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6.4. Orangeburg, 100y: Gilkes 9.1w, 6.4. Wichita, 100y/220y: Lutz 9.2w/20.7w; LJ: Seay 8.10/26.7w. 6.4. Tucson, 100y: (+ 0.9m) Garpenborg (Swe) 9.2 (European rec), Stewart (Iam) 9.3; 220y: (+ 1.4m) Reid (Tri) 20.7. 6.4. Westwood, LJ: (windy) Hardeman 7.96/26.11; Williams 7.90/25.11; (B) Herndon 7.96/26.11; TJ: Taylor 16.29/53.51; 6.4. Long Beach, 440y: S. Williams 46.9; SP: Feuerbach 21.27/69.91; DT: Powell 64.52/211.8; women's JT: Schmidt 58.34/191.5; 6.4. Los Angeles, TJ: Tiff 16.46/54.0; 6.4. Northridge, 220y: Edwards 20.5w, 6.4. San Jose, 120yH: Ngono (Ken) 13.9w; LJ: (windy) Davis 7.88/25.104; Delamere (NZ) 7.83/25.8; 6.4. Tempe, 10: Underwood 2.21/7.3; DT: Pecar (Yug) 60.00/196.10; 12/13.4. Austin, 440y: Jones 45.2, Peoples 45.8, Bolding 46.0, Schultz 46.2; Mile: Slack 3:59.7, Cummings 4:00.2; 120yH: Stubbs 13.3, Gipson 13.4, Roland 13.6; 440yH: Lee 50.4; HT: Owens 2.18/7.2; LJ: Owens (Gha) 7.86/25.91; SP: Feuerbach 21.37/70.11; Woods 3 fouls; (B) LeDuc 19.73/64.81; Arhenius (Swe) 19.63/64.5; Dolegiewitz (Can) 19.26/63.21; 4 x 440y: Baylor and Texas Southern 3:06.6; 13.4. San Jose, 100y/220y: Lawson (Jama) 9.3w/20.7w; 13.4. Los Angeles, 440y: Parks 45.8, Brown 45.8; Mile: Gels 3:58.9; PV: Trancanti (Fra) 5.19/17.01; LJ: Herndon 7.92/25.111; 3000SC: Lathers 8:38.4; 13/14.4. Westwood, Dec: Evans 7938.

ITA GROUP VISITS TOKYO

The International Track Association professional group moved outdoors for the first time with a meeting in Tokyo's Olympic Stadium on April 6th/7th. There were 19,000 spectators the first day, 34,000 the second and they welcomed back two Olympic champions from 1964, Bob Hayes and Wyomia Simburg (née Tyus). Australian Chris Fisher ended Ben Jipcho's run of ten professional victories by outkicking him in a 4:04.3 mile after the Kenyan had run a 3:40.7 1500m the previous day.

22.3. Oklahoma City, (Indoors) 60y: Edmonson 6.0; 300y: John Smith (pro debut) 32.0; 440y: James 47.5, Evans 47.3; 880y: Wottle 1:51.1, Fisher (Aus) 1:51.2; Mile: Jipcho (Ken) 4:02.7, Ryan 4:04.8; 2M: Howe 8:45.6; 5, Keino (Ken) 9:13.4; 60yH: Milburn 4.8; HT: Radetich 2.13/7.0; PV: Smith 5.38/17.8; Seagren 4.87/16.0; LJ: Hines 7.75/25.51; SP: DeBernardi 20.93/68.8; Matson 20.66/67.91; Salb 20.53/67.41; Oldfield 20.10/65.111; women's 60y: Simburg 6.6; 29.3. San Francisco, (Indoors) 60y/300y: Carlos 6.0/31.4; 300y: James 36.9; 1000y: Fisher 2:11.3; Mile: Jipcho 4:04.3, Ryan 4:04.3, Wottle 4:05.2; 2M: Jipcho 8:53.4; 60yH: Milburn 7.0; HT: Radetich 2.18/7.2; PV: Williamson 5.18/17.0; Smith 5.18, Seagren 5.18; LJ: Hines 7.87/25.92; SP: DeBernardi 20.78/68.2; Matson 20.67/67.10; Salb 20.61/67.71; Oldfield 19.81/65.0; women's 60y: Simburg 6.6.

6.4. Tokyo, 30y: Hayes 5.1; 100m: Carlos 10.7, Ravelomanantsoa (Malag) 10.7; 400m: James

46.1, Edmonson 46.5, Matthews 45.7, Alexander 46.8, Evans 48.3, Smith 48.9; 800m: Fisher 1:50.3; 1500m: Jipcho 3:40.7, Wottle 3:41.3, Ryan 3:45.2; 3000m: Benson (Aus) 14:17.6; 4, Keino 14:33.4; 110mH: Milburn 13.9; HT: Radetich 2.17/7.11; PV: Smith 5.20/17.01; Phillips, Seagren, Williamson and Heglar 5.05/16.61; LJ: Hines 7.94/26.04; SP: DeBernardi 20.27/66.6; Oldfield 19.70/64.74; Salb 19.65/64.54; women's 200m: Simburg 24.7; 7.4. Tokyo, 200m: Carlos 20.9; 300m: Edmonson 32.7, Matthews 33.0, James 33.1; 800m: Wottle 1:51.8, Ryan 1:51.9; Mile: Fisher 4:04.3, Jipcho 4:04.7, Benson 4:07.5, Keino 4:08.2; 5000m: Jipcho 14:07.6; 110mH: Milburn 13.9; HT: Caruthers 2.16/7.1; PV: Seagren 5.40/17.84; Williamson 5.30/17.43; LJ: Hines 7.91/25.111; SP: DeBernardi 20.85/68.41; Salb 20.65/67.9; Oldfield 20.42/67.0; women's 100m: Simburg 11.8.

AUSTRALIA

29-31.3. Melbourne, (Australian Men's Champ held on brand-new Chevron track) 100m: (headwind) Haskell 10.6, Hopkins 10.6, Weinberg 10.7; 200: (=4.6m) Richard Hopkins 19) 20.4, Lewis 20.5, Fitzgerald 20.5; 400: Steve Gee (best of 51.3 at start of season) 47.1, Mitchell 47.3, Higham 47.7; 800: Watson 1:48.0, Hooker 1:48.3, Crouch 1:48.8; 1500: Randal Markey 3:40.6, Pentecost 3:42.7, Hall 3:43.3; 3000: Fitzsimons 13:49.6, Nee (USA) 14:03.0, Scott 14:09.0; 10,000: Scott 29:47.0 (14:10 at 5000), Little 29:34.4, Samuonetti 30:14.2; 3000SC: P. Langford 8:44.8, Taggart 8:47.8, Hendy 8:51.4; 110H: (headwind) Farr 13.9, Binnington 13.9, Plant 14.0, M. Baird 14.1; 400H: Field 50.9, Grant 51.9, Green 52.0; HT: Peckham 2.13/6.114; Windy 2.13, Donald 2.03/6.8; PV: Boyd 3.00/16.41; Stewart 4.52/14.11; Huddle (17) 4.25/13.111; LJ: C. Commons 7.67/25.2; Davidson 7.56/24.91; Tolbert 7.43/24.4; TJ: McGrath 15.66/51.21; May 15.26/50.04; Wood 15.09/49.61; SP: Barry 17.31/56.91; Brown 16.10/52.10; Martin 14.88/48.10; DT: Priman 48.04/157.7; Vlahov 47.90/157.2; Lunn 47.82/56.11; HT: Puopolo 58.16/190.10; Mullins 53.38/175.1; Jakoncic 53.14/174.4; JT: Birks 71.20/233.77; Rohkammer 68.74/225.6; Lawler 65.00/213.3; Doc: Latu (Tonga) 71.39, Benton 67.34, Mene (NZ) 66.09; 4 x 100: Victoria 40.3; 3000 Walk: Haywood 12:55.6, P. Pullinger 12:58.0, Cox 13:11.0, (Juniors) 100: Richard James 10.1 (rec), Leo Holtestelle (17) 10.4; 200: 600: Holtestelle 21.3/46.9; 800: Hogarth 1:49.7, Eaton 1:50.0; 1500: Potts 3:49.8; 1500SC: Hall 4:11.1, Gardner 4:11.2; 110H (39) 400H: Benanko 14.3/54.4; 3000W: Nugent 13:27.6; HT: Laurie Sayers (16) 2.05/6.81; PV: Stewart 4.15/13.71; LJ: Hanson 7.54/24.9; TJ: D. Commons 15.03/49.91; SP (12lb): Barber 16.03/52.71; DT (1.5kg): Wynhowen 47.84/156.11; HT (12lb): Geoff Farmer 58.72/192.8.

Yuriy Sedykh (18) of the USSR has set a world junior hammer best of 70.86/232.6.

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LEADING WORLD PERFORMERS 1974

(As at May 21st)

100 METRES

(*100y time plus 0.9)

- 9.9* Crockett (USA)
 9.9w Fall (Senegal)
 10.0w R. Jones (USA)
 10.0w Garpenborg (Sweden)
 10.1* Gilkes (Guyana)
 10.1* Dill (USA)
 10.1* Merrick (USA)
 10.1w 10 men

200 METRES

(*200y time less 0.1)

- 20.1 Quarrie (Jamaica)
 20.2w Lutz (USA)
 20.4* Burton (USA)
 20.4w Hopkins (Australia)
 20.4w Edwards (USA) (20.5*)
 20.5* Connolly (USA)
 20.5* Brown (USA)
 20.5w Lewis (Australia)
 20.5w Fitzgerald (Australia)
 20.5w J. Pouncy (USA)
 20.5w R. Jones (USA)
 Top European:
 20.88 MONK (UK)

400 METRES

(*440y time less 0.3)

- 44.9* L. Jones (USA)
 45.0 Brijdenbach (Bel)
 45.52 Juantorena (Cuba)
 45.5* Parks (USA)
 45.5* B. Brown (USA)
 45.5* Oliver (USA)
 45.5* Peoples (USA)
 45.7 Asati (Kenya)
 45.7 Koskei (Kenya)
 45.7 Ayoo (Uganda)

800 METRES

(*880y time less 0.7)

- 1:43.9 Kipkurgat (Kenya)
 1:44.4 Boit (Kenya)
 1:44.9 Walker (NZ)
 1:45.3 Bayi (Tanzania)
 1:45.5 Malan (S Africa)
 1:45.6 CARTER (UK)
 1:46.1* Wohlhuter (USA)
 1:46.2 Omwanza (Kenya)
 1:46.3 LEWIS (UK)
 1:46.3 Watson (Australia)

1500 METRES

(*mile time less 18.0)

- 3:32.2 Bayi (Tanzania)
 3:32.5 Walker (NZ)
 3:33.2 Jipcho (Kenya)
 3:33.9 Dixon (NZ)
 3:34.2 Crouch (Australia)
 3:35.2* Waldrop (USA)
 3:36.8 Boit (Kenya)
 3:37.0* Fikes (USA)
 3:37.2 van Zijl (S Africa)
 3:37.3 Malan (S Africa)

Top European:

3:37.6 FOSTER (UK)

5000 METRES

(*3M time plus 28.0)

- 13:14.4 Jipcho (Kenya)
 13:14.6 FOSTER (UK)
 13:23.6 BLACK (UK)
 13:23.8* Geis (USA)
 13:24.4 Quax (NZ)
 13:24.6 Puttemans (Belgium)
 13:28.8 BEDFORD (UK)
 13:29.0* Ngeno (Kenya)
 13:31.2 Bonzet (S Africa)
 13:34.2i Yifter (Ethiopia)

10,000 METRES

(*6M time plus 60.0)

- 27:43.6 Prefontaine (USA)
 27:46.4 Taylor (NZ)
 27:48.6 BLACK (UK)
 27:57.0 Juma (Kenya)
 28:14.8 BEDFORD (UK)
 28:14.8 Shaughnessy (Canada)
 28:17.2 I. STEWART (UK)
 28:20.4* Ngeno (Kenya)
 28:28.6 SIMMONS (UK)

MARATHON

- 2:09:12 THOMPSON (UK)
 2:11:19 Foster (NZ)
 2:12:47 le Grange (S Africa)
 2:12:54 Mabuza (Swaziland)
 2:12:59 Manners (NZ)
 2:13:04 Hamada (Japan)
 2:13:24 Usami (Japan)
 2:13:39 Cusack (Ireland)
 2:13:40 Hattori (Japan)
 2:14:04 Farrington (Australia)

3000 METRES STEEPCHASE

- 8:20.8 Jipcho (Kenya)
 8:23.2 D. Brown (USA)
 8:24.8 DAVIES (UK)
 8:28.6 Mogaka (Kenya)
 8:29.6 BICOURT (UK)
 8:32.0 Fava (Italy)
 8:35.2 Robertson (NZ)
 8:36.2 HAYWARD (UK)

110 METRES HURDLES

- 13.1w Drut (France) (13.6)
 13.1w Shipp (USA) (13.4)
 13.3 Rich (USA)
 13.3w Stubbs (USA)
 13.4w Smith (Bahamas)
 13.4w Gipson (USA)
 13.5 Coleman (USA)
 13.5 Martin (USA)
 13.5w Roland (USA)

400 METRES HURDLES

(*440y time less 0.3)

- 48.83 PASCOE (UK)
 49.32 Field (Australia)
 49.34 Koskei (Kenya)
 49.3* Bolding (USA)
 49.63 Kimaiyo (Kenya)
 49.9* Williams (USA)

50.0 Myburgh (S Africa)

50.02 Sibi (Kenya)

50.1* Lee (USA)

50.20 HARTLEY (UK)

HIGH JUMP

- 2.24i Stoner (USA)
 2.23i Torring (Denmark)
 2.23i Sapka (USSR)
 2.23i Budalov (USSR)
 2.22i Woods (USA)
 2.22i Abramov (USSR)
 2.21i Underwood (USA)
 2.21i Fleer (USA)
 2.21i Jankunis (USA)
 2.21i Gavrilov (USSR)
 2.21i Del Forno (Italy)
 2.21i Lumi (USSR)
 2.21i Senyukov (USSR)
 2.21i Kelemen (Hungary)
 2.21i Maly (Czechoslovakia)

POLE VAULT

- 5.40i Dionisi (Italy)
 5.38i Dias (USA)
 5.38i Isakov (USSR)
 5.37i Trofimenko (USSR)
 5.36i Carrigan (USA)
 5.36i Isaksson (Sweden)
 5.36i Slover (USA)
 5.36i Staszewski (Poland)
 5.36i Kishkun (USSR)
 5.36i Krivosub (USSR)

LONG JUMP

- 8.27w Proctor (USA) (8.09)
 8.17i Bonhome (France)
 8.15w Seay (USA)
 8.10i Baumgartner (W Germany)
 8.08w Bolin (USA)
 8.03i Klaus (E Germany)
 8.02w Lanier (USA)
 8.01i Wartenberg (E Germany)
 8.00i Cybulski (Poland)

TRIPLE JUMP

- 17.03i Joachimowski (Poland)
 17.01w Perez (Cuba) (16.83)
 16.88i Bariban (USSR)
 16.82i Ehtezazi (Nigeria)
 16.82w Tiff (USA)
 16.79w Craft (USA)
 16.76 Taylor (USA)
 16.73i Sanyev (USSR)

SHOT

- 22.02i Woods (USA)
 21.44i Feuerbach (USA)
 21.35 Semkiw (USA)
 21.03i Albritton (USA)
 20.95i CAPES (UK)
 20.87i Rothenburg (E Germany)
 20.60i Hoglund (Sweden)
 20:53i Stuart (USA)

DISCUS

- 68.04 van Rooyen (S Africa)
 65.46 Bruch (Sweden)
 64.52 Powell (USA)

63.08 Tait (NZ)
62.86 Wilkins (USA)
61.90 Driescher (USA)
61.42 TANCRED (UK)
61.42 Penzlov (USSR)

HAMMER

72.32 Dmatryenkov (USSR)
72.10 Korolyev (USSR)
70.86 Sodykh (USSR)
70.24 Huming (W Germany)
70.14 Farmer (Australia)
70.12 Klein (W Germany)
70.00 Bondarchuk (USSR)
69.90 Barnard (S Africa)
69.76 PAYNE (UK)
69.56 CHIPCHASE (UK)

JAVELIN

84.92 CLOYVER (UK)
82.66 Luke (USA)
82.58 Grebnev (USSR)
82.32 Schnell (S Africa)
82.16 Chupilko (USSR)
81.88 Tagov (W Germany)
81.78 Wolfmann (W Germany)
81.22 TRAVIS (UK)

DECATHLON

1240 Janner (USA)
7939 Bennett (USA)
7938 Evans (USA)
1878 Le Roy (France)
7864 Samuels (USA)
7842 Gough (USA)
7842 Bogdan (Romania)
7830 Dixon (USA)

20 KILOMETRES WALK

1:27:00 Stadtmüller (E Germany)
1:27:01 Zuehner (E Germany)
1:27:49 Frenkel (E Germany)
1:28:02 Ivchenko (USSR)
1:28:11 Forian (Hungary)
1:28:28 Zambardo (Italy)
1:29:00 Alfaro (Colombia)

50 KILOMETRES WALK

3:52:53 Hohne (E Germany)
3:58:15 Lyungin (USSR)
3:59:57 Selzer (E Germany)
4:00:20 Grigoryev (USSR)
4:03:00 Bondarenko (USSR)
4:07:06 Skornitski (E Germany)
4:07:30 Weidner (W Germany)
4:06:25 Agulais (USSR)
4:06:31 Turitzner (USSR)

WOMEN**100 METRES**

(*100y time plus 0.9)
10.9w LYNCH (UK) (11.31)
11.0w Tellier (France)
11.0w Boyle (Australia) (11.27)
11.0w Robertson (Australia)
11.1w Henderson (USA)
11.2w Lamy (Australia)

200 METRES

22.50 Boyle (Australia)
22.73 Robertson (Australia)
22.90 Annum (Ghana)

22.9 Lamy (Australia)
23.0 van Straaten (S Africa)
23.1 Sargent (Australia)
23.13 Bailey (Canada)
23.1w Witten (W Germany)
23.1w LYNCH (UK)
23.1w Tellier (France)

400 METRES

51.67 Saunders (Canada)
51.94 BERNARD (UK)
52.08 Rendina (Australia)
52.17 van Straaten (S Africa)
52.27 Penton (Cuba)
52.44 Ilyina (USSR)
52.64 Pavlicic (Yugoslavia)
52.71 Dietrich (E Germany)

800 METRES

(*800y time less 0.8)
2:01.1 Rendina (Australia)
2:01.57 Decker (USA)
2:02.0 Haden (NZ)
2:02.41 Katolic (Poland)
2:02.51 Eidenberger (W Germany)
2:02.6 Chibichi (Kenya)
2:02.64 Hoffmann (E Germany)
2:03.1 ALLISON (UK)

1500 METRES

4:07.8 Reiser (Canada)
4:10.7 ALLISON (UK)
4:11.0 Petrova (Bulgaria)
4:11.34 Krebs (E Germany)
4:12.21 Larrieu (USA)
4:12.3 Wright (Canada)
4:13.1 S. van Zyl (S Africa)
4:14.51 Kazachkova (USSR)
4:14.7 STEWART (UK)

3000 METRES

9:02.41 Larrieu (USA)
9:14.01 Bragina (USSR)
9:15.21 Bondarchuk (USSR)
9:15.6 S. van Zyl (S Africa)

100 METRES HURDLES

17.9w VERNON (UK)
13.1w Antenen (Switzerland)
13.2 van Rensburg (S Africa)
13.2 de Lange (S Africa)
13.2 Johnson (USA)
13.3 Dell (Australia)
13.31 Nowak (Poland)

400 METRES HURDLES

58.9 de Lange (S Africa)
1.92 Kirst (E Germany)
1.98 Witschur (E Germany)
1.99 Karbanova (Czech)
1.99 Popescu (Romania)
1.87 Rudolf (Hungary)
1.86 Galica (USSR)
1.85 Iovan (Romania)
1.84 LAWTON (UK)
1.84 Hundley (USA)
1.84 van Laar (Netherlands)

LONG JUMP

6.69 Antenen (Switzerland)
6.68 Schmalbeck (E Germany)
6.31 MARTIN-JONES (UK)
6.30 Oshikoya (Nigeria)

6.48 Garbey (Cuba)
6.46 Nixon (Australia)
6.46 Nygrynova (Czech)
6.46 Thon (E Germany)

SHOT

20.75 Fibingerova (Czech)
20.62 Chizhova (USSR)
19.70 Adam (E Germany)
19.23 Khristova (Bulgaria)
19.16 Ivanova (USSR)
19.06 Karshevskaya (USSR)
18.84 Melnik (USSR)

DISCUS

64.24 Menis (Romania)
58.94 Vergova (Bulgaria)
56.78 Varga (Hungary)
55.00 Roberts (Australia)
55.76 Hain (Canada)
54.84 PAYNE (UK)

JAVELIN

61.62 Schmidt (USA)
60.75 Janko (Austria)
59.50 Motreva (Bulgaria)
58.10 Koloska (W Germany)
56.58 Becker (W Germany)
56.18 Cannon (USA)

PENTATHLON

446/4 Thon (E Germany)
443/3 PETERS (UK)
442/3 Oshikoya (Nigeria)
434/4 Popovskaya (USSR)
431/4 Müller (E Germany)
423/6 WILSON (UK)

LEADING 'PRO' MARKS

200: 20.3⁴ Carlos; 400: 45.2⁸
Edmondson; 45.5⁸ James; 800:
2.21 Raulstich; PV: 5.59 Smith;
5.49 Seagren; 5.38 Williamson;
LJ: 8.02 Hines; SP: 21.42 De-
Bernardi; 21.47 Matson; 21.2
Oldfield; 20.86 Salt; Women's
100: 11.2⁸ Sunburg (all USA).

METRIC CONVERSION**CHECKLIST**

1.80 = 1'10"¹, 1.90 = 6'2"¹
2.00 = 6'6"¹, 2.10 = 6'10"¹
2.20 = 7'2"¹, 2.30 = 7'6"¹
3.00 = 16'4"¹, 3.10 = 16'8"¹
3.20 = 17'0"¹, 3.30 = 17'4"¹
3.40 = 17'8"¹, 3.50 = 18'0"¹
4.00 = 16'4"¹, 4.10 = 16'8"¹
4.20 = 20'4"¹, 4.30 = 21'0"¹
4.40 = 21'8"¹, 4.50 = 22'2"¹
4.60 = 24'11"¹, 4.70 = 25'7"¹
4.80 = 26'3"¹, 4.90 = 26'11"¹
5.00 = 27'6"¹, 5.10 = 28'2"¹
5.20 = 29'2"¹, 5.30 = 29'8"¹
5.40 = 30'11"¹, 5.50 = 31'1"¹
5.60 = 32'5"¹, 5.70 = 33'1"¹
5.80 = 34'6"¹, 5.90 = 35'2"¹
6.00 = 36'10"¹, 6.10 = 37'2"¹
6.20 = 38'10"¹, 6.30 = 39'2"¹
6.40 = 40'10"¹, 6.50 = 41'2"¹
6.60 = 42'10"¹, 6.70 = 43'2"¹
6.80 = 44'10"¹, 6.90 = 45'2"¹
7.00 = 46'10"¹, 7.10 = 47'2"¹
7.20 = 48'10"¹, 7.30 = 49'2"¹
7.40 = 50'10"¹, 7.50 = 51'2"¹
7.60 = 52'10"¹, 7.70 = 53'2"¹
7.80 = 54'10"¹, 7.90 = 55'2"¹
8.00 = 56'10"¹, 8.10 = 57'2"¹
8.20 = 58'10"¹, 8.30 = 59'2"¹
8.40 = 60'10"¹, 8.50 = 61'2"¹
8.60 = 62'10"¹, 8.70 = 63'2"¹
8.80 = 64'10"¹, 8.90 = 65'2"¹
9.00 = 66'10"¹, 9.10 = 67'2"¹
9.20 = 68'10"¹, 9.30 = 69'2"¹
9.40 = 70'10"¹, 9.50 = 71'2"¹
9.60 = 72'10"¹, 9.70 = 73'2"¹
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OVERSEAS NEWS — Compiled by Bob Sparks

EUROPE: World Walking Records Soon Broken

BERND KANNENBERG, Olympic champion and holder of the world best for 50km road walk, made short work at Kassel on May 11th of Peter Frenkel's pending world records for 2 hours and 30km, established only four weeks previously. Kannenberg added 223m to the 2 hours record with 27,133m (16M 1535y), and completed 30km in 2:12:58 compared with the East German's 2:14:21.2. The currently ratified marks are 26,911m (16M 1270y) and 2:14:45.6, set by Karl-Heinz Stadtmüller two years ago.

Kannenberg passed 5km in 21:58.8, 10km in 44:50.2 (as against 44:22.0 by Frenkel during his

record), 15km in 1:06:02.8, 20km in 1:28:08.6 (compared with Frenkel's 1:28:10.0) and 25km in 1:50:22.0. He covered the 5km segments in 21:58.8, 22:01.4, 22:02.6, 22:05.8, 22:13.4 and 22:16.0.

Perhaps the most surprising performance to date this season in Europe is Jesper Tørring's Danish high jump record of 2.23/7'31". Tørring was primarily known as a hurdler and long jumper (holding the Danish records with 13.9 and 7.80/25'74"), but his switch to the high jump had already brought him success at the recent European Indoor championships, where he was a somewhat unnoticed fourth with 2.17/7'14". Competing in a league match at Århus on May 12th, he equalled this height to beat his own outdoor record of 2.16, then continued with clearances at 2.19, 2.21 and 2.23. This latter, besides being the best outdoor mark of the year, constitutes a new Nordic record, the previous record being 2.22/7'31" held by Janne Dahlgrén of Sweden.

Alfons Brijdenbach (19), the European Junior champion, moved to third place on the European all-time list when he clocked 45.0 for 400 in Brussels on May 15th, a race held in conjunction with the European Cup soccer final. The Belgian reached the 200 mark in 21.0 and won by a dozen metres from West Germany's Horst-Rüdiger Schlotke (46.5).

USSR

21.3, **Brus Litovsk**, JT: Grebzyev 82.58/270'11". 31.3, **Frume**, Women's SP: Masaryk 17.66/57'111". 3.4, **Zaporozhe**, HT: Dmitriyenko 22.16/72'6". 7.4, **Alushta**, HT: Yuriy Sedykh 20.86/232'6" (world juv. rec.).

SWEDEN

3.5, **Malmö**, DT: Bruch 64.46/211'6".

DENMARK

5.5, **Copenhagen**, SP: Lindskjöld 19.72/64'81" (rec). 12.5, **Århus**, HT: Tørring 2.23/7'31" (rec).

RUMANIA

4/5.5, **Pitești**, 100: Petrescu 10.3; 400: Vaxile 46.8; 800: Ghisu 1:48.3; HT: Stan 68.64/225'2" (rec); women's DT: Menia 64.24/210'9".

GREECE

6.4, **Athens**, Mar: IAN THOMPSON 2:13:30.2, MAX COLEBY 2:18:49.8, Carlie (USA) 2:22:40, Hatos (Rum) 2:23:28, Tsingimatos 2:24:48, 4, Akna (Tur) 2:30:23, Akcay (Tur) retired at 32km; SP: Louca (Cyp) 18.49.

FRANCE

3.5, **Nice**, 100: Robaglia 10.3, 5.5, **Colombes**, 110H: (+ 3.0m) Deut 13.1; LJ: Fautet 7.77/25'6" w. 5.5, **Clermont-Ferrand**, 400H: Nallet 52.5.

BOB SPARKS TAKES OVER

After 17 years of compiling the overseas news for 'AW' I am standing down in order to find more time to write other features for the magazine. It is with great pleasure that I introduce my successor as overseas news editor, Bob Sparks.

Bob Sparks (M) is one of the world's foremost authorities on athletic performance. A founder member of the NUTS and now its chairman, he is on the executive committee of the Association of Track & Field Statisticians and has been the AAA's honorary statistician since 1969. He has edited numerous NUTS annuals, compiled the officially recognised Metric Conversion Tables, and acted as UK correspondent to the West German weekly, 'Leichtathletik', since 1958. He has been an announcer at national and international level for over a decade, including the position of co-announcer at the 1973 European Cup Final.

A computer programmer at British Petroleum, Bob says his interest in athletics was first kindled by McDonald Bailey on August 26th 1951. He ran for London at the All-England Schools Championships in 1956; best marks of 10.4 for 100y, 23.2 for 220y, 6.33/20'91" for long jump while at school, but retired—apart from occasional attempts at the NUTS pentathlon championship—on entering college. He was a member of Polytechnic Harriers. His principal interests at the moment centre round photo-finish timekeeping and revised decathlon/pentathlon scoring tables.

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Jansky (Cz) 28:33.0; 5. P. Andreyev 28:33.2; 6. Sharafetdinov 28:37.6; 3000SC: 3. Grigas 8:33.4; 4. Lisovsky 8:34.0; 20kmW: Vavilov 1:28.32; Golubnichy 1:29.26; 30kmW: Barch 2:19.01; Lyungin 2:20.10; Women's 800: 2. Morgunova 2:03.8; 3. Sofiyina 2:04.1; 1500: 2. Kazachkova 4:14.9; 3. Pangelova 4:15.6; DT: 3. Gorbachova 58:10/190'7"; SP: 3. Ivanova 18:26/59'11"; 4. Koroblyova 17:52/58'94"; 22/23.6. Tallian. Dec: Pihl (Swe) 7937 (JT: 79.60/261'2"); Tolmachov 7658. 6/77.7. Moscow. Dec: Ziger 7903, Grebenyuk 7884, Blinyayev 7794, Litvinenko 7721; Women's Pent: N. Tkachenko 4622, Spasovkhodskaya 4392. 7.7. Klaipeda (Lithuania). Mar: Velikodnykh 2:15.27, Laptayev 2:15.58, Strelts 2:16.06; 50kmW: Bondarenko 4:00.00, Barch 4:00.54, Soldatenko 4:01.54, Lyungin 4:06.28, Grigoryev 4:06.29, Yevsyukov 4:06.50. 15.7. Stavropol DT: Penzikov 65.22/214'0" (rec).

23-26.7. Moscow. (Soviet Champs) 100 (b): Borzov 10.2, Kornelyuk 10.3, Silovs 10.3; 200 (d): Borzov 21.0, Zhidkikh 21.1; 400 (c): Nosenko 46.4, Yurchenko 46.5; 800 (b): Chernyshov 1:48.6, Litovchenko 1:48.6; 1500 (d): Aksinin 3:42.5, Panteley 3:42.6; 5000 (c): Zhelezovskiy 13:42.0, Abdulin 13:42.4, B. Kuznetsov 13:42.8, Zatonitskiy 13:43.0, Ibraimov 13:43.8; 10,000 (a): Zotov 28:33.0, Puklakov 28:33.8, Merkushev 28:34.4; 3000SC (d): Skripka 8:26.6, Grigas 8:27.4, Lisovsky 8:27.8, Mayorov 8:30.6, Filonov 8:31.8; 110H (d): Myasnikov 13.8, Pereverzev 13.9; 400H (c): Gavrilenko 49.7, Karasyov 50.2, Stukalov 50.5, Svedorov 50.6; HJ (b): Sapka 2.23/7'34", Abramov 2.21/7'3", Skurichev 2.19/7'21", Bolshov 2.16/7'11", PV (c): Kishkun 5.35/17'64", Isakov 5.30/17'41", Boyko 5.20/17'01", LJ (b): Podluzhnyy 7.90/25'11", Lepik 7.81/25'71", TJ (d): Sanyayev 17.05/55'11", Segal 16.74/54'11", Sinichkin 16.55/54'34", Bessonov 16.45/53'11"; SP (c): Baryshnikov 20.32/66'8", Voykin 20.31/66'71", Yarosh 19.84/65'11", Nosenko 19.80/64'11", Plunge 19.58/64'3"; DT (b): Kuusemaa 61.00/200'1" (Penzikov did not qualify for final).

III (c): Dmitrenko 75.52/247'9", Spiridonov 74.12/243'2", Pkhilakadze 71.98/236'2", Bondarchuk 71.76/235'5", Sedikh 70.16/230'2"; JT (d): Makarov 83.10/274'1", Grebenyov 83.60/274'3", Lusis 82.88/271'11"; 20kmW (b): Golubnichy 1:28.21, Yevchenko 1:28.29, Shaloshik 1:29.33; Women's 100 (b): Sidorova 11.4; 200 (d): Sidorova 23.2; 400 (c): Ilyina 52.5, Klimovicha 52.9, Aksyonova 53.1, Barkane 53.1; 800 (b): Morgunova 2:01.6, Gerasimova 2:01.7, Sofiyina 2:02.3, Vakhrusheva 2:03.2, Shuluta 2:03.9; 1500 (d): Bragina 4:09.8, Pangelova 4:10.0, Akhtayeva 4:14.0; 3000 (a): Bragina 9:05.0, Bondarchuk 9:11.8, Veisa 9:13.0; 100H (c): Lebedeva 13.0 (rec), Anisimova 13.4, N. Tkachenko 13.5 (13.2 heat); LJ (b): Alfeyeva 6.66/21'10", Timokhova 6.48/21'31", Lotova 6.47/21'21"; SP (a): Chizhova 21.14/69'42", Krachevskaya 19.00/62'4", Melnik 18.91/62'03", Ivanova 18.78/61'71", Taranda 18.43/60'54"; DT: (c): Melnik 68.02/223'2", Fivoblachova 57.22/187'9", Sergeyeva 57.20/187'8"; JT (b): Zhigalova 57.94/190'1", Babich 56.80/186'4".

WEST GERMANY

10.7. Trier. HT: Riehm 71.10/233'3". 12.7. Cologne. 100: Busche 10.2. 13/14.7. Augsburg. WG beat Poland 239-191 (Men), Poland beat WG 148-130 (Women); 100 (a): — 0.6; Bieler 10.41, Ommer 10.43; 200 (b): Hofmeister 20.75, Ommer 20.95; 400 (a): Herrmann 45.21, Honz 45.21 (1/3), Schloske 45.75, Werner (P) 46.48; 800 (b): Wulbeck (runner-up to Overt in Duisburg) 1:47.1, Schmid 1:47.6, Kupczyk (P) 1:47.7; 1500 (a): Szordykowski (P) 3:40.7, Wessinghage 3:41.1; 5000 (b): Hildenbrand 13:43.2, Mann 13:43.4, Nogala (P) 13:44.0, Kowol (P) 13:46.6; 10,000 (a): Malinowski (P) 28:25.2; 3000SC (b): Karst 8:30.0, Frahmke 8:30.2, Maier 8:33.6, Maranda (P) 8:33.8; 110H (a): — 0.3; M. Wodzinski (P) 13.68, L. Wodzinski (P) 13.80; 400H (b): Kohler 50.42, Reibert 50.54, Hewell (P) 50.70, Kulczycki (P) 50.90; HJ (a): Boller 2.18/7'14", PV (b): Slusarski (P) 5.40/17'81", Bucianski (P) 5.30/17'41"; LJ (b): Cybulski (P) 7.87/25'10", TJ (a): Sontag (P) 16.63/54'61"; . . . 3. Joachimowski (P) 16.18/53'11"; SP (a): Steines 19.59/64'31", Schladen 19.54/64'11"; DT: (b): Neu 62.42/204'9"; HT (b): Klein 72.32/237'3", Jaglinski (P) 69.96/229'6", Huning 69.86/229'2", Beyer 69.60/228'4"; JT (a): Wolfmann 82.56/270'10"; 20km W (a): Kannenberg 1:35:06.8, Weidner 1:35:08.2, Schubert 1:35:09.4; 4 x 100: (a): Poland 40.28; 4 x 400 (b): WG 3:04.5, Poland 3:07.2; Women's 100 (b): — 0.5; Szewinska (P) 11.27, Richter 11.52; 200 (a): — 0.9; Szewinska (P) 22.41, Richter 23.33; 400 (b): Wilden 51.95, Kasperczyk (P) 52.63, Pieczyk (P) 53.12; . . . 6. Falek 53.88; 800 (a): Katolik (P) 2:01.2, Klein 2:03.3, Januchta 2:03.8; 1500 (b): Wellmann 4:14.2, Surdel (P) 4:15.9; 100H (b): — 0.5; Nowak (P) 13.08; 400H (a): Kasperczyk (P) 56.51 (WR), Pieczyk (P) 56.83, Claus 57.27 (rec), Zwollinska (P) 58.87, Bretz 59.36, Holmann 59.66; HT (b): Wagner 1.86/6'14", Meyfarth 1.81/5'11"; LJ (a): Wlodarczyk (P) 6.40/21'0", Schwerdtfeger 6.39/20'11"; SP (a): Chewinska (P) 18.09/59'44"; DT (a): Westermann 57.48/188'7"; JT (b): Jaworska (P) 58.22/191'0"; 4 x 100 (b): Poland 43.53, WG 43.62; 4 x 400 (a): WG 3:29.8, Poland 3:30.0. 14.7. Hanover. Women's 100: Feeder 11.3. 22.7. Leverkusen. 100: Ommer 10.1 & 10.0 (equal Eur rec/100y: 9.2 & 9.2, equal Eur rec), Haupt 10.3 & 10.2 (wind in second race was +1.2m/s).

YUGOSLAVIA

Luciano Susanj followed his 1:45.1 with two sub-1:45 performances. At Rijeka on July 3rd he ran 1:44.7, but this turned out to be a glorified time-trial. Sixteen days later, however, he duplicated the timing at an international meeting at Celje, and must rank as a solid favourite for Rome.

4.6. Maribor. 800: Susanj 1:46.6, COLIN CAMPBELL 1:49.1; Women's 100: Boyle (Aus) 11.86 (headwind). 16.6. Sarajevo. HJ: Temin 2.15/7'03" (rec). 22/23.6. Skopje. 1500: Bozovic 3:40.4 (rec), Medjimurec 3:40.6; 3000SC: Svet 8:32.4 (rec); Women's 400: Pavlicic 52.4 (rec); 800: Urankar 2:05.1, Kasap (nee Nikolic) 2:05.3.