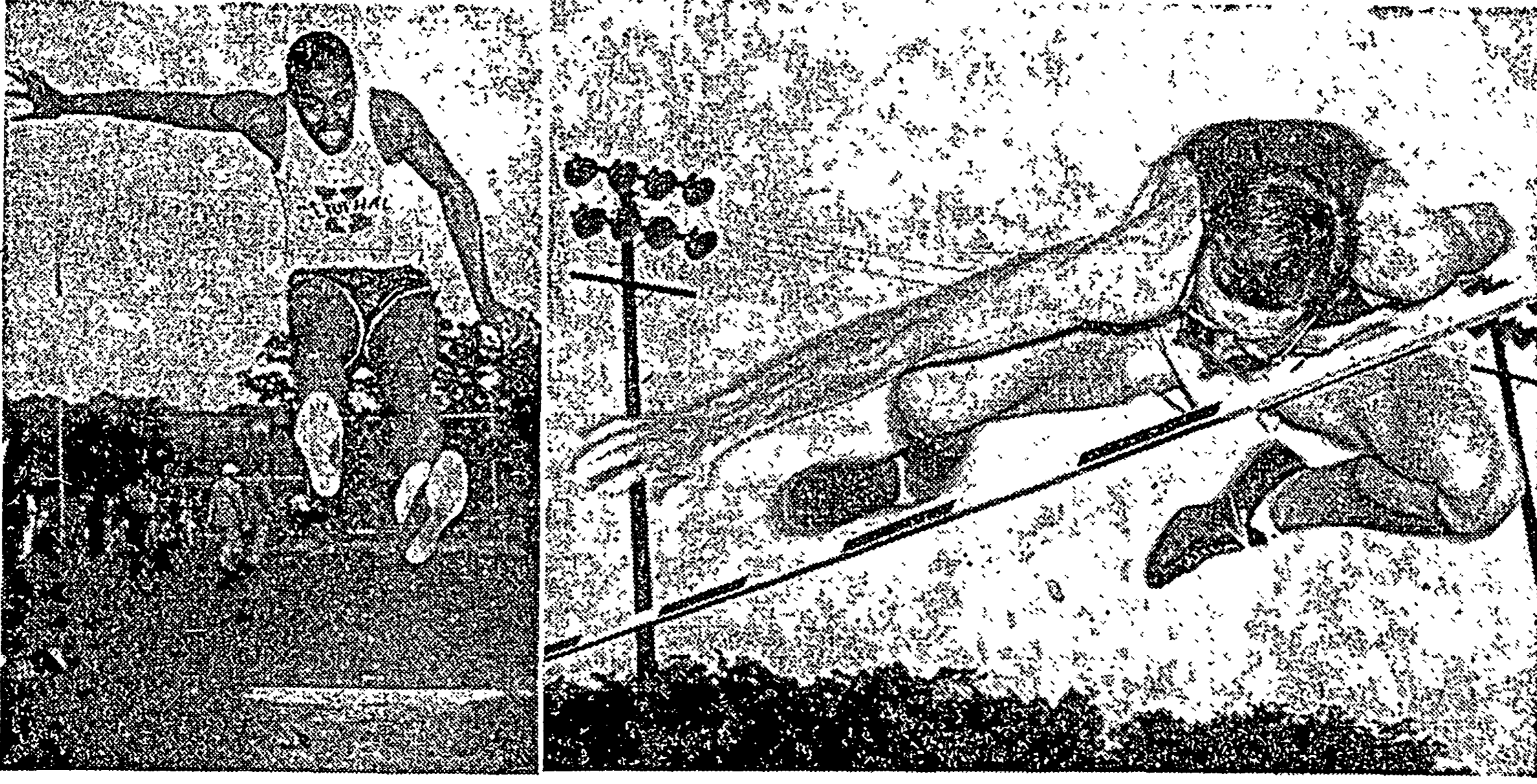


State Track Marks Bettered as 2,500 V

Joel Johnson, Central Relay Team Victors

Food City Shot Put Ace Does 54 Feet.

By JACK MOSS
Gazette Sports Writer
Michigan's top prep track and field stars took advantage of perfect weather Thursday evening to turn in a wealth of brilliant performances in the second annual JCC "Champion of Champions" meet before 2,500 fans at Angell Field.



JOEL JOHNSON, CENTRAL, (LEFT) AND JOE LOCEY, ST. AUGUSTINE, WINNERS IN BIG TRACK MEET HERE
Joel Does Brilliant 22 ft. 3/4 in Broad Jump; Joe Shares First in High Jump with Leap of Six Feet One Inch

Several state records were bettered and a host of track and individual school standards smashed by the more than 150 athletes from 57 Michigan high schools.

The Gazette trophy for the most outstanding individual performance of the meet went to Battle Creek's Bob Jones, who won the 100 yard dash in 10 seconds flat and the 220 in :22.1. He was the only double winner of the meet.

Hanks Wins in 500 Classic

(Continued from preceding page) Allentown, Pa., also crashed trying to miss Edmonds.

Herman also wrecked in last year's race. Jimmy Daywalt of Indianapolis hit the wall yesterday for the second straight year. Keller, who survived the wreck that killed Vukovich, also was unharmed yesterday when his car hit the wall on the southwest turn.

Rookie Don Edmunds of Anaheim, Calif., spun harmlessly into the infield.

Ruttman, who had been rated a good chance to win, was eliminated after 30 miles by a broken connecting rod.

Both of the supercharged Novis, which had been rated the fastest cars in the field until Hanks put on his show, were still running at the finish. Paul Russo, who crashed while leading last year's race, was an unofficial fourth but Tony Bettenhausen, Tinley Park, Ill., was somewhere below 12th place—as far as the unofficial standings went.

Unofficially behind winner Hanks and Rathmann and his 135.420 mile-an-hour performance were Jimmy Bryan, Phoenix, Ariz., 134.138; Russo, 133.819; Andy Linden, Indianapolis, 133.640 in the Kalamazoo McNamara Special; Johnny Boyd, Fresno, Calif., 841; Marshall Teague, Daytona Beach, Fla., 132.724; O'Connor, 132.841; Marshall Teague, Daytona Beach, Fla., 132.724; O'Connor, 132.275; Bob Veith, Oakland, Calif., 131.858, and Gene Hartley, Indianapolis, 131.339.

CROWD RECORD
3,259 Fans Pay to See Big Stock Car Race; Bell Wins

A record crowd of 3,259 paid admissions was on hand last night for the Memorial Day trophy races at Kalamazoo Motor Speedway out Ravine road. The big crowd saw a Kalamazooan, Gene Bell, win the 100-lap race and grab \$138 of the \$1,700 drivers' purse.

Bell, who holds the track one-lap record, came within one hundredth of a second of his own mark when he time trialed at 15:25 last night, leading a field of 38 cars.

In the feature event, Bell didn't get out in front until the 97th lap. Bob Reitz of Baroda set the pace for 12 laps, Dave Paul of Berrien Springs led for the next five, Wayne Harrington of Kalamazoo took over for four laps and then Reitz regained the lead again. The Baroda veteran hung to the lead until the 97th when Bell finally managed to slip inside and grab first place.

So Bell got top money and the winners' trophy. Reitz settled for \$119 second money. Bill Hobaugh of Kalamazoo was third. Harrington was in the race until the 36th lap when his car was involved in a crackup with one driven by Neil Penny, also of Kalamazoo.

The 100-lap feature event never stopped though there were several crackups and Jack Witt's car, from Otsego, caught fire on the 73rd lap.

All National Teams Split

(Continued from preceding page) then lost 2-1. Milwaukee were beaten 4-2 by Chicago, after defeating the Cubs 5-2. Philadelphia nipped New York 2-1 in 10, but the Giants won the second game 3-1.

Line scores:
AMERICAN LEAGUE
(First game):
Cleveland 000 016 000— 4 11 2
Chicago 024 001 02x— 6 9 0
Daley, Phil (2); Tomank (8) and Naragon; Nixon (5); Donovan and Batey. L.—Daley.

(2nd game):
Cleveland 000 016 000— 1 3 2
Chicago 100 000 00x— 2 5 0
Garcia, Marleski (7) and Hegans; Pierce and Lollar. L.—Garcia.

(First game):
New York 000 000 100— 1 6 3
Washington 002 021 00x— 5 7 0
Cicotte, Terry (6); Byrne (7) and Bertr: Pascual, Evely (6) and Berberet. W.—Pascual. L.—Cicotte. Home run—Washington, Lemon.

(Second game):
New York 003 120 000— 9 9 0
Washington 000 000 000— 0 5 4
Shantz and Howard; Abernathy, Flyde (2); Hernandez (4) and Fitzgerald. L.—Abernathy. Home run—New York, Carey.

(10 Innings, first game):
Baltimore 200 300 001— 6 14 0
Boston 000 131 001— 7 12 0
Ceccarrelli, Brown (5), Zuverink (6) and Triandos; Stone, Porterfield (5) and Daley. L.—Porterfield. L.—Zuverink. Home runs — Baltimore, Kell. Boston—Jensen.

(Second game):
Baltimore 010 103 101— 5 12 0
Boston 020 138 04x— 16 16 0
Fornlees, Wight (6), Houtteman (6) and Triandos; Ginsberg (7); Syster and White. L.—Porterfield. L.—Nuxhall. Home run—Cincinnati, Klaus. Home run—Boston, Klaus. Home run—Piersall.

Johnson and Hinnant Meet In TV Fight

NEW YORK, May 31 (AP)—Harold Johnson, an experienced boxer on a comeback, and Clarence Hinnant, a young slugger on the way up, meet tonight in a heavyweight bout at St. Nicholas Arena.

The 10-round match, part of the usual Friday night radio-TV (NBC) series will start at 9 p.m. (EST). Because Billy Graham's revival is filling Madison Square Garden, it was arranged to stage this show at St. Nick's. Special permission from the New York State Athletic Commission and Teddy Brenner, promoter of the Monday night fights, was given the International Boxing Club for the switch.

Northwestern Captain Big 10 Batting Champ

CHICAGO, May 31 (AP)—Ed Broeker, captain of Northwestern University's Big Ten champion baseball team, is the conference batting champion with a .440 percentage in seven games, statistics showed today.

Broeker, who alternated between the outfield and shortstop, led Michigan's Ken Tippery by 11 points.

Michigan won team batting honors with an average of .280, followed by Northwestern with .264. Tippery's 18 hits went for 33 bases including five homers.

Tigers Take Double Bill

(Continued from preceding page) second homer with a single to left.

He went to third on Maxwell's single to right and scored when Power, subbing for the injured Harry Simpson, threw wildly to third base.

The Tigers open a four-game series in Chicago tonight, with righthander Frank Lary (2-6) opposing either Bob Keegan or Jim Wilson.

Line scores:
1st game 10 innings:
Kansas City 010 120 001— 0 5 13
Detroit 100 020 002— 1 6 12
Morgan, McDermott (5); Burnett (9) and Smith; Maas, Gromek (9); Sleator (10) and House. Winner—Sleator. Loser—Burnette. Home run—Kansas City, Zernial, McDermott; Detroit, Kuenn, Sleator.

Second game:
Kansas City 000 000 002— 2 8 3
Detroit 009 001 02x— 3 8 9
Portocarrero, Truitt (8) and Thompson; Foystack and Wilson. Loser—Portocarrero. Home runs—Detroit, Bolling 2.

Big Turnouts for Holiday Golf Meets at Local Links

Kalamazoo golfers turned out in record numbers for Memorial Day golf tournaments at Milham Park. Kalamazoo Country Club, Elks Country Club and Gull Lake Country Club.

Heaviest place was at Milham Park's municipal layout, where a record greens fee total of \$333, mostly in nine-hole fees, was collected by pro Bob Millar. Millar said there were 24 players on the course when he opened shop at 6 a.m.

Best score at Milham Thursday was an even par 71 by Joe Van Ness, while Dick Hanna posted a 72.

Kalamazoo Country Club held a morning flag tournament and afternoon mixed two-ball foursome.

Bert Cooper, two inches from the 19th cup, Baird McLain and Brooks Godfrey were top three in Class A in the flag tournament, while Fred Nelson and John Bond were one-two in Class B and Maurice Gerhard first in Class C. Cooper fired a 75, McLain a 77 for individual scoring honors.

In the afternoon Bert Cooper and Mrs. Baird McLain fired a 68 net to win in Class A by a stroke over Don Seelye and Mrs. Mike Lindstrom. Bill Kirkpatrick and Mrs. L. O. Zick had low putt total, 29.

L. D. Nicolson and Mrs. Bud Newland won Class B with 71 new, while L. O. Zick and Mrs. Don Seelye and Bud Newland and Mrs. Herb Johnston had 73 each. Paul Rickman and Mrs. Austin Doyle had 31 putts for honors in Class B.

Jim Wood and Mrs. Fred Nelson had a 31 net for nine-hole honors, while Harold Sharpsteen

and Mrs. Fred Stanley won runner-up laurels with 32. Don Oberter Dana and Mrs. Leroy O. Toole had 16 putts.

Long drives on 18 for men were by Norm Carver in Class A, L. O. Zick in Class B and Austin Doyle in Class C, while Bert Cooper in Class A, Chad Wiggin in Class B and Henry Ujohin in Class C were closest to the pin on No. 2.

Mrs. L. D. Nicolson, Mrs. Bert Blow and Mrs. Wade Allen won women's driving honors, while Mrs. Zick, Mrs. McLain and Mrs. Seelye were closest to the pin on No. 2.

Bill Johnson, 195 yards down the 20th hole, won flag tournament honors at Elks, followed by Walt Stanton, Stan Besbris, Dick Shafer and Red Boyd. Shafer's 73 was the best round of the day at Elks.

Winners in the afternoon mixed two-ball event at Elks were Mr. and Mrs. Don VanDeMark, Mr. and Mrs. Al Rankin and Mr. and Mrs. Ford Trudgeon.

Don Pikaart's three-under-par 69 helped him win the Gull Lake flag tournament. He finished on the 21st hole. Second was Wallace Kent, while Russ Kneen was third and Carl Rydell and Chuck Knappen Jr. tied for fourth.

Steve Nagy Leaves Detroit Pfeiffers

DETROIT, May 31 (AP)—Steve Nagy of the Pfeiffer bowling team has joined Buzz Fazio of Stroh's on the new Falstaff team being formed in St. Louis.

Nagy, former national singles champion, is the third top flight star to leave Pfeiffer within the past four years. Fazio recently resigned as captain of Stroh's to organize the Falstaff team.

Parchment's Little League

Parchment will inaugurate its second season of Little League baseball Saturday with a double header starting at 1:30 at the site of the former softball diamonds at Kindleberger Park.

Plate-Craft will meet Parchment Department Store in the first game and Harding's Market will face Bellisle's Drugs in the second.

Robert Aldrich, Parchment's vice mayor, will throw in the first ball and Little League president Fred Black will introduce the members of each team and their managers.

Pre-game ceremonies at 1 p.m. have been arranged by the Parchment Little League "Boosters" and will include the Naval Reserve color guard and drill team.

Teams and their managers are Plate-Craft, Stan Rolfe; Parchment Department Store, Harry Watson; Harding's Market, Ed Lewis; and Bellisle's, Bernie Minckler.

Find Race Winner Doped

DETROIT, May 31 (AP)— State racing commissioner James H. Inglis said a chemical analysis indicated procaine had been used on Cracker Barrel, an Ohio-owned horse which won the sixth race at Northville Downs May 28.

He said the report from the state department of agriculture laboratories at Lansing is being investigated by the commission.

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Babe Ruth League to Drill at Ver Sluis

There will be an organization meeting of the Kalamazoo Babe Ruth League at 1 p.m. tomorrow at Ver Sluis Park.

The league is open to boys who were 13, 14 or 15 years of age after Sept. 1, 1956, and will be the only one to represent Kalamazoo in the state tournament this season.

Harold McKee, who heads the Babe Ruth coaching staff, urges all boys to bring their gloves to

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