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Northwestern Hits Bottom After 6 Track Titles in Row

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Jimmy Russell was a happy individual without a care or worry during the Metropolitan League West Side track trials at Redford yesterday. For the first time in years the Northwestern High coach was "sitting out" a meet.

"I know we won't win this one and I don't care who does," he said, grinning. "Some of the boys I had counted on have left school, others are ineligible and some are injured, which leaves me with almost nothing. That gives me a chance to watch a meet without having butterflies bounsing around my system. But I promise you we'll be back again."

OUT OF RUNNING

Russell didn't exaggerate his team's plight. Nine events were held and Northwestern, the sectional champion for six successive years, had only four qualifiers. Mackenzie led with 11, one more than Central and Redford, while Cody had nine. The finals will be run Friday, the field events starting at 2 p.m. and the races at 2:30.

The shot put and pole vault were completed. Cody picked up 10½ points as Jerry Lula placed first in the pole vault and Carl Genslak tied for second with Don Judd, of Redford. Jim Butz, of Cooley, put the shot 46 feet 8 inches.

Mackenzie scored 8 points, Redford 7½, Chadsey 7, Cooley 6, and Central 3.

EAST SIDE TOMORROW

Denby and Miller are the top contenders for the East Side team title on Denby's track at 2 p.m. tomorrow.

Each sectional meet qualifies six contestants for every event in the Metro semi-finals at Redford next Tuesday.

Finals:

SHOT PUT: 1. Jim Butz (Cool.); 2. Edsel Reid (Chad.); 3. Jack Chamberlain (Mack.); 4. Bill Snowden (Cent.); 5. Glen Cranston (Red.); 6. Tom Downham (Red.). 46 feet 8 inches.

POLE VAULT: 1. Jerry Lula (Cody); tie for 2. Don Judd (Red.) and Carl Genslak (Cody); tie for 4. Jim Oliphant (Mack.), Jim Wallace (Chad.), Bob Brownlee (Mack.). 10 feet 8 inches.

Qualifiers in other events:

120-YARD HIGH HURDLES: Leo Pelto (Cent.); Charles Hunter (Mack.); Gerald Krolikowski (Cody); Ralph Donaldson (S.W.); Bob Thomas (Cody); Tom Stoffel (Cool.). Best time by Donaldson :57.7.

MILE: Berry Tindle (Mack.); Jim Bolt (Red.); Andy Maurier (Cody); Bruce Bowers (Red.); Dick Walton (Mum.); Dick Wynn (Cool.); Norman Young (Cent.); Al Randall (N.W.); Bob Frey (Red.); Bob Brown (Mack.); Will Puska (Cool.); Bill Griffin (West.). Best time by Young 4:43.4.

100-YARD DASH: Bob Manning (West.); Jim Ruddy (Cody); Joe Frazier (N.W.); Bob Taylor (Chad.); Dave Shevitz (Mum.); Charles Hill (West.). Best time by Manning :10.1.

440-YARD RUN: Dave Lustig (Mum.); Bill Watson (Mack); Mike Armstrong (Red.); Hugh Grandfelt (Cody); Lionel Ashford (West.); Al Traylor (Cent.); Nell Minelli (Cool.). Best time by Lustig :51.7.

HALF MILE: Doug Carroll (Red.); George Martin (Mack.); Emmit Porter (Cent.); Bill Dougall (Red.); Warren Fussell (Cent.); Howie Perry (West.); Jim Wood (Mack.); George Rourke (Cody); John McKissick (Red.); Oliver Brown (Cent.); James Green (Mack.); Walker Curry (S.W.). Best time by Carroll 2:01.6.

220-YARD DASH: Manning (West.); Ruddy (Cody); Frazier (N.W.); Maurice Poole (N.W.); Austell Williams (Cent.); Jerry Ridley (Mum.). Best time by Manning :21.9.

120-YARD LOW HURDLES: Jim McCoy (West.); Leon Fields (Chad.); Aaron Davis (Cent.); Hunter (Mack.); Donaldson (S.W.); Pelto (Cent.). Best time by Hunter :13.8.

SHE BLEW WHISTLE — Mrs. Adele Erenberg didn't

The Umpire
By H.G. Salsinger

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until it reaches the surface again.

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The gerenuk is a distinctive type of gazelle, and is sometimes called the giraffe antelope on account of its long neck.

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The horns of the African rhino are not attached to its skull. They grow out of the skin and have a high commercial value among the Chinese, who use them for medicinal purposes.

Motion, Not Color

RED DOES NOT infuriate a bull any more than green, blue, brown, orange or plain white does. It is the movement that attracts his charge, for the bull, like nearly all other animals, is color blind.

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The African ostrich is the largest living bird on earth to-

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