

Ryun Defeats Premier Relays Mile Field

By Lu Gandolfo

Jim Ryun, the skinny high school senior from Kansas, bettered his national mile record by .2 seconds in winning the featured California Relays mile here last night before a disappointing turnout at the Modesto Junior College stadium.

Two weeks ago Ryun sen-

sationally set a new interscholastic record that is expected to stand up even though he broke the mark by turning in a 3 minute, 58.1 seconds clocking.

Officials do not think his fastest time ever last night will not be accepted since it was not made in a prep meet.

Ryun, who placed third

here last year behind Dyrol Burleson and Tom O'Hara, proved that he can run with the best of them by running splits of 59.5, 2:00.5, 3:01.9 and 3:58.1.

John Garrison, the former San Jose State half miler, also was timed in 3:58.1. Hungarian Coach Mike Igloi tabbed Garrison as the darkhorse in

the race and he lived up to the expectations of the European expert who developed distance runners like Laszlo Tabori and Jim Beatty.

Garrison ran the final 440 in 55.4 to move up from fourth to second and to beat out Jim Grelle, the old timer, who was clocked in 3:58.2.

Josef Odlozil, the Czech

who was second to Peter Snell in the Olympic mile, was fourth in 3:58.4.

The first four men topped 4 minutes.

Ryun termed the Modesto track as perfect with everything "just perfect—the track, the wind, the temperature, just everything".

Igloi said: "The track was

too hard for the mile." He refused to compare Garrison and the Kansas U bound Ryun as "both are great." He did not elaborate.

He did say Garrison, who has trained only for three months, could soon be the best in the world.

Garrison claims he ran a Tuesday

to make his move. Garrison was confident that he would win the race.

Ryun failed to crack as Grelle made his move on the final 50 yards and soon realized he would be unable to pass up the high schooler, who will get his diploma Tuesday.

Nobody figured that Gari-

son would close up so fast. His best previous time was 4:10.6.

Australia's Ron Clarke, probably the finest distance runner in the world, was in command all the way, as he won the two mile in a fine 8 minutes, 32 seconds as he ran straight up in a machine-like fashion.

There was a 15 man field in the event but only Ron Larrieu of the Southern Cal Striders was able to offer the Australian holder of five world records much argument.

But in the end when Larrieu put on the pressure Clarke started legging it and beat the one time Palo Alto prep by nearly 100 yards. New Zealander Neville Scott made a bid but it was to overtake Larrieu. But George Young nosed him out for third.

Best Of Year

Clarke's race was the fastest in the world this year and shatters the Cal Relays mark of New Zealander Bill Baillie last year.

Clarke was disappointed in his fine time and blamed the lack of a fast pace for not doing better in his outdoor debut in the United States.

He doubts that he will ever be able to break Bob Schul's record for the two mile race. Clarke holds five world records and won back the 5,000 meter mark he lost to Schul.

The Australian expected Scott to be his chief rival in the race. He termed the Modesto track as "great".

Clarke says he is not aiming for records but to win and improve each time out.

Beats Veterans

High school senior Richmond Flowers of Montgomery, Ala., broke out from far in the pack to beat the veterans in the 120 yard high hurdles in a blanket finish.

He was timed in 13.9 seconds the same as second place finisher Blaine Lindgren, the defending champ from the Southern Cal Striders. Roger Mann of Northeast Louisiana was hot on their tail.

It was fifth flight for Flowers over the 42 inch college obstacles after a season of competition over 38 inch barriers. He was second in his trial heat won by NE Louisiana's Roger Morgan. The first heat was taken by Lindgren.

Olympic Games performer Dan Cassell, running unattached took the 440 yard dash in 47.1 seconds beating out Freddy Banks of the Southern Track Club.

Lowers Mark

Olympic champion Rex Cowley lowered his California Relays 440 yard intermediate hurdles record to 51.2, clipping .3 off his meet mark. Jay Luck, a Yale athlete who competed in the Tokyo Olympics, also bettered the meet record with a 51.4 effort.

Jan Underwood of the Oregon States Track Club barely nipped Jim Groothoff of the Golden Gate TC in the invitational 880 yard run. Underwood was clocked in 1 minute, 33 seconds with Groothoff, an ex-San Jose Stater, 3 second behind.

Canadian Olympic Games veteran Harry Jerome easily won the 100 yard dash in 9.4 seconds, .1 second off the Modesto mark by outstepping Mel Pender, Ft. Campbell, Ky. Jerome had an aiding wind of 4.49 miles per hour, under the allowable.

There were no heats run in the century.

George Anderson bested his Southern teammate Grandy Harris in the 220. Harris pulled up early as he mistook a board as the finish line. Jerome did not appear in the 220. Harris' winning time was 21 flat with Harris .2 behind. Paul Winder of Camp Pendleton was third.

Relays Summaries

120 high hurdles—1, Richmond Flowers, Montgomery, Ala., 13.9. 2, Roger Morgan, NE Louisiana St., 13.9. 3, Blaine Lindgren, Striders, 13.9. 4, Roger Mann, NE Louisiana St., 14.0. 5, Harvey Narin, Southern TC, 14.2. 6, Walter Butler, Pasadena AA, 14.2.

Women's 880—Marie Mulder, Sacramento, 2:13.3, (new California and Pacific AAU record. Old record, 2:19.0). 2, Cathy Catlin, Sacramento, 2:13.3. 3, Leah Ferris, Hawaii, 2:16.8. 4, Suzy Byersdorfer, Sacramento, 2:18.5. 5, Jarvis Scott, Los Angeles, 2:22.1. 6, Lynn Anderson, San Mateo GAA, 2:23.0.

440—1, Olan Cassell, Houston, Texas, 47.1. 2, Freddy Banks, Southern Track Club, 47.3. 3, Dick Edmunds, Camp Pendleton Marines, 47.9. 4, Mike Barrick, Camp Pendleton Marines, 48.2.

Long Jump—1, Ralph Boston, Striders, 27-5 (betters old world and American record of 27-4 $\frac{1}{4}$ by Boston, 1964.) 2, Charlie Mays, Grand St. Boys, 25-6 $\frac{1}{2}$. 3, Gayle Hopkins, Pasadena AA, 25-4 $\frac{1}{2}$. 4, Sid Nicholas, 49er TC, 24-2 $\frac{1}{4}$. 5, Howard Meadows, Striders, 22-9 $\frac{3}{4}$.

880—1, Jan Underwood, Oregon State TC, 1:53.0. 2, Jim Groothoff, Golden Gate TC, 1:53.2. 3, Jim Heath, Pendleton Marines, 1:53.2. 4, Dave Mellady, 49er TC, 1:53.2. 5, Burt Ohlander, Striders, 1:53.4.

440 Relay — 1, Southern Track Club (George Anderson, Karl Hartfield, Harvey Nairn, Webster Johnson), 40.4. 2, Striders, 40.5. Fort Campbell and 49er Track Club disqualified.

High Jump—1, John Dobroth, Striders, 7-0. 2, Lloyd Higgins, Pasadena College, 6-10. 3, Richard Ross, Southern Track Club, 6-10. 4, Jim Brown SCVYV, 6-8.

Pole Vault—1, Jeff Chase, SCVYV, 16-1. 2, Floyd Manning, Striders, 15-5 $\frac{1}{2}$. 3, Phil White, Pasadena AA, 15-5 $\frac{1}{2}$. 4, John Cramer, unattached, 15-5 $\frac{1}{2}$ (places decided on fewer misses). 5, John Rose, Pasadena AA, 15 $\frac{1}{4}$.

Sprint Medley Relay—1, 49ers Track Club Shirley, Miraglia, R. Lee, S. Lee, 3:19.3. 2, SCVYV, 3:21.7. 3, Striders, 3:23.3.

1 Mile—1, Jim Ryun, Wichita, Kan., 3:58.1. 2, John Garrison, San Diego, unattached, 3:58.1. 3, Jim Grelle, Multnomah AC, 3:58.2. 4, Josef Odlozil, Czechoslovakia, 3:58.2. 5, Cary Weisigner, North Carolina TC, 4:02.

Shot Put—John McGrath, Pasadena AA, 62-8 (betters meet record of 62-2 $\frac{3}{4}$ by Randy Matson, Texas A&M, 1964). 2, Jay, Tremonton, Utah, 62-1. 3, Dave Maggard, SCVYV, 59-6 $\frac{3}{4}$. 4, Dave Price, Cal Western, 59-1 $\frac{3}{4}$. 5, Dave Steen, Emerald Empire Track Club, 58-9 $\frac{1}{2}$.

440 hurdles — 1, Rex Cawley, Pasadena AA, 51.2 (betters meet record of 51.5 by Cawley in 1964). 2, Jay Luck, New Haven TC, 51.4. 3, Willie Atterberry, Striders, 51.4. 5, Bill Smith, Pasadena AA, 55.4. 6, Paul Vogel, Louisiana St., 55.7.

880 relay — 1, Southern Track Club Anderson, Mason, Harris, Lewis, 1:23.5. 2, Striders, 1:24.0. 3, 49er TC, 1:29.0.

Triple jump — 1, Art Walker, Ft. Huachuca, Ariz., 54-3 $\frac{1}{2}$. 2, Darrell Horn, Oregon Staters TC, 52-9 $\frac{1}{4}$. 3, Charlie Craig, 49er TC, 50-2 $\frac{3}{4}$. 4, Howard Meadow, Striders, 49-1.

Two mile — 1, Ron Clarke, Australia, 8:32.0. (New meet record. Old record 8:37.1 by Bill Baille, New Zealand, 1964). 2, Ron Larrieu, Los Angeles, 8:40.4. 3, George Young, Phoenix, Ariz., 8:43.6. 4, Neville Scott, New Zealand, 8:44.6. 5, Dave Ellis, Toronto, 8:52.2. 6, Bill Morgan, Golden Gate TC, 8:53.5.

Two mile relay — 1, Striders, Ron Whitney, Jim Dupree, Ted Nelson, Harris Williams, 7:25.2. 2, 49er Track Club, 7:36.0. 3, SCVYV, 7:38.3.

220 — 1, George Anderson, Southern TC, 21.0. 2, Grundy Harris, Southern TC, 21.2. 3, Paul Winder, Camp Pendleton Marines, 21.3. 4, Steve Robins, SCVYV, 21.4. 5, Charles Mays, Grand Street Boys, 21.7. 6, Fred Banks, Southern TC, 21.7.

Hammer throw — 1, Hal Connolly, Culver City AC, 233-2 betters world and American record of 231-10 by Connolly, 1962. 2, Ed Burke, Santa Clara Valley Youth Village, 220-4. 3, George Frenn, Pasadena AA, 207-4. 4, Jim Pryde, Santa Barbara AC, 198- $\frac{1}{2}$.

120 high hurdles, heat 1 (four qualify for finals) — 1, Blaine Lindgren, Southern California Striders, 14.0. 2, Roger Mann, N E Louisiana St., 14.2. 3, Glenn Louis, Pendleton Marines, 14.3. 4, Brian Polkinghorne, Pasadena AA, 14.7. 5, Connie McCormich, SCVYV, 14.8.

120 high hurdles, heat 2 (four qualify for finals) — 1, Rodger Morgan, NE Louisiana St., 14.1. 2, Richmond Flowers, Montgomery, Ala., 14.1. 3, Harvey Narin, Southern TC, 14.2. Walter Butler, Pasadena AA, 14.2. 5, Floyd James, Striders, 14.7.

Javelin — 1, Les Tipton, Oregon Track Club, 257-2 $\frac{1}{2}$. 2, Larry Stuart, Striders, 248-9. 3, Frank Covelli, Pasadena AA, 247-4 $\frac{1}{2}$. 4, Phil Conley, SCVYV, 244-9 $\frac{1}{2}$. 5, Dick Bocks, SCVYV, 234-10.

MILE WALK — 1, Dick Ortiz, Striders, 7:05.8. 2, Bob Bowman, Striders, 7:14.8. 3, Walt Jaqueth, Foothill College, 7:25.8. 4, Roger Duran, SCVYV, 7:38.2. 5, Harry Craft, Pleasant Hill TC, 7:45.8.

WOMEN'S 100 — 1, Christine Iverson, Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo, 11.0. 2, Cherrie Sherrard, Laurel TC, 11.0. 3, Cassandra Brooks, Laurel TC, 11.1. 4, Denise Paschal, Laurel TC, 11.2. 5, Evelyn Hamilton Oakettes AC, 11.2.

DISCUS — 1, Ludvig Danek, Czechoslovakia, 205-3. 2, Jay Sylvester, Tremonton, Utah, 201- $\frac{1}{2}$. 3, Dave Weill, Indian Track Club, 192-2. 4, George Puce, Striders, 190-5.

100—Harry Jerome, Canada, 9.4. 2, Mel Pender, Ft. Campbell, Kentucky, 9.4. 3, Paul Winder, Pendleton Marines, 9.5. 4, Steve Robbins, SCVYV, 9.6. 5, Dave Morris, Striders, 9.6. 6, Russ Hodge, SCVYV, 9.7.

Jaysee Summaries

TRIPLE JUMP — 1, Mike Woods, East LAN 49-9¼, 2, Gerald Lee, Pierce, 49-8¼, Gary Ard, Modesto, 48-11, 4, Doug Oimstead, Foothill, 48-9¼, 5, Willie Hearnson, LA Valley, 48-6¼, 6, Cornelius Frazier, Sequoias, 48-¼, new state record. Old mark 48-6, Bob Howard, 1964.

HIGH JUMP — 1, Max Lowe, Foothill, 7-½ new state record. Old record 6-9¼, John Rambo, Long Beach, 1963. 2, Dwight Tucker, San Francisco, 6-8, 3, Rich Sloan, Fullerton, 6-6, 4, Jim Brown, Mt. San Antonio, 6-6, 5, Tyrone Powell, Fresno, 6-6, 6, tie, Larry Mason, Citrus, 6-6, and Gary Hines, Foothill, 6-6.

300 HURDLES — 1, Ricky Rodgers Contra Costa, 37.3 new state record. Old mark 37.4, Dave White, Sequoias, 1964. 2, Ezunial Burts, Fresno, 37.4, 3, Harold Johnson, San Francisco, 37.7, 4, Bill Perry, Yuba, 38.1, 5, Don Shy, Mt. San Antonio, 38.3, 6, Paul McDaniel, Orange Coast, 38.8.

DISCUS — 1, Steve Fife, Chaffey, 162-1½ new state record. Old record 177-1½ by Les Mills, Foothill, 1963. 2, Bob Jacobs, Fresno, 164-7, 3, Chuck Smart, Foothill, 164-5½, 4, Kurt Wassell, Fullerton, 162-6½, 5, Richard Sanders, San Mateo, 156-3½, 6, Gary Barr, LA Valley, 151-4.

POLE VAULT — 1, Bob Searen, Mt. San Antonio, 15-1, 2, Carl Heier, Bakersfield, 15-1, 3, Dennis Phillips, San Mateo, 15-1, 4, tie, Jim Beasley, Bakersfield, 14-7, and Greg Miguel, El Camino, 14-7, 6, Dan Stone, Fresno, 14-7. (places determined on basis of fewest misses).

SHOT PUT — 1, Steve Fife, Chaffey, 58-1¼, 2, Steve Ledbetter, Santa Ana, 55-3¼, 3, Roy Thurman, Long Beach, 55-8, 4, Gary Barr, LA Valley, 52-11, 5, Chuck Smart, Foothill, 51-10½, 6, Duane Denofsky, Diablo Valley, 49-10.

400 RELAY — 1, Fresno, Thompson, Burts, Vaux, Mann, 41.3, state record. Old record, 41.6 by Oakland. 2, Santa Ana, 41.4, 3, Bakersfield, 41.5, 4, Compton, 41.6, 5, San Mateo, 41.7, 6, Merritt, 41.8.

MILE — 1, Marcel Hetu, San Mateo, 4:12.9, 2, Bill Scober, Pierce, 4:13.1, 3, Bill Delaney, Santa Ana, 4:15.3, 4, Ralph Likens, San Mateo, 4:15.4, 5, Bill Trullio, San Diego Mesa, 4:16.1, 6, Terry Forbyn, Merritt, 4:16.2.

LONG JUMP — 1, Gary Ard, Modesto, 25-7¼, 2, Delbur Thompson, Fresno, 24-9½, 3, Jim Kennedy, San Diego, 24-9¼, 4, Bill Turner, Grossmont, 24-2½, 5, Howard Butler, San Diego Mesa, 24-1¼, 6, Merrill Eckern, Fullerton, 23-11.

440 — 1, Roger Wolff, LA Valley, 47.2, 2, Aubrey Duncan, Pasadena, 47.4, 3, Bob Skamnes, Santa Ana, 47.8, 4, Fred Von Schrader, Ventura, 48.5, 5, Chris Davis, San Francisco, 48.8, 6, Bob Coleman, San Francisco, 49.3.

100 — 1, Fred Kuller, Santa Ana, 9.5, 2, Alvin Mann, Fresno, 9.5, 3, Pablo McNeil, Compton, 9.6, 4, Bob Wallace, Shasta, 9.6, 5, Bob Griffen, Contra Costa, 9.6, 6, Ben Olson, Bakersfield, 9.7.

120 HIGH HURDLES — 1, Don Shy, Mt. San Antonio, 14.0, 2, Ricky Rodgers, Contra Costa, 14.2, 3, Ron Copeland, East LA, 14.2, 4, John Robinson, Sequoias, 14.4, 5, Bill Hatley, Delta, 14.7, 6, Victor Simmons, LA City, 14.7.

200 — 1, Fred Kuller, Santa Ana, 21.2, 2, Alvin Mann, Fresno, 21.2, 3, Ben Olson, Bakersfield, 21.6, 4, Bill Johnson, San Mateo, 21.7, 5, Alan Johnson, El Camino, 21.8, 6, Dick Ziretta, Pierce, 21.8.

800 — 1, Bob Rose, San Diego, Mesa, 1:49.5 new state record, old record 1:50.1 by Ray Van Asten, Mt. San Antonio, 1961. 2, Kay King, American River, 1:50.6, 3, Chester Fields, Delta, 1:51.0, 4, Irvin Campbell, Compton, 1:51.0, 5, Mike Eck, Santa Ana, 1:52.3, 6, Don Chapin, Sequoias, 1:52.4.

Mile relay — 1, Pierce, Griffer, Kochinos, Bennet, Chinioff; 3:14.2. (New state, meet records. Old record 3:14.8, Fullerton, 1961). 2, Orange Coast, 3:15.7, 3, San Francisco, 3:16.4, 4, Bakersfield, 3:16.6, 5, Cerritos, 3:17.1, 6, San Mateo, 3:17.6.

TEAM SCORES

Santa Ana 59, Fresno 53, Foothill 32½, San Mateo 30, Pierce 29, Bakersfield 28, Mt. San Antonio 26, San Francisco 23, Chaffey 20, Contra Costa 20, East Los Angeles 20, Los Angeles Valley 17.

Modesto 16, San Diego Mesa 14, Compton 14, Pasadena 14, Fullerton 11, Orange Coast 9, American River 8, Delta 8, Long Beach 4, San Diego 4, Sequoias 5, El Camino 5, Grossmont 4, Shasta 4, Ventura 4, Yuba 4, Cerritos 2, Merritt 2, Los Angeles 1, Diablo 1, Citrus ½.