

Pontiac Unbeatable In State Track

PONTIAC, May 16 - (AP) - When Michigan high school trackmen gather at Ann Arbor Saturday for the annual state meet, Class A teams will be faced with a question they haven't been able to answer for more than two years.

Who can defeat Pontiac high school?

The powerful Chiefs are unbeaten in 21 meets since mid-1954. They are riding high on a fabulous streak which includes all the top meets in the state and one of the outstanding prep events in the country, the Mansfield, Ohio, Relays.

The most disturbing factor of all is that with each succeeding meet, Pontiac continues to add to its margin of victory. In the regionals at Ypsilanti last Saturday the Chiefs won in a breeze with a record-shattering total of 97½ points, including 12 firsts in the 15 events.

HAYES JONES BIG STAR

The siege gun of the Pontiac squad is a well-proportioned, 160-pound senior, Hayes Jones. He is averaging 16½ points per meet this year and Coach Wally Schlorerke calls him a "definite Olympic future prospect."

Already the possessor of the state high hurdles record of 14.5 set last year, Jones bettered it last week for the third time. He cleared the posts at 14.3—only three-tenths off the national high school mark of 14.

The Chiefs are powerful in every event except the pole vault—because two promising vaulters enlisted in the service just before the season began. Another strong point is the combination of 6-foot-4 Hudson Ray and 5-foot-8 Alex Barge in the high jump. The juniors were co-champs in the state meet last year with jumps of 6-3½. In the Mansfield Relays, Ray had a 6-4½ effort.



NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Milwaukee	11	5	.688	½
St. Louis	15	8	.652	—
Brooklyn	13	9	.591	1½
Cincinnati	13	10	.565	2
Pittsburgh	11	10	.524	3
New York	10	13	.435	5
Philadelphia	6	18	.268	8
Chicago	5	14	.263	8

Games behind figured from St. Louis, the won-lost leader.

Wednesday Schedule

St. Louis vs. Brooklyn at Jersey City.
Chicago at New York.
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh.

Milwaukee at Philadelphia (night).

Tuesday Results

Brooklyn 7, St. Louis 5.
New York 6, Chicago 4.

Philadelphia 3, Milwaukee 1.
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh, postponed, rain.

Thursday Schedule

Milwaukee at New York (night).
St. Louis at Philadelphia (night).

Chicago at Pittsburgh (night).
Only games scheduled.

LEAGUE LEADERS

Batting based on 50 at bats—Repulski, St. Louis, .452; Bailey, Cincinnati, .431.
Runs—Boyer, St. Louis, 21; Moon, St. Louis, 19.

Runs batted in—Boyer, St. Louis, 24; Jablonski, Cincinnati, 20.

Hits—Boyer, St. Louis, 37; Long, Pittsburgh, 35.

Doubles—Dark, New York, 9; Bell, Cincinnati, 8.

Triples—Bruton, Milwaukee, 6; seven players tied with 2.

Home runs—Post, Cincinnati, 9; Banks, Chicago, Thomas, Pittsburgh and Boyer, St. Louis, 8.

Stolen bases—Moon, St. Louis, 6; Mays, New York, 5.

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