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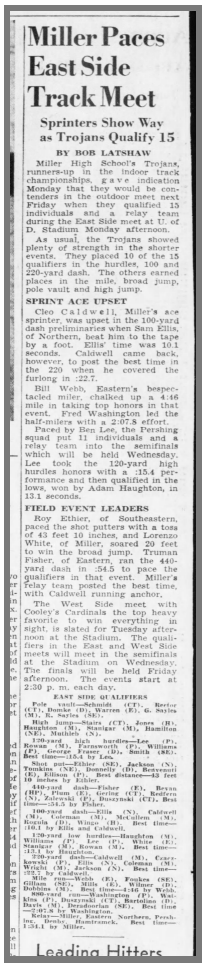

Miller Paces East Side Track Meet

Sprinters Show Way as Trojans Qualify 15

BY BOB LATSHAW

Miller High School's Trojans, runners-up in the indoor track championships, gave indication Monday that they would be contenders in the outdoor meet next Friday when they qualified 15 individuals and a relay team during the East Side meet at U. of D. Stadium Monday afternoon.

As usual, the Trojans showed plenty of strength in the shorter events. They placed 10 of the 15 qualifiers in the hurdles, 100 and 220-yard dash. The others earned places in the mile, broad jump, pole vault and high jump.

SPRINT ACE UPSET

Cleo Caldwell, Miller's ace sprinter, was upset in the 100-yard dash preliminaries when Sam Ellis, of Northern, beat him to the tape by a foot. Ellis' time was 10.1 seconds. Caldwell came back, however, to post the best time in the 220 when he covered the furlong in :22.7.

Bill Webb, Eastern's bespectacled miler, chalked up a 4:46 mile in taking top honors in that event. Fred Washington led the half-milers with a 2:07.8 effort.

Paced by Ben Lee, the Pershing squad put 11 individuals and a relay team into the semifinals which will be held Wednesday. Lee took the 120-yard high hurdles honors with a :15.4 performance and then qualified in the lows, won by Adam Haughton, in 13.1 seconds.

FIELD EVENT LEADERS

Roy Ethier, of Southeastern, paced the shot putters with a toss of 43 feet 10 inches, and Lorenzo White, of Miller, soared 20 feet to win the broad jump. Truman Fisher, of Eastern, ran the 440-yard dash in :54.5 to pace the qualifiers in that event. Miller's relay team posted the best time, with Caldwell running anchor.

The West Side meet with Cooley's Cardinals the top heavy favorite to win everything in sight, is slated for Tuesday afternoon at the Stadium. The qualifiers in the East and West Side meets will meet in the semifinals at the Stadium on Wednesday. The finals will be held Friday afternoon. The events start at 2:30 p. m. each day.

EAST SIDE QUALIFIERS

Pole vault—Schmidt (CF), Reiter (CF), Hooker (D), Warren (E), G. Sayles (M), Bell (M).

High jump—Sipes (CF), Jones (B), Haughton (M), Staniar (M), Hamilton (NE), Muehels (N).

120-yard high hurdles—Lee (P), Brown (NE), Farnsworth (P), Williams (P), Haughton (M), Smith (SE). Best time—:15.4 by Lee.

Shot put—Ethier (SE), Jackson (N), Tomkins (NE), Donnelly (D), Reverenti (E), Ellison (P). Best distance—43 feet 10 inches by Ethier.

440-yard dash—Fisher (E), Bryan (HP), Plum (E), Greing (CE), Redfern (N), Zelewski (E), Duszynski (CE). Best time—:54.5 by Fisher.

100-yard dash—Ellis (N), Caldwell (M), Coleman (M), McCollem (M), Rogula (D), Wingo (D). Best time—:10.1 by Ellis and Caldwell.

120-yard low hurdles—Houghton (M), Williams (P), Farnsworth (P), White (M), Stanker (SE), Rowan (M). Best time—:13.1 by Houghton.

220-yard dash—Caldwell (M), Czerkowski (P), Ellis (N), Coleman (M), Wright (M), Jackson (N). Best time—:22.7 by Caldwell.

Mile run—Webb (E), Fowles (SE), Gillis (M), Bell (M), Bartolino (D), Dobbins (SE). Best time—4:46 by Webb.

880-yard run—Washington (P), Watkowski (CE), Bartolino (D), Davis (M), Duszynski (CE), Best time—2:07.8 by Washington.

Relays—Miller, Eastern Northern, Pershing, Denby, Hamtramck. Best time—1:34.4 by Miller.

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