

# Hits :15.3 Pace Over Barriers; Creston Wins Three-Way; Central Defeats Tech

(By John McElwee.)

Turning on a full burst of manpower for the first time this season, Pop Churm's Trojan track team at Houseman field Friday night escaped unscathed from the heat that Union's thinclads turned on there in the feature clash of a three-meet bill under the lights, and emerged from the competition with a show of all-around superiority that accounted for a 72-50 victory. In the other dual meet, Central took Davis Tech's runners into camp by a 78-44 verdict. Creston, the city league's dark horse contender, came through in the triangular meet against Catholic and Ottawa to win with 62½ points. Catholic took second with 45 points, a fraction better than the Indians' 44½.

## New Mark Set.

A crowd of almost 2,500 saw 200 of the city's best competing in the first night meet. As a highlight of the evening, Capt. Gordon Miller of Creston established a new city record over the 120-yard high hurdles, skimming the barriers in :15.3. The fact that there was no wind and that ideal timing and starting conditions prevailed will probably mean acceptance by the record committee of his mark at the end of the season. Miller also thrilled the spectators by flying over the low hurdles in :23.7 in another outstanding performance. Miller's first in the high jump and second in the broad jump brought him high scoring honors of the meet with 18 points.

Fred Veenkamp of South shot the bolt in the 440, romping home by a big margin over Straub of Union in the fast time of 52 flat for his best mark of the season, while George Doran, running in dopesheet form, copped both the 100 and 200-yard dashes for a Trojan double.

## Kohan Shows Class.

Kohan of Union showed class in the high hurdles, winning his heat in :15.6, while Krestasko of South upset premeet dope and beat Michalak of Union to the tape in the 220 low sticks in :24.5. Michalak turned in the outstanding broad jump of the season, leaping 21 feet even for a first in the event.

Davis Tech's mile relay team set the pace for the night, winding up with almost a 150-yard winning margin over Central in the time of 3 minutes 49.6 seconds.

In the mile, Snow of Catholic set the best time in jogging four times around the track in 4 minutes 46.4 seconds for a close victory over Dudley, his teammate.

Kohan of Union accounted for two second places in addition to his high hurdles victory, and took second high scoring honors with 12 points. Vandermolten of Central scored a double in the dashes, while Vanderhoning, a mate, took both the 440 and the high jump.

Peter Mitchell turned another good shot performance, heaving the lead 48 feet ¼ inch, while Kaman of the Cougars took his weight event with a heave of 46 feet 6½ inches.