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Purdy Bashaw Cawley Alcorn Wright Friedrichsen

Records, Watch Out for Preps!

BY HAL SCHRAM

The weatherman, an uno-operative and to date, holds the key to Saturday's state high school track and field championships at Michigan State's Ralph Young field. This could be the greatest show of them all, both from a team and individual standpoint. If the sun is bright, the day is warm and the track is fast. There isn't a better "racing strip" in the state than the MSU course where conditions are right.

Warren (Rex) Cawley, Bill Alcorn, Ron Purdy, Jerry

Bashaw, Dennis Wright and George Friedrichsen are listed among the top individual favorites.

Cawley, the sensational Farmington hurdler, is possibly the finest individual to hit the Michigan scene since Hayes Jones.

Cawley will go after national schoolboy records in both the high and low hurdles. He set the national high hurdles mark at 1:35 last Saturday. He also must be accorded an outside chance of winning the broad jump.

Jones was the last Class A performer to turn in a triple victory in the State championships, winning these same three events in 1948.

ALCORN HOPES to better his state pole vault record of 12'1 1/2 and a year ago. The Farmington wildcat has surpassed the 15-foot barrier the last two weekends.

PURDY, defending state mile champion and record-holder, will have to battle in a second straight title. Bashaw, coming to Farmington last May, Bob Hill of Saginaw Arthur Hill and Bill Minam of West Central are among the contenders ready to challenge Purdy.

Friedrichsen, winner of the straight Class A title, is no shoo-in. Tim Norman, one relay power and Dennis Wright in the 400, Peter Crotal, Farmington, Gross Pointe, Monroe, Ann Arbor and Saginaw Arthur Hill all feel they have a chance for team honors if the points split up the right way.

Who Needs An Umpire, Eh, Titans?

TOLEDO—With the opening baseball season at the state capital, the University of Toledo routed Toledo Monday, 7-0, to set a school victory record.

Traverse coach Charles Halpin called the balls and strikes and assistant coach Pat Cavanaugh officiated on the bases when the game's top nine failed to appear.

RE THE TITANS left little doubt about their superiority over Toledo's Green Road. The Yellow Jackets broke Toledo's record for 14 hits, including doubles by Tom Kramer and Art Szapostnik and a triple by Ronny Kinnison.

OL St. Mary Wins Share Of Title, 9-4

Orchard Lake St. Mary clinched at least one share of the title in the Catholic League's 10th annual Monday night tournament. St. Mary, St. Ignace and St. Michael's St. Ignace won their share of the title in the 10th night game as he fanned 13.

St. Philip jumped to a 3-0

ONE WEEKEND TO GO
500 Not Even Half Filled Yet

BY BOB LATSHAW

More than half of the field of 35 starters in the Memorial Day 500-mile race remains to be filled with exactly half of the qualification time gone.

Only last Saturday and Sunday remain for the balance of the original entries to make the classic field. The toll so far has been high.

One of the original entries, Jerry Usher, is out. Johnny Parsons, a veteran of 19 years, called in quite Sunday. Two of the cars have been wrecked, one of two Federal Engineering Speediks was one of them.

Jimmy Daywalt, a Speedway veteran, turned in the three fastest time of the 14 cars already qualified when he averaged 145.51 m.p.h. on the Indianapolis loop.

The time fastest for the day, earned the car \$1,000 in extra prize money.

Jack Turner was the other qualifier in the Travlers Special, hitting 145.475.

THE TENTATIVE field led by Johnny Thomson, who won the pole Saturday with an average speed of 145.568 m.p.h. He and Eddie Sachs, in a new Edmund Speedik, were the last drivers to hit 145 m.p.h. Sunday.

Seven of the 14 who qualified over the weekend hit 144 m.p.h. or better. Three drivers are in at 142-plus and two, Johnny Wood and Emmer

U.S. State, Regional Track Marks

100-YARD DASH
National record—11.2, Fred W. Lyles, Jacksonville, Fla., 1936.
State record—11.4, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
U.S. record—11.6, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
Michigan record—11.8, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.

200-YARD DASH
National record—23.1, Fred W. Lyles, Jacksonville, Fla., 1936.
State record—23.4, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
U.S. record—23.6, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
Michigan record—24.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.

400-YARD DASH
National record—53.8, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
State record—54.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
U.S. record—54.2, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
Michigan record—54.5, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.

800-YARD DASH
National record—1:50.2, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
State record—1:51.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
U.S. record—1:51.2, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
Michigan record—1:52.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.

1,600-YARD DASH
National record—3:58.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
State record—3:59.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
U.S. record—3:59.2, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
Michigan record—4:00.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.

3,200-YARD DASH
National record—7:50.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
State record—7:51.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
U.S. record—7:51.2, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
Michigan record—7:52.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.

6,400-YARD DASH
National record—15:50.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
State record—15:51.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
U.S. record—15:51.2, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
Michigan record—15:52.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.

12,800-YARD DASH
National record—31:50.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
State record—31:51.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
U.S. record—31:51.2, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
Michigan record—31:52.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.

25,600-YARD DASH
National record—63:50.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
State record—63:51.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
U.S. record—63:51.2, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
Michigan record—63:52.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.

51,200-YARD DASH
National record—127:50.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
State record—127:51.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
U.S. record—127:51.2, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
Michigan record—127:52.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.

102,400-YARD DASH
National record—255:50.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
State record—255:51.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
U.S. record—255:51.2, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.
Michigan record—255:52.0, Tommie Smith, Detroit, 1954.

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with Tony Lee and Royal Orbit trailing him across the line in that order.

That "The Brain" came close, inasmuch as two of its three choices were in the money, obviously meant nothing. It didn't pick the winner. With a sigh, all bettors turned their backs on Unraced and reached for their own "infalible" systems.

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