher in a good effort. Humphreys again in the SHOT PUT with fine throws by Len Olson, Bill Waloroch and Jack Thatcher. Ed Zalig edged Phil Conley amidst some controversy in the JAVELIN and Gordon Bobell dominated the HAMMER with good efforts by Irving Black.

LONG JUMP belonged to Tom Chilton with an amazing effort by Richmond Morcom. TRIPLE JUMP found Phil Conley in good form along with Phil Mulkey and Richmond Morcom; Bud Deacon was terrific. HIGH JUMP went to Langenfeld with good jumping by Kermit Hollingsworth and Richmond Morcom.

The ladies, among other things, certainly made things look better. Irene Obera was ailing but still too good for everyone else. Alberta Parish and Mimi Gerard were solid in the sprints and Mary Czarpata was all alone with a 5:02 in the 1500 METERS and 20:01 in the 5000 METERS. Lori Maynard and Roberta Widmann staged one of the best races of the meet in the 5K WALK.

From all of us in Chicago, a sincere thank you for joining us. You really made it happen, along with the likes of Ron Fox, Len Afremov, Si Jayne, Russ Poel, Bob Schrader and Al Sheahan. A personal word of thanks for all the patience, kindness and understanding that my family received (two dogs at the registration desk?). We were deeply touched. What can we say to North Central College for their part in all this? You are beautiful. Hope to see many of you in Sweden.

WM

100 METER DASH

1A	1. Weaver, Ft. Worth, Tx.	11.3
	2. Velez, Hato Rey, P.R.	11.4
	3. Pramber, Belvedere, Ca.	11.6
	4. Parish, Menlo Park, Ca.	11.6
	5. Fuerst, Lincoln, Neb.	12.1
1B	1. Marlin, Modesto, Ca.	11.8
	2. Dawkins, Hollywood, Ca.	11.9
	3. Grimes, Louisville, Ky.	12.1
	4. Schlegel, Newport Beach, Ca.	12.2
	5. Poppel, Denver, Co.	12.4

200 METER DASH

1A	1. Watanabe, L.A., Ca.	11.7
	2. Greenwood, Medicine Lodge, Ka.	11.8
	3. Schuler, St. Petersburg, Fla.	11.9
	4. Roemer, El Dorado Hills, Ca.	12.6
	5. Ulan, McMurray, Pa.	12.9
1B	1. Hogan, Brisbane, Australia	11.7
	2. Upham, Junction City, Ka.	12.2
	3. Hunt, Anaheim, Ca.	12.6
	4. Boyd, Portland, Ore.	12.9
	5. Hanno, Oradell, N.J.	13.1

300 METER DASH

1A	1. Koppel, Belmont, Ca.	13.5
	2. Ward, St. Catherine's, Ont.	13.7
	3. Seldon, San Antonio, Tx.	13.9
	4. Warpehs, St. Paul, Mn.	13.9
1B	1. McIntyre, Prescott, Ariz.	13.5
	2. Castro, LaCanada, Ca.	13.7
	3. Hills, Flourtown, Pa.	13.8
	4. Caruso, Laguna Hills, Ca.	14.0
	5. Ward, Indianapolis, Ind.	15.9

400 METER DASH

1A	1. Anderson, Bellvue, Co.	14.3
	2. Lum, Bakersfield, Ca.	14.6
	3. McFadden, San Diego, Ca.	15.0
	4. Boas, Whitestone, N.Y.	15.5
	5. Brosz, Scarborough, Ont.	16.0
1B	1. Rhea, Gary, Ind.	13.4
	2. Frederickson, San Geronimo, Ca.	15.4
	3. McConnell, Wharton, N.J.	15.9
	4. Miller, Lake Bluff, Ill.	16.9

500 METER DASH

1A	1. Koppel, Belmont, Ca.	21.4
1B	1. Rhea, Gary, Ind.	13.4
	2. Frederickson, San Geronimo, Ca.	15.4
	3. McConnell, Wharton, N.J.	15.9
	4. Miller, Lake Bluff, Ill.	16.9
1C	1. Gerard, Mtn. View, Ca.	13.3
	2. Richmond, Chicago, Ill.	16.2
1D	1. Fitzgerald, Washington, DC	10.5
	2. Sumner, Woodland Hills, Ca.	10.7
	3. Tutt, Lansing, Mich.	11.0
	4. Andersen, Des Plaines, Ill.	11.3
	5. Collins, Oak Park, Ill.	11.6

600 METER DASH

1A	1. Adams, Washington, DC	23.1
	2. Velez, Hato Rey, P.R.	23.4
	3. Parish, Menlo Park, Ca.	23.5
	4. Nasralla, Long Beach, Ca.	23.8
	5. Humke, Urbana, Ill.	24.1
1B	1. Dawkins, Hollywood, Ca.	24.4
	2. Frederickson, San Geronimo, Ca.	24.5
	3. Marlin, Modesto, Ca.	24.5
	4. Grimes, Louisville, Ky.	25.0
	5. Gaedke, Clovis, N.M.	25.7

700 METER DASH

1A	1. Greenwood, Medicine Lodge, Ka.	23.8
	2. Watanabe, L.A., Ca.	24.0
	3. Sieben, San Diego, Ca.	25.0
	4. Roemer, El Dorado Hills, Ca.	25.4
	5. Tuttle, Columbus, Ohio	26.0
1B	1. Hogan, Brisbane, Australia	24.2
	2. Upham, Junction City, Ka.	25.4
	3. Boyd, Portland, Ore.	26.1
	4. Hunt, Anaheim, Ca.	26.6
	5. Hanno, Oradell, N.J.	27.1

800 METER DASH

1A	1. Koppel, Belmont, Ca.	28.8
	2. Seldon, San Antonio, Tx.	29.1
	3. Ward, St. Catherine's, Ont.	29.6
	4. Cook, Chicago, Ill.	29.7
1B	1. McIntyre, Prescott, Ariz.	28.3
	2. Lacey, Pelham, N.Y.	28.6
	3. Hills, Flourtown, Pa.	28.6
	4. Castro, LaCanada, Ca.	28.7
	5. Deacon, Turner, Ore.	31.3
1C	1. Anderson, Bellvue, Co.	30.7
	2. Lum, Bakersfield, Ca.	30.8
	3. McFadden, San Diego, Ca.	31.4
	4. Chapson, Honolulu, Ha.	32.1
	5. Boas, Whitestone, NY	33.0

900 METER DASH

1A	1. Crane, Twin Falls, Idaho	35.6
	2. Kinden	36.8
1B	1. Parish, S.F., Ca.	28.3
1C	1. Curran, Forest Park, Ill.	42.1
1D	1. Cascales, Atlanta, Ga.	31.0
	2. Maston-Tutt, Lansing, Mi.	34.2
1E	1. Gerard, Mtn. View, Ca.	28.3
	2. Richmond, Chicago, Ill.	31.1
1F	1. Sumner, Woodland Hills, Ca.	21.9
	2. Fitzgerald, Washington, DC	22.3
	3. Tutt, Lansing, Mi.	22.8
	4. Carr, Mascoutah, Ill.	23.0
	5. Waterston, Dallas, Tx.	23.7

1000 METER DASH

1A	1. Adams, Washington, DC	4:07.4
	2. Kioepfer, Crystal Lake, Ill.	4:21.8
	3. Veldy, Scottsdale, Ariz.	4:24.8
	4. Westphalen, Gardena, Ca.	4:31.7
	5. Cleary, Boston, Mass.	4:38.4
1B	1. Verosky, Bethesda, Md.	4:23.0
	2. Sturak, Santa Monica, Ca.	4:25.3
	3. Peterson, Winthrop, Mn.	4:25.9
	4. Mandie, Venice, Ca.	4:26.5
	5. Brown, Andover, NJ	4:28.2

MEN SUBMASTERS (35-39)

1. Pliner, Greenbay, Wis.	24.4
2. Shevitz, Highland Park, Ill.	24.5
3. Smith, Wilmette, Ill.	26.2
4. Mills	26.5
5. Jeffress, Elgin, Ill.	28.8

200 METER RUN

1A	1. Adams, Washington, DC	52.1
	2. Lida, Wichita, Ka.	52.8
	3. Dudas, Michigan City, Ind.	53.2
	4. Sadler, Chicago, Ill.	53.7
	5. Roth, Waukegan, Ill.	53.7
1B	1. Gaedke, Clovis, NM	54.7
	2. Frederickson, San Geronimo, Ca.	55.2
	3. Walsh, Western Springs, Ill.	61.6
	4. Wallace, Richmond, Va.	64.2
	5. King, Skokie, Ill.	65.9

300 METER RUN

1A	1. Ugham, Junction City, Ka.	57.2
	2. Morcom, Georges Mills, NH	57.7
	3. Boyd, Portland, Ore.	58.6
	4. Hunt, Anaheim, Ca.	60.8
	5. Bucaro, Bartlett, Ill.	61.5
1B	1. Dyer, Prairie Village, Ka.	67.0
	2. Ward, St. Catherine's, Ont.	68.1
	3. Seldon, San Antonio, Tx.	69.3
1C	1. Kline, Mathews, Va.	66.9
	2. Deacon, Turner, Ore.	68.3
	3. Stout, Alamogordo, NM	88.9
	4. Frankel, Pittsburgh, Pa.	

400 METER RUN

1A	1. Obera, Oakland, Ca.	62.6
	2. Parish, S.F., Ca.	64.7
	3. Miller, Lake Bluff, Ill.	88.3
1B	1. Cascales, Atlanta, Ga.	72.3
1C	1. Gerard, Mtn. View, Ca.	63.6
	2. Richmond, Chicago, Ill.	70.6
1D	1. Sumner, Woodland Hills, Ca.	48.7
	2. Carr, Mascoutah, Ill.	50.7
	3. Tutt, Lansing, Mi.	50.7
	4. Waterston, Dallas, Tx.	52.4
	5. Jennings	53.5

500 METER RUN

1A	1. Williams, Ann Arbor, Mi.	53.6
	2. O'Neill, Hoffman Estates, Ill.	54.8
	3. Pliner, Greenbay, Wis.	55.2
	4. Shevchuk, Granville, Ill.	57.4
	5. Heitsman	64.8
1B	1. Higdon, Michigan City, Ind.	32:57
	2. Verosky, Bethesda, Md.	33:19
	3. Mandle, Venice, Ca.	33:51
	4. Baker, Evanston, Ill.	34:35
	5. Frazer, Ames, Ia.	37:35

600 METER RUN

1A	1. O'Neil, Sacramento, Ca.	33:46
	2. Morrison, Kansas City, Mo.	35:27
	3. Anspach, Springboro, Oh.	36:32
	4. Gavras, Grotton, NY	37:56
	5. Kempf, Bartlesville, Ok.	38:04
1B	1. Olson, W.L.A., Ca.	38:42
	2. Bruce, Lake Bluff, Ill.	38:56
	3. Long, Torrance, Ca.	42:01
	4. King, Chicago, Ill.	45:35
	5. Knobe, Tampa, Fl.	45:40

700 METER RUN

1A	1. Johnson, Little Silver, NJ	46:08
	2. Comm, Chicago, Ill.	50:20
	3. Zimmer, Baton Rouge, La.	51:14
1B	1. Andberg, Anoka, Mn.	39:43
	2. Eddy, Lima, Oh.	41:31
1C	1. Bradenbeck, Cleveland, Oh.	21:55
	2. Gregory, Pensacola, Fla.	22:13
	3. Jacobs, Jamaica, NY	23:11
1D	1. Spangler, San Luis Obispo, Ca.	23:24
1E	1. Czarpata, New Berlin, Wis.	20:01
1F	1. McConnell, Wharton, NJ	24:17
1G	1. Widman, Ft. Wayne, Ind.	22:52
1H	2. Richman, Chicago, Ill.	25:01

800 METER RUN

1A	1. Adams, Washington, DC	2:02.1
	2. Saddle, Chicago, Ill.	2:02.3
	3. Dudas, Michigan City, Ind.	2:07.6
	4. Volkman, Westchester, Ill.	2:10.7
	5. Westphalen, Gardena, Ca.	2:10.9
1B	1. Trimble, Iowa City, Ia.	2:01.4
	2. Connelly, Fairfield, Conn.	2:02.4
	3. Gaedke, Clovis, NM	2:10.3
	4. Brown, Andover, NJ	2:10.7
	5. Swank, Joliet, Ill.	2:10.4

900 METER RUN

1A	1. Smith, Lombard, Ill.	2:09.6
	2. Sieben, San Diego, Ca.	2:11.1
	3. Schneider, Louisville, Ky.	2:12.1
	4. Messenger, Larchmont, NY	2:13.6
	5. Anspach, Springboro, Oh	2:12.9
1B	1. Morcom, Georges Mills, NH	2:17.2
	2. Shortliff, Urbana, Ill.	2:19.97
	3. Strassenberg, Monocme, Ill	2:29.5
	4. Malcolmson, Hinsdale, Ill.	2:51.7
	5. Brown, Whittier, Ca.	2:52.7

1000 METER RUN

1A	1. Dyer, Prairie Village, Ka.	2:35.1
	2. Beach, Great Falls, Md.	2:39.1
	3. Reed, Warren, Oh.	2:41.5
1B	1. Andberg, Anoka, Mn.	2:31.9
	2. Kline, Mathews, Va.	2:38.1
	3. Madden, Santa Monica, Ca.	3:08.3
1C	1. Chapson, Honolulu, Ha.	2:37.2
	2. Sears, Shelbyville, Ind.	2:53.5
	3. Gregory, Pensacola, Fl	3:00.4
	4. Hobe, Alliance, Oh.	3:36.2
1D	1. Spangler, San Luis Obispo, Ca.	3:17.9
1E	1. Czarpata, New Berlin, Wis.	2:30
	2. Parish, S.F., Ca.	2:41
	3. Miller, Lake Bluff, Ill.	3:103
1F	1. Gerard, Mtn. View, Ca.	2:40
	2. Widman, Ft. Wayne, Ind.	2:45

1500 METER RUN

1A	1. Wood, Washington, DC	4:07.4
	2. Kioepfer, Crystal Lake, Ill.	4:21.8
	3. Veldy, Scottsdale, Ariz.	4:24.8
	4. Westphalen, Gardena, Ca.	4:31.7
	5. Cleary, Boston, Mass.	4:38.4
1B	1. Verosky, Bethesda, Md.	4:23.0
	2. Sturak, Santa Monica, Ca.	4:25.3
	3. Peterson, Winthrop, Mn.	4:25.9
	4. Mandie, Venice, Ca.	4:26.5
	5. Brown, Andover, NJ	4:28.2

2A

1. Smith, Lombard, Ill.	4:33.2	
2. Anspach, Springboro, Oh.	4:35.9	
3. Schneider, Louisville, Ky.	4:38.6	
4. Bryant, Palos Verdes, Ca.	4:39.7	
5. Messenger, Larchmont, NY	4:44.1	
1B	1. Olson, L.A., Ca.	5:04.5
	2. Winslow, Dayton, Oh.	5:04.6
	3. Strassenberg, Monocme, Ill.	5:25.5
	4. Billings, Sea Island, Ga.	5:27.6
1C	1. Dyer, Prairie Village, Ka.	5:28.9
	2. Beach, Great Falls, Md.	5:48.7
1D	1. Andberg, Anoka, Mn	5:07.3
	2. Madden, Santa Monica, Ca.	6:05.3

3A

1. Chapson, Honolulu, Ha.	5:30.7	
2. Gregory, Pensacola, Fl.	6:13.9	
3. Hobe, Alliance, Oh.	7:18.2	
1B	1. Spangler, San Luis Obispo, Ca.	6:38.9
1C	1. Czarpata, New Berlin, Wis.	5:02.6

4000 METER RUN

1. Widman, Ft. Wayne, Ind.	5:46.9	
2. Rhea, Gary, Ind.	6:10.1	
3. Skerke, Woodstock, Ill.	7:05.3	
1B	1. Vaughn, Hagerstown, Md.	4:07.2
	2. Morales, Ann Arbor, Mi.	4:07.7
	3. Thornton, Naperville, Ill.	4:11.6
	4. Wegner, Bloomington, Ind.	4:13.8
	5. Saceriak, Evergreen Park, Ill.	4:15.2
1C	1. Rogers, Magnolia, Ill.	4:18
	2. Verdier, Washington, DC	4:25
	3. Smith, Wilmette, Ill.	5:01
	4. Monnel, Rye, NY	5:06

5000 METER RUN

1A	1. Olrich, Louisville, Ky.	15:49
	2. Volkman, Westchester, Ill.	16:40
	3. Coldren, Delaware, Oh.	17:18
	4. Eschenfelder, Indpls., Ind.	17:51
	5. Pates, Wilmette, Ill.	18:09
1B	1. Verosky, Bethesda, Md.	16:24
	2. McConnell, Wharton, NJ	16:39
	3. Peterson, Winthrop, Mn.	17:22
	4. Goering, Wichita, Ka.	17:59
	5. Brown, Andover, NJ	18:26

6000 METER RUN

1A	1. O'Neil, Sacramento, Ca.	17:10
	2. Morrison, Kansas City, Mo.	17:25
	3. Anspach, Springboro, Oh.	17:54
	4. Beth, Racine, Wis.	18:22
	5. Gavras, Grotton, NY	18:28
1B	1. Olson, W.L.A., Ca.	19:28
	2. Bulger, Madison, Ky.	20:18
1C	1. Bolton, Oaklawn, Ill.	23:06
	2. Gustafson, Seattle, Wa.	23:19

1977 Golden State Championships in California

Results of the 1977 Golden State Masters Track & Field Championships held at Porterville, Calif.

5000-meter Walk

40-44 (women) Lori Maynard, 30:00.1; 50-54, John Friesen, 31:03.3; 55-59, Bob Long, 30:50.1; 65-69, Mickey Blakessley, 35:52.5; 70+, Chesley Unruh, 32:33.7.

3000-meter Steeplechase

30-39, Dave Shannon, 11:11.5; 50-54, John Freison, 19:34.3; 55-59, Robert Long, 14:42.5

440 Relay

30-39, So. Cal. Striders (Butler, Curley, Ferguson, Sumner), 43.1; 50-54, Nor. Cal. Seniors (Cooper, Zumwalt, Reimel, Wigginton,) 49.1; 40-44, (Dennis, Kimm, Jackson, Knox), 46.5.

1500 Meters

50-54 (women), Dorothy Thomas, 6:26.3; 30-39, Thomas Richards, 4:23.5; 40-44, Frank Delgado, 4:33.6; 45-49, Tom Sturak, 4:32.1; 50-54, Avery Bryant, 4:52.1; 55-59, James Oleson, 5:11.3; 60-64, Ray Mahannah, 4:58.6

110-Meter Hurdles

30-39, Walt Butler, 14.2; 40-44, Dave Jackson, 15.8; 50-54, Robert Roemer, 19.0; 55-59, Robert Hunt, 17.7; 60-64, Bill Morales, 20.2; 65-70, Robert MacConaghy, 24.4.

400 Meters

40-44 (Women), Beverly Nielson, 1:40.5; 30-39, Gary Miller, 51.4; 40-44, Hans Bruhner, 53.1; 45-49, Al Sheahen, 57.6; 50-54, Delaine Wagner, 60.0; 55-59, Cal Boyd, 60.3.

100 Meters

40-44 (Women), Christel Miller, 13.9; 30-39, Hilliard Sumner, 10.5; 40-44, Ken Dennis, 11.1; 45-49, Dick Marlin, 11.7; 50-54, Bob Cooper, 12.3; 55-59, Clarence Killion, 12.9; 65-69, Anthony Castro, 14.0; 70+, Sing Lum, 14.9.

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1. Deacon, Turner, Ore.	30'3/4"
2. Hills, Flouctown, Pa.	27'11-3/4"
3. Caruso, La Guna Hills, Ca.	27'2-3/4"
4. Dick, Dousman, Wi.	27'11/4"
5. Ward, Indianapolis, Ind.	23'11/4"
4A	
1. McFadden, San Diego, Ca.	25'1"
2. Anderson, Bellvue, Co.	23'8 1/2"
3. Doms, Culver City, Ca.	22'10 1/4"
4B	
1. Crane, Twin Falls, Id.	21'4"
HIGH JUMP	
1A	
1. Langenfeld, Edina, Mn.	5'8"
2. Conley, Woodside, Ca.	5'6"
3. Weaver, Ft. Worth, Tx.	5'4"
4. Fitzhugh, San Juan Capstr., Ca.	5'4"
1B	
1. Hollingsworth, Lafayette, In.	5'8"
2. Nulkey, Atlanta, Ga.	5'6"
3. Hutchins, Philadelphia, Pa.	5'6"
4. Wagemaker, Louisville, Ky.	5'4"
5. White, Denver, Co.	5'2"
2A	
1. Kardok, Colorado Spgs., Co.	5'2"
2. Simmons, Charlotte, NC	5'0"
3. Samples, Dallas, Tx.	4'10"
4. Brown, Whittier, Ca.	4'8"
5. Peters, Grovesport, Oh.	4'8"
2B	
1. Morcom, Georges Mills, NH	5'6"
2. Gillett, Porterville, Ca.	4'10"
3. Buschman, E. Lansing, Mi.	4'7"
4. Ilie, Norwood, N.J.	4'5"
5. Edward, Princeton, N.J.	4'4"
3A	
1. Ward, St. Catharines, Ont.	4'2"
3B	
1. Lacey, Pelham, NY	4'4"
2. McIntyre, Prescott, Az.	4'4"
3. Hills, Flourtown, Pa.	4'4"
4. Boal, Wake Forest, NC	4'4"
5. Dick, Dousman, Wi.	4'2"

800 Meters

30-39, Bob Lindsey, 2:20.0
40-44, James Parks, 2:11.3
45-49, Tom Sturak, 2:12.2
50-54, Avery Bryant, 2:19.1
55-59, Dave Lewis, 2:31.3

400-Meter Hurdles

30-39, C. McCormick, 57.0
40-44, Hal Smith, 67.1
45-49, Al Sheahen, 63.3
50-54, Robert Roemer, 1:08.01
55-59, Robert Hunt, 1:13.05

200 Meters

30-39, Hilliard Sumner, 21.7
40-44, Ken Dennis, 22.6
45-49, Jesse Powell, 31.1
50-54, Robert Roemer, 25.9
55-59, Cal Boyd, 26.6
65-69, Anthony Castro, 29.8
70+, Sing Lum, 32.0

5000 Meters

30-39, Tom Richards, 17:21.1
40-44, Frank Delgado, 17:27.1
45-49, Peter Mundle, 17:54.6
55-59, James Oleson, 19:57.8
50-54, Sid Toabe, 17:57.7
60-64, Harry Harder, 21:37.0
40-44 (Women), Lori Maynard, 23:13.0
50-54, Dorothy Thomas, 23:52.0
55-59, Virginia Martin, 31:59.0

High Jump

30-39, Dave Loera, 5'6"
40-44, Phil Conley, 5'2"
45-49, Ed Austin, 5'9"
50-54, Dave Brown, 4'6"
55-59, Orv Gillette, 5'0"
60-64, Jim Vernon, 4'8"
70+, Homer Van Gelder, 3'9"

Long Jump

30-39, Al Henry, 21'3"
40-44, Phil Conley, 19'0"
45-49, Dave Jackson, 19'9"
50-54, Dave Brown, 15'10"
55-59, Bill Burke, 11'11 1/2"
30-39 (Women), Katie Burke, 9'2 1/2"
40-44 (Women), Christy Miller, 13'4 3/4"

Triple Jump

30-39, Al Henry, 43'5 1/2"
40-44, Phil Conley, 36'7"
45-49, Dave Jackson, 36'5 1/2"

HIGH JUMP Cont'd.

4A	
1. Anderson, Bellvue, Co.	4'2"
2. McFadden, San Diego, Ca.	3'11"
3. Boas, Whitestone, NY	3'8"
4. Brosz, Scarborough, Ont.	3'4"
4B	
1. Crane, Twin Falls, Id.	3'11"

400 METER RELAY

1A	
1. Seniors Track Club, Ca.	45.6
2. N. Ca. Seniors Track Club.	45.9
3B	
1. Seniors Track Club, Ca.	57.7

WOMEN SUBMASTERS

1. N. Ca. Seniors Track Club	56.9
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1600 METER RELAY

1A	
1. Seniors Track Club, Ca.	3:38.4
2. N. Ca. Seniors Track Club	4:02.6
1B	
1. Mason-Dixon A.C.	4:09.8
2. Jersey Track Club	4:10.3
3. L. A. Striders	4:22.7
4. U. of Chicago Track Club	4:25.5
2A	
1. Seniors Track Club, Ca.	4:19.9
2. Midwest Masters	4:22.6

20 KILOMETER WALK

1A	
1. #43	1:51:31
2. Larson, Racine, Wi.	2:19:16
3. #92	2:24:44
1B	
1. Corrallo, Graith, Md.	1:54:10.1
2. MadLacklan, Marble Falls, Tx.	2:10:34
2B	
1. Lundmark, Northglenn, Co.	2:24:10
3A	
1. Johnson, Little Silver, NJ	2:14:16
4A	
1. Duckham, Dayton, Oh.	2:20:25
2. Unruh, Tecate, Ca.	2:25:27

50-54, Dave Brown, 31'9 1/2"
60-64, Jim Vernon, 29'1"
65-69, Robert MacConaghy, 22'1"

Shot Put

30-39, Doug Wells, 54' 1/2"
40-44, Bob Humphreys, 43'10 1/2"
45-49, Butch Nielson, 31'4 1/2"
50-54, George Ker, 49'3"
55-59, Quinto Merlo, 36'11 1/2"
60-64, Jack Thatcher, 46'10 1/2"
30-39 (Women), Catie Burke, 19'6 1/2"

Hammer

30-39, Alex Cordova, 112'0"
40-44, Bob Humphreys, 136'0"
45-49, Jerry Wojcik, 85'3"
50-54, Paul Evans, 96'5"

Pole Vault

30-39, Dave Loera, 9'0"
40-44, Hal Smith, 10'0"
45-49, Vic Cook, 11'0"

50-54, Donald Grosh, 10'6"
55-59, Orv Gillette, 9'6"
60-64, Jim Vernon, 11'0"
65-69, Robert MacConaghy, 8'0"

Discus

30-39, Doug Wells, 157'0"
40-44, Bob Humphreys, 154'11"
45-49, Butch Nielson, 89'4 1/2"
50-54, George Ker, 145'5"
55-59, Bob Stone, 111'7"
60-64, Jack Thatcher, 137'3"
65-69, Robert MacConaghy, 96'11"

Javelin

40-44 (Women), Christel Miller, 104'9"
30-39, Doug Wells, 197'2"
40-44, Phil Conley, 205'0"
45-49, Jerry Wojcik, 121'7"
50-54, Roy Wigginton, 109'11"
55-59, Bob Stone, 121'5"
60-64, Bill Morales, 154'0"

Guthrie tips buddy, wins Masters

A report on the National Masters 25-Kilometer Championship at

Medford, Oregon, Sept. 24, from the Medford Mail Tribune

By DICK JEWETT

Mail Tribune Sports Editor

Kent Guthrie and Ralph Bowles are running buddies.

They live in the same town. They train together and they run for the same club, the West Valley Joggers and Striders.

Bowles was the 1976 Pacific AAU points champion. Guthrie is assured the crown for this year.

Twelve days ago in the Pacific AAU 25 kilometer title race the two intentionally tied, said Guthrie, "so we wouldn't kill ourselves."

On the country roads west of Central Point on Saturday, however, it was a different story. There was a national crown at stake.

Each on his own went all out. And today Guthrie holds the National AAU Masters 25 Kilometer Running Championship.

Bowles, seconds behind, was the runnerup.

Masters running is for competitors 40 years of age and over. Guthrie, Pleasant Hill, Calif., 40 and therefore in his first year as a master toured the 15-mile, 940-yard road course out from Scenic Junior High and back to Crater High School in 1 hour 26 minutes 17 seconds.

Bowles, 41, turned in a time of 1:26.50.

The two outran Earl Ellis, 41, Seattle, and Geoff Pietsch, 40, Miami, Fla., who were third and fourth, respectively, in 1:27.05 and 1:27.19.

Herb Parsons, 40, Anacortes, Wash., took fifth in 1:29.10.

Bowles and Ellis set the early pace and Guthrie let them do it.

"Ralph and Ellis dueled up front for the lead," illumined Guthrie, "and I thought they were getting tired. So I just hung back and stayed loose.

"I decided to pass them before the uphill stretch (starting up Ross Lane at about the nine-mile mark) so I knew they'd have a hard time catching me.

"At the corner of Taylor Road I lit out to a big lead, about 200-yards at least, so they could see me and start thinking about second place."

"I did about as expected," said the Moraga Elementary School teacher. "I drove the course before the race and I figured it could be run in around 1:25."

Bowles also described his race as about what he anticipated. The business machines serviceman for Mt. Diablo School District, Concord, Calif. describe the weather, cool, partly cloudy, as perfect.

For Pietsch, who came the longest distance to be among the 68 runners (66 finished), it was a debut.

A teacher of American history in a private high school at Miami, he turned 40 just last Sunday.

"This is the first masters race I was eligible for," he said. "I knew the weather would be good. It's much too humid in Florida. I like the Pacific Northwest. It would have been nice if it had rained today. A little rain doesn't hurt once you get warmed up.

"I can't imagine guys over 40 running so fast," observed Pietsch. I averaged 5.35 per mile and that was not good enough."

"I fell in love with a girl half my age," he remarked. "I guess this is my way of proving age doesn't matter.

Dr. Ross Smith, 49, University of Nevada-Reno, professor, was the winner in 1:30.21 in the 45-49 age group. Walt Betschart, 50, Sacramento, went the route in 1:38.48 to take the 50-54 class.

Franz Pauwels, Portland, 59, won in the 55-59 group at 1:43.23 and Clive Davies, 62, Portland, in the 60-64 class at 1:34.38.

Ruth Anderson, 48, Oakland, Calif., a nuclear chemist for the University of California Lawrence Radiological laboratory at Livermore had the fast time among four women entered. It was 1:44.12.

Martha Maricle, 44, San Francisco, was first for 40-45 with 1:57.12.

"This is a gorgeous area to run in," commented Ms. Anderson, who is national chairman of the AAU masters women's division.

"This is the best 25 kilometer time I've put in," noted the chemist. "I've run five."

But she came up to the area Friday in a small plane through turbulence and wondered at the time if she'd have the stomach to compete.

"I've been running just five years, since I was 43, said the enthusiastic Ms. Anderson. "I figure if I can do it,"

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there's a raft of lovely ladies out there that can do it."

Masters running has not yet attracted a lot of women. She was 37th overall Saturday.

"My favorite distance is the marathon," said the chemist. "It's because of the challenge of it. Everyone is different.

She has run 27, including the national masters here in 1975.

Gutherie now has won 26 straight races, including the recent tie with Bowles, and has exceeded Smith's previous consecutive record of 18.

"the best race I've had in terms of points," reported Gutherie, was a 20-miler last year in 1:51.12. "It was the fastest in the country for a 40-year-old.

He was third in the National Masters Cross Country Race (10,000 meters).

Gutherie would have preferred a hotter morning. "The cool weather tightens you up," he said. "I'm a heat runner."

Dr. Smith, runnerup in the masters marathon here two years ago, ran seventh overall, Ray Meznie, 42, Mill Valley, Calif., the 1975 marathon winner, was eighth in yesterday's race.

Gutherie, Bowles, Ken Naier, Smith and Byron Holmes won the team title for West Valley.

The Buffalo Chips of the Sacramento area were second and the sponsoring Southern Oregon Sizzlers third.

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up.
Discus: 2 kilo. for 1A and 1B, 1.6 kilo. for 2A and 2B and 1 kilo. for 3A and up.
Javelin: 800 gr. for 1A, 1B, 2A, 2B and 600 gr. for 3A and up.
Hammer: 16 lb. for 1A and 1B, 12 lb. for 2A and 2B and 8 lb. for 3A and up.

Wt.: 35 lb. for 1A and 1B, 28 lb. for 2A and 2B and 25 lb. for 3A and up.

Right now it is not consistent. For example: 12 lb. shot in 2A and 2B, but 16 lb. hammer and 35 lb. weight!

It is pretty tough for men over 50 to throw a 35-lb. weight or a 16-lb. hammer. There's only one Bob Backus, but dozens of the rest of us! I can throw them, but they don't go anywhere! With a lighter weight implement we older men get a little pleasure out of some reasonable distances! (With less risk of a strained back).

Sincerely,
Dave Batchelor, age 57
West Penn Masters
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Compounding an error

Gentlemen:
Congratulations on this new venture. Please accept my wishes for success and long life to this needed publication.

On the first page you speak of the necessity for authentic records, preferably originals. That need is emphasized in the report on the Indoor Nationals at New Haven, which has been published many times with the

encircled error (attached) in the weight throw.

It shows Seraghy, Partridge and the rest throwing the 25# weight. The fact was that the meet was entirely indoors (rain); the 25# weight could not be used (It is solid) and all classes threw the 35# "beanbag" or soft weight. There is, so far as I know, no soft cover 25# throwing weight in existence.

I don't know what difference that makes, since the comparative results were correct—but the results do look rather strange.

Sincerely yours,
Curtis Wright
Philadelphia Masters, age 73

News notes from other newsletters

The Potomac Valley Seniors September newsletter reports on a new world record set by nine walkers in the D.C. area. They walked a total of 168 miles, 1700 yards in 24 hours Aug. 6 and 7, over six and three-quarter miles farther and 21 seconds per mile

Midwest Masters Track & Field Championships June 2, 1977 Monona, Wisconsin

	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-59	60+
100 Yd Dash	G. Hedgecock 10.5 J. Hess 11.4 Jim Hess 11.6	D. Shevitz 10.4 T. Flanagan 11.0 T. Pliner 11.9	J. Avery 10.8 R. Humke 10.9 B. Powell 11.4	J. Graham 12.6 B. Christensen 16.1	B. Roemer 11.7 R. Jacobs 12.0	B. Seldon 13.1
220 Yd Dash	G. Hedgecock 24.2	E. Houston 24.0 D. Shevitz 24.3 T. Pliner 26.3	B. Humke 24.5 J. Avery 24.6 D. Hopkins 26.7		B. Roemer 25.5 D. Smith 25.7 R. Jacobs 28.0	B. Seldon 29.9
440 Yd Dash	S. Mathes 55.3 Jim Hess 61.8	T. Pliner 56.0 E. Houston 57.3			D. Smith 56.4 B. Roemer 61.4 R. Jacobs 64.7	B. Seldon 72.0
880 Yd Run	S. Mathes 2:16.5 M. Van DenBusch 2:21.0	B. Porter 2:13.7	R. Saddler 2:09.8 S. Woods 2:26.2 J. Straub 2:36.4		D. Smith 2:11.0 J. Curran 3:02.7	
Mile Run	E. Zemper 4:37.7 M. Smith 4:47.3 M. Van DenBusch 5:10.7	T. Pinkerton 4:49.3	R. Saddler 4:47.0 S. Woods 5:19.6 E. Harbut 5:29.3	D. Peterson 5:02.9	D. Smith 5:02.8 J. Stronks 6:22.6	R. Metcalf 6:25.5
3 Mile Run	E. Zemper 17:15.3 P. McNaughton 21:27	L. Wilcox 16:10.3 T. Pinkerton 16:32	J. Straub 20:45	D. Peterson 17:19		
120 Yd Hll		B. Mills 19.0	B. Powell 18.6 B. Marten 19.2			
440 Yd LH		T. Pliner 63.6 W. Smith 66.5 B. Mills 69.2	B. Marten 62.4 B. Powell 65.3 B. Journey 66.5		R. Morcom 66.7	
High Jump		W. Smith 5'2" B. Mills 4'10"	T. Langenfeld 5'10 1/2" T. Woodring 4'10"	T. Hinkes 4'2"	R. Morcom 5'0" B. Roemer 4'10"	J. Dick 4'2"
Pole Vault			T. Woodring 11'0" B. Powell 8'10"	L. Shillinglaw 9'10" T. Hinkes 9'3"	R. Morcom 12'5" R. Phelps 7'4"	
Long Jump		T. Pliner 15'9 1/2"	P. Lehmkuhl 18'7" T. Woodring 17'4" B. Journey 15'6 1/2"	T. Hinkes 14'10 1/2" B. Sonneman 14'10" J. Graham 12'11"	R. Morcom 19'7 1/2"	J. Dick 12'2 1/2"
Shot Put	John Hess 33'2" Jim Hess 30'1"	B. Smith 25'1"		B. Sonneman 27'3"	M. Casteneda 39'5" R. Morcom 25'0"	J. Dick 33'6"
Discus	John Hess 99'1" E. Hutchins 85'10"	T. Pliner 89'9" B. Smith 79'5"		B. Sonneman 87'0"	M. Casteneda 120'2" R. Morcom 109'2"	J. Dick 98'5"
Javelin		B. Smith 115'3"		B. Sonneman 114'8"	B. Roemer 121'7" M. Casteneda 79'8"	J. Dick 101'1"
Triple Jump			P. Lehmkuhl 35'3 1/2" B. Journey 33'6"		M. Casteneda 23'5 1/2"	J. Dick 26'11"

How they finished in Masters run

ORDER OF FINISH:

Top 10 — Kent Gutherie, 40, Pleasant Hill, Calif., 1:26:17; Ralph Bowles, 41, Pleasant Hill, 1:26:50; Earl Ellis, 41, Seattle, 1:27:05; Geoff Pietsch, 40, Miami, Fla., 1:27:19; Herb Parsons, 40, Anacortes, Wash., 1:29:10; Dave Stern, 41, Pebble Beach, Calif., 1:29:15; Ross Smith, 49, Reno, 1:30:21; Ray Menzie, 42, Mill Valley, Calif., 1:31:18; Jim Davis, 41, 1:31:47; Michael Healy, 45, 1:32:06, Kentfield, Calif.

Ages 40-45 — Kent Gutherie, 1:26:17; Ralph Bowles, 1:26:50; Earl Ellis, 1:27:05; Geoff Pietsch, 1:27:19; Herb Parsons, 1:29:10; Dave Stern, 1:29:15; Ray Menzie, 1:31:18; Jim Davis, 1:31:47; Byron Cattell, 1:32:16; Paul Holmes, 1:33:04; Edward Rockwell, 1:34:31; Vance Parkhurst, 1:35:19; Thomas Pierce, 1:35:28; Bryan Holmes, 1:36:17; Dick Gustafson, 1:36:27; James Jacobs, 1:36:22; Jack Bird, 1:40:05; F. G. Russell, 1:42:20; William Flodberg 1:42:32; Bob Mullin, 1:43:0; Mike Baughman, 1:44:51; John Atterton, 1:46:28; Dennis Lett, 1:49:18; Keith Walker 1:50:38; Don Ingram,

1:51:10; Martha Maricle, 1:57:12; Donald Sanderson, Corvallis, 2:00:0; Milton Schultz, 2:01:38; T. J. Harvey, 2:05:19; Ron Gray, 2:05:19; Catherine Smith, 2:07:57; Leon Ransom, 2:21:52.
Ages 45-49 — Ross Smith, 1:30:21; Michael Healy, 1:32:06; Larry Rice, 1:35:54; James Nicholson, 1:36:20; Ken Napier, 1:36:52; Lenny Escarda, 1:37:39; Harry Daniell, 1:38:45; Phil Harder, 1:40:22; Don Loftus, 1:42:11; Jack Parsons 1:43:25; Ruth Anderson, 1:44:12; Dick Kendall, 1:58:34; Fred Schmitz, 2:01:06; Jean Irvin, 2:02:0; Richard Irvin, 2:03:33; Dale Farley, Grants Pass, 2:10:03.

Ages 50-54 — Walt Betschart, 1:38:48; Bob Macy, 1:39:26; Art Waggoner, 1:40:34; Bruce Robinson, 1:47:58; Harrison Smith, 1:49:0; Stashu Geurtsen, 1:55:38; Dave Keiser, 1:59:39; Richard Abbe, 2:16:32.
Ages 55-59 — Franz Pauwels, 1:43:23; Norm Hansen, 1:43:54; Joseph Mallon, 1:54:59; Ken Simensen,

2:10:19; Bill Burmeister, 2:13:03; Byron Smith 2:45:03.
Ages 60-64 — Clive Davies, 1:34:38; Frank Cuzillo, 1:57:54; Dan Bulkley, 2:01:57; John Gustafson, 2:13:40.

Women ages 40-44 — Martha Maricle, 1:57:12; Catherine Smith, 2:07:57.
Women ages 45-48 — Ruth Anderson, 1:44:12; Jean Irvin, 2:02:0.

performer at the Masters Championships in Sweden with seven gold medals.

"The meet in Sweden was tailor-made for a person like myself, having it last over a five-day period," Greenwood wrote. He noted there were five false starts in the first heat of the 100 meters due to gun trouble or faulty shells. The sixth time the runners were off and ran the 100, but found out it didn't count because some runners didn't run. So they lined up and ran again. Jack reported another mixup occurred in the 110-meter high hurdles which delayed the start an hour and a half.

Jack was busy running in the various events, including three 400-meter events, including hurdles, in one day.

"When it was all over with I just collapsed and I don't believe I could have run another step if I had to," Jack said.

He noted that he and his wife were busy sightseeing between events. He recalls the first World Masters Meet in Cologne, Germany, when there were about 300 competitors as opposed to some 3000 at Sweden.

"I feel that the reason for tougher competition is that the Europeans and Australians have had their veterans program longer than we have had our companion Masters program," Greenwood says. "Also, they have various clubs which have meets almost every weekend. I still feel competition is the best way in the world to get into shape!"

Jack said he's often asked about diet. He says he has no special diet and eats "anything I want to except on the day of the meet when I abstain from eating anything from four to five hours before I run."

There's a report from Jack Greenwood in the September issue of the Master-Pieces newsletter published by Russ Niemi for the Mid-America Masters Track and Field Association at Overland Park, Kansas. Greenwood, of Medicine Lodge, Kan., was the outstanding U.S.