

Los Angeles, at the midway mark, with a 200.

# Cooley Regains Prep Track Title

## 14 Points in Mile Run Give Cards Edge over Denby, Northwestern

BY TOM LOBAUGH

Cooley High School regained the City League indoor track championship by a margin of three points in the finals at Central High School. It was Cooley's fifth indoor title in nine years. The Cardinals rolled up 39 1/2 points as Northwestern and Denby tied for second with 36.

Denby won four first places and Cooley three.

Walter Reese, Cooley's pole vaulter, equaled the City League record when he cleared 11 feet 8 inches. He tried 11 feet 10 inches three times but failed. The record was set in 1940 by Bruce Thomas, another Cooley star.

**COOLEY NETTED** 14 points in the mile run, which was won by Ross Smith. Bob Hahn finished second and Dave Rice staged a backslap rally to win fourth place. Albert Hofbauer took Cooley's other first place in the half-mile.

Tommy Stewart, Denby speed merchant, captured first place in the low hurdles and the 30-yard dash. His time of four seconds flat in the low hurdles equaled the City League record. Mickey Rogula captured the 220-yard dash for the Tar.

Denby's other first came in the 880-yard relay. The team of Harry Becher, Bruno Beisler, Stewart and Rogula was clocked in 1:36.6, a fifth of a second slower than the record it set in the semifinal meet Wednesday.

**STEWART MATCHED** George Skyles, of Miller, for individual scoring honors with 17 points. The Denby dash tied for third in the pole vault, in addition to capturing two events and running a leg on the winning relay team.

Skyles won the high hurdles, equaling the City League record of 4.2 seconds. He was third in the low hurdles, tied for third in the pole vault and finished in a four-way deadlock for second in the high jump.

Dick Durysa, Central's only finalist, tied with Bob Katz, of Mackenzie, in the 440-yard run. Merle Jones, of Northerns, won the high jump.

**30-YARD HIGH HURDLES**—Won by Skyles (NW), 4.2; (second) Smith (Co), 4.2; (third) Hahn (Co), 4.2; (fourth) Rice (Co), 4.2. Time—31.2. (The City League record).

**50-YARD HURDLES**—Won by Stewart (NW), 4.0; (second) Wiggins (Ham), 4.0; (third) Becher (NW), 4.0; (fourth) Beisler (NW), 4.0. Time—31.2.

**100-YARD HURDLES**—Won by Stewart (NW), 4.0; (second) Skyles (NW), 4.0; (third) Skyles (NW), 4.0; (fourth) Skyles (NW), 4.0. Time—31.2.

**MILE RUN**—Won by Ross Smith (Co), 4:30.6; (second) Hahn (Co), 4:31.0; (third) Hahn (Co), 4:31.0; (fourth) Hahn (Co), 4:31.0. Time—1:11.1.

**POLE VAULT**—Won by Reese (Co), 11 feet 8 inches; (second) Reese (Co), 11 feet 8 inches; (third) Reese (Co), 11 feet 8 inches; (fourth) Reese (Co), 11 feet 8 inches. Time—1:36.6.

**220-YARD DASH**—Won by Rogula (NW), 2:20.0; (second) Skyles (NW), 2:20.0; (third) Skyles (NW), 2:20.0; (fourth) Skyles (NW), 2:20.0. Time—1:36.6.

**440-YARD DASH**—Won by Katz (NW), 1:00.0; (second) Jones (NW), 1:00.0; (third) Jones (NW), 1:00.0; (fourth) Jones (NW), 1:00.0. Time—1:36.6.

**880-YARD RELAY**—Won by Becher (NW), Beisler (NW), Stewart (NW), Rogula (NW), 1:36.6; (second) Becher (NW), Beisler (NW), Stewart (NW), Rogula (NW), 1:36.6; (third) Becher (NW), Beisler (NW), Stewart (NW), Rogula (NW), 1:36.6; (fourth) Becher (NW), Beisler (NW), Stewart (NW), Rogula (NW), 1:36.6. Time—1:36.6.

### Bid Scored by Boudreau

#### Mexican Loop Offers Lou Job as Manager

CLEARWATER, Fla. — (AP)—Manager Lou Boudreau, of the Cleveland Indians, revealed that he had turned down an offer to be a player-manager in the Mexican League, but indicated that some of his men might make the jump.

Agrita from the Mexican League have been scouting the team and there were reports that as many as 12 players had been approached. An official spokesman for the club said that was an exaggeration, but made it plain that there had been some dickering for certain players.

The two considered most likely to go were Mickey Rocco and Blas Monaco, both substitute infielders. Monaco played in the Mexican League early in his career and is acquainted with the Pasquel brothers.

**ROCCO, THE TEAM'S** most intense holdout this spring, was absent from training camp, visiting relatives in Columbus, Ga. Boudreau has indicated that neither player figured vitally in his plans for this season.

Boudreau said that he received the offer last year, but paid no heed to it. He said that he had not been approached since then.

Pitcher Bob Feller, first of the Indians to be approached this season, said that he had heard nothing further from the Mexicans after he turned down a fabulous offer of \$300,000 for a three-year contract.

"I wouldn't consider an offer anyhow," he said.

### W&M Net Squad Routs Kalamazoo

WILLIAMSBURG, Va. — (AP)—A powerful William & Mary College tennis team decisively defeated Kalamazoo College's touring netmen, 8 to 1, here.

Art Leighton and Don Stankof, of Kalamazoo, won their doubles match, the losers' only point. Kalamazoo plays Virginia Saturday.

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