

Pershing Takes Cass For Ride

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Pershing's track squad, displaying the power, balance and depth that make it the favorite for the City League title, crushed Cass Tech, 91½ to 17½, in a dual meet Thursday.

The Doughboys won the half-mile, broad jump, high hurdles, mile and both relays while Cass could manage only one first place.

Don Hale's second leap of 21 feet, 1-¾ inches was the first of three events that he led. The Pershing senior edged his brother Ronnie in the 220-yard run and won the 100-yard dash in 10.3 plus running a leg on the 880 relay.

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THE DOUGHBOYS made a day crew of Mel Benson, Theotis Lee, Darwin Wasson and Ed Humphrey stepped around Cass Tech's 220-yard track in 2:43.1. Their best time, turned in indoors, is 2:34.8.

Benson led an 880 relay quartet of Bob Bass and the two Hales to victory in 1:38.4. Their best time this year is 1:33.8, also indoors.

In other East Side meets Miller, with Cecil Thomas leading the way with 13 points, defeated Denby, 57 to 52. Thomas took honors in the high and low hurdles and tied for first in the high jump.

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NORTHERN downed Eastern, 61 to 48, taking eight of the 13 events. Larry Dear collected victories in the 100 and 220-yard dashes and a relay leg to earn 11½ points for the Eskimos.

Mike Dinkins, with 19 points on victories in both hurdles, the broad jump and a tie in the pole vault, led Northwestern to a 58-51 triumph over South-eastern.

On the West Side Cody edged Redford, 58½ to 50½, with Jim Ruddy, Carl Gensiak and Chuck Novotny accounting for seven of the Comets' nine first places.

City dash champion Bob Manning whipped through the 100 and 220-yard dashes with little trouble in Western's 64½-44½ victory over Mumford.

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