East Lansing Gal Seeks National 880 Title

KNOXVILLE, Tenn. — East Lansing High School sophomore-to-be Theresa Rulison seeks an AAU national track and field championship here Wednesday.

Miss Rulison will compete in the 880-yard run event of the Junior Olympic N a t i o n a l Championships. Hundreds of teen-age girls from across the country are entered, a f t e r qualifying in various regional meets held last weekend.

The 15-year-old East Lansing entry won the regional championship in the 880 with a time of

2:17. Louisville, Ky., hosted the regional, which featured girls from a six-state area.

Earlier this summer, in a state qualifying meet at Lincoln Park, Miss Rulison earned the right to compete for regional honors in both the 880 and 440. She elected to bypass the 440, however, because of oppressive heat in Louisville.

She is competing as a member of the Lincoln Park-based Wolverine Athletic Club. Her personal best to date in the 880 is 2:15.7, done indoors during the past winter.

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