

THE LONG DISTANCE LOG VOL. 3 - NO. 27. March, 1958. .25¢ per issue. \$2.50 per year. 306 W. Center St. Woodbury, N.J. Contributors this month - Bob Craib, Hugh Jascourt, Don Fay, Hal Higdon, Neil Farrell, George Brown, Joe Kleinerman, Harry Groves, Don Jacobs, Sam Mirwis(South Africa), L.W. Woodcock(England), Bill Jameson, Emerson W. Case, Ted Corbitt.

Johnny Kelley (who else?) sets another course record; Jim Green-Junior Nat'l Champ.

New Bedford, Mass. 5/23/58 Sunday- It seems that more runners are running in stronger style at the start of the season than they have for quite some time. The Jr. National AAU 50 Kilometer Championship was a swell race for a starter! (20 merchandise and trophy place prizes- 54 starters, 40 finishers). Cloudy, windy & scattered showers causing wet streets. 40 degree temp. Fairly hilly course, same as last year (3 equal laps)

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| 1. J. J. Kelley, B.A.A. | 1:36:12 | 16. Royce Sawyer, WPC | 1:54:18 | 30. Geo. Grzeblan, |
| 2. George Terry, " | 1:41:53 | 17. Richard Packard, BAA | 1:54:49 | North Medford C. |
| 3. Jim Green, " | 1:44:03 | 18. Don Fay, Boston AA | 1:55:19 | 2:10:06 |
| 4. Rene Doiron, " | 1:44:44 | 19. Jim Borden, WPC | 1:57:48 | |
| 5. John Lafferty, " | 1:45:06 | 20. Fran Cooney, BAA | 1:58:07 | Ind. Jr. Men |
| 6. Al Confalone, " | 1:45:50 | 21. Ed Brackett, BAA | 1:58:29 | 1. Jim Green |
| 7. Tony Sapienza, " | 1:46:50 | 22. Les Pawson, Red Diamond AC | 1:59:05 | 2. Rene Doiron |
| 8. John DiCarrandrea, " | 1:47:29 | | 2:00:41 | 3. Al Confalone |
| 9. Stan Tieman, WPC | 1:47:55 | 23. Andy Poulos, BAA | 2:01:20 | (All Boston AA. |
| 10. Dave Pisterna, unat. | 1:48:33 | 24. Jim Coucill, WPC | 2:01:20 | |
| 11. Gonzales Scotto, BAA | 1:50:27 | 25. Ted Suite, St.Anth. | 2:03:57 | |
| 12. Ted Corbitt, WPC | 1:51:20 | 26. John Booras, BAA | 2:05:12 | Winning Jr. Team |
| 13. Mate Cirulnick, WPC | 1:51:34 | 27. Paul Primew, WPC | 2:06:39 | Boston AAA |
| 14. Graham Parnell, BAA | 1:53:32 | 28. Ed Norton, unat. | 2:06:29 | (Cooney, Brackett, |
| 15. John Gray, Boston AA | 1:54:07 | 29. Rod MacNicholl, WPC | 2:10:06 | Poulos) 2. BMC |

Baltimore, March 23, 1958- The Baltimore Olympic Club A team broke the 8.4 mile distance relay record they established last year in this unique race held in Patterson Park over a dry road surface. All four Pics won their lap time prizes as they kept extending their lead over the Cross Country Club's A team. Buzz Sawyer also broke the individual lap record set by Browning Ross last year. Sawyer ran his log in 9:29.7.. A close race developed for third place between the B teams of the Olympic Club and Cross Country with Joe Rouse of the Pics coming in strong to beat out 15 year old Mike Smith by about 200 yards.

- First Log: Baxter Berryhill B.O.C. A 9:47.3 Second Log: Jim Castagnola BOC A 1006
 Ken Billeb C.O.C. A 10:27.5
 Morris Jones C.O.C. B 10:40.2
 Bill Jameson B.O.C. B 11:55.5
- Third Log: Carl Party BOC A 9:50.8 29:44.1 Fourth: Buzz Sawyer BOC A 9297 29:13.8
 George Brown, CCC A 10:28.3 31:02.9 Paul Sherran CCC A 10:21.1, 41:24.0
 Don Maskon, CCC B 10:58.3 32:49.6 Joe Rouse BOC B 10:24.8 43:16.5
 Ron Drumwright BOC B 10:09.3 32:51.7 Mike Smith CCC B 11:06.0 43:57.5

Sun. Mar. 23, New York- George King, Josh Culbreath, Grant Scruggs, Harry Bright & Don Bragg left today for a month's tour of the Middle East accompanied by Dr. Lloyd W. Olds. They will compete in Greece, Turkey, Lebanon, Iraq, Ceylon and India. The team departed from Idlewild for Rome aboard a Pan Am Douglas Super Seven. (Sponsored by State Dept. & AAU... Penn State's track coach Chick Werner will go to Furuberg, Germany soon to collaborate with Bob Mathias in staging a TFF clinic for the Army's European Command.

Mar. 22- Hamilton, Ontario - 51st Highlanders Reg. AA Games, Hamilton Armouries- Mile: 1. Ron Wallingford, 4:16.1 (George King failed to finish).. 600- 1. Tom Murphy Manhattan, 1:13.. Larry Sweet, Alfred U. von mile for boys under 19 yrs. in 4:20. rec. Cardiff, Wales, Mar. 22- Cross des Nations (European x-c champs) Miles: 1. Stan Eldon, Eng. (21yrs) 46:29; 2. Alain Mimoun, (37yrs) by 5 yds. 46:30; 3. Frank Sando, Eng. 46:33 (defender) 4. A.F. Perkins, Eng. 46:38; 5. Tom Dunno, Ireland. Team: England (6 in 1st 10)

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VMI Relays - Lexington, Va. Feb. 6 - 2-Mile Run: 1. Bishop (UMC) 2. DeTomba, (WMI) 3. Smith (Navy) 4. Harvey (Maryland) 9:40.9 ... 2-Mile Relay: 1. Georgetown (Proctor, Kelley, Trentline, Cawley) 2. Navy 3. Olden 4. Virginia 8:10 (New Meet Record) ... 4-Mile Relay: 1. Maryland (Wayner, Steckel, Floung, Glasgow) 2. Navy 3. Roanoke 10:51.6 ... 4-Mile Relay: 1. Olden (Arthur, Lifford, Whitley, Bishop) 2. Navy 3. Olden 4. N.C. State 18:42.5.

Virginia Big Six - Lexington, Va. Feb. 15 - Mile: 1. DeTomba (WMI) 2. Williams (VMI) 3. Bowman (VPI) 4. Quant (WMI) 4:51.9 ... 2-Mile: 1. DeTomba (WMI) 2. Mac Dougal (VMI) 3. Bowman (VPI) 4. Campana (VMI) 9:57.4 ... 3-Mile: 1. Lowe (VMI) 2. Ray (VPI) 3. Williams (VMI) 4. Royer (VMI) 2:32.2

Southern Conference Champs: Lexington, Va. Feb. 22 - Mile: 1. DeTomba (WMI) 2. Williams (VMI) 3. Quant (VMI) 4. Bowman (VPI) 4:54.4 ... 2-Mile: 1. DeTomba (WMI) 2. MacDougal (VMI) 3. Campana (WMI) 4. Bowman (VPI) 9:53.4 ... 3-Mile: 1. Lowe (VMI) 2. Williams (VMI) 3. McCuan (VMI) 4. Brown (VMI) 2:02.5. Note: Times are slow in the 860 because of shary turn. All of these boys have run under 1:57 outdoor.

VMI finished first in both Big Six and So. Conference meets. William & Mary finished 2nd in both meets.

PRIMA 15 Mile Run - Green Lake, Seattle, Wash. 3 Laps
 1. Bill Gilham (England) 7:0.0. 49:08.4
 2. Jack Burnett (Canada) U.S.C. 49:55.0
 3. Jim Moore, (Canada) U.S.C. 51:15.2
 4. Kazimirs Upenicks (Latvia) 6:0.0. 51:26.8
 5. Erik Christenson, (Denmark) unat. 66:06.4

Gilham led at 5 kilo in 15:55 & at 10 kilo in 32:21. Moore lost 50s at the 10kilo mark changing shoes & breaking a shoe lace. Burnett says it is his last long race (over 10kilo) until he is through college. Upenicks posted a best ever time & as a result decided not to retire as planned. Christenson is a former 500m. ace from Denmark, but hasn't run since 1926.

Feb. 22 - Green Lake, Seattle, Okalo Walk PRIMA 8 Laps, unat. 1. For Jacobs, Tigard, Oregon, 4:56.16; 2. Kevin Ley, Bellarmine HS, Tacoma, Wash. 5:27.52; 3. Arnold Olds (dropped out at 3/4km. when leading by 2 mins. Jim Fielas & Bill Landon dropped out earlier.

Official Times - National and Indoor Meet - 600 I. 1:11.2 (Jenkins) 2. 1:11.7 (Murphy) 3. 1:12.5 (Calbreath) ... Mile: 1. 4:09.7 (Colony) 2. 4:05.5 (Aoze.) 3. 4:06.8 (Greile) 4. 4:09.0 (King) 5. 4:09.1 (Coleman) ... 3-Mile: 1. 13:54.2 (Agosa) 2. 13:57.1 (Macy) 3. 14:52.2 (McKenzie) 4. 14:57.1 (Condon) 5. 14:40.3 (Latham)

DELANE CAPTURES TWO I.C. 4-4. ILLUS CAROLINA I.C.C.: Repeats 157 Feats in 1,000 & 2-Mile Run to Lead Villanova to Victory - Close is Mile Victor - Szaszvolgyi Runs 4:86

NYC-Mar. 1- 37th annual indoor track & field championships of the Intercollegiate Association of Amateur Athletes of America. With only fifty minutes between final, stretch-recorder Ron Delany first won the 1,000-yard run in 2:12.0, after running an afternoon time trial. Then he blazed home in 9:17.6 in the two-mile run, overcoming a surprise challenge by Manhattan's Gene Martin. Coach Jumbo Jim Elliott's Wildcats from the Philadelphia Main Line, with this touch-off from their big star, missed few bets in their irresistible drive to a second straight I.C. 4-4 title.

Results: 1,000 yds: 1. Delany, Vill. 2. Joe Soprano, Manhattan; 3. Lionel Stevens, St. John's; 4. Norm Williams, Georgetown; 5. Robert Carney, Georgetown. Time: 2:12.8.

In the 1,000, the canny Delany laid back at the start, but moved up quickly and took command with two laps to go. Accelerating, but with speed in reserve, he sprinted home 6 yards in front of Manhattan's strong Joe Soprano. St. John's Stevens surprisingly outclassed Georgetown's two-mile relay stars Williams & Carney. The afternoon time trials were rough! (a change in seeding procedures gave good men good men to run against. The result was fewer casualties than used to be the case when the top entries had to set pace for themselves, with little pressure) Qualifiers time: Carney 2:11.5; Pale Vandenberg, Notre Dame, 2:11.6; Delany, 2:12.6; Joe Soprano, 2:12.6; Williams, 2:13.3; Stevens, 2:13.7 ... Trials reduced mile field to nine finalists: Heat 1-Mike Kilder, 4:23.6; 2. Close, 3. En. cl. br. link, P.S. (Continued)

Kansas City, March 1 - Big Eight Conference indoor T&F championships.

University of Kansas won the team championships for the 7th straight year with 58 5/6 points. 2. Nebraska, 35 1/6; 3. Oklahoma, 23 2/5; 4. Missouri, 19 3/8; 5. Kan. State, 14 1/4; 6. Oklahoma State, 12 1/2; 7. Colorado, 10 1/6; 8. Iowa State, 6.

Mile: 1. Tom Stutka, Kansas, 4:11 (3rd fastest mile on record over the Municipal Auditorium boards. The only faster miles in this meet were by Wes Santee, 4:08.3) in 1953 and (4:06.5) the meet record in 1954.) 2. Verlyn Schmitt, Kansas; 3. Gail Hodgson, Okla.; 4. Ron Sanson, Iowa State; 5. Dale Lubs, Kansas.. Two mile: 1. Bernie Frakes, Colorado; 2. Jerry McNeal, Kansas; 3. Brian Travis, Kan. 4. Duane Holman, Kan. State; 5. Don Greenlee, Kansas. Time: 9:15.3. 680: 1. Bob Tague, Kan. 2. Tom Burch, Okla. State; 3. Tom Stutka, Kan.; 4. Knolly Barnes, Nebraska; 5. Dale Lubs, Kansas. Time: 1:54.9. Mile Relay: 1. Kansas State; 2. Nebraska. Time: 3:23.1.. Chapel Hill, N.C. March 1- 5th annual Atlantic Coast Conference indoor Games: Team: Maryland, 53 2/5; 2. North Carolina, 29 1/5; 3. Duke, 18 1/2; South Carolina, 18 1/3; Clemson, 9; Virginia, 7 13/15; NC State, 5 1/5; Wake Forest 1 1/2. Burr Grim of Maryland set two conference records. He ran 4:12.5 in the mile to better the mark of 4:16.5 set in 1955 by North Carolina's Jim Beatty. He also captured the 2 mile in 9:21.8.

Central Collegiate March 8: 680 1. Dale VanEnter, Notre Dame, 1:52.5, meet rec. Mile: 1. Eversole, Western Michigan, 4:17.1. 2 Mile: Lou Rujawinski, Loyola, 9:40.1 Team: M. Mich. 53 3/4; Notre Dame, 52 1/2; Marquette, 45 3/4; Drake, 18; Loyola, 8, Brad-lev, 6 1/2.

New York City, Sun. March 16- Pre-Boston Marathon time up at Macombs Dam Park over the Harlem River course. Full marathon distance (or more)--4 long laps of 5 5/8 miles and 1 short lap of 5 7/8 miles. Very hilly course. Weather: very windy and temp. 38 degrees. (Wet in spots from snow.) 19 starters and 9 finishers. Prizes: Trophies donated by Milt Pataky and Alie Scandurra. Refreshments served after the race by courtesy of Mrs. Scandurra.

Order of finish: 1. Ted Corbett, NY Pioneer Club, 2:41.48; 2. Vin Korn, Millrose AA, 2:47.57; 3. Nat Cirulnick, NY Pioneer Club, 2:52.30; 4. Mike O'Hara, St. Anth. 3:03.58; 5. Rod MacNichols, IIPC, 3:09.24; 6. Al Silva, unatt. 3:12.28; 7. Milt Pataky, St. Anth. 3:31.00. 4: 8. Clarence Ritchey, Unatt. 3:53.55; 9. Gus Kotteakos, St. Anthony's B.C. 3:59.08.. Officials: Referee: Dave Levy; Timers: Sam Schewd, Rudy Schwartz; Clocks: Lou White, Joe Yancy, Mike Devany, Art Gelberman.

Fractional Times: 1st Lap 33:10 Leaders: Jim Borden, Corbett, Cirulnick, Kern & Scandurra.. 2nd Lap: 1:05.50 -Borden, Corbett, Cirulnick, Kern & Scandurra.. 3rd lap-1:39.10 - Corbett, Borden, Cirulnick, Kern & Scandurra.. 4th Lap: 22 1/2 mi. 2:15.52 -Corbett, Kern, Cirulnick (Borden & Scandurra dropped out here).

Baltimore, Md. March 16, 1958- George Brown wins Four Run & 12 Mile Race.

The Adam J. Gurek One Hour Run was disappointing participation wise as only eleven South Atlantic Area men entered and only nine of these men ran. Eleven medals and a beautiful trophy went unclaimed.. Cross Country Club swept team honors in taking the first 5 places. All 5 were beyond 10 miles at the end of the hour and finished that way for the 12 mile run which determined the medal awards.

Joe Rouse of the Baltimore Olympic Club led for the first 800, then George Brown, Dick Svohla, and Lew Smith took over and held the order right through the race.

Brown ran his fastest track six miles in completing 10 miles 6:59 yards 2 feet and 5 inches in the hour. An American standard of 11 miles 155 yards was set in 1925 by Albin Steuroos, and the American citizen's record is 10 miles 1,492 yards, set in 1912 by Charles Porec. Both records seem easily beatable.. Brown faced a 20 mile an-hour head wind down one side of the track in reeling off mile times of: 5:53, 11:12, 16:49, 22:28, 28:09, 33:49, 39:34, 45:18, 51:08, 57:03, 63:07, 69:03. It took him seven miles to lap the entire field as Dick Svohla fought to prevent his being overhauled. All starters finished. Well officiated. (Note: Keep the 3rd Sunday in March open for this race next year.) 12 MILE RESULTS: 1. George S. Brown, CCC, 1:09.03; 2. Dick Svohla, CCC, 1:11.53; 3. Lewis Smith, CCC, 1:12.50; 4. Joe Rouse BOC, 1:16.27; 5. Morris Jones, Unatt. 1:17.11; 6. John Wavrik, CCC, 1:26.36; 7. Warren Leddick, Greenbelt, Md. Youth Center, 1:29:07; 8. Joe O'Loughlin, Greenbelt, 1:33 9. Monroe Cornish, Coppin State Teachers, 1:36:05..

BROOKING ROSS TAKES MIDDLE ATLANTIC AMU 50 KILO CHAMPIONSHIP IN 1:43.54. Phila. Sun, March 9, 1 P.M. - After taking the lead for the first time a half mile from home, R. Ross of the Penn AC, held off a closing quart by teammate Steve Thomas, Jr. National College x-country Captain, and won by 10 yards. Jack Cunningham, former St. Joseph's College x-country Captain, took third place in 1:46.56 after having led for the first two laps. He covered the first lap of five miles to the reservoir at Belmont ave. and City Line in 30 minutes. The next two laps, going around the reservoir, were 6 1/2 miles each. Cunningham was clocked in 1:07.20 at the end of the second lap.. Tom Oeler, Shanahan CC, won the five-mile junior race (for those under 20). Oeler, pacesetter all the way, nipped Klaus Praesant, Penn A.C. in a driving finish. Both races started together, with the juniors covering only the first lap.. Prizes: Gold cups to first 3 finishers in each race & medals to all finishers. Both races were sponsored by the Middle Atlantic Road Runners Club.

The race started and finished in front of the Shanahan CC clubhouse at 4624 Lancaster Ave.. Weather- cloudy and cool, approx. 40 degrees.

MIDDLE 50 KILO Order of Finish

	1st Lap	2nd Lap	Finish
1. Browning Ross, Penn A.C.	31:25 (4th)	1:08:30 (3)	1:43:54
2. Steve Thomas, Penn A.C.	30:20 (2)	1:07:39 (2)	1:43:56
3. John Cunningham, Penn AC.	30:30 (1)	1:07:28 (1)	1:46:56
4. Dick Donohue, Boston MA.	31:04 (5)	1:09:14 (4)	1:50:46
5. Ralph Ellberg, Penn A.C.	32:05 (6)	1:13:30 (7)	1:27:17
6. Henry Kinkaid, Penn AC.	32:30 (8)	1:13:33 (6)	1:58:06
7. Hugh Jaccourt, Penn AC.	34:12 (12)	1:17:29 (9)	1:59:12
8. Larry Delaney, Shanahan CC.	34:12 (13)	1:17:50 (8)	2:00:33
9. Frank Kelly, Shanahan CC.	33:45 (11)	1:20:10 (11)	2:17:15
10. Nevin Schopf, Penn A.C.	35:03 (14)	1:21:45 (12)	2:19:40

Dropped Out: Peter Schexeryt, Shan. 32:29 (7) (Out)

Bob Chambers, Shan. 32:30 (8) (Out)

Tom Sharp, Malta AC. 33:35 (9) (Out)

Wade Washington, Shan. 34:32 (10) (Out)

ROAD RUNNERS CLUB JUNIOR 5-MILE

Order of finish:	1st lap 1/3	Finish
1. Tom Oeler, Shanahan CC	14:25 (1)	27:27
2. Klaus Praesant, Penn AC	14:30 (2)	27:28
3. John McKenna, Penn AC.	14:36 (3)	27:38
4. Pat Kennedy, Norristown, Pa.	15:30 (5)	29:32
5. Dennis Coyle, Penn AC	15:26 (4)	29:39
6. Henry Keller, LaSalle MA.	15:45 (6)	31:17

From the South Africa Marathon Runners Club NEWSLETTER - Southern Transval Marathon Championship: 1. Keith James, The Barr, 2:36:16; 2. Jackie Lekler, Ger.Cal. 2:40:55; 3. Rudge Ross, (Sand.) 2:50:58; 4. Jacob Strydom, Ger.Cal, 3:07:11; 5. C. Chase, Ger. Cal. 3:14:40; 6. I. Mathons, Krug. 3:47:45; 7. P. Shepherd, Ger. C. 3:51:43.. Running brilliantly, 23 year-old Keith James confounded the critics and the field of nine- by winning and beating into second place the Springbok and record-holder for the course in 2 hr. 31 min. 51s. Jackie Lekler, James, Lekler, and Rudge Ross, the Southern Transvaal x-c captain (running in his first marathon) quickly went to the front and soon created a large gap between themselves and the other runners who began to string out in ones and twos along the Krugersdorp course. One of the toughest in the transvaal. Pace: 10 miles: James, 57min.19s.; Ross, 56:34; Lekler, 59min.; Strydom, 65:29.. 15 miles: James, 1hr. 28min.29s.; Lekler, 1:30.34; Ross, 1:33.18.. 20 miles: James, 1:54.23; Lekler, 1:57.37. The history of the So. Transvaal marathon championship shows that Lekler has the most illustrious record, having won the event four times- in 1952, 53, 54 and 55 in addition to coming second to Mercer Davies in 1957.. James' victory is a triumph of speed training over training based on distance. He has concentrated on speed in conformity with runners overseas, especially in Finland, Denmark and Sweden. His performance makes him an Empire Games prospect..

South Africa- Durban Athletic Club Marathon. The runners were sent off promptly at 6.30 in the morning so as to avoid the great midday heat. It rained hard for the first 1 1/2 hours of the race. Results: 1. Nick Kaubachhomer, Durban (one of the most enthusiastic road runner's in South Africa) 2:46.51; 2. Frankie Steyn, 2:48.39 (first marathon); 3. Andy Greening, 2:55.09; 4. Fritz Mardel, 3:04.06; 5. N. Gierke, 3:15.53 (8 finishers) also in the field were Gerald Walsa, the world recordholder for 40 and 50 miles on the track and Martiens W'ild, the Natal marathon champion, but both regarded the race as "leg stretchers." After 14 miles (two laps) Walsa retired as planned. Not yet fully fit after a lengthy lay-off, Gerall is now working to a schedule to hit peak form for the Games Trial. Wild also ran for 16 miles or so, then gave up. The previous day he had run at the Stadium where he was narrowly beaten in the 1 mile by Athol Jennings, in 4:37 and also ran in the 2 mile handicap which he won comfortably after conceding starts up to

270 yards. The Sealed Handicap was won by Filidic Steyn with Greening second... Germiston Callies annual 2 1/2 mile road race. Jackie Goldie of Ger. Callie Harriers won his club's annual road race at night in 1 hr. 20 min. 41 secs.-the fastest time ever put up for the distance in South Africa. The previous best time was by Springbok Jan Barnard in the Germiston Sports Club's annual race and subsequently by Fanie Steyn in the same race a month or two ago- 1:24.50.6. Thus Goldie's time is more than 2 min. faster than any previous time for the distance in So. Africa- a great achievement by a runner who has stuck steadfastly to his training schedule based on speed. The race itself was a great battle between Keith James and Goldie, with James never more than 50 yards back. The two little battlers left the field of 13 far back as Goldie outkicked James by 5 secs. Results: 1. J. Goldie (GC) 1:20:41; 2. K. James (J.F.) 1:20:46; 3. Bugle Rens, (Yand.) 1:25:12; 4. Jackie

Mekler, (GC) 1:25:22; 5. J. Strudon, (GC) 1:28:20.

Cape Town - 1 1/2 mile road race- 1. Ken Willmott (Coltlic) 1:19:13; 2. Floris Visser, (Spartan) 1:16:13; 3. Oelof Vorster, (Coltlic) 1:20:16; 4. P.H. Marpestad, (Coltlic) 1:21:06; 5. G. Fuller, (Spartan) 1:24:16; 6. Chas. Savage, (Coltlic) 1:24:42. The race turned out to be a personal triumph for Willmott, who was taking part in his longest race so far. About 2 miles from the finish Willmott ran off course and had to wait for the officials to come up and re-direct him. Then he experienced a further mishap at the entrance to the stadium, as the gates were shut and the officials had difficulty in opening them. These two delays cost Willmott at least a minute.

But, in spite of these setbacks, he ran on to the track a clear winner, eventually finishing over 700 yards ahead of Visser. Willmott's time beat Visser's course record of last year by almost five minutes! Willmott is a terrific marathon prospect but he won't bear of attempting the distance for another couple of years. His idea is a very gradual and a thorough build up.

Sat. March 8- 31st annual New York City, Catholic HS 44 T&F Champs. Madison Sq. Garden before 7,000 fans. Mile: 1. Tom Dempsey (Ossau x-c athlete) 4:21.6, won by 20 yards in the seeded first section of the 11 lap test. Ten ran the last 440 in 65.5 after a 3:16.1 three-quarter mile. 2. Jim Kelly, Chamunado HS, 4:24.6; (old rec. 4:26.2 by Ed Kennedy, St. Francis Prep 1957.) 4. Bill Brennan, LaSalle Academy; 3. Francis Fogarty, St. Francis Prep.. 880 Yds: 1. Doug Tyrnan, 1:56.8.. 2 Mi. Relay- 1. Fortson Prep 8:08.5 .. Team: St. Francis Prep 42, St. Dominic 17.. * Big Ten Indoor T&F - Champaign, Ill. Mar. 8- Illinois, 47%; Ohio State, 39; Indiana 35; Purdue 24; Mich. State 19; Iowa 17; Minnesota 16 1/2; Mich. 16; Wisconsin 11; Northwestern 6.. Mile: 1. Deacon Jones, Iowa, 2. Jim Bowers, Ill., 3. Richard Pond, Indiana, 4. Frank Hodgecock, Ill., 5. Crawford Kennedy, Michigan State. Time: 4:10.5.. 2 Mile Run: 1. Chas. (Deacon) Jones, Iowa, (doubled for 2nd year in a row) 9:09.6; 2. Len (Bud) Edelen, Minnesota; 3. William Abele, Ind., 4. William Ehlcks, Purdue; 5. Geert Koilstrup, Michigan.. 1,000 Yd. Run: 1. Mike Smith, Ind. 2. Jack McClain, Ohio State; 3. Dan McKinney, Wis., 4. Ernie Sims, Mich., 5. Robert Hughes, MS. Time: 2:14.1.. 600- 1. Dave Loan, Mich. State, 1:10.2 (Western Conference record, old rec. 1:11.3, set by Kevin Gosper, Mich. State, 1955) 800 1. Dan Haric, Ill. 1:54.6; 2. Willie Atterbury, Mich.State; 3. Don Brown, Minn. 1:54.6...

DELANEY BRUIERS TO 22nd STREET, SCORES IN 4:06.4; MACY WIN 2 MILE IN 9:01.1
 New York, March 6- E. of C. Games. Ron Delaney rode along with the gentle pace of
 Jim Beatty, Burr Grim and Paul Coleman until the gun lap and then sped effortlessly
 away to win by four yards. Beatty set the early pace, passing the 400 in 61s, the
 half in 2:04.3. It was Grim at 3/4 in 3:26.2, then Coleman for a lap and then, nat-
 urally, Delaney by himself. On the backstretch of the next-to-last lap, with Colo-
 man leading and Delaney running second, Grim charged up on the outside, boxing Ron.
 It appeared that he said something to the Villanovan, toward whom he turned his
 head. However, afterward, Grim said he had not addressed Ron, but merely wanted to
 be sure that he had his firmly packed in the hope of making a winning bid going
 into the turn. That plan went aglimmering, when Grim, accidentally bumped by Delaney
 as he was making his move, stumbled on the bank. His near-fall cost the Maryland
 runner 5 yards and he was out of contention in the home drive. COLUMBIAN MILE: Delaney
 2. Paul Coleman, U of Chicago IC (4 yds) 3. Burr Grim, Maryland, (3 yds further est-
 crn) 4. James Beatty, US Army; 5. George King, NYAC... THE MILE MAN: John Macy ran
 away with the 2 mile by 60 yards over Alex Brockenridge, the former Villanovan who
 has returned to this country from Scotland to enter the Marine Corps. Alex ran a
 respectable 9:12. Gordon McKenzie of the NY Pioneer Club was third and Buzz Sawyer
 of the Baltimore Olympic Club ran 9:14.8 for fourth... 1000 YD. I VIMMION: 1. Joe
 Soprano, Manhattan; 2. Peter Closs, St. John's; 3. Dave Senlock, U of North Carol-
 ina, 4. Harry Bright, HPS. Time: 2:10.3. For a startling moment, Pete Closs, S.J.
 intercollegiate mile champion, stood as the winner of the thrilling 1000. He was so
 announced, but it developed that Pinsky Sobor, seldom guilty of such blunders, merely
 had copied down the wrong number. There was no doubt among the spectators or the
 judges that Soprano had broken the tape for his first cup triumph that caught the
 the fancy of the 10,000 Garden railbirds. The 22-year-old Manhattan scolar from the
 Bronx, bolted to the fore with three laps to go and simply refused to be passed.
 A winner by inches, his time was the fastest of the indoor campaign to compound the
 surprise... 600 Yard Run: 1. Rudy Smith, Pates soph (sprinted to front on the bell
 lap after Tom Murray had succeeded Ohas. Jenkins in the lead at the 200 yard mark.
 Smith won by 6 yards in front of Manhattan's Murphy. Jenkins finished a badly out-
 distanced last, behind Jack Galbreath of the Quantico Marines. Smith's surprise
 win was the fastest on boards this winter. Other Results: John J. Downing Memorial
 600 for Metropolitan colleges- St. John's Edward Stevens took charge with two
 laps to go and led home Manhattan's Ed McLaughlin by 2 yards with Fordham's Tom
 Ward a close third. 4. William Willie, NYU. Time: 1:56.4... One Mile Walk Handicap:
 1. John Humelo, (Scratch) 2. Bruce MacDonald, (50 yds.) 3. Bobliam, Penn AC (100)
 4. Bill Omelchenko, HPS (150 yds) Time: 6:51.9... 1000 yd run Handicap: 1. Len
 Healy, Ian. (20yds) 2. Robert Carter, Sten Hall (30yds) 3. Tom Gorry, Unatt. (30)
 4. Joe Davis, NYAC, (30) Time: 2:14.6... 2 mile Relay won by Georgetown, 2. Syracuse
 3. Man. 4. St. John's. Time: 7:30 won by 6 yards. Mile Relay, Pitt, 2. Man. 3:17.7

Stanford, Calif., March 6- Laszlo Tabori, Hungary's self-willed distance ace,
 breezed to an easy victory today in the two-mile run during a triangular meet at
 Stanford Univ. He was clocked in 9:15.1 as he finished 27 yards ahead of Henry Gra-
 vos of Stanford. It was the first start of the outdoor season for Tabori.
 Ithaca, N.Y. March 6- Heptagonal Indoor TFF Championships: Mile: 1. Mike Laddler,
 Cornell; 2. Tom Cathcart, Navy, by 15 yds; 3. Tom Lonsdale, Navy; 4. Jerry Lewis,
 Army; 5. William Thompson, Harvard. Time: 4:17.7... 2 Mile: 1. David Eckel, Cornell
 2. Jonathan Blake, Yale; 3. Richard Brooks, Army; 4. Robert Lunkle, Navy; 5. Art
 REIDER, Harvard. Time: 9:32.4... 1000 - 1. Ed Slovik, Yale, William Kanno, Army;
 3. William Garrett, Navy; 4. Eugene Siskar, Princeton; 5. Chas. Hill, Cornell.
 Time: 2:15.9... The 600 went to French Anderson of Harvard, who had a 5 yd. advan-
 tace over Army's Peter Byrne. Dave Caliz of Cornell was third. The time was 1:13.1
 2 Mi. Relay: Cornell (Laddler contributed a thrilling anchor leg to bag the two-
 mile relay for Cornell) 2. Harvard; 3. Dartmouth. Time: 8:10.9. 500m: 1. Cornell 52;
 2. Army, 46; 3. Harvard, 26 1/2; 4. Navy 24; 5. Yale 22 1/2; 6. Penn 20; 7. Columbia 5.

Our Readers Take Over- From Emerson W. Case, Schoenectady, N.Y., "With the increased interest in team races, I think the material below will appeal to LHM readers. The Olympic results are from "The Modern Olympic Games", by Dr. Ferone Hoza, Panomania Press, Budapest, 1956. Most summaries of the games do not give any details on the Team Races. I am also including the Olympic Cross Country races."

Year	Distance	Winner	Country of Winner	Time	No. of Men on each Team
1900	(Paris) 5000m.	Chas. Bennett	Great Britain	15:29.2	5
1904	(St.Louis) 4 miles	Not Available	USA	21:17.8	5
1906	(London) 5 miles	J.E.Deakin	Great Britain	14:39.6	5
1912	(Stockholm) 5000m.	Ed S. Borna	U.S.A.	8:44.5	3
1920	(Antwerp) 3,000m.	Korace Brown,	U.S.A.	8:45.4	3
1924	(Paris) 3,000m.	Paavo Nurmi	Finland	8:32.0	3

3 mile Team Races (U.S. vs. British Empire) "B"

Year	Place	Winner	Country	Time
1932	San Francisco	Ralph Hill	USA	14:23.3
1936	London	Jack Lovelock	New Zealand	14:14.8
1948	London	Fred Wilt	USA	14:22.8
1952	London	Charlie Cappelletti	USA	13:51.8
1956	Melbourne	Albert Thomas	Australia	13:43.2

(Note: "I do not have the results on the earlier meets. They started in 1920. A meet was held in Chicago (Soldiers Field) in 1930 after the British Empire Games at Hamilton, Ontario. Attempts were made to hold a meet in San Francisco in 1954 after the British Empire Games at Vancouver, but they fell through)
 "A" Scoring same as cross country. "B" I believe that 3 to 5 men ran for each country and usually the first three scored from each team.

OLYMPIC CROSS COUNTRY "C"

1912	Stockholm	8000m. (4.97mi.)	Jannes Kolominen	Finland	45:11.6
1920	Antwerp	10,000m.	Paavo Nurmi	Finland	27:15 (Short!?)
1924	Paris	10,000m.	Paavo Nurmi	Finland	32:54.8 (Weather-very hot!)

(3 men scored for each team)

"C" The course must have really been tough in 1912!

From L.M. Woodcock, Hon. General Secretary, Race Walking Assn. London, England, "Our new book on race-walking is now available and I have sent a copy to Mr. Phil Jackolski, the American AAU Walking Chairman. The book is entitled "Race Walking" by Mr. Harold Whitlock, the 1936 Olympic 50km Champion and copies may be obtained from our web, 54 Torrington Place, London, W.C.1. (Price-Six shillings and six pence)

From my first sight of the "U.S. Walker" I see the dates and venues for the Natl. AAU Walking Championships for 1958. One thing about them does really surprise me. It is that the dates and distances are all mixed up. In this country we plan our Nationals so that we get a progressive increase of distances, 9.5, 10 Miles in March, 20 Miles in May, 50 Km in June. This arrangement permits the athlete to plan his training schedule progressively. Now do your walkers manage to do the 40 Km in May and drop down to 15 Km in October?. Unlike many other European countries who take an active part in walking, we race all the year. The winter in many parts of Europe puts a stop to training and competition because of the severe conditions. However the walkers keep fit with ski-ing, the Swedes in particular say it is excellent for conditioning the body during the period when they cannot get in any track or road work because of the ice and snow. We split our season into two-summer and winter seasons. The winter season starts with the first week in Oct. at 5 miles, increases to 7mi. in Nov., 10 mi. in Jan., 15mi. in mid-March and finishes with 20 miles in mid-May. The summer season then begins and the athletes split into two according to their personal tastes (a) those who prefer the short track walks at 1,2,5, or 7 miles and (B) those who prefer the long dist. road walks up to 50miles & sometimes 100. (50km in June & London-Brighton Open walk 53mi. in mid September."

WINDSPRINTS- Tony Sapienza captured the New England AAU Indoor 3 mile title in 15:17 and John "The Elder" Kelley finished 4th... The 1957 Canadian All-Star TF Team, selected by the National TF Committee, includes the following distance men: 1 Mile -1. Selwyn Jones, Hamilton; 2. Reg Farley, Toronto; 3. Jim Irons, Toronto. 2 Miles-1. Doug Kyle, Hamilton; 2. Gordon Dickson, Hamilton; 3. Dick Garbischel, Toronto. 6 Miles- 1. Doug Kyle; 2. Gordon Dickson; 3. John Church, Toronto. Marathon- 1. Gordon Dickson; 2. Roland Michaud, Montreal; 3. Joe Dubo, Montreal. 600 Yards- 1. Doug Clement, Vancouver; 2. Fred Lortour, Windsor; 3. Allan Andrews, Vancouver. Walking- 1. Alex Casley, Toronto; 2. Bernard Stoop, Waterloo; 3. John Rowe, Toronto... A number of Canada's outstanding Track & Field athletes, including the Kennedy Brothers, Joe Mallins, etc., were not ranked in these selections as they did not have a competitive appearance in Canada during the past year. They will, however, in addition to others who attended American Colleges, be serious contenders for places on the British Empire Games Team... Advice from John "The Elder" Kelley, for those suffering with Achilles tendon trouble, "soak for 15 min. or more in a whirlpool bath & follow up with diathermy if possible, or stand in bath tub and turn on both cold and hot, regulate the temp. & rub gently up! Whirlpool or diathermy every day. Train on soft surfaces, no speed work on hard surface... The Fifth annual Firestone War Veterans 1 1/2 Mile Road race is set for Good Friday, April 4, 1958 at 2 P.M. 15 valuable prizes, plus special prizes. Entries to R. Hill, 67 Kenilworth ave. N., Hamilton, Ont. Canada... The 48th annual 10 Mile Open Handicap Road Run of the Cathedral Y.C.C., So. Posten, Mass. is set for Sat., April 12, 1958 at 2:30 P.M. Prizes- First 25 to finish, 2 Time Prizes, 3 novices, Team. Entries to Tom Kaggerty, Mgr. Cathedral Club, 75 Union Park Street, Boston 16, Mass... The Middle Atlantic AAU 25 Mile & Open Championships is now set for May 24th instead of May 10th as originally scheduled. The race will run from Wilmington, Delaware to Riverview Beach Park, N.C. Dinner to all, plus all rides and facilities in the amusement park open to all runners, officials and friends... Coach Joe Kealey of New York University has a star from Ireland on his fresh track team, another from Israel, one from Greece and still another from Trinidad... Aply supported by some talented Americans, this United Nations' array placed second to Manhattan in the Met College freshman championships, tallying 58 points, most any first year Violet team has ever scored... John Dougan, the lad from Ireland, is a distance man... Uri Galin, from Israel, tosses the weights... Costas Nicolakis, from Greece, is a sprinter and Ian Drayton of Trinidad a pole vaulter... 4:23.5 High School miler, Eric Green of Leonia, N. J. is coached by onetime NYU Violet miler Ross Mottola... Joe Tyler, California distance ace is attending Los Angeles City College for some needed credits... A feature of Villanova University's annual Blue-White All Sports day, May 3rd will be a track meet with Penn State University... Australian Olympic 10,000 m. bronze-medallist Allan Lawrence is positive that New Zealand's Murray Halberg will win the Empire Games 3 miles... Lawrence, in New Zealand for the Auckland Games gained his opinion the hard way. He was beaten by Halberg in the National record time of 13:27.2s... "Halberg is a beautiful runner," said Lawrence after the race, "He'll do 13:12 this season." The Australian had finished third, well behind another of New Zealand's Olympic 1,000 m. finalists, Neville Scott, who finished 7.8 secs. after Halberg... Jim Tupperney, asst. Villanova coach, informs us that we erred in crediting Eric Green with a 4:16.5 mile in last months school-boy nationals. Green ran an estimated 4:25... Mike O'Hara, veteran St. Anthony's B.C. harrier, captured a 50 mile handicap run in New York City on Feb. 22nd. Mike had an actual time of 3hrs. 55 mins., off the 11 minute mark. Ted Suito, St. Anthony was second, Harry Murphy, St. Anthony, third, Milt Pataky, St. Anthony, fourth, Jerry Billota, 5th, and Joe Kirby, 6th. 15 started... The Metropolitan Assn. AAU Ten Mile Run Championship is scheduled for Sunday afternoon, May 11th, under the auspices of the FAOY CHER, I.C. in conjunction with the Workers Recreation Commission, at Glen Park, Yorkers, NY (relax boys it's closed!?)... Gar Williams, UCTC, distance ace & top midwest indoor runner won the 2 mile at the Michigan AAU relays (Jan.31) in 9:35.2 with Henry Kennedy, 3,2nd. On Feb. 8th, Gar ran 1 1/2 miles in 6:47.8 in an Open Track Meet at the U. of Illinois Army, followed by a 2:26 2 mile on Feb. 15 in a dual meet with Indiana U. On Feb 22 Gar ran a 14:28.2, 3 mile in the UCTC Invitational meet at the Chicago Fieldhouse.

NEW WORLD INDOOR MILE RECORD SET BY VILLANOVA'S RON DELANEY in 4:03.4. Shaves two seconds off mark established by Nielson in 1955. - March 14- Chicago, Ill. Ron Delaney, that swift one from Dublin, tonight held his own St. Patrick's day parade by setting a world indoor record for the mile run before 10,136 in the 22nd Chicago relays. The scene was different but the spruce track the same as Ron defended his Banker's Mile title. Held in the Chicago Stadium the past 16 years, the relays returned to the amphitheater where they started in 1937 and were contested through 1941. However, the same fast board track on which Delaney scored a 4:03.8 victory in the stadium last year was set up in the amphitheater, hard by Chicago's stockyards. The effortless Irishman broke the recognized mark of 4:01.6 set by Denmark's Gunnar Nielson in New York in 1935. Everybody in the field had a hand at pacing Delaney's great 11-lap mile. First it was Jim Beatty, who led the first four laps with Phil Coleman running second, Delaney third and Burr Grim fourth. On the fifth, sixth and seventh laps, Grim was ahead with Beatty, Coleman and Delaney trailing. Coleman was in charge on the eighth lap and Delaney, starting to make his move, brushed elbows with Grim. But Delaney poured through on the inside and went surging ahead by himself the rest of the way. Ron ran his last quarter in 58.4 that left the capacity crowd in a frenzy as he whizzed home some 35 yards ahead of Coleman. (Splits: 61s; 2:01; 3:05 Coleman with Delaney a stride behind). Burr Grim finished third and Beatty fourth and last in the four ran field. Iowa's Charles (Beacon) Jones outlasted Southern California's Max Truck to win a hot two-mile battle in 9:04.3. Minnesota's Bud Idolon, who ran 9:09.9 in finishing 2nd to Jones in the Big Ten indoor two mile, was third and Alex Brockbridge, 4th in 9:00 (ed. as reported from Villanova). Army Lt. Archie Sowell, ex-Pitt star, was chafed in the Harry Gill 1000-yard run by North Carolina's big Dave Sourlock in a fast 2:11.1. Dale Vandenberg kingpin from Metro Dome finished third. Charles Jenkins, Olympic 400-meter champion, repeated in the Frank Hill 600 in 1:11.3. John Telford, Wayne finished 2nd and Josh Calbreath, Phila. Pioneer Club finished 3rd. Michigan State (Castle, Hughes, Atterberry, Dave Leon) won the two mile relay over Illinois (2nd) and Indiana (3rd) in 7:40.9.

Brisbane, Australia, March 15- Herb Elliott, Australia's young mile sensation, retained his National title today but was jeered by 10,000 spectators because he ran last most of the way. He was clocked in the slow time of 4:06.8 while defeating Merv Lindoh by 12 yards. The two stars loped along in last places until the final lap. The kinder track was not in top shape because of a heavy rain Friday. Mar. 17-

Herb Elliott easily captured the Australian 600 title today in 1:49.4 to go with his mile title win of Saturday. Herb led all the way today and defeated Minceln by 30 yards. Merv did 1:53.5. Elliott was only a tenth of a second off the Aussie 880 mark of 1:49.3 which he set March 11, 1977. Tony Olsson was third today; Tony

Bluo fourth. From Track Newsletter (35.00 per year. The twice-a-month supplement to T&F News. Trial subscriptions: 3 months, \$1; 6 months, \$2 order direct from Long Distance Log)

Herb Elliott rescued coach Percy Corutty from drowning in the ocean surf at Portsea. It was a near-thing. Percy got swept out fast behind a rock shelf. Tide was just on turn seaward. In his position water was a boiling maelstrom. He could make no progress shorewards at all. Elliott, in more regular surf about 50 yards to one side of Corutty, swam out to his level, and on seeing Percy in real trouble, moved in, took his hand, pulled him to the regular surf. Herb then waited on the first incoming breaker, got behind Percy, and gave him a hard shove. Three times more Herb did this, so that the waves carried Percy close in to the beach. Corutty was exhausted but was quite well the next day. There was nobody else on or near the beach. "I'd had it" said Corutty later. "I owe my life to Herb, and there is no greater tribute I could pay him than tell you that his coolness strength and courage amazed me." (The next day in Melbourne (3/2) Herb ran 3:51.8 for 1500 meters.)

Brierley Olympics, Laredo, Tex. 3/8/58- Mile: Villarreal, Texas, 4:13.7; 440: Ed Southern, Texas, 46.8; 880: Joe Villarreal, Texas, 1:53.9; 2 mile: Jerry Smartt, 9:24.0 Mile Relay: SMU, 3:13.4. College Class: Sandoval, Lamar Tech, 4:14.7 and 1:24.0. Bob McMillen, 1952 Olympic 1500 runner-up, is working out again and has done 4:18. Joe Mallins, the Canadian ace at Nebraska, is bothered by a bone spur, didn't qualify for the Big 8 660 final.

Tenth Annual Montebello, Calif. 10-Mile Road Run Sponsored by Montebello Department of Recreation Sunday, March 9, 1958 - Start 10:15 a.m.

Order of finish	1st Lap	2nd	3rd	Finish	
1. Thomas Ryan, unat.	12:25	25:04	38:01	50:59	Roster of
2. Bob Drake, Culver City A.C.	12:25	25:26	39:10	52:47	Winners
3. Armando Lopez, East Los Angeles JC	13:06	26:56	41:25	55:46	1949 57:59
4. Jim Sobio, Southern Calif. Striders	13:02	27:07	41:37	56:01	Chester Collins
5. Ken V. Esse, Santa Ana College	13:50	28:13	43:11	57:56	1950 56:30.6
6. Gary L. Rees, Santa Ana College	13:50	28:13	43:11	57:56	Walter Deike
7. Philip S. Clarke, Jr. Culver City AC	13:41	28:22	43:24	58:29	1951 53:58.7
8. Doug Klann, Culver City AC	13:51	29:08	44:23	59:35	Leu Wen-ngau,
9. Hugh Randoll, unat.	13:54	28:57	44:41	59:57	South China AC
10. Tom D. Sisneros, Long Beach State	14:18	29:29	44:58	60:07	1952 52:58
11. Flavio Madariaga, unat.	14:06	28:56	44:24	60:12	Don Wyran
12. Richard A. Williams, El Toro Marines	14:15	29:10	45:03	60:31	San Diego St.C.
13. Robert A. Williams, unat.	14:16	29:45	45:07	60:48	1953 53:27.8
14. Wes Barrott, unat.	14:20	29:45	45:56	62:07	Jesse Van Zant
15. Walter E. Deike, U of Chicago TC	13:45	28:09	43:11	62:30	unattached
16. William A. Wells, Culver City AC	14:29	30:01	46:15	62:48	1954 56:41.2
17. Gordon J. Wol, unat.	14:50	31:30	47:17	63:09	Bobby Cons,
18. Ken Triguero, unat.	14:39	30:36	48:30	65:53	Culver City AC
19. John W. Stone, unat.	16:47	34:05	51:27	69:40	1955 56:39.6
20. Kenneth D. Strong, unat.	16:14	34:01	52:45	72:03	Albert E. Ray
21. Donald A. Knox, unat.	16:18	34:14	52:55	72:12	San Diego T&E
22. George C. Fitzgerald, OCAO	16:41	34:43	55:18	75:40	1956 51:03
23. Roy Levin, unat. (1st Montebello trophy)	16:54	36:04	57:25	78:49	Joe Tyler,
24. Michael Kish, Riverside YMCA	19:49	40:31	61:47	82:50	San Diego NTC
Did not finish: James D. Bevins,	13:48	29:05			(Cons, 2nd 51.3)
El Camino College					1957 52:11.6
Milton A. Creange, Culver City AC	15:11	31:39			Tom Ryan, unat.

Notes: Southern Pacific AAU's first ten-riler of the season produced a string of new records for the Montebello fixture.

Tom Ryan sparked the fireworks by racing over the four laps as though the motorcycle officers were chasing instead of pacing him. He finally blazed across the finish line in time four seconds faster than the standard of 51:03 posted by Joe Tyler in 1956. Another first was achieved as Tom became the first runner to win this event twice. 26 starters made up this largest field ever, as against 20 last year; and the total of 24 finishers automatically was tops as well. Whereas 7 distance men clocked less than an hour in 1956, and eight last March, nine of today's speedsters ran faster than 60 minutes, while four were within 48 secs. of that charmed circle. Sy Villa a spectator recovering from a cold and an injured foot. Cons also a spectator. Good news is that he is able to work out again, hopes to run at Newport Beach on March 30th. Walt Deike was 5th at end of 3rd lap, had to leave the

race for a few minutes, then picked it up again.

Notice: Is there any club within a 100 mile radius of Philadelphia who would be interested in a dual meet, either home or away, with the West Chester, Pa. Athletic Club? They want to build a series of dual meets between open AAU meets. They feel it through competition in a series of dual meets between open AAU meets. They feel it would be the best way to maintain interest of their younger runners, who at present, are not developed enough to place in open meets, and develop public interest in track also. Please contact John R. Williams, Corresponding Secretary, West Chester Athletic Club, 29 Dean St. West Chester, Pa.
 Scottish News: Alex Breckenridge (Victoria Park) was a good winner of the Edinburgh Harriers by about 150yds. in the Queen's Drive. Alex beat C. Fraser (Edinburgh East Harriers) by Harriers 4 1/2 mile X-Country Race, 1/1/58 - 1. Alex Breckenridge, Vict. Pk., 20:40; 2. A.H. Brown, (Motherwell) 20:44; 3. W.J. More, (Milnarnock) 20:56.

Scottish News- The "Nigel Bargo" Trophy race was run in wet and misty weather and over greasy roads. (4 1/2 miles). After a mile A. McDougall (Vale of Leven) was in front a few yards ahead of J. McLaren and Alex Breckenridge, with Graham Everett 10 yds. behind. At 3/4 mi. Breckenridge took the lead, closely followed by McLaren and Everett, with A. H. Brown now in 4th position. With a mile to go, McLaren sprang to the front to open a gap of 20 yds. from Everett, Breckenridge falling back to 3rd position. When less than half a mile from home, McLaren took a wrong turning, and by the time he rectified his error, Everett was 40 yds. ahead. Although putting in a strong finish, McLaren just failed to catch Everett, who won by about 6 yds. in 23:08.

1. G.E. Everett, (Shottleston) 23:08; 2. J. McLaren, (Victoria Park) 23:10; 3. A.D. Breckenridge, (Vict.Pk) 23:27; 4. A.H. Brown, (Metherwell YH) 23:29; 5. R. Calderwood, (Vict.Pk.) 23:40; 6. J. Russell, (Vict.Pk.) 23:45. Team: Vict.Pk. "A" 2-3-5--10 From Athletics Weekly- (Ad.- The finest obtainable ROAD RUNNING SHOES at reasonable prices. Beautifully supple black leather uppers with white strip facings. Very comfortable but hardwearing microcellular sole. Extremely light in weight. Half-sizes. These are really superior shoes and one well known road runner writes: "They are the best shoes I've ever had and I have just completed over 2,000 miles in them without a blister." Uppers now made of finest kangaroo- at no extra cost. Price

55/4 Postage 1/9 The Sports Centre- 6 High Deward Road, Rainham, Kent, England. Stoke-on-Trent, England- The Inter-County Cross Country Championship at Trentham Gardens proved an interesting and open race, one of the best for years. The race brought hard luck for early pacesetter Gerry North (severe stitch late in the race) and Eddie Kirkup (badly shaken after being brought down by a dog when coming through at a crucial stage). Kirkup, one of the fittest men in the country after five sessions of training a day, suffered a badly gashed knee, and eventually limped home in 38th position. As it turned out, it was George Knight who came home first for a well merited success which never looked in doubt after North had "cracked" and the unfortunate accident to Kirkup. North took over the lead at 3 miles and piled on the pace. At 5 miles he had 50 yards on the field. Hugh Foord was running 2nd followed closely by Kirkup, Knight, Cocking, Caulder, Anderson, Wild, Eldon and Heatley.

With 1 1/2 miles to go North developed a stitch on the hilly course and cracked completely in the last mile. With another year or two behind him, he should prove as great a force in the senior ranks as he has been with the juniors. It takes a great runner to "slam" a field of this class, and with a large part of the race gone it looked as though he was going to do just that. Ken Morris finished 12th, after a lay off for a tonsils operation. Surrey with 5 men in the first 32 won team laurels. (35 teams started) Surrey's success was achieved despite the fact that the inclusion of Gordon Pirie did not come off- he was generally in the 50-60 region and finished 70th. Results: 1. George Knight (Essex) 40:17; 2. Alan Cocking (Yorks.) 40:25; 3. J.P. Anderson (a fine young Northern runner who beat Hugh Foord by inches, both sprinting the last 60 yards neck and neck) 40:28; 4. H.V. Foord (Sussex) 40:28;

5. Johnny Wild (Cheshire) 40:30; 6. Ken Caulder (Surrey) 40:34; 7. Michael Bullivant, (Derbys) 40:36; 8. A. Perkins, (Essex) 40:37; 9. Basil Heatley, (Warwickshire) 40:40; 10. Stan Eldon, (Berkshire) 40:42; 11. P.D. Palmer, (Hertfordshire) 40:48; 12. Ken L. Norris, (Middlesex) 40:58. (18. North, (Lancs.) 41:14; Pirie ran 42:25) 200 finishers listed! Team: Surrey-6-13-17-23-25-42--128 pts. 2. Essex 141 pts. Norristown, Pa. Sunday, Mar. 16- 1st annual Elmwood Park 6.3 mile road run.

Cloudy and cold. Browning Ross grabbed the lead at the half-mile mark and set the pace the rest of the way. Improving Steve Thomas overhauled Luther Burdello in the last half mile to finish 2nd. Prizes: trophies to first three finishers and medals to the next 15. Team trophy won by Penn AC. Well officiated. Starter: Josh Culbreath.

Order of finish: 1. Browning Ross, Penn AC, 32:43; 2. Steve Thomas, Penn AC, 33:33; 3. Luther Burdello, Penn AC, 33:53; 4. Frank Batson, Penn AC, 34:50; 5. Joan McKenna, Penn AC (1st High School runner to finish trophy) 35:05; 6. Klaus Praesent, Penn AC, 35:19 (2nd local trophy) 7. Bob Chambers, Shanahan CC, 35:24; 8. John Cunningham, Penn AC, 35:51; 9. Stan Lindner, Penn AC, 35:53; 10. Pat Kennedy, Bishop Kendrick, MS, 35:56; 11. Tom Osler, Shan. CC, 35:57; 12. Dick Donahue, Boston AA, 36:28; 13. John Stokes, Shan. 36:44; 14. Henry Keller, LaSalle, 36:57; 15. Joe Rocco, P.A.C. 37:29; 16. Dennis Coyle, P.A.C. 37:42; 17. Henry Kinkaid, P.A.C. 38:25; 18. Hugh Jascourt, Penn AC, 38:42; 19. Tom Sharp, SCC, 40:44; 20. Robt. Hurley, SCC, 41:15 (26 finishers)

Middle Atlantic RRC Meeting-Monday, March 3, 1958

The meeting was called to order by President Browning Ross at 7:50 p.m. at the Carden, N.J. Y.M.C.A. The minutes read by secretary Hugh Jascourt were approved as read and Ross read the report of the National RRC meeting. This was followed by a report of the New England RRC read by Jascourt. Subsequently, membership cards were handed out for the first time. Frank Batson reported on his success in obtaining a 6.3 mile road run in Norristown on March 16. The run was designated as an open race with the RRC to pay the AAU sanction from the entry fees. Batson also disclosed that his mother would make RRC felt emblems which could be obtained from him at a low cost. Klaus Praesant reported on the possibility of having a future race sponsored by the Valley Forge Hospital. (Ed: They have agreed to sponsor the Jr. National AAU Marathon in October. This race was awarded to the Middle Atlantic AAU at the National AAU Convention in Washington.) The Middle Atlantic AAU Championship will be held April 13 in Collingdale, Penna. through the efforts of Leon Dreher and Steve Thomas. The Middle Atlantic AAU 25 Mile Championship will be held on May 24 sponsored by Riverview Beach, N.J. Park Commission. The National RRC two-man ten-mile relay championship will start at 3 P.M. March 29 with an entry fee of \$1.00 per team. Teams do not have to consist of members belonging to the same AAU team. The club agreed to give prizes to the first 10 teams. It was also decided that RRC meetings will be held at the Penn AC Southouse for the immediate future. In addition, the membership decided to retain its "Junior" classification as any runner under 20 years of age despite the 19 year limit for National "Junior" RRC runs. It was also determined that to obtain money for the treasury that chances would be sold on an RCA portable television set. Members also voted to obtain a guest speaker for the next meeting. The meeting was adjourned at 9:35 P.M.

Respectfully submitted, Hugh E. Jascourt, Secretary.
 Carden, N.J. Sunday, March 23- 11 Mile Race (3 laps of 3 3/4 miles per lap around Cooper River) Closed to RRC Members. Wind-swept course.
 1. Browning Ross, PAC, 64:53; 2. John Cunningham, PAC, 65:32; 3. Ed Kather, PAC, 66:13; 4. Tom Osler, Shan. 67:14; 5. Bob Chambers, Shan. 68:46; 6. Dick Donahue, Boston MA, 68:53; 7. Ralph Eilberg, PAC, 72:03; 8. Larry Delaney, Shanahan CC... Junior race, 1 lap (3 3/4 miles) 1. John McKenna, PAC, 20:28; 2. Klaus Praesant, PAC, 20:43; 3. John Stokes, Shan. 20:58; 4. Dennis Coyle, PAC, 21:39.

RAY'S RECORDS FALL IN CENTRAL AAU TRACK by Good Old Lafayette Smith

Chicago, Illinois; March 22; A pair of Joey Ray's 59 year old Central AAU indoor championship records were beaten on March 22, but it took two men to do it. Phil Coleman of the University of Chicago Track Club was the first man to better a Ray mark. Coleman, who just before running had discovered someone had stolen his suit of clothes from his locker, easily defeated Metro Dane ineligible Ron Gregory in 4:10.9. Ray's old record in 1919 was 4:14.6.. Twenty minutes later, Gar Williams also of the UCTC, duplicated Coleman's effort as he sped around the track in 2:10.4 to beat Ray's mark of 9:16.2. (Splits: 2:16, 4:33).. The performances of Coleman and Williams were comparatively ordinary by today's standards, but when Ray set his records, he accomplished what must have at the time been one of the world's finest "doubles." Both his records of 4:14 3/5 and 9:16 1/5 were accomplished on one day: April 10, 1919.. Joey Ray, who annually makes headlines when he runs the mile on his birthday though over 60 years old, had an all time best of 4:14.4 made while winning the National AAU mile on September 13, 1919. At that time it was a world record. Ray still holds one more Central AAU indoor record. His 2:14.8 for the 1000 yard run, set March 30, 1923, still stands although it was tied in 1956 by Wheaton's Jim Hanchett... SUMMARIES - Central AAU Indoor Championships - Mar.22, Mile Run: Coleman 4:10.9; Gregory; Ryan (Western Illinois); Duff (UCTC) 4:24.3
 2 Mile: Williams 9:10.4; Higdon (UCTC) 9:31.8; HARRISS (Ill.); Kelly(UCTC) 9:54.
 1000: Tom Hanchett,(Wheaton) 2:19; Shannonan, Gasperini... Mile Walk: John Martin (Horner Pk) 7:27.7; Weis (EP); Rotho (UCTC) (I would have disqualified both these last jokers for running)... 600: Pat Beatal (unat) 1:13.4; Porschke(UCTC); Henderson (UCTC) 1:14. Team Score: UCT C- 169 1/2; Wheaton 34; Northern Illinois 23 1/5 (down to the 14th place team - Monmouth-with 1/5 point) other events: 60MH: McNulty UCTC, 7.6; P.W. Flinn, No. Ill. 12'10"; 300-Johnson, UCTC, 31.8; 60-Brooks Johnson UCTC 6.3; HJ- Richardson, UCTC 6'4 1/2"; Shot Put-Carlson, No. Central, 46' 3/4"

Mailbag - From A. L. Monteverde, Los Angeles, "Reading in your last log the performance of Donald Sheppard compared same with my annual days of my cross country run in 1929."

- July 16 - Ten Miles east of Winnemucca Nevada to Inlay 45 miles
- July 17 - Inlay- Lovelock, Nevada 45 "
- July 18 - Lovelock- Carson Sink 45 "
- July 19 - Carson Sink - Reno 54 "
- July 20 - Reno - Soda Springs 49
- July 21- Soda Springs- Weimer 47
- July 22- Weimer- Sacramento 61
- July 23- Sacramento- Reno 72

Time-7 days, 20 hours

419 miles

This was from lowlands and over the rocky mts. Enjoyed myself comparing my performance with Sheppard's." P.S. ed: Iente was 60 years old in 1929!

Eastern College Top Results: 3/15- Yale 33, Dartmouth 26-1300- I. Schad, D. 2. Cathcart, I. 3. Colyer, D. 2:17.7; Mile- 1. Cathcart, I. 2. Freeman, I. 3. Kistler, D. 4:21.1; 2 Mile-1. Blake, Y. 2. Cherryholmes, I. 3. Berkowitz, D. 9:45.0.. Yale Fresh 70 2/3, Dartmouth F. 33 1/3- 500- 1. Baly, D. 1:13.4; 1000- 1. Logat, I. 2:20.7; Mile:1. Carroll, Y. 4:24.1; 2 Mile:1. Bachrach, I. 9:51.3 (also 2nd in mile)... 2/22 Cornell 64, Yale 45- 1000-1. Slowik, Y. 2. Cummins, C. 3. Wade, Y. Mile-1. Hidler, C. 2. Cathcart, I. 3. Cravner, C. 4:21.1; 2 Mile-1. Echol, C. 2. Blake, Y. 3. McHugh, C. 9:39.5... 2/19- Brewn 02, Boston College 12 - 500-1. Reed, B. 1:14.7 new gym rec. 1000- 1. Macardale, B. 2:21.6; Mile-1. Macdonald, B. 2. Sullivan, B. 3. McCormack, 30 4:34.2; 2 Mile:1. Sullivan, B. 2. Osborne, B. 3. MacCarthy, B. 3. Pastore, F. 2:20.0; Mile: 52, Tufts 52 (Tie) 1000- 1. Cotter, T. 2. Macarlie, B. 3. Pastore, F. 2:20.0; Mile: 1. Cotter, T. 2. Sullivan, B. 3. MacDonall, B. 4:26.3; 2 Mile: 1. Sullivan, B. 2. MacDonald, B. 3. Powers, T. 13:03.1; 2/15 Brown 32 Maine 52 (Brown had 2 ties during same season!!) 1000-1. Macardale, B. 2. Bessey, H. 3. Law, H. 2:10.7; Mile:1. Rearick H. 2. Law, H. 3. MacDonall, B. 4:21.5; 2 Mile: 1. Sullivan, B. 2. Rearick, H. 3. MacDonald, B. 9:41.3... Dartmouth 70 Columbia 39 - 1000- 1. Schad, D. 2:19.2; Mile:1. Kistler, D. 2. Iglesias, C. 3. Allen, C. 4:30.5; 2 Mile: 1. Bertowitz, D. 2. Allen, C. 2. Iglesias, C. 10:27.2...

NY X of C March 8 (Times & Splies) Mile 1. Dolan, 4:56.4; 2. 3:08.3 Coleman; 3. 4:10.2 Grim; 4. 4:15.7 Seatty; 5. 4:16.1 King. splies 61-2:04, 3-3:05, 2... 2 Mile 1. 9:01.1 Macy; 2. 9:11.1 Breckenridge; 3. 9:14.3 McKenzie; 4. 9:14.9 Sawyer; 5. 9:22.4 ? splies: 66-2:16-3:26, 3-4:33, 8-5:40, 5-6:46, 2-7:54, 1.

DELAWARE WLS IN 4:12.7 IN 1928 HODOCR FINALE; MILE STRIKE NOV 24. MOST WINS IN 9:02# Cleveland, March 21.- Betting Burr Grim set the pace until the 3/4 mile mark(3:14) Delany started through the final quarter in 0:56.7 to win by a comfortable 15 yd. margin over Grim. Arnie Sowell, former middle distance star from Pittsburgh now in the army, finished third. Sowell was expected to set a fast early pace but never advanced beyond third place. Ed Vander "duvel", Central Michigan, the pacer setter through a 0:51.3 quarter, finished fourth. John Macy, 26-year-old Polish refugee, outclassed the two-mile run field, winning in 9:02.4. Charley Deacon Jones, Iowa, who was ill with flu earlier in the week, pressed Macy for the first mile but had to drop out at the mile and a quarter. Doug Kyle, Hamilton Olympic Club ace, now studying at Michigan was 2nd and Alci Breckenridge, Scotland 3rd.

Bruce Lockorbie, New York 40, hung back for the first half of the 1000, then spurred to grab the lead from Metro Demo's Dale Vandenberg and won in 2:13.4. Lockorbie's teammate, George King, finished third after leading through the half-way mark. Dave Martin, Michigan finished fourth. Charley Jenkins, Cambridge, Mass., successfully defended his meet crown in the 600. The former Villanova star was clocked in 1:11.7. Joe Gaffney, another former Villanova great who won the event here twice previously, finished second. Roger Gun, Kentucky was third and John Telford, Detroit Track Club fourth. Manhattan(McLaughlin, Diaz, Soprano & Murphy) won the 2 mile relay in a fast 7:37.3 over Syracuse, Mich. State and Illinois in that order. 9827 witnessed the 18th annual meet sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. Pitt ran the fastest mile relay (3:16.4) meet record, old rec. 3.19.2..

San Fernando Six-Mile Handicap Road Run. Sunday, March 16, 1958 - 11:00 a.m.
 Sponsored by San Fernando, Calif. Recreation Department; Director of Run: Curly Boyd.
 Start & finish at Recreation Park. Weather clear and perfect for running after
 heavy rains through the week. Record number of 27 starters. 24 finished. Bob Cons
 worked as a starter- hopes to be running by April 15th at Pasadena race. Tom Ryan
 didn't compete. Ryan ran 2 miles last week at El Camino College and won in 9:40.4.

Order of finish

Rank	Elapsed time	Actual time	Fast time	
1.	36:57	31:07	1	
2.	39:06	32:51	5	
3.	39:12.4	31:42.4	2	
4.	39:19	31:49	3	
5.	39:34	33:19	6	
6.	39:46	32:46	4	
7.	40:06	33:51	7	
8.	40:35	35:35	10	
9.	40:41	34:41	9	
10.	40:43	36:26	13	
11.	40:50	35:50	11	
12.	40:58	36:58	15	
13.	41:00	36:08	12	
14.	scr.	41:54	34:24	8
15.	scr.	41:54.1	37:39.1	16
16.	3:30	42:05	38:05	17
17.	2:00	42:21	36:51	14
18.	4:30	42:41	39:41	20
19.	5:00	43:01	40:51	21
20.	3:00	43:22	38:52	18
21.	3:15	43:32	39:17	19
22.	5:00	44:56	42:26	22
23.	5:30	48:03	46:03	23
24.	7:30	55:25	55:25	24

Did not finish: Milton A. Greeng, Culver City AC, 4:15; Ronald Eaton, Pierce

JO, 1:30; Arthur Cossio, unattached, 3:30... Those men originally listed at
 30 seconds became the actual scratch starters. Handicaps listed above have been
 adjusted 30 seconds to give a true picture. This does not change or affect in any
 way the times of the contestants.

Olympic Development 10 Mile Walk, March 16 at Snohomish, Washington.

1. Al Cross, Snoh. HS, Elapsed 1:53:31 - Actual 1:49:31; 2. Don Jacobs, Tigard, Oregon, 2:00:29 - 1:54:29; 3. Arnold Olds, Seattle, Wash., 2:03.27 - 1:41:27;
 4. Jim Fields, Seattle Olympic Club, 2:04:30 - 2:00:30; 5. Don Anderson, Seattle, Washington, 2:14:31 - 2:12:31; Disc, Dave Pogo, Seattle, Wash. (Matches started on first man who had 22 mins. start on Olds the scratch man. Anderson had 20, Cross & Fields had 18, Jacobs had 16)... Walk Schedule of PNW AAU (Long Distance) April 19-25 Km. Seattle; May 18-19 Km. Seattle; June 29- 35 Km. Seattle; July 20- 20am. Auburn; August 9- U.S.A. 35 Km. Seattle-4 P.M. Sept. 1- 5am. Seattle.
- PNW AAU Notes: Scafair Marathon-sponsored by Seattle Highland Games to be held on August 2. Start will be at 9 a.m. at West Seattle Stadium... Daffodil Festival to sponsor 5 mile road races on April 12 at either Tacoma or Puyallup, Washington.
 From Don Jacobs, Tigard, Oregon, "I had a letter from a friend in London who mentioned a fellow named Brian Frost who claims he runs 450 miles a week! also claims a 3:57.0 mile- 29:04 10km. & 11 miles 900 yds. in an hour. But he will only enter the 880, Mile, 3 mile and 6 mile in the championships this year. The note about him adds, "whether he is a freak or a publicity seeker only time will tell." Well at least he's ambitious." (Ed. Here we go again!)
- It's a boy for the Dean Thackway's (8th. Gen.) Dean has decided to run the roads again this year, because of the lack of track and x-country races in the east. Dean states, "I'll have to do as Kelley did "specialize" in road running."
 Order Modern Middle And Long Distance Running a new book by marathoner Jim Peters and his coach. 152p. ill. 1957. \$3.50 direct from Long Distance Log..

Manhattan, Kan. Mar. 22- Kansas State's 2nd annual indoor T&F meet. Dist. Medley Relay-1. Colorado (Spykstra, Poucher, Fitzmorris, Frakes) 2. Emporia St. 3. Kansas State; 4. Drake. 10:19.1.. 2 Mile Relay: 1. Colorado; 2. Emporia State; 3. Kan. St. 4. Oklahoma State. 7:56.5.. 3000 Meter Run: 1. Ned Sargent, Colorado; 2. Terry Turner, Kan. St. 8:53.7.. 1000- 1. Bob McVickar, Ft. Hays; 2. Larry Floyd, Wichita; 3. Jesso Uhrh, Kan. St. 4. Terry Wilkerson, Okla. St. 2:16.1.. 500- 1. Larry French, Kan. St. 1:14.3.. 12 schools competed. Odessa, Texas, Mar. 22- Rain-harried West Texas Relays. University Div. won by Texas as with 81 pts. 2. Abeliene Christian, 51, 3. SMU, 36; 4. Houston 34 (Joe Villarreal, Texas set a mile record of 4:12. East Texas State won the Collogo Div. with 55 pts. Fixtures: National Marathon Championship and Metropolitan AAU District Marathon Championship combined Sunday, May 16, 1958, at 12 o'clock noon under auspices Chippewa Club, INC. 116-118 Lake Ave. Yonkers, N.Y... National Junior 15 Mile Championship, Sunday, April 13, 1958- 1:30 PM under auspices Hawaiian AAU Long Dist. Running Committee Honolulu, Hawaii (AAU Medals & special prizes to the first 15 men to finish)-consisting of Trophies, Merchandise or Medals. Entries to Dr. Richard W. You, 1282 Emma St. Honolulu, Hawaii... Open Track meet, May 31st at Stagg Field in Chicago. All of the Olympic events, which means a 3 mile, 6 mile, and 3000 Meter Steeplechase. The 6 mile (along with trials in other events) will be run in the morning when it's cooler. (I cd: as I write this there is at least a foot of snow on the ground).. From Hal Higdon, Chicago, "If anyone feels the urge to hitchhike into Chicago for the meet, they can contact me and I'll see if I can put them up. I'M getting married and after May 1 will be living at 5452 Cornell. Our apartment has a big inner door bed, which I'm going to reserve only for visiting track men." (ED: Congratulations to the future Mr. ~~W~~-trackman after the future Mrs. Higdon reads Hal's generous offer)... 5 Mile Handicap Road Run, Tuesday, April 15th as part of York, Pa. week-long Colonial Day's Celebration. Race time 8 PM. Entries to Bob Hoffman, 51 N. Broad St. York, Pa. Good prizes... 20 Mile 4 man relay, Atlantic City, N.J. Sunday, April 27. South Atlantic Association Champs (Indoor) March 22- Mile: 1. Berry, Morgan State, 4:17.5; 2. Sawyer, Baltimore Olympic Club, 4:19.5.. 40 minutes later Sawyer won 2 Mile in 9:28.1 - a good double.. Carl Party won the 1000 yds. in 2:19.1. From Charley Robbins, Middletown, Conn., "The more I hear of Percy Cerutti, the Australian coach, the better I like him. It seems to me as though the only way a nature athlete can accept coaching is by Cerutti's method of telling them what he expects and then saying go out and do it and come back when you need some advice. In other words, he seems to inspire them to try his methods and then lets them go ahead and do it. I never could see much sense in this nurse-maiding idea of giving someone exact schedules." From Albert Steward, Berwick, Pa., "Our 4 mile road race was a big success. Some of the boys had trouble at the start and piled up! Three were pretty badly brushed burned, but they all got up and finished, in fact one (Stan Friend) went on to win the race. Sad to say I personally finished 17th." Palo Alto, Calif. Mar. 22- Laszlo Tabori won his third two-mile race in as many weeks today in 9:15.3. Tabori ran for Santa Clara Valley Youth Village in a triangular track meet. Stanford scored 96 points, Santa Clara 30, and San Fran. 29. Phila. Mar. 22- 12th annual Univ. of Pennsylvania Spiked shoe track meet on Franklin Field board track. Unmindful of the snow and slush, some 650 schoolboy athletes turned out. (3 divisions- Suburban, Pa., N.J. and Del.. Phila., Public and Parochial.. Prep School.. Best distance performances were in 2nd Division; Mile: 1. Maurice Cannon, Roman Catholic, Phila.; 2. Angelo Sivieri, West Catholic; 3. Joe McAndrews, Father Judge. 4:33.5.. 800- 1. Pat Nicastro, Roman Catholic; 2. Bill Scott, RC; 3. Ken Morris, West Phila. 1:59.7. Paris, Mar. 22- After Emil Zatopsek announced his retirement recently at the age of 35, the question naturally came up about Alain Mimoun, 38, might think of stopping down. "I have no idea," Mimoun says quite frankly. "I'm afraid that if I stopped running I would get sick. My organism is accustomed to training and competition. All through the winter I forced myself to run 12 to 15 miles a day in the Vincennes woods. I tell you when I get home I'm tired, because that Paris air isn't so exhilarating." All this to get ready for European Marathon title this summer in Stockholm... Phila. Ron Delany Predicts World Mark in Elliott dual June 6-Compton!

LONG DISTANCE CHATTER

If Captain John Parker and his fearless band of Minute Men had been able to visualize what the years would do to the holiday they inaugurated when they defied the British on Lexington Green that frosty April morning in 1775, they might have challenged Major Pitcairn and his boys to a road race and let it go at that. For in effect, April 19, is the running of the famed Boston Athletic Association Marathon. This running classic is the greatest of all the international marathons. Those who have never witnessed or competed in the event will naturally be skeptical but the visiting marathoners from abroad will convince them.

Promptly at noon on the 19th Walter Brown, the BAA Prexy will start a horde' of some 170 aspiring marathoners off on the 62nd annual grind. Throngs of spectators who line the highways applaud their efforts. Last year's event was covered by press representatives from Finland, Japan and Korea - not to mention two Voice of America teams for Japan and Korea.

In case you don't know - It cost approximately ²⁻⁰⁰⁰⁰ \$12000 to sponsor the historic run Closest finish was in 1906 - Tim Ford over Dave Kneeland 6 sec. Youngest winner Tim Ford-18. Oldest winner Clarence De Mar 42. A staff of 12 podiatrists are on hand to treat the aching tootsies after the long haul. Only vehicles allowed on the course are 2 official buses - 1 truck for newspaper camera men and 1 ambulance. Americans have won the event 34 times, Canada 14, Japan 3, Korea and Finland 2 while Sweden, Germany, Greece and Guatemala 1.

Clarence De Mar - 7 time winner of the BAA is now in his 70th year and still competes in an occasional 10 miler. Rumor has it Herb Elliott ran 30 miles in 3 3/4 hours on Dec. 28 (Didn't Paavo Nurmi say speed comes from endurance?) The Southern California Striders are moulding a strong road running club. Of course you need something more than just the desire to become a champion. You must pay the price - be willing to train earnestly, thoroughly. The North Medford Club, Mass. will conduct a series of 5 mile track runs in an effort to encourage local high school and college grads to stay in competition. ~~Former Nationsl Jr. Marathon Champ, Aldo Scandura~~ ~~won the Millrose AA 30 mile run on Feb. 22.~~ The 1 hr. track run is spreading with Central, New Jersey, Metropolitan, New England and the South and Middle Atlantic Associations all listing the same. The extreme cold spell and heavy snowfall has hampered the speed workouts of the Eastern marathoners. Syd Kronenthal and his Southern Pacific runners started their 58 season with a record breaking entry list of 47 in the running of the 6th Annual ~~Mer~~Merrosa Beach 5 mile run. Whenever you run - the emblem on your running shirts tells whom you represent. Be a good sport - a good will ambassador from your club and association.

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