

BOYS PROMISE NEW RECORDS

High School Athletes Make
Fine Show in Preliminaries
on Police Floor.

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Detroit high school athletes should have a field day in breaking records in the finals of the city high school track and field championships at the Armory Saturday night.

The showing made by the scholastic thin clads in the preliminaries at the Police Headquarters gymnasium Wednesday afternoon gives promise of several new marks when the final events are run off.

One new mark was allowed in the preliminaries, this being a heave of 43 feet 4½ inches by Howard Hamilton of Eastern in the shot put. Though several new marks were established in the running events it was decided that only the times made in the finals would count as the floor conditions at the Armory and the police gymnasium are different.

THREE-CORNERED FIGHT.

A three-cornered battle between Central, Northwestern and Eastern will be waged for the city honors Saturday evening. Central qualified the largest number of athletes in the preliminaries, taking 20 places and qualifying in the relay. The Trailblazers have an opportunity to place another runner today when Poole, of Central, Kilpatrick, of Northwestern, Stroble, of Western, and Klockow, of Eastern, run off a tie to decide which two of the four will be permitted to qualify for the finals, the quartet being tied for seventh and eighth places in the times made in the preliminaries.

The finals should see new city records established in the 440, the mile, the relay, the hurdles, the high jump and possibly in the dashes providing the athletes perform as they did in the preliminaries. If they do, Saturday evening's meet will go down as the greatest in the history of Detroit high schools.

CASS PLACES IN FOUR.

Though Cass Tech placed in only four events, the athletes it did qualify are very likely to decide whether Eastern, Central or Northwestern will be able to claim the city honors.

Northern is another school which will bother the leaders. Hester should take the 30-yard dash and is quite likely to win the 220 while Caplan should place in both of these events.

Central will depend on the performances in the pole vault, the two hurdles, the 440 and the half-mile for most of its points.

Those who qualified:

Pole vault—Northrop, Marsh (Northwestern); Whelan (Eastern); Prout (Central); Huff (Northern); Kuretic (Southwestern).
Qualifying jump, 8 ft.

Shot put—Hamilton (Eastern); Dickerson, Chatman, Carlson (Northwestern); D. Lester, Gilliland (Central); Blankenstyle (Western); Gabel (Northern). Best put, 43 ft., 4½ in., by Hamilton.

High jump—Huntington, Tesch (Eastern); Gaines, Loving, Meler (Cass); D. Lester, Morrison (Central); Blankenstyle (Western); Smith (Northern). Qualifying jump, 5 ft., 3 in.

High hurdles—Carlson (Northwestern); Sangster, Prout, Evans (Central); Tesch, Grundy (Eastern); Kuretic (Southwestern); Spence (Western). Best time, 42-5 sec., by Grundy.

Low hurdles—Tesch, Grundy (Eastern); Prout, Sangster, Evans (Central); Northrop, Carlson (Northwestern); Loving (Cass). Best time 41-5 sec., by Prout.

30-yard dash—Hester (Northern); Tait, Wagner, Chatman (Northwestern); Volz, Grundy (Eastern); Dadiglan, D. Lester (Central). Best time 31-5 sec., by Hester.

220-yard dash—Hester, Caplan (Northern); Leschinsky, Blanchard (Northwestern); Watkins (Central); Wilcox (Eastern). Best time, 25-15 sec., by Hester.

440-yard dash—Pauschert (Northern); Reed, S. Lester, Snitz (Central); Blanchard, Hoyt (Northwestern); Searns, Curtis (Eastern); Dalley (Cass). Best time, 55 sec., by Dalley.

880-yard run—Voorhels (Southwestern); Sinclair (Cass); Thorington (Northwestern); Konkow (Northern); Keyes (Central); Brown, Houghton, Beyer (Eastern). Best time, 2:12 4-5, by Houghton.

Mile run—Nymberg (Cass); Ruckstahl, (Northwestern); Belt, Stillwell, Lange (Eastern); Scheurman, McDonald (Central); Lindzey (Northwestern). Best time, 4:50 4-5 by Nymberg.

Relay—Northwestern, Northern, Central and Eastern. Best time, 1:30, made by Northwestern.