



TOP HURDLER — Bill Tipton of Pontiac (Mich.) Central will be shooting for records in both the high and low hurdles in the Mansfield Relays at Mehock Field Saturday. Tipton was the only double - winner in last year's Relays.

Bill Tipton Planning Assault On Two Records In Relays

By TED LUTZ
Remember the great hurdlers?

Hayes Jones . . . Harrison Dillard . . . Willie Davenport . . . Rex Cawley . . . Bob Wright. And what about Mansfield's own A. C. Jenkins and Sonny Waidington? Their names are hard to forget as they represent Olympians, national champions and Ohio champions.

HOWEVER, while they recorded some of the best times ever in the hurdles, they don't compare with a new star on the horizon—Bill Tipton of Pontiac (Mich.) Central.

Competing in the Mansfield Relays last year, Tipton won both the high and low hurdles for the meet's only double. His time of 14 seconds flat in the highs is a Relay mark, bettering the feats of those mentioned hurdlers who performed here.

Tipton, who is from the same school that produced Hayes Jones, will be seeking to better his own mark in the highs and set a new standard in the lows when he competes in the Relays Saturday at Mehock Field.

A 5-10, 147 - pound senior, Tipton has already recorded better times than the Relays marks in the hurdles. He has raced to a 13.8 clocking in the highs and a time of 18.9 in the lows. Cawley of Farmington, another Michigan school, holds the mark in the lows at 19 seconds flat.

Tipton has had the advantage of running on the rubberized asphalt track at Mehock Field, but this does not dispute the fact that he is still one of the nation's best hurdlers.

In the Michigan state meet last year, Tipton won both hurdles. He holds the state

mark in the highs at 14 seconds flat, but ran a 13.9 in the regional event.

Tipton won both hurdles in the Junior Olympics last summer at Denver with times of 13.8 in the highs and 19.2 in the lows. The low hurdles, by the way, were run on a curve. Tipton was selected to the high school All - America track team last year.

Shooting for the 1968 Olympics, Tipton trains year-round. He runs cross country in the fall to build his endurance.

He lifts weights for strength in his legs. He also participates in numerous AAU and Federation meets in the summer.

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Joe Adcock Plans No Changes, Yet

ANAHEIM, Calif. (AP) — Joe Adcock doesn't figure to shake up his pitching rotation because of a little rain.

"It only means that everyone is set back a full day," the Cleveland Indians manager said after the Tribe was rained out Wednesday night in Kansas City.

Luis Tiant, who was scheduled to go against the Athletics will start tonight when the Indians open a three-game series against the California Angels. Jim McGlothlin will go for the Angels.

"We'll work 'em in rotation except when I think we have a better chance to win a cer-

3 Buckeye Marks Set At Mehock

Three of the current best-

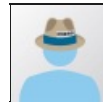
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