

Local Teams Get Second Places in Central Relays

Four Greater Muskegon High schools made favorable showings Saturday in the annual Central Michigan relays at Mt. Pleasant.

Local entries won four second places, a pair of thirds and tied for one other, and several fourth and fifth place positions.

For the most part, perennial powerhouse schools dominated the meeting. Flint Northern won Class A, edging second-place Saginaw Arthur Hill 82 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 61 $\frac{1}{2}$ points.

Ecorse captured the Class B title. Class C was won by Milan and Michigan School for the Deaf repeated as Class D winner.

The Muskegon Big Reds and the Heights Tigers each earned two second places.

Muskegon was runnerup in the two-mile relay and in the distance medley. Running in the two-mile events were Ed Hine, Al Bush, John Lundeen and Norman Hine, and in the distance, Charles Clanton, Bill Krueger, Bob Smith and Wayne Bathrick.

The Tigers were second in the middle distance relay and in the shot putt, Dan Felcoski flipping the iron ball 48 feet 4 inches. He tossed over 50 feet twice but disqualified. Winning heave was 49 feet 4 inches by a Flint Central putter. Distance runners were Norvill Becker, Russel Carlson, Bob Patterson and Al Holman.

Harold Dyer of North Muskegon tied for third place in the Class B pole vault with a leap of 10 feet 6 inches. The mark, six inches under the winner, established a new Norse school record, bettering the old one by three inches.

St. Mary's small contingent won third in one of the Class C medley relay heats and ranked seventh in time. Runers were Pat Kelly, Bob Harp, Jim Morse and Bill Gi-rocco.

There were disappointments for both the Big Reds and Tigers in individual events. Muskegon counted on Harold Scarff in the hurdles. He was running second when disqualified for stepping into another lane. At Evans, Heights ace dash man, did not qualify. Garland Hall won a heat in the high hurdles but was not included in advanced competition.

Russell Kelly of Muskegon won third in the shot put with a toss of 46 feet 2 inches, below his average effort. Jim Neal was jammed in an eight-way tie for fourth place in the high jump.

Muskegon placed fourth in the middle distance relay with runners Bob Tarleton, Bruce Bosma, Jim Morris and Gordon Bonifield. The Heights was fourth in the sprint medley, and fifth in the 440-yard relay and shuttle hurdle event.

North Muskegon's mile relay team of Bernard Hoxie, John Biddle, Jack Dewald and Carlos Garber won third place.