

**Cooley Takes
West Side Title**

**But Western's Relay
Team Steals Show**

Western High's half-mile relay team of Johnny Faughn, John Sullivan, George Lerchen and Jim Burke overshadowed Cooley's sixth consecutive West Side indoor track victory at the Cardinal's gym on Wednesday afternoon, by covering the distance in 1:36.

Last winter Central turned in the same time at Cooley but only managed to tie the old record set by Northwestern in 1931 in the City finals. Western's record time against a strong Cooley quartet, which finished about a yard behind, remains unofficial, however, since the City League only recognizes performances in the semifinals and finals.

Western Places Third

Coach Claude Snarey's trackmen looked anything but impressive in winning the title over Northwestern with a 47.7-42.7 count.

Seventeen trackmen qualified for the semifinals for Cooley while Northwestern was next with 14 and Western third with 12. In addition, these schools qualified a relay team. Final point totals were Cooley 47.7, Northwestern 42.7, Western 33.4, Redford 18.2, Central 5 and Mackenzie 3.

Glenn Mathias captured the Cardinal's lone first of the day when he high-jumped five feet 10 inches to tie John Thorpe, Coit jumper.

Meanwhile Bob Thomas, Northwestern half-miler, registered a minor upset when he finished a fraction of a second in front of Tom Collinson, Cooley ace, who has consistently been clocked in faster time than yesterday's winning performance of 2:08.5.

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It was the mile which turned the tide of the meet. Cooley's All-City men, Seniors Britton Lux and Henry Lord, took second and third while Northwestern failed to pick up any points in the event. Lux, still recovering from influenza, trailed Ed Crosley, of Redford, to the tape, in the first mile heat, which produced the slow winning time of 4:43.7.

Leading the surprising showing by Western's Cowboys was Johnny Faughn, who finished ahead of Teammate Dennis Burke in the 30-yard dash. Faughn shares high point honors with versatile Dick Caskey, Colt sprinter. Both scored 11½ points and, oddly enough, they tied for first in the 220 on Monday.

Thursday afternoon the East Side will conclude its program with seven events at Denby's new gym. Southeastern, defending champion, is favored over the dark horse, Hamtramck, and is expected to increase its present one-point margin over the Cosmos.

WEST SIDE FINALS

30-yard dash—Won by John Faughn (W); Dennis Burton (W), second; Ed Keagan (Mac), third; Al Shackett (Coo), fourth; Dick Caskey (NW), fifth; George Bright (Cent), sixth. Time—03.8.

Mile run—Won by Ed Crosley (R); Britton Lux (Coo), second; Henry Lord (Coo), third; Bob Shortle (W), fourth; Warren Ellsworth (W), fifth; George Garrison (NW), sixth. Time—4:43.7.

800-yard run—Won by Bob Thomas (NW); Tom Collinson (Coo), second; Ken Brondyke (R), third; George Meade (NW), fourth; Mill Rubin (Cent), fifth; Bill Davidson (Cent), sixth. Time—2:08.5.

High jump—Won by John Thorne (NW) and Glenn Mathias (Coo), tied; Larry Raskin (NW), Cecil Butt (W), Elbrow Jackson (W), Ed Heints (Coo) and Bob Fisher (R), tied for third. Height—5 feet 10 inches.

880-yard relay—Won by Western (Faughn, Sullivan, Larchen and Burke); Cooley, second; Northwestern, third; Redford, fourth; Central, fifth; Southwestern, sixth. Time—1:36.

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