

Washington Ties Indoor 50 Mark

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HAMILTON, Ont. — Flint Central's Herb Washington tied the world's record in the men's open 50-yard dash Saturday night when he recorded a 5.1 seconds clocking in the 43rd International Indoor track meet.

Running for the Indian Track Club, Washington nearly tied the mark in the recent Milwaukee Journal Indoor Games when he lost a photo finish to former Nebraska great, Charlie Green, who tied the record.

Barney Ewel of the University of Pennsylvania set the record in 1939.

Trinidad's Ed Roberts, representing the Baltimore Olympic Club, was second while Bill Lord, McMasters University, was third. Roberts captured third in the 200-meters in the 1964 Olympics.

Central's Bob Patton garnered another Flint first when he won the Junior 50-yard dash in 5.7. The Tribe junior finished ahead of Buffalo's Ed Green and Hamilton's Jack Turner.

Patton also ran in the 20-and-under division of the 300 and finished third with a 33.7 timing. MSU's John Mock won with 33.5.

UCLA Wins

LOS ANGELES (AP) — UCLA smothered North Carolina, 78-55, Saturday night to win its fourth NCAA basketball crown, tying Kentucky as the winningest title team in history. The margin was also the greatest in an NCAA finals. Lew Alcindor scored 34 points for UCLA.