

Prep Excels Own Record in Pole Vault

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MONROE, Mich., May 11.—

Bill Alcorn, of Birmingham, soared higher than any other Michigan high school athlete has ever done when he pole vaulted 13 feet, 2 inches in the third annual Dick Waters Relays here Saturday night. Alcorn is the state record holder with a 12 feet, 11 $\frac{3}{4}$ inch vault in last year's Class A championships at Ann Arbor. Jim Brewer, of North Phoenix (Ariz.) High, holds the national record of slightly higher than 15 feet.

Grosse Pointe won the meet with 40 $\frac{1}{2}$ points and Ann Arbor was second with 28 $\frac{1}{2}$. Willie Haywood paced Ann Arbor by taking the 100 and set a record of 52 feet, 8 inches in the shot-put to become the meet's only double winner. Host Monroe was third with 20 $\frac{1}{4}$ points.

Five meet records were bettered. Grosse Pointe's Rem Purdy, although not pushed, won the mile in 4:30.4. Lincoln Park's Jerry Bashaw anchored the school's distance medley team to a meet record of 11:06.2. Douglas Shailor, of Livonia Bentley, won the high hurdles in 14.5 seconds with a favoring wind. Rex Cawley, who competed in the Albion Relays in the afternoon in his favorite hurdle events, won the broad jump at 21 feet, 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches, tied for third in the high jump and anchored the mile relay team to a fifth place.

Other team standings were Edsel Ford 18 $\frac{3}{4}$, Birmingham 16, Lincoln Park and Dearborn 10, Redford Union and Farmington 7 $\frac{1}{2}$, Bentley 5 $\frac{1}{4}$, Muskegon Heights 4, Ypsilanti Central 3, R.O. Dondero 2 $\frac{1}{2}$, Waterford, Inkster Roosevelt and Taylor Center 2, Pontiac Northern $\frac{1}{4}$.

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