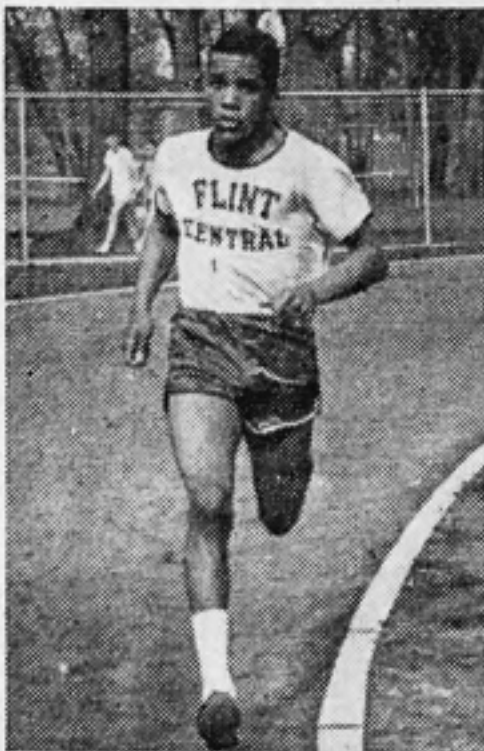


## Ann Arbor To Host State Meet

# Six Thinclads State Bound

State Champion: This is the goal of Central's six man contingent as they prepare for tomorrow's journey to Ann Arbor.

Each man must exert a big effort if the state championship is to come to Central. Returning state champion broad-jumper Bob Barnett leads the Indians' forces. He



Connie Conner . . . 2:00.5

will also run on the mile relay team with Connie Connor, Marion Hoey, and Jim Toles.

Marv Mabry in the 180 highs and Ernie Long in the highs and in the 120 lows qualified for the hurdles by way of the May 19 regional in which Central took fifth place.

On his team's prospects, Coach Krieger commented, "In the state meet it is quality, not quantity, which counts. Last year Northern took only seven men and won the state championship with a score of 32 points. With a top performance from each we could score 35 points."

The fifth place in the regionals was somewhat of a deflation for the Tribe runners after a first in the Saginaw Valley Relays of May 5 and a second in the May 11 Valley championships.

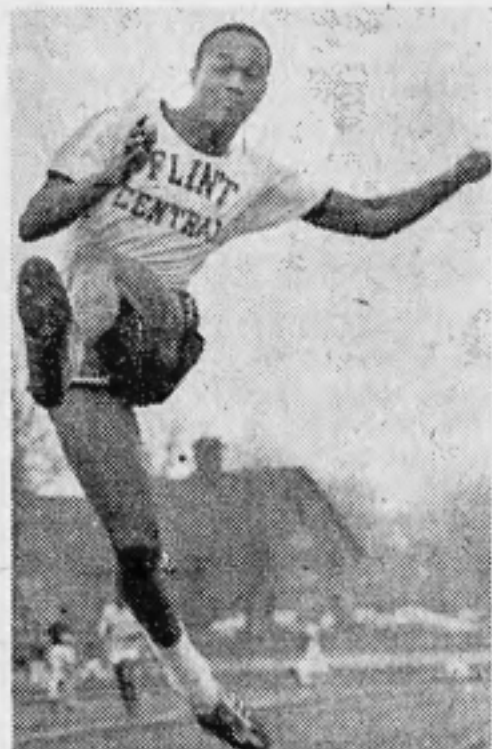
In the relays, Central teams took six first places and broke records in the pole vault and in the 440 yard relay for shot putters.

Two men who stood out in the Valley meet were Barnett and Connor. Barnett's 22-8½ leap in the broad jump was

the best in the state up to that time. He bettered this mark by going 23-1 in Central's 57-52 conquest of Southwestern on May 15.

Connor's 2:00.5 in the 880 ranked as the best in the Valley at that time.

Both boys ran on the record breaking mile relay unit which recorded a time of 3:26.7.



Bob Barnett . . . 23'1"

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