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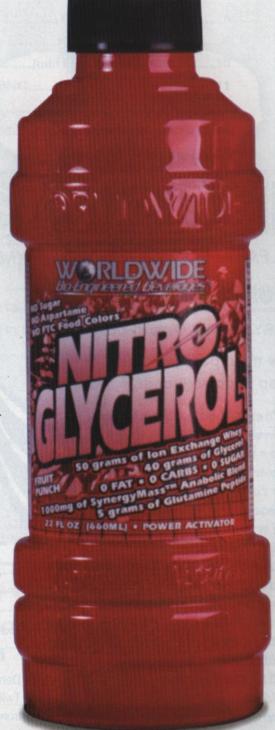
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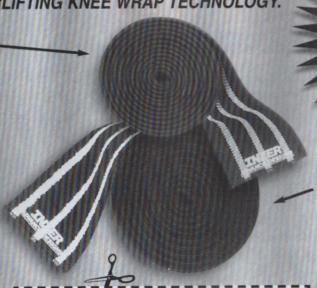
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The 30th IPF Men's World Championships were held November 14-18 in Sotkamo, Finland. The competition was staged in the luxurious Holiday Klub Katinkulta, a large resort hotel complete with tennis courts, a bowling alley, restaurant, two night clubs, and indoor and outdoor swimming pools. The name Katinkulta, in Finnish, translates to "fools gold", but there would be no fools reaching for the gold

The venue was prepared in one of the large gymnasia; the tennis courts were broken down, the floor carpeted, and stadium seating built. Cameras from the Finnish television network were set up in front of the platform and a television studio was built backstage. The competition was videoed by the Finnish network for broadcast on Eurosport, and the feed was carried in the warmup room for competitors to follow throughout the competition. An overhead screen displayed the



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### **IPF Men's World Championship**

as told to Powerlifting USA by Dr. Larry Maile

1999, 2000, and 2001 World Jun-

ior Champion placed 5th. This is

was his last year of Jr. eligibility; so

expect to see him as a contender for

a medal in this class in the future.

His balanced lifting left him only 15

Champion, Konstantin Pavlov, of

Russia repeated at 56 kg., defeat-

ing 4 time World Jr. Champion,

Tsung-Ting Hsieh, of Chinese Tai-

56 kg. Class: 5 time World

kg, behind teammate Stanaszek.



Ervin Gainer, being wrapped by USAPL President Mike Overdeer. got silver at 114 lbs. for the USA.

progression of the competition, including completed and projected attempts, running total, order of lifting, and current placing.

52 kg. Class: The results of the 52 kg. class could not have been predicted. 8 time world champion and world record holder. Andrei Stanaszek was defeated for the first time in any competition, in years. Despite leading the squat competition by 35 kg. over Chun-Hsiang Hu of Chinese Taipei, and leading all competitors by 87.5 kg. at the subtotal, the deadlift was his undoing. It took the Pole 3 attempts to

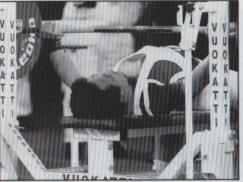


Sutrisno breaks Joe Bradley's 21 year old total record at 132 lbs.

pei by 25 kg. Pavlov's 247.5 kg. squat, and 175 kg. bench press gave him a 50 kg. lead at subtotal. Hsieh made up 25 kg. of this with his stronger pull (247.5 kg. vs. 222.5 kg. for Pavlov) and attempted 277.5 kg. for the win, but it wasn't to be. Hsieh has done this weight in the past, but was unable to start it this time, and had to settle for the Silver. Roy Brantzaeg, Norway, took the Bronze medal with a personal record 232.5 kg. deadlift, to overtake the second deadlift attempt of Shih-Wu Lu, of Chinese Taipei. Lu, also a former World Jr. Champion, tried to retake the medal position by 2.5 kg. on his final pull, but appeared too tired to respond. He settled for 4th overall and the Silver in the deadlift. Sergei Vatyuk, of Ukraine, placed fifth of the 5 competitors in this category with a 570 kg. total. The depth of this class

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Hiro Isagawa of Japan, who provided these photos, broke the 132 lb. bench record twice.

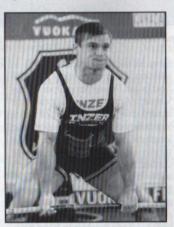
the competitors totaled over 10 times bodyweight, and produced more than 500 Wilks points.

60 kg. Class: This year's World Championships marked the return to the international platform of Daramin Sutrisno, of Indonesia. He has been absent from world competition since the Men's World Championships in 1996. He showed some "platform rust" in his return, but dominated the competition nonetheless, despite missing third attempt squat and bench press on technical difficulties. His 270 kg. squat, 170 kg. bench, and 270 kg. deadlift combined in a 710 kg. total, erasing the record of the USA's Joe Bradley, which had stood since 1980. Last year's champion, Gerry McNamara, of Ireland, took the silver with a 655 kg. total. The bronze went to Russia's Mikhail Andryukhin, at 642.5 kg., a win on bodyweight over Japan's perennial champion, Hiro Isagawa. Isagawa, coming off a disappointing bomb at

World Masters Championships one month prior, erased the standing world record in the bench press with an EASY 187.5 kg. third attempt. He returned for a fourth attempt, easily handling 192.5 kg. The USA's Tim Taylor placed 5th with 622.5 kg., and was awarded the silver medal in the deadlift. He

makes this a respectable total; all of attempted to grab the deadlift gold on his third attempt, being lighter than Sutrisno, but it stalled short of

> 67.5 kg. Class: Three lifters bombed in the 67.5 kg. class, unfortunately including U.S. lifter Jeremy Arias. Jeremy completed one squat, two benches, but was unable



Sivokon ... just incredible at 148

Olech stood up with 727 at 148

to get a deadlift in. This shows that even a gifted lifter can have a bad day. Jeremy was problem solving for next year before leaving the venue. To no one's surprise, World Champion and world record holder, Alexei Sivokon, of Kazakhstan repeated as champion.

He had a 6 for 9 day, totaling 815 kg. He lost his world squat record to Jaroslaw Olech, of Poland, who easily dunked 320 kg., and came up with 330 kg. but didn't get the judges approval. Jaroslaw attempted 317.0 kg. in the deadlift, which would have broken Sivokon's record, but it was slightly out of his range this year. Nonetheless, Sivokon's margin of



victory closed to 27.5 kg. this year

due to a decrease on his part of 15 kg, and an increase of 12.5 kg, on

Jaroslaw's. Italy's Robert Sacco

was 65 kg, behind the Pole for the

the Russian National Champion-

ships, the battle for the gold in this

class would between Victor

Furashkin and Victor Baranov, both

of Russia. Furashkin, the World

Games Middleweight Champion,

came out on top this time after

losing to Baranov at the Nationals.

Despite suffering a back injury that

decrease his pressing power,

Furashkin's relatively stronger bench

carried the day, adding up 32.5 kg.

of his 40 kg. margin of victory. His

832.5 kg. total established a new

European record. The crowd fa-

vorite in this class, though, was

Finland's Ismo Lappi. He had ex-

ceeded the US lifter Dan Austin's

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75 kg. Class: As I predicted at

bronze medal

Middlewights: Baranov, Furazkhin, and Bazayev

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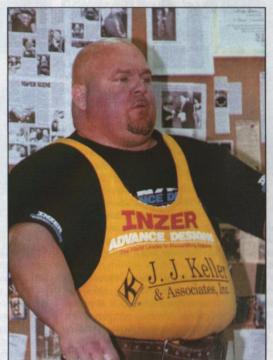
# W.P.O. NEWS

Season Greetings and Happy New Year from the APF/WPO. If your New Year's resolution is to lift in a top notch powerlifting federation, you're in luck. As many of you know, I'm taking over the APF starting January 1, 2002. I look forward to the challenge of taking the APF to the next level. In this particular article I will elaborate on how on the APF will tie into the WPO, and then in the February PL USA I will explain in great length my new intentions and direction for the APF.

It is a common thought in the minds of many legitimate powerlifters that there should be one governing body that oversees powerlifting in it's entirety. Realistically, this will never happen. First, there is way too much political influence for a sport that's virtually unknown to the general public. Second, there are too many crybabies who purposely bounce from federation to federation to avoid lifting against quality lifters. This "big fish in small pond trophy hog" mentality has diluted powerlifting and kept it from reaching its zenith. If I could wave a magic wand and make all the small time federations disappear, believe me, I would. Since I possess no magical powers, except making food vanish, I have devised an alternative solution. Every professional organization that has existed long term, whether it be a team sport or individual sport. has a amateur body associated with it. If you're a boxer you fight in the

Olympics, then the pros. If you want to be a pro football player, one plays in college (NCAA) then becomes pro (NFL). The same holds true for all major sports in American society. January 1st, 2002 the APF will become the amateur body of the WPO. Any lifter who has not competed in a WPO contest must come through the APF first. When the WPO first started I allowed lifters that had competed in APF/WPC. USAPL/IPF, IPA, and USPF in the last five years to compete. Knowing that the acceptance of the WPO wouldn't happen overnight is why I allowed multi-federation qualification. This is no longer the case. Since the WPO's inception the course of powerlifting history has been altered forever, and warrants a

more stringent internal qualification. By having the APF become the gateway into the WPO, it will only enhance the sport's credibility, and heighten the general public's positive perception of powerlifting. The WPO Qualifier and the APF Senior Nationals will be the only two annual qualifiers to advance lifters to the WPO Semi-Finals. Lifters not affiliated with APF who want to compete in the APF Senior Nationals must pre-qualify. Russ Barlow and I are allowing any APF three lift meet that he and I promote to be an APF Senior National Qualifier. Russ has a spring and fall APF three lift meet annually in Maine. I will be promoting my normal spring and fall APF



Garry Frank topped off an amazing year with a 2606!!

three lift meets in Florida as well. In addition. I am promoting the APF Southwest Powerlifting Open in Las Vegas in April. So, if a lifter needs to qualify, there will be plenty of meets in a variety of convenient geographic locations. For any promoter willing to run a three lift APF sanctioned contest in their state or region, I will allow the contest to be an APF Senior National Qualifier. I know my critics will view this as trying to monopolize powerlifting. I view it as the only recourse in order to have powerlifting be recognized as the most extreme athletic discipline that exists. There is no question that the premier Iron Athletes deserve their rightful status to be embraced by the

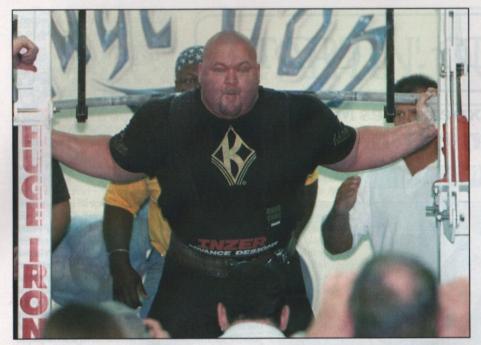
general public as Power Gods. The APF/WPO will ensure that there will be no phonies or wannabes.

In closing, I just want to address a few issues pertaining to the WPO Finals at the Arnold Classic, I know that there must be some questions on the information that all the lifters competing in the WPO Finals received in the mail. I realize that there is going to be disappointment with a lesser dollar amount from the Semi-Finals in comparison to the Finals, but it has to be done for the long haul. Either we will lift for a lot of money one time

or a smaller amount more often. The denominations that were listed in the letters to each finalist are the absolute lowest amount the prize money would be. It is a backup plan in case there ends up being no sponsorship input. The bottom line is - no professional organization has ever flourished without corporate sponsorship. For the record. I have some great sponsorship opportunities brewing as we speak. There have been many questions from lifters competing in the Finals on how much the prize money will be. Since I have no concrete figures from the sponsors yet, I thought a minimum amount would be appropriate in case sponsorship doesn't pan out. There will still be \$1000 or World Records and a substantial amount of money for the three Su-

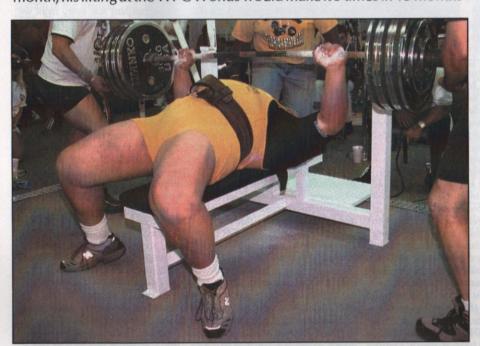
per Open titles. When I am able to reveal the actual amounts they will be posted on our website. I am aware that I overloaded the bar prematurely by making the prize money too high for the WPO Semi-Finals, but I will apologize to no one for being over anxious. Everything is shaping up nicely for the Arnold Classic. I have been to Columbus a number of times, doing legwork in preparation for the contest. With two whole days of Huge Iron mayhem and heavy metal madness, it's sure to be the best powerlifting meet in history, and in front of thousands of out of control powerlifting fans. The exposure at the Arnold Classic is second to none! By January I will have total website updating capabilities, able to be done in-house and anywhere in the free world I promote a contest. I can't tell you how excited myself and everybody associated with helping me promote the WPO is. The city of Columbus, Ohio and Mr. Lorimer are welcoming the WPO with open arms, confident that the WPO will elevate the excitement level of the already prestigious Arnold Classic. Finally, I just want to thank everyone who has stuck by me through thick and thin. I assure you that I'm more focused and motivated than ever before. The powerlifting world can count on 150% dedication from me, and absolutely nothing will stand in my way in order for powerlifters to be perceived as the world's strongest professional athletes.

> Thank you, your WPO President, Kieran Kidder



Garry Frank squattaed 1008 en route to yet another new All Time Total Record at the APF Southern States Championships on December 1st, 2001, promoted by the WPO's Kieran Kidder

(from POWER HOTLINE newsletter, Volume 20, Number 24, December 3rd, 2001) "FRANK DOES IT - AGAIN!!! - 2606 .... at the APF Southern States Open, promoted by Kieran Kidder in Daytona Beach, Florida on December 1st (we held back this issue of POWER HOTLINE a few days to include this report) Garry Frank continued his unprecedented assault on the All Time record book with a new record in the Superheavyweight class of 2606 comprised of a 1008 squat, 733 bench press, and 865 deadlift. The meet ran a bit late as the 53 pre-registered entrants were joined by 18 more at the last minute. Within one year, Garry broke the all time Superheavyweight total record FOUR times, (starting with his 2500 last December, 2530 shortly after that, and 2601 at the APF Seniors) and if you want to extend it to extend the look back another month, his lifting at the WPC Worlds would make it 5 times in 13 months"



Garry got a 733 bench at the Huge Iron facility meet in Daytona Beach to give him an incredible 1741 subtotal (these two photos and those on the previous page are taken by Steve Notaras)





WPO President Kieran Kidder announcing the meet where Garry Frank went 2606!

I recently received a letter from a very dear friend of mine named Debbie Sample. Let me mention from the start that Debbie is one of my greatest heroes in life. She is so loving, and so compassionate, and so full of wonderful things to share. Her entire life is one of giving and sharing - as I would like for my life to be, and I would hope that you would want your life to be. She is just a blessing for me.

In any event, I received this magnificent letter from her concerning the events surrounding 9/11. It was one of the most heart-rending compositions of literature I have ever read. I really mean that. I sat there reading with tears rolling down my cheeks and chills all over my body. This short essay taught me so much about suffering, love, and compassion that I want to share it with you. I think you will agree that her words are absolutely fervent yet extremely heartening. Debbie writes:

### Dear Judd

I have had a very hard time coping with the aftermath of The World Trade Center disaster. I used to work there. I was there for the first bombing in 1993, which was one of the worst experiences of my life ...

until now. I lost many of my former colleagues and one of my closest childhood friends on 9/11 and I'm just having a hard time processing the whole thing. I returned to NYC from California for the funerals, and had the opportunity to tour Ground Zero. In retrospect, I wish I had the wisdom or foresight to refrain, but I felt God prompting or convicting me to go and offer prayer over the site and support for the workers there. Add to that my innate curiosity ... and there I stood at the gates of Hell ... Ground

The images you see on television simply do not relay the true wreckage .... the senseless loss of life, the sheer horror and unadulterated evil of it all. All I will tell you is a part of me deep inside is damaged as a result of what I saw on my tour of Ground Zero, and I don't believe it will ever truly heal. I can only hope that this experience will help me somehow reach and help others for the remainder of my life.

Words cannot describe the sight, smell and sound of the area. It smells of death ... burning, rotting garbage ... and then it hits you ... that smell is emanating from the 5000+ still missing bodies that lie in the mangled burning rubble; but not just bodies ... mothers and fathers, daughters and sons, husbands and wives ... families torn apart beyond repair in one short

# Dr. JUDD

# All Experiences Make Us Grow as told to PL USA by Judd Biasiotto Ph.D.



Jeremey Arias (with Coach Larry Maile) will use the pain of bombing at this year's IPF Worlds to make himself into a stronger and better lifter in the future. (Isagawa photo)

hour. It is the World's largest crematorium. It is incomprehensible only until you begin to travel around the entire city and see the pictures of these lost individuals posted on billboards and scaffolds by their distraught loved ones ... then all of a sudden it's very personal and a part of you aches from the loss ... a part of you dies inside

And watching these

firefighters, dig relentlessly through this mess, looking in their eyes, putting your arms around them, listening to their stories, you begin to realize what they clearly do not. You know, that when the dust settles, these heroes are going to begin the fight of their lives; a fight for their sanity. was at the site for less than 3 hours. I currently suffer form a broken heart the like of which I have never known ... and let me tell something ... That's really saying something because I know what heartache feels like!!! These men have not even begun to process what they have witnessed. I now know what Hell must look like. And I am absolutely convinced I don't ever want to go there!!

I thought things could not get worse, and then I went to an even darker place. I was asked to help out at Pier 94 where the Salvation Army was issuing death certificates and conducting grief counseling for the families of the survi-

vors. People were lined up around the block waiting to receive these death certificates for their loved ones which they needed in order to process benefits from insurance plans and pensions so that they could collect the funds they desperately needed to support what remained of their families. The line was so long, that it was impossible to process them all by the end of each day. I spoke to people who reported they'd been there every day for the last 9 days and still had not gotten to the front of the line and would have to try again the next day. The gutwrenching stories these people relayed were enough to make you weep from the deepest crevice of your soul for days. I wanted to drop everything in my life and go enlist in the armed forces to somehow right this terrible wrong

against humanity Anyway, as I said, I will never be the same for what I experienced at Ground Zero and Pler 94. My pain and grief are virtually inconsolable at times, but I often find small patches of relief when I acknowledge that Great good will be the long-term result of this tragedy. Yes ... GREAT GOOD!!! As odd as this may sound, I have a confident assurance that it will. I must tell you, like no other time in my life, I felt God's presence with me every moment and I saw God's miracles all around me in both of those horrific places ... AND EVERY DAY since!!!

Isn't that extraordinary! You know, in America we are constantly pursing happiness and self-fulfillment. Conversely, we go to great lengths to avoid any type of pain or heartache. Well, I don't want to sound morbid, but there is a great deal we can learn from suffering. Certainly, most of us would prefer to learn our lessons in the resplendence of joy, but to deny that there is some value in suffering is a mistake of significant magnitude. Of course, I am not suggesting that we seek out or cling to anguish or misery, but if suffering does manifest itself, I think it is in our best interest to experience it rather than run from it. When adversity strikes, experience it, embrace it, and then let it go. But do embrace it because it can teach us so much about what being truly human is all about. All experiences good or bad elevate us to a higher level of existence. Life is full of wonderful experi-

ences. There is joy, ecstasy, rapture, and contentment. Sex is a great experience, love is better, and unadulterated happiness ... well, that's just one of the best experiences of all. Naturally, in life there is also the experience of pain, disappointment, despair, loneliness, and confusion. That's right, life is more than just ecstasy and rapture; it's also confusion and hurt and a lot of other good and not so good experiences. It's all a part of life. If you want to live life fully, if you really want to grow, you have to experience all that life brings. I don't know about you, but I want to experience everything. I want to open up all the boxes. I want to live my life fully. I'm not going to let fear rule my life. If I get the box called pain, I'll deal with it. It won't be fun, and I know it will hurt; I've encountered it a couple of times already, but I know the experience will help me grow ... so will the experiences called depression, rejection, loneliness, death and despair. And then when you say to me, "Judd, I'm afraid of being rejected." I can understand a little bit about your fear and on that point we have a chance to grow closer together.

I remember a few years ago, one of my best friend's father died. It was one of the toughest things he ever experienced. He was absolutely devastated. When he told me of his father's death, I felt terrible for him; I mean really terrible. I would call him ever night to find out how he was doing. We would stay on the phone for hours - crying, reminiscing, and just talking. Every night I would call him and every night we would end up crying. Then one night I got a call from my mother and she said, "Judd, your father died tonight." When I first heard those words, it was like someone hitting me between the shoulder blades with a sledgehammer. It was just that painful. After I stopped crying, one of the first things I thought about was how insensitive I was towards my friend. Even though I called him every night, I never understood the emotional and physical pain that the experience "my father is dead" contained. Now I know, and I can relate to others who have opened that box .. just as I can relate to an athlete who experiences defeat, injury, failure, success, ecstasy and rapture. I've experienced all of those things, and I'm a better person for it.

Sometimes you have to experience defeat to relish victory. You have to experience rejection to understand love. You have to experience pain to appreciate pleasure. And sometimes you have to look at death to value life. All experiences make us grow.

tions to be performed for maximum results in powerlifting training has always been a controversial issue. This number, of course, varies with the goals of the trainee. For maximum strength building lower reps 1-8, are preferred by most experts. For bodybuilding purposes, higher reps, 6-15 get the nod. Even within

The optimum number of repeti-

Research, as well as experience, has shown that no single rep scheme

these ranges, experts agree to dis-

can effect all aspects of muscle cell development. Holistic training addresses this challenge. This method incorporates all repranges, either in each workout or over a period of workouts or cycles. This training method can definitely be applied to our sport of powerlifting.

Muscle tissue con-

sists of muofibrils and mitochondria. Powerlifters, by nature, tend to develop the myofibrils through the near exclusive use of relatively low rep schemes. However, higher reps in the 20-30 reprange, develop the mitochondria, which make up 20-30% of muscle. This would seem to present an opportunity or another avenue to explore in our quest for maximum power. If we could to devote a portion of our training time to developing these cells, we could achieve more complete muscular development and hopefully, a higher total. I am not saying that powerlifters should change from the basic low rep method, but slightly tweak their overall training plan to work these overlooked muscle cells. This tweaking can be accomplished in several

One way would be to concentrate on high rep training immedi-

ately after a layoff from a long contest cycle. A few weeks of training devoting about 25-50% of your workout to high rep training will also be a refreshing change for both your mind and body after hitting max or near max weights leading to a contest. It would also simulate blood flow or pump to the muscles, carrying toxins

con- out of the muscles and speeding

Another method would be to include some high rep sets on your light training days. Also, high reps could be used as a finisher or 'pump' set after your heavy work. Older lifters will realize benefits from occasional use of high reps. This could

add to competition longevity. A steady diet of heavy, low rep sets over time can really take their toll on anyone's body.

Since high rep training will stimulate 20-30% more of the muscle structure, a side benefit may be an increase in muscle size. Bodybuilders Ronnie Coleman and Tom Platz

A special section dedicated to the beginning lifter

# **High Reps in Training**

as told to Powerlifting USA by Doug Daniels



How Many Reps ... a question lifters like IPF Silver Medalist in the squat Rob Wagner have to ask themselves. (photo by Hiro Isagawa, who made a 452 bench at 132 at the IPF Bench Worlds)

ing. Coleman does 50-70 reps of benches with 225 and Platz was famous for his super high rep squat workouts. These men definitely got some size

are big proponents of high rep train-

definitely got some size in return for their efforts. Although size and strength are not related on a one-to-one basis, the increase in size could add an extra leverage advantage, hence bigger lifts in competition even without a corresponding increase in muscle strength.

Which exercises you choose to work with high reps is up to you. Obviously, a set of 20-40 reps of squats is also going to have a profound effect on your cardiovascular system, another side benefit. Drop the high rep work at least three weeks prior a meet to avoid overtraining. Keep in mind that proper exercise form is critical for best results no matter what rep scheme you follow. Just because the weights are light enough to allow dozens of reps. does not mean that bal listic or partial reps are

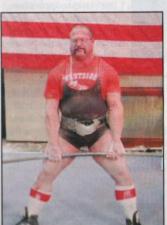
I hope I have stimulated your brain cells enough for you to incorporate some degree of high rep or holistic training into your workout plan in a method I have outlined, or perhaps your own unique application. Development of an extra 20-30% of your muscle cells is the potential reward, not to mention added exercise variety, enhanced recuperation and a longer career. Remember that basic low rep (1-8) training seems

to be the preferred rep scheme for results in powerlifting, but don't stop there. No one method exclusively will yield maximum results in the long run.

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S. Robbins	700	500	635	1835	198				
D. Dauge	685	460	655	1800	R. Martucci	675	340	505	152
M. Stuchiner	680	440	615	1735	275				
S. Allen					G. Benedetti	430	430	435	129
C. Miller	650				J. Birney				
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R. Barlow	850	545	800	2195	M. Majer	545	315	540	140
T. Hutson	925	575	675	2175	S. Barker				
J. Phillips	750	560	725	2035	242				
M. Ruggiera					E. Callaku	610	425	610	164
J. Willoughby					J. Parrish	650	400	575	162
A. Henry					K. Bardos	515	400	585	150
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J. Murphy					S. Glover	600	370	530	150
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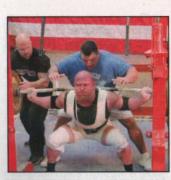
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Joe Dougherty- great total @ 181



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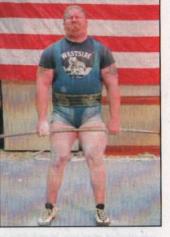
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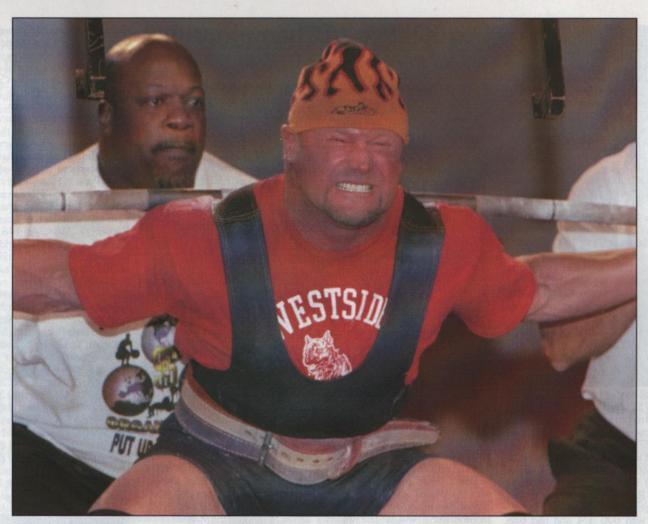
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Matt Smith ... good in all the lifts (all photographs by Dave Tate)



CHUCK VOGELPOHL squatted 1000 lbs. in the 220 lb. class at the IPA Nationals, after making an 848 at the WPO Semi-Finals



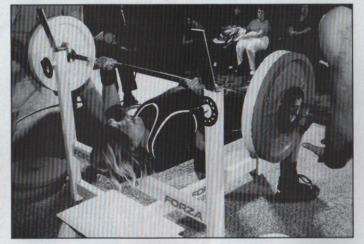
Five hundred fifty two lifters showed up at the beautiful Peppermill Hotel in Reno, Nevada. There was a total of 927 benchers and deadlifters, with 927 trophies given out to lifters along with 70 outstanding lifter trophies and 6 team trophies. The trophy bill was \$21,640.00 and the cost of putting the meet on was \$43,214.00.

In the Bench Press in Submaster at 165#, A.J. Agamao set a California State Record 424 to edge out Steve Ward, who did 418 weighing 152. At 181#, Jose Marin set a Texas State Record with 413#. Edgar Bravo of Guatemala and Brian Baertlein both did 407. At 198# Johnny Hernandez of Idaho won the Worlds with 451. Troy Weippert was 2nd with a North Dakota State Record of 374#. At 220# Kenneth Millrany set a Tennessee State Record with 462 3/4 to beat Roderick Rogers of Alabama, who was 2nd with 418. At 242, Jimmee Fullerton tied a Texas State Record with 529 to beat Russell Kitani, who set a Nevada State Record with 523. Russell has benched as high as 562. At 275 John Stewart, who broke a world record in this category, 3 meets in a row, was off a little and ended up with 600. His World Record is 628. A fast improving Kendall Walden of Oregon was 2nd with 584. Jaimi Tovar was third with a California State Record 512 1/2. At 308, Jim Cunningham was the World Champion with 600 3/4 and had 628 within one inch of lockout. Julian Erevia was 2nd with 462. At Super,

### WABDL World Championships

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B. Sanders	248	T. Manno	
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D. Winslow	308	A. Ramsey	567
V. Ledford	297	R. Young	518
R. High	270	P. Benvin	286
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B. Beebe	435	Master 47-53	
B. Leverling	429	132	
B. Cox	363	G. Bobrovitz	253
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G. Herring BL	496	165	
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P. Radmilovich	358	R. Hagedorn	336
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J. LaGrill	380	D. Martinez	363
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C. Moon	556	G. McCoy	457
M. Lutz	485	R. Nelson	451
P. Ratsch	451	P. Fay	363
K. Sacher	451	R. Marchant	347
B. Smith	446	275	
F. Sondgeroth	402	M. Moore	396
308		L. Contreras	391

# WABDL World Championships as told to PL USA by GUS RETHWISCH



Joanne Warner was this close to a 341 Bench. (B. Baertlein photos)

big Dave Marchant of Utah set a Utah State Record with 556 1/2. Thomas McKinney of Texas was 2nd with 490. The outstanding lifters were Steve Ward in the lightweight division and John Stewart in the heavyweight division.

In Class I Bench, Randall Wrye was 1st with 292 and Eric Nahorniak was 2nd with a Nevada State Record of 286 1/2. At 165 Gerald Figard won the Worlds with 203. At 181 Nathan Nelson won the World Championship with a Nevada State Record 380. At 198, Greg Stephens set a California State Record 418 3/4

and Steve Ughe, the leader of the Palace Gym of Burlingame, California, was 2nd with 396. Brant Bishop of Alabama was 3rd with 391. At 220, there were 9 contestants and Steve Pena, who is blind, won with a very impressive 473 3/4 (California State Record). Joe Guerra was a distant 2nd with 413. At 242, there were 7 contestants and the World Champion was Kevin Hahn, who set a Missouri State Record with 457. Rich Ludlam was 2nd with 451. James Mozingo of the Marine Corps Mountain Training School (and soon to be heading for Afghanistan) was 3rd with 424. At 275, there were 7 contestants and the World Champion was Steve Hendricks, who set an Alabama State Record of 496. Mike Lutz was 2nd with a California State Record of 485#. In 3rd was Colin Bonneau of Alberta, Canada with 468 and 4th was William Pontius of Seattle, Wash. At 308, the World Champion was John Newman with 374. The outstanding lifters were Greg Stephens in lightweight and Steve Pena in Heavyweight.

In Junior Men's Bench at 132#. Stanley Mendez won the World Championship with a Texas State Record of 248#. At 148 Martin Cain of Utah won the Worlds with a Utah State Record and World Record of 380. Taylor Tom of Hawaii was 2nd with 369, however, on a 4th attempt he regained his world record, which he previously held at 355 with a 381. At 165, Bryan Bunn set a Georgia State Record with 341 1/2. Jonathan Tcruz was 2nd with 292. At 181, Jeff Sussman set a Calif. State Record with a whopping 440 3/4. Greg Gibson, also of Calif., was just as whopping with 440 3/4, but he was the heavier man and had to settle for 2nd. At 198, there were 7 contestants and Ernie Mil-Homens of Canada won the World Championship with 451 3/4. In 2nd was Greg Stephens with a Calif. State Record 418. At 220, Josh Wilkins, who holds the world record at 220 with 525, won this time with 512. Phil Davi was 2nd with 501. At 242 Adrian Larsen put up an impressive 5121/2 for an Oregon State Record.

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Tony Arterburn of North Carolina was 2nd with 479 1/2. Andrew Quiroz was 3rd with a Texas State Record of 473. At 275 Jason Parman set a Kentucky State Record with 485 to win the Worlds. Cody Sacher was 2nd with 418 3/4. Cody has done 462 as a teenager. At 308 Jerry Pritchett of Arizona won with 435. Outstanding Lifters were Martin Cain at lightweight and Josh Wilkins at heavyweight.

In Teen Men Bench, 13-15 age group, Trent Corey set a Georgia and World Record of 110# in the 97# class. At 123, Kevin Pennington of



Jason Jac kson got a spectacular 606 at 242.

Washington was 1st with 137 1/2. At 132 Zach O'Quinn set a Texas State Record with 187. At 148 Clayton Pinson set an Oklahoma State Record with 165# for 1st. At 165, Andy Munsey of Oregon won with 159 3/4. At 181 Micky Martin of Oklahoma won with 143. At 198 James Perry won with 181 3/4. At 220 Viktor Tovar set a Calif. State Record with 203 3/4. Outstanding lifter for 13-15 was Zach O'Quinn.

In Teen 16-19, at 105#, Randall Griggs set an Oregon and World Record of 170 3/4. At 123 Chuckie Snider set two World Records, ending up with 270# and he threw in a couple of Texas State Records for good measure. At 132 Damian Lewis of Washington put up 220 for the World Title. At 148, Damian Osgood of Maine won with a respectable 308 1/2 and a Maine State Record. At 165 Paul Seaver, who holds the World Record at 13-15 165 with 281, beat Hayward Blake 326 to 325 in a real barnburner and took Blake's Calif. State Record in the process. At 181 Anthony Palomba of Louisiana won the World Championship with 341 1/2. At 198 Matthew Christie set a Georgia State with 358 to get his world title. At 275, DeShaun Milliken, who was the top running back in Washington State, set a world record 518. He has a football scholarship to the University of Oregon and runs a 4.4 forty, weighing 255#. Watch for this guy - he's a good bet to win the Heisman in a couple of years. Arnold Gonzales of Texas won the 308 class with 314. Outstanding lifters were Zach O'Quinn in lightweight and DeShaun Milliken in heavyweight.

In open bench at 123, Bobby Sanders won with a 248. At 132 Herbeth Garcia of Guatemala beat out Stanley Mendez of Texas with a 248. At 148, the current World Record holder Evan Davidson of Arizona beat Monty Hokoana of Hawaii, 380 to 352. Kom Phanekham of Washington was 3rd with 341 1/2. At 165 Jesse Romero of Washington won the Worlds with 352



Johnny Hernandez and his daughter ... Johnny got a 451 bench in the 198 Submaster class.

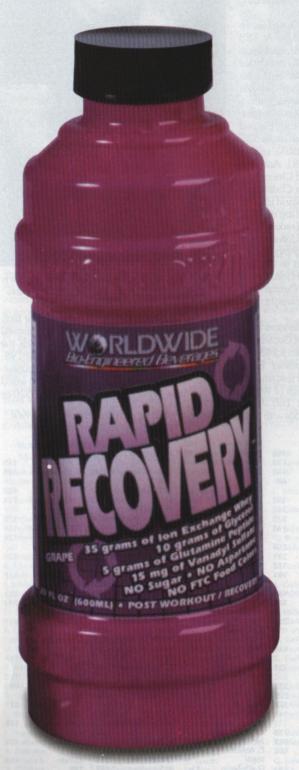
1/2. At 181 Bryan Beebe did a subpar, for him, 440 to edge Corey Evans of Canada, who also did 440, but was the heavier man. Byron holds the Masters World Record at 181 with 491. At 198, George Herring of Georgia, who has won numerous World Championships and set over 30 world records did a 496. He is usually capable of 520 or

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I love animals, because they are made out of meat. As a carnivore, this appeals to me. They are truly "meals on wheels" running loose. I imagine the first cavemen, walking the family dog back to the cave - and then eating it.

Speaking of caves and cavemen, let's look into the "Power B" rathole in Washington, Indiana. Last time, I promised you a gym that trains with dogs - here it is!

Nestled in the rolling hills of Southern Indiana in downtown Washington is a gym dedicated to the pursuit of strength enhancement. The gym is actually found in the basement of Glenn "Power B" Buechlein. The socalled rat-hole facility is frequented by several diehard lifters. Wednesdays and Saturdays are routinely the toughest and most intense workouts. Wednesday is a day of squatting coupled with strongman events in the alley. Curious neighbors often peer through their curtains to catch a glimpse of the psychos flipping tires, racing wheelbarrows, pushing trucks, and cleaning steel logs and kegs filled with water. Many individuals have come to strongman night never to return again. There is always a myriad of excuses, but the bottom line is that they lack heart and perhaps another body part or two. Saturday is devoted to the bench and assorted assistance exercises. The majority of participants are college football players who want to improve their overall strength and conditioning. A new addition to strongman night recently won a strongman competition sponsored by the well known Evansville, IN gym, The Pit.

The gym itself is like an underground cavern inhabited by troglodytes. The equipment is a collec-

## HARD CORE GYM#9

"POWER B GYM": a dog-eat dog rathole!"

as told to PL USA by Rick Brewer, of House of Pain



Glen "Power B" Buechlein recently hit this 605 in the 3 board press

tion that has taken a decade or more to compile. Key pieces of equipment include a specially constructed bench, a squat rack, reverse hyper, seated chest-supported row machine, and various bars. Other items that are mainstays of training are jump stretch bands, chains, sandbags, and boards. The gym houses approximately 1500 lbs. of plates. Only the essentials are needed because there is no room for frivolous machines that only take up valuable training space. As many as 8-10 people train at once, so the idea is to not give the slackers any place to rest or to converse about their latest date with their cousin. Also,

the music is cranked to ensure limited talking, The music of choice is imported from upper New York State. The master of metal Doug "the AXEMAN" Fortune provides the proper blend of metal mayhem to arouse the senses and increase the lifting juices. Favorites include Six Feet Under, Sepultura, Machinehead, Testament, and Nevermore. Music is a focal point of our workouts because the right choice of tunes is equivalent to any other facet of training. It is all about the mindset and ambiance of the room.

A profile of some regular attendees begins with the owner of Power

in the bench is a 620 at 233 lbs. Glenn's cousin Eric Patterson was a frequent guest at the gym until his recent marriage to Nadine and subsequent move to Guatemala. Eric benched over 500 at 220 and totaled 1850 at 220. A long time member at the tender age of 23, Tony Lindauer has participated bench meets and has benched 400 at 198 lbs. He also is a 500 plus squatter. Dale Jennings has the potential to be a champ after he is done playing around with the pigskin. Dale is only 21 and squats over 500 and benches 350 without the use of equipment at the meager bodyweight of 165 lbs. Dustin Minks lifts in both bench and full meets. He has squatted over 600 and benched in the mid 3s. A newcomer, Jason "Harley" Davison, a strength coach from Indiana State University has made a great deal of progress. He benches over 400 and squats in the 600 range. He also won a recent strongman contest, mentioned previously. Garett Devers, a recent high school graduate, has made prodigious improvements. He weighs in at 135 lbs., but has pulled close to 400. He squats over 300 and benches 225. Adam "Night Train" Lane, another eighteen year old, squats 525 and benches 325. He is preparing to play linebacker at the University of Indianapolis. Tom Brillhart, a lineman for ISU, has also been a consistent lifter at the facility. He has increased his bench and squat by 30-40 lbs. in just 2 months. There have been many others who have lifted at this subterranean hole, but their lack of attendance in recent times has caused them to be deleted from the training board and any mention in this article. A school teacher named Mike Berry has replaced them in the "line-up!" The motto of the gum is Ad Astra

B, Glenn Buechlein. B is the oldest

person in the gym at 35. He is mostly a contestant in bench-press meets,

but also loves to squat and do strong-

man type training. His personal best

Peraspera. It literally means to the stars through hardship. Another belief of the gym is that if you do not want to improve and risk failure then you should not be here. We do not make fun of anyone who lifts hard no matter what the amount of weight. We only chastise individuals who sandbag and strive for mediocrity. Also, a favorite saying is that "this ain't the Y!" We have a problem with most commercial gyms because of the emphasis on socializing and chrome equipment. A caveat is to prepare for the pre-training rants by the B who believes in numerous conspiracies and who is a proponent of the idea that, "Government is not the solution to problems, they are the problem!" <Rick's note: Glenn is right! The smaller the government;



the freer the people.>

Lastly, if you want to lift at the gym you must be a dog lover. Power B has 3 dogs and they are the owner's pride and joy. They rule the roost, especially the boxer named Cheyenne. I asked Glenn if anyone had been attacked by these dogs, since the only thing better than eating an animal is for the animal to eat a person. Fortunately, the answer was yes! The boxer was behind the couch, and he tried to lure her out with a piece of cheese. Since she was a dog, and not a mouse, she instead took a chunk out of Glenn's hand. Blood was everywhere, and Glenn "Power B" had to go the emergency room. The boxer also bit the neighbor ladu, who sometimes defies Glenn's warnings and reaches across the fence. Even though her hand gets snapped by a dog, she is known as the "cat woman" since they claim the urban legend about the cat in the microwave trick started in her kitchen. She is obviously "toting an empty gymbag" since everyone knows you deep-fry a cat. For all of you P.E.T.A. activists; yes, I have pets. I have 3 kids, 2 dogs, a cat, and a hamster. The hamster looks like a furry little sausage. We had a lot of other animals, but ... better not tell all that right

The matron of metal is Power B's wife Kelly. She is always positive about the lifting even though some unscrupulous souls are in her humble abode. It is also not uncommon for the crew to pitch in and have a feast after the lifting is done. The grill is usually fired up every other week so the lumbering lummoxes can feed their face and prepare for the next workout. If you are ever in the vicinity give the Ba call at 1-812-257-1048 and we will be glad to push some iron with you. By the way, no one pays dues to lift at the gym.B "B" is independently wealthy because of his position as a schoolteacher.

OK, sports fans: is this a hard-core gym or what? Doesn't take much money does it? All you whine-bag lifters: take note, and create your own hard-ore training spot! Next time, we'll either go to Rattlesnake Mountain, or go get a tan. (I haven't decided.)

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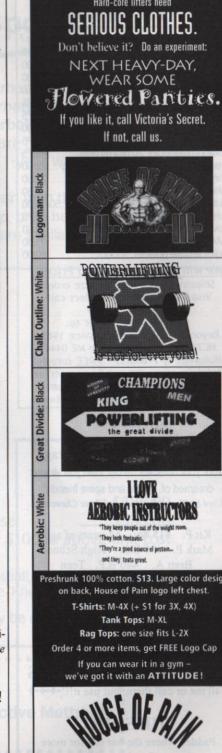
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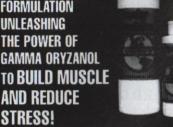
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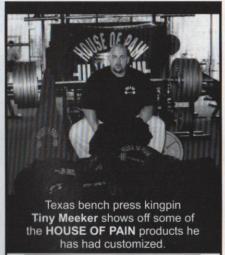
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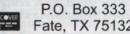
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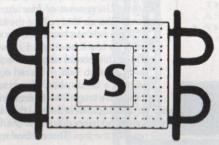
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Hardly. We have a training plan method many times. Basically we that is designed to produce explosive power and incredible absolute

I have discussed the dynamic

use 45-50% of a shirtless max with mostly close grips for 8 sets of 3 reps. This is followed by triceps, lats, and rear and side delt work. But what happens max effort day at Westside that has produced four 700 pound benchers, with more to come? We max out like the Bulgarians: Regardless of our level of preparedness, we do as much as possible on that day. While it may not be our all-time best, it is absolutely

all we can do on that particular day. Let's start with J.M. Blakley, who has done 710. J.M. likes to do floor presses. He drapes 200-320 pounds of chain over the bar, doing triples. After loading the chains he adds weight; after 225 he jumps 20 pounds a set. This adds up to 12-18

Another exercise that is popular for J.M. (and myself) is the J.M. press. It is done with a close grip, lowering the bar in a straight line down toward the upper chest, stopping about 6 inches above the chest. The elbows are at a 45 deg angle from the body, thereby taking the delts out of the lift, leaving the triceps to do most of the work. I refer to these as J.M. presses out of respect for J.M., who first demonstrated them for us. J.M. is very dedicated to powerlifting, having traveled all over the United States and overseas to compete. I am honored that he represents us with such passion and dignity.

Kenny Patterson was the young-

est to bench 700 at 22 years old. He

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Rob Fusner has benched an all-time record of 735 at 308. What makes Rob so incredible is that he has totaled 2358 in a full meet. One of Rob's favorite exercises is the floor press with bands. The bands add roughly 170 pounds at the top. Rob will use a close to moderately close grip. After starting with the bands, he will add weight and work up to a

Rob's standard triceps

George's lock-out prob-

is accommodating resistance. Kenny will also have a record with green or pink Jump-Stretch bands.

Kennu's favorite triceps extension is with dumbbells with palms facing each other. He has worked up to 125's for sets of 8-10 reps. That takes strong triceps, and that's what it takes to break world records.

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extension exercise is steep incline dumbbell extensions with the elbows pointed out to the sides and the dumbbells touching the upper chest. They remain touching as Rob extends them to the top. This method really works the area around the elbows, and this area is responsible for locking out the arms. Rob will perform 8-12 reps for sets until the triceps are fatigued. We look for Rob to not only break more bench records but also break the total record some

George Halbert was stuck at a 475 bench for 2 years. After joining us, he made an official 628 after 1 year of training at 275. George had a lock-out problem, but obviously he solved it. He dropped down to 198 and made a 683. Then George jumped up to 215 and made 701, 716, and 733 at one meet. This is the greatest bench press according to coefficient to date. How does he do it? Well, I'll tell you two ways and only two ways for now.

lem was addressed by board press with bands. George has done 365 on the bar plus 400 pounds of band tension off four boards, and Rob did 345 plus 400 pounds of bands. George said he could lock-

out that much and so could Rob. He was right. George had the stamina to do three benches over 700 at 215, while Rob made 661, 694, 716, and 735. As long as you are explosive enough to blast the weight into the lock-out zone, you can lock-out almost anything. The second exercise helps George blast the bar into that zone. On dynamic day George, being very strong and ex-

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I have presented eight exercises, but there are many more to choose from. They all work for someone, and you may be that someone.

To close, I have some personal advice for all who read my articles: I keep a bottle of testosterone sitting on a triplelayer bench press shirt in the back of my gym, but I have yet to see it bench 5 pounds. To be great, it takes planning, work, dedication, courage, and aggression. If you lack one of these, you will fail, and you have no one to blame but yourself. Losers hate winners, so it's better to be hated in powerlifting than to hate.

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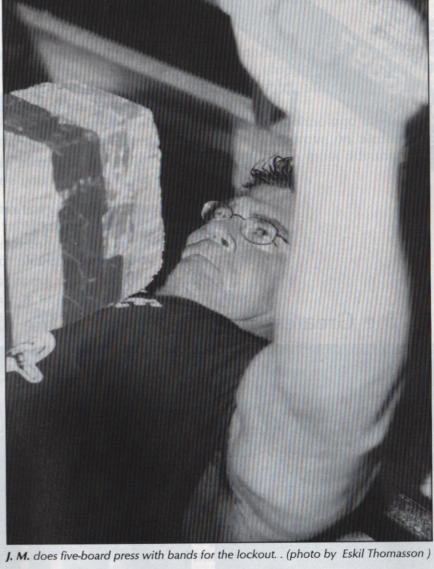
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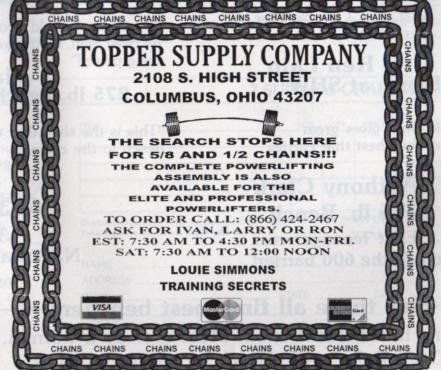
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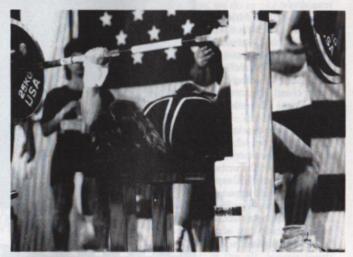
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It is easy to get caught in the trap of under-recovery. And we can all understand why. We associate getting stronger with the gym. So standing on that assumption, we feel that more time and days we spend in the gym will surely equal more strength for us. And, of course, in the early years of training this thinking is supported by the facts. We add to our modest efforts and ... presto! ... more results. It's hard to argue with that kind of reinforcement.

NOT get stronger in the gym. One gets stronger during RE-COVERY after the workout in the gym is long over. One actually gets weaker in the gym. That's right! Think about it, could you produce a higher one rep max on your way to the gym or on your way home from the gym? If your workout was worth anything you'll be exhausted and your strength will actually be down (temporarily) as a result of the training you've just done! So does the gym make you stronger?

No! it makes you weaker, it tires you out, it exhausts you! What makes you stronger is your body's response to that exhaustion. The gym has only an indirect effect on your increased strength. It's direct effect is to lower your strength. Strength gain comes during recovery when you're miles from the gum!

What I'm getting at here is that too often an intermediate or advanced trainee will begin to (and I hate to use this phrase) over-train. They associate more in the gym with more results. And sadly, after the novice stage, nothing could be more of a mistake. This is a source of deep confusion and real frustration for all who can't shake the "more is not better" attitude.

My own answer to that is that more is not better; only better is better. You must fully understand the importance of recovery if you are ever to tap your full potential.

The first step is to let go of the old attachment to the gym. I know that this is almost impossible to do. The gym has been a place of psychological power and self-esteem and the layers of mental attachment are too deep for me to tackle here. People like us hold the gym environment in an almost sacred light. And it's no wonder we have gotten so many great emotional benefits from one particular place that it's hard not to kind of aggrandize the whole thing. We feel great there. It makes us feel

# TRAINING

# **GIVE IT A REST!**

But the truth is that one DOES as told to Powerlifting USA by J.M. Blakley



The author J.M. Blakley kicks back with a stogie and tries to learn the Art of Recovery! (photograph by C. Narwocki)

good just to go there. Even if we have a lousy workout, it's better than that awful feeling we get when we miss too many workouts. You know what I'm talking about. The weights are a very unvielding mistress! And we will always be drawn to them for reasons other than physical.

But at times can hamper our progress. We seem to just be going through the motions and hit the dreaded (and I hate to use this phrase) plateau. We work harder and harder, but our results are not forthcoming. So we give it that little bit extra. We dig deep. We say more must be what it takes. And still, meager results or worse even a slight decline! Frustration! And somewhere between the stale workouts, the inevitable small injuries, and the re-determined will to try harder we come to accept that we have reached our so-called "genetic potential" and without saying it try to eel satisfied with where we are.

B.S.!

I don't believe that anyone knows what his or her full potential is, I don't believe in genetics as a ceiling for performance, and I don't believe in plateaus. If I did I would have stopped ifting when I hit a 500 pound bench for I assure you I was convinced that that was all I could ever lift!

You shouldn't believe it either. If you do you're lost. You can always fall back on one of those excuses for

sub par performance. And some people always do. But if you are to break away to the next level you must evolve your thinking, REMEM-BERTHIS: what got you here - got you here. It is not necessarily what will take you on ahead. If you keep doing what you always do you'll keep get-

Fresh Mind

ting what you always got.

The answer to most plateaus is added recovery. You want an answer that involves more? OK! Rest morell Take more

days in between workouts. The training program you are using must be somewhat sound or you would have aborted it along ago. The reason you cling to it now is that it used to work! And it probably still will. Give it a rest. Add one or two extra days between training sessions. That's my big magical answer Just plan in more recovery. Then watch the numbers begin to climb like they used to! This is what needs to evolve. Not necessarily your training (but eventually this too must change) but for now adapt your recovery schedule.

The Law of Recovery

The rule is simple: the harder (meaning heavier) you train, the longer it takes to recover. That's the law. Don't miss this! I'll repeat: you need more recovery the heavier you lift. That's the whole point of this article. If you've been making progress on your current program your strength has undoubtedly gone up. What modifications in your recovery have you made to coincide with this? I'll bet none. I'll bet you train on the same schedule as you did when you began the program when you were 20% weaker and your training loads were 3/4 what they are now. You did not observe the rule! The harder (heavier) you work, the more rest you need. I am suggesting that if you invoke the rule you can remain on your current program and still see good results. (bear in mind though that at some time this too will pass).

Stretch out your recovery time. This is very, very uncomfortable to those who hold fast to their own attachment. They feel they will get weaker if they don't bench every so many days and go into a mild panic when told to stay out of the gym. This is irrational but understandable. There have been efforts over the years to alleviate this gym withdrawl by prescribing "light days" of exercise to help the gym addict make it to the next real training session. I generally disagree with this. If a workout is not of a sufficient level of intensity, it will not induce growth or strength gain. Going in and squatting a couple hundred pounds for a few sets and reps will in no way cause strength increase for a 650 lb. squatter. In my opinion it is senseless and cuts into recovery time if done too heavily. So there is no chance of gains but a decent possibility of making recovery incomplete. I don't like the odds. Stay out of the gym! If you want to loosen up or get circulation going to aid recovery, use a non-gym approach. Perform stretches or walk or swim or whatever at a low intensity level. Going back to the gym is just too tempting and you may hinder rather than help. For the love of God, people, there's a whole wide world out there!! You can exercise without

This article was written to emphasize the need for two things. The need for added recovery with increased workloads, and the need to let go of the gym and evolve your attitude of where strength really comes from. My advice is to take a few extra days (1 or 2) in between training bouts.

I write from personal experience.

This was a very difficult lesson for me to grasp. Each month I was having fewer training sessions per body part. It seemed backwards. But four intense, all-out, balls-to-the-walls workouts a month will get you a hell of a lot farther than 12 mundane, mediocre go-through-the -motions workouts. It is all linked to the quality and intensity of your training. As you progress you will get stronger. Your training loads will go up. You can't expect that your body can recover just as easily and in the same time span as it did with the lighter weights. You must adapt your recovery time. Your thinking must evolve. You will have to find something to do with yourself outside the comfort and security of the house of pain or the dungeon or whatever you call your little iron sanctuary. Read a book. Smoke a good cigar. Take the wife out to dinner I don't know. But if you're at a plateau and you're frustrated, stay out of the gym. Give

# WORKOUT of the Month

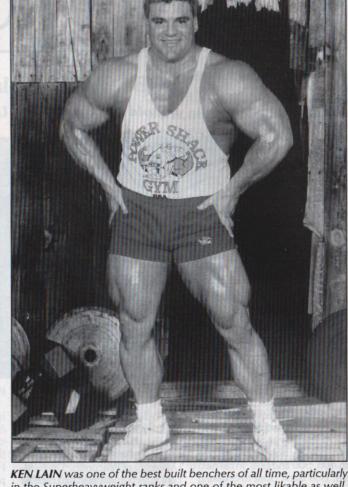
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### Ken Lain's Bench Routine

The bench press is THE most and tendons along with the muscles. respected lift in the eye of the general public. When someone notices the physique of a powerlifter or bodybuilder. 98% of the time they want to know what they bench and how big their arms are. They have little interest in how much a guy can squat or how big his calves are.

The following routine is designed for an intermediate lifter who is capable of benching 500 lbs. In the club that I own, 80% of the lifters have increased their bench by 50 lbs. by using this routine. I would like to stress that the weight will feel extremely light at first and you will have a tendency to want to increase it, but don't. Follow the program to the letter, for it is designed to increase the strength of the ligaments

This workout is done twice a week with one heavy day and one light day. You should do no more than 80% on light days, which in my example are Thursdays, with the heavy days being on Monday. Use the same auxiliary work on the light day that you used on heavy day, but again, only 80% of what is used on heavy day. All auxiliary work should stop by Week 8 so you can concentrate entirely on the bench. Be sure to pause all reps and work on good form. Stay tight through the whole movement. This routine is designed on a percentage basis of your expected max bench, so to figure it you should start at the bottom and work up. In this case, we assume the lifter is shooting for a 550 max



in the Superheavyweight ranks, and one of the most likable as well.

based upon a 50 lb. increase from the present 500 lb. max.

I have added a single rep max in

then back down to the reps. Do no heavy singles on light days. Week 1: 55%, Heavy day only 1x490, 3 sets, 10 reps, 300 lbs. Week 2: 60%, Heavy day only

each week, which is only a confi-

dence builder and not necessary.

You should warm up to the max,

single 1x495, 3 sets, 10 reps, 330 Week 3: 65%, Heavy day only

single 1x500, 3 sets, 8 reps, 355

Week 4: 70%, Heavy day only single 1x505, 3 sets, 7 reps, 385

Week 5: 75%, Heavy day only single 1x510, 3 sets, 6 reps, 410

Week 6: 80%, Heavy day only single 1x515, 3 sets, 5 reps, 440

Week 7: 85%, Heavy day only single 1x520, 2 sets, 4 reps, 465

Week 8: 90%, Heavy day only single 1x525, 2 sets, 3 reps, 495

Week 9: 95%, Heavy day only single IxO, 1 set, 2 reps 520 lbs. Week 10: 100%, Meet. 1st

attempt, 500 lbs.; 2nd attempt 530 lbs.; 3rd attempt, 550 lbs.



Ken blasted one all time Superheavyweight record after another to well over 700 lbs., and then surprised the World of Powerlifting by dropping way down to the 242 lb. class to make a remarkable 655.

# POWER PROFILE a detailed PL USA look at some of the best lifters in the world

cade of training, Lowery tried many

workout systems, but found the

classic powerlifting paradigm the

most productive. He trained four

days per week.

squatting and

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Vasily Alexiev, he

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160 pounds. His power cleans

of his competitive career. Work-

outs often lasted two hours or more.

After months training too heavy,

too often, a few weeks hiatus was

the only way to recover from sore-

ness and fatigue. Older, wiser and

no longer competing, he is now

more perceptive of overtraining

symptoms. At their onset, he backs

in people's mental capacity. Few

were able to consistently push with

the requisite intensity for maximum

performance. An observation he had about Bill Kazmaier, while train-

ing with him, was his tremendous

ability to push, week after week,

per week including 35-40 minutes

on a stationary bike. Strength train-

ing work lasts no more than an

hour. To circumvent old shoulder

problems, he benches mostly with dumbbells. No longer needing to

surpass others, Lowery is satisfied

by "a good feel" from a workout.

resent the genesis of our great sport.

Their pioneering commitment set

the groundwork on which power-

lifting was built. For that we can all

Bob, and those of his era, rep-

Today, Bob trains 3 to 4 days

without burning out.

Bob quickly noticed differences

off by decreasing workload.

Bob feels he overtrained much

reached an apex of 300 X 5.

Assistance

tured cycles.

The 1960s were the fledgling decade for powerlifting. What an exciting time it must have been to participate then. Bob Lowery, an

early grass roots powerlifter of that era, is not necessarily a household name. He represents, instead, the essence of those early days. Bob and his cronies formed the backbone of an upcoming movement, as Madison, Wisconsin became an enclave of strength.

Training at the Madison Y, Bob fell in with Stu Boud, a national shot-put record holder, who later played tight end for the Vikings. His first taste of battle was third place in a county meet and with lifts of 345 bench, 475 squat, and a 565 deadlift. At the first Wisconsin Sate meet, Bob's team had an excess

of competitive 242ers, so Bob competed as a SHW weighing only 243 (no 275 lb. class back then). With this handicap, Bob placed second with 400, 500 and 600. In his next meet. Bob came close to breaking the state squat record of 590, but missed 595. Deadlifts in those days included the legal application of Vaseline to the bar, facilitating a smooth glide up the thighs. Following a competitor who'd heavily greased the bar; Lowery struggled to maintain his grip, pulling 650,

only to have it slip from his hands. He's never lost another that way since. Bob's 1625 total broke the state record by 15 lbs., falling just short of Masters ranking

Interruptions were in the cards. Bob met and married his wife, had kids, and "settled down." Powerlifting was forced to the back seat as Lowery attended to diapers, station wagons and picket fences. Bob's 1976 return to competition was precipitated when Dennis Hegge asked him to become a partner in a new downtown

### BOB LOWERY - Blast from the Past

as told to Powerlifting USA by Marc Cavigioli



Bob Lowery squats a Wisconsin record 611 in 1978. Back spotter at left is Dr. Fred Hatfield

gym called the Madison Weightlifting Center. Among the partners was Fred "Dr. Squat" Hatfield, who had taken a teaching position at the University of Wisconsin. The hardcore environment gestated notable lifters (Bill Kazmaier among them) in its iron womb. Steve DeSalvo, who wrestled as Steve Strong in the WWF, was also a patron - benching 565 in national competition and squatting around 800.

Returning at a 210 bodyweight, Bob thought he'd lift light, avoid

ibility, but he couldn't resist the pull of heavy iron and went on to win three more state championships. He culminated them with best competition lifts of a 450 bench, 612 squat, and a 720 deadlift. Bob rarely did singles in training, but believes his gym lifts transferred to a 635 squat, as he was tripling 600, and a 750 deadlift, having tripled

Then working as a jail guard, he

scrapped with an inmate and tore his thigh. The state meet was only a few weeks away. Bob competed in spite of the injury, and won. Chronic tendonitis then forced him to minimize his squat training to one heavy set per week. Nonetheless, in ten years of state meets his rankings included 2nd in '70, 1st in '71, 2nd in '72, 1st in '73, 1st in '74, and 1st in '77. '78, and '79.

During a de-

heavy squats, and emphasize flex-

By 1979, Bob's joints were shot.

# Ask the Doctor

This column will answer questions about drugs used by athletes and detection techniques for these drugs. Because of the demand, I will occasionally answer questions concerning health and training problems which do not directly relate to drug use and detection. If you wish a personal response to your question send \$15 to cover office and secretarial expenses. Please, no questions about how and when to use anabolic steroids. Send questions to: Mauro Di Pasquale MD. 23 Main St., Warkworth, Ontario, Canada KOK 3KO (For reasons of brevity or clarity, some letters may be edited, however, every effort is made to retain the spirit of the original question.)

DEAR MAURO: I have been on the 'Metabolic Diet' for about 5 weeks now and I'm getting great results. I was wondering about how many carbs would you recommend in a post workout shake? What kind of carbs? Also, should I have fat with that shake? Currently I'm 215 and about 10-11% body fat. My goal is to gain muscle and lose as much fat as possible. It seems as if I respond best to eating 50-100 carbs a day. So, could you give some recommendations on a post workout shake. Thank you for your

P.S. I read in your book that you worked with the WWF. Currently I wrestle for an independent league called UPW. The WWF shows some interest in me and my goal is to get ripped and get a WWF contract. Thanks for your help!

DEAR MARK: Sorry to be so long in answering, but things have been really hectic the past month. If you've successfully adapted you should include some fat in your shake, preferably in the form of healthy fats such as the essential fatty acids (for example flax seed and fish oil), and/or an oil high in the monosaturated fatty acid, oleic acid (as found in olive oil). A recent study shows that while the addition of fat slows down both amino acid and carb absorption in those that are carb adapted, it doesn't do so in those that are fat adapted.

As far as how many carbs to include, based on the carb levels that work best for you I'd include up to about 50 grams of high glycemic carbs. A lot of it depends on what phase of training you're in. For example in a heavy mass/strength phase, it's a good idea to increase the high glycemic carb intake by about 50 grams on top of your usual post workout nutrition (for example you could use my MRP LoCarb or LoCarb Sports Bar or even a meal, with the added carbs used first) to get an added insulin spike but not a good idea to prolong this increase in carbs after that spike as it impacts on the dynamics that the Metabolic Diet puts in place.

The way I handle my post workout nutrition when I'm trying to gain mass and strength but still keep fat gain to a minimum, is to use my Amino (check www.MetabolicDiet.com for what's in it) immediately after the workout in order to produce an amino acid and insulin spike that immediately increases protein synthesis, insulin AND growth hormone levels (something that won't happen if you use carbs at that time). After that, maybe once I've showered and gotten dressed, I take 50 grams or so of high glycemic carbs and follow that up five minutes or so later with my regular post workout nutrition as mentioned above. The carbs are in the form of high glycemic foods (check the list in the Appendix of the Metabolic Diet or even on www.MetabolicDiet.com (I think we have it on line) or even straight dextrose, so that I get a real insulin spike prior to taking in the other food. When I'm in my

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leaning out phase I'll forget about the extra high glycemic carbs before the post workout nutrition. Best of luck on the diet. Let me know how you're getting along. Mauro Di Pasquale M.D.

DEAR MAURO: I had heard something about drinking hot water to maintain or reduce weight, is this true? Thank you, Victor

DEAR VICTOR: There's no truth to that. The best use of hot water is for a relaxing bath, or for coffee/tea.

All the best, Mauro Di Pasquale MD



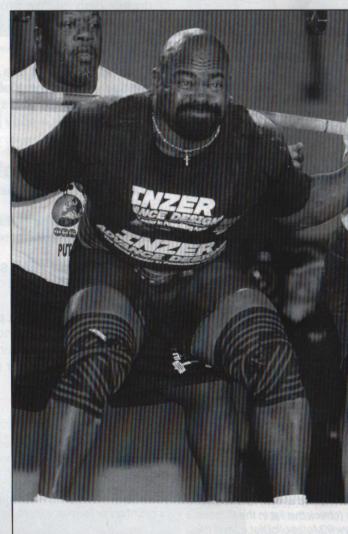
575x5 by Bob at the Madison YMCA in 1974. (courtesy Lowery)

Marc Cavigioli

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125 kg. (275 lb.) as ranked by Herb Glossbrenner

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Steve Goggins leads the way in the squat category at 275 with his massive 1036 at Kieran Kidder's WPO Semi-Finals back in Aug. 2001.

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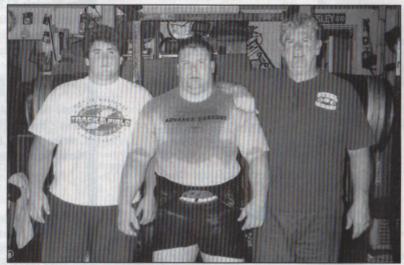
Personal dialogue between PL USA Magazine and the Sport's Greatest Names.

Santa Barbara, California typifies the images that most people, who have never been to Southern California, envision. Beautiful hillside homes overlook sun-drenched

beaches teeming with Barbie quality blondes, laid-back surfers, and scores of affluent young people who were obviously born with a silver spoon in their mouths. Looking around, one would hardly guess that this area is home to the strongest junior lifter in the United States today. Standing approximately 5' 11" and weighing in at a burgeoning 300 pounds Josh Bryant is on a mission to become the strongest powerlifter in the United States. At the ripe old age of 20 Josh has best official lifts of a 782 lb. squat, 573 lb. bench, a 672 lb. deadlift and a 2027 lb. total. How many lifters out there can total 100 times their age?

### JOSH BRYANT - PL Phenom

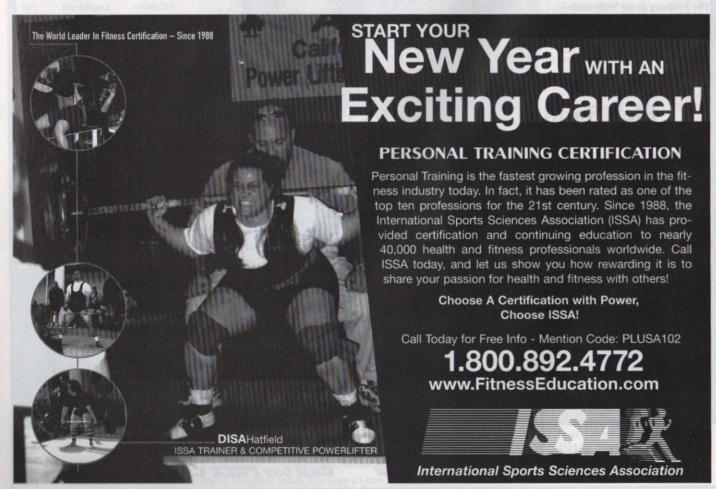
as interviewed for PL USA by Paul Leonard

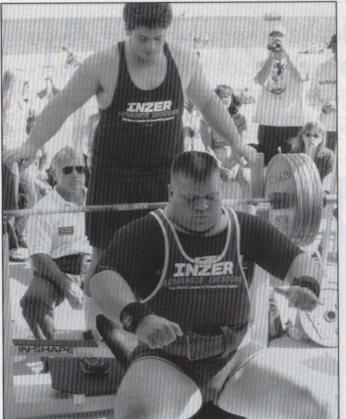


The Bryants: One Powerful Family (left to right) Noah (17), Josh, and father Dan.

So how did Josh get so strong at such an early age? Genetics certainly played a role. If you have ever have the pleasure of meeting Josh's father Dan and brother Noah you

will observe that both have a larger stature than Josh himself and both are accomplished athletes in their own right. Training or competing with Josh would allow you to see that he is extremely driven and will do whatever is necessary to excel at becoming stronger. When I trained with Josh at Yorba Linda Barbell, he would drive three hours to get to the gym for his squat workout on Saturday mornings. All the genetics in the world cannot make up for the desire which Josh displayed in making the effort to train with a serious group of lifters, incorporate sound training principles and, in turn, learn to self-coach himself to discover what works





Benching on the Beach in Santa Barbara, Josh gets a hand off from his brother Noah (photographs provided courtesy of Paul Leonard)

JB: I would say that I have greatly

matured over that period of time.

I stopped diverting my energies

towards playing football and put

them into training for power. I

sought out local lifters such as

As with many lifters Josh began lifting as an adjunct to playing football. In 2000 Josh began to focus 100% on powerlifting after having hit best official lifts of a 555 lb. squat, 445 lb. bench, and 580 lb. deadlift at a UASPL Tous for Tots meet where he weighed in at 255 and had played in a junior college football bowl game the weekend prior to the meet. By the following June, Josh hit a 677 lb. squat, a 501 lb. bench, a 644 deadlift for an 1824 lb. total at a bodyweight of 267 lbs. This performance garnered him first place, as well as the best lifter trophy, at the USAPL Teenage Nationals.

A synopsis of Josh's competition history will disclose that he has lifted in the USPF, USAPL, APF, AAPF, WABDL, AAU, and he has now graduated to the WPO. Like the others before him from Yorba Barbell Josh goes where the action is, whether it is to train or compete fully believing that a lifter should hit his personal records at national level contests against the best competition and stringent judging.

The following is an interview I conducted with Josh concerning how he went from an 1800 lb. total to over 2000 lbs. in a 14 month time period:

**PL:** To what do you attribute your meteoric rise in strength over the course of the following year Josh?

the Yorba Barbell Crewand world famous lifters such as Ed Coan and Gary Frank and listened to advice offered to me, and then I determined what worked best for me.

**PL:** Any other factors that led to your vast improvements?

JB: I have certainly gained lots of functional weight and I hate to miss a meal. Taking in substantial amounts of calories fuels my hard workouts and allows me to rebuild myself stronger than ever. At my age most everything I eat turns into to gains on the platform.

PL: Ok, enough about eating, this is making me hungry. Tell me about where you are currently at in your training?

training?

JB: I believe in an off-season in which I work on a lot of high reps for the most part. I hate doing the reps, but they do make me stronger so I continue to work on them. Recently I hit 440 X 20 reps in the squat with no gear on at all, including a belt. I have done 495 for 5 reps in the stiff-leg deadlift and also recently completed 18 reps with 365 in the bench.

PL: What about in-season, closer to a meet?

JB: In season, I do a lot of volume and plenty of assistance, cutting out most assistance two weeks before a meet. I like to train with heavy overloads such as doing a walkout in the squat with 1050 lbs. and a forced rep in the bench with 300 lbs. over my max. I love doing a forced rep in the bench

with 800 lbs. This is made easier by training with George Brink, an official 804 deadlifter.

PL: I knew you were a freak, Josh. George told me that you pushed up that 800 pounds a bit without too much of his help! Can you comment on that?

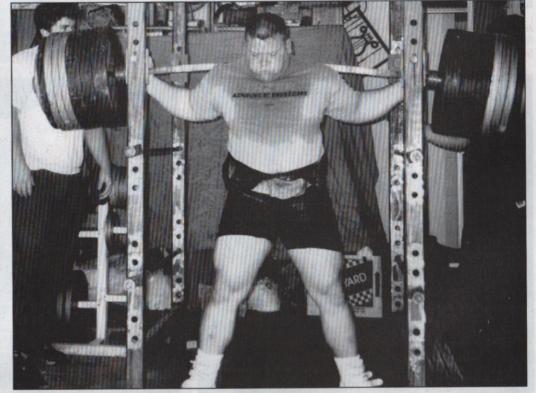
JB: I have done a 530 lb. bench raw as well as a close grip with 505 and a set of skull-crushers with 315 for 6. I like Louie Simmons triceps exercises.

PL: What about your deadlift? How soon until you become the 7th member of Yorba Linda Barbell to officially deadlift 700 pounds in a meet?

JB: My deadlift is going great, as I have learned that rack pulls and heavy shrugs really benefit me by overloading my weak points. I guarantee that I will be joining that 700 lb. club this year.

PL: Right on, and you will no doubt bench it the next year!!! Anything you would like to add Josh?

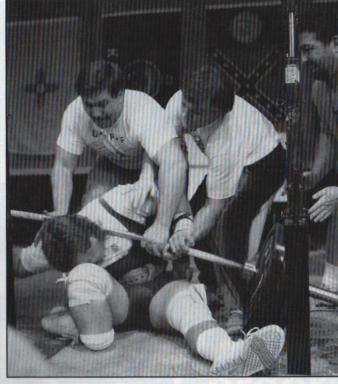
JB: I would like to thank first and foremost my parents, Dan and Susie, as well as my brother Noah for being incredibly supportive of me. I would like to thank God for blessing me with genetics as well as allowing me to lift injury free. Thanks to Steve Holl for starting me out in powerlifting, everyone at Yorba Linda Barbell, and to John Inzer for making the best powerlifting gear on the planet. I would like to also thank Gold's Gym Ventura, California. In closing, I would like to add that I have accomplished everything while being lifetime drug-free.



Josh incorporates walkouts with well over 1000 lbs. in his squat workouts at the Yorba Linda Barbell Club

WARNING ... the material below is extremely graphic. If you are squeamish about viewing serious accidents on the powerlifting platform, go to the next page for an interview with Carmen Perrotta about this incident and his remarkable recovery.





In a horrific accident at the 1990 USPF Natural Nationals, Carmen Perotta's leg snapped as he was setting up to attempt a squat. The spotters, Rich Peters among them (out of frame, but holding up the end of the bar that went across Carmen's neck) were just able to save Carmen from more serious injury. Carmen has recently come back in spectacular fashion, squatting 875, coming close with 925, and hoping for more.





# INTERVIEW

Personal dialogue between PL USA Magazine and the Sport's Greatest Names.

ML: Can you remember what happened that day? It's been over 10 years now. (1990)

CP: I remember it like it was yesterday. I ain't gonna forget that, Mike.

ML: It was your opening squat,

CP: A 733 opener as a 198er. What happened was when I came out with the weight, the rack was high, and I hit it. When I went to set it up, my leg just snapped. ML: Was it a stress fracture?

CP: I had to be some kind of fracture, because of the way it snapped, but the doctors couldn't really explain it. I used to be a valet parker years ago, and I was always pounding on the hard ground. Between that and the lifting, I guess I really stressed it out. You've got to look at it this way too: my squats went from a 600 something to a 733 in a year, and that's a lot of increase.

ML: They took you out of the meet on a stretcher and into the ambulance. What happened after that? You had to stay a few extra days, I

CP: I had to stay in Reno, Nevada for 2 weeks. That's how bad it

was. They had to put a pin in my leg. I was on the Junior World Team for two years. and I was out there in Reno with the team for Rich Peters' Natural Nation-

ML: How did you recover?

CP: When I got home, I just laid around, and put on a little weight. I went back into the gym, doing benches, while I was on crutches. About six months later, I came back to squats and it took me about 6-7 weeks and I squatted 600 again.

ML: So that bone healed right up.

CP: That bone is strong. I've still got the rod in it. After a couple of years, I did 800 without any wraps in the gym at 240. Then I got up

### **CARMEN PERROTTA**

as interviewed for PL USA by Mike Lambert



Carmen Perrotta came up with this 925 squat at a recent APA Meet.

to 855, and recently, in the gym, I did a 950 in a suit, with the straps down, and with wraps. ML: So, there's no lasting after

effect from the injury at all. CP: No. (without hesitation!)

ML: Not even, psychologically

CP: No. I am just that type of

person. I will not let it beat me. I'm not trying to act like a tough guy. It's like when you fall off a horse-you've got to get back on. I told myself - 'I'm coming back.' I can't go out that way. I gotta break that 1000.

ML: How about the day you did the 875 at the recent APA meet. Was that your

CP: I opened up with 800. Scott Taylor came up to me afterwards and he couldn't believe it. It came up like there was nothing on there. I sunk it and just shot it right up. Then I went 875 same way - that thing went up like it was only 225 on that bar. When I went to the 925, I was hitting the racks, so the spotters said 'we'll help you lift It out'. When they helped me, it came

out off balance. I wasn't set up right, but I came down with it, and I cut it short. It didn't feel right, because it wasn't set on my back right. On that day, even Scott said so, I had about a 950 in me. My next contest I'm gonna open up with 905.

ML: Where are you going to lift

CP: I'm looking at something in May. The APA is having a meet in Lancaster (PA). I'll try to hit around 975 then.

ML: How about your other lifts? How are they doing?

CP: Good, good. When I came out with the 925, and I cut it. when I came back to the rack, I had pulled my bicep tendon, so I didn't go on with the meet. I did a 545 in the bench at a meet in Lancaster last year.

ML: Yeah, I thought I saw your name in a couple of meet results. CP: You know, when you've got a great squat, it's like vou're never a great bencher. Why is that?

ML: Well, one may take something out of the other.

CP: My shoulders get so beat up. I always have bicep tendon problems. My bench is not bad, but it's not great. My deadlifts are fair. I'm going to try to pull an 800 next vear.

ML: What are you weighing now? CP: When I did the APA meet in Virginia, I was 276 lbs. I didn't want to cut it. I just wanted to go in and see what I could do. I'll go 275 in the future.

ML: I see you are from Hammonton, New Jersey. That's where Paul Sacco coaches. Do you know him? CP: I used to work out with Paul and all those guys. Tommy Eiseman was my lifting partner there when I was coming up. Phil Pelura at Oceanside Gym trained us both. He trained Rob Wagner too. When Tommy pulled that 800 deadlift, Phil was training him. Phil knew his stuff. Now I train with Dr. Sanfillipo. He helps me out a lot. He's my chiropractor, plus a real good training partner. I've had some good company. I gotta give a lot of thanks to those guys. I need that extra 'oomph' from guys like them. If it wasn't for them, I don't know if I

Like I was saving, look for me. I'm gonna hit that 1000, around the end of next year.



Carmen with his training partner and chiropractor Dr. Emanuel Sanfilippo. (these photos courtesy of Carmen)



Best Lifters at the Fall BP/DL Classic were (left to right) T. C. Roesch (DL) and Clint Van Tress (BP). photographprovided by Dr. Darrell Latch

#### SLP Fall BP/DL Classic 6 OCT 01 - Mattoon, IL BENCH PRESS teenage men 16-17 Andy Eichel 215\* **Andy Eichel** 230\* nage men 18-19 **Dennis Frost** 175 **Duane Frost** master men 40-44 242 300\* Mark Johnson Loren Betzer 360\* master men 45-49 242 James Ewing master men 65-69 535\* John Luallen police & fire 181 250 John Luallen Josh Yargus Alonzo Munoz 175 \* Andy Eichel 181 160\* Joe Malek 198 Steven Zelmer Steven Zelmer 335 242 T. C. Roesch

\* Son Light Power Illinois state record. The eighteenth annual SLP Fall Bench Press/Deadlift Classic was held once again at the Cross County Mall in Mattoon, Illinois on October 6, 2001. Many thanks to the mall association for their continued support of powerlifting. In the bench press event we began with the teenage division. Lifting at 16-17/114 was first time competitor Andy Eichel. Andy finished with his opener of 160 but was good enough for the win and a new Illinois state record. Andy also competed in the open 114 class setting the state record there as well. Robert Connell was also competing in his first bench meet, taking the 13-15/198 class with a new state record of 215. Dennis Frost tied the existing state record in the junior 148 class with his fourth attempt of 190. Prior to that Dennis had finished with 175 for the win. In the master 40-44/242 class Clint Van Tress Prior to that Dennis had linished with 175 for the win. In the master 40-4/242 class Clinit Van Tress set both a new pr and Illinois state record with 480. And that was a "raw" lift! Just think what Clint could do with a good shirt! Second place at 242 went to Charles Price who finished with a new personal record of 435. At 40-44/shw it was Loren Betzer with another personal between the proceedings of the proceedings of the proceedings of the personal record of 435. At 40-44/shw it was Loren Betzer Charles Price who finished with a new personal record of 435. At 40-44/shw it was Loren Betzer with another personal best and state record, finishing with a 150, five pounds less than his own state record, for the win at 65-69/275. First-timer Josh Yargus captured the police & fire title at 181, finishing with 310. A 470 fourth attempt with 335 for the state record failed at lockout. Joe Malek took the open 181 title with his opener of 300. Having trouble with his shirt, Joe failed at his next two attempts of 320. Steven 700 Zelmerwom at 198, making all three of his attempts to finish with 335. At 220 it was Bob Williams for 575 the win with 320. At 242 T. C. Roesch looked strong as he finished with 440 for the win there. A final

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Betzer pulled a new pr and state record of 575 for the win. Thanks to my son Joey for all his help. (thanks to Dr. Darrell Latch for providing results)

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Best Lifter Andy Spielman locks out 400@161 at the Son Light Power National Raw Championships (photo provided by Dr. Darrell Latch)

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### SLP National "Raw" Championship 30 SEP 01 - Tuscola, IL junior men/132 SQ BP DL TOT B. TURNER 260\* 185\* 270\* 715\* BENCH PRESS A. SPIELMAN master men 40-44 242 D. HAYCRAFT naster men 50-54 JIM BRIDGES open n 1 81

JASON CARSON \*Son Light Power national 'raw' powerlifting record.
Best Lifter-ANDY SPIELMAN. The Son Light Power
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from Missouri to Illinois as a last minute thing,
really affecting our turnout. But, as I have always
done, the competition was not cancelled and despite the poor turnout we still had a good time, with
every lifter setting a new national record in the
tevery lifter setting a new national record in the
respective classes. In the powerlifting event we had
one lifter who was competing for the first time, so
we took a lot of time to teach him as much as he
could learn as we "walked" him through the lifts.
Brandon Tumer set all new national records as he
recorded his win in the junior men's 132 class.
Brandon squated 260 with good depth, got his
opener of 185 in the bench, then pulled a strong
270 for a 715 total. This kid's got lots of potential
and we hope to see him again real soon. In the
bench press competition we had four great lifters.
First in the junior men's 165 class was Andrew
Spielman. Andy opened with a 390 national record,
but had his eyes set on that magical 400. Well, on
his second attempt that became a reality as Andy
got his first official 400 bench. A third with 410 was
just too much. At master 40-44/242 the winner was
Doug Haycraft. Doug set four national records,
one with each attempt! Starting with 410 Doug
next went to 430 then 450 and finally a 460 fourth
attempt for the win. Jim Bridges came all the way
from Hannibal, Missouri for the tile at master 50-\* Son Light Power national 'raw' powerlifting record.
Best Lifter-ANDY SPIELMAN. The Son Light Power next went to 430 then 450 and finally a 460 fourth attempt for the win, Jim Bridges came all the way from Hannibal, Missouri for the title at master 50-54/242. Jim made all three of his attempts, all new national records to finish with 400. A fourth with a pr 405 fell just short of lockout. In the open division Jason Carson won at 181, also making all three of his attempts to finish with 415, another national record. A fourth with a pr 430 failed at lockout. Best title to the count of the statement of the state lifter honors went to Andy Spielman who finished with 400 at 161. Thanks to Linda Middleton, who helped with the powerlifting event and to my son Joey Justin for their help. It's back to Missouri next

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M. Ramos	50	92.5	165	307.5
127 lb. Jr				12001
J. Adams	45	82.5	137.5	265
138 lb.	-			
D. Heckmaster	50	82.5	167.5	300
170 lb.				
A. Buster	50	85	150	285

### APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION **American Powerlifting Association**

Last Name	First Name	Initial Date of App.
Street Address	City	State or Province
Country	Zip Code	Telephone Number
Date of Birth		l and make checks payable to APA P.O. BOX 27204

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Social Security Number

Parents	Initial			Certi	fy that				
If Under	18 vrs		1	he abo	ve answers				
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187+ lb.					S. Mikulich	155	92.5	172.5	420
. Korneman	122.5	52.5	110	285	227 lb.				
110 lb. Jr					J. Trent	227.5	115	217.5	560
L. Kemp	77.5	35	87.5	200	250 lb.				
127 lb.					B. Gallimore	135	90	155	380
. Howard	67.5	45	90	202.5	119 lb.				
170 lb.					P. Grafton	142.5		142.5	
C. Clark	97.5	52.5	127.5		Z. Rice	125	72.5	140	337
A. Disselholf	100	42.5	120	262.5	154 lb.				
BOYS					A. Henderson		117.5		505
138 lb. Jr					W. Reeves	142.5	77.5	152.5	372
M. Craigie	132.5		160	367.5	170 lb.				
Z. Sewell	102.5	62.5	125	290	B. Coroorcan	165	97.5	162.5	
154 lb. Fr					M. Hawkins	145	100	177.5	422
M. Ginestra	167.5		177.5		187 lb.				
E. Vittetoe	142.5		160	390	C. Clarke	192.5		217.5	
V. Leone	135	87.5	155	377.5	T. Kytasaari	162.5		200	467
G. Dahm	117.5		142.5		A. Prentice	177.5	85	200	462
B. Kauble	107.5	72.5	150	330	205 lb.				
170 lb.					K. Miller	72	185	105	192
W. Donnici	147.5		172.5		250 lb.				
M. Fulton	145	87.5	160	392.5	J. May	287.5		272.5	
S. Dahm	120	80	155	355	J. Smith	227.5	125	212.5	565
187 lb.					280 lb.				
C. Walston	162.5	97.5	162.5	422.5	B. Tew	175		182.5	
205 lb.					T. Wallace		102.5		
B. Easley	165	85	175	425	(Thanks to Mike	Adelm	ann for	these	resul

### **International Powerlifting Association** "Lifting for Lifters"

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State or Province	er e Martin ha herrida	Zip Code		Country	
Telephone	Date of Birth	Age	Sex	Pro Elite Am	Am
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L.R. BRILLA AND VICTOR CONTE. Effects of a Novel Zinc-Magnesium Formulation on Hormones and Strength. JEPonline, 3(4): 26-36, 2000. Muscle attributes and selected blood hormones of football players were assessed in response to a nightly supplementation regimen during spring football, over an 8-week period, with pre-post measures. A double-blind randomized study was conducted with ZMA (30 mg zinc monomethionine aspartate, 450 mg magnesium aspartate, and 10.5 mg of vitamin B-6) and placebo (P), n=12 and n=15, spectively. Plasma zinc and magnesium levels were ZMA (0.80 to 1.04 µg/ml 19.43 to 20.63 mcg/ml) and P  $(0.84 \text{ to } 0.80 \,\mu\text{g/ml}; 19.68 \text{ to } 18.04 \,\mu\text{g/ml})$ , respectively (P<0.001). Free testosterone increased with ZMA (132.1 to 176.3 pg/mL), compared to P (141.0 to 126.6 pg/mL) (P<0.001); IGF-I increased in the ZMA group (424.2 to 439.3 ng/mL) and decreased in P (437.3 to 343.3 ng/mL) (P<0.001). Muscle strength via torque measurements and functional power were assessed with a Biodex dynamometer. Differences were noted between the groups (P<0.001): ZMA (189.9 to 211 Nm at 180% and 316.5 to 373.7 Nm at 300%) and P (204.2 to 209.1 Nm at 180% and 369.5 to 404.3 Nm at 300°/s). The results demo

Key Words: vitamin Bs. anabolic hormones, testosterone, IGF-I, muscle

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DEVELOPMENTA	L	275 lb. Div.	
54 lb. Div.		Anthony Davis	375
K. Brownfield	65	308 lb. Div.	3,3
JUNIOR	0.5	Jeremy Murrell	455
132 lb. Div.		TJ Marouis	455
D. Verrett			433
		WOMEN'S	
270		123 lb. Div.	-
165 lb. Div.		Angela Pate	80
A. Bongiovanni	320	132 lb. Div.	
181 lb. Div.		Carie McKeefer	135
Mike Bivin	275	165 lb. Div.	
198 lb. Div.		Linda Blackburn	250
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T. St. Rumuin	315	165 lb. Div.	
242 lb. Div.		Larry Bradham	390
Ryan Myers 275 lb. Div.	515	A. Bongiovanni	320
275 lb. Div.		198 lb. Div.	
Todd Sisson	490	Hoss Rhoton	485
TEEN		Ricky Boudreaux	420
97 lb. Div.		Stacy Green	370
97 lb. Div. Zack Perry	105	220 lb. Div	3,0
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Jason Stanley	160	Stewart Tate	380
	100		300
123 lb. Div.		242 lb. Div.	420
Casey Prince	155	Steve Rodenberg	430
Clayton Pinson	152	275 lb. Div.	
132 lb. Div.		Robert Gains	420
Scott Whited	195	HW Div.	-
148 lb. Div.		D. Hummingbird	475
Zach Jones	230	LAW AND FIRE	
F. Jackson III	145	165 lb. Div.	
Shawn Blevins	140	Bobby Lee	315
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165 lb. Div.		Jason Jackson	580
Jerrad Hogan	325	275 lb. Div.	
181 lb. Div.		Kelly West	455
Mickey Martin	155	HW Div.	
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Ben Baker	355	PRO	
B. Ward	330	165 lb. Div.	
220 lb. Div.	330	Ellliot Baker	405
Josh Quickle	260	Larry Gradham	390
242 lb. Div.	200	198 lb. Div.	390
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Jonathan Walker	325	Hoss Rhoton	485
275 lb. Div.		Ricky Boudreaux	420
Jesse Cannon	415	220 lb. Div.	
NOVICE		Andrew Grezaffi	480
165 lb. Div.		Mike Harge	405
Jeff Dombek	330	242 lb. Div.	
181 lb. Div.		Jason Jackson	580
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220 lb. Div.		Paul Radmilvich	365
Chad Henry	485	Billy Lumpkin	347
Brian Mincher	355	242 lb. Div.	-
John Donaldson	330	Tracy Ward	450
Jerry Linder	275	Ken Anderson	437
242 lb. Div.		275 lb. Div.	
David Lewis	425	Reed Bush	450
Kinzee Lloyd	415	308 lb. Div.	
Terry Putman	340	Randy Pourciau	400
		HW Div.	

Nathan Jones 415
BEFORE I GET INTO HOW INCREDIBLE OF A MEET THIS WAS ONCE AGAIN I WOULD FIRST LIKE TO THANK ALL OF THE MANY VOLUNTEERS WHO HELPED MAKETHIS MEET A SUCCESS. FOR MANY YEARS NOW WE HAVE RAISED THOU-SANDS OF DOLLARS AT THIS MEET FOR THE TOYS FOR TOTS AND ALSO NOW FOR THE NEW YOUTH SHELTER WE HAVE IN THE COMMU-NITY. THANKS TO ALL OF OUR VOLUNTEERS YOU ARE MAKING A DIFFERENCE. NOW, ON WITH THE SHOW. WHAT A MEET!!!! WE HAD THREE BENCH OVER 500 LBS. THIS YEAR AND MANY 400 LB. BENCHERS, THIS MEET WAS SANC TIONED BY THE WABDL AND WE HAD SEVERAL STATE, NATIONAL, AND WORLD RECORDS. 21 YEAR OLD RYAN MYERS IS LIFTING EXTREMELY WELL WITH A GREAT BENCH OF 515 LBS. AT 242 LBS. RICHARD MCKEEFER BROKE THE 405 LB. BARRIER WITH A FINE 405 LB. BENCH OUT IN THE 101 DEGREE HEAT ON THIS DAY. HIS WIFE CARIE DID VERY WELL WITH A 135 LB. BENCH ALSO. BOTH WERE OK. STATE JR. RECORDS FOR MEN AND WOMEN RESPECTIVELY, I AM AL WAYS IMPRESSED WITH OUR TEENAGE AND DEVELOPMENTAL LIFTERS SUCH AS ZACK PERRY, CLAYTON PINSON, AND JESSE CANNON. JESSE WILL NOW BE FOCUSING ON HIS COLLEGE FOOTBALL AFTER BENCHING A FINE 415 LBS. KAYLON BROWNFIELD, OUR SON, LIFTED IN HIS VERY FIRST BENCH PRESS MEET AND LIFT 65 LBS. WEIGHING ONLY 54 LBS. ELLIOT BAKER WHO IS IN HIS 40'S BENCHED A VERY STRONG

405 BENCHAT 165 LBS, KIM BROWNFIELD WHO IS MAKING A STEADY RECOVERY FROM SHOULDER INJURY LIFTED 575 ON THIS DAY EVEN THOUGH HE WAS NOT NEAR 100 PER-CENT. KIM HAS HIS SIGHTS ON LIFTING 640 LBS EITHER AT THE ARNOLD CLASSIC OR THE BIG-GEST BENCH ON THE RIVER AT AROUND 210 LBS. BWT. DON'T COUNT HIM OUT WHEN HE'S HEALTHY HE IS ONE OF THE BEST BENCHERS OF ALL TIME. JASON JACKSON WON THE OVERALL PRO DIVISION THIS YEAR WITH A 580 BENCH. THE BIKINI CONTEST WAS THE GRAND FINALE OF AN EXCITING DAY ON LAKE EUFAULA. I WOULD LIKE TO THANK BUDWEISER FOR SPON-SORING ALL OF THE EVENTS THAT BROWNFIELD POWER PROMOTES. THANKS LOU. WE LOVE YA. I WOULD LIKE TO SAY THANK YOU TO OUR FRIEND GUS RETHWISCH WHO STANDS WITH US IN OUR PROMOTIONS OF THE WARDL IN OKLAHOMA AND ONCE AGAIN THANK YOU TO TEAM LOUISIANA AND TEAM TEXAS ALONG WITH OUR FINE OKLAHOMA LIFTERS WHO MADE THIS YEAR A GREAT SUCCESS. (SUGAR

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f	M. Welcheck	350*	170	350*	870*	Master (40-44)	148 lbs			
-	Teen (14-15) SH	IW				J. Gengo	400	300*	480*	1180*
	C. Yates	800*	450*	605*	1855*	181 lbs.				
	M. Parker	515	285	450	1250	S. Kohler	510	365	450	1325
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•	C. Williams	500*	230	470*	1200*	R. Sensenig	500	330	570	1400
	148 lbs.					R. Miller	425	275	450	1150
	T. Dimura	340	210	365	915	220 lbs.				
	165 lbs.					W. Welcheck	480	400	570	1450
i	H. Blake	505	310	450	1265*	275 lbs.				
	J. Gum	435	210	445	1090	R. Thomas	475	295	500	1270
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	181 lbs.					R. Safreed	820*	475	615	1910
	O. Marrero	450	280	520	1250	Master (45-49)				
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	P. Delvey	605*	320	640*	1565*	275 lbs.				
!	165 lbs.					P. Simpson	635*	450*	565*	1650*
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ŧ	Junior 132 lbs.					M. Bermardon	625	425	575	1625
	C. DeCarlo	350*	270*	410*	1030*	(50-54) 242 lbs.				
	165 lbs.					R. Harrison	515	355	575	1445
	A. Ocone	500*	330	450*	1280*	275 lbs.				
	198 lbs.					R. O'Brien	500	330	450	1280
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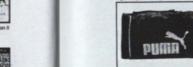






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J. Keinanen/71	220	657.5 kgs.	
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J. Suomela/80	185	M. Makinen/82	130
P. Miinin/79	185	E. Rajala/62	160
J. Ruohonen/75	185	K. Renlund/66	215
P. Heino/71	220	652.5 kgs.	
765 kgs.		J. Riekkinen/76	150
M. Viljanen/71	180	Martikainen/75	150
J. Sohlman/69	210	T. Nieminen/73	160
H. Eskola/54	197.5	J. Lehto/64	192.
S. Sohlman/75	182.5	492.5 kg	
760 kgs.		J. Tahtinen/55	170
Kurjenkallio/81	140	O. Rantanen/56	-
M. Turtia/75	205	S. Rekonen/71	160
J. Tuononen/68	200	K. Huttunen/75	162.

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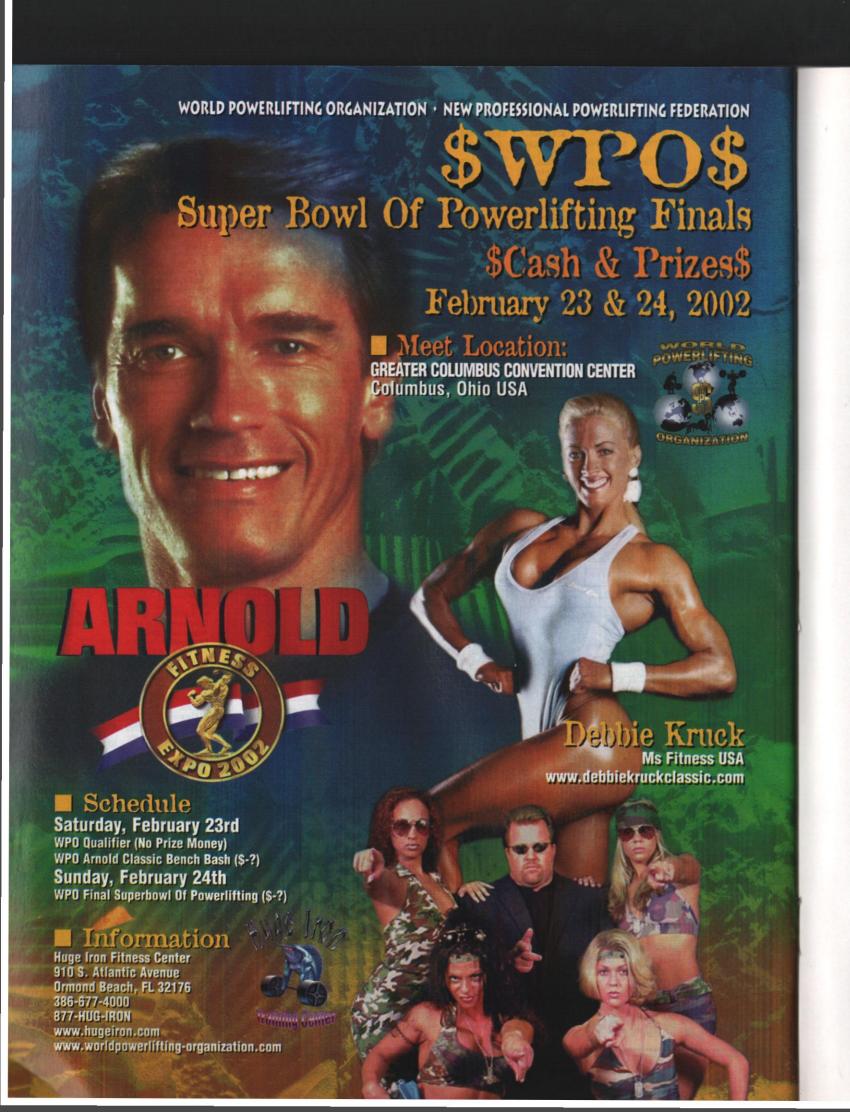
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273-2283, gvhl@wirefire.com

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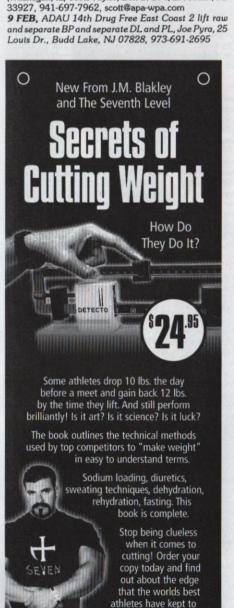
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15-17 MAR, USAPL High School Na tionals (St. Louis, MO) Mike Cissell, 15 Lakeside Dr., Lake St. Louis, MO 63367, 636-561-1242 8-10pm, mcis904082@aol.com, usaplnationals.com

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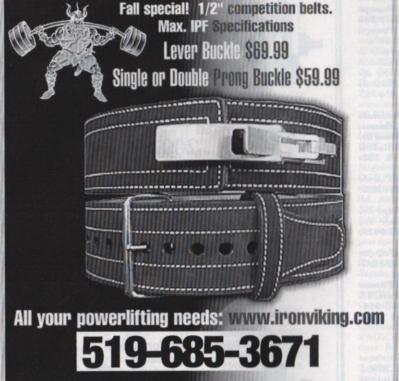
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12-14 APR. USAPL Collegiate Na tionals, (Killeen, TX) Johnny A. Graham, 254-526-0779, Fax 254-Email

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13 APR. 4th Wisconsin's Best Bench Press, Glen Woychik, N34146 Moga Rd., Independence, WI 54747, 715-9 8 5 - 2 6 0 8 ,

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13.14 APR. WNPF Raw Nationals & Powerfest 2002 (PL, BP, DL, SQ. PC - Lancaster, PA - - world qualifier) Troy Ford, Box 142347, Fayetteville, GA 30214, 770-996-

13,14 APR, NASA High School Na-tionals (PL, PS - Oklahoma City, OK) SQPBDL@aol.com 14 APR, 16th Olympic Bench Press

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11 MAY, APA Midwest Regional (Burlington, IA) Roger Broeg, 525 S. Garfield, Burlington, IA 52601, 319-753-0676, apa-iowa@home.com

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18 MAY, WNPF Western Pennsulvania PL (Beaver Falls, PA-national qualifier) Ron Deamicis, 6531 New Rd., Youngstown, OH 44515, 330-792-6670

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18,19 MAY, USAPL Texas State & Region 8 Open and BP (TX & OK) & Special Olympian Slots, Tom North, 507 Cora #106, Arlington, TX 76011, 817-469-9375

24-26 MAY, APF Nationals (WPC World Qualifier - Picadilly Inn Hotel Fresno, CA) Bob Packer, 559-322-6805 (w), 559-658-5437 (h)

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MAY/JUN. USAPL Hudson Valley Ironman (Worlds Gym, Newburgh, NY) Frank Panaro, 839 Rt. 52, Walden, NY 12586. 845-778-1884

1 JUN, APF Florida State PL (Daytona Beach, FL) 877-HUG-IRON, hugeiron@bellsouth.net

1,2 JUN, WNPF American Championships (full meet & single lifts & power curl - Bordentown, NJ - world qualifier) Troy Ford, Box 142347, Fayetteville, GA 30214, 770-996-3418

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Press (Los Angeles) Lance Slaughter, 310-995-0047 Lance.Slaughter@heart.org, John Planas. 818-242-1906. iplanas@pacbell.net, www.usapl-ca.org

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fier) Troy Ford, Box 142347. Fayetteville, GA 30214, 770-996-

22,23 JUN, APF Men's & Women's Senior National PL & WPO Qualifier (only other qualifying meet for WPO Semi-Finals. loc. tba) 877-HUG-IRON, hugeiron@bellsouth.net

29 JUN, USBF Lawrence Garro Memorial Raw Ironman/Ironwoman (BP & DL) Open, Brian Washington, Box 20042, Baltimore, MD 21284, 410-265-8264,

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JUL, USAPL Men's Nationals, Dennis & Sandi Brady, B&W Gym, 5920 N. Ridge, Chicago, IL 60660, 773-561-9692

1-4 AUG, AAU Youth, Teenage and High School, & Junior Nationals in conjunction with the AAUJr. Olumpics (Knoxville, TN) Rudy Garcia, Rt 1 Box 212, New Canton, VA 804-581-1910.

6 JUL, SLP Ft. Hamilton Days BP/DL Classic (Hamilton, OH) Dr. Darrell Latch, 122 W. Sale St., Tuscola, IL

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3214. al@pikitup.com

13 JUL, 4th annual Push/Pull, Jamie Fellows, Box 375, Belmont, NH 03220, 603-267-8158

13 JUL, ANPPC World Cup, Dr. Darrell Latch, 122 W. Sale St. Tuscola, IL 61953, 217-253-5429. www.sonlightpower.com

13 JUL, APF Florida Push/Pull (for total - Daytona Beach, FL) 877-HUG-IRON, hugeiron@bellsouth.net

18-20 JUL, IPA Worlds, Fitness America, 9109 Duer St., El Paso, TX 79924, 915-755-3032, 915-544-6559 (FAX), Jesse Lopez or David

20 JUL, SLP Mid South BP/DL (Paducah, KY), Dr. Darrell Latch, 122 W. Sale St., Tuscola, IL 61953, 217-253-5429, www.sonlightpower.com 20 JUL. Santa Barbara Pl. Champton ships, Kevin Fisher, 25 E. Arrellaga, Santa Barbara, CA 93101, 805-963-3439, KFISHER54@aol.com

20.21 JUL. WNPF Lifetime Nation als. Ron DeAmicis, 6351 New Rd. Youngstown, OH 44515, 330-792-

26 JUL, USPF Barbee Classic (men/ women - open, below I, jr. (13-23, 2 year age groups), submaster, masters (5 yrs age groups to 70+), Bench, Police/Fire) Seguin Fitness, 1415 E. Court St., Seguin, TX 78155, 800-378-6460,

26,27 JUL, WABDL National BP & DL Championships (drug tested -Clarion Hotel, Houston, TX) Bob Garza 281-820-5923

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27 JUL, 26th Southeastern Illinois BP & DL Classic (open, teen, police & fire, masters, d.o.c.) Mark Motsinger, 201 N. Gum St., Harrisburg, IL 62946, 618-252-0881

27,28 JUL, NASA Grand Nationals (all events, Hickory, NC) SQPBDL@aol.com

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24 AUG. WABDL Alki Beach BP & DI. (drug tested - Seattle, WA) Bull Stewart. 206-725-7894

24 AUG, SLP Kentucky State Fair BP/ DL (Crestwood City, KY) Dr. Darrell Latch, 122 W. Sale St., Tuscola, IL 217-253-5429 www.sonlightpower.com

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17 NOV, WNPF Lifetime National PL, BP, DL, SQ & Sarge McCrary BP/DL (single lift or combined) & Power Curl (Bordentown, NJ) Troy Ford, Box 142347, Fayetteville, GA 30214, 770-996-3418

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ntrlpwr@pe.net 7.8 DEC 02, USAPL Virginia State PL/ BP, John Shifflett, Box 941, Stanardsville, VA 22973, valifting@aol.com

8 DEC. 10th Raw ADAU "Coal Country" Classic (separate BP & DL contests, open & all age groups - men & women - Bigler, PA) Siegel Engraving, 304 Daisy St., Clearfield, PA 16830, 814-765-3214,

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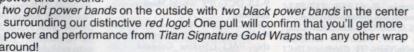


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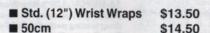
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first national title also. Our lone submaster competitor was 198 winner Steve Arahood. Steve also had a great day of lifting with all new national records for his class. Steven finished with a 450 squat, 340 bench and a 410 deadlift for a 1200 total. Steve's 450 squat and 410 deadlift were also total. Steve's 450 squat and 410 deadlift were also total. Steve's 450 squat and 410 deadlift were also total. Steve's 450 squat and 410 deadlift were also total. Steve's 450 squat and 410 deadlift were also total. Steve's 450 squat and 410 deadlift were also total. Steve's 450 squat and 410 deadlift were also total. Steve's 450 squat and 410 deadlift were also total. Steve's 450 squat and 410 deadlift were also total. Steve's 450 squat and 410 deadlift (465) deadlift (365) togo along with 183 70 squat and 250 bench. At 220 Larry Hoover finished with the biggest squat (655), deadlift (385), deadlift (385) togo along with 183 70 squat and 250 bench. At 220 Larry Hoover finished with the biggest squat (655), deadlift (385), deadlift (385), deadlift (385) togo along with 183 70 squat and 250 bench. At 220 Larry Hoover finished with the biggest squat (655), deadlift (385) togo along with 183 70 squat and 250 bench. At 220 Larry Hoover finished with the biggest squat (655), deadlift (385) togo along with 183 70 squat and 250 bench. At 220 Larry Hoover finished with the biggest squat (655), deadlift (385) togo along with 183 70 squat and 250 bench. At 220 Larry Hoover finished with 183 70 squat and 250 bench. At 220 Larry Hoover finished with 183 70 squat and 250 bench. At 220 Larry Hoover finished with 183 70 squat and 250 bench. At 220 Larry Hoover finished with 183 70 squat and 250 bench. At 220 Larry Hoover finished with 183 70 squat and 250 bench. At 220 Larry Hoover finished with 183 70 squat and 250 bench. At 220 Larry Hoover finished with 183 70 squat and 250 bench. At 220 Larry Hoover finished with 183 70 squat and 250 bench. At 220 Larry Hoover finished with 183 70 squat and 250 bench. At 220 Larry Hoover finished wi squat, 350 bench and a 440 pr deadlift for a great 1110 total: Lifting in his first powerlifting competi-tion, Anton set all new national marks (even though

1110 total: Lifting in his first powerlifting competition, Anton set all new national marks (even though he was the only person in the meet to bench more than he squated)! Also in the police & fire division was 242 winner vinner Tommy Harrison. Coming off his ANPPC World Cup win in July, Tommy got a big 580 pr squat, 460 bench and a 500 pr deadlift for a great 1540 pr total. These were also all new national records for Tommy's class. In the open division one of the true surprises of the competition was the lifting of eleven year old wonder, Alonzo Munoz. Lifting in the 105 class, Alonzo showed perfect form and a "psych" anyone would be proud of. Setting all new national records at 105, Alonzo finished with a 100 squat, 55 bench and a 155 deadlift for a 310 total! At 148 Olis Anderson edged out Jim Dinaso 930 to 900 for the title. "Baby Oil" got the squat record at 330 and the total record, while sharing the bench record with Jim at 240; as Jim pulled a record 360 deadlift for his final attempt. Jim's squat was at 300 while Otis with all new national records and the best lifter at 1651 Ed Bridges, captured his first SLP National title with all new national records and the best lifter at 1330 and a 370 dench and a 580 deadlift for a 1310 total! At 148 Olis Alonzo final attempt. Jim's squat was at 300 while Otis with all new national records and the best lifter at 1651 Ed Bridges, captured his first SLP National title with all new national records and the best lifter trophy among the men. Ed finished with a 585 squat, 370 bench and a 580 deadlift for a 130 total that 48 (200 person) and the second bench title. The police and fire division to element with a 100 squat, 55 bench and a 100 squat, 55 bench and 100 squat, 50 squat squat



Best Lifters at the SLP Open Nationals; (left toright) Ed Bridges (men), Donna Catron (women), Dave Newman (bench). Darrell Latch photos

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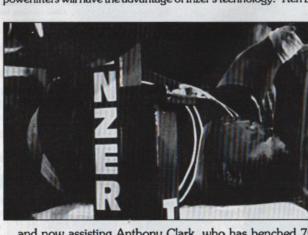
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\*Son Light Power Illinois state record. Best Lifter-BOB WALKER. The DuQuoin State Fair Lifter-BOB WALKER. The DuQuoin State Fair Bench Press (Championship was held September 2, 2001 on the fairgrounds once again. A special thanks to the girls at special events for all their hospitality. Even with only ten entries we had some great lifters, such as NASA world champion Jerry Wood and WAPF world champion Bob Walker. But more than that it become a reunion of old friends and the meeting of new a reunion of old friends and the meeting of new ones. In the junior men's division David Stew-art was competing for the first time and he did good. Lifting in the 181 class David finished with a personal record 285 fourth attempt. David Lowe took the submaster division, lifting in the 275 class. David had some pro with his opener but finished with 375 and lots of room to spare. Mark Hagene was also competing for the first time, going four for four with two new personal records. Mark finished with a 190 third attempt followed by a 200 fourth as he won the title at master 40-44/148. Mark Aydt keeps getting stronger with each new competition, finishing with 450 at 40-44/275 at 40-44/275 with 485, Just missing his lockout with 500 for his fourth attempt. At 45-49 it was William Paul 242. Robert Rath got a new pr at 40-44/275 with 485, Just missing his lockout with 500 for the title at 198, finishing with a personal best 330. Also at 45-49 was Bob Walker who set a new state record at 2475 with a solid 540. Monoe took the police & fire/308 class with A little bit of a shoulder problem was all that kept Bob from locking out a pr 570, 600 ain't far away. Then at 50-54/181 there was Jerry



Jerry Wood locks out 435 on a 4th attempt at the SLP DuQuoin State Fair Bench Press Championships, a lift which put him 40th on the TOP 100 181 lb. class listing in last month's edition of POWERLIFTING USA. (photograph provided to us by Meet Director Dr. Darell Latch)

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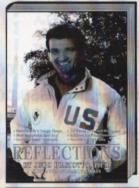
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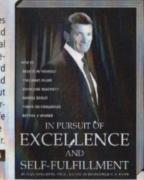
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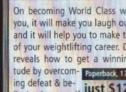
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60-64/275 class Ren Schrader won at 105 in the 60-64/275 class. Ben Schrader won at 105 in the open division with 135, setting the record there. Jeff Cribbs pulled a 350 third followed by a 365 fourth attempt to establish the record at 148. Best Lifter Matt Robbins set the record at 181 with a strong 550, looking good for twenty pounds more. John Lambert won his second deadlift title of the John Lambert won his second deadlift little of the day with a record-setting 520 pull at 220, while James Schrader did the same at 275 with 580, the biggest pull of the day. Thanks to my son Joey for all his help. (thanks to Dr. Darrell Latch for providing the results of this competition to PL USA)

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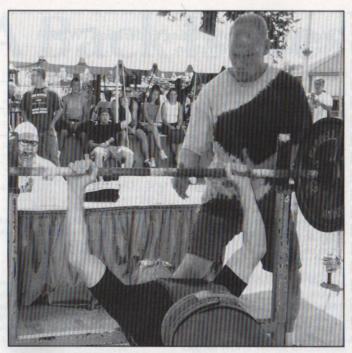
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T. Anderson	115*	Mike Gugino	410
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148		Sanders Fisher	600
Elliott Franklin	290	shw	
P.J. Whitaker	265	Todd Johnson	560



EIGHT THREE Year Old JACK HEIZELMAN locks out 170 at 148. He came all the way from Texas to compete in the SLP Indiana State Fair Championships. (photographs provided courtesy of Dr. Darrell Latch)

\*Son Light Power Indiana state record. Best Cardwell got a big pr and state record at 198 84, all the way from Texas came eighty-three bencher - lightweight - RON PALMER. Best Bencher-heavyweight-GEORGELEALIFANO.

Best Deadlifter - lightweight - RON PALMER. Continues to improve with age? Don Baize 180, Eighty-three! In the police & fire division 180, Eighty-three! In the police lift Championships were held August 18 at the fairgrounds. We had one hundred and three entries which was the biggest turnout ever since starting this event five years ago. We also had a great crowd of spectators, as usual, cheering on the lifters which made it another great competition. A special thanks to Keeley Carson of Special Events for all her help and support in making this one of the most successful events of its kind in the country. In the bench press competition we began with first-time lifter Tiffany Evans who competed in the teenage women's 16-17/148 class. Tiffany only got her opener of 120 in but that was good enough for the win and a new Indiana state record. Also scoring a new state record was submaster/97 winner Melanie Gibson who submaster/97 winner Melanie Gibson who finished with her opener of 95. Melanie fol-lowed this with two close attempts at 105. In the open women's division Danielle Vermillion took the 114 class with a solid 65 while Tiffany Anderson won at 148 with her opener of 115. Both of these open competitors set new state records for their respective classes. In the teenage men's division we had five great lifters, all in the 18-19 age group, spread over three classes. At 132 the winner was Darren Collins who set the state record there with 225. Cameron Jackson won at 165 with a solid 300, making all three of his attempts. Second place at 165 went to Zack Zigler who finished close with 295. Aaron Ridgeway was third with a personal best 280. Our final teenage competitor was 181 winner Brent Oertel. Brent captured that title with a personal best of 290. Moving to the junior division, it was Lester Mast setting the state record at 165 with 300. A close second was Aaron Wilson who finished with 290. Philip Zeunik took the 181 class with a strong 360 state record press, which he made on his second attempt. At 198 it was David Hanson with a pr 375. This was David's first competition and a new state record for him. Eric Allen was second at 198 finishing with 300. Dean Vestermark took be 242 title with another state record, here with 340. The friendly battle continues in the submaster 181 class between Tracy Conner and Steve Watts, as Tracy comes out on top again with a 435 third and 440 state record fourth attempt. This was also a new personal record for Tracy at 181. Steve finished with 405 after a 415 pr attempt

missing his opener of 350. In the 275 class George Lealiifano also missed his opener then

came back with a big 600 second attempt for the win. A final with a pr 620 failed at lockout. George's state record 600 also earned him best ors for the heavier lifters. Second place at 275 went to Greg Catt, who finished with a personal best 425 while Rocky Tilson ended up third with his 410 opener. At 308 Dave Williams failed with his opener of 480 which would have been a new state record for him. Once again we had a great turnout of master competitors starting with the 40-44 age group. At 165 it was Steve Retherford for the win and a new state record of 225. John Dylenski won at 198 with a strong 320, missing only his final attempt of 340. Second place at 198 went to Jerry Kemna who finished with 300. Jeff Cardinal got a new state record at 220 with his final attempt of 400 while at 242 Clint Van Trees pailed a state record 450 final 450. Van Tress nailed a state record 450 final at-tempt for the win there. Second place at 242 went to Brett Kramer who finished with 410 went to Brett Kramer who finished with 410 along with Dave Perry, who finished third at 365. In the master 45-49 age group Gary Landess returned to competition with his win at 132, posting a state record 180 for his final attempt. Mike Murphy got his first 500 bench with his win at 242 while 275 winner Steve Cunningham came all the way from Louisiana to finish with 525 and the win there. Steve also set the state record at 45-49/275. Cousin Lynn Allen was second at 275 with his opener of 390. A third cousin, Dave Allen, finished with 475 then followed with a 500 fourth for a new state record and the win at 308. Mike Boyer broke his own Indiana state record with his 380 final attempt for the win at shw. Ted Striverson captured the title at 50-54/275, posting a new state record of 530, which he made on his final attempt. Wayne Smallwood came from Hamilton, Ohio to take the 60-64/ 198 title, finishing with a new state record of 375. At 65-69/220 it was Gaylord Good with 305, setting the mark there. Then at master 80-Lester Mast, 165 junior winner, also took the 165's here to finish with 300. Bob Tichy set the





**BEST HEAVYWEIGHT BENCHER GEORGE LEALIIFANO** with Meet Director Dr. Darrell Latch (at left)

with a big 420 state record for the win. Tony Macik also got a new state record with his win at 275, ending with a strong 400. Weighing in at a slim, trim 304, our final police & fire competitor was Dave Pyle who won at shw, setting the record there with 515. Don't believe you'd want to mess with this fella! In the lieve you'd want to mess with this fella! In the attempt with 585. Third place went to Steve J. Young open bench division it was Elliott Franklin for Mendel who pulled a personal best 555. Richthe win at 148 over P.J. Whitaker 290 to 265. ard Harrell was fourth with 525 followed by 123 lbs. Joe McGowan won at 165 with a solid 330, a double bodyweight bench! Then at 181 was the phenomenal Ron Palmer. Ron finished with a personal best 480, weighing in at just with a green with a green with a green with a green with a personal best 480, weighing in at just with a personal best 480, weighing in at just with a personal best 480, weighing in at just with a personal best 480, weighing in at just with a personal best 480, weighing in at just with a personal best 480, weighing in at just with a personal best 480, weighing in at just with a personal best 480, weighing in at just with a personal best 480, weighing in at just weight on his second attempt. Then at shows the personal best 480, weight a personal best 480, 173! This, of course, was a new Indiana state record and, of course, gave Ron the best lifter title for the lighter classes. And he doesn't even have a decent bench shirt! Darnell Griffin was need at 181 with 375, another double body-strong 800 state record for their second at 181 with 375, another double body-strong 800 state record for their second at 181 with 375, another double body-strong 800 state record for their second at 181 with 375, another double body-strong 800 state record for their second at 181 with 375 with a personnel state record 560 pull, which he made on his state re another fine bench! At 198 it was Paul Cardwell with another state record, finishing with 450 and his second title of the day. Matt Nelis finished second with two new prs, 420 on his third attempt and 430 for his fourth. Chris Anderson was third with 420 followed by Mike Gugino at 410 and Nate Wilson with 385. Marty Mills captured the 220 title with a great Marry Mills captured the 220 tille With a great 520 state record final attempt, Derek Barnickel was a close second, finishing with 500 after a 520 third attempt failed. Chris Smith was third with 470, followed by Jeff Wyatt at 355 and Roberto DeLuna at 350. Roberto was lifting in Roberto DeLuna at 350. Roberto was lifting in his first competition. Michael Johnson, also lifting in his first meet, won at 242, setting an Indiana state record with 480, missing only his final with 500. Second place at 242 was Dennis Smith with 450. Dennis was also successful with a fourth attempt of 465. Chris Staples finished third with 315. George Lealiifano won his second title of the day with his win at 275 setting the mark there with 600. At 308 it was Jason Orick with a strong 515, coming close with a 550 third attempt. Second place at 308 went to Anson Wood with a personal best 480. Dave Allen was third with 475, followed by his 500 fourth attempt. Dave Callaway won at shw with an easy 505 which established a new state with an easy 500 which established a new state record there. In the deadlift competition eight year old Andre English opened the show with 70 for the win in the youth division. Andre had actually locked out 100, but was called for hitching. Great job! Danielle Vermillion wor her second gold of the day with her 175 record oull at open 114. Joel Theiss set the record at 242 with a great 365 pull in the teenage 13-15 class. At 16-17 it was Benjamin Martin at 165 for the win and another state record. Ben pulled two triple bodyweight deadlifts with his 485 third and 500 fourth attempt all at a 159 bwt! Brent Oertel also came through with a great pull, finishing with 530 for the record at 18-19/181. In the junior division Aaron Wilson won at 165 with a record 500 third attempt followed by a great 510 fourth, weighing in at just 159! Second place at 165 went to Lester

Mast who finished with 405. Jason Tressler Mendel and Luke Anderson set the record at J. Dyar 198 with their 900 second attempt. Then the big pull of day came from the team of Ron Palmer and Rocky Tilson as they looked a visual team. took the 198's with a record 480, the same weight Dean Vestermark pulled for his win at 242. In the submaster division Bill Ardery pulled a personal record 505 as he captured Palmer and Rocky Tilson as they locked out an all-time best 1230 state record for the 220 the title and a new state record at 198. Rocky
Tilson won at 275 with a strong 655 second ness, with team members Jerry Kemna, Caylord attempt, breaking his own state record there.

Steve Retherford won his second title of the day with his victory in the master 40.44/165 Sieve Ketherford won his second tille of the day with his victory in the master 40-44/165 class, finishing there with a new state record 480 pull. Best lifter in the heavier classes, Jerry Kemna, pulled a strong 625 state record for the win at 198. Second place at 198 went to Mark to take this time and thank my wife Susie, son Junior 242 lbs. Joey and Daniel Moutria along with any others who helped load and spot, but also to all the great lifters who supported our efforts at the fair. It's all of you lifters, all of the friends I 220 lbs. win at 198. Second place at 198 went to Mark Johnson who finished with 580 after missing a 630 final attempt for the win. Gary Landess fair. It's all of you lifters, all of the friends I 220 lbs. Joking out with a 355 state record to take the 45-49/132 title. Indiana state record holder Mike Boyer finished with 525 for the win at 45-49/shw. Our oldest competitor in the deadlift, sixty-nine year old Luke Anderson, pulled a strong 420 third and an even stronger 450 fourth attempt to take the 65-69/181 title! This bodybuilder/powerlifter has the body of atwenty-five year old! Lester Mast won his first state title in the police & fire division, taking the 165 class with 405. In the open men's division we saw some great lifting also. Starting with Ron Palmer who again captured the best sales of the fire all of you lifters, all of the friends I 220 lbs. J. Young 405\* continually make throughout the country that the subset from the fun of Master (40-44) 148 lbs. A. Bridges 505 always remember standing in that small tent, J. Lyons 325\* with the rain pouring down around us, trying (45-49) 181 lbs. To finish the deadlift competition. Now that's to finish the deadlift competition. Now that's to finish the deadlift competition. Now that's the mark of a true powerlifter. And, oh yes, by (50-54) the way I promise to stay away from all tents of the way I promise to stay away from all tents of the way I promise to stay away from all tents of the way I promise to stay away from all tents of the way I promise to stay away from all tents of the way I promise to stay away from all tents of the way I promise to stay away from all tents of the way I promise to stay away from all tents of the way I promise to stay away from all tents of the way I promise to stay away from all tents of the way I promise to stay away from all tents of the way I promise to stay away from all tents of the way I promise to stay away from all tents of the way I promise to stay away from all tents of the way I promise to stay away from all tents of the way I promise to stay away from all tents of the way I promise to stay away from all te

### with Ron Palmer who again captured the best lifter title among the lighter lifters. At a 173 bwt. Ron pulled an easy 650, just missing a 705 fourth attempt for the win at 181. This man almost locked out an attempt which was more than four times his bodyweight! Unbelievable! And there is no doubt he will pull more than that it was found for the lift of 11 Aug 01 - Gulfport, MS Open 132 lbs. Teen (16-17) 198 lbs. C. Sheppard Z. Clancey 225 148 lbs. B. Permontie 400 S. Sheppard 220 lbs.

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-State Record. Best Lifter Master: Arval Dridges. Best Lifter Open: Paul Fletcher. Best Lifter Teen: James Baldwin. (Thanks to Coordi-nators Doc Rhodes & James Wold for results)

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that in the near future! Great job, Ron! Second place at 181 went to Jesse Pryor who finished

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### **AAU Big Dawg Record Breakers**

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BENCH		242 lbs.	
RAW 148 lbs.		D. Herbst	330
18-19)		Open	
A. Silva	210	M. Harrison	340
14-15)		(35-39)	
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M. Kristoff	180*	J. Behari	430
220 lbs.		319 lbs.	
20-23)		(35-39)	
D. Ridley	365*	S. Rogers	465
14-15)		DEADLIFT	
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16-17)		242 lbs. (40-44)	
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-State Record Set. The Big Dawg Bench Press Deadlift Record Breaker meet was held at the Savannah Elementary School. These fine lifters beat state records: NY State bench press records were set by Mike Kristoff, Jessie McAllister, Dan Santarone, John Lattimer, Nick Santarone, RL Murray, and David Ridley. Deadlifter state records were set by Tony Ryrko, Dan Miller and Mark Harrison. Three lifter of the meet and Mark Harrison. Three lifter of the meet awards were given not for lifting but for being the best spotters you can have; Rich Molisani, Jason Stafford and Mark Howell. Without them all of these meets would not be possible. Special thanks to my wife Michelle for all of her support and work towards these meets. As always Cody Bartlett for his fine job announce. ing. To Jim Lee, Rich Molisani, Terry Stafford on Stafford, RL Murray and Mark Howel who help set up and tear down every time.

Referees Mark Kodya, Jim Crowley, Tom

Kristoff, and Terry Stafford. I hope that all of

the AAU lifters enjoy these meets and appreciate myself and the rest of my crew for a fine job. Until next time. (Thanks to STEVEN ROGERS, NYS AAU State chairperson, for these results)

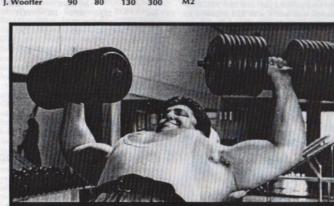
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Participants in the Big DawgRecord Breakers; Front Row: T.C. Carroll, Nick Sanatarone, David Ridley, Adam Silva, John Lattimer, R.L. Murray, Ryan Harrison, Mark Harrison; Back Row: Wayne Carroll, Dave Herbst, Tom Kristoff, Steve Rogers, Dan Miller, Tony Ryrko, Joe Behari, Dan Sanatarone, Jessie McAllister.

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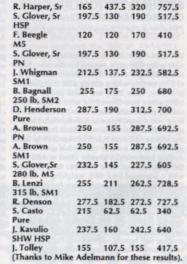
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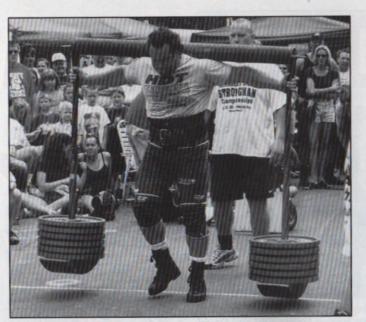


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Junior 165 lb.		B. Beaumont	280
D. Plunkett	240	181 lb.	
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B. Young	385	G. Boykin	365
Master 181 lb.		G. Montalvo	325
J. Lewis	250	242 lb.	
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### **Mid Atlantic Bench Press** 11 AUG 01 - Stanardsville, VA

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George Farrell	425	Mark Madison	420
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Tim Hunt in the Super Yoke event at the First Annual Minnesota Strongman Championships. (photos courtesy of Connie Bissonnette)

The First Annual Minnesota State Strongman Championships by Connie Bissonnette-The North American Strongman Society, Jeff Bissonnette State Chairman, held its first sanctioned Minnesota State Championship on July 28th, 2001. The event was a main attraction of the Lumber Jack Days celebration in Stillwater, Minnesota. Contest promoters were Jacquelyn Bissonnette and David and Connie Bissonnette. The Judge (referee) was Wade Gillingham. Wade did an excellent Job keeping everything running according to the rules. Thirty-three contestants were entered including one woman. The Farmers walk, the first event was won by Nick Osborne from Columbus, Ohio. 200# each side for 120 ft. Nicks time was 11.4 seconds. Next the Jog press, 220 lbs. for reps within 90 seconds. Again won by Nick Osborne with 12 reps. Greg Wagner from Granite Falls, MN. (placed 6th at the USAPL Nationals), Sam McMahan from Rochester, Mn. and John Riggs from Eau Clair, WI. All had 11 reps. John was compeling in SHW class. The Super Yoke, 700 lbs. for 80 ft., was won by Sam McMahan with 4 the Greg Wagner (placed 1st at 275 lbs. at the USAPL Nationals), Sens Homes, Woodbury, MN (6th Place USAPL Nationals), Sens McMahan from Rochester, Mn. and John Riggs from Eau Clair, WI. All had 11 reps. John was compeling in SHW class. The Super Yoke, 700 lbs. for 80 ft., was won by Sam McMahan with 4 the Osap Press, 220 ft. Nationals 2 weeks before the Strong-10 ft. Nick Strong Strong Promoter Strong Promoter Prowrestler, MN (15t place Warrior Strength Competition Bench and Deadlift); 9. Tim Hunt, Minneapoliss. The tire file fool 0ths, for 60 ft. was a great the Usape House Weet Strong Annual Promosen Autorea, 11 list of the Prowrest Autorea, 120 ft. Nicks time was 11.4 seconds. Next the log press, 220 lbs. for reps within 90 seconds. Again won by Nick Osborne with 12 reps. Greg Wagner from Granite Falls, MN. (placed 6th at the USAPL Nationals), Sam McMahan from Rochester, Mn. and John Riggs from Eau Clair, Wl. All had 11 reps. John was competing in SHW class. The Super Yoke, 700 lbs. for 80 ft., was won by Sam McMahan with a time of 0.1497 seconds. Sam's 19 yr. old brother, Pete, 6'8, 325 lb. freshman football player at the University of Iowa, won the Super Heavyweight class. The tire flip, 600 lbs. for 60 ft. was a great crowd pleaser with 23 athletes going the distance. Nick Osborne won the event with Jason Adamski 2nd, Jeff Bissonnette 3rd, Chris Doyle 4th, and 2nd, Jeff Bissonnette 3rd, Chris Doyle 4th, and Greg Wagner 5th, all under 30 seconds. The top 12 competitors from the first four events went on to

MCMAIn; 6. Greg Wagner (placed 1st at 275 lbs. at the USAPL Nationals 2 weeks before the Strongman event); 7. Michael Jerde, Forest Lake, MN (Highland Games competitor); 8. Orion Detector, Roseville, MN (1st place Warrior Strength Competition Bench and Deadlift); 9. Tim Hunt, Minneaposilis, MN (Former Pro Wrestler); 10. Dave Prange, Janesville, WI 11.; Robert Townsend, Aurora, 11 (American Open Qualifier, Weightlifting). Also, the one female competitor, Sandra Perron from West St. Paul, (USAPL National Bench Press Champion) did the Super Yoke in 35 seconds and the proposal of the Super Yoke in 35 seconds and the Farmers walk at 93 ft. Very impressive young lady. In summary I would like to share an e-mail received

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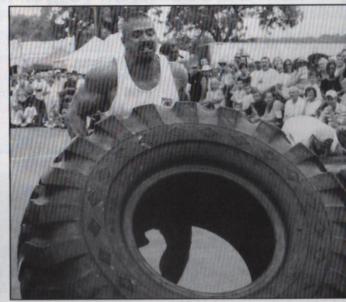
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The Overall Winner Nick Osbourne got twelve reps in the Log Press Jeff Bissonnette struggles for just one more flip of the 600 pound tire



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Meet Promoter Dr. Darrell Latch with Best Lifters at the SLP Wisconsin State Meet (left to right) Jeremy Meyer (DL) and David Walker. (Thanks to Dr. Darrell Latch for providing this photograph)

Championships were held in Burlington, Wisconsin on September 23, 2001. Many thanks to David Walker for all the efforts he, his family and workout new state records for Aaron as well as personal partners put into making this event successful. In partners put into making this event successful. In the bench press competition we had five teenagers; junior 181 class, Mike Strom, broke his record here with two new personal record attempts. Mike Wisconsin State Fair champion Jeremy Meyer. Jeremy won here also, finishing with 160, be 10 attempt for the win. In the submaster division Theo his ownstate record. At 148 it was Peter Montelbano who set the state record at 245 with his third attempt, then followed that with a successful fourth attempt after finishing with a state record of 250. Andrew Dahlstrom took the 181 title with 380 at 198. David Walker broke his own Wisconsin state record by five pounds, finishing with 520 for the win at submaster 242. Second place at 242 was the 114 class with 180. Then at 18-19/220 it was Mike Coenen, who finished with 330. Carlos Garcia.

her winner at the state fair, took the submaste 275 title with a strong 430 state record. Joe Cozza broke the record at master 40-44/220 with his third attempt of 440. At master 45-49/198 it was David on over Randy Hudzinski 285 to 270. David's winning mark set the state record there even with Randy's successful fourth attempt of 270. Steve Renzelmann took the 50-54/181 title with a new state record 270 over Bob Hochstein's 245. Also at 50-54 Jim Verhagen set the record at 198 with 300. Newcomer John Ball took the master 55-59/165 class with his 215 third attempt, another state record. Our final master competitor was Peter lensen, who won the title at 70-74/198 with 220, Jensen, who won the title at 70-74/198 with 220, tying his own state record. In the police and fire division Dave Surita finished with a state record 255 for the title at 132. Randy Hudzinski finished with 255, followed by a personal best 270 fourth for the record and title at 198. Then at 242 it was for the record and title at 198. Then at 242 it was Shawn Becker for the win and new state record with 440, which was also a new personal record for him. In the open division Patrick McCormack took the 181 title with 300 as Joe Cozza won his second title of the day with a state record 440 at 220. David Walker also won his second title at 242 setting the record there at 520. Ray Flint brought his own personal record up by thirty-five pounds to finish with another state record of 455 for the win at 308. The best lifter award went to David Walker who ssed 520 at a 234 bwt. In the deadlift cor tion Jeremy Meyer broke the state record in the 13-15/1-14 class with an amasing 350 pull! Weighing in at just 107, this fourteen year old pulled more than three times his bodyweight! Best lifter honors to the kid! In the submaster division Theo Muir set the state record at 181 with 425 followed by a 440 state record pull, which was also a new personal mark for him. Daye Felton won at master 40-44/ 181 with a great 550 state record pull at 181. In was David Anderson over Randy Hudzinski again, this time 515 to 455. David's 515 established a new state record there. Stuart Coogan broke his own state record at 45-49/220 with his 535 second attempt pull. Bob Hochstein got a new persona record to go along with his new state record at 50° 541181 with his final pull of 550. Peter Jenser broke his own state record at 70-74/198 with a solid 350. In the police & fire division Randy Hudzinski got a new personal record at 455, which division lone competitor Patrick McCormack broke his own state record with a strong 475 pull. Thanks also to my son Joey, Mike Strom and Sean Corbet

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more. Hoss Rhoton of Texas was 2nd with 479 1/2. At 220 Dr. Mike Ludovico put up a 551 to beat the California State Chairman Matt LaMarque, who did 534. At 242, Jason Jackson of Oklahoma keeps on trucking - he put up a 606 and has passed three drug tests in this federation and was tested at this event. He is undefeated in 13 tough man contests. He won his 2nd World Title. Joe Raynor of North Carolina was 2nd with a North Carolina State Record 562. Joe has competed in numerous IPF World Championships. Jimmee Fullerton of Texas was 3rd with a Texas State Record 529. At 275 Tiny Meeker opened with a 622, and he too has passed two drug tests in WABDL. He went to 683 and then to 711, but they were both too much. He was probably good for 670. Fifty seven year old George Nelson was 2nd with 540 on an opener. At 308 Bill Gillespie, the strength coach for the University of Washington, opened at 633 for the World Title. He also has passed two drug tests in WABDL. Jim Cunningham was 2nd with 600, but had 629 within one inch of lockout. Tom Manno opened with 673, but couldn't get it. He holds the World Master Record with 672. Steve Khader was 3rd with an Alabama State Record 451. At Super, Thomas McKinney of Texas won the Worlds with 529. Outstanding Lifter lightweight (114-198) was George Herring, middleweight 220-242 was Jason Jackson, and Heavyweight was Tiny Meeker.

In Master Men 40-46 age group. Danny Winslow of Idaho set an Idaho State Record at 165# with 308 to beat out two other lifters for the



Lori Watson out from the Islands

World Title. At 181, Byron Beebe of Oregon came through with 435 for the World Title. Bob Levering of California was 2nd with 429. At 198 there were 8 contestants with George Herring the World Champion with 496. Keith Kanemoto was 2nd with a California State Record 479 1/2. At 220, Buddy McKee won the Worlds with 380#. Paul Wondra was 2nd with 369. At 242, there were 6 contestants. Joe Harms of Oregon set an Oregon State Record with 485# to win the World Title. Rick Ludlam was 2nd with 451. At 275 there were 6 contestants, and Carroll Moon won the World Title with 556 1/2 - a World Record. Mike Lutz was 2nd with a nice 485. At 308, Bill Gillespie put up a big 633 on an opener and Cyril Lewis of

Reno was 2nd with 545 1/2, well

below a 578 he did earlier in the year. At Super, Art Ramsey, the World Record Holder at 578, did a 567 to beat out Andy Young, who did 518. Art weighed in at 354 and Randy weighed 326. Outstanding lifters were George Herring (lightweight) and Bill Gillespie (heavyweight)

In Master 47-53, Gary Bobrovitz of Canada brought home the Gold for the Maple Leaf with a Canadian National Record at 132# of 253 1/ 2. Home Shivaie set a Calif State Record of 214 3/4 for the silver. At 148, Randall Wrye of Georgia won the Worlds with a 292. At 165 Freddie Evangelista, who may be the most consistent, improved lifter in WABDL, set the World Record in master 40-46 165 with 391. At 181, Mr. Non-Bencher - Ace-Dead-

lifter Rick Hagedorn snuck in the back door with a World Title with 336. Rick is the WABDL Alabama State Chairman and is a world judge. Jamey Mauldin of Texas was 2nd with 308 and Michel Rioland of France was 3rd with 253 1/2. At 198 there were 6 contestants and Tom Gonnering of Alabama set an Alabama State Record with 413 to beat Warren Orbaugh of Guatemala. who did 402. Rainer Gessman of Germany was 3rd with 319 1/2. At 220, Rocky Gingg of Arizona and Steve Ramey of Georgia locked horns and ended up even at 485, with Rocky winning the World Title and Steve winning Best Lifter because he was older than Rocky. Steve's lift was a Georgia State Record. He is the WABDL State Chairman. At 242, Greg McCov of Texas edged

Roger Nelson of Washington 457 to 451. At 275, Mike Moore of California put up 396 to edge out Leo Contreras, who did 391. At 308 Frank Beeler of Switzerland put up a huge 529 and just missed 547 to beat Ron Hood's World Record. Bruce Sabin of Calif set a California State Record with 462 3/4 to finish 2nd. Tim Myers of Montana was 3rd with a Montana State Record of 369. At Super, Lorenzo Barrett of Washington, DC won the Gold with 424. Outstanding Lifters were Freddie Evangelista at lightweight and Steve Ramey at heavyweight.

In Master Men 54-60, at 165 Steve Lemire set a Washington State Record with 292 to take 1st. At 181, there were 6 contestants with attorney Larry Cardon from Virginia and Rick Tsutsui trading world records.

Cardon won the World Title with 369 by being the lighter man. Tsutsui did the same, however, on 4th attempts, when the dust settled, they both did 374 3/4 with Tsutsui doing it 1st, so he ends up with the World Record. At 198 there were 5 contestants with Ron Matheson of Arizona winning his 2nd world title with an Arizona State Record 374 3/4. Daniel Hawkinson of Minnesota was 2nd with 369 and a Minnesota State Record. At 220, World Record holder Bill Sekermestrovich didn't come up with a World Record, but did put up 446 for the World Title. Bill has set 8 World Records and has won 3 World Titles over the last 5 years. Jim Parham set an Oklahoma State Record with 369 for 2nd. At 242 Daniel Smith III of California won the Worlds with a 407 3/4. Mac

THE NEXT GENERATION IN POWER GEAR

Pope of Washington, DC, was 2nd were attorney Larry Cardon of Virwith 363 3/4. At 275 there were 6 contestants. The problem was that 5 had no chance against George Nelson, even when he had an off day. George, who has a World Record 610 and who has done 615 in a nonsanctioned meet and 600 in another sanctioned meet and who has set over 30 World Records, opened with 540 with a pec tear! He locked out 573, but was turned down, so 540 is where it ended. Colin Bonneau of Canada was 2nd with a Canadian Record 468. Ed Acey of Utah was 3rd with a 429. At 308 Robert O. Smith of Canada who holds the World Record of 450 settled for a 429 3/4 for the World Title. At Super, Don James - who holds the World Record of 473, won his Gold with 451 3/4. Outstanding Lifters

ginia and George Nelson of Oregon at Heavyweight. In Master 61-67, where there

were 22 lifters and about 5 noshows, some very good lifting took place. If you're over 50, this federation is a perfect fit. At 148, Larry Vincent set a World Record 287 1/ 2 to easily beat Richard Gidcumb of Michigan who did 220. Very impressive lifting, pound for pound, at his age. At 165, George Johnson put up 319 1/2 to win the Gold. His World Record is 330. Gerard Boucher set a Calif. State Record of 303 for 2nd. At 181, Rudy Lozano set a World Record 359 to beat Rou Guidry of Louisiana, who was 2nd with a nice 325. Rudy has won 7 World Titles and set numerous World Records in at least 3 different federations. Robert Withers of Australia was 3rd with 242 1/2. At 198 Bernie Miller set a Washington State Record of 304 to claim his World Title. At 220 Harold Smith of Montana set a Montana State Record of 330 1/2 to beat Bob Bassman of Texas, who set a Texas State Record of 319 1/2. Richard Yoshida was 3rd with a Hawaii State Record 308 1/2. At 242, Ken Anderson, the WABDL Texas State Chairman, who his 3rd World Title with a 429 3/4. He broke the World Record twice this year and owns it at 440 3/4. Skip Sandberg of Washington was 2nd with 407 and a Washington State Record. At 275, Danny Herrera set a Calif. State Record with 424 and Bill Isley was 2nd with an Oregon State Record of 341 1/2. At 308. Gary Johnson of Walla Walla, Wash. put up a 314 to win the Gold. Outstanding Lifter in the 61-67 was Ken Anderson.

In Master 68-74, at 148 Robert Cortes - who has been around for 50 years competing - put up a 248 at age 70! He holds the World Record with 253 1/2 and he's close to a 500 lb. deadlift. At 165 Andre Charbit of France won the World Title with a 248. Joe Cavness was 2nd with a California State Record 209. At 181 Ross Phillips won the Worlds with 242 1/2. At 220, 70 year old Joe Cantu out of Corpus Christi, Texas set a World Record with 385 3/4 weighing only 205. In 2nd was Lyndle Taylor with a 259 Arkansas State Record. At 242, 68 year old Ernie Anderson set a World Record 396 3/4. Ernie has been around a long time and has benched close to 500 pounds at age 60. Outstanding lifter in 68-74 Master was Joe Cantu.

In Master 75-79, 77 year old Arthur Whinston of Portland, Oregon, who is still a practicing attorney, who his World Title with a 104 1/2 bench at 143#. At 165, Sonny Ronolo of Hawaii had the highest coefficient of the whole meet (a 457)



















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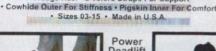
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George Herring (lt.) with Troy Weippert (right)

with his 303 bench weighing 161 at age 78!! At 181, Enrique Garcia of Guatemala set a World Record with 198. In the 198# class, Rex Monahan of Colorado put up 143# for a Colorado State Record and the Gold. At 220 Eugene Miranda of Calif. set a California State Record of 226 to beat fellow California Richard Turner, who did 209. At 242, Herb Brandt of Florida won the Gold with 220 and at 275. Cal Davis won his World Title with 231#. Sonny Ronolo was outstanding lifter.

In Submaster Law/Fire, A.J. Agamao set a World Record at 165# with 424 and Andy Ellis was 2nd with a Texas State Record of 352 1/2. At 198, Ed Sim of Oregon put up a 473. Ed has done 504 as recently as two years ago, but had wrist surgery a year ago. At 220, Kenneth Millrany set a Tennessee State Record with 462 3/4. At 275 Jaime Tovar set a World Record 512 1/2 and at Super 321# Dave Marchant out of Utah put up a big 556 1/2 for a Utah State Record. Outstanding lifter was A.J. Agamao.

In Law/Fire Open at 165, Andy Ellis set a Texas State Record with 352. At 181, Mike Bivin of Oklahoma won his World Title with 253 1/2. At 198, Craig Palmer of Montana finished 2nd with 435 and Ed Sim was the World Champion with 473. At 220, Matt LaMarque set a Calif. State Record 534 for the World Title. Joe Guerra set a Texas State Record 457 for 2nd. Zachary Clark was 3rd with 418. At 242, Jason Jackson put up a huge 606 that wasn't even an Oklahoma State Record because Kim Brownfield has the World and Oklahoma record of 616. Regardless, Jason only weighed 239 and won Best Lifter for heavyweight. Frank Wakakua of Hawaii was 2nd with 573 and Phillip Belone of Louisiana, who is a member of a SWAT Team, was 3rd with a 462 3/4 State Record. At 275, Flip Silva Jr. of Texas beat Kevin Tashiro of Hawaii, 402 to 363. At 308, Tim Johnson set a Texas State Record with 385 3/4 for his World Title. Outstanding Lifters were lightweight Ed Sim and heavyweight Jason

In Master Men Law/Fire 40-47, Robert Straker set an Oregon State Record 204 3/4 at 165. At 181, Rudy Lopez set a World Record 407 3/4. At 198 Craig Palmer of Montana pushed 435. Craig is a State Trooper. At 220, Mike McKenzie set a Colorado and World Record with 458. He held the old record with 457. Zach Clark was 2nd with 418 and the first workout partner I ever had back in Hawaii in 1973, Jeff Jones, set a Nevada State Record 413. Jeff is a Police Sergeant with the Sparks Police Department. At 242 Glen Ponder edged Arthur Clayton 407 to 402. At 275 Walt Faulkner set a California State Record with 408 3/4. At 308, Big John Minahan set a World Record with 540. John has broken that World Record 3 meets in a row. Outstanding Lifter was John Minahan.

In Master 48+, David Martinez won at 220 with 363 3/4. He currently holds the World Record with 374 3/4. Patrick Fay won at 242 with 363. At 275, Ed Acey of Utah won the World Title with 429 3/4. Eldon Olson was 2nd with a California State Record 407 3/4 and Pedro Velazco of Guatemala also put up 407 3/4, but finished 3rd because he was the heavier men. Bruce Sabin was the World Champion in 308 with a California State Record 462 3/4. Outstanding Lifter for Law/Fire 48+ was Ed Aceu of Utah.

In Men's Disabled, Cody Colchado of Texas set a World Blind Record with 407 3/4 at 242. The Outstanding Lifter was Steve Pena with a 473 at 220 which was done with perfect form. Paraplegic Chard Ward out of Alabama won the 198s with a 281 and Nick Sinardi of Florida was 2nd

In Special Olympian, Roger Slingerman, who is in charge of sports for the Northern California Special Olympics, brought 22 Special Olympian men and women and they were the stars of the whole meet. At 132# Eric Janvier put up 148#. At 148 Jon Shapiro set a Special Olympian World Record with 253 1/2 at 148# and was named Outstanding Lifter. At 165 Brent Ruth benched a



Joyce Hamblin won & got a WABDL World Record Bench Press of 166 lbs. at age 60

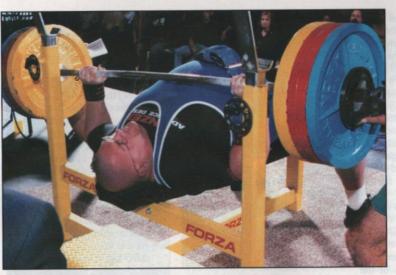


Bruce Sabin (left) and John Minahan (right)

respectable 209. At 220, Anthony Johnson did a big 264 1/2.

Now on to the ladies, where some of the best female lifters in the World put up some big numbers. In Open Women, Emily Kubiak at 105# benched 1493/4. At 114 Lynda Christopher put up 121 to win the World Title at 114. At 123 Susan Rinn set a World Record 231. Valerie Tyree was 2nd with 209. At 132, Jerri Lynn Lippert is the best female lifter in the world in any federation. She did a 319 1/2 bench and then went for the all time best of 331 1/2 and was ever

143#. She was the most exuberant lifter of the meet - very lively and a lot of fun to watch. Louise Turner of Pennsylvania won the 132# class with



Dave Marchant of Utah got a 556 bench press in the Superheavyweight class.

143. Rae Ballard set a California State Record with 166 to win the 148# class. Rosemary Harrington won the 165# class with 165#. Claire Ashton-Heckathorn won the 181# class with an Idaho State Record 1263/4. Claire ran for State Representative in Idaho and lost in a close election. Delia Chilgren set a Calif. State Record 93 1/2 to win the 198+ class. Outstanding Lifter was Heidi Rodriquez.

In Master Women 54-60 in 105# class, Betty Lafferty of Alabama set a World Record 143# at age 57 very impressive. At 123 "Lloyd Hopkins" won the World Title with 82 1/2. At 148 Sharon O'Brien set a World Record 115# to beat Sandi Butler, who previously held the record at 110. Sandi tied her old

170# in the 123# class. Karen works for the Illinois State Police and is an avid motorcycle rider.

In Master Women Law/Fire Leticia Rosales-Buie was Best Lifter with a 159 bench weighing 121 and Rae Ballard set a World Record 166# at 148.

In Junior Women Bench, Tamara Coulombe was Best Lifter with a World Record 215 3/4, weighing only 120 and was named Outstanding Lifter. Leonetta Richardson shattered the World Record at 165 with 259 and, of course, has the Hawaii State Record too. Christy Richer was 2nd with a Nevada State Record

In Submaster Women, Lori Watson of Hawaii set a World Record 165# at 105# and was named Outstanding Lifter. Teresa Schrank of Texas set a World Record at 114 with 165#. At 123, the World Record

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however, Maria Lewis of Hawaii upped it even further to 170 3/4 and left town with the record. Kelley Mahoney won at 148 with 137 3/4 and Sheri Wyatt set a Washington State Record to win the 198+

In Teen Women 13-15 age group, Lisa Marie Garcia of the Washington School for the Blind put up 66# at 89# bodyweight. At 123#Katherine DeLeon set a Washington State Record of 93 1/2. At 165# Nikki Williams set a Georgia and World Record of 143#. At 181 Bonnie Buck-Wood set Washington and World Record of 143#. In Teen Women 16-19

age group, Emily Kubiak set a Calif & World Record of 1493/ 4 in the 105# class. At 114# Merissa Baker set a Texas Record 121#. At 123# Angela Pate set an Oklahoma record of 110#. At 165, Kelly Womack set a Calif Record of 181 3/4# and at 198+ Krista Williams was 2nd with a Georgia State Record of 149 3/4 and Rachel Malone set an Oregon State Record 187 3/4 to win the World Title. Emily Kubiak was the Outstanding Lifter.

In Women's Disabled Lisa Marie Garcia was Best Lifter with a 77# lift weighing 88# and Bernadette Hanson was Best Lifter for Special Olympians with a 99# bench at 165 and a Junior Special Olympian

And finally, Guest Lifter Ryan Kennelly, smoked 672, 711, and just missed 739 twice. He weighed

Signature

in at 290 and his arms were a tight 22 1/2" cold. He wears a two ply

Team Scoring: 1) Team Fitness America of Duncanville, Texas coached by John Tyree (236 pts.), 2) Flex Gym of Reno, Nevada coached by Randy & Julie Green (228 pts.), 3) Jerry Capello's team of Medford, Oregon (218 pts.), 4) Iron Society of Monterey, Calif. coached by Matt LaMarque (212 pts.), 5) Team Texas Red of Dallas, Texas coached by Ken Anderson (212 pts.), 6) Body by George of Atlanta, Georgia coached by George Herring (204 pts.), 7) Pena's Raiders of San Jose, Calif. coached by Steve Pena (192 pts.), 8) Team Texas Blue of Carrollton, Texas coached by Jim Snodgrass (188 pts.), 9) Palace Gym of Burlingame, Calif. coached by Steve Ughe (180 pts.), 10) Seattle, Washington Power Team coached by Bull Stewart (162 pts.), 11) Team Guatemala coached by Warren Orbaugh (130 pts.)

The following people were drug tested: Cyril Lewis, Willie McCoy, George Herring, Jerry Capello, Carroll Moon, Art Ramsey, Onnie Jordan, John Tyree, Jerri Lynn Lippert, Mary Jacobson, Valerie Tyree, Lyn Silbert, Bud Davis, Joanne Warner, Dr. Michael Ludovico, Jason Jackson, John Stewart, Jimmee Fullerton, Johnny Hernandez, Noah Chambreau, Ronald Harlow, Jeff Ray, Laura Feusi, Matt Hyrcha, Marc Morishige, Ernie Mil-Homens. As of this writing, results aren't available.

(thanks to Gus Rethwisch for results. NEXT MONTH - Gus has promised us the article on the Deadlifters at his meet.)

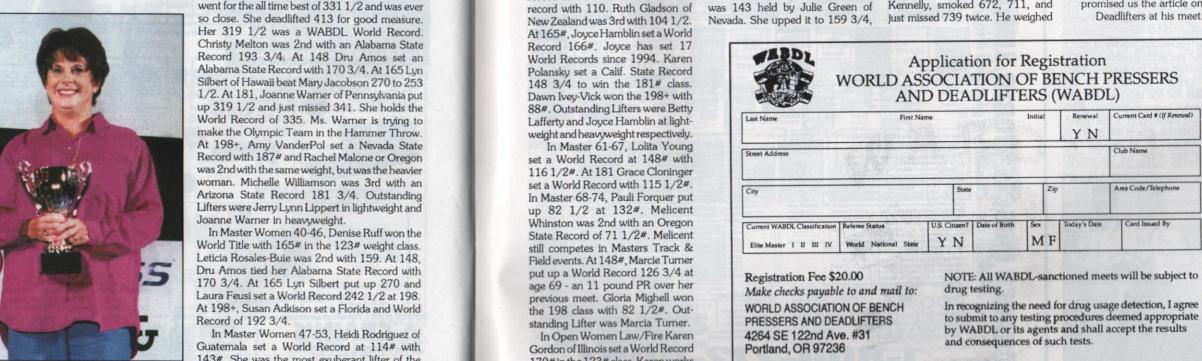
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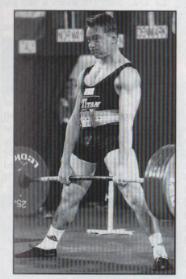
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Lappi got the 165 World Record of 749 and went for 38 more lbs.!

world record at the European Union Cup two months ago, but was denied the record because the doping control officer did not show up until the following day. He left no doubt here, completing 340 kg. (749 lbs.!!) on his second attempt. He made a 17.5 kg. jump on his third to move into the bronze medal slot, but it was a little heavy this time. He will, no doubt, pull it in the near future. 4 time world champion (95, 97, 98, 99) Siratzhutdin Bazayev, of the Ukraine took the bronze medal.

82.5 kg. Class: Russia's Sergei Mor proved he is the best lightheavyweight in the world, on a 7 for 9 day. His 850 kg. total was enough push him past Frederic Gandner (815 kg.) of France, and Patrick Turesson (810 kg.). Turesson missed his second deadlift of 307.5 kg., but elected to gamble on a 320 kg. third attempt to pass past champion Dmytro Soloivyov, of the Ukraine for the bronze. He was successful, owing to intestinal fortitude and the support of the crowd. The crowd favorite in this class was Jarmo Sohlman, of Finland. He pulled 337.5 kg. on his second



181 lb. class winners: (left to right) Gandner, Mor, & Turesson

attempt, and went for the world record with 358.0 kg., held by fellow Finn Veli Kumpuneimi since 1980. He broke it from the floor, but was unable to complete it. Look for this record to fall soon, though. The USA's James Benemerito placed 13th with a 690 kg. total. James was planning on attending this meet as a coach, but the cancellation of Dan Austin participation four days before departure gave the lifting slot to James. He had a 6 for 9 day. Remarkable under the circumstances.

90 kg. Class: Russia's Andrei Tarasenko continued the run he started with the World Jr. Championships in 1998, with a perfect 9 for 9 day and a 35 kg. margin of victory over Ivan Freydun of the Ukraine (927.5 kg. to 892.5 kg.).



Tarasenko ... fabulously strong

The Czech Republic's Petr Theuser, just off his win at the World Masters Championships a month before, took the bronze with a 882.5 kg. total. Robert Wagner, University of Pennsylvania Strength Coach, and Chair of the USAPL Coaching Committee placed fourth with 842.5 kg. Rob's superior squatting ability was proven again with his silver medal for his second attempt lift of 347.5 kg. With 17 competitors in this class, and small increments between places, this was one of the most exciting classes to watch. Many positions were decided on the final pull, and the crowd had to wait to determine placings until after the bar hit the floor.

100 kg. Class: With the absence of Nicolai Suslov, last year's champion, Oleksy Vyshnytskyy, of



the Ukraine, just 20 years old carried the day. He could easily be mistaken for a swimmer or skier due to his height and slight build when compared with the other competitors in this class. Any mistakes of that type were shattered with his 360 kg. squat opener. He finished the squat with 370 kg., 10 kg. ahead of eventual silver medallist. Yury Fedorenko, of Russia. His 207.5 kg. bench result reflects his long arms. He trailed Fedorenko by 2.5 kg. at subtotal by a 375 kg. deadlift carried him to a 922.5 kg. win, with Fedorenko at 930 kg., and Krystof Welna, of Poland in third at 905 kg. New Jersey's own Ray Benemerito finished 6th with

Vyshnytskyy ... a lean, mean Jr. World Record pulling machine

an 875 kg. total. Ray's trademark bench was a little off at this meet, and he completed only his opener at 217.5 kg.

110 kg. Class: The 110 class was a dead heat between Valentin Dedulya, who exhausted his junior eligibility (and won the Jr. Championships) in 2000, and perennial favorite from New Zealand, Derek Pomana. Both had a 9 for 9 day, and both totaled 970 kg. Dedulia was the lighter lifter, and today, the World Champion. Istvan Arval, Hungary, was third with 935 kg. Carl-Olaf Christoffersen, of Norway, and Kevin Woodside, of the Bahamas both totaled 915 kg., but the Norwegian was the lighter lifter. Newlywed Tony Harris (congratulations, Nalle), of Hawaii placed 6th. It was good to see him back on



Russia's Dedulya won the 242s

the platform after a serious back injury at last year's world championship. It should also be mentioned that the gold medal in the bench press went to Iranian lifter Mohammed reza Golmoham, a 247.5 kg. effort. This meet marked the first time that Iran brought a full scoring team (6 lifters) to the Open World Championships. If the success of their weightlifters is any indication, the rest of the had better make room at the top. In this class, it should also be noted that Hannu Koppola, of Finland, just out of the Jr. Division, made an attempt at the heaviest pull of the class, 355 kg., but had to settle for his 2nd attempt at 345 kg. Hannu garnered the silver medal at this year's Jr. Championships, and proved that he is at home in the Senior ranks as well. This category also demonstrated the results of effective coaching. Several placings were decided when one lifter was not aware of the changes another lifter put in at the

close of deadlifts. 125 kg. Class: Vitaly Papazov, of the Ukraine, just 21 years old, won this class by 30 kg. over three time World Junior Champion Andrey Malanitchev of Russia. Papazov's 1,047.5 kg. was the highest of the competition. He set 3 world junior records along the way. Malanitchev upped his 1000 kg. total at the Russian Nationals to 1017.5 to edge by Vlodimyr Muravlov, of the Ukraine. The Ukrainian missed his second deadlift and chose to repeat it rather than going for the silver medal. He protected his placing from 4th place finisher, and former World Champion, Audunn Jonsson, of Iceland. 5th place went to Jorgen Ljungberg, of Sweden. The USA had two competitors in this category, 2001 National Champion, Tony Cardella, and 2000 National Champion, Pat

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Papazov of the Ukraine, a young Junior lifter, amazed people at 275.

Nationals with Tony coming out on top, and that was the case here as well. Tony placed 8th overall, with a 917.5 kg. total (his second 2000+ lb. total) and Pat finished 11th with a 900 kg. effort. Both of these athletes benefited from the competition between them, and this duel for national supremacy (which is sure to go back and forth) can only push our standard at 125 kg. higher. Both were supportive of each other, and the other competitors, displaying the sportsmanship that America is known for.

Superheavies: The +125 class was the stage for some fireworks that were not predictable. What was clear was that this would be a rematch between last year's champion, Brad Gillingham, and the World Games Champion, Daisuke Midote, of Japan. Brad is a balanced lifter with a strong finish, and Midote gains his lead through his huge squat and bench press. Midote finished the squat 35 kg. in front, with a 410 kg. squat, and added to his lead with a 300 kg. bench press. Midote has struggled before with depth problems, and problems with lockout in the bench press, but they



Brad Gillingham wins the Superheavies again for the USA!

McGettigan. The two met at 2001 weren't evident here. He had what appeared to be a comfortable subtotal lead over Brad (67.5 kg.) and the strongest bartender in the world, the Ukraine's 48 year old Victor Naleikin (70 kg.). Hungary's Tibor Meszaros was 100 kg. behind Midote at the pause. Gillingham's opening deadlift brought him within 2.5 kg. of Midote. Naleikin, who had pulled weights approaching 400 kg, with only a thin belt, appeared to have hurt his back, and opened uncharacteristically light at 335 kg., essentially moving him out of the running. Midote was unable to finish his second attempt, 312.5 kg. and saw Gillingham pull ahead by 7.5 kg. The Japanese champion was unable pull a repeat on his third, assuring Gillingham the championship. The surprise was the Hungarian, who jumped from third placed and a 390 kg. pull to 406.5

for a new world deadlift record.

After what seemed like a minute

long pull, he locked it, earning the

silver medal, and edging Midote.

Naleikin totaled 1000 kg., and fin-

ished fourth. New Yorker Sean

Culnan had a solid day, totaling

962.5 kg. on an 8 for 9 day. The team championship went to Russia, first in the pre-meet nominations, and with a nearly perfect 69 points. They had 5 individual World Champions. The Ukraine finished second in the team standings with 56 points and three individual champions. The U.S.A. placed third, edging Poland by three points. Big Brad repeated as the World Champion. Alexei Sivokon repeated as the Champion of Champions, with 633 Wilks points. Daramin Sutrisno was second with 610, with Vitaly Papazov third at 597 points.

Several lessons were learned at this championships. First, that if you are tied with a

total, you are in trouble. Someone joked that if you pull less than 340 kg. in Finland, you have to leave the country. It doesn't look like anyone is leaving. Second, the depth of many of the country's lifting programs means that they can do well even with second string lifters. Finally, no detail was too insignificant for our Finnish hosts in preparing for this championships. Nothing was left undone, from premeet paperwork, to the assignment of volunteers. The venue was spectacular, and the crowd for many sessions was standing room only, and supportive of all lifters. Powerlifting is a very popular spec-

Finnish lifter at sub-

though we were distant from Helsinki, the crowds showed up. Our host and the competition organizer, Heikki Perannen, was tireless in his efforts, showing up at the venue early in the morning, and staying until long after the last deadlift hit the floor.

No report of a world championships would be complete without mentioning the coaching and support staff from the U.S.A. Coaches included Michael and Angie Overdeer, Nolan Crabbe, Karl and Gale Gillingham, John Rivanno, and myself. Responsibility was shared seamlessly, and everyone pulled his or her weight. Our Team Physician, Bernie Miller, D.C., kept our lifters performing in top condition.

tator sport in Finland, and even Dr. Miller was recognized for his dedication and hard work in his appointment as Chair of the IPF Medical Committee. P.J. Couvillion, as always, served as our primary referee, and assisted the meet organizer with the technical aspects of running the competition. It's truly a labor of love for P.J., who travels at his own cost to many championships each year to assure that U.S. lifters can score maximum points. and that coaches are free to assist

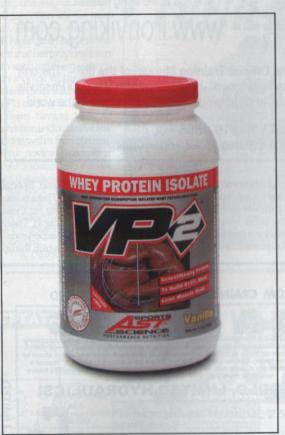
> Next year's Men's Open Championships will be held in Bratislava, Slovakia toward the end of November. We look forward to another excellent championships, and to see our friends and fellow competitors on the platform again.



TEAM USA: bottom (I-r) Dr. Larry Maile, Dr. Bernie Miller, Jeremy Arias, Ervin Gainer, Tim Taylor, Anthony Harris: top - Nolan Crabbe, Brad Gillingham, Sean Culnan, P.J. Couvillion, Robert Wagner, John Rivanno (?), James Benemerito, Pat McGettigan, Tony Cardella, Angie Overdeer, Mike Overdeer, Ray Benemerito



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(Left) Steve Howard squatting at the Power Surge Championships (photo courtesy Michelle lames). Steve will be directing the 2003 USAPL Men's Nationals in Rapid City, SD. He's got 15,000 square feet of space to work with, and great shopping, restaurants and night life nearby. Also nearby are such landmarks as Mt. Rushmore, Devil's Postpile, the Custer's Last Stand battlefield, Deadwood, the famous Dakota Badlands.

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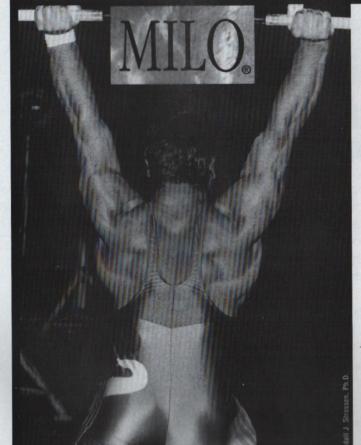
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