More is better for Ogaro, and JC victor New Mexico

By BOB RODMAN
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He had planned to run all six events, but Julius Ogano was having second thoughts — among other side effects — when the third-place Kentucky, Kansas, and second-place Texas had completed their triple back.

"I don't know about the 5,000," questioned the wiry, 5-foot-10 Kenyan who already had won the 10,000 the day before and taken a third in the steeplechase hours earlier.

"The tendons," he continued, massaging the lower part of his right leg as he sat in the sparsely filled west grandstand at Hayward Field, "they hurt. The leg doesn't feel good. I don't think I'll run the 5,000."

Then the New Mexico Junior College sophomore had a brief talk with his coach, Larry Heidebrecht.

"I knew he would," beamed Heidebrecht. "I knew when they called the runners to the starting line, Julius would be there."

And Ogano's third-place finish in the 5,000 helped above the Thunderbirds of Hobbs, N.M., to the national JC track and field championship as the third and final day of competition ended at Hayward.

A wind-swept and sun-baked New Mexico bunch, which won the national JC indoor track title earlier this year, showed an ability to adapt to the outdoors by scoring 59 points — 18 points better than runnerup Phoenix College of Arizona.

Phoenix, which finished with 41 points, led the crowd that developed behind New Mexico.

Defending champion Essex County of Newark, N.J., provided the meet's most valuable athlete — Solomon Chebor, who won the steeplechase (with a national JC record of 8:35.4 and the 5,000,

But Essex had to settle for third in the team title chase with 38

South Plains (Texas) and Mesa (Ariz.) had to halve the fourth-place trophy, each finishing with 36 points.

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INDIVIDUAL STANDINGS

5000 METERS
1. Solomon Chebor, Essex Co. 14:19.34
2. Soloman Chebor, College of Southern Idaho 14:25.42
3. Julius Ogano, New Mexico 14:32.28
4. Pat Peterson, SUNY at Farmingdale 14:33.31
5. Kirk Burrows, Garden City 14:37.37
6. Pedro Flores, New Mexico 14:41.89

1600 METER RELAY
1. Hagerstown 3:11.03
2. Eastern Oklahoma 3:13.07
4. Parkland 3:15.33
5. Blinn 3:16.73
6. Odessa 3:18.62

DISCUS
1. Ralph Rose, South Plains 166-8
2. Kelly Spurlock, South Plains 158-7
3. Rickey Brown, Odessa 156.0
4. Jim Favrow, Garden City 154-9
5. David Jones, Cloud County 152-11
6. Bob Buerkle, Phoenix 152-11

HIGH JUMP
1. Joel Light, Barton County 7-0
2. Raymond DeVries, New Mexico 6-9
3. Garland Coalson, Odessa 6-9
4. Jim Sokolowski, DuPage 6-9
5. Kenny Trout, Golden Valley Lutheran 6-9
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7. Ed Foreman, DuPage 6-9
8. Charles Terrie, Cuyahoga 6-9

TRIPLE JUMP
1. Gerald McNeil, Forest Park 50-3/4
2. Gideon Cheruiyot, Ranger 49-8/4
3. William Thompson, Eastern Oklahoma 48-11
4. Tim Herring, Joilet 48-8/4
5. Craig Branham, Pima 48-4/4
6. Kevin Graham, Hutchinson 48-0

800 METERS
1. Oliver Alves, Bishop 1:50.1
2. Mike Cheron, Essex Co 1:52.0
3. Hope Everigbo, Phoenix 1:53.7
4. Mark Lessig, Mesa 1:53.2
5. Van Shaffer, Hutchinson 1:53.6
6. Timothy Kemp, Miami-Dade/North 1:55.1

200 METER
1. Jeffrey Phillips, Vincennes 20.6
2. Rudi Leaver, Cent. Arizona 20.9
3. Gerry Nussen, Miami-Dade/North 21.0
4. Ron Taylor, Seminole 21.0
5. Steve Martin, Odessa 21.0

3000 METER STEEPLECHASE
1. Solomon Chebor, Essex Co. 8:38.4
2. Mike Chevong, Essex Co. 8:41.6
3. Julius Ogano, New Mexico 8:51.7
4. Kevin Higdon, S.W. Michlin 8:57.2
5. Derek Shirley, Ricks 9:10.1
6. Darryl Eastman, Seminole 9:10.6

400 METER
1. Greg Simon, Southern Idaho 45.91
2. Brad McDonald, Phoenix 46.47
3. Willie Brown, Mesa 47.27
4. Steve Wright, Garden City 47.37
5. Mark Tutt, Essev Co. 47.50
6. Stan Curry, Hagerstown 47.59
### 400 METER INTERMEDIATE HURDLES
1. Otis Gatwood, Eastern Oklahoma .................. 51.64
2. Abdul Hashim, Vincennes ......................... 51.71
3. Brent Barh, Parkland ............................. 51.75
4. Ron Peflows, Butler County ....................... 51.78
5. Darrell Nettles, South Plains ................. 52.87
6. David Patrick, Parkland ......................... 53.74

### 1500 METERS
1. Dave Finnestad, S.W. Michigan ................. 3:53.76
2. Clay Sigman, Mesa .................................. 3:53.76
3. Jannie Futch, Seminole ............................. 3:55.36
4. Lynn Mayo, Lane .................................. 3:56.17
5. Vito Perone, Glendale ............................. 3:56.78
6. Mark Peyerescn, Golden Valley ................. 3:57.26

### JAVELIN
1. Barry Darling, Ricks .............................. 248-11
2. Rich Wolf, Lane .................................. 227-8
3. Reigo Saari, Ricks .................................. 222-9
4. Mike Murphy, Clackamas ........................... 222-1
5. Rick Coskrey, Odessa ............................... 210-0
6. Chester Thacker, Butler County ................. 207-11

### 400 METER RELAY
1. Phoenix ........................................ 40.76
2. Mesa ............................................. 41.14
3. Seminole ........................................ 41.24
4. Odessa ........................................... 41.66
5. Mississippi Gulf Coast .............................. 41.84
6. Ranger ............................................ 41.89

### POLE VAULT
1. Corey Johnson, Ricks .................. 16-0
2. Greg Raper, Eastern Oklahoma (tie) .... 16-0
3. Wayne Flowers, New Mexico .................. 15-6
4. Tim Bright, Linn-Benton (tie) ................. 15-0
5. Rick Knicker, Linn-Benton ...................... 15-0
6. Bob Zawidzki, Meramec .......................... 15-0
7. Steve Buckholz, Meramec ...................... 15-0

### 100 METER DASH
1. Emmett King, Jefferson State ............. 10.18
2. Peter Okodogbe, Phoenix ....................... 10.2
3. Jeffrey Phillips, Vincennes ..................... 10.2
4. Rudy Leverty, Central Arizona .............. 10.2
5. Steve Bridges, Seminole ....................... 10.3
6. LeRoy Thompson, Forest Park ............... 10.3

### 110 HIGH HURDLES
1. Steve Martin, Odessa ...................... 14.03
2. Ron Peflows, Butler County ................. 14.08
3. Craig Roman, New Mexico JC ............... 14.10
4. Dave Sikes, Jackson ....................... 14.18
5. George Johnson, Gloucester ................. 14.27
6. Ottis Gatwood, Eastern Oklahoma .......... 14.43

### SHOT PUT
1. Howard Stuart, New Mexico JC ............ 54-5¼
2. Lee Brewer, South Plains ....................... 63-9
3. Jim Fawrow, Garden City ...................... 52-7½
4. Ricky Brown, Odessa ............................. 52-1½
5. David Jones, Cloud County .................... 51-4½
6. Beno Boone, Glendale .......................... 51-3½

### LONG JUMP
1. Mark Brown, Jackson ....................... 25-1¼
2. Larry Sutton, South Plains .................... 24-11¼
3. Steve Bridges, Seminole ....................... 24-9½
4. Charles McClure, Miami-Dade/North ........ 24-6½
5. Tony Barrett, New Mexico JC ................ 24-2½
6. Ralph Spry, Odessa ............................. 24-2½

### 10K RUN
1. Julius Ogaro, New Mexico JC ............ 30:07.55
2. Dave Magee, Lane .............................. 30:14.32
3. Pedro Flores, New Mexico JC ................ 30:33.36
4. Bruce Caldwell, Seminole ..................... 30:55.13
5. Jairo Correa, Southern Idaho .............. 30:27.02
6. Derek Shirley, Ricki ......................... 30:49.6
Mesa Warms to the Occasion and Wins JC Women's Crown

By DAN GUSTAFSON
Eugene Register-Guard

While most of the folks who know anything about spring weather in Oregon were in utter ecstasy Saturday, there was a crew of women from Arizona in town that had trouble appreciating why the locals were so cheerful.

Jaime Gale explained the situation: "When we left the valley, it was 112 degrees," she said, hurrying to don her bright red sweats. "It's cold up here."

But while Gale and her Mesa, Ariz., Community College teammates were wondering why nobody was wearing stocking caps, the Thunderbirds came up with an awesome show of all-around strength and stole the women's crown at the junior college nationals right away from first-day leader Dodge City, Kan., Community College.

After Friday's first day of finals, the Boot Hill gang from Dodge City had a 37-34 lead over Mesa. But in the Saturday's first event, the javelin, Gale and teammate Ellen Colleary placed 1-2, scoring 15 team points, and giving the Thunderbirds a lead they maintained the rest of the day until they had their winning 70 points.

Gale hurled the spear 147-7 into the cool morning wind, well short of the junior college record of 185-1 set by Joy Hall of Southwest Oregon last year. On Friday, Gale tossed the discuss 124-3, good for fifth place, while Colleary won with a 134-4.

"This whole meet has been kind of a disappointment for me," Gale said early in the day Saturday, before her team won the crown and before she began roaring around with her camera. "I haven't thrown well at all the whole time I've been here.

"The cold wind is definitely bothering me, I think," she continued. "But that's a poor excuse."

Kay Chambers, the Mesa coach, was at a loss for words after accepting the bulky first-place trophy.

"It's the hardest thing I've ever done in my life," she declared. "Coming into the meet, I realistically thought we had a shot at winning, but I can't say that I realistically thought we would win.

"I'm just ecstatic, exhausted and very proud. I think this team wanted it more, and they went for it." Dodge City, on the strength of a fourth place in the final event, the mile relay, maintained second place with 65 points while Golden Valley Lutheran of Minneapolis placed third with 62. Clackamas Community College of Oregon City came on strong in the final day's running events to place fourth with 58 points.

TEAM SCORES

Mesa Community College, Arizona .................................................. 70
Dodge City Community College, Kansas ...................................... 66
Golden Valley Lutheran, Minnesota ............................................ 62
Clackamas Community College, Oregon .................................... 58
Santa Fe Community College, Florida ........................................ 45
Hillsborough Community College, Florida .................................. 31
Central Oregon Community College, Oregon .............................. 24
Glendale Community College, Arizona ........................................ 22
Flathead Valley Community College, Montano ................................ 22
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College of Southern Idaho ......................................................... 2
Suffolk Community College, New York ....................................... 1

INDIVIDUAL STANDINGS

200 METERS
1. Carmeta Drummond, Santa Fe .............................................. 24.33
2. Loren Barnes, Flathead Valley ............................................. 24.61
3. Kim Watts, Golden Valley Lutheran ...................................... 24.62
4. Susie Morehart, Clackamas ................................................ 24.88
5. Beth Schliickmeyer, Macomb .............................................. 25.36
6. Delene Hawkins, Golden Valley Lutheran ............................ 25.53

400 METERS
1. Terri Snoddy, Golden Valley Lutheran ................................. 57.02
2. Jill Lanham, Lane ............................................................... 57.39
3. Kathy Panner, Oakton ......................................................... 57.65
4. Pam Buerki, Barton County ................................................. 57.82
5. Beth Schliickmeyer, Macomb .............................................. 58.48
6. Valerie Morgan, Hillsborough ............................................. 59.32

MILE RELAY
1. Hillsborough ................................................................. 3:55.98
2. Clackamas ................................................................. 3:57.66
3. Barton Co. ......................................................... 3:56.02
4. Dodge City .............................................................. 4:00.00
5. Southern Idaho .......................................................... 4:03.47
6. Mesa ................................................................. 4:06.25

TWO MILE RELAY
1. Dodge City .............................................................. 9:21.34
2. Glendale Comm., Ariz. .................................................. 9:39.96
3. Mesa, Ariz. .............................................................. 9:51.71
4. Cloud Co., Kansas ...................................................... 9:54.21
5. Lane Comm. College ................................................... 10:00.47
6. Golden Valley Lutheran ................................................ 10:08.24

3000 METERS
1. Leandra Baringa, Clackamas ............................................. 9:55.24
2. Maria Tilman, Phoenix .................................................... 10:04.08
3. Meg Cook, Chemeketa .................................................. 10:06.88
4. Tammy Tucker, Dodge City ............................................ 10:09.45
5. Mary Guey, Central Oregon .......................................... 10:13.36
6. Caryl Durham, Macomb ................................................. 10:15.46

SHOT PUT
1. Karen Allen, Hutchinson ................................................ 43-2-14
2. Kathy Hawkins, Cloud County ....................................... 41-8-14
3. Nancy Perkins, Clackamas ............................................. 41-8-14
4. Bonnie Gannon, Mesa ................................................... 39-2-14
5. Brenda Boyster, Central Oregon ...................................... 38-7-14
6. Joyce Lubbers, Dodge City ........................................... 38-2-14
### 400 METER INTERMEDIATE HURDLES
1. Jeanette Bradley, Hillsborough ........................................ 1:52.31
2. Linda Lamprecht, Clackamas ......................................... 1:53.62
3. Kim Waring, Flathead Valley ........................................ 1:53.71
4. Dorothy Lewis, Santa Fe ............................................. 1:54.00
5. Ronniie Weidman, Clackamas ...................................... 1:56.04
6. Annette Reiner, Mesa .................................................. 1:56.36

### HIGH JUMP
1. Dale Wallace, Santa Fe .............................................. 5-9
2. Joan Brockhaus, North Dakota .................................... 5-8
3. Kim Ganzer, Holden Valley ........................................ 5-7
4. Nancy Hardy, Bismarck ............................................... 5-5
5. Liz Jones, Lane .......................................................... 5-5
6. Kathy Ballard, Macon ................................................. 5-3

### 400 METER RELAY
1. Santa Fe ........................................................................ 48.43
2. Golden Valley ............................................................. 48.59
3. Mesa ............................................................................. 49.56
4. Hutchinson ................................................................. 50.01
5. Dodge City ................................................................. 50.03
6. Barton County ............................................................ 50.03

### JAVELIN
1. Jaime Gale, Mesa ......................................................... 147-7
2. Ellen Colley, Mesa ....................................................... 142-1
3. Kelli Stockton, North Idaho ........................................... 137-4
4. Trina Marvin, Linn-Benton .......................................... 133-3/4
5. Monica McClain, Central Oregon .................................. 128-2

### 1500 METERS
1. Carlaene Thom, Glendale ............................................. 4:33.74
2. Mary Douglas, Central Oregon .................................... 4:37.52
3. Laura Kotera, St. Louis/Plo Valley .................................. 4:38.52
4. Tammy Tucker, Dodge City .......................................... 4:43.61
5. Julia Reed, Dodge City ................................................ 4:43.77
6. Glenda Stewart, Dodge City ........................................ 4:45.77

### 800 METERS
1. Juanita Neff, Dodge City ............................................. 2:12.0
3. Carlaene Thom, Glendale ............................................. 2:16.2
4. Debbie Sabotka, Dodge City ........................................ 2:18.06
5. Glenda Stewart, Dodge City ........................................ 2:19.28
6. Laura Kotera, St. Louis/Plo Valley ................................ 2:18.68

### 100 METER HURDLES
1. Diane Richardson, Mesa CC ....................................... 14.31
2. Jeanette Bradley, Hillsborough ................................... 14.50
3. Connie Jackson, Mesa CC ........................................... 14.65
4. Delene Hawkins, Golden Valley Lutheran ...................... 14.82
5. Linda Lamprecht, Clackamas ...................................... 14.86
6. Sarah Hanon, Pima ..................................................... 14.90

### 100 METER DASH
1. Kim Watts, Golden Valley Lutheran .............................. 11.84
2. Carneta Drummond, Santa Fe ...................................... 11.91
3. Loren Barnes, Flathead Valley ...................................... 11.96
4. Susie Morehart, Clackamas ......................................... 12.11
5. Jacqueline Below, Lorain Co ....................................... 12.20
6. Christine Barr, Santa Fe ............................................. 12.24

### 5000 METER
1. Tammy Tucker, Dodge City ......................................... 17:07.55
2. Marla Tilmar, Phoenix ................................................ 17:18.2
3. Leandra Baringa, Clackamas ....................................... 17:26.57
4. Meg Cooke, Chemeketa .............................................. 17:30.9
5. Mary Lynn Guyer, Central Oregon ................................. 17:34.8
6. Joan Gallo, Suffolk County ........................................... 18:01.4

### LONG JUMP
1. Pat Miller, Dodge City ............................................... 19'9/4"
2. Susie Morehart, Clackamas .......................................... 19'
3. Cindy John, Pima ....................................................... 18'4"
4. Lita Grace, Ranger ..................................................... 17'11/4"
5. Shirley Jones, Santa Fe ............................................... 17'11/4"
6. Valerie Morgan, Hillsborough .................................... 17'10'/4"

### DISCUS
1. Ellen Colley, Mesa ..................................................... 194'4"
2. Trina Marvin, Linn-Benton ......................................... 180'4"
3. Becky LeCombe, Golden Valley ................................... 128'10"
4. Linda Gottula, Southeast ............................................ 126'6"
5. Jaime Gale, Mesa ....................................................... 124'6"
6. Patricia Greshop, Hillborough ..................................... 122'8"

### 880 SPRINT MEDLEY RELAY
1. Golden Valley Lutheran ............................................. 1:46.1
2. Hutchinson CC .......................................................... 1:47.6
3. Mesa CC ........................................................................ 1:46.1
4. Ranger JC ..................................................................... 1:48.6
5. Flathead Valley .......................................................... 1:49.0
6. Dodge City CC ............................................................ 1:49.2

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