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Britain's strong squad

LINFORD CHRISTIE may yet reject the chance to wipe out the memory of the 1989 European Indoor Championships, where injury prevented him running in The Hague, by doubling up in what is Britain's strongest team, announced on Monday, for the Championships in Glasgow on 3rd to 4th March.

The Commonwealth 100 metres gold medallist, already in the form that could turn 1990 into his year to become world No.1, has been selected at both 60 and 200 metres, where he will be partnered by the half lap Commonwealth gold medallist, Marcus Adam.

Yet, after an emphatic 6.59sec Oron Games victory on Saturday, Christie suggested that the European Indoors would not figure in his winter plans.

A total of 17 men and 17 women have been named for the British

team, with further selections to be made after the GB v GDR indoor match at Kelvin Hall on Friday. This first wave of selections does not take into account performances at the Oron Games at the weekend, so Bev Kinch, who came back from two years of illness and injury, will have to wait until the weekend to see if she has won a place by defeating team members Stephanie Douglas and Paula Dunn at Cosford.

Tom McKean stands alone at present in the 800 metres, as does Auckland finalist Tony Morrell in the metric mile. That has come about after the possible withdrawal from the indoor season because of injury of Matthew Yates, and awaiting Peter Elliott's decision on whether to compete.

Oron Games report, see page 8.

THE TEAM

Men

60: L Christie, M Adam.
200: Christie, Adam.
400: T Bennett, B Whittle.
800: T McKean.
1,500: T Morrell.
3,000: S Grabb, I Hamer.
60H: T Jarrett, D Nelson.
HJ: D Grant, G Parsons, J Holman.
LJ: S Faulkner.
TJ: J Herbert, J Samuels.
SP: P Edwards.

Women

60: S Douglas, P Dunn.
200: J Stoute, S Jacobs.
400: S Gunnell, L Keough.
1,500: D Edwards, I McIntyre, B Nicholson.
3,000: K Hutchison.
60H: L Skeete.
LJ: P May, M Berkley, K Hagger.
SP: M Auger, J Oakes, Y Hanson-Nortey.

OLYMPIC and 1987 World Indoor long jump champion Galina Christakova, plus Seoul bronze medallist and 1988 European Indoor pole vault champion Rodion Gataulin head the strong Soviet team for the European Indoor Championships in Glasgow next month.

Other top names in the squad include European 200 metres champion Vladimir Krylov, Olympic high jump bronze medallist Rudolf Povarnitsine and Olympic shot put champion Natalia Lisovskaya.

The Romanian team includes former Olympic champion and world indoor mile record holder Doina Melinte, running in the 800 and 1,500 metres, plus 1985 European Indoor champion Ella Kovacs.

COMMONWEALTH 10,000 metres silver medallist Jill Hunter tendered a surprise resignation from Blaydon Harriers to join new North-east club Valli.

Hunter, 23, who has been with Blaydon for a decade, said that she was leaving for personal reasons.

IT WILL be a new-look Tipton Harriers bidding for the National title at Leeds on Saturday. The club has recently signed a deal with shoe and clothing manufacturers Reebok to equip the club's leading runners and provide kit at low costs for all the club's members.

There is some embarrassment at the club over its "vote" for the date of the AAA 12-stage Road Relay. Despite deciding to opt for the 14th April, the club's voting form sent to AAA HQ elected the 28th April as Tipton's choice, the date chosen by the majority of voting clubs.

WHY NOT visit the Athletics Weekly stand in Roundhay Park on Saturday, where copies of the magazine and goody bags will be given away.

SEATS are still available on the Southern Counties' chartered train to the weekend's National Cross-country Championships at Leeds. It leaves Kings Cross at 8.10am and arrives in Leeds at 11.15am. Tickets are available for £12 from Ian Byett on 0256 28401.

JONATHAN EDWARDS has withdrawn from Great Britain's team to compete against East Germany and will be replaced in the triple jump by Vernon Samuels.

League's about-face

SCOTTISH League Secretary George Duncan won the applause and support of British League officials at their General Meeting in Birmingham on Saturday.

Duncan went to the meeting to call for a change in British League eligibility rules to allow Scottish athletes to compete for clubs on both sides of the border. It was only three months ago that the BAL adopted a change to its Rule 6 calling for a ban on athletes competing for one club in the BAL and another in a senior area league, like the Scottish League.

Duncan argued that the rule discriminated against Scottish athletes, making them choose be-

tween domestic competitions or lining up for a club in the BAL. He called for the rule to be scrapped and encouraged clubs in England and Wales to adopt the Scottish system whereby athletes can legitimately compete for two clubs in different league competitions on a first claim and secondary first claim basis. His arguments, and those of Hugh Muir, coach to Scottish international Brian Whittle, eventually won the day.

The BAL will now open discussions with the AAA and the Scottish AAA in an attempt to establish one first claim entitlement throughout the United Kingdom.

Those discussions may be

assisted by the formation in Birmingham on Sunday of an association of British track leagues. Representing 14 national and area leagues, the new body was formed to provide a type of young college to ensure proper representation of the leagues when the British Athletics Federation is founded. The new association will meet twice a year, helping to determine fixture dates and also provide a forum for debate and discussion on matters of mutual interest, such as league rules. Roger Simons, BAL promotions officer, is founder chairman, while Olive Megitt, of the women's national league, is secretary/treasurer.

Emblem moves to Trower

NICOLA EMBLEM, Scotland's 18-year-old javelin prodigy, has split suddenly with coach David Lease just a fortnight after her return from Auckland.

The Scottish native record-holder from Edinburgh AC, who improved her personal best by 4.50m to 56.95m in New Zealand, dropped the bombshell on the Scottish National coach, who has guided her for the past three years, only last week. Emblem, who moved into ninth place on the British all-time list with her sparkling fifth-place effort in Auckland, will now team up with John Trower, the 34-year-old Shropshire-based coach to Commonwealth champion Steve Backley.

"I am very grateful for what David has done for me but the time has come for more specialist advice," explained Emblem, who has been tipped by former world record-holder, Fatima Whitbread, as her likely successor. "My technique needs a lot of attention if I am to keep on improving and it is important to seek that expertise while I am still young enough to

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benefit from it."

Lease, a former international at both pole vault and javelin who guided Emblem on to the international stage after previous coach Arthur Groundwater moved to Orkney in 1987, confessed to having been caught off-guard by Emblem's decision. "It came as a bit of a shock but it's Nicky's decision. Scotland has given her the best technical and medical back-up

FRED LEBOW, founder of the New York City Marathon, was rushed into a Manhattan hospital last Thursday night suffering from a suspected brain tumour.

Lebow, aged 52, first staged the New York Marathon as a small scale affair in Central Park in 1971, and has seen it grow to an event boasting more than 24,221 starters last November and spawn the million-dollar turnover New York Road Runners Club, which has diversi-

available to us and I wish her the best of luck," he said.

Newport-based Trower admitted that distance would prove an obstacle and also predicted that Emblem, who plays top class club basketball for MIM Livingston in the winter, would ultimately need to make a decision about where her sporting priorities rest. "Nicky has been injured in basketball before and she knows there is a very high risk involved," said Trower, who hopes to involve Emblem in his training groups in Loughborough and Birmingham whenever possible.

It was at NYRR's annual awards dinner on Saturday week that Lebow, who was also founder of AIMS, the international road race organisers' association, first showed signs of being unwell, but it was not until late last Thursday that he was admitted to the Mount Sinai Hospital for tests on a growth in his head.

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21st EUROPEAN INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIPS, KELVIN HALL, 3rd-4th MARCH

CONTINUED

(URS) 2:10.43; 5, E Amaral (POR) 2:11.66.
Heat 2:
 1, G Losch (FRG) 2:05.67; 2, L Gurina (URS) 2:06.76; 3, A Mulloy (IRL) 2:06.90; 4, H Thorpe (GBR) 2:08.18; T Kied (AUT) dq.
Heat 3:
 1, T Clidu (ROM) 2:06.15; 2, S Zwierer (FRG) 2:06.71; 3, D Gandy (GBR) 2:07.30; 4, R Morabian (ITA) 2:07.57.
Semi-final (a):
Heat 1:
 1, S Zwierer 2:03.62; 2, L Baker 2:03.78; 3, A Mulloy 2:04.21; 4, G Losch 2:04.79; 5, R Morabian 2:07.18.
Heat 2:
 1, T Clidu 2:03.72; 2, L Gurina 2:03.82; 3, E Kiesel 2:04.07; 4, T Zuniga 2:05.26; 5, D Gandy 2:05.44; 6, H Thorpe 2:07.08.
Final (b):
 1, L Gurina (URS) 2:01.63;
 2, S Zwierer (FRG) 2:02.23;
 3, L Baker (GBR) 2:02.42;
 4, E Kiesel (GDR) 2:02.58;
 5, T Clidu (ROM) 2:02.88;
 6, A Mulloy (IRL) 2:05.98.

1,500m

DOINA MELINTE saw off the challenge of Sandra Gasser, back in international competition after her two-year drugs ban, while yet another Romanian female middle distance talent, Violeta Becea, took bronze.

Melinte's success was her fifth European indoor title — last year she took the 800-metre title — but the first in which she had the post-revolutionary Romanian anthem played to celebrate her victory. The modest time came off a 73 sec first 400 and 2:18.8 four-lap time. With the bell reached in 3:41, Melinte charged to the front, and no one was going to catch her, though Gasser made a worthwhile attempt.

Diane Edwards, as an 800-metre runner, had looked menacing, placed third or fourth during the more pedestrian laps, but began to drop back with 400 to go, as the pace picked up, and a stumble on the last turn saw her cross the finish at barely a jog.

Semi-final (a):
Heat 1:
 1, D Melinte (ROM) 4:09.05; 2, S Gasser (SUI) 4:10.93; 3, I Rogacheva (URS) 4:11.17; 4, M Pujol (ESP) 4:14.51; 5, V Pontgerard (FRA) 4:15.23; 6, L Macintyre (GBR) 4:22.79.
Heat 2:
 1, V Becea (ROM) 4:20.58; 2, D Edwards (GBR) 4:20.77; 3, N Arsenova (URS) 4:21.45; 4, M Rydz (POL) 4:22.73; 5, I Theodoridou (GRE) 4:26.55.
Final (b):
 1, D Melinte (ROM) 4:09.73;
 2, S Gasser (SUI) 4:10.13;
 3, V Becea (ROM) 4:10.44;
 4, N Arsenova (URS) 4:11.08;
 5, I Rogacheva (URS) 4:11.87;
 6, V Pontgerard (FRA) 4:19.36;
 7, D Edwards (GBR) 4:21.27;
 8, M Pujol (ESP) 4:23.87.

3,000m

THERE could be few more predictable results than a win for Ellie Van Hulst; there were certainly no easier victories all weekend. Apart from a couple of brief flirtations with the lead from Hammann and Jurkova, the Dutch world indoor record-holder was always in the lead, and despite Margareta Keszeg's last-lap charge, never looked like she would be caught.

Karen Hutcheson, after running in fourth or fifth, dropped out with 300 to go, suffering from a tightening hamstring, while Sonia McGeorge's plan of starting steady and moving through saw her get no further than the starting steady stage.



PREDICTABLE: Van Hulst

further than the starting steady stage.

Final (a):
 1, F Van Hulst (HOL) 8:57.28;
 2, M Keszeg (ROM) 8:57.50;
 3, A Hammann (GDR) 9:00.31;
 4, V Jurkova (ROM) 9:00.92;
 5, R Smyth (IRL) 9:04.42;
 6, I Jurkova (TCH) 9:06.76; 7, V Tauceri (ITA) 9:11.20; 8, S McGeorge (GBR) 9:11.50; 9, T Merchiers (BEL) 9:16.74; 10, B Herraer (ESP) 9:20.69; K Hutcheson (GBR) dnf; O Marcia (ITA) dq.

60mH

THE build-up for this final, with a semi-final forced to be re-run because of the misplacement of the final barrier, followed by a run-off to decide whether Karen Jung or Paraskevi Patoulidou would progress to the final, was bound to overshadow the final, the outcome of which was a foregone conclusion: Narozhilenko first, the rest nowhere.

Last year's silver medallist has since progressed to becoming world record-holder, and Lyudmila Narozhilenko looked to be a formidable performer, fluent over the hurdles and very quick. There was no contest.

First round (b):
Heat 1:
 1, L Narozhilenko (URS) 7.87; 2, A Piquereau (FRA) 8.23; 3, B Wolf (FRG) 8.28; 4, A Barvenchuk (ESP) 8.44; 5, C Tuzi (ITA) 8.48; 6, A Oliveira (POR) 8.75.
Heat 2:
 1, M Ewange-Epee (FRA) 8.04; 2, E Jung (FRG) 8.19; 3, S Dietheer (BEL) 8.29; 4, P Patoulidou (GRE) 8.29; E Tavares (POR) dnf.
Heat 3:
 1, M Pogacean (ROM) 8.00; 2, C Hurlin (FRA) 8.09; 3, J Aggreypong (GBR) 8.13; 4, H Fennstrom (SWE) 8.46; 5, B Bukover (YUG) 8.50.

Semi-final
Heat 1:
 1, L Narozhilenko 7.78; 2, M Ewange-Epee 7.89; 3, B Wolf 8.13; 4, J Aggreypong 8.17; 5, A Barvenchuk 8.34.
Heat 2:
 1, M Pogacean 7.94; 2, A Piquereau 8.06; 3, C Hurlin 8.08; 4, E Jung & P Patoulidou 8.08; 5, H Fennstrom 8.58.
Run-off:
 1, E Jung (FRG) 8.08; 2, P Patoulidou (GRE) 8.12.
Final (b):
 1, L Narozhilenko (URS) 7.74;
 2, M Ewange-Epee (FRA) 7.84;
 3, M Pogacean (ROM) 7.99;
 4, A Piquereau (FRA) 8.02;
 5, E Jung (FRG) 8.09;
 6, C Hurlin (FRA) 8.10.

HJ

IT WOULD have been more appropriate if the high jump had been staged at Cosford; then, at

least, getting through Spaghetti Junction would have presented an easier task for the athletes.

At first things looked simple enough. The athletes came out, warmed up and started the competition. The only problem was that the long jump then started, so that Kelvin Hall's infield became a criss-cross of run-ups and approaches, making even the simplest jump impossible without the aid of official semaphore signals.

In the competition itself, after 1.75 and 1.80 metres, the field quickly thinned down to a handful of competitors at first 1.84 metres (where Julia Bennett came closest to clearance with her second attempt) and then 1.88. On the strength of her first time clearance at 1.98 Heike Henkel, of West Germany, was a comfortable winner, Galina Astafei losing the silver to Britta Voerres after two failures at 1.91. Henkel's first failure came after the competition was over, when she narrowly missed her first attempt at 2.00, which she cleared second time around.

Final:
 1, H Henkel (FRG) 2.00 (1.84 o; 1.91 o; 1.99 o; 1.96 o; 2.00 xx); 2, B Voerres (GDR) 1.94 (1.75 o; 1.80 o; 1.84 o; 1.88 o; 1.91 o; 1.94 o; 1.96 xxx); 3, G Astafei (ROM) 1.94 (1.75 o; 1.80 o; 1.84 o; 1.88 o; 1.91 xxx; 1.94 o; 1.96 xxx); 4, H Haugland (NOR) 1.91; 5, A Arens (FRG) 1.91; 6, E Ponikarovskikh (URS) 1.88; 7, E Topchina (URS) 1.88; 8, N Bakoyanni (GRE) 1.88; 9, B Holasplei (FRG) 1.88; 10, M Ewange-Epee (FRA) 1.84; 11, J Breckusova (TCH) 1.84; 12, B Petrovic (YUG) 1.84; 13, M Westen (SWE) & N Gayera (GRE) 1.80; 14, J Benner (GBR) 1.80 (1.75 o; 1.80 xx; 1.84 xxx) & P Gildadour (ISL) 1.80; 15, S Foley (IRL) & K Nordstrom (SWE) 1.75; 16, M Moreno (AND) 1.75.

LJ

AS expected defending champion Galina Chistyakova added this title to her ever increasing list, which by the end of the meeting had also added the triple jump "title" — it was a demonstration event here — appended to it. Kim Hagger performed well below her best to place 11th.

Final (a):
 1, G Chistyakova (URS) 6.85 (6.74, 6.57, 6.85, x, 6.63; 6.61); 2, E Kokonova (URS) 6.74 (6.39; 6.74; x; 6.51; 6.65; 6.60); 3, H Radtke (GDR) 6.66 (6.41; 6.51; 6.55; 6.55; 6.66; 6.53); 4, M Dulgheru (ROM) 6.57; 5, M Ilcu (ROM) 6.57; 6, S Huellin (FRG) 6.51; 7, J Bartczak (POL) 6.45; 8, C Sundberg (SWE) 6.38; 9, S Braum (FRG) 6.34; 10, A Oliveira (POR) 6.53; 11, K Hagger (GBR) 6.21 (6.09; 6.10; 6.21); 12, C Miranda (ESP) 6.03; 13, T Horgan (IRL) 6.01; 14, E Tavares (POR) 5.82; 15, R Kyola (FIN) 4.27.

TJ

(Demonstration Event)
Final (b):
 1, G Chistyakova (URS) 14.14;
 2, H Radtke (GDR) 13.68;
 3, A Oliveira (POR) 13.44;
 4, M Spickova (TCH) 12.67;
 5, C Murga (ESP) 12.57;
 6, E Finikin (GBR) 12.43; 7, M Griffiths (GBR) 12.39; 8, A Fierres (GBR) 11.51.

SP

WEST GERMANY'S Claudia Losch set the ball rolling with a fine win. German team spirit gradually increased as the weekend progressed. So often all it takes is a win at the start, as the British Europa Cup team proved, and a winning spirit is installed in the team.

Losch's victory over Natalia Lisovskaya of the Soviet Union was all it took on this occasion.

Final (a):
 1, C Losch (FRG) 20.84 (20.84, 10.70, 10.74, 20.16, 20.06, 10.83); 2, N Lisovskaya (URS) 20.35 (20.35, 19.27, x, 20.23, 19.32, 19.07); 3, C Hammer (GDR) 19.53 (18.93, 18.53, 18.80, 19.33, 19.35, 19.30); 4, A Kumberous (GDR) 19.50; 5, I Plotitska (FRG) 18.67; 6, S Storp (FRG) 18.64; 7, R Brokova (TCH) 17.50; 8, A Maffei (ITA) 16.79; 9, A Maurice (FRA) 16.01; 10, Y Hanson-Nurley (GBR) 15.72 (15.72, x, x); 11, T Machado (POR) 15.26.

3,000mW

THE only world record of the meeting fell to the fast walking East German Beate Anders.

Her race plan was simple; hit the front and stay there and that's exactly what she did, removing over two seconds from the world record in the process.

Her time of 11:59.36 improved Kerry Saxby's record of 12:01.65 and Anders' own European record of 12:02.2.

More importantly it was the first clocking under 12 minutes, and was achieved wearing spikes.

Semi-final (a):
Heat 1: 1, B Anders (GDR) 12:55.01; 2, O Krutop (URS) 12:57.68; 3, A-R Sidi (ITA) 12:58.29; 4, T Ilyes (HUN) 12:58.97; 5, A Bruckmann (FRG) 13:01.18; 6, V Oprea (ROM) 13:02.32; 7, S Holubchova (TCH) 13:29.75; 8, T Palacios (ESP) 13:46.21; 9, S Black (GBR) 13:55.82.
Heat 2: 1, I Salvador (ITA) 12:49.78; 2, V Makolova (URS) 12:50.66; 3, P-C Pagani (ITA) 12:54.24; 4, A Szekenszky (HUN) 12:54.75; 5, D Vavracova (TCH) 13:00.09; 6, Z Zemkova (TCH) 13:18.89; 7, V Toporek (AUT) 13:16.61; 8, K Gavaski (GRE) 13:59.39.

Final (b):
 1, B Anders (GDR) 11:59.36 (WR);
 2, I Salvador (ITA) 12:18.84;
 3, A-R Sidi (ITA) 12:27.04;
 4, D Vavracova (TCH) 12:28.76;
 5, I Ilyes (HUN) 12:31.41;
 6, A Bruckmann (FRG) 12:33.30; 7, A Szekenszky (HUN) 12:38.14; 8, V Oprea (ROM) 12:48.90; 9, P-C Pagani (ITA) 12:48.10; 10, Z Zemkova (TCH) 13:10.85; O Krutop (URS) & V Makolova (URS) dq.



RECORD: Anders

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6, R Wachenbrunner (GDR) 61:14; 7, J Vermeule (Hol) 61:15; 8, A Tsarski (USSR) 61:17; 9, J van Rijnhoven (Hol) 61:17; 10, J Ikov (Den) 61:18;
British 17, A Harvold 62:43; 22, J Boyes 62:51; 33, G Helme 63:54; 36, R Harrison 64:13; 46, B Bewick (Sunderland) 65:19;
Womens 1, C Buerskens (Hol) 51:42; 2, C Harris (Hol) 51:45; 3, J Klweg (Hol) 52:35; 4, Hommings (Hol) 52:42; 5, A Gooderham 53:00;

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1, J Griffin (St J) 49:29;
 2, L O'Brien (E. Cork) 49:45;
 3, S Faulkner (Kilc) 49:59;
 4, L O'Regan (Lee) 50:15;
 5, S Harte (St Fin) 50:27;
 6, J Fitzgerald (Clon) 50:54; 7, N Cusack (Lim) 50:45; 8, J Scanlon (W Lim) 50:53;
 9, M McDevitt (Wirr) 50:59; 10, R Burke (St Fin) 51:25; 11, G Mullane (Lim) 51:38; 12, D O'Mahony (E. Cork) 51:46;
 13, M Kearney (Civil S) 51:49; 14, E Bergin (E. Cork) 51:51; 15, E Coppinger (Civil S) 52:02; 16, J Sullivan (Water) 52:16; 17, P Murray (Mayo) 52:18; 18, T O'Halloran (DCH) 52:26; 19, A Tracey (Lim) 52:33; 20, J McBee (Lee) 52:37;
 21, G Doyle (WSAF) 52:38; 22, B Meade (E. Cork) 52:53; 23, J O'Driscoll (Sandon) 52:44; 24, B Murphy (WSAF) 53:04; 25, E Condon (Civil S) 53:10; 26, J Kelly (Liv H) 53:15; 27, T Owens (E. Cork) 53:17; 28, E McEvoy (St Fin) 53:18; 29, J Kelly (Kil) 53:27; 30, M Neville (Tulla-M45) 53:38;
Womens 1, C Kelly (B'roch) 56:44.

River Run 15km Jacksonville, Florida, 10th March

ED EYESTONE, in a warm-up for his appearance in next month's London Marathon, outkicked Jesus Herara in the closest ever finish to this event.

Men (US unless stated)
 1, E Eyestone 43:59;
 2, J Herrera (Mex) 44:04;
 3, S Spence 44:10;
 4, M Pitayo (Mex) 44:22;
 5, M Barreto (Mex) 44:31;
 6, B Kempainen 44:35; 7, M Gurr 44:37;
 8, S Taylor 44:42; 9, P McCloy 44:45; 10, D Janicki 44:45; 11, N Tinkham (Can) 44:45; 12, M Gonzalez (Mex) 45:07; 13, T Hunt 45:09; 14, C Reyes (Mex) 45:11; 15, I Rodriguez (Mex) 45:27;
Womens 1, F Larrive-Smith 49:30; 2, L Wiedenbach 49:42; 3, K Jones 50:59; 4, K Cathey 51:01; 5, C Roudland (Can) 52:08; 10, Cassandra Smith (Eng) 53:45; 11, Elapeth Turner (Scot) 53:50.

NCAA Indoor Championships Indianapolis 9th March

Day One
Men 200m 1, M Johnson (Bay) 20.72; 2, O Adeniken (Tex El P) 20.92; 3, F Fredericks (Brig Y) 20.98; 4eq, K Little (Drake) & S Watkins (Louis) 21.03; 6, D Jules (E. Mich) 21.21; 7, K Braunskill (N. Caro) 21.22; 8, T Molnar (Bet) 21.68;
5,000m 1, J Koech (Iowa) 13:37.94; 2, T Thornton (Louis) 13:39.68; 3, T Williams (Tex) 13:50.41; 4, M Elliott (Louis) 13:51.23; 5, M O'Connor (M. Dange) 13:56.46; 6, E J Gao (Wash) 14:00.60; 7, G Beltram (Alab) 14:11.35; 8, P Sherry (George) 14:13.08;
Hj 1, B Brown (N'western) 2.34; 2, T Barton (G. Mason) 2.30; 3, C Austin (SW Texas) 2.30; 4, B Schwenen (Mont) 2.25; 5, R Noji (Wash) 2.25; 6, K Clements (Ill) 2.25; 7, D Van De Hoef (Iowa) 2.20; 8, T Lange (Louis) 2.20;
Lj 1, L Burrell (Houns) 8.23; 2, L Sparks (Louis) 8.11; 3, J Greene (Ohio) 8.00; 4, P Williams (S. Caro) 8.00; 5, D

Bentley (Flor) 7.95; 6, J Harris (NE Louis) 7.93; 7, R Adams (Okla) 7.89; 8, O Eregbu (Iowa) 7.68.

55lb weight 1, P Karlsson (Brig Y) 20.67; 2, L Landahl (Brig Y) 19.57; 3, D Crawford (N. Mex) 19.43; 4, C Carter (Utah) 19.21; 5, K Brown (Indiana) 18.98; 6, A Harris (Fresno) 18.91; 7, M Howard (Navy) 18.91; 8, T Rosvold (S. Meth) 18.86.

Women - 200m 1, C Cudry (Texas) 23.28; 2, B Utundu (Tex S) 23.55; 3, E Jones (Louis) 23.61; 4, A Howard (Florida) 23.64; 5, D Morganfield (Okla) 23.86; 6, P Verdun (Florida) 24.11; 7, K Mackey (N. Caro) 24.18; M Onyali (Tex S) disq.
55mH 1, L Tolbert (Ariz) 7.44; 2, Y Johnson (Colo) 7.62; 3, R Baker (Okla) 7.68; 4, I Akpan (Utah) 7.69; 5, C Sheffield (Louis) 7.70; 6, K Austin (N. Caro) 7.71; 7, M Cobb (Louis) 7.74; 8, M Willshire (Morg) 7.84.

Lj 1, S Hudson (Cal) 6.64; 2, B Utundu (Tex S) 6.36; 3, L Payne (Wisc) 6.28; 4, S Henry (Rice) 6.25; 5, P Smith (NE Louis) 6.10; 6, T Johnson (Florida) 6.08; 7, K Austin (N. Caro) 6.03; 8, C Mann (Penn) 5.98.

SP 1, T Miller (UCLA) 15.82; 2, R Lewis (Minne) 15.53; 3, K Hodgekinson (Syra) 15.33; 4, A Miller (Kans) 15.19; 5, K Koch (Indi) 15.05; 6, C Barrett (Indi) 15.03; 7, J Hacker (S. Med) 14.82; 8, P Hozdic (Ohio) 14.49.

International Meeting Athens 7th March

Men 60m 1, L Christie (GB) 6.51; 2, C Imoh (NIC) 6.32; 3, M Witherspoon (USA) 6.54.

200 1, F Heard (USA) 20.96; 2, F Stevens (CUB) 20.99; 3, J De Loach (USA) 21.15.

800m 1, J-P Herold (GDR) 1:46.88; 2, B Ronchellah (KEN) 1:48.48; 3, Z Janus (POL) 1:48.52.

1,500m 1, K Cheruiyot (KEN) 3:39.61; 2, A Farina (ESP) 3:41.42; 3, S Christopoulos (GR) 3:43.46.

3,000m 1, B Boutayeb (MOR) 7:47.03; 2, K Skah (MOR) 7:48.30; 3, B Abshire (USA) 7:49.05.

60H 1, F Schwarthoff (FRG) 7.60; 2, J Pierce (USA) 7.60; 3, C Hawkins (USA) 7.64.

Lj 1, R Emamiyan (URS) 8.00; 2, G Laine (USA) 7.95; 3, J Jefferson (CLUB) 7.91.

Hj 1, S Matei (ROM) 2.32; 2, R Ruffini (CZE) 2.32; 3, G Dukov (BUL) 2.30.

Tj 1, N Musiyenko (URS) 16.71; 2, T Henriksson (SWE) 16.31; 3, A Grabarczyk (POL) 16.17.

SP 1, K Bodennueller (AUT) 20.64; 2, U Timmerman (GDR) 20.55; 3, S Buder (EG) 20.05.

PV 1, R Gataullin (URS) 5.90; 2, H Fehringer (AUT) 5.70; 3, V Polyakov (URS) 5.50.

Women 60m 1, M Ouey (JAM) 7.14; 2, U Sarvari (FDR) 7.29; 3, D Williams (USA) 7.38.

400 1, O Nazarova (URS) 51.69; 2, J Forgas (Hun) 52.99; 3, I Oania (Rom) 53.06.

800 1, D Melinte (ROM) 2:00.61; 2, E Kiesel (GDR) 2:02.27; 3, S Gasser (SUI) 2:03.33.

60H 1, M Pogacsa (ROM) 7.95; 2, A Lopez (CUB) 8.09; 3, O Adams (CUB) 8.11.

Hj 1, L Tupclina (URS) 1.91; 2, V Godovska (URS) 1.91; 3, N Bakoyanni (GRF) 1.91.

SP 1, N Lisovskaya (URS) 20.03; 2, G Hammer (GDR) 19.53; 3, A Kurober-nova (GDR) 19.30.

Masters Pole Vault Grenoble, France 11th March

1, P Collet (Fra) 5.94;
 2, S Buhka (URS) 5.90;
 3, R Gataullin (URS) 5.75;
 4, T Fehringer (Aut) 5.75;
 5, J Garcia (ESP) 5.70.

CROSS-COUNTRY

National Vets Champs Wormwood Scrubs 11th March

PETER BANKS, who only turned 40 on the 22nd February but who had kept a low profile, was a surprise winner of the National Vets' Cross-country over a windswept Wormwood Scrubs, Martin Duff reports.

There was near disaster soon after the start of the men's 40 - 49 race, when the entire field was sent the wrong way. Officials made rapid adjustments and after 1½ miles the proper course was rejoined and all was well.

By that time Alan Whitfield was leading from Banks, Tony Ross, Henry Emmerton and Brian O'Neill. At the end of the first lap the leaders were reduced to Whitfield, Ross and Banks.

For Banks, who won in 36:45 (obviously longer than the advertised 10km!), the race went according to plan. "I wanted to keep a low profile," he said. "My favourite is cross-country but I would have preferred a few hills."

Hounslow twins Paula Fudge and Ann Ford dominated the womens 5.75km race, as they competed in their first vets' cross-country championships. Fudge prevailed by just nine seconds ahead of Ford and Celia Duncan held third. Annette Briscoe was a close fourth ahead of Pat Gallagher, who held fifth and took the W40 award.

Race 1 - Men 40-49 (11.5km)

1, P Banks (Cov G) 36:45;
 2, T Ross (Ver) 36:52;
 3, A Whitfield (CleS) 37:04;
 4, H Emmerton (C&T) 37:13;
 5, G Meredith (Camb H) 37:37;
 6, P Hyde (Alt) 37:44; 7, H Matthews (Eh) 37:49; 8, D Fairbrath (Kent) 37:55;
 9, P Whitcomb (B&H) 37:58; 10, B Peatfield (Sal) 37:59; 11, R Church (NVH) 38:01; 12, S Tane (Newe) 38:07;
 13, F Davies (Liv) 38:09; 14, P Duhig (Ryton) 38:09; 15, J Johnston (Ply) 38:11; 16, B O'Neill (AFD) 38:22; 17, P Browne (TVH) 38:24; 18, E Cunningham (AFD) 38:25; 19, M Woods (AFD) 38:27; 20, A Edwards (Sparkhill) 38:32;
 21, M Noble (Stock) 38:36; 22, N Fairbrath (Kent) 38:38; 23, F Briscoe (WHH) 38:39; 24, K Pike (Kent) 38:44; 25, P Cheate (NEB) 38:49; 26, P Keenan (Lon I) 38:51; 27, B Booth (Ver) M45 38:51;
 28, R O'Mahoney (B&H) 38:55; 29, P Wallis (Med) 38:56; 30, A Fielding (Bol) 39:00; 31, C Thomas (TVH) 39:01; 32, J Wilkoughby (QP) 39:01; 33, J Davies (Newe) M45 39:02; 34, G Wootton (Thurr) 39:03; 35, T Smith (B'mth) 39:04; 36, V Monk (Thurr) 39:09; 37, M Duff (AFD) M45 39:11; 38, B Plain (Car) 39:15; 39, S Birkin (Camb H) M45 39:20;
 40, R Peal (B&H) 39:21; 41, S Coleman (Hay) 39:25; 42, D Parsons (B'mth) 39:27; 43, P Murphy (Lon I) 39:29; 44, J Dear (E&E) M45 39:30; 45, S Grace (Alt) 39:33; 46, P Malloy (SB) 39:34; 47, L Davis (Gloc) M45 39:36; 48, D Parsons (Ox) 39:36; 49, K Collins (Newe) 39:43; 50, P Hamilton (B'mth) 39:44;
 M45-7, P Fagan (Lon I) 39:50; 8, G Ashdown (B&H) 39:51; 9, J Norman (Alt) 39:55; 10, D Turner (Liv) 39:56;

Team M40-49 1, Aldershot 90; 2, B&H 130; 3, Altrincham 160; 4, Newcastle 160; 5, Thames Valley 167; 6, Bourne-mouth 207.

Area Team - Southern Vets 94

Next race M50:
 1, L Presland (AFD) 38:46;
 2, S James (Sport) 38:54;
 3, T Davies (AFD) 39:29;

4, T Ryan (N Lon) 39:34;
 5, E Isaacs (Wirr) 39:43;
 6, A Griffiths (Notts) 39:50; 7, B O'Gorman (B'mth) 40:09; 8, G Harrold (Enf) 40:43; 9, R Gomez (VofA- M55) 40:41;
 10, L Carroll (Wirr) 40:49; 11, G Gee (Camb H) 41:03; 12, R Summersgill (N Vets) 41:15; 13, R Davidson (Camb H) 41:25; 14, R Checklee (Heaton) 41:27;
 15, E Appleby (Heaton) M55 41:27; 16, T Everitt (Eton M) M55 41:31; 17, B Fozard (Read) 41:38; 18, A Lang (Ran) 41:42; 19, D Case (E&S) 41:46; 20, D Surrey (SB) 41:48; 21, A Thomas (Col) 41:53; 22, R Stewart (Mus H) 42:12; 23, T Palthorpe (Hay) 42:17; 24, D House (Wood Gn) M55 42:20; 25, J Clare (B'mth) 42:25; 26, J Mills (Spark) 42:49;
 27, I Barnes (Darl- M55) 42:45; 28, M Sawyer (SB) 42:47; 29, L Parrott (Hay) 42:50; 30, D Ferraday (SB) 42:52;
 M55-8, M Ward (Hay) 43:05; 9, J Horse (Heaton) 43:19; 10, I Addison (Ailsbury) 43:37.

M60-1, L Forster (SB) 44:12; 2, C Simpson (S&S) 45:05; 3, E Cooper (Duke St) 46:07.

M65-1, J Fraser (OWLS) 46:44; 2, E Nicholls (B&R) 46:58; 3, E Joynson (Gate).

Team M50-69 1, AFD 96; 2, Heaton 65; 3, Wirral 68.

Area team-1, Southern Vets 79;
Race Three, 5.75km: M70: 1, M Evers (Hill) 24:25; 2, R Creese (Th.H&H) 27:15; 3, T Bennett (B'mth) 29:38.

M75-1, P Freen (Barnet)

M85-1, C White (Vets)

Race Four - W35 (5.75km):

1, P Fudge (Houns) 20:20;
 2, A Ford (Houns) 20:29;
 3, C Duncan (AFD) 20:59;
 4, A Briscoe (Ox) 21:09;
 5, P Gallagher (West-W40) 21:14;
 6, K Dowson (CleS) 21:20; 7, M Palmer (West) 21:29; 8, A Pugh (Alt) 21:30; 9, M Thompson (B'mth) 21:34; 10, D Fellows (C&S) W45 21:41; 11, D Marsh (Norf) 21:47; 12, M Beecham (AFD) W40 21:50; 13, C Dowling (Wig P) 21:52; 14, J Smith (SB- W50) 21:58; 15, J Jay (Western- W45) 22:12; 16, M Curran (Alt) 22:15 W40; 17, L Cliff (Holme P- W40) 22:27; 18, A Smith (North) 22:27; 19, A Jones (Alt) 22:42; 20, P Mee (Alt- W40) 22:51; 21, K Howe (Border- W40) 22:53; 22, P Kirk (SB- W40) 22:54; 23, S Swift-Smith (West) 22:55; 24, F Suter (St Alb- W40) 23:02; 25, C Gould (SB- W45) 23:13; 26, D Braverman (C&C) 23:25; 27, A Lippitt (Trent P) 23:25; 28, D Wakefield (Sal) 23:29; 29, H Emmery (WSE) 23:48; 30, P Barker (Serp- W40) 23:49; W50 23:49;

W45-3, P Card (AFD) 24:03;
W50-3, J Halls (Brom V) 25:19.

W55-2, J Goody (Serp) 26:45; 3, B Forster (SB) 27:27;

W60-1, J Ross (Garden C) 26:16; 2, E O'Neill (Read) 41:10;

Team-1, Westbury 34; 2, Altrincham 45; 3, AFD 47.

Scottish Schools' Championships Irvine, 10th March

GRANT GRAHAM, last season's Scottish Schools cross country team captain, was a convincing winner of the senior age group title at Irvine, finishing over 200 yards clear of Nick Freer, Fraser Clyne reports.

Freer had the consolation of leading St Aloysius College to victory in the team competition.

St Aloysius also won the under-17 team race in which steeplechaser Mark McBeth took the individual title. McBeth must find Irvine's Beach Park course to his liking as two weeks earlier he had won the Scottish CCU national youths title at the same venue.

Alison Grosset was a clear winner over Katie Rice in the senior girls'

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the Copeland
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THE RIGHT START

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FRONTRUNNER FOR RESULTS



MEN
60m

6.51	LINFORD CHRISTIE (GB)
6.52	Chidi Imoh (NGR)
6.54	Mark Witherspoon (USA)
6.55	Lee McRae (USA)
6.55	Pier-Franco Pavoni (ITA)
6.57	Ray Stewart (JAM)
6.58	Andreas Berger (AUT)
6.60	Emmanuel Tuffour (GHA)
6.63	Jiri Valik (CZE)
6.63	James Butler (USA)
6.63	Darren Council (USA)

200m

20.61	Floyd Heard (USA)
20.62	Stefano Tilli (ITA)
20.69	Robson Da Silva (BRA)
20.72	Michael Johnson (USA)
20.86	Nikolay Antonov (BUL)
20.86	Kevin Braunkill (USA)
20.89	Cayetano Cornet (ESP)
20.92	Olapade Adeniken (NIG)
20.93	Vladimir Krylov (SUI)
20.93	James Butler (USA)

Oversized track

20.75	Frankie Fredericks (RSA)
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400m

45.04	Danny Everett (USA)
45.78	Tyrone Kemp (USA)
45.79	Gabe Luke (USA)
45.89	Danny Harris (USA)
45.92	Thomas Schönlebe (GDR)
45.99	Jens Carlowitz (GDR)
46.00	Cayetano Cornet (ESP)
46.01	Clarence Daniel (USA)
46.04	Andrew Valmon (USA)
46.06	Norbert Dobelet (FRG)

Oversized track

46.00	Howard Burnett (JAM)
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800m

1:45.64	Johnny Gray (USA)
1:46.22	TOM McKEAN (GBR)
1:46.26	Jens-Peter Herold (GDR)
1:46.28	Mark Everett (USA)
1:46.72	Billy Konchellah (KEN)
1:47.17	Jose Arconada (ESP)
1:47.20	MARTIN STEELE (GBR)
1:47.22	Thomas de Teresa (ESP)
1:47.53	Ockl Clark (USA)
1:47.57	Złagiew Juras (POL)

1,500m

3:34.21	PETER ELLIOTT (GBR)
3:36.98	Herve Philippeau (FRA)
3:37.72	Adelino Hidalgo (ESP)
3:37.92	Kip Cheruiyot (KEN)
3:38.02	Angel Farinas (ESP)
3:38.4	Nourredine Morel (ALG)
3:38.70	TONY MORRELL (GBR)
3:39.31	Jens-Peter Herold (GDR)
3:39.63	Mario Silva (POR)
3:40.01	Fermin Cacho (ESP)

Mile

3:52.02	PETER ELLIOTT (GBR)
3:55.83	Nourredine Morel (ALG)
3:56.77	Sydney Maree (USA)
3:56.99	Marcus O'Sullivan (IRE)

3,000m

7:48.69	Doug Padilla (USA)
7:49.14	Said Aouita (MOR)
7:49.90	Sydney Maree (USA)
7:46.22	MARK ROWLAND (GBR)
7:46.29	Gerry O'Reilly (IRE)
7:46.43	Brian Abshire (USA)
7:47.26	Jim Farmer (USA)
7:47.95	Brahim Bouayeb (MOR)
7:48.30	Khalid Skah (MOR)
7:49.29	Branko Zorko (YUG)

60m Hurdles

7.43	COLIN JACKSON (GBR)
7.46	Greg Foster (USA)
7.46	Tony Dees (USA)
7.50	ANTHONY JARRETT (GBR)
7.50	Roger Kingdom (USA)

WORLD INDOOR LISTS 1990

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Correct as at 18th March

7.51	Arthur Blake (USA)
7.52	Florian Schwarthoff (FRG)
7.52	Igor Kazanov (URS)
7.53	Rinaldo Nehemiah (USA)
7.57	Jack Pierce (USA)
7.57	Philippe Tourret (FRA)

High Jump

2.36	Ralf Sorn (FRG)
2.35	Gennadiy Avdeyenko (URS)
2.35	Sorin Matei (ROM)
2.35	Hollis Conway (USA)
2.34	Carlo Thrallhardt (FRG)
2.34	Aleksy Yemelin (URS)
2.34	Artur Parityka (POL)
2.34	DALTON GRANT (GBR)
2.34	Brian Brown (USA)
2.33	Rudolf Povarnitsyn (URS)

Pole Vault

6.03	Sergey Bubka (URS)
5.94	Philippe Collet (FRA)
5.90	Rudolf Garauhin (URS)
5.90	Grigoriy Yegorov (URS)
5.85	Thierry Vigneron (FRA)
5.75	Hermann Fehringer (AUT)
5.72	Scott Shaffer (USA)

Long Jump

8.45	Larry Myricks (USA)
8.24	Robert Emmiyan (URS)
8.23	Leroy Burrell (USA)
8.21	Dietmar Haß (FRG)
8.18	Jaime Jefferson (CUB)
8.12	Antonio Corgos (ESP)
8.11	Karsten Embach
8.11	Joe Greene (USA)
8.11	Leland Starks (USA)
8.08	Emiel Mellaard (HOL)

Triple Jump

17.46	Kenny Harrison (USA)
17.36	Oleg Sakirkin (URS)
17.35	Igor Lapshin (URS)
17.30	Vasily Sokov (URS)
17.28	Vladimir Inozemtsev (URS)
17.26	Jorg Fries (GDR)
17.17	Wolfgang Zisner (FRG)
17.03	Oleg Protchenko (URS)
16.97	Aleksandr Kovalenko (URS)
16.95	Tord Henriksson (SWE)

Shot

21.49	Mike Stulce (USA)
21.34	Sergey Smirnov (URS)
21.16	Vyacheslav Lykko (URS)
21.03	Klaus Bodenmüller (AUT)
20.81	Ulf Timmermann (GDR)
20.52	Sören Tallhem (SWE)
20.20	Sven Buder (GDR)
20.14	Sergey Nikolayev (URS)
20.09	Tanislav Bitsadze (URS)
20.05	Saulius Klesza (URS)

5Km Walk

18:38.8	Axel Neack (GDR)
18:46.16	Pavel Blazek (TCH)

18:47.61	Jan Zahoncik (TCH)
18:58.18	Lubomir Ivanov (BUL)
19:00.82	Mikhail Shchennikov (URS)
19:00.93	Igor Plotnikov (URS)
19:02.90	Giovanni De Benedicis (ITA)
19:09.2	Torsten Hafemeister (GDR)
19:11.91	Rishat Shafikov (URS)

WOMEN
60m

7.08	Merlene Ottey (JAM)
7.10	Ulrike Sarvari (FRG)
7.13	Laurence Billy (FRA)
7.14	Nelli Cooman (HOL)
7.15	Evelyn Ashford (USA)
7.17	Patricia Girard (FRA)
7.18	Dawn Sowell (USA)
7.19	Michelle Finn (USA)
7.20	Sisko Hanhijoki (FIN)
7.20	Natalya Kovton (URS)

200m

22.77	Merlene Ottey (JAM)
22.96	Ulrike Sarvari (FRG)
22.98	Lyudmila Narozhilenko (URS)
23.01	Natalya Kovton (URS)
23.04	Galina Malchugina (URS)
23.08	Sandra Myers (ESP)
23.15	Beatrice Utondu (NIG)
23.21	Silke Knoll (FRG)
23.26	Regula Aebi (SUI)
23.28	Carlette Guidry (USA)

400m

51.22	Marina Shmonina (URS)
51.65	Olga Nazarova (URS)
51.97	Maicel Malone (USA)
51.99	Sandie Richards (JAM)
52.21	Diane Dixon (USA)
52.22	Iolanda Oanta (ROM)
52.71	Judit Forgacs (HUN)
52.87	LINDA KEOUGH (GBR)
52.91	Anit Protti (SUI)
52.91	Naomi Batorai (HUN)

800m

1:59.21	Lyubov Gurina (URS)
1:59.7	Lyudmila Rogacheva (URS)
2:00.13	Doina Melinte (ROM)
2:00.69	Vera Chuvashova (URS)
2:00.69	Natalya Artyomova (URS)
2:00.73	Christine Wachtel (GDR)
2:00.74	Lilia Nurudinova (URS)
2:00.93	Ella Kovacs (ROM)
2:00.99	Sigrun Wodars (GDR)
2:01.64	Nadyezhda Loboyko (URS)

1,500m

4:00.27	Doina Melinte (ROM)
4:02.30	Lyudmila Rogacheva (URS)
4:09.48	Montserrat Pujol (ESP)
4:09.9	CHRISTINA CAHILL (GBR)
4:10.13	Sandra Gasser (SUI)
4:10.41	Leann Warren (USA)
4:10.44	Violeta Bercea (ROM)
4:10.72	Elly Van Hulst (HOL)

4:11.09	Natalya Artyomova (URS)
4:11.6	Gina Procaccio (USA)

Mile

4:17.15	Doina Melinte (ROM)
4:27.10	Viorica Ghican (ROM)
4:28.49	Gina Procaccio (USA)
4:30.04	Margareta Keszeg (ROM)
4:30.72	Alisa Harvey (USA)

3,000m

8:40.45	Lynn Jennings (USA)
8:41.45	Patti Sue Plumer (USA)
8:42.13	Vicki Huber (USA)
8:43.64	Viorica Ghican (ROM)
8:51.59	Margareta Keszeg (ROM)
8:57.28	Elly Van Hulst (HOL)
8:59.28	Elaine Van Blunk (USA)
9:00.51	Andrea Hahnemann (GDR)
9:00.90	Iva Yurkova (TCH)
9:01.26	Gina Procaccio (USA)

60m Hurdles

7.69	Lyudmila Narozhilenko (URS)
7.84	Monique Ewanje-Epee (FRA)
7.85	Natalya Goryunova (URS)
7.86	Lyudmila Yurkova (URS)
7.88	Anne Piquereau (FRA)
7.94	Mihaela Pogacian (ROM)
7.99	Layonna Martin (USA)
8.01	Florence Colle (FRA)
8.01	Gloria Siebert (GDR)
8.02	Aleksa Lopez (CUB)

High Jump

2.01	Heike Henkel (FRG)
2.00	Yelena Yelovina (URS)
1.98	Tamara Bykova (URS)
1.98	Yelena Parukerovskikh (URS)
1.96	Yelena Topchina (URS)
1.96	Andrea Arens (FRG)
1.96	Galina Astafei (ROM)
1.96	Jan Wohlschlag (USA)
1.94	Yolanda Henry (USA)
1.94	Larisa Kositsyna (URS)
1.94	Britta Vornus (GDR)

Long Jump

7.06	Yelena Klopotnova (URS)
7.03	Yolanda Chen (URS)
6.97	Larisa Berezhnaya (URS)
6.93	Marieta Ilic (ROM)
6.93	Galina Chistyakova (URS)
6.92	Inessa Kravets (URS)
6.83	Yelena Belevskaya (URS)
6.82	Vera Olenchenko (URS)
6.76	Helga Radtke (GDR)
6.65	Nicole Medvenyeva (URS)

Triple Jump

14.14	Galina Chistyakova (URS)
14.06	Inna Lasovskaya (URS)
14.06	Inessa Kravets (URS)
13.94	Sheila Hudson (USA)
13.63	Helga Radtke (GDR)
13.56	Ines Tsarko (URS)
13.44	Anna Oliviera (POR)
13.41	Tatyana Fyodorova (URS)

Shot

20.64	Claudia Losch (FRG)
20.35	Natalya Lisovskaya (URS)
19.71	Astrid Kumbernuss (GDR)
19.61	Grä Hammer (GDR)
19.44	Stephanie Storp (FRG)
19.31	Iris Plotnitska (FRG)
19.18	Larisa Peleschenko (URS)
18.82	Danqule Urhikene (URS)
18.77	Christa Wiese (GDR)
18.55	JUDY OAKES (GBR)

3Km Walk

11:59.36	Beate Anders (GDR)
12:11.48	Vera Molokova (URS)
12:18.84	Heana Salvador (ITA)
12:27.94	Anna-Rita Sidon (ITA)
12:28.76	Dana Vavracova (TCH)
12:31.41	Idiko Ilyes (HUN)
12:33.30	Andrea Bruckmann (FRG)
12:34.3	Tamara Kovalenko (URS)
12:38.14	Aniko Szekessy (HUN)
12:40.66	Victoria Oprca (ROM)

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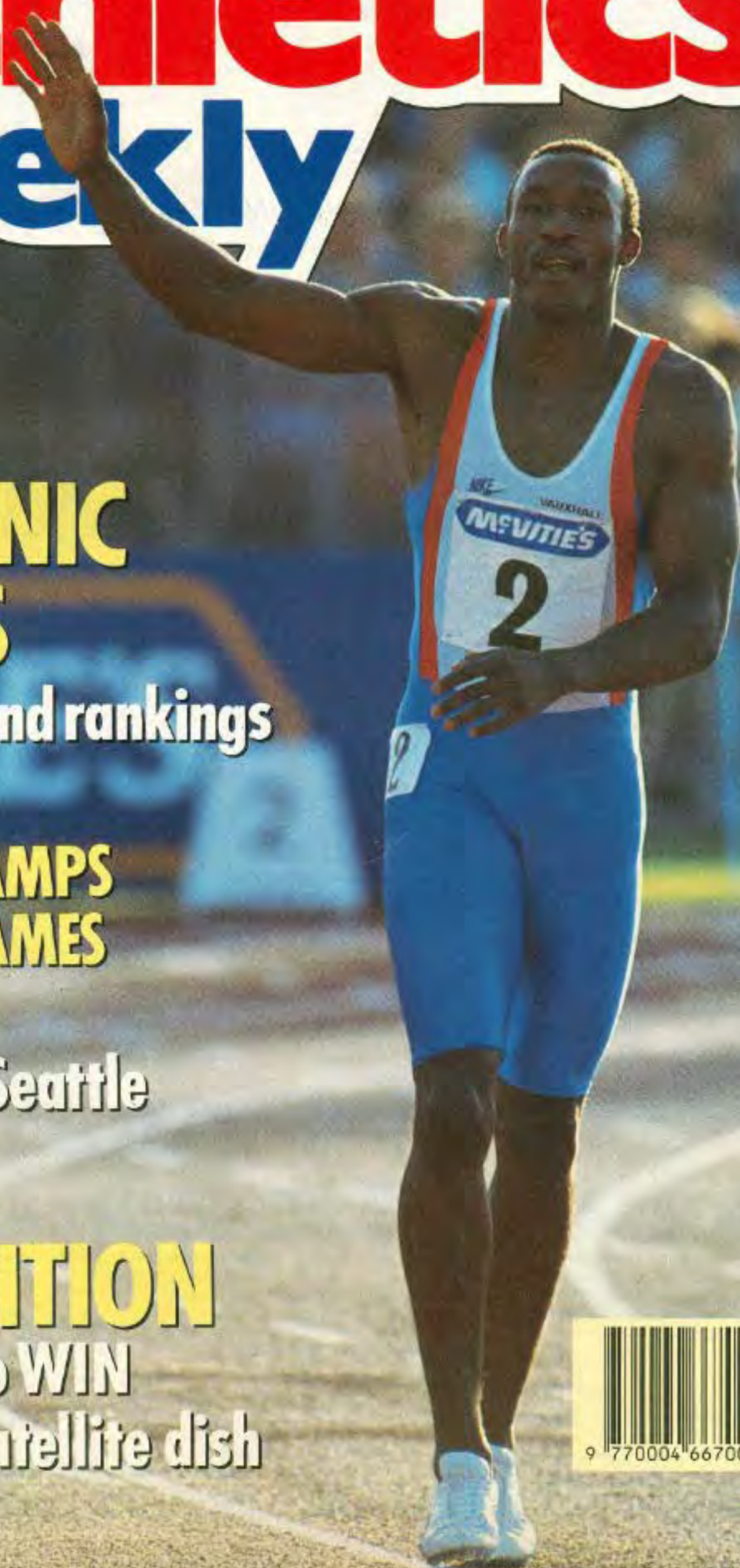
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Little Goodwill

THE athletics portion of the quadrennial Goodwill Games – a made-for-television Olympic-style multisport event – was radically changed from its initial format in 1986. Instead of a compact competition over two days as part of the IAAF Grand Prix series, the programme in its second edition was painfully spread over five days.

A finals-only plan was employed, and there were long gaps between races. Much of the time there was only one field event being contested. This should have provided an opportunity for most contestants to be centre stage, except that Husky Stadium, with its artificial grass infield for American football, could accommodate the throwing events only outside of the main tribune. As a result, most spectators were afforded a partial view, and spontaneous responses came only from the diligent few who took the trouble to pay close attention to the electric score boards announcing each attempt.

The lack of Grand Prix status this year, combined with the long travel time from the European circuit, made it somewhat of a tough sell to the competitors, particularly to those who also have the European Championships on their minds. Despite all of these obstacles, however, the Seattle competition still proved to be a notable stop in the athletics season, even when the 85-degree heat of the previous week gave way to cool, cloudy days when competition began.

A great deal of media interest centred on Carl Lewis' participation. He had been part of a much publicised war of words with The Athletics Congress, which had insisted that all American aspirants for the Goodwill Games participate in the US Championships. There, Lewis made an eleventh-hour appearance, winning his fifth 100-metre title and assuming the role of saviour in the eyes of both TAC chief Ollan Cassell and TV magnate Ted Turner, the creator of the GWG.

Over the years, Leroy Burrell

and Lewis had squared off on five occasions, and every time the result was a Lewis win. It looked as if this would rise to six after Burrell got an incredibly poor start, perhaps the worst of the field. It took every bit of the full distance for Burrell to overhaul Lewis for a tight win, 10.05 to 10.08. Mark Witherspoon finished third in 10.17 as Lewis' Santa Monica Track Club swept all the medals.

After his first-ever win over Carl Lewis in the men's 100 metres, Leroy Burrell announced his intention to break Lewis' world record of 9.92 and continue as the dominant sprinter at least through the Olympic Games of 1992. But it's difficult for this rivalry to create media attention, since the two sprinters not only train together, they also happen to be very close friends.

Last week, Lewis declared that the two were "the best clean sprinters in the world", and in Seattle, he admitted that perhaps at the moment Burrell was just a little faster. "But I'm in the best shape I've ever been in at this point of any season, and I think my best races lie ahead when I return to Europe." It looks like a hot August for this pair, if Lewis' words are to be believed.

Three days later, Lewis was competing in the long jump for only the second time this season in a field including world leader Mike Powell and Robert Emmiyan. Powell and Lewis matched each other with 8.34m in the first round, but the Olympic champion extended that to 8.38m on his third jump which ultimately proved to be the winner, boosting Lewis' consecutive win count to 64.

Even though Jackie Joyner-Kersey's heptathlon win with 6,783 points was the year's top total, it was much less than she had expected. She performed well in her two specialty events, the 100-metres hurdles (12.79) and the long jump (6.91). But her shot putt of 13.93 eliminated any chance of a world record midway through the first day. Joyner-Kersey was helped to her final total considerably by an

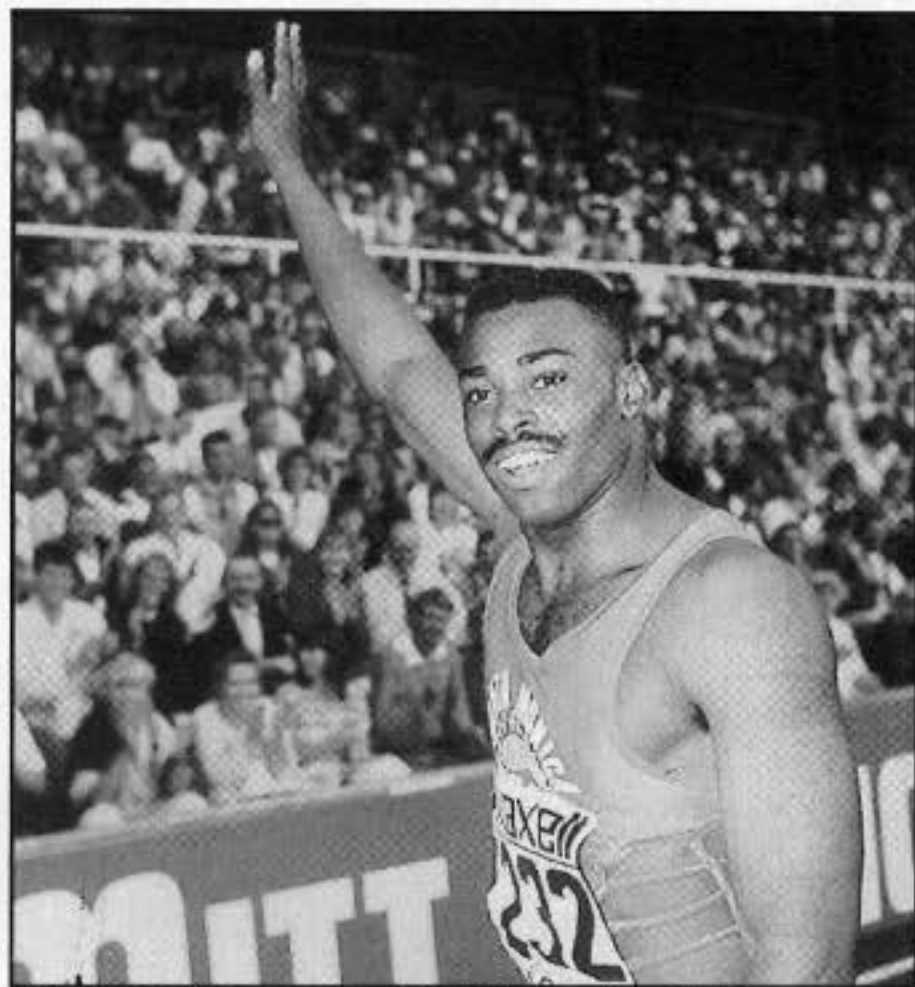
TED TURNER, founder of the Goodwill Games, wanted to give the world a lesson in peace and harmony; in return, what he received was a lesson in the commerce of international athletics. **James O'Brien reports from New York.**

From a track and field standpoint, possibly the first mistake Turner and his associates made was to assume that the stars of international athletics would willingly lend their support to an event simply because of its noble intent.

Even some within the United States – where the Goodwill Games have been hyped as second only to the Olympics – name athletes balked at the prospect of competing for diminished sums. Carl Lewis and his Santa Monica Track Club teammates

were the most notable, although some hasty deliberations between Goodwill organisers, TAC and Joe Douglas (Santa Monica's agent) resolved the issue, and, ultimately, provided the meeting with the single race of any international merit; Lewis against his teammate, Leroy Burrell.

The general apathy of many of the world's international competitors was also mirrored by the American public, which turned off the Turner Broadcast System's TV transmissions with such regularity that nightly ratings were less than half what the network promised its advertisers. This will undoubtedly cause Turner's losses on the event – presently quoted at \$13 million – to soar still higher. Losses for the inaugural 1986 event reached \$26 million.



CLEAN AHEAD: Burrell took the 100 metres from Lewis

excellent javelin throw of 47.64.

A tragedy was narrowly averted during the heptathlon shot putt warm-up when Liliana Nastase was struck in the right shoulder and cheek by an uncontrolled throw by Larisa Kikitina. Nastase was able to complete the first day's competition, but she retired prior to the second day.

Ana Quirot was the Games' only double winner, but the easier victory came in the 400m rather than in her 800-metre speciality. In the 800m, Quirot followed a 56.13 pace set by Liliya Nurutdinova, and then with 300 metres remaining, she made her move on the Soviet. Nurutdinova proved to be a little tougher than Quirot had expected, and the two stayed close together down the final straight. Only Quirot's lunge at the tape, which sent her sprawling onto the track, kept the Cuban's winning streak intact.

PattiSue Plumer's plans for a double in the 1,500 and 3,000m ran into some problems. Whether she would compete at all was not certain until the last minute, owing to the sudden death of her grandfather several days earlier. In the 3,000m, Plumer was content to run with the pack until the middle of the last turn. A hard sprint at that point was sufficient for a clocking of 8:51.59 to hold off Yelena Romanova's 8:51.79.

Two days later, in a slow-paced, 1,500, Natalya Artyemova moved into the lead with more than 400 metres remaining and was in control the rest of the way for a 4:09.48,

ahead of Yekaterina Podkopayeva's 4:09.91. Plumer was able to salvage a bronze medal with 4:10.72, admitting later that she had fallen into that well-known trap of paired Soviet runners creating a wall for the would-be challengers.

The only world record of the five days came in the women's 10km walk on the track. Soviet Nadezhda Ryashkina and Australian Kerry Saxby stayed together for most of the race, but it was a final push by the Soviet that produced a record time of 41:56.21, with Saxby's 41:57.22 also bettering the existing standard of 42:25.2 that she herself had set in Norway two months earlier.

The cool weather that settled into the Seattle area for most of the athletics competition created the opportunity for a world-record attempt in the men's 10,000m. Perhaps Morocco's Hammou Boutayeb and his entourage were taking Arturo Barrios' mark too lightly when they set out. Boutayeb abandoned his pacemakers shortly after the fourth kilometre, knowing full well that 10:57.6 would produce only a 27:24. But the damage had already been done so far as a record was concerned. The Moroccan easily won in 27:26.43. A more interesting race for the silver medal was developing in back, as Addis Abebe outkicked Olympic 5,000m champion John Ngugi.

Nine days after his victory in the Oslo mile, Joe Falcon was probably expecting to have an easy time with the 1,500m. The only other well-known competitor was Marcus

in Seattle

O'Sullivan, who has been training all summer for the 5,000m. At the last moment, William Tanui of Kenya was added to the field after a missed plane had deprived him of his place in the 800 the day before. Coming off the final straight with Falcon and O'Sullivan in front, Tanui did a wide seep, to get around O'Sullivan and challenge Falcon heading into the tape. The slow pace almost allowed Tanui to score the upset of the meet, but Falcon held on for a close win.

The relays completed the action on the final day. In the men's 4x100, Dennis Mitchell was barely able to overhaul Joel Isasi in the final 50 metres to salvage a \$8.45 win for the USA, with the Cubans clocked in 38.49. On the women's side, Evelyn Ashford rolled back the years with a spectacular anchor leg as the USA defeated the Soviets, 42.46 to 42.67.

Many athletes declared their intention to compete at the GWG, only to cancel later. But none of the cancellations was quite as unusual as that of Doina Melinte. She was on the athletes' bus to Heathrow the day after the meeting at Crystal Palace. The competitor's plane left from Terminal 3, but Melinte suddenly disembarked at Terminal 2, a family crisis prompted her return to Romania instead of traveling to Seattle.

Men

100: 1, L. Burrell (USA) 10.05; 2, C. Lewis (USA) 10.08; 3, M. Witherspoon (USA) 10.17.
200: 1, L. M. Johnson (USA) 20.54; 2, R. Da Silva (BRA) 20.77; 3, D. Mitchell (USA) 20.89; 4, J. Williams (USA) 20.93; 5, F. Stevens (CUB) 21.16; 6, C. Enweani (CAN) 21.27; 7, D. Council (USA) 21.33; 8, M. Volodin (URS) 21.63.
400: 1, R. Hernandez (CUB) 44.78; 2, D. Everett (USA) 45.05; 3, A. Valmon (USA) 45.46; 4, T. Simon (USA) 45.60; 5, A. Pettigrew (USA) 46.20; 6, E. Lontev (URS) 46.93; 7, A. Ojasta (URS) 47.00; 8, A. Penikhov (URS) 47.13.
800: 1, G. Kersh (USA) 1:45.10; 2, M. Everett (USA) 1:45.80; 3, J.-L. Barbosa (BRA) 1:45.81; 4, O. Clark (USA) 1:45.81; 5, A. Sudnik (URS) 1:46.24; 6, V. Starodubov (URS) 1:47.24; 7, J. Gray (USA) 1:48.08; 8, W. Tanui (KEN) dos.
1,500: 1, J. Falcon (USA) 3:39.97; 2, W. Tanui (KEN) 3:40.15; 3, M. O'Sullivan (IRL) 3:40.08; 4, S. Afanasyev (URS) 3:41.15; 5, M. Smith (USA) 3:41.18; 6, D. Tirelli (ITA) 3:41.58; 7, V. Kolpakov (URS) 3:42.07; 8, A. Salere (MAR) 3:42.18; 9, P. Vandeputte (USA) 3:42.24; 10, M. Shumassi (MAR) 3:43.51; N. Brahms (ALG) dsf.
5,000: 1, P. Williams (CAN) 13:33.52; 2, A. Abebe (ETH) 13:35.67; 3, M. Dosko (URS) 13:56.44; 4, T. Brahm (USA) 13:42.49; 5, R. Reina (USA) 13:47.90; 6, N. Chantsev (URS) 13:49.43; 7, B. Kennedy (USA) 13:57.22; 8, D. Demisse (ETH) 13:59.35; 9, M. Mourhah (MAR) 14:08.57; 10, S. Smirnov (URS) 14:08.90; 11, D. Padilla (USA) 14:26.02; 12, I. Frigoso (MEX) 14:29.15; 13, J. Campos (POR) dos; M. Gonzalez (MEX) dsf.
10,000: 1, H. Bonnyeb (MAR) 27:26.45; 2, A. Abebe (ETH) 27:42.05; 3, J. Ngugi (KEN) 27:42.95; 4, G. Alaba (MEX) 27:43.07; 5, M. Tanui (KEN) 27:43.62; 6, S. Pharesia (USA) 27:45.20; 7, P. Porter (USA) 27:56.20; 8, A. Ramirez (USA) 28:08.56; 9, B. Kibere (ETH) 28:15.51; 10, O. Sirinjakov (URS) 28:16.15; 11, E. Eyestone (USA) 28:17.58; 12, K. Chala (ETH) 28:18.50; 13, R. Vera (ECU) 28:19.22; 14, R. Zepeda (MEX) 28:41.58; 15, S. Smirnov (URS) 28:45.04; 16, S. Sakiri (ALG) 29:05.69; 17, C. Nelson (CAN) 29:24.32; 18, H. Stoffey (FRG) 29:56.62; 19, P. Ortiz (COL) 30:22.45.
5,000SC: 1, B. Dietter (USA) 8:32.24; 2, V. Korobyshev (USA) 8:33.76; 3, V. Vandyak (URS) 8:34.18; 4, M. Coughan (USA) 8:35.00; 5, B. Conant (FRA) 8:36.85; 6, M. Goezan (USA)

8:41.27; 7, F. Boft (ITA) 8:50.45.
110H: 1, R. Kingdom (USA) 19.47; 2, A. Dees (USA) 19.48; 3, A. Blake (USA) 19.53; 4, C. Clark (USA) 19.62; 5, I. Kazanov (URS) 19.71; 6, S. Usov (URS) 19.95; 7, T. Li (CHN) 14.05; T. Campbell FS.
400H: 1, M. Graham (JAM) 46.78; 2, D. Patrick (USA) 49.00; 3, K. Young (USA) 49.17; 4, N. Page (USA) 49.34; 5, A. Bazarov (URS) 50.11; 6, K. Henderson (USA) & V. Zakhov (URS) 50.48; 8, G. Porter (USA) 51.17.
4x100: 1, USA 38.45; 2, Cuba 38.49; 3, URS 38.96; 4, Nigeria 39.38; 5, Canada 39.39; 6, Jamaica 39.42.
4x400: 1, USA 2:59.54; 2, Jamaica 3:00.45; 3, Cuba 3:05.35; 4, URS 3:04.64.
Mar: 1, D. Mora (USA) 2:14.49; 2, N. Tahak (URS) 2:16.27; 3, P. Maher (CAN) 2:17.15; 4, B. Coates (USA) 2:18.57; 5, T. Tsimi (FRA) 2:19.38; 6, Z. Sizah (ETH) 2:20.46; 7, M. Suli (ETH) 2:21.56; 8, V. Mozorov (URS) 2:23.26; 9, R. Naali (JAN) 2:23.40; 10, A. Vychuzhavin (URS) 2:25.55; 11, R. Cuellar (MEX) 2:24.50; 12, M. Keohane (USA) 2:26.05; 13, J. Asenmai (FRA) 2:26.18; 14, F. Rivera (MEX) 2:29.25.
PV: 1, R. Gazullin (URS) 5.92; 2, G. Yegorov (URS) 5.87; 3, T. Bright (USA) 5.77; 4, K. Tarjennig (USA) & S. Huffman (USA) 5.72; 6, M. Tarnov (URS) 5.57; 7, I. Potapovich (URS) 5.57; 8, E. Ball (USA) 5.57.
Hj: 1, H. Conway (USA) 2.53; 2, D. Nordquist (USA) 2.50; 3, T. Barton (USA) 2.50; 4, S. Mater (ROM) 2.50; 5, A. Veinlin (URS) 2.27; 6, S. Dymchenko (URS) 2.27; 7, C. Austin (USA) 2.27; 8, J. Morris (USA) 2.24.
Tj: 1, K. Harrison (USA) 17.72; 2, M. Linsley (USA) 17.48; 3, V. Ivanov (URS) 17.06; 4, I. Lapshin (URS) 16.96; 5, V. Sokov (URS) 16.98; 6, E. Florent (CAN) 16.64; 7, G. Hernandez (CUB) 16.58; 8, C. Simpson (USA) 15.92.
SP: 1, R. Barnes (USA) 21.44; 2, J. Doebling (USA) 21.12; 3, V. Lykin (URS) 20.70; 4, S. Smirnov (URS) 19.97; 5, R. Radke (USA) 19.66; 6, A. McDermott (USA) 19.25.
HT: 1, I. Asopkovitch (URS) 84.12; 2, A. Adhvaliev (URS) 82.20; 3, T. Nikolin (URS)

Despite the attraction of events in Europe, the Goodwill Games still included some top names, as ED GORDON reports

82.14; 4, V. Sidorenko (URS) 79.02; 5, I. Deal (USA) 76.94; 6, K. Flax (USA) 76.12; 7, J. Logan (USA) 75.02; 8, J. Driscoll (USA) 70.68.
JT: 1, V. Zaitsev (URS) 84.16; 2, R. Gonzalez (CUB) 80.88; 3, M. Yoshida (JAP) 77.36; 4, M. Kekeles (URS) 77.18; 5, K. Tschmidt (FRG) 76.66; 6, E. Vilhjalmsson (ISL) 76.26; 7, D. Stephens (USA) 75.28.
DEC: 1, D. Johnson (USA) 8.403; 2, D. O'Brien (USA) 8.350; 3, M. Medved (URS) 8.330; 4, M. Smith (CAN) 8.293; 5, R. Tereshov (URS) 8.005; 6, S. Blockburger (USA) 8.005; 7, A. Nazarov (URS) 7.993; 8, J. Thorson (USA) 7.494.
20kmW: 1, E. Canto (MEX) 1:23.13; 2, M. Shchennikov (URS) 1:23.22; 3, R. Gummel (GDR) 1:23.29; 4, N. A'Hern (AUS) 1:23.49; 5, S. Baker (AUS) 1:23.57; 6, G. Kornov (URS) 1:24.56; 7, A. Jackson (AUS) 1:25.44; 8, A. Perlov (URS) 1:25.51; 9, G. Leblanc (CAN) 1:26.19; 10, H. Gauder (GDR) 1:28.26; 11, R. Heigel (GDR) 1:28.26; 12, M. Hernandez (MEX) 1:29.56.

Women

Women: 100: 1, C. Gaudry (USA) 11.05; 2, S. Echols (USA) 11.05; 3, N. Finn (USA) 11.05; 4, G. Makhugina (URS) 11.24; 5, E. Ashford (USA) 11.24; 6, I. Sergeyeva (URS) 11.25; 7, L. Allen (CUB) 11.50; 8, A. Bailey (CAN) 11.57.



LONG STRETCH: Lewis extended his unbeaten streak

200: 1, D. Young (USA) 22.64; 2, P. Davis (BAH) 22.68; 3, G. Jackson (JAM) 22.96; 4, M. Finn (USA) 23.00; 5, G. Makhugina (URS) 23.05; 6, O. Stepicheva (URS) 23.10; 7, E. Bykova (URS) 23.11; 8, M. Ferret (CUB) 26.06.
400: 1, A. Quinol (CUB) 50.34; 2, L. Delagukova (URS) 51.38; 3, R. Stevens (USA) 51.54; 4, A. Malone (USA) 51.73; 5, E. Rivina (URS) 51.95; 6, J. Richardson (CAN) 52.29; 7, M. Schmonna (URS) 52.40; 8, L. Leatherwood (USA) 52.77.
800: 1, A. Quirot (CUB) 1:57.42; 2, I. Nersisyanova (URS) 1:57.52; 3, T. Grebenchuk (URS) 1:58.21; 4, C. Crooks (CAN) 1:58.72; 5, N. Lobosko (URS) 1:59.05; 6, M. Kamey (USA) 2:00.45; 7, C. Halliday (USA) 2:01.08; 8, J. Clark (USA) 2:01.90; 9, N. Chibrikova (URS) 2:03.39.
1,500: 1, N. Artemova (URS) 4:09.48; 2, E. Podkopaeva (URS) 4:09.91; 3, P.-S. Plumer (USA) 4:10.72; 4, S. Fyver (USA) 4:11.45; 5, R. Kotovitch (URS) 4:11.54; 6, R. Meagher (CAN) 4:13.74; 7, L. Pellr (CAN) 4:14.78; 8, L. Sheskey (USA) 4:14.96.
5,000: 1, P.-S. Plumer (USA) 8:51.59; 2, V. Romanova (URS) 8:51.79; 3, L. Jeunings (USA) 8:52.31; 4, M. Keseg (ROM) 8:52.60; 5, R. Kotovitch (URS) 8:53.20; 6, A. Peters (USA) 8:58.89; 7, M. Muramaka (JAP) 9:12.50; 8, T. Painter (USA) 9:17.03; 9, M.-L. Servin (MEX) 9:27.28.
10,000: 1, V. Romanova (URS) 18:02.29; 2, V. Ghican (ROM) 18:27.77; 3, S. Dornboefer (USA) 18:38.87; 4, S. Stealy (USA) 18:41.23; 5, S. Sdomski (USA) 18:50.72; 6, B. Mebb (USA) 18:50.85; 7, A. Massino (JAP) 18:54.54; 8, V. McGovern (IRL) 18:55.56; 9, T. Koba (URS) 18:58.95; 10, M. Tashiro (JAP) 18:59.24.
15,000: 1, W. Palf (POL) 32:01.17; 2, C. O'Brien (USA) 32:03.40; 3, O. Nazarkina (URS) 32:05.76; 4, V. Talstoguzova (URS) 32:06.41; 5, S. Mosqueda (USA) 32:13.37; 6, C. Murphy (USA) 32:33.96; 7, M. Servin (MEX) 32:55.22; 8, C. Rouillard (CAN) 33:09.37; 9, C. Diaz (MEX) 33:26.36.
100H: 1, N. Grigoryeva (URS) 12.70; 2, L. Narzhilenko (URS) 12.80; 3, L. Martin (USA) 12.89; 4, L. Yakova (URS) 12.92; 5, A. Lopez (CUB) 12.99; 6, C. Young (USA) 13.11; 7, L. Tolbert (USA) 13.14; 8, M. Pogazon (ROM) 13.17.
400H: 1, S. Farmer-Patrick (USA) 55.18; 2, S. Williams (USA) 55.65; 3, J. Vickers (USA) 56.09; 4, L. Khodosevich (URS) 57.33; 5, K. Freeman (USA) 57.71; 6, V. Ordina (URS) 57.94; 7, V. Fuleher (USA) 58.05.
4x100: 1, USA 42.46; 2, URS 42.67; 3, Jamaica 44.32; 4, Cuba 44.35.
4x400: 1, URS 3:23.70; 2, USA 3:24.53; 3, URS 3:25.00; 4, Jamaica 3:33.11.
Hj: 1, V. Velezina (URS) 2.02; 2, Y. Hendry (USA) 1.92; 3, T. Bykova (URS) 1.92; 4, M. Satch (JAP) 1.89; 5, V. Morshenn (USA) 1.89; 6, J. Wohlachlag (USA) 1.89; 7, N. Gavra (GRE) 1.86; 8, P. Blumson (USA) 1.86.
Lj: 1, I. Kravets (URS) 6.95; 2, L. Berezdnaya (URS) 6.61; 3, S. Echols (USA) 6.51; 4, C. Greiner (USA) 6.40; 5, J. Inniss (USA) 6.26; 6, S. Hudson (USA) 6.14; 7, C. Lord (USA) 6.00.
SP: 1, N. Lisovskaya (URS) 20.60; 2, Z. Huang (CHN) 20.58; 3, B. Lee (CUB) 18.98; 4, M. Antonov (URS) 18.92; 5, L. Pelechenko (URS) 18.67; 6, R. Pagel (USA) 18.37; 7, C. Price (USA) 18.24.
DT: 1, I. Wyludde (GDR) 68.08; 2, I. Varchenko (URS) 67.04; 3, O. Burova (URS) 65.46; 4, M. Marten (CUB) 64.90; 5, H. Ramos (CUB) 63.92; 6, H. Xuemes (CHN) 62.92; 7, L. Barnes (USA) 57.84; 8, C. Price (USA) 57.24.
JT: 1, N. Shkolnik (URS) 61.62; 2, T. Shkolnik (URS) 59.06; 3, K. Smith (USA) 58.94; 4, D. Mayhew (USA) 58.62; 5, L. Eve (BAH) 56.84; 6, M. Senz (USA) 56.04.
HEPT: 1, J. Kersee (USA) 6:08.3; 2, J. Nikitina (URS) 6:23.6; 3, S. Zimna (URS) 6:12.8; 4, G. Johnson (USA) 5:06.3; 5, C. Greiner (USA) 4:44.1; 6, I. Belova (URS) 3:00.1; 7, L. Natus (ROM) 3:494.
10kmW: 1, N. Rynshkina (URS) 41:56.21; 2, K. Saxby (AUS) 41:57.22; 3, B. Anders (GDR) 42:48.54; 4, O. Kardapolitova (URS) 45:38.01; 5, O. Krishop (URS) 45:28.11; 6, P. Grand (CAN) 46:25.80; 7, D. Lawrence (USA) 46:31.71; 8, T. Vail (USA) 49:43.00.

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MEN

100

- 10.07 Linford Christie (GBR) (9.75w)
10.02 Daniel Sangouma (FRA)
10.25 John Rega (GBR)
10.25 Bruno Marie-Rose (FRA)
10.26 Enzo Madonia (ITA)
10.27 Luis Rodriguez (ESP)
10.27 Pavel Galkin (URS)
10.28 Darren Brathwaite (GBR)
10.29 Max Monistere (FRA)
10.29 Pat Stevens (BEL)
10.29 Gilles Quenette (FRA)
10.31 Adila Kovacs (HUN)
10.32 Stefano Tilli (ITA)

200

- 20.28 John Regis (GBR) (20.16w)
20.47 J-C Trouahel (FRA)
20.47 Aleksandr Guremykin (URS)
20.53 Bruno Marie-Rose (FRA)
20.54 Linford Christie (GBR)
20.58 Gilles Quenette (FRA)
20.63 Stefano Tilli (ITA)
20.63 Marcus Adam (GBR)
20.69 Vladimir Krylov (URS)
20.75 Nikolay Antonov (BUL)
20.76 Sandro Floris (ITA)
20.77 Mikhail Yevlavin (URS)

400

- 44.91 Roger Black (GBR)
45.22 Norbert Dobeles (FRG)
45.44 Tamas Molnar (HUN)
45.46 Cayetano Cornei (ESP)
45.53 Jens Carlowitz (GDR)
45.54 Stobadan Brankovic (YUG)
45.58 Thomas Schenlebe (GDR)
45.68 Yevgeniy Luntiyev (URS)
45.84 Olivier Nioit (FRA)
45.95 Yevgeniy Luntiyev (URS)
45.99 Alvar Ojeda (URS)
Absent
45.28 Derek Redmond (GBR)

800

- 1:44.44 Tom McKean (GBR)
1:44.88 Jens-Peter Herold (GDR)
1:44.99 Thomas De Teresa (ESP)
1:45.02 Jose Arcanada (ESP)
1:45.12 David Sharpe (URS)
1:45.52 Antoni Viali (ITA)
1:45.60 Andrey Sudnik (URS)
1:45.92 Ryszard Ostrowski (POL)
1:46.21 Matthew Yates (GBR)
1:46.57 Angel Estinas (SPA)
1:46.25 Rob Van Helden (HOL)
1:46.28 Jan Udelhoven (FRG)
1:46.34 Mark Eplinius (GDR)
Absent
1:42.47 Peter Elbow (GBR)
1:45.20 Steve Heard (GBR)
1:45.44 Neil Horsfield (GBR)
1:45.47 Brian Whittle (GBR)

1,500

- 3:35.00 Peter Elioti (GBR)
3:35.20 Jens-Peter Herold (GDR)
3:35.54 Herve Philippetto (FRA)
3:34.64 Jean-Luis Gonzalez (ESP)
3:35.03 Mogens Guldberg (DEN)
3:35.08 Neil Horsfield (GBR)
3:35.08 Zeki Ozturk (TUR)
3:35.95 Teodoro Benito (ESP)
3:35.58 Steve Crum (GBR)
3:36.02 Hauke Fuhlbrügge (GDR)
3:36.15 Philippe Collard (FRA)
3:36.42 Mario Silva (POR)
3:36.63 Markus Hackhoefer (GER)
3:36.85 Victor Rojas (ESP)
3:37.08 Gennaro Di Napoli (ITA)
3:37.36 Eric Dubus (FRA)
Absent
3:35.87 Tony Morrell (GBR)
3:35.15 Mathews Yates (GBR)
3:35.23 Marcus O'Sullivan (IRL)

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- 13:05.59 Salvatore Anzito (ITA)
13:15.79 Dionisio Castro (POR)
13:14.28 Gary Staines (GBR)
13:20.75 Are Nakkin (NOR)
13:21.81 Thierry Pantel (FRA)
13:23.92 Cynille Lavemure (FRA)
13:24.55 Frank O'Mara (IRL)
13:24.98 Stefano Mei (ITA)
13:25.61 Vincent Rousseau (BEL)
13:25.63 Ian Hunter (GBR)
13:25.72 Mikhail Dasko (URS)
13:25.86 Antonio Prieto (POR)

- 13:26.77 Zeki Ozturk (TUR)
13:27.32 Marcus O'Sullivan (IRL)
13:27.52 Jose Albertos (ESP)
13:27.81 Gennaro Di Napoli (ITA)
Absent
13:14.17 John Doherty (IRE)
13:23.36 Richard Nerzakar (GBR)

10,000

- 27:25.16 Salvatore Anzito (ITA)
27:31.15 Thierry Pantel (FRA)
27:32.52 Are Nakkin (NOR)
27:37.49 Antonio Prieto (ESP)

- 27:41.30 Alejandro Gomez (ESP)
27:43.54 Jonny Halvorsen (NOR)
27:47.89 Jose Albertos (ESP)
27:56.30 Stefano Mei (ITA)
27:58.74 Patrick O'Mara (IRE)
28:03.78 Juan Carlos Paul (ESP)
28:04.41 Paul Arpin (FRA)
28:05.16 Richard Nerzakar (GBR)
28:05.22 Fritz Freilgang (GDR)
28:06.29 Risto Urmala (FIN)
28:07.42 Dietmar Milling (FIN)
28:07.57 Tim Hutchings (GBR)
Absent
28:04.04 Andy Brown (GBR)
28:08.57 Ramon Martin (GBR)

3,000SC

- 8:13.75 Uwe Pflüger (GDR)
8:15.05 Francesco Pasetta (ITA)
8:16.31 Tom Harlow (GBR)
8:16.47 Martin Tiz (ESP)
8:16.89 Miroslaw Zerowski (POL)
8:16.94 William Van Dijk (BEL)
8:19.25 Hagen Melzer (GDR)
8:20.98 Bruno Le Strun (FRA)
8:21.21 Mark Rowland (GBR)
8:21.62 Angelo Garos (ITA)
8:24.49 Bela Vago (HUN)
8:24.95 Bogesław Matysiński (POL)
8:25.06 Benito Nogales (ESP)
8:25.38 Antonio Paula (ESP)
8:26.50 Colin Walker (GBR)

110H

- 13.08 Colin Jackson (GBR)
13.22 Anthony Jarrin (GBR)
13.28 Philippe Tourret (FRA)
13.35 Thomas Nagorka (POL)
13.37 Florian Schwanhoff (FRG)
13.41 Igor Kozlov (URS)
13.41 Dietmar Kozzowski (FRG)
13.42 Stephane Caristan (FRA)
13.51 Nigel Walker (GBR)
13.53 Philippe Tourret (FRA)
13.56 Sebastian Thibaut (FRA)
13.59 Vladimir Shalokin (URS)
13.60 Stefan Matern (FRG)
13.65 Antti Haapakoski (FIN)
13.65 Carlos Sala (ESP)
Absent
13.54 David Nelson (GBR)
13.58 Hugh Tappe (GBR)
13.62 Vladimir Sharyakov (URS)

400H

- 48.34 Krisz Alabasi (GBR)
48.89 Carsten Kohnebeck (FRG)
49.00 Edgar Itt (FRG)
49.15 Sven Nylander (SWE)
49.40 Aleksey Bazarov (URS)
49.44 Jozsef Kucsi (TCH)
49.65 Olaf Henze (FRG)
49.73 Max Rohrmann (GBR)
49.75 Vadim Zadovonov (URS)
49.79 Branislav Karaulic (YUG)
49.83 Niklas Wallendorf (SWE)
49.85 Athanasios Kalogiannis (GRE)

High Jump

- 2.40 Sorin Matei (ROM)
2.37 Dragutin Topic (YUG)
2.36 Gitegi Dakov (BUL)
2.34 Dalton Grant (GBR)
2.34 Patrick Spöber (SWE)
2.43 Dietmar Mögenberg (FRG)
2.35 Artur Partyka (POL)
2.33 Radloff Povunintyn (URS)
2.32 Artur Ortiz (ESP)
2.31 Sergey Makhenko (URS)
2.31 Ralf Sonn (FRG)
2.30 Carlo Thrinstad (FRG)
2.30 J-C Giquel (FRA)
2.30 Aleksey Yemelin (URS)

Pole Vault

- 5.52 Radion Garauhin (URS)
5.50 Sergey Bubka (URS)
5.87 Grigoriy Yegorov (URS)
5.81 Vasiliy Bobila (URS)
5.80 Vladimir Polyakov (URS)

- 5.80 Philippe Coller (FRA)
5.75 Jesus Garcia (ESP)
5.75 Perent Salben (FRA)
5.75 G Gregorov (URS)
5.73 Hermann Feinger (AUT)
5.70 Jani Leitonin (FIN)
5.60 Bernard Zini (FRG)
5.60 Jevan Bagynla (HUN)
5.60 Nikolay Nikolov (BUL)
5.60 Asko Peltoniemi (FIN)
Absent
5.85 Igne Potapovich (URS)
5.85 Aleksandr Tarasov (URS)
5.80 Viktor Ryshchenko (URS)

- 5.73 Igor Trudensky (URS)

Long Jump

- 8.52 Robert Emmayan (URS)
8.24 Boris Răscă (YUG)
8.19 Giovanni Evangelista (ITA)
8.15 Stuart Faulkner (GBR)
8.15 Fausto Prigoris (ITA)
8.14 Dietmar Haaf (FRG)
8.14 Andrey Ignatov (URS)
8.10 Aleksandr Glavitsky (URS)
8.08 Antonio Corgos (ESP)
8.05 Jarmo Kama (FIN)
8.05 Christian Thomas (FRG)
8.04 Sinisa Ergovic (YUG)

Triple Jump

- 17.90 Vladimir Inosevits (URS)
17.75 Oleg Prosenko (URS)
17.21 Kristin Markov (BUL)
17.25 Igor Lapshin (URS)
17.15 Jan Cade (CZE) (17.20w)
17.15 Eugeniusz Kuc (SWE)
17.08 Ralf Jans (FRG)
17.07 Nikolay Nastyenko (URS)
17.00 Jörg Fries (GDR)
17.00 John Herbert (GBR)
16.99 Zoran Djurdjevic (YUG)
16.95 Marcin Biedanowski (CYP)

Shot

- 21.64 Ulf Timmermann (GDR)
21.05 Vyacheslav Tykhon (URS)
20.85 Georg Andersen (NOR)
20.77 Lars Nilsen (NOR)
20.77 Mikhail Kulsh (URS)
20.75 Jarmo Ronkainen (FIN)
20.57 Sven Bröder (GDR)
20.41 Segel Simov (URS)
20.35 Klaus Bodenmüller (AUT)
20.33 Karsten Sade (FRG)
20.27 Bernd Kneissler (FRG)

Discus

- 68.92 Roman Ushakov (HOL)
68.90 Wolfgang Schmidt (FRG)
67.94 Vladayas Kollas (URS)
66.98 Rolf Drennberg (FRG)
65.90 Stefan Ferbrin (SWE)
65.68 Ulfar Georgiev (BEL)
65.24 Alois Hannecker (FRG)
65.05 Jozsef Ficsor (HUN)
64.36 Jürgen Schult (GDR)
64.36 Sergey Lyakhov (URS)
64.28 Attila Horvath (HUN)

Hammer

- 84.12 Igor Anapolovich (URS)
81.90 Yuriy Sedykh (URS)
81.74 Sergey Larinov (URS)
81.65 Heinz Weiss (FRG)
79.94 Taty Tamas (URS)
79.90 Tibor Gocsek (HUN)
78.22 Marc Odenthal (FRG)
78.00 Yusef Karaulic (YUG)
77.28 Norbert Radefeld (FRG)
76.88 H. Haber (GDR)
76.78 Claus Dethloff (FRG)

Javelin

- 90.98 Steve Buckley (GBR)
89.66 Jan Zelensky (TCH)
89.10 Patrick Bosh (SWE)
86.92 Seppo Rätty (FIN)
85.28 Einar Villhjalmsen (ICE)
85.04 Viktor Zolotov (URS)
84.80 Pascal Lefevre (FRA)
83.60 Mick Hill (GBR)
83.40 Marko Hyytiäinen (FIN)
83.35 Juhani Laakkonen (FIN)
83.28 Peter Schreiber (FRG)
83.24 Raymond Hecht (GDR)
83.05 Klaus Tafelmeyer
82.92 Marek Kalesa (URS)
82.82 Peter Blank (FRG)

Decathlon

- 8525 Christian Plaziat (FRA)
8481 Christian Schenk (GDR)
8350 Mikhail Medved (URS)
8306 Denzo Szabo (HUN)
8291 Aleksandr Medved (URS)
8289 Michael Kohle (FRG)
8275 Torsten Voss (GDR)
8255 Frank Müller (FRG)

Women

100

- 10.99 Karin Krabbe (GDR)
11.09 Laurence Bily (FRA)
11.10 Galina Malchugina (URS)
11.12 Silke Möller (GDR)
11.21 Irina Sergeyeva (URS)
11.26 Marina Marina (URS)
11.29 Bev Knich (GBR)

- 11.31 Sabine Günther (GDR)
11.32 Yelena Bykova (URS)
Ulrike Savari (FRA)
11.33 Odile Süße (FRA)
Absent
11.13 Grit Breuer (GDR)
11.27 Heike Drechsler (GDR)
11.32 Steffen Jacobs (GBR)

200

- 22.13 Karin Krabbe (GDR)
22.14 Heike Drechsler (GDR)
22.33 Galina Malchugina (URS)
22.48 Silke Knoll (FRG)
22.64 Silke Möller (GDR)
22.65 Sandra Myers (ESP)
22.70 Grit Breuer (GDR)
22.90 Olga Zolotareva (URS)
22.97 Oksana Stepycheva (URS)
22.97 Jenny Stautz (GBR)
23.01 Andrea Thomas (FRG)

400

- 50.21 Grit Breuer (GDR)
50.31 Petra Schrenk (GDR)
50.38 Lyudmila Dzhigalova (URS)
50.52 Marina Simoniina (URS)
50.64 Karin Jankle (FRG)
50.65 Yekaterina Rudina (URS)
51.01 Sandra Myers (ESP)
51.35 Marie-Josée Perré (FRA)
51.56 Annette Heselborth (GDR)
51.65 Linda Knapik (GBR)

800

- 1:56.64 Nadyezhda Lobayko (URS)
1:57.25 Lilia Nupoladzeva (URS)
1:57.34 Tatyana Grefenstok (URS)
1:57.35 Christine Wachtel (GDR)
1:57.18 Sigrid Wodars (GDR)
1:58.65 Diana Talwards (GBR)
1:58.85 Yvonne Mai (GDR)
1:59.34 Ella Kovacs (ROM)
1:59.66 Tudorita Chidu (ROM)
2:00.11 Teresa Tuniga (ESP)
2:00.18 Ellen Van Langen (HOL)
2:00.40 Ann Williams (GBR)
2:00.45 Gabi Lendi (FRG)
2:00.52 Bore Brulan (GDR)
2:00.54 Sabine Zwerny (FRG)

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- 3:58.69 Deana Melinte (ROM)
4:00.53 Natalya Anyanova (URS)
4:02.68 Yvonne Mai (GDR)
4:03.07 Lyudmila Rogacheva (URS)
4:03.14 Violeta Radici (ROM)
4:04.62 Y Podkopayeva (URS)
4:04.37 S. Kova (URS)
4:05.66 Rev Nikalson (GBR)
4:05.69 Tudorita Chidu (ROM)
4:07.2 Sandra Grasser (SUI)
4:07.31 D. Hradimajer (FRG)
4:07.69 Teena Colebrook (GBR)
4:07.7 Monique Pajel (ESP)
4:08.40 Sona O'Sullivan (IRL)
4:08.75 Christina Cahill (GBR)
Absent
4:03.20 Lyubov Kremlyova (URS)
4:04.12 Raviya Kotonichova (URS)
4:04.13 Svetlana Klovz (URS)

3,000

- 8:59.46 Yvonne Murray (GBR)
8:43.89 Yelena Romanova (URS)
8:44.61 Nadia Dandalo (ITA)
8:40.48 Ravilya Kotonichova (URS)
8:47.81 Margareta Keszeg (ROM)
8:47.97 Lyubov Kremlyova (URS)
8:49.21 M-P Duru (FRA)
8:51.42 Martine Fays (FRA)
8:53.65 Sonia O'Sullivan (IRL)
8:54.18 Sandra Grasser (SUI)
8:54.45 Alison Wyeth (GBR)

10,000

- 31:19.18 Veronica Ghean (ROM)
31:45.75 Zomorirko Ferreira (ESP)
31:55.55 Kerstin Presser (FRG)
31:55.80 Jill Hunter (GBR)
31:57.96 Paivi Tikkanen (FIN)
32:01.17 Wanda Panfil (POL)
32:05.76 Olga Nazarova (URS)
32:06.41 Yelena Tolstogusova (URS)
32:10.80 Annette Sergeant (FRA)
32:14.75 Birgit Jonsson (GDR)
32:15.54 Uwe Sieghart (BEL)
32:24.26 Zsa Agoston (HUN)
32:25.00 Katrin Tölg (GDR)
Absent
31:40.92 Uta Pippig (FRG)

100H

- 12.55 Natalya Ginyorova (URS)
12.55 Monique Ewarte-Eper (FRA)

- 12.62 Mibaela Pogonon (ROM)
12.65 Glava Sehen (GDR)
12.66 Lidia Yurkova (URS)
12.68 Cornele Orschiene (GDR)
12.80 Kristin Patzwahl (GDR)
12.82 Gabi Lippe (FRG)
12.82 Anne Piquereu (FRA)
12.83 Catherine Hurlin (FRA)

400H

- 54.59 Monica Westin (SWE)
54.71 Anita Protti (SUI)
54.73 Petra Krug (GDR)
54.78 Tatyana Ledovskaya (URS)
55.18 Sabine Ringer (FRG)
55.30 Sally Gunnell (GBR)
55.55 Christina Perez (ESP)
55.59 Lyudmila Khodolenskikh (URS)
55.71 Gudrun Abt (FRG)
Nicoleta Ciuraru (ROM)

High Jump

- 2.02 Yelena Yelina (URS)
2.00 Biljana Petrovic (YUG)
2.00 Heike Henkel (FRG)
1.98 Galim Artafi (ROM)
1.97 Heike Balck (GDR)
1.96 Valentina Gromskaya (URS)
1.94 Sabine Brumhoff (FRG)
1.94 Tamara Bykova (URS)
1.93 Jana Brumskova (CZE)
1.93 Signe Kirchmann (AUT)
1.92 Andrea Areni (FRG)
1.92 Anne Haugland (NOR)
1.92 Maryse Henry (FRA)
1.91 Niki Balu Babic (YUG)

Long Jump

- 7.19 Heike Drechsler (GDR)
7.10 Inessa Kravets (URS)
Larisa Berezhnaya (URS)
7.06 Marieta Icu (ROM)
6.97 Heike Radtke (GDR)
6.88 Fiona May (GBR)
6.75 Mili Ionescu (ROM)
6.70 Nicole Nedvedyeva (URS)
6.69 Valentina Ushchodda (ITA)
6.66 Tamara Malashev (YUG)
6.66 Liliana Nastase (ROM)
6.62 Jelena Rataak (POL)
6.60 Mary Berkeley (GBR)
Absent
7.35 Galina Chistyakova (URS)
6.97 Yelena Chern (URS)
6.89 Anna Denevankina (URS)

Shot

- 20.77 Astrid Kambhauer (GDR)
20.72 Natalya Lutsorsky (URS)
20.59 Vassilios Jossi (FRA)
20.26 Katrin Neunke (FRG)
20.21 Martina Antonik (URS)
19.97 Christa Wiese (FRG)
19.90 Valentina Fedostina (URS)
19.84 Stephanie Kopp (FRG)
19.14 Iris Piotzka (FRG)
19.03 Myrta Angen (GBR)

Discus

- 71.07 Ilke Wijnald (GDR)
57.50 Olga Burova (URS)
57.60 Irina Yezhenko (URS)
46.50 Tsvetanka Khristova (BUL)
66.16 Gabriela Reinsch (GDR)
66.04 Irina Kiril (URS)
65.01 Martina Hollmann (GDR)
64.00 Ursula Krenzel (FRG)
63.52 Dagmar Goller (FRG)
63.28 Ursula Weller (AUT)

Javelin

- 73.08 Petra Felke (GDR)
69.38 Karin Finkel (GDR)
66.50 Silke Renke (GDR)
65.76 Natalya Shkolnikova (URS)
65.72 Tessa Sanderson (GBR)
65.24 Pavi Alafantti (FIN)
64.98 Tatyana Shkolnikova (URS)
64.92 Anna Verdali (GRE)
64.78 Katja Hama (HUN)
64.44 Zsuzsa Molnovec (HUN)
64.20 Tima Lilali (FIN)
64.02 Felicia Tila (ROM)

Heptathlon

- 6604 Sabine Braun (FRG)
6421 Liliana Nastase (ROM)
6421 Irina Bykova (URS)
6450 Heike Tischer (GDR)
6526 Peggy Ben (GDR)
6520 Larus Nictina (URS)
6308 Birgit Gaurtsch (GDR)
6292 Tatyana Zinovyeva (URS)
6286 Christiane Schief (FRG)
6218 Birgit Carus (FRG)

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teaching work at Marlborough College on Monday, was well satisfied with his run, just over 2.5sec outside his best. "This year has been about establishing myself as a world-class runner. Now I want to improve and have more nights like tonight."

Astrid Kumbernuss won the

European shot putt title with a first round throw of 20.38 metres on Monday night.

It was the first major senior title for the 30-year-old East German who won both the discus and shot at the 1989 European Junior Championships and leads this year's world rankings for the event. Olympic champion Natalya Lisovskaya of the USSR threw 20.06 metres with her final attempt to take the silver medal ahead of another East German, Kathrin Neimke.

Myrle Auger was well below her best form throwing 17.77m for ninth position.

RESULTS IN BRIEF

Men:

10,000: 1, S. Antibo (ITA) 27:41.27; 2, A. Nakkam (NOR) 28:04.04; 3, S. Mei (ITA) 28:04.46; 5, RICHARD NERURKAR 28:07.81; 18, COLIN MOORE 28:59.90.

Women:

Mari: 1, R. Mota (POR) 2:31.27; 2, V. Yegorova (URS) 2:31.32; 3, M. Rebelo-Letur (FRA) 2:35.51; 11, SALLY EASTALL 2:41.37; 12, C. Kennedy (IRL) 2:41.38; 15, NICKY McGRACKEN 2:46.36; 18, E. Bollen (IRL) 2:53.45; 20, SUSAN TOOBY 2:55.22.

Full results next week.

Junior cup gets support

BRITAIN's suggestion of a European U23s Cup was discussed favourably by the council of the European Athletics Association, meeting in Split.

Britain has offered to stage the event in 1991.

Another country is expected to be brought into the men's and women's finals of the European Cup next summer, to replace the lane left vacant by the merger of the two Germanies. And moves are afoot to extend the programme of the European Indoor Championships from two to three days, with the introduction of extra events, including the possibility of 4x200, 4x400, 4x1,500 and a medley (100, 200, 400, 800) relay.

IT MAY be a while yet before a daughter of the Editor of *Athletics Weekly* takes part in the European Championships, but Jolanda Chen, the Soviet long jumper, seemed certain to get a few lines in *Talks Athletics*, since her father, Yevgeni Chen, an international triple jumper 20 years ago or so, is the Soviet magazine's Editor.

THE trend of issuing condoms to everyone in the participating teams (vide our report on the World Juniors in Plovdiv) continued here, where all members of the British delegation - including its head, Mares Hartman, aged 70 - received two such devices to see them through the week.

THE irreversible moves towards a united Germany included a symbolic move in Split, where a joint team handbook was issued, for both East and West Germany, on behalf of the DVL and DLV at the European Championships.

Significantly, the cover design featured two relay runners, one in an East German vest handing over to one in a West German singlet.

ISRAEL, excluded from the Asian Games for the past 15 years, were allowed to "switch" continents and compete in Split, though any Israeli successes would only be acknowledged with special certificates, not medals. The team made an inauspicious start: Ilan Goldwasser, entered for the heats of the first event on the first morning, the 400 metres hurdles, failed to turn up.



ANTIBO: no one got close

Elliott points out Herold as threat

By Dave Martin
in Split

PETER ELLIOTT rates Jens-Peter Herold as a bigger threat to his hopes of winning the European 1,500 metres title here on Saturday than defending champion and team mate, Steve Grim.

Now fully recovered from injury and illness, the 28-year-old Commonwealth Games champion is looking forward to the final on Saturday and believes he is in shape to run a time of 3:33.

"However, I believe it will probably be a slow race as there are no Kenyans to take on the pace," he said. "I believe there might be a long wind-up for home."

Elliott's confidence has fully recovered after his Emsley Carr Mile win at Gateshead two weeks ago and a time-trial in Norbiton last Saturday. "I ran 2:16.5 for 1,000 metres behind William Tamu (2:15.4) and passed

800 metres in about 1:48.0," he said. "Both the race and the training stint were very important as I didn't know what shape I really was in."

The Yorkshireman sees Herold, the world's fourth-fastest runner over the distance this year, as being the main threat to stop him winning his first European medal. "However, by all accounts Steve Cram is back in shape and he, Neil Horsfield, Gennaro Di Napoli and Jose-Luis Gonzales must all be in with a chance."

Asked whether he agreed with Cram's statement that it could be a 1-2-3 for Great Britain, he said: "I don't know, it would be great but, I reiterate, you can't write off Herold."

Nemesis of the Nemeth

THE uncertainty over the rights and wrongs of Steve Backley and Jan Zelezny's records broken with the new Nemeth javelin was made worse on Sunday, when an IAAF technical committee meeting in Split ruled that such throws could not be ratified. Then, John Holt, the IAAF secretary, told the meeting that the throws had been ratified already.

Possibly the biggest significance of the decision is the £10,000 bounty awarded to Backley for his 90.98-metre effort, with the benefits of the Nemeth's serrated tail, at the Parcellforce Games in July. The British Board says he will still get the cash, while Backley, before his qualifying round on Monday morning, said that

any dispute over the world record would only act as an incentive to throw the orthodox, Sandvik spear, well beyond 91 metres. In any case, he still holds the world record with the best-ever throw with an orthodox javelin, 89.58 in Stockholm.

The technical committee's most important decision on the javelin was to recommend that, with effect from next year's congress in Tokyo, any marks registered with the Nemeth should be erased from the books, and that the rules should stipulate that the javelin must be smooth.

● JAN ZELEDNY, forced to use a Sandvik javelin, failed to qualify for the final in Split.

BRITAIN's team for the European Championships this week suffered four last minute withdrawals.

Tim Hutchings, unhappy with his fitness after illness and injury, withdrew at the beginning of last week. Judy Oakes pulled out on Tuesday, blaming a lack of form, as did injured walker Ian McCombie. Allister Hutton was the last to declare his withdrawal, he pulled out on Wednesday through illness.

KIRSTY WADE returns to top flight competition on 9th September when she runs in the Manchester round of the General Portfolio Miles of Miles series.

QUOTE

"It was the kind of race I needed...I think I can run 3:32 or 3:33 in Split" Peter Elliott after his win in Italy 10 days ago.

"At the four-mile mark they made a mistake and cut a corner and were laughing and I didn't like that, so from there I said I'm going to take the lead and punish them to show them that I didn't like that" Steve Kogo, winner of Parkersburg Half-marathon in 1:02.25, on how his short-cutting rivals decided his breakaway tactics.

"I am a very different man from the one who won in Stuttgart...I have seen things that have put the sport into perspective" Robert Enniyan, in an interview in *The Independent*, on how the death of his father and other relatives in the Armenian earthquake has changed his attitudes.

"I'm as well prepared as I've ever been for a marathon" Allister Hutton, three days before announcing his withdrawal from Britain's European Championship team because of a cold.

"The Board have meekly accepted an IAAF decision which will act to the detriment of cross-country in the four home countries" Matt Frazer, secretary of the English Cross Country Union, protesting the denial of England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland from having teams in the proposed international grand prix series.

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YUGOSLAVIA is one of those places where, when they have a bit of an inflation problem, they knock a few noughts off their bank notes. A similarly rapid revaluation of British medal prospects took place during the first day of the XV European Championships.

Frank Dick's 22 "medal shots" - his usual soccer short hand for chances of a medal - had been put through the bull market of jingoistic expectation and came out with the British team surpassing its tally of eight gold, two silver and five bronze achieved in Stuttgart four years ago, the best ever at a European Championships, and reached the dizzy levels of nine, 10, some were even saying 11 gold medals.

Then came Linford Christie's 100 metres heat.

Only the great Valeriy Borzov had ever successfully defended the Blue Ribband of the European Championships, and no man had ever won the event at the advanced age of 30 years. Yet this was Christie's re-assessed goal after the Commonwealth champion's previous summer target to claim the world No. 1 title with a good performance in Zurich, had gone less than well.

"People remember you for the big ones, and not the Grand Prix races you win," Christie had said while relaxing at the team hotel the weekend before the Championships began. Yet his performance on the track come the heats on Monday evening carried less conviction.

In the first heat, Daniel Sangouma, Christie's biggest threat, had his race won within 10 metres of the start, when he got out of his blocks with startling speed, giving John Regis a hopeless chase all the way down the straight.

The comparison between Sangouma's start and the lacklustre stumble of Christie in the next heat was not good to see. The defending champion tried to make the most of looking easy in the last 10 metres, but that too lacked conviction, and with Morinere and Krylov both in front of him, Christie had to wait for confirmation that he had qualified for the next day's semi-finals as a fastest loser.

After Darren Braithwaite had won the final heat, beating Stefano Tilli, Christie was asked for a brief comment on his defeat in the heats, and preferred to keep mum, as it were. "I wouldn't even speak to my mum. I've got a lot of things to work on." The reconstruction work had less than a day in which to be carried out.

THERE were no real medal prospects among the British entries for the three events decided on the first day, though Richard Nerurkar turned himself into a contender during the course of the 10,000 metres.

This was a race in which Salvatore Antibo started as red-hot favourite and became white-hot

within a first lap that lasted just 61.7sec as the rest of the field displayed a marked reluctance to follow the Sicilian's pace.

Lap-by-lap the gap grew, from three seconds after 800 metres, to 4.8sec at 2km, to 6.4sec at 3km. The race for gold was as good as over, as the world's No. 1 this year churned out steady 65-66sec laps.

It was at the 3,000-metre mark that the defending champion, Stefano Mei, took charge of the chasing group in the race for silver, and where Nerurkar - who had earlier been running just ahead of his team and clubmate, Colin Moore, in around 24th place - moved through.

Norwegian Are Nakkim, then Prianon, the Frenchman, took turns at the front of the pack, which passed half-way in 13:57, 18sec down on Antibo, with Nerurkar in eighth place and feeling comfortable. A lap later, Nerurkar made a definite move to the front of the queue for silver.

By 8,000 metres, that bunch was down to 13, now led by Zoltan Kaldey, with Nakkim, Halvorson, Nerurkar and Prieto in close order.

With just the last kilometre to run, Nerurkar took the initiative again, his 62.8sec lap getting the chasing bunch down to five. "Brendan Foster had told me that, because it was my first championships, I should enjoy myself, and I was," he said.

"Before I came out here, I knew

Antibo's

10,000 metres

1,000:	2:39.36
2,000:	5:23.23
3,000:	8:10.26
4,000:	10:55.93
5,000:	13:39.72
6,000:	16:27.38
7,000:	19:14.12
8,000:	22:03.54
9,000:	24:53.36

Mota's

marathon

1km:	3:25
5km:	17:30
20km:	1:10:36
21km:	1:14:10
22km:	1:17:50
25km:	1:28:46
34km:	2:01:58

that I would have to try to make a break with about two laps to go, and I'd worked on that in training." Yet another 63.4sec lap by Nerurkar was not enough to shake off Mei, Nakkim and Prieto who all passed the Briton down the back straight on the last lap.

Off the final bend, Nakkim, with a 26.9sec last 200, did to Mei what the Italian had done to Alberto Cova four years before, except that this time the reward was a silver.

not a gold medal, not that you could tell from the Norwegian's jubilant reaction. Antibo, however, was the man who really had something to celebrate with the first half of a distance double accomplished more easily than he may have hoped.

THE first medals of the championships had been decided earlier in the evening.

Astrid Kumbernuss won the shot at last year's European Junior Championships in Varazdin. Almost a year to the day the East German took the senior title in a field which included six of the seven women who have thrown over 20 metres this year.

Kumbernuss led the first round with 20.38 metres ahead of world record-holder Natalya Lisovskaya's 19.57. The Soviet, who was expected to win the last championship in Stuttgart but eventually wound up ninth, started as favourite, but by round three was in third as the 1984 Olympic champion, Claudia Losch, passed her with 19.87.

The next round saw Kumbernuss over 20 metres again, while both Losch and Lisovskaya threw 19.80. In the fifth round, with the tension rising, the 20-year-old leader reached out to 20.09, Lisovskaya regaining second-place with 19.92. Seoul silver-medallist Kathrin Neimke also had a good effort of 19.70 and moved up to fourth, having had three no-throws and a poor 19.19.

The final round saw Lisovskaya finally get over 20 metres, but was still 32cm short of her young rival's winning distance. Neimke spoilt Losch's day, gaining the bronze with her last effort.

A delighted Kumbernuss, who has led the world rankings throughout the summer, said: "This is my first big competition as a senior so I'm flattered with this gold medal. The atmosphere was fantastic."

NO GOLD would have been harder fought for than Rosa Mota's third European Marathon gold, as the Portuguese had her status threatened for the first time in some while - the last time she finished outside two-and-a-half hours in a championship marathon was in Helsinki in 1983, since when she has conquered everything in her path. This time, though, the pathway was a little too bumpy for her liking.

Having set off at an unlikely 2:20 pace (5km passed in 17:30), in spite of the heat, humidity and the warnings about the four-lap circuit hills, the Olympic champion set off for a long, lonely run - the more cautious at the back of the field, including Britain's Nicky McCracken, were already 15sec down on Mota as they left the Gradski Stadium after one kilometre.

McCracken had recovered her racing shoes only minutes before the start, after they had been left in the back of her husband's car, and she and her fellow international



MAY'S WAY: Fiona May finished seventh in the long jump

27th AUGUST - 1st SEPTEMBER

CONTINUED

Beckz (ROM) 4:16.45

H11 (d): 1. Gasser 4:08.24; 2. Kogachova 4:06.30; 3. Mai 4:08.50; 4. Kiesling 4:06.70; 5. Melzine 4:08.80; 6. Kucenikova 4:09.52; 7. Pajkic 4:09.55; 8. COLLEBROOK 4:10.95.

H12: 1. CAHILL 4:12.00; 2. Atykova 4:12.06; 3. Padarov 4:12.35; 4. Beckz 4:13.50; 5. I Theodoridou (GRE) 4:14.41; 6. M Pajal (ESP) 4:15.72; 7. BEV NICHOLSON 4:15.80.

3,000

Final (c): 1. YVONNE MURRAY 8:43.06; 2. Y Romanova (URS) 8:43.68; 3. R Brunet (ITA) 8:46.19; 4. I Kremlyova (URS) 8:46.94; 5. M Keszeg (ROM) 8:48.04; 6. P Tikkanen (FIN) 8:50.26; 7. Z Agoston (HUN) 8:51.07; 8. SONIA McGEORGE 8:51.33; 9. G Karlshoej (DEN) 8:51.44; 10. ALISON WYETH 8:52.26; 11. S O'Sullivan (IRE) 8:52.65; 12. M Fays (FRA) 8:56.36; 13. R Smyth (IRE) 9:00.87.

H1 (a): 1. Y Romanova 8:52.92; 2. I Kremlyova 8:53.81; 3. R Brune 8:54.34; 4. G Karlshoej 8:54.46; 5. O'Sullivan 8:55.12; 6. McGEORGE 8:55.88; 7. Fays 8:59.96; 8. J Kucenikova (TCH) 9:04.40; 9. F Ribeiro (POR) 9:11.39; 10. A Silva (POR) 9:16.75; 11. A Avraam (CYP) 9:22.66.

H2: 1. MURRAY 8:57.25; 2. Keszeg 8:57.42; 3. Tikkanen 8:57.84; 4. WYETH 8:58.31; 5. Agoston 8:58.41; 6. Durov 8:59.95; 7. Smyth 9:01.06; 8. Van Hulst 9:01.73; 9. E Estevez (ESP) 9:05.25; 10. A Cunha (POR) 9:06.88; 11. V McGovern (IRE) 9:14.39.

10,000

Final (c): 1. Y Romanova (URS) 31:46.85; 2. K Ullrich (GDR) 31:47.70; 3. A Sergeant (FRA) 31:51.68; 4. M Hammi (F) 31:58.25; 5. N Dandalo (ITA) 32:02.37; 6. N Gallianova (URS) 32:03.07; 7. W Panfil (POL) 32:06.01; 8. JILL HUNTER 32:10.15; 9. A Cunha (POR) 32:15.83; 10. I Slegers (BEL) 32:29.46; 11. K Presler (FRG) 32:42.96; 12. JULIE HOLLAND 32:47.76; 13. V Ghican (ROM) 32:55.18; 14. M Frenks (HOL) 33:04.95; 15. ANGIE HULLEY 33:06.09; 16. B Jerschabek (GDR) 33:08.11; 17. I Moretti (SLO) 33:22.66; 18. A Avram (CYP) 33:22.81; 19. S Roncivod (YUG) 33:27.04; 20. R Murcia (FRA) 33:44.44; 21. C Harms (HOL) 34:01.25; 22. M Ernstott (ICE) 34:17.27. Did not finish: F Ribeiro (POR); Z Agoston (HUN); P Tikkanen (FIN); Y Tolstoguzova (URS); G Goroanova (BUL).

Marathon

(a): 1. B Mota (POR) 2:31:27; 2. V Yegorova (URS) 2:31:32; 3. M Kibelolet (FRA) 2:35:51; 4. E Schumich (ITA) 2:37:19; 5. J Foldingne (HUN) 2:37:46; 6. F Bonnet (FRA) 2:37:55 (2:38:04); 7. S Grotenberg (NOR) 2:39:04; 8. S Geoffrey (FRA) 2:39:21; 9. R Lemotinen (FIN) 2:39:42; 10. M Machado (POR) 2:39:49 (2:41:37); 11. SALLY EASTALL 2:41:57 (2:41:38); 12. C Kennedy (IRE) 2:41:58 (2:41:47); 13. D Papaspyrou (GRE) 2:41:47; 14. J Horzings (HOL) 2:43:04; 15. NICKY McCRACKEN 2:46:36; 16. M Prat (ESP) 2:47:41; 17. N Aerts (BEL) 2:49:10; 18. E Bullen (IRE) 2:51:45; 19. S Gric (YUG) 2:54:05; 20. SUSAN TOGBY 2:55:22; 21. R Panovska (BUL) 2:56:46. Did not finish: T Kneek (YUG); M Ferreira (POR); J Jovicic (YUG); A Peterkova (TCH); Y Khramenkova (URS); I Klobchko (URS).

100H

Final (d) (-0.9): 1. M Ewanje-Epee (FRA) 12.79; 2. G Siebert (GDR) 12.91; 3. I Yurkova (URS) 12.92; 4. C Oshkenat (GDR) 12.94; 5. I Narozhilenko (URS) 12.97; 6. G Zagorecheva (BUL) 13.02; 7. K Patzwahl (GDR) 13.25. Did not finish: G



HOME BANKER: 1,500 metres winner Pajkic

Lippe (FRG)

SP1 (c) (+0.5): 1. Siebert 12.75; 2. Narozhilenko 12.78; 3. Lippe 12.92; 4. Oshkenat 12.95; 5. N Grigoryeva (URS) 12.98; 6. C Hartlin (FRA) 13.03; 7. KAY MORLEY 13.22; 8. B Bukovec (YUG) 13.46.

SP2 (+1.1): 1. Ewanje-Epee 12.66; 2. Zagorecheva 12.81; 3. Yurkova 12.81; 4. Patzwahl 13.02; 5. P Patoulidou (GDR) 13.07; 6. A Piquereau (FRA) 13.08; 7. LESLEY-ANN SKETE 13.37; 8. M-J Mardomingo (ESP) 13.40.

H1 (c): 1. Grigoryeva 12.81; 2. Zagorecheva 12.82; 3. Patzwahl 12.97; 4. Lippe 13.01; 5. SKETE 13.07; 6. Piquereau 13.18; 7. M-J Mardomingo (ESP) 13.41.

H12: 1. Ewanje-Epee 12.72; 2. Narozhilenko 12.78; 3. Oshkenat 12.97; 4. MORLEY 13.21; 5. S Derhier (BEL) 13.51; 6. C Zaczekiewicz (FRG) 13.55.

H13: 1. Siebert 12.74; 2. Yurkova 12.77; 3. Hartlin 13.23; 4. Patoulidou 13.36; 5. Brigita Bukovec (YUG) 13.46; 6. A Bureneches (ESP) 13.85. Did not finish: JACKIE AGYEPONG.

400H

Final (c): 1. T Ledovskaya (URS) 53.62; 2. A Protti (SUD) 54.36; 3. M Westen (SWE) 54.75; 4. G Abt (FRG) 54.97; 5. M Ponomaryova (URS) 55.22; 6. SALLY GUNNELL 55.46; 7. C Peter (ESP) 56.09. Did not start: P Krug (GDR).

SP1 (d): 1. Ledovskaya 54.73; 2. Abt 55.70; 3. Peter 55.87; 4. Krug 55.93; 5. T Helander-Kuusisto (FIN) 56.04; 6. N Voronkova (URS) 56.69; 7. JACQUIE PARKER 57.06; 8. I Trojer (ITA) 57.40.

SP2: 1. Protti 55.05; 2. Ponomaryova 55.30; 3. GUNNELL 55.35; 4. Westen 55.45; 5. S Bieger (FRA) 56.11; 6. N Carutaru (ROM) 56.74; 7. A Naumakki (FIN) 57.66; 8. G Tromp (HOL) 59.08.

H1 (b): 1. Westen 55.61; 2. Abt 55.74; 3. Peter 55.82; 4. Trujer 56.02; 5. Naumakki 56.76; 6. Z Machokova (TCH) 57.33; 7. M-J Valamatos (POR) 58.67; 8. A Run (YUG) 59.05.

H12: 1. Protti 55.37; 2. GUNNELL 55.89; 3. Voronkova 56.40; 4. Tromp 56.65; 5. M Klebe (SWE) 57.08; 6. M Alonso (ESP) 58.35; 7. P Neiger (DNK) 59.40.

Disqualified: A Maerhout (BEL)

H13: 1. Ponomaryova 55.99; 2. Krug 56.76; 3. Carutaru 56.77; 4. PARKER 56.84; 5. E Johansson (SWE) 57.58; 6. M Luter (YUG) 59.19; 7. M Moreira (POR) 1:01.78. Disqualified: Y Teilo (ESP)

H14: 1. Ledovskaya 55.02; 2. Helander-Kuusisto 56.80; 3. Kieger 56.95; 4. GOWRY RITCHARAN 57.05; 5. M Filipovic (YUG) 57.57; 6. M-C Carier-Bailly (FRA) 57.85; 7. M Bjorn (NOR) 59.65.

Long jump

Final (b): 1. H Drechaler (GDR) 7.30 (CBFX+0.6) (6.91, 7.30 (CBF), 6.88, 7.06, 7.09, 7.10); 2. M Bea (ROM) 7.02 (+0.5) (7.02, 6.89, 6.87, 6.68, x, 6.88); 3. H Radke (GDR) 6.94 (+0.5) (x, x, 6.64, x, x, 6.94); 4. I Derzhnaya (URS) 6.93 (+1.7x) 5. Y Chen (URS) 6.90 (+0.8); 6. I Kravets (URS) 6.85 (+1.3); 7. FIONA MAY 6.77 (+1.3) (6.75, 6.77, x, x, 6.53, x); 8. R Ropo-Junnilla (FIN) 6.76 (+0.6); 9. Y Ucheddu (URS) 6.58 (-0.4); 10. T Malesev (YUG) 6.50 (+0.1); 11. B Nielsen (DEN) 6.35 (-1.5); 12. S Hennart (BEL) 6.27 (0.0).

Qualifying (a): Drechaler 6.92; Derzhnaya 6.91; Uou 6.82; Ropo-Junnilla 6.76; Radke 6.74; MAY 6.69; Ucheddu 6.61; Kravets 6.55; Chen 6.46; Malesev 6.43; Hennart 6.39; Nielsen 6.15; 13. S Huin (FRG) 6.31 (+0.8); 14. MARY BERKELEY 6.27 (0.0, x, x, 6.27); 15. S Babic (YUG) 6.23 (0.0); 16. A Oliveira (POR) 6.23 (0.0); 17. A Bregu (ALB) 6.02 (+0.3).

High Jump

Final (c): 1. H Henkel (FRG) (-, 1.85, x, 1.89, 1.93, 1.96, 1.99, 1.99); 2. B Petrovic (YUG) (1.80, 1.85, 1.89, 1.93, 1.96) 1.96; 3. Y Yelensina (URS) (x) 1.80, 1.85, 1.89, x, 1.93, 1.96; 4. S Kirchmann (AUT) 1.89; 5eq. H Balck (GDR) 1.89/J Kovacs 1.89; 7. V Gotovskaya (URS) 1.89; 8. H Haugland (NOR) 1.89; 9. S Lesseva Baeva (BUL) 1.89; 10. O Turchak (URS) 1.85; 11. J Brenkusova (TCH) 1.85; 12. A Arens (FRG) 1.80.

Qualifying (d): 1.88. Petrovic; Gotovskaya; Yelensina; Kovacs; Balck; Henkel; Turchak; Brenkusova; Haugland; Arens; Lesseva; Kirchmann; 13. N Gavera (GRE) 1.84; 14. N Nakoyanni (GRE) 1.84; 15. S Branhoff (FRG) 1.84; 16. LEA HAGGETT (1.75, 1.80) 1.80; 17. G Andes (ROM) 1.80; 18. M Masry (FRA).

Shot

Final (a): 1. A Kumbernuss (GDR) (20.38, x, 19.56, 20.17, 20.09, 19.88) 20.38; 2. N Usoskaya (URS) (19.57, x, 19.03, 19.80, 19.92, 20.06) 20.06; 3. K Neimke (GDR) x, 19.19, x, x, 19.70, 19.96) 19.96; 4. C Loach (FRG) 19.92; 5. I Plotitzka (FRG) 19.51; 6. H Harwig (GDR) 18.90; 7. S Swoop (FRG) 18.88; 8. M Antoniak (URS) 18.82; 9. MYRTLE AUGIE (- 17.77, 17.71, 17.59) 17.77; 10. A Maffei (ITA) 16.58; 11. M Ramos (ESP) 16.23; 12. S Sen (TUR) 16.45; 13. T Machado (POR) 14.34.

Discus

Final (c): 1. I Wylodda (GDR) (66.80, 67.62, 66.50, 66.41, 65.68, 68.46) 68.46; 2. O Burova (URS) (66.62, 64.76; x, 65.60, x, 66.72) 66.72; 3. M Hellmann (GDR) (x, 63.70, 61.60, 66.66, x, 65.86) 65.86; 4. G Reinsch (GDR) 66.08; 5. I Vaschenko (URS) 65.16; 6. E Svereva (URS) 65.89; 7. U Kreut (FRG) 65.28; 8. D Galler (FRG) 62.08; 9. A Maffei (ITA) 58.36; 10. C Khristova (BUL) 56.30; 11. M Geldhof (BEL) 54.50.

Qualifying (b): Wylodda 65.00; Burova 64.56; Hellmann 65.63; Vaschenko 65.34; Reinsch 62.08; Khristova 60.26; Svereva 60.24; Kreut 59.88; Galler 59.40; Maffei 56.46; Bergmann 55.58; Geldhof 54.00.

Non qualifying (b): 13. M Tineci (ROM) 52.68; 14. P Machado (POR) 51.78; 15. U Weber (AUT) 50.26; 16. JACQUELINE MCKERNAN 48.12 (48.12, x, 47.06).

Javelin

Final (d): 1. P Alfrani (FIN) 67.68; 2. K Forkel (GDR) 67.56; 3. P Felke (GDR) 66.56; 4. S Benk (GDR) 64.76; 5. K Hatali (HUN) 63.52; 6. I Thyssen (FRG) 61.84; 7. A Selenska (BUL) 61.24; 8. A Verouli (GRE) 59.32; 9. P Tila (ROM) 58.80; 10. T Lillak (FIN) 58.80; 11. B Graune (FRG) 58.54; 12. TESSA SANDERSON (x, 57.56, 57.36) 57.56; 13. H Rantinen (FIN) 53.98.

Qualifying (c): Graune 64.18; Benk 63.56; Felke 63.22; Lillak 62.62; Hatali 61.60; Tila 60.96; Sanderson 60.66; Thyssen 60.02; Shkolniko 59.92; Verouli 59.36; Forkel 59.28; Selenska 58.72. Non-qualifying: 15. Malovecz 58.48; 14. Chernyenas 57.46; 13. Auzel 56.88; 16. SHARON GIBSON (52.94, 55.98, 54.88) 55.98; 17. AMANDA LVERTON 55.44; 18. H Rantinen (FIN) 54.02.

Hept

Final: (d)(e): 1. S Braun (FRG) (13.55/1045, 1.91/1119, 14.46/825, 24.61/923, 6.38/969, 53.06/919, 2:15.20/890) 6688; 2. H Tischler (GDR) (14.08/967, 1.82/1003, 13.73/776, 24.29/953, 6.22/918, 53.24/923, 2:05.50/1032) 6572; 3. P Beer (GDR) (13.27/1084, 1.82/1003, 13.46/758, 23.99/982, 6.38/969, 42.10/708, 2:05.79/1027) 6531; 4. I Belova (URS) 6521; 5. C Scharf (FRG) 6390; 6. R Nazaroviene (URS) 6380; 7. B Clarius (FRG) 6359; 8. P Vaidanu (ROM) 6264; 9. B Gausch (GDR) 6255; 10. R Inancal (HUN) 6076; 11. A B Skjeveland (NOR) 5853; 12. JOANNE MULLINER (14.18/953, 1.76/928, 13.19/740, 24.99/888, 6.01/853, 35.74/586, 2:14.39/901) 5849; 13. Manuela Marzer (LIE) 5837; 14. M Damcescu (YUG) 5460; 15. N Teppe (FRA) 5456; 16. CLOVA COURT (13.83/1003, x, 12.87/719, 23.81/999, 5.56/717, 51.52/890, 2:26.27/740) 5068.

10km Walk

Final (c): 1. A Sidoti (ITA) 44.00; 2. O Karlapoltseva (URS) 44.06; 3. I Salvador (ITA) 44.38; 4. T Kovalenko (URS) 45.03; 5. S Essayah (FIN) 45.10; 6. H Anders (GDR) 45.18; 7. R Sobrino (ESP) 45.42; 8. M Gunnarsson (SWE) 45.48; 9. M Boma (HUN) 45.56; 10. LISA LANGFORD 46.33; 11. E Cano (ESP) 46.43; 12. P Pagani (ITA) 46.55; 13. I Dyes (HUN) 47.17; 14. T Palacios (ESP) 47.30; 15. BETTY SWOBROWSKI 47.37; 16. A Szabersky (HUN) 47.46; 17. M Svensson (SWE) 48.19; 18. N Marchand (FRA) 48.28; 19. A Bruckmann (FRG) 48.57; 20. JULIE DRAKE 49.26; 21. I Goncalves (POR) 50.49; 22. V Opea (ROM) 51.38; 23. M Hamalainen (FIN) 55.52.

4x100

Final (b): 1. East Germany 41.58; 2. West Germany 43.02; 3. GREAT BRITAIN (Douglas, Kinch, Jacobs, Thomas) 43.32; 4. France 43.43; 5. Italy 43.71; 6. Spain 44.86; USSR def. Finland def.

4x400

Final (b): 1. East Germany 3:21.02; 2. USSR 3:23.54; 3. GREAT BRITAIN (Gunnell, Stoute, Beckford, Keough) 3:24.78; 4. West Germany 3:25.12; 5. France 3:25.16; 6. Switzerland 3:29.94; 7. Hungary 3:32.30.

H11 (c): 1. USSR 3:26.14; 2. France 3:28.49; 3. Hungary 3:30.41; 4. Spain 3:31.76.

H12: 1. East Germany 3:28.22; 2. West Germany 3:28.33; 3. Great Britain (Piggford, Stoute, Beckford, Keough) 3:28.73; 4. Switzerland 3:30.19; 5. Finland 3:31.42; 6. Sweden 3:33.89; 7. Romania 3:52.34.

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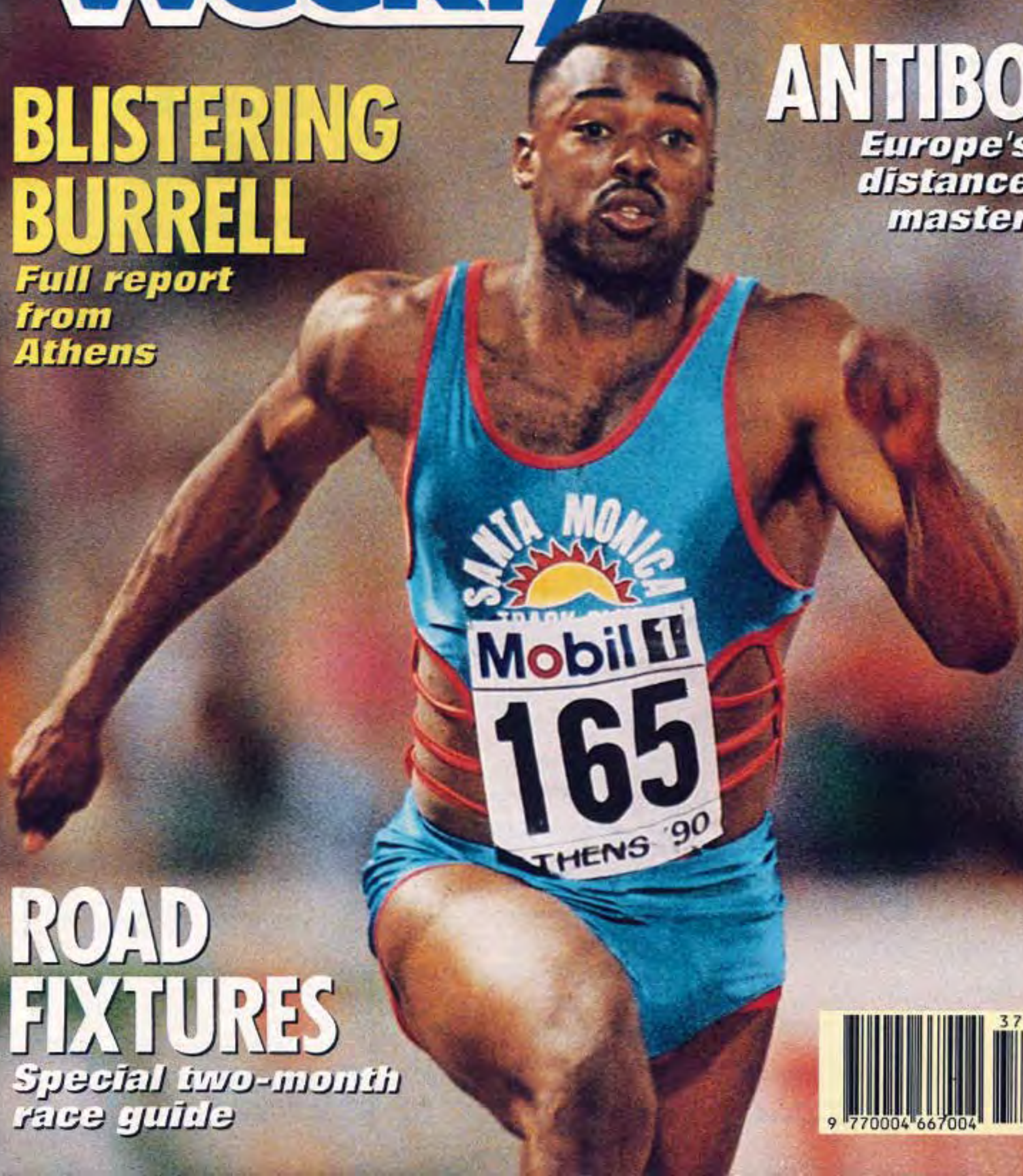
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IT IS hard to imagine a major meet having more of an uphill fight than the one in Koblenz last Tuesday.

First, a series of rainstorms hit the Rhineland several days before the competition, and failed to dissipate, which produced an uninvitingly dreary setting for athletics. Then the timing of the meet was such that the top Europeans were tired from the European Championships, and the American and African stars were flat from two weeks without competition.

Yet another problem surfaced from within Germany, when Nike siphoned off all of its top stars to appear in a showcase indoor meet the same evening, in Munich in conjunction with the annual sports equipment exhibition.

But indefatigable meeting director, Fredy Schaefer, showed that he still leads a charmed life with the locals, as almost 10,000 fans made their way to Oberwerth Stadium for the soggy evening. Still, the venture produced a reported \$30,000 of red ink, even with the last minute involvement of Mobil, using it as a warm up meet for the athletes prior to the Grand Prix Final.

The 10,000 metres was placed curiously early in the programme, at 6:50 pm. What if the weather had been warm? The explanation was that the event was a late addition at the request of John Ngugi, who felt he was ready for a world record and had convinced Koblenz there was merit in adding a half-hour race to the already ambitious programme.

Ngugi perhaps forgot to insist that a quality pacemaker or two should also be ready to go. The field was of an ideal size with 11 runners, none of whom was a real challenger. Germany's Volker Weizel took the group through two kilometres in 5:31.6, and by the time Charles Cheruiyot took over, the record attempt was fading.

Cheruiyot didn't help much either, letting the pace sag to 2:46 and 2:51 in the fourth and fifth kilometres, and then leaving Ngugi to his own devices at the half-way point at 13:51.3.

The Kenyan immediately responded with a 2:40, followed by a pair of 2:44s and a 2:43. He then put on a final kick of 2:37 over the last kilometre, covering the last lap in just under 60sec to finish in 27:19.15, the second fastest time of the season after Arturo Barrios' Berlin clocking.

Ngugi's final 5,000 metres in 13:27.9 was quite likely the fastest finish ever in a 10,000 metres race. It certainly surpasses the 13:36 with which Barrios finished his Berlin record. Almost unnoticed was the fact that this race produced two significant records. Ngugi's time

Despite the heralding of record attempts, there was a distinct morning-after feeling to the post-Split meeting at Koblenz, as ED GORDON reports. Photographs: ALLSPORT

was a Commonwealth record, bettering the 27:22.47 run by Henry Rono in 1978. But even more obscure was the European junior record posted by 19-year-old Italian Christian Leuprecht, who finished third in 28:22.48 behind Rolando Vera's 28:21.38. Leuprecht, the top non-African finisher over the distance in this year's World Junior Championships, surpassed the old record of 28:35.02 set by Salvatore Nicosia of Italy in 1982.

Heike Drechsler ran her first 100 metres since the 1988 season, and it looked like the Drechsler of old. After a good start, she pulled ahead of the field and held off a strong

challenge from Michelle Finn. Evelyn Ashford finished third.

While he was waiting for the conclusion of events in Split, Jose-Luiz Barbosa spent the past two weeks training in Koblenz. Despite the wet conditions on Tuesday, he sprinted to a 1:44.84 in the 800 metres, ahead of Roza Abdenouz's 1:45.90 in a race suffering from the last minute cancellation of Nixon Kiprotich.

Another notable performance on this damp night was the 5.70 metres pole vault of Soviet Gennadiy Sukharev, beating the 5.60 by European runner-up Grigoriy Yegorov.

To a certain degree, Wolfgang Schmidt was able to avenge his third place in the European Championships by throwing 65.90 to defeat the two higher placers from Split Jurgen Schult (fourth in 62.39) and Erik de Bruin (fifth in 62.28).

By way of a small upset, the 400 metres produced a bit of excitement. After David Kitur of Kenya had won the B race in 47.16, brother Samson came from behind impressively during the last 100 metres of the A race to win in 45.08, defeating Andrew Valmon and Jens Carlowitz, in 45.56 and 45.57, respectively. World champion Thomas Schoenlebe, visibly tired after Split, was last in 46.91.

Just for the record, it should be noted that Julius Kariuki led yet another Kenyan sweep in the steeplechase. This time, the Olympic champion's 8:25.76 took the measure of Johnston Kipkoech (8:26.42) and William Mutwol (8:26.52).

In a similar fashion, after a languid pace by the usually dependable Ken Washington, Nourredine Morceli outlegged his pursuers in the 1,500 metres for a 3:36.78 win over Abdi Bile (3:37.56), Split bad-boy Hauke Fuhlbrugge (3:37.76), and Tony Morrell (3:38.48). Steve Crabb was sixth in 3:40.08.

RESULTS

Men

100(+0.80): 1, C Smith (USA) 10.28; 2, E Tuffour (GHA) 10.42; 3, D Council (USA) 10.46; 4, S Bringmann (GDR) 10.48; 5, G Gikonyo (KEN) 10.51; 6, S Floyd (USA) 10.55; 7, D Schweisfurth (FRG) 10.70.

200(+0.30): 1, Smith 20.81; 2, Gikonyo 20.82; 3, N Dobelet (FRG) 21.19; 4, T Weber (FRG) 21.73.

400: 1, S Kitur (KEN) 45.08; 2, A Valmon (USA) 45.56; 3, J Carlowitz (GDR) 45.57; 4, K Just (FRG) 46.41; 5, T Schoenlebe (GDR) 46.91.

800: 1, J Barbosa (BRA) 1:44.84; 2, R Abdenouz (ALG) 1:45.90; 3, J Delmel (FRG) 1:47.24; 4, M Assmann (FRG) 1:48.96.

1,500: 1, N Morceli (ALG) 3:36.78; 2, A Bile (SOM) 3:37.56; 3, H Fuhlbrugge (GDR) 3:37.56; 4, TONY MORRELL 3:38.48; 5, J Spivey (USA) 3:39.94; 6, STEVE CRABB 3:40.08; 7, B Zorko (YUG) 3:40.22; 8, M Corstjens (BEL) 3:41.04; 9, M Laachal (MAR) 3:41.06; 10, J Aden (SOM) 3:41.33; 11, M Kiptanui (KEN) 3:42.00; 12, B Brahmia (ALG) 3:43.06; 13, I Boegh (DEN) 3:43.75; 14, H Kulker (HOL) 3:44.30; 15, M Busch (FRG) 3:45.24.

5,000: 1, J Kniuthia (KEN) 13:40.61; 2, C Adan (ESP) 13:41.61; 3, A Jimenez (ESP) 13:42.71; 4, M Pingpank (FRG) 13:44.21;



FAST FINISH: Ngugi clocked 13:27.9 for the last 5,000

make a splash



SPEAR WIN: Hill took the javelin honours

5, B Buerger (FRG) 15:50.29; 6, K Jenkel (SUI) 15:53.22; 7, R Wijns (BEL) 15:56.70; 8, J Kurrass (GDR) 14:02.83.

10,000: 1, J Ngugi (KEN) 27:19.15 (Commonwealth record); 2, R Vera (ECU) 28:21.38; 3, C Leuprecht (ITA) 28:22.48 (European Junior record); 4, H

Roethel (AUT) 29:33.67; 5, M Souhaier (FRG) 30:00.48; 6, U Honsdorf (FRG) 30:48.68.

3,000SC: 1, J Kariuki (KEN) 8:25.76; 2, J Kipkoech (KEN) 8:26.42; 3, W Murwol (KEN) 8:26.52; 4, B Le Strum (FRA) 8:27.38; 5, J Korir (KEN) 8:27.62; 6, A

Sahere (MAR) 8:29.22; 7, B Maminski (POL) 8:30.58; 8, P Barkutwo (KEN) 8:32.20; 9, H Metzner (GDR) 8:32.90; 10, M Boinett (KEN) 8:33.20; 11, M Biriz (KEN) 8:33.46; 12, H Karl (FRG) 8:33.68; 13, N Wildner (FRG) 8:33.90; 14, M Strege (FRG) 8:34.12; 15, A Fischer (FRG) 8:36.34; 16, P Troldborg (DEN); 17, W Fritz (AUT) 8:37.34; 18, K Bauernmeister (FRG) 8:51.18; 19, T Spiegelsberger (FRG) 8:58.32.

400H: 1, N Page (USA) 49.45; 2, H Amike (NGR) 49.77; 3, K Henderson (USA) 49.82; 4, U Schaller (FRG) 51.18; 5, M Gruen (FRG) 51.34; 6, M Nasser (QAT) 54.07.

HJ: 1, R Sonn (FRG) 2.25; 2, B Brown (USA) 2.20; 3, D Burton (USA) 2.15; 4, C Thranhardt (FRG) 2.10; 5, K Getek (FRG) 2.10.

PV: 1, G Sucharev (URS) 5.70; 2, G Yegorov (URS) 5.60; 3, B Zintl (FRG) 5.40; 4, I Tandakov (URS); 5, C Pietz (GDR) 5.20; 6eq, D Wicks (USA) K Atzbacher (FRG) 5.20; 8, H Erdle (FRG) 5.00; 9, L Lohr (USA) 5.00.

IJ: 1, L Starks (USA) 7.77; 2, G Vernon (USA) 7.65; 3, V Ratushkov (URS) 7.62; 4, M Gombala (TCH) 7.60; 5, A Bub (FRG) 7.28; 6, W Schneider (FRG) 7.27; 7, A Dimmel (FRG) 7.26; 8, I Krsek (TCH) 7.05.

JT: 1, MICK HILL 80.14; 2, S Lepik (URS) 78.06; 3, G Weiss (GDR) 76.46; 4, A Linden (FRG) 75.62; 5, R Hecht (GDR) 74.22; 6, D Michel (GDR) 73.70; 7, J

Reimann (GDR) 73.46; 8, P Lefevre (FRA) 73.22.

Women:

100: 1, H Drechsler (GDR) 11.14; 2, M Finn (USA) 11.20; 3, E Ashford (USA) 11.26; 4, G Malchugina (URS) 11.33; 5, K Behrendt (GDR) 11.40; 6, G Jackson (JAM) 11.50.

200(NI): 1, Jackson 22.79; 2, S Gunther (GDR) 22.96; 3, S Knoll (FRG) 23.06; 4, D Young (USA) 23.42; 5, L Leatherwood (USA) 23.93; 6, K Janke (FRG) 24.40.

800: 1, I Gurina (URS) 2:00.37; 2, S Kitova (URS) 2:00.91; 3, M Rainey (USA) 2:01.77; 4, G Lesch (FRG) 2:02.79; 5, L Vriesde (HOL) 2:02.17; 6, E Kiessling (GDR) 2:02.31.

3,000: 1, Y Romanova (URS) 8:52.57; 2, S Sirna (KEN) 9:00.75; 3, R Kotovich (URS) 9:01.85; 4, G Schwarzbauer (FRG) 9:05.67; 5, C Metzner (FRG) 9:06.45; 6, A Schaening (GDR) 9:06.51.

400H: 1, T Ledovskaya (URS) 56.05; 2, E Fiedler (GDR) 56.53; 3, U Heinz (FRG) 56.82; 4, N Bidouane (MAR) 57.14; 5, Z Macharkova (TCH) 58.09; 6, N Vallecilla (ECU) 59.49.

HJ: 1, Y Yefesina (URS) 1.94; 2, V Gotovskaya (URS) 1.91; 3, U Denning (URS) 1.80; 4, R Pagan (USA) 1.80.

SP: 1, A Kumbernuss (GDR) 20.21; 2, N Lisovskaya (URS) 19.71; 3, K Neimke (GDR) 19.63; 4, C Wiese (GDR) 19.17; 5, G Hammer (GDR) 18.31; 6, R Pagan (USA) 18.28.

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