



WINNING THE BIG ONE—Lonnie Saunders gave Pershing High its most important first place when he took the half mile run in the Metropolitan League track meet yesterday. The victory plus a fourth and a sixth by teammates, assured Pershing of the championship.—News Photo.

Pershing Beats Cody in Track

By HARVEY BARCUS

Just before the start of the half-mile run in the Metropolitan League track meet at Denby High yesterday, the voice of announcer Paul Bernd crackled over the loud speaker.

"With two events to go," he said, "Cody is leading with 43 5-6 points and Pershing has 39."

Title Bout Promised for Lane

GRAND RAPIDS, June 7.—(AP)—Kenny Lane, the top-ranking lightweight contender from Muskegon, was promised an early title bout today by National Boxing Association President Floyd Stevens.

The NBA president said the winner of the June 19 title bout at Denver between champion Joe Brown and challenger Orlando Zulueta will be ordered to defend the crown against Lane "within 90 days."

MANNHEIM, Germany, June 7.—(AP)—Archie Moore, world light-heavyweight champion, said today he was waiting for his manager to "forward the papers here" after declaring that he probably would accept an offer of \$100,000 to meet Tony Anthony for the title.

Ernie Braca, Anthony's manager, made the \$100,000 offer to Moore yesterday in New York.

Moore, who is on an exhibition tour of Europe, was to be suspended today by the National Boxing Association for failing to sign for a title bout.

Cody fans cheered and applauded but Coach George Young was silent. He knew the meet was lost. His team hadn't built up a sufficient lead to stand up under Pershing's overpowering strength in the middle distance race.

"The half-mile will kill us," he said.

And that is what happened. Pershing scored 15 points on first, fourth and sixth place to go ahead 54 to 43 5-6 as Cody hadn't qualified for the race. That was enough to win the meet regardless of what happened in the half-mile relay.

With the championship clinched the Pershing sprinters entered the relay without a worry and ran relaxed. They beat Cody in 1:30.1 for a new record. The previous mark of 1:30.3 was set by Cody in the West Side trials last week.

Pershing finished with 64 points to Cody's 51 5-6. Redford nudged Mackenzie out of third place, scoring 40 points to 39 5-6.

Others in the point column: Western 32; Mumford 28; Northern 25; Denby (1956 champion) 25; Central 22½; Miller 20; Chadsey 17; Eastern 9; Northeastern 8; Northwestern 6; Southwestern 6; Cass 5; and Cooley 2.

The meet produced only one double winner, Bob Manning, of Western, retaining his titles in the 100 and 220-yard dashes.

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OFF BY HIMSELF—Tom Bleakley, of Denby High, was an easy winner in the mile when Al Randall, of Northwestern, fell after leading to within less than 20 yards of the finish.—

Wiffi Sets Record in Ladies' PGA

PITTSBURGH, June 7.—(AP)—Wiffi Smith, who shattered men's par to set a course record, took a one-stroke lead today into the second round of the Ladies' PGA championship.

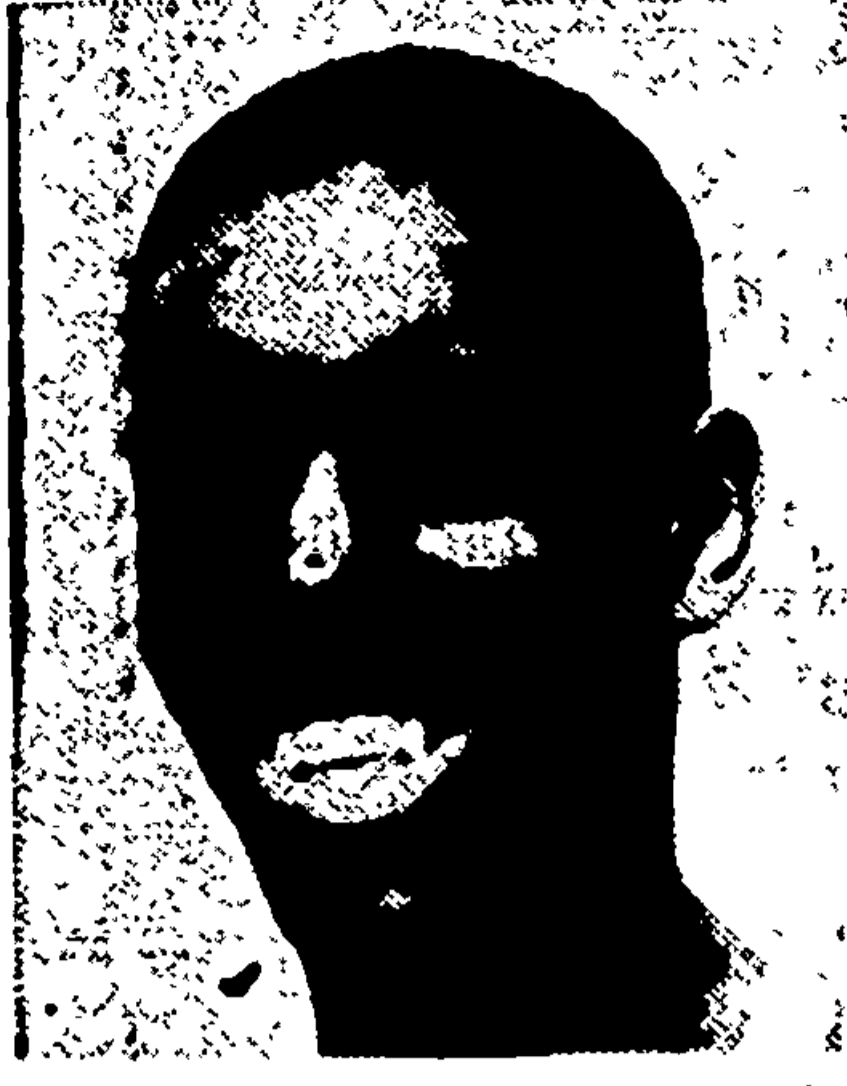
The 1956 British and French Amateur titlist, formerly of St. Clair, Mich., blasted a two-under-par 68 over the creeks and woodlands of Churchill Valley Country Club. She fired a four-under-par 32 on the front nine and shrugged off a pair of bogeys after making the turn to lead defending champion Marlene Bauer Hagge, Ruth Jessen and Louise Suggs by one stroke.

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Spieser and Anthony had



ANOTHER DOUBLE—Bob Manning, of Western, took the 100 and 220 - yard dashes, repeating the victories he scored last year.

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The mile had an unusual finish. Al Randall, of Northwestern, took the lead from Tom Bleakley, of Denby, on the third lap and was 10 yards in front with the finish line less than 20 yards away. Al didn't win, however. His left foot struck the curbing of the track and he sprawled to the ground. The field had passed him by the time he was able to arise, Bleakley winning.

"I was too tired to get up," the dejected Northwestern runner said when Bleakley told him "I didn't deserve to win."

120-YARD HIGH HURDLES: 1. Charles Hunter (Mack); 2. Cecil Thomas (Mill); 3. Ralph Donaldson (SW); 4. Mike Dinkins (NE); 6. Chester Scott (Cass). Time :15.0.

MEDLEY RELAY: 1. Pershing (Ed Humphrey, Ron Bass, Ron Hale, Mel Benson); 2. Cody; 3. Mumford; 4. Northwestern; 5. Cooley. Eastern disqualified. Time 2:31.8.

100-YARD DASH: 1. Bob Manning (West); 2. Jim Ruddy (Cody); 3. Larry Dear (North); 4. Charles Novotny (Cody); 5. Dave Shevitz (Mum); 6. Don Hale (Persh). Time: 10.2.

MILE RUN: 1. Tom Bleakley (Den); 2. Louis Molnar (Red); Elihu Bey (North); 4. Norm Young (Cent); 5. Bob Frey (Red); 6. Fred Broach (Chad). Time 4:42.2.

440-YARD DASH: 1. Ron Benson (Persh); 2. Dan Watkins (Cent); 3. Dick Jaros (Red); 4. Lionel Ashford (West); 5. Bill Watson (Mack); 6. Hugh Granfeldt (Cody). Time :51.1.

120-YARD LOW HURDLES: 1. Ruddy (Cody); 2. Hunter (Mack); 3. Thomas (Mill); 4. Scott (Cass); 5. Rudy Nurmi (Den); Dan Sowell, Northern, fell and didn't finish. Time :13.2.

220-YARD DASH: 1. Manning (West); 2. Novotny (Cody); 3. Don Hale (Persh); 4. Ron Hale (Persh); 5. Shevitz (Mum); 6. Larry Hudas (Den.) Time :22.7.

HALF MILE RUN: 1. Lonnie Saunders (Persh); 2. Jim Green (Mack); 3. Chuck McCarthy (Red); 4. Joe Forrest (Persh); 5. Bill Dougall (Red); 6. Ed Topps (Persh). Time 2:07.5.

HALF MILE RELAY: 1. Pershing (Ron Benson, Bass, Ron Hale, Don Hale); 2. Cody; 3. Mumford; 4. Mackenzie; 5. Western; 6. Northern. Time 1:30.1. (New league record. Old record 1:30.3, by Cody, in West Side meet).

POLE VAULT: Three-way tie for first between Jerry DeHenau (Den); Don Judd (Red); and Don Gilliam (East); 4. Steve Force (Den); Carl Genslak (Cody) and Ron Jenkins (Mack) tied for fifth. Height 11 ft. 4.

SHOT PUT: Edsel Reid (Chad); 2. Marc Silber (Mum); 3. Tom Downham (Red); 4. Bruce Netzer (Mum); 5. Len Cranston (Red); 6. Clyde Summer (East). Distance 50 ft. 8.

HIGH JUMP: Five-way tie for first between Don Byard (Mack); Sowell (North); Karl Jackson (Chad); Ed Stewart (Mill); and Ashford (West); three-way tie for sixth between Emmet Porter (Cent); Genslak (Cody); and Jim Oliphant (Mack). Height 5 ft. 8.

BROAD JUMP: 1. Watkins (Cent); 2. Don Hale (Persh); 3. Terry Burrell (North); 4. Dinkins (NE); 5. Tom Patrick (NW); 6. Genslak (Cody). Distance 21 ft. 11 1/2.

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