

### Prep Marks of Tolan, Ch Ward to Be Attacked

#### City Track Meet Preliminaries Are Set for Wednesday and Finals Saturday

Two high school track records are expected to be threatened Wednesday, when preliminaries to the city league meet will be held at the University of Detroit stadium. The finals will be Saturday.

In 1931 Eddie Tolan set a mark of 1:01 seconds in the 100-yard dash. That record had not been threatened until two weeks ago when a boy from Cass Tech younger by the name of Michael Killinger bettered it by a tenth of a second unofficially on the Titan track during a division meet.

A breeze at his back helped him, but even without such aid the mark would not have stood. City League records can be made only during preliminaries and finals of championship meets.

The Cass youth ran the distance in 1:01.4 a few days ago to win the West Division title. He was not pressed to win and the track was heavy. Continued dry weather will leave the track in excellent condition for a record-breaking effort Wednesday.

#### Ward Holds Jump Mark

Wills Ward, great Michigan athlete, high jumper 6 feet 3 inches several years ago while competing for Northwestern High in a title contest. That mark has been threatened several times, but this year it is expected that Roscoe Vanshing, a high jumper from Pershing, will shatter it.

Washington has bettered the mark several times in practice. Warm weather will help him Wednesday.

#### Hamtramck High, Northwestern and Central are expected to engage in a three-way battle for the title.

The performances of outstanding stars from other schools may turn the tide against the favorites if they measure up to pre-meet predictions.

Cass Tech has the sprinter, Killinger is favored to win five points in the 100 and his teammate, Vincent Daly, will be a threat in the 200. But the Comets have Bill Let Mechanco, a 220-yard star with a world of running speed and a great finish.

#### 400 Regarded as Feature

No race in the preliminaries promises to be more interesting than the 400. Hamtramck, with McMillan and Lelwies; Northwestern with Durst and Dufour; and Central with Schwartz and Lackowicz, make it one of the outstanding races of the season. Isembart of the Comets also is a contender for quarter-mile honors.

On paper it appears that Mashatt, of Northwestern; Bab, of Southwestern; and Amos, of the Colts, will finish in that order in the half-mile run. The Comets are confident of five points in the high jump through the efforts of Washington, Lucas, of Eastern; Dreyfuss, of Cooper; and Sherman, of Northwestern, will fight for the other places.

There hasn't been any hurdlers on the track horizon this spring, except of banking Willie Henderson, of Southwestern, in either the high or low stack. One of Northern may give him the most competition, and other leading hurdlers are Legy, of Central; Cooper, Hamtramck; Sherman, Northwestern; and Lucas, Eastern.

#### Skorupski is Favored

Skorupski, of Hamtramck, looks like the winner of the discus, with Cole, of the Colts, and Elzak, Pershing strong man, his chief rivals. The Comets count on Skorupski for three points in the shot. They hope to push Lovett, of Eastern, who appears to be the best of the weight lifters. Popp, of Pershing, is expected to get third place.

Among a poor group of pole vaulters, Mechanco, the Comets' all-around star, may take first. He has done 10 feet 6 inches, but Central is counting on Stinson to beat him. Carson, of Northwestern, and Laska, of Southwestern, probably will be in the pole vault picture.

Central, Cass, Hamtramck and Northwestern all have good relay teams. There has been little difference in the marks they have recorded. The mile will be run Saturday. It probably will be an outstanding contest between Bush, of Hamtramck, and LeFevre, Redford's cross-country ace.

#### Ponies Arrive at Kalamazoo

#### Runners Displace the Harness Racers

KALAMAZOO, May 15.—(A. P.)—Thoroughbred racing is taking the place of Grand Circuit harness races here this year, with a 10-day spring meeting opening May 26. More than \$200,000 is being spent turning Recreation Park into a modern running race plant.

For 24 consecutive years Kalamazoo was the scene of Grand Circuit harness races, although the trotters and pacers have not returned here since 1911.

The stables, paddocks and clubhouse buildings are being erected; the grandstand is being rebuilt and rededicated; and the track reconstructed to provide the "cushion" necessary for running races.

The first of the thoroughbred runners belonging to Miss Martha Stewart, of Franklin, Mich., who recently returned from Tropical Park, Miami, Fla., already are stabled here. They are Noon, a two-year-old filly which started and placed in five races at Miami; Nash, Shake and Summerville.

Racing Director Ben Hagedorn has received 240 stable registrations and 50 thoroughbreds are expected to be on hand before the week ends. Forty-nine head are coming from the Hamilton, O., spring meeting.

A. E. Brewster is general manager of the Kalamazoo Racing Association, which is putting on the meeting.

#### Badgers Break Toppers' String

MADISON, May 15.—Western Mare Trainers, of Kalamazoo, saw their winning streak stopped at night for the season and 16 consecutive victories when Wisconsin scored two in the sixth today to win 3 to 2.

Western submit the Badgers 6 to 1 but failed to bunch blows to advantage off Tomok and Puser. Dietz walked one and allowed two off the lead.

Reimer, who had and won for Wisconsin, was the only one to score in the sixth. He finished 2 to 3.

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