

West Division Led by Colts

Northwestern Takes 4 of 13 Events

Northwestern High School's outdoor track team got off to a flying start in defense of its West Division championship Wednesday afternoon at U. of D. Stadium. With nine of the 13 events completed, the Colts were leading the division by 13½ points with a total of 35 points.

Western, with Robbie Herrara taking two first places, was second with 22½ points, Southwestern third with 21½ points, Cass Tech fourth with 12, and Mackenzie fifth with eight.

The final in four events, the 100, 220 and 440-yard dashes, and the broad jump, will be held Friday afternoon. Northwestern has qualified more boys in these events than any other school and Coach Sam Bishop's squad is expected to annex another title Friday.

The Colts won three individual events and the relay and tied for another first place. Irvin Dufour, the Colts' star miler, turned in the outstanding individual performance of the day in winning the mile in 4:52.2.

Dufour, a senior running in his last divisional meet, was in front of Elden Blackburn, of Western, by a good 15 yards at the finish. He took the lead in the first 50 yards of the race and kept in front until the finish. Blackburn faded badly in the last 200 yards when Dufour started to sprint.

Randall Pittman netted the Colts another first place with a 5-foot 11-inch jump in the high jump. Ralph Farquhar, of Northwestern, tied for first in the pole vault with Achilles George, of Cass Tech, at 19 feet 6 inches.

Ulysses Amos, the big half-miler, gave warning that he has all intention of winning five points in this event for Northwestern in the City meet by easily winning Wednesday. Amos was clocked in 2:04 as he led Little Don Chaffee, of Mackenzie, by a good 10 yards across the finish line.

Wille Henderson, Southwestern's all-around athlete, qualified for the City meet in three events, the low and high hurdles and the 100-yard dash, in setting the pace for the Prospector squad. Henderson won the high hurdles with plenty to spare in :16.4.

Then he qualified for the 100-yard semi-finals by winning his heat in 10:6. But in this race Henderson pulled a muscle in the last 20 yards of the race. Although his left leg hurt him with every step

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He ran in the finals of the low hurdler and his time in winning his heat placed him fourth in the final standing. Henderson said that if his muscle did not mend by Friday he would not compete in the 100-yard semi-finals and finals.

Bob Cain, of Western, who was second to Henderson in the high hurdles, won the low timbers in 15 seconds flat. It was the fastest low hurdle heat clocked in any of the division meets. Enno Korthals, of Northwestern, and George Ekland, of Cass, also finished in front of Henderson in the low hurdles.

Little Bob Herrera won both the shot put and the discus. He tossed the 12-pound shot 45 feet 3 inches and the discus 108 feet 2 inches. No one threatened the Western star in either event.

FINALS

Shot put—Won by Herrera (W); Abdo (NW), second; Baumgartner (Cass), third; Sorensen (M), fourth. Distance—45 feet 3 inches.

15-yard high hurdles—Won by Henderson (SW); Cain (W), second; Korthals (SW), third; Ekland (Cass), fourth. Time—0:16.4.

100-yard low hurdles—Won by Cain (SW); Ekland (Cass), second; Korthals (SW), third; Mersky (SW), fourth. Time—1:22.2.

High jump—Won by Pittman (NW); Stone (SW), second; Koriaki (M), third; Scott (SW), fourth. Height—5 feet 11 inches.

Pole vault—Farguhar (NW) and George (Cass), tied for first; McKevey (W) and Smalls (SW), tied for third. Height—10 feet 8 inches.

880-yard dash—Won by Amos (NW); Charles (M), second; Raymond (SW), third; Musto (Cass), fourth. Time—3:04.

Discus—Won by Herrera (W); Abdo (NW), second; Smalls (SW), third; Baumgartner (Cass), fourth. Distance—108 feet 2 inches.

Relay—Won by Northwestern (Lumpkin, Jackson, Miller, Durant); Southwest (second); Mackenzie, third; Cass Tech, fourth.

PRELIMINARIES

100-yard dash: Qualifiers for semi-finals—McKevey (W), Wilson (M), Durant, Maxwell and Lumpkin (SW), Kna (Chad.), Lawrence (Cass), Henderson (SW). Best time by Durant, 0:10.4.

250-yard dash: Qualifiers for semi-finals—Lumpkin, Durant, Lumpkin and Maxwell (NW), Smith, Spence and Rhoness (SW), Merrill (W). Best time by Spence, 0:55.8.

440-yard dash: Qualifiers for final—Miller (SW), Hawkins (M), Marcus (SW), Nazarko (Chad.), Perry (Cass), Hamborsky (W). Best time by Marcus, 0:57.4.

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