

HENRY CARR

Flooded With Offers

SPORTS PROFILE: Prep Star Henry Carr

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God's gift more than anything else," he explained. "It has to be because without much coaching I ran the 100 in 10.2 and the 220 in 22.5 in my freshman year. I had to have help to do that, didn't I?"

CITES BAD KNEE

There have been occasions when Henry didn't seem to exert himself, but Carr has an explanation.

"Sometimes my knee bothers me and I don't run fast," he said "I don't know what it is but it bothers me. I don't care if I get beat as long as it's by my teammates but I try my best every time out."

The obstreperous knee is attributed to one of the few injuries Carr suffered in foot-

Sam Bishop has another explanation for Carr's occasional losses to teammates.

"Henry is a real gentleman, and I think he lets some of the boys beat him so they can win letters," the Northwestern athletic director pointed out "I agree with

high jump Ralph Wilson paced

and Louis Williams broad

Bruce Alexander (tied in the

Mumford, Eastern Set Pace in Track

By KEN WILLIAMS

A year ago Northwestern won high hurdles and tied for first the Public School League track with two rivals at 6 feet in the title by a seven-point margin the 180-yard low hurdles in 198 over Mumford, 94-87.

Yesterday as Mumford was in Jumped 21 feet 13/4 inches. the process of dominating the Eastern's top qualifiers were East Side preliminaries with 23 Louis Scott (4.38.9 mile), Percy qualifiers to Eastern's 17, Coach Mun (53-101/2 in the shotput) and Stan Mullin predicted.

"I'm sure that Northwestern high jump).

track athlete Detroit has f

OLYMPICS HIS GOAL

Carr wants to run in the Olympic Games, "That's my first goal in sports," he said. "but I'd like very much to graduate from college. "I can't eat those gold medals when

The Northwestern star discusses his future with surprising frankness, "I'd like to major in sociology because I think I can do something to help people," he declared."I like to work with kids, but wouldn't want to go South now -not until conditions change. I'd rather help people than harm them "

Henry admits being a little lazy, but hasn't missed a workout. "Practice makes perfect I'm told and I shouldn't have any special privileges because I can run faster than the others," he said seriously.

COACH KNOWS BEST

"I do everything Coach Hendricks tells me. We all work together and if he finds anything wrong he helps us. He improved my start by showing me I have a tendency to rise too early and break my stride. That slows my pace.

"A good start is like teamwork with everything going off well. When you leave the starting blocks your lead leg \$500 and a trophy and arm should be in one motion-they should work to-[clocked in 15.3 in the 120-yard]

Carr's favorite distance at present is the 220, although eventually he believes the 440 will be the race in which he'll make his best times

YOUNG SURPRISE

"You have to have speed and long legs and be well co-ordinated to run the quarter-mile," he explained "A | E. OF TELEGRAPH

those who say he's the best good start helps but you don't need it like the 100 and 220 "

> As a 10th grader in 1959 young Carr surprised everyone by winning the PSL 100yard dash in the record time of 9.7 seconds, then astonished the spectators by running off with the 220 in 21 seconds for another recordbreaking performance.

> In addition, Henry also tied for fourth in the broad jump in which Jerry Burrell, of Northern, leaped 23 feet, 34 inches, another record

CALL HIM 'GHOST

But if the tall, soft-spoken teenager was exciting in 1959 he was sensational last year In rapid succession he lowered the 100-yard mark further to | star's 9 6 seconds; the 220 to 20.6; hiked the broad jump to 23 feet, 4 inches, then climaxed his great day by anchoring Northwestern's half-mile relay to 1.28.2, still another PSL record

The 6-foot 3, 185-pound sen

Brothers' Titlists

Andrew and Julius Jablonski have been crowned champions of the 22nd annual Brothers: Doubles bowling tournament at West Chicago Recreation, They totaled 1782, with handicap, for four games. They will receive

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for has been better than ever this spring. He opened the season with a 51 6-second effort for a league 440-yard record in his first indoor meet and a week later clipped a tenth of a second off his quarter-

mile time

For the remainder of the season it has been a record a week for the Ghost, the nickname by which he 's known to his teammates

In successive weeks he ran the 100 m 95 seconds and the 440 in 478 seconds, a full 10 seconds under the mark Cliff Hatcher, of Central, established in 1951

does Hendricks, the man who has coached Carr for two years, think of his

"What's there to say?" he asked "The records speak for themselves Carr is the finest all-around athlete Detroit has had and I predict he'll be

LIKES OTHER SPORTS

"The Ghost is away ahead of the schedule we set for him at the start of the season, he's ahead of what he did in the championships last year and will break both records He's the greatest "

Does Carr agree? Henry's answer is typical. "I can't let Coach down, he

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knows more about track than Besides, he's done a lot for me

Hendricks has said repeatedly that Carr would be the and I hope I disappoint no supreme as a sprinter if he one" concentrated on sprinting to the exclusion of everything

His star disagrees mildly with Hendricks in this respect

"Coach says I would improve my running if I give up up football and basketball," Henry declared "I don't know about that but am thinking scriously of giving them up, although football is where can make some money "

Carr feels kindly toward the Northwestern faculty, insisting he'll never forget their efforts in his behalf

TEACHERS HELP

"The teachers have given me a lot of personal attenThursday, June 1, 261—THE DE

and learn more," he declared "They give me books to read

Boys from other schools often question the Northwestern athlete how he practices and ask him for advice.

"I tell them to listen to their coaches and work hard," he said "They have to work hard if they're going to get ahead in this sport

How do his teammates feel toward Northwestern's star?

Lenoir Jackson, a member of the half-mile and mile relays, expressed it best "Henry is a wonderful fellow and we admire him for his greatness All he has done hasn't changed him "

It's unlikely that anything he does in future will change



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