

MSD Regional Streak at Seven

By BRUCE JOHNS

Earl Roberts and his Michigan School for the Deaf track team made a familiar trip to the winner's circle Saturday.

It was for their seventh straight regional crown during the Class C-D running at Houston Stadium as the Tartars qualified seven individuals and both relay teams for the state meet.

MSD won the Class D trophy with 52 points while Lainsburg was second with 43. Holy Rosary made a strong showing to take third with 29 points and Genesee was seventh with 10.

A POWERFUL New Haven, led by two-time all-state basketball player Eli Sims, dominated the Class C field with 57 10-14 points. Memphis was second with 29 12-14.

Area teams made weak showings in Class C. Byron was sixth with 18 12-14, Ortonville ninth with 7, Hartland 14th with 3 and Goodrich 15th with 1.

MSD won seven events with sprinter Ed Robinson successfully defending his title as the best dashman. The swift Tartar senior won the 100 in 10.5 and the 220 in 23.0. A strong wind prevented any runner from recording record challenging time.

John Burley of MSD took the high jump at 6-2. Pat Weir's 42-3 heave in the shot put gave Roberts two state qualifiers in the field events.

TERRY GINGERY won the two-mile for the Tartars and Robinson joined Bruce Kline, Craig Schlorff and Dan Kuehn to win the 880 relay in 1:34.2. Kline, Schlorff, Jerry Beaver and Brad Rosenkrants combined to capture the mile relay in 3:42.1.

Rosenkrants also qualified in the 880 with his third-place finish and Schlorff in the 440 after ending second.

"These meets seem to be lasting longer," said the likeable Roberts. "Maybe it's because I'm getting older."

ROBERTS has been coaching at the Miller Road school for 28 years.

Pat Shanahan, a fine all-around athlete at Holy Rosary, led the Wolverines by winning the 440 and 880. He had an impressive 51.8 in the quarter-mile test and 2:03 in the half.

Shanahan teamed with Dennis Savoie, Mark Mangett and George Butts to place second behind MSD in the mile relay. Savoie (third) qualified in the low hurdles, Paul Houle (third) made it in the high jump and Ron Hyatt (third) earned a trip to the state in the two-mile.

GENESEEE, missing by a point of tying for fifth, was led by Jim Simmonds' school record in the long jump. He took second in the event with a leap of 19-9/4. Steve Keene's third-place finish in the 440 was the Wolves' other state qualifier.

The Class D regional had no qualifiers in the pole vault. No contestant cleared the minimum height. In Class C, only three contestants qualified.

Byron's five qualifiers for the Class C state meet led the four area schools in the regional. The Eagles' Bill Sell made it in both hurdles with a second in the lows and third in the highs. Dan Shafer was third in the pole vault, Gary Wooden third in the 440 and Randy Matznick third in the 180 low hurdles.

Ortonville's Marcus Holmes, second in the mile, and Hartland's Dennis Bordner, third in the 880.

Sims had a great day for New Haven, winning both short dashes and ran a leg on the victorious 880 relay squad. He also took a fourth in the long jump.

The summary:

Legend and team scoring: New Haven (NH) 57 10-14, Memphis (ME) 29 12-14, Farmington Our Lady (FOL) 24, Port

Results at DRC

First Race, 6F, T-1:12 4-5			
Tranados Jet	9.00	4.40	3.20
Taylor's Luck			3.80
King Bradley			2.80
Second Race, 6F, T-1:12 3-5			
The Word Go	41.60	12.60	8.00
Royal Gin			7.00
Jet Gilmer			5.80
Daily Double: 3-10 paid \$240.40.			
Third Race, 6F, T-1:11			
Cotton Admiral	8.40	4.40	3.60
Cherlon Lark			3.20
Reigh Can			4.80
Fourth Race, 6F, T-1:11 3-5			
Dead Game	8.80	4.40	3.20
Tejan Doll			3.40
Gusty Man			3.00
Fifth Race, 6F, T-1:11 3-5			
Doesn't She	10.20	4.80	3.60
Ricks Destiny			3.20
Big Slog			7.00
Sixth Race, 6F, T-1:10 4-5			
Banker's Heart	7.00	3.80	3.00
March Bull			3.40
Steele			3.60
Big Perfecta: 6-8 & 1-4 paid \$553.00 (197 winning tickets).			
Seventh Race, 6F, T-1:11 2-5			
Golden Gem	7.80	4.40	3.20
DQ-Solrondy			8.00
Sing Gold			3.40
DQ-Finished 1st. dis. and placed 2nd.			
Eighth Race, Mile & 70 yds., T-1:41 3-5			
Dashing Dan	12.00	4.80	3.20
Long Road			3.40
French Steak			3.20
Ninth Race, mile & 70 yds., T-1:42 3-5			
A-Lo Song	8.40	3.40	2.60
Bright Dust			3.40
Fun Mon			4.60
Tenth Race, 1 1/16 mile, T-1:44 4-5			
Respectme	5.60	2.60	2.20
Caretut Junor			2.80
Beaukawa			6.60
Perfecta 3-8 paid \$14.80.			
Attendance: 115,350.			
Total Handle: \$1,346,704.			

Huron Catholic (PHC) 23, Capac (Ca) 18 12-14, Byron (By) 15 7-14, Orchard Lake St. Mary (OLSM) 9, Fowlerville (OF) 7 3-14, Ortonville (O) 7, Almont (Al) 7, Niles (Ni) 6 12-14, Stockbridge (SB) 6, Yale (Y) 5, Hartland (Ha) 3, Goodrich (Go) 1.

Long jump — 1. Roy Lee (NH), 2. Ad Stewart (Ca), 3. Mark Klug (Ca), 4. Eli Sims (NH) 5. Dan Shafer (By) 21-3.

Shot put — 1. Scott Bert (NH), 2. Stewart (Ca), 3. Jim Trojanowski (Y), 4. Ted Robu (St), 5. Dave Mudge (Me) 51-2.

High jump — 1. Pat Boyer (No), 2. Greg Thomas (PHC), 3. Seven-way Me, 51-0.

Pole vault — 1. Paul Klarer (PHC), 2. Kirk Curry (Al), 3. Shafer (By), 11-1.

880 relay — 1. New Haven 2 Farmington Our Lady 3. Port Huron Catholic, 4. Yale, 5. Ortonville, 1:33.9.

440 — 1. Ed Wornon (Me), 2. Bob Weillman (Fo), 3. Dennis Bordner (Ho), 4. Brian Salecia (Me), 5. Rick Bekenstose (Al) 2:16.

120 high hurdles — 1. Louie Grace (Me), 2. Dennis Kepler (Ca), 3. Bill Sim (By), 4. Bob Marshall (Ab), 5. Kirk Curry (PHC), 1:36.

100 — 1. Sims (NH), 2. Don Shamaly (St), 3. Roy Walker (NH), 4. Jeff Phillips (Y), 5. Larry Collington (Me) 10.4.

440 — 1. Roy Dudds (FOL), 2. Charles

Walton (NH), 3. Garry Wooden (By), 4. (He) Thomas (PHC) Weillman (Fo) 52.4.

180 low hurdles — 1. Lee (NH), 2. SIM (By), 3. Randy Matznick (By), 4. Klug (Ca), 5. Rod Grab (Go), 22.3.

Two-mile — 1. Don Jimenez (Al), 2. Dave Wilson (St), 3. Tom Koros (OLSM), 4. Tim Nolan (Me), 5. Mike Lash (OLSM), 10:21.5.

220 — 1. Sims (NH) 2. Walker (NH) 3. Dennis Delaney (OLSM), 4. Newton Hurst (FOL), 5. Mike McGrath (FOL), 23.1.

Mile relay — 1. New Haven 2. Farmington, 3. Ph Catholic, 4. Memphis, 5. Byron, 3:39.7.

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180 low hurdles — 1. Goetsch (L), 2. Jeff Wardwell (GPW), 3. Dennis Savoie (HR), 4. Britsley (M), 5. Theien (F) 2:25.

Two-mile — 1. Terry Gingery (MSD), 2. Mike Spada (Ge), 3. Ron Hyatt (HR), 4. Dawa Perkins (W), 5. Stan Baker (M) 10:38.9.

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GCC Nine Regional Ruler

Special to The Journal

GRAND RAPIDS — After dropping the first game, 5-4, Genesee Community College's baseball came back in the nightcap to defeat Kalamazoo by the same score Saturday to capture the Region 12 championship.

In boosting their record to 31-9, the Bears earned the right to compete in the North-Central Regional Friday and Saturday in Grand Rapids. GCC will meet a representative from Minnesota while entrants from Illinois and Iowa will also clash in the

double-elimination tournament.

GCC salted away the championship with a five-run burst in the opening inning of the second game. Terry Chaffer drove in two runs with a double, Doug Ballnik singled in another and Tom Antioho and Carlo Arini each squeezed in a tally.

Trailing 3-1 in the opener, Arini hit a two-run homer in the fourth inning to tie the game and Dave Arnott's triple followed by Ken Jackson's sacrifice fly earned a 4-3 lead in the fifth. Kalamazoo rallied for two runs in

the sixth on an error. Arnott had two triples in the first game and Ballnik a pair of hits in the nightcap. Arnott, a former Swartz Creek star, was voted the tournament's most valuable player.

The last time the Bears won the Region 12 crown was in 1967 when they also reached the nationals.

First Game

Genesee CC	100	210	0-4	7 3
Kalamazoo	102	002	x-5	8 0
Mike Wyatt and Terry Chaffer, Mark Pratt and Dan Emmerich.				

Kalamazoo

000	301	0-4	5 0	
Genesee CC	500	000	x-5	7 2
Don Baker, Bill Betterson (1) and Charles Walls, Don Ward, Bob Briggs (4) and Chaffer, W-Ward, L-Baker.				



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