

Ann Arbor Wins In Rouge Meet

**Peppel 2nd, Moore 6th;
B. H. Mark Broken**

ANN ARBOR, Mich., April 13—Two of the records set by Benton Harbor tracksters last year were threatened and one broken as Ann Arbor high school successfully defended their team title in the fourth running of the annual River Rouge indoor invitational track meet here last Saturday. Stan Boeck, of class C Coroma, whipped the shot-put record set last year by Maurice Hofmeister of the Tigers off the books with a heave of 48 feet 10 1/2 inches, five full inches better than Hofmeister's mark.

Horace Smith, sensational Negro dash man from Jackson tied Bert Copeland's record in the 60 yard dash by zooming the distance in 6.5 seconds. He went on to set a new record in the high hurdles and anchored his winning relay team.

Coach Jack Smith entered his charges in two events, Willie Moore in the quarter-mile and Ed Peppel in the half. Moore won his heat in 56.2 seconds, good enough for a tie for sixth place. Peppel did even better, winning his first heat in the middle distance in 2 minutes 6 3-10 seconds and chopping that down to 2 and 5 to take second in his event.

The best athletes in the entire State compete in this meet, with the winner being acknowledged the unofficial indoor champion, since no regular championship meet is held indoors.

Ann Arbor collected 27 1/2 points to win the crown, with Flint Northern close behind in second spot with a total of 22 2-3. River Rouge, the sponsoring school, took third with 22 points, while Jackson and Royal Oak divided fourth place honors.

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