

# It's a Big Surprise In Relays

## Birmingham Wins A Title

By Hal Schram

YPSILANTI — K e r m i l Anderson's coach track team at Birmingham High could be the best.

The Magies only came up with one victory Saturday High but showed in eight of the 11 events to become the surprise winner in the Class A section of the fifth annual House Relays.

Birmingham won with 46 points to win the bid to host the meet in 1961. Birmingham was an unofficial team winner last year, but there was no trophy and no recognition.

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**THIS WAS** a fine start for the Magies, who finished fourth in the state finals a year ago and placed among the top six in all the big relay events but were shut out in the 400-yard relay.

Anderson, team coach, developed coaching two years ago and the only winning effort came in the 400-yard relay. Anderson, coach of Birmingham and Paul Ritzmann, who won the three-quarter-mile race in 1957.

Paul Ritzmann, who finished second in the 400-yard relay, was the only individual effort from Birmingham, and only the 400-yard relay.

Birmingham's win was the only one to win his specialty in the meet, but he was the only individual record broken during the event.

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**ALTHOUGH** he didn't get in the record book the high jump performance of Paul Ritzmann, who finished second in the 400-yard relay, was the only individual record broken during the event.

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