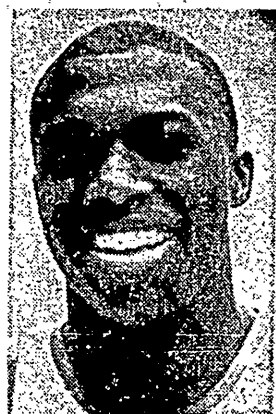


Zips 100 Yards in 9.7 Seconds

Washington Sets Record



Herb Washington
Better's 32-Year Record

Flint's oldest track record tumbled Tuesday. Herb Washington, Central High junior, zipped 100 yards in 9.7 seconds at Dort Field to become the first Flint high school student to reach that figure.

He broke the mark of 9.8 established in 1935 by E. Wilbur Greer and equaled by at least five others, including two in the state championships.

There was almost no wind when Washington ran away from a good field. If anything, there was a slight headwind or a crosswind. Moments later he came close to a performance of similar caliber when he won the 220 in 21.8. That was four-tenths of a second off the varsity record.

Greer's record had been equaled by Ron Watkins (1959),

Bob Cooper (1964) and Lew Patton (1966) for Central and Maurice Pea (1960) and Wilbur Johnson (1963) for Northern. Pea and Johnson share the state Class A meet record.

Washington was clocked in 9.6 last Friday at Southwestern when he was aided by a stiff wind.

Central's oldest outdoor record now is Floyd Bates' 1938 high jump record of 6-5 1/2.

Washington also anchored the winning 880 relay team as Central wallopped Northern, 84-34, and became a heavy favorite for the city championship.

The Indians won 12 of 14 events, losing the pole vault and shot put. Clyde Lyon won the long jump and low hurdles for the only other double triumph.

Two mile—1. Jim Morse (C). 2. B. C. Cooper (N). 3. Don Potter (C). T—9:52.4.
880 relay—1. Central (Bob Patton, Clyde Lyon, Clayton Turner, Herb Washington). T—1:33.6.

Mile—1. Dave Hays (C). 2. John Long (C). 3. Alton Robinson (N). T—4:48.
High jump—1. Freels Bacon (C). 2. Carmel Brown (N). 3. Jesse Lakes (C). H—5-8.

120 high hurdles—1. John Early (C). 2. L. S. Nichols (N). 3. Jim Burkett (N). T—15.6.

880—1. Jim Love (C). 2. Leroy Blackman (N). 3. Clevean Laster (C). T—1:58.5.
440—1. Marcus Vinson (C). 2. Ken Johnson (C). 3. Charles Montgomery (N). T—52.9.

Mile vault—1. Gene Lee (N). 2. Tom Quin (C). 3. John Mollassa (C). H—13-3.
Long jump—1. Lyon (C). 2. Mill Wallace (N). 3. William Wallace (N). D—20-6 1/2.

100—1. Washington (C). 2. W. Wallace (N). 3. Patton (C). T—9.7.
180 low hurdles—1. Lyon (C). 2. Early (C). 3. Nichols (N). T—20.5.

220—1. Washington (C). 2. Patton (C). 3. W. Wallace (N). T—21.8.
Mile relay—1. Central (Laster, Vinson, Johnson, Love). T—3:40.
Shot put—1. Gordon Brown (N). 2. Spencer Turner (C). 3. Hobeec Ghattas (C). D—47.4.

SW Runners Whip 'Cats

Southwestern's early surge led to a 66-52 victory over Northwestern Tuesday in a dual track meet at the latter's field.

The Colts built a 26-14 edge in the first five events, then used depth to make up for the absence of first places until slamming the high jump.

Northwestern had an 8-6 edge in firsts with hurdler Dennis Logan the only double victor.

Two-mile—1. Rick Crisp (NW). 2. Jeff Gales (S). 3. Tom Harris (S). T—10:13.
Shot put—1. Ray Vaughn (S). 2. Mark McNight (NW). 3. Manfred Castello (S). D—48.6.

Long jump—1. Willie Foster (S). 2. Dennis Logan (NW). 3. Ray Simmons (S). D—20.4.
880 relay—1. Southwestern (Simmons, Tom Baker, Art Franks, Ed Watkins). T—1:38.2.

Mile—1. Chris Berry (S). 2. Phil Chazan (NW). 3. Bill Verbitski (NW). T—4:47.5.
120 high hurdles—1. Logan (NW). 2. Foster (SW). 3. Mike Renick (S). T—16.3.

880—1. Al Holland (NW). 2. Mike Spottsville (S). 3. Roy Dukes (S). T—2:05.
440—1. Rick Donovan (NW). 2. Tom Miller (S). 3. Pat Forie (NW). T—54.6.

100—1. Walkins (S). 2. Simmons (S). 3. Jim Houston (NW). T—10.8.
180 low hurdles—1. Logan (NW). 2. Foster (S). 3. Renick (S). T—21.6.

220—1. Willie Clerkley (NW). 2. Walkins (S). 3. Simmons (S). T—25.1.
Mile relay—1. Northwestern (James Taylor, Donavan, Forie, Holland). T—4:40.6.

Pole vault—1. Mike Niergarth (NW). 2. Bruce McIntosh (S). 3. George Carr (S). H—11-4.
High jump—1. Gary West (S). 2. Jim Smith (S). 3. Foster (SW). H—5-8.

Conacher Scores Twice, Toronto Wins, 3-1

TORONTO (AP) — The name of Conacher is a famous one in Canada's athletic annals and because of it the Toronto Maple Leafs have earned the right to battle the Montreal Canadiens for the Stanley Cup.

Brian Conacher, young and strong and scholarly, scored two key goals to guide the Leafs to a 3-1 victory over the Chicago Black Hawks Tuesday night and give them the semi-final series 4-2.

Brian is the 25-year-old son of the late Lionel Conacher, who was voted Canada's athlete of the half century. Brian's uncle, Charlie Conacher, was a hockey great.

Brian, a rookie of the National Hockey League, scored only 14 goals during the regular season. The only other time he had two goals in one game was in the season opener against the New York Rangers.

Palmer's 63 Wins First Lema Meet

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP) — Arnold Palmer called it "one of the best rounds I've ever shot anywhere."

Palmer, who has shot a bundle of great rounds, fired an eight-under-par 63 Tuesday at the Stardust Golf Club to win the first annual Tony Lema Memorial Scholarship Fund Tournament.

"In view of the 25-to-30 mile-an-hour winds, I'd say this was much better than my 64 Sunday," said Palmer, referring to his course record on the closing day of the Tournament of Champions last weekend.

Today, however, he is the pride and joy of Toronto. Conacher put the Leafs ahead at 5:06 of the first period and then broke a 1-1 tie with what proved to be the winning goal at 4:47 of the final period, to kill off the hopes of the Hawks, who wanted to add the Stanley Cup to their list of laurels this season. Among these was their first NHL championship.

"All I did was fire the puck," said Conacher. "The first one went through the goalie's pads and the second one was a short one from the side. I've taken a lot of similar shots which have been blocked."

Conacher, who needs only three credits at the University of Western Ontario to earn his bachelor of arts degree, had to wear contact lenses, which he admits hinder his ability to take passes.

But he had no trouble in the first period, when Frank Mahovich placed a perfect pass on his stick before scoring the first goal of the game. On the second one Brian needed no help. He took the puck away from Ed Van Impe and went in to score the winning goal un-

assisted. Although hampered by a series of injuries picked up late in the regular season, the Hawks refused to alibi. "We were beaten and that's all there is to it," said Coach Billy Reay. "I'm proud of these guys for winning the league championship."

The Leafs, weary from their rugged series with Chicago, will be underdogs to the Canadiens, who swept to four straight victories over New York and are healthy and well-rested. But then, Toronto didn't figure to defeat Chicago either.

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