For the first time in memory, the United States Cycling Team has made a strong bid in international competition in the Pan-American Games in Winnipeg, Canada. Although results of the road events are not in as The Spokesman goes to press, it would appear that American riders are making themselves known in the "Junior Olympics" taking place in Canada as part of that country's EXPO 67 celebration.

So far, U. S. riders have won four medals in the cycling competition in track events. Jackie Simes finished 2nd for a silver medal in the 1,000 meter time trials. Tim Mountford won a 3rd place bronze medal in the 10-mile track event. In the 4,000 meter pursuit race, the U. S. team finished third for another bronze medal.

The F.W.A.B.C.'s own Carl Leusenkamp, President of the Rockville, Maryland Cycle Club finished 3rd behind Trinidad-Tabago and Brazil for a bronze medal in the 1,000 meter match sprints event. So far as we know, this is the first time that a rider from the U. S. has placed in this particular event.

We are particularly proud of Carl's accomplishment this year. This 20 year old rider, who only started competing three years ago, won the Maryland State Championships in 1965, 66, and 1967. Last year he took 4th place in the National Track Competition in Chicago. In 1965, he had a bad spill in practice for the National Track Competition. Last year, in his first national competition in Chicago, he placed 4th in the track events. This was quite an accomplishment for a Washington area rider since the closest bicycle track is a five-hour drive away in New York. This is a trip that no rider can afford to make every week. Such is the lot of the amateur bicycle rider in this part of the country. There are other parts of the world where talented riders can obtain expense money for their efforts and still retain their amateur standing. This is not, of course, a problem peculiar to cycling, but is one that must be solved in all areas of amateur sports in this country, if we are to compete on a common level with other countries.
FLEMINGTON HOLIDAY BIKE RACES WON BY LYACH, MEERMAN, BURGHART

by Frank Small, Publicity Director, Eastern Cycling Federation

The annual 4th of July bike races held in Flemington, N. J. drew large fields in Senior and Junior events. Many of the riders competed Sunday at Longsjo Memorial in Fitchburg, Mass. stopping off on the way home for competition in Flemington. The finish of the races was in front of the Court House which was made famous in the Hauptman-Lindbergh Kidnap Case, with the Union Hotel across the street where spectators sit on the lengthy and wide porches to watch the riders pass on the 40 laps thru the business streets closed off to all traffic during the races.

In the Senior 50 Mile Race - 78 entrants competed for 15 valuable place prizes. Mike Lyach, Nutley, N. J. and Dean Poi, Manhattan jumped away from the field at 39 miles holding a quarter mile lead to the finish. Francois Mertens of Little Neck, L. I. made a solo break-a-way at 45 miles but could not overtake the two leaders. Lyach won in the sprint with Poi and Mertens following.

In the sprint finish among 23 riders, Arnie Uhrlass, Huntington, L. I. beat Bob Fischer, Little Neck, Brooklyn. Brooklyn. Time for the 50 miles was 2 hours, 12 min. 24 sec.

The Junior 10 Mile Race with 55 entrants went to Chris Meerman, McLean, Virginia who nosed out Joe Perez, Newark, N. J., George Kowalski and Bruce Marcus both of Flushing, L. I. and Randal Hauser, Bronx. Time for 10 miles was 27 min. 57 sec.

Nancy Burghart, Jackson Heights, former National Champion, made a run-a-way of the Women's 3 mile race, leading Jean Kloska, Massapequa, L. I. and Margaret Kuhn, of Levittown, Pa. Time for 3 miles was 6 min. 46 sec.

The event was sponsored by Jaeger Wheelmen with the aid of the Businessmen of Flemington. The events were started by Flemington Mayor John E. Bush, and Charley Jaeger, former Professional Motor Paced Bicycle Champion, a resident of the home town.

SUMMARY OF FLEMINGTON N.J. BIKE RACES

SENIOR 50 Mile - Time 2 hr. 12 min. 24 sec.
1. Michael Lyach, Nutley, N. J.
2. Dean Poi, Manhattan, N. Y.
3. Francois Mertens, Little Neck, L. I., N. Y.
4. Arnie Uhrlass, Huntington, L. I., N. Y.
5. Bob Fischer, Little Neck, L. I., N. Y.
6. Rupert Waltl, Brooklyn, N. Y.
8. Bob Penn, Flushing, L. I., N. Y.
9. Jim Keogh, Bronx, N. Y.
10. Nelson Diaz, Bronx, N. Y.
11. Ken Wylie, Bronx, N. Y.
12. John Aschen, Bronx, N. Y.
13. Rafael Balanza, Manhattan, N. Y.
14. Joe Stager, U. S. Army
15. John Abe, Flemington, N. J.

JUNIOR 10 Mile
1. Chris Meerman, McLean, Virginia
2. Joe Perez, Newark, N. J.
3. George Kowalski, Flushing, L. I., N. Y.
4. Bruce Marcus, Flushing, L. I., N. Y.
5. Ronald Hauser, Bronx, N. Y.
8. Matty Martinez, Manhattan, N. Y.

WOMEN 3 Mile - Time 6 min. 46 sec.
1. Nancy Burghart, Jackson Heights, L. I., N. Y.
2. Jeanne Kloska, Massapequa, L. I.
3. Margaret Kuhn, Levittown, Pa.
4. Nancy Bettancourt, Brooklyn, N. Y.
5. Deborah Smith, Flemington, N. J.

GIUSEPPI MARINONI AND PETE SENIA JR. WIN BIG BICYCLE CLASSIC RACES

Frank Small

Guiseppi Marinoni and Dominico Muro, Montreal Canadians, showed their superiority over a star studded field of U.S.A. Road Cyclists when they finished 1-2 in the 9th Annual Art Longsjo Memorial 50 Mile Bike Road race held in Fitchburg, Mass. Sunday, July 2nd conducted through Business District which was closed to all traffic during races.

The race which has developed into one
of the best in the country with an exceptional valuable prize list drew 88 entrants and drew thousands of spectators lined the course of 1⁄2 miles for both the Senior and Junior races.

In the Senior 50 Mile event, Oliver Martin and Arnie Uhrlass broke away at 25 miles to what appeared to be a commanding lead. Marinoni who had finished 2nd in the race last year chased with Bob Fenn and Francois Mertens and after 5 miles overtook the leaders. With one lap to go Marinoni sneaked away from the field in a fast spurt to gain a safe lead winning by 400 yards. He received a 27" console color TV set, plus trophies. The following 4 places also received TV sets with additional prizes of radios, hi-fi, bicycle and other merchandise.

In the sprint by the large field following, Mario Olivas, Bronx, led home William Guzzo, Groton, Conn., Bob Fenn, Flushing, L.I., Mike Caggiano, U. S. Army and Francois Mertens, Little Neck, L.I., N.Y. Time for 50 miles was 2 hr. 10 min. 26.5 sec.

The second feature a 10 Mile Junior event for Juniors under 18 years of age drew an entry of 43 cyclists and preceded the Senior Race. In a driving finish that kept them neck and neck up the long sprint and thrilled the spectators, Peter Senia Jr., Brooklyn, N. Y. former National Junior Track Champion nosed out Chris Meerman, McLean, Virginia, holding him off to the tape with Joe Perez, Newark, N. J., George Kowalski, Flushing, L. I., Ray Mazzilli, Springfield Gardens following all bunched together. Time for 10 miles was 30 min. 40.6 sec.

The Art Longsjo Memorial Committee comprised of local businessmen and friends perpetuate this date and race annually in the memory of Longsjo who was a resident of Fitchburg and was killed in an auto accident returning home after winning a big Canadian bike race. Longsjo was a great favorite of Canadians having won many races there. To pay tribute, the Canadian Cycling Clubs always send down a strong team to Fitchburg for this Memorial Classic. Longsjo was one of the few athletics making U.S.A. Olympic teams in two sports in same year, bike racing and ice speed skating.

SENIOR 50 MILE - Time 2 hr. 10 min 26.5 sec.
1. Giuseppi Marinoni, Montreal, Canada
2. Dominico Muro, Montreal, Canada
3. Mario Olivas, Bronx, N. Y.
4. William Guzzo, Groton, Conn.
5. Bob Fenn, Flushing, L.I., N.Y.
6. Mike Caggiano, U. S. Army
7. Francois Mertens, Little Neck, L.I., N.Y.
8. Pierre Grunard, Quebec, Canada
9. Jacques Le Page, Montreal, Canada
11. Nelson Diaz, Bronx, N. Y.
12. Allen Bell, Somerville, N. J.
13. Rene Kokot, Montreal, Canada
14. Dean Poi, Manhattan, N. Y.
15. William Lanagan, Bronx, N. Y.

JUNIOR 10 MILE - Time 30 min. 40.6 sec.
1. Peter Senia Jr. Brooklyn, N. Y.
2. Chris Meerman, McLean, Virginia
3. Joe Perez, Newark, N. J.
4. George Kowalski, Flushing, L. I., N.Y.
5. Ray Mazzilli, Springfield Gardens, L. I., N.Y.
6. Ronald Hauser, Bronx, N. Y.
7. John Malencheck, East Meadow, L. I., N. Y.
8. Martin Deeks, Midland Park, N. J.
9. Hans Knecht, Copiague, L. I., N. Y.
10. Bruce Marcus, Flushing, L. I., N.Y.

NEW YORK STATE ROAD BIKE TITLE WINNERS

Frank Small

The annual New York State Amateur Bicycle Road Championships were held in Central Park N.Y.C. last Sunday. Mike Caggiano taking the Senior Crown with Ronnie Hauser, Junior Title and Nancy Burghart the Women's Tiara.

Caggiano who is in the U. S. Army and on special leave, showed his superiority over a field of 37 starters in the 100 mile event covering the distance over a hilly course in 4 hr. 32 min. 35 sec. With 5 other riders Caggiano opened up a sizeable lead on the last 15 miles overtaking Mike Levonas who had jumped away alone. In the sprint Caggiano led home Pierre Chares, John Aschen, Bob Fenn, Rafael Balanza and Mike Levonas, with Barton Frankel and Charles Heron trailing later. These 8 riders qualify to compete in National...
Championships in Portland, Oregon, August 13th.

In the Junior event at 36 miles, Ronnie Hauser sprinted ahead of a field of 17 starters in 1 hr. 31 min. 55 sec. leading Bruce Marcus, Peter Senia, Jr., John Malencheck, Richard Quimby and Hans Knecht all of whom qualify for National Junior Road Championship at Portland.

The Women's Division at 30 miles saw Nancy Burghart lead home Jeanne Kloska in 1 hr. 15 min. 32 sec. Both qualify for Nationals at Portland.

**Simes. Zeitlin. Handy Score in U.S.A. Pan-American Cycling Finals**

Frank Small

Chicago, Illinois areas of Northbrook and Meadowdale Tracks were the scene of Finals to qualify for the U.S.A. Cycling Team to compete at Pan-American Games to be held in Winnipeg, Canada, July 23rd through August 6th.

In the Track competition held at Northbrook, Carl Leusenkamp, Silver Springs, Md., and Sam Zeitlin, Brooklyn, N. Y. scored wins in the 1,000 metre Match Races placing them on the Team.

The 1,000 metres against time, Jackie Simes, Closter, N. J. broke the American Record held by Allen Bell of 1 min. 11.33 sec. made in 1960 Olympic Games at Rome, Italy. Simes was clocked in 1 min. 9.7 sec. Followed by Tim Mountford, Sherman Oaks, Calif. and Preston Handy of Manhattan, N.Y.C. All three qualified for the team.

The 4,000 Metre Individual Pursuit, saw another record broken when Dave Brink, Berkeley, Calif. rode the distance in 5 min. 5.9 sec. beat the old record of 5 min. 10.6 sec. made by Skip Cutting, Riverside, Calif. Dave Chauner, Rosemont, Pennsylvania, placed 2nd with 5 min. 7 sec. Both qualified for the team.

The 4,000 metre - 4 Man Team Pursuit brought another American record to the books when the California Team of Bill Kund, Northridge; Wes Chowen, Los Angeles; Skip Cutting, Riverside and Mike Cone, Palo Alto, rode home a winner in 4 min. 45.3 sec. beating the old record of 4 min. 48.2 sec. at Chicago, Ill. by 1960 Olympic Cycling Team of Dick Cortright, Buffalo, N. Y., Jim Rossi, Chicago, Charles Hewett, Boston and Bob Pfarr, Kenosha, Wis.

The Eastern Team of Oliver Martin, John Chapman, Doug Downen and Dave Chauner who replaced Peter Senia Jr. tied the existing record of 4 min. 48.2 sec. placing second. The Mid-West Team placed 3rd in 4 min. 52.9 sec., with U. S. Army Team 4th in 5.00 min. The California 4 man team qualified for the Pan-American Squad.

All Track Finals were held at Northbrook Banked Track at night under lights.

The 120 mile road race was held at Meadowdale International Raceways - a 3 mile Auto Racing Speedway with right and left hand turns and some hills. Two races were scheduled Sunday and Tuesday with High Point for both days counted, to qualify 5 Road Men.

The first day, the race was contested in a heavy, steady, rainy downpour. Bob Parsons, Berkeley, California, was the winner in 5 hours 22 min. 59 sec. leading David Butler, Davis, California, Mike Pickens, San Diego, California, Nick Zeller, Chicago and David Mulkey, Sunnyvale, California, now in U. S. Army.

The second contest was won by Pickens, followed by Butler, Mulkey, John Riddle, St. Louis, Mo. and Zeller. The time was 5 hours 11 min. 41.4 sec. Thus by point score for both races the road team qualified 5 men - Bob Parsons, Dave Butler, Mike Pickens, Nick Zeller and Dave Mulkey.

For Kissena Park Cycling fans who have seen Jackie Simes go undefeated in Match Racing throughout the season they may wonder what happened to him and his runner-up Preston Handy. Well along with Doug Barrow, they were in Chicago-Kenosha Tracks two weeks ahead for early training and racing. However, they had not arrived from Kenosha where they were living when the entries closed for the Match Races and heats arranged. Therefore, they were eliminated from competing in their favorite type races, however, they did qualify for the 1,000 metre time trial and made the Pan-American Cycling Team.

The team of 16 riders will go to the University of Minnesota at Minneapolis where they will be fitted for the official Pan-American uniforms and racing equipment. They will leave for Winnipeg on Sunday to get in some early training at the Pan-American Games Track and Road Course.

The manager of the team is Al Toefield, Floral Park, L.I., coach is Bob Tetzloff, Campbell, California, several times Olympic Team Member. Assistant coach will be Gus Hasse, Columbus, Ohio and the team mechanic will be Peter Senia, Sr. of Brooklyn, N. Y.
COMING EVENTS

RACING SCHEDULE

THROUGH MONDAY, AUGUST 7th
Pan American Games. Winnipeg, Canada.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 6th
"Tour of Shoregate" Cleveland, Ohio. 35-mile Point Race BAR. Sponsored by the Cleveland Wheelmen.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 6th
West Milford, New Jersey Senior and Junior BAR races. Sponsored by the Century Road Club of America.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 10th Thru SUNDAY, AUGUST 13th
National Championships, Road and Track. Portland, Oregon. Consult your State Representative for details.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 13th
Indianapolis, Indiana "Tours of Brookside" 50-mile Senior BAR and 10-mile Junior BAR events.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 20th
"Tour of Mt. Hamilton" St. Lose to Livermore, California. 75-mile Senior BAR and 42-mile Junior BAR events.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 23rd Thru WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 30th

SUNDAY, AUGUST 27th

SUNDAY, AUGUST 27th
"Gerald Debates Memorial" Detroit, Michigan. 10-mile Junior BAR.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 31st Thru SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 3rd
1967 World Road Championships. Amsterdam, Holland.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10th
Detroit, Michigan Junior 10-mile BAR race. Sponsored by Earls Bike Club.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17th
"Wuchter Memorial" Senior 50-mile Senior BAR. St. Louis, Missouri.

TOURING SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, AUGUST 19th
Two-week tour of Vermont. Cost is $110. Contact Potomac Council AYH.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16th
Two-week tour of Colonial and Tidewater, Virginia. Contact Potomac Area Council, AYH.

MONDAY, AUGUST 20th
Tour of Eastern Canada including 4 days at EXPO '67. Contact AYH.
D. C., MARYLAND AND VIRGINIA STATES RESULTS

The track championships were held on Saturday, June 24th on the ½ mile banked asphalt Beltsville Motor Roadway course with the following results:

Junior Results
1. Chris Meerman, McLean Cycle Club, 26 points
2. Mike Hiltner, Rockville Cycle Club, 22 points
3. Prospere Bijl, Vienna Cycle Club, 11 points
4. Lynn Reeves, Alexandria Cycle Club, 9 points
5. John Corbet, McLean Cycle Club, 3 pts.
6. Peter Teeuwen, Tidewater Wheelmen, 1 point

Senior Results
1. Carl Leusenkamp, Rockville Cycle Club, 17 points
Tie
Paul Evans, Rockville Cycle Club, 17 points
5. Henry Megee, Alexandria Cycle Club, 3 points
6. Tom Scanlon, Tidewater Wheelmen, 2 points
7. Jim Hargett, National Capital Cycle 2 points

The road Championships were held on the rolling 8.2 mile Seneca, Maryland, road course on Sunday, June 25. The results were as follows:
Junior Results - 32.8 miles (Time 1:20.10)
2. Mike Hiltner, Rockville Cycle Club, 5 points
3. Prospere Bijl, Vienna Cycle Club, 3 pts.
5. Bernie Littman, National Capital Cycle Club, 1 point

Senior Results - 106.6 miles (Time 5:02.31)
1. Scott Seegers, McLean Cycle Club, 7 pts.
2. Wade Halabe, National Capital Cycle Club, 5 points
3. Richard Jaquith, National Capital Cycle Club, 3 points
5. Boots Ward, National Capital Cycle Club, 1 point

TOUR DE FRANCE

For the third time in a row, a relative newcomer has won the Tour de France. Roger Pingeon, who last year threatened to give up professional cycling, was able to take an early lead by slipping away from the favorites (Janssen, Poulidor, Gimondi and last year's winner, Lucien Aimar) and holding this lead through the last half of the race. Second place was taken by the phenomenal Spanish climber, Julio Jimenez who had to be content with the "King of the Mountain" prize. The Italian, Balmamion, took an honorable third place in this most prestigious cycling race in the world. The Green Jersey for the best over-all sprinter was won by last year's 2nd place winner, Jan Janssen of Holland for an unprecedented third time. In addition to the Green Jersey in the Tour de France, Jan Janssen also won the tough classic Paris-Roubaix and the Tour of Spain.

The 1967 tour was marked by the tragic death of the great British rider Tom Simpson. The World Road Champion of 1965 and winner of this year's Paris-Nice stage race collapsed from sun stroke while climbing the 6,000 foot Mt. Ventroux at about the half-way point in the race. Already high up in the general classification on the day of his death, he had courageously attached the leaders several times on the steep road to the summit. At times he was alone in the lead until the hot sun and exhaustion caused him to fall unconscious from his bicycle to the side of the road. An emergency helicopter transported him to a nearby hospital, but he was dead on arrival. The death of this universally popular rider will leave a void that will not soon be filled in the cycling world.

His high good humor and antics will be missed as will be his forceful, dynamic, and aggressive riding which has won for him many victories on the road and track.

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