

## 1944 Season Review

# Seniors Edge Juniors In Inter-Class Track Meet

**Score 68 1-2 Points To Juniors' 60 1-2, With Freshmen Third, Sophomores Fourth; Demmel Is Outstanding Individual With Four Firsts**

Sneaking up on the weather while it was nice, Coach Whitey Althoff staged the annual inter-class track meet Thursday afternoon, not waiting until Friday and the previously announced date.

The Seniors came through with a mild surprise by winning the meet with an eight point edge over their nearest competitors, the Juniors, 68½ to 60½ points. The Freshmen pulled into third with 43 points and the Sophomores brought up the rear with 38.

Outstanding individual performer was Junior Bob Demmel who won four events for a total of 24 points, while the Seniors had a pair of good performers in Schabel, who scored 16½, and Williamson, 11½. "Itch" Mohler, freshman, came up with 13.

Althoff did not announce the times for the track events or the distances for the field events. The Little Giants will taste their first varsity competition next Tuesday at Port Clinton. Results of the

meet were as follows:

## Meet Results

70-yard high hurdles—won by Demmel (J); Schabel (Sr) second; Robertson (F) third; Ballenger (F) fourth.

100-yard dash—won by Erchenbrecher (So); Williamson (Sr) second; Hoy (So) third; Mackey (J) fourth; Arnold (Sr) fifth.

Mile—won by Berger (Sr); Heflinger (So) second; Overmyer (F) and Conner (J) tied for third.

880 Relay—won by Sophomores (Erchenbrecher, Johnson, Hoy, Larkins); Juniors second, Seniors third, Freshmen fourth.

High Jump—won by Mohler (F); Berger (Sr) second; Hoy (So) and Schabel (Sr) tied for third; Whitcomb (F) fifth.

Broad Jump—won by Demmel (J); Rogers (J) second; Hoy (So) third; Weiler (Sr) fourth; Whitcomb (F) fifth.

440 Dash—won by Williamson (Sr); Arnold (Sr) second; Sevitts (F) third; Mackey (J) fourth.

120-yard low hurdles—won by Demmel (J); Mohler (F) second; Rinebolt (J) third; Whitcomb (F) fourth; Heflinger (So) fifth.

Pole Vault—won by Schabel (Sr); Rinebolt (J) second; Heflinger (So) and Robertson (F) tied for third.

880-yard Run—won by Larkins (So); Schabel (Sr) second; Rogers (J) third; Stetzel (F) fourth; Sevitts (F) fifth.

220 Dash—won by Demmel (J); Erchenbrecher (So) second; Kish (Sr) third; Kellogg (F) fourth; Smith (Sr) fifth.

Discus—won by Weiler (Sr); Fahle (Sr) second; Mohler (F) third; Inks (J) fourth; Miller (J) fifth.

Shot put—won by Inks (J); Fahle (Sr) second; Miller (J) third; Mohler (F) fourth; Johnson (Sr) fifth.

Mile Relay—won by Seniors (Arnold, Berger, Weiler, Williamson); Freshmen second. (Only entries).

## Bowling Scores

Chuck Baskey, rolling with the Fox Insurance five in the City A league, posted a 627 series to rate as tops in league competition last night. He had games of 229, 199 and 199. In the Recreation Ladies league B. Dymond was high with 549 on games of 158, 200 and 191.

### CITY A LEAGUE (Pastime Alleys)

| Fox Insurance     |     | Valley Dairy     |     |
|-------------------|-----|------------------|-----|
| Keller            | 539 | R. Haaser        | 435 |
| Marinis           | 518 | Cronin           | 452 |
| Binsack           | 485 | C. Cox           | 496 |
| M. Baskey         | 538 | C. Poorman       | 450 |
| C. Baskey         | 627 | P. Poorman       | 510 |
| Handicap          | 171 | Handicap         | 384 |
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# Little Giant Thin-Clads At Port Clinton Today

**Initial Test Looms As Tough One As Coach  
Whitey Althoff Leans Heavily On Sophomores  
And Freshmen; Demmel Entered In Four Events**

The Ross high track team was to get its initial test of the season Tuesday afternoon in a dual meet with the Port Clinton scanty-clads on the latter's cinders and Coach Whitey Althoff was far from optimistic over the possibilities.

While it will be the first meet of the year for the Little Giants, the Porters already have two duals under their belts, one a rout of Old Fort and the other an eight-point defeat at the hands of Mansfield. The team shapes up as one of the best the Ottawa county town has had in several seasons.

Coach Althoff will be depending quite heavily on inexperienced material as he plans to use two freshmen and five sophomores in his line-up. Mohler and Sampsel

are the first-year men and Erchenbrecher, Hoy, Larkins, Johnson and Hoffman the sophomores.

## **Depend On Demmel**

Much of the outcome of the meet will rest on the shoulders of Bob Demmel, fleet junior, who has been entered in four events, with Bill Berger the chief threat in the mile and Erchenbrecher the sprint mainstay. Althoff said his entries would be as follows for the opening clash:

High hurdles, Demmel and Mohler; 100-yard dash, Erchenbrecher, Williamson and Hoy; mile, Berger, Heflinger and Stetzel; 880 relay, Hoy, Larkins, Mohler and Erchenbrecher; 440 dash, Williamson, Weiler, Mackey and Arnold; 220 dash, Erchenbrecher, Demmel, Sampsel, or Mackey; low hurdles, Demmel and Mohler.

Mile relay, Schabel, Berger, Weiler and Williamson; 880 run, Larkins, Schabel and Rogers; pole vault, Rinebolt, Schabel and Heflinger; high jump, Mohler and Hoy; broad jump, Demmel, Rogers, Hoy and Erchenbrecher; shot put, Fahle, Miller, Johnson and Hoffman; discus, Weiler, Fahle and Mohler.

## **LYMPER GOES TO MANSFIELD**

**Center Of Controversy  
At Galion Will Coach  
Tyger Football Eleven**

# Ross Thin-Clads Lose First Meet Of Season

**Drop 74 1-2 To 43 1-2 Decision to Experienced  
Port Clinton Team Which Sweeps Two Events;  
Rossmen Win Five Firsts But Weak In Support**

Lacking the all-around strength that brings the all-important second and third place points to back up those garnered in winning an event, the Ross high track team lost its first meet of the season Tuesday afternoon, bowing to Port Clinton on the latter's track, 74½ to 43½.

The meet was the third for the Porters and they showed the effects of longer and more training, although in the matter of firsts there wasn't a whole lot of difference.

The Little Giants won four of the 14 events and tied for first in a fifth, but were weak in the support places. This, coupled with a grand slam for Port Clinton in both the 100-yard dash and the shot put, told the story. The Fremont trio of Erchenbrecher, Williamson and Hoy failed to place in the sprint, while the same was true of the weightmen, Fahle, Miller, Johnson and Hoffman.

## Demmel Is High

Bob Demmel came through with one first, tied for a second and a pair of seconds. He tied in 120-yard high hurdles and won the 220 dash and was second in the 220 low hurdles and broad jump, making an 18 foot 10½ inch leap in the latter.

Bill Berger captured the mile, Schabel the pole vault and Jerry Larkins, a sophomore, copped the 880, while the relay team of Schabel, Berger, Williamson and Weiler won that event.

Coach Whitey Althoff was not displeased with the outcome, stating merely that the team needed more practice. He has a meet booked with Bowling Green for Friday but was uncertain where it would be held. Results of the Port Clinton meet were as follows:

## Meet Results

120 High Hurdles—Demmel (F) and Adams (PC) tied for first; Stein (PC) third. Time, 16.9 seconds.

100-yard Dash—won by Ashton (PC); Von Thron (PC) second; Selgo (PC) third. Time, 11.2 seconds.

Mile—won by Berger (F); Clemons (PC) second; Springer (PC) third. Time, 5:01.

880 Relay—won by Port Clinton. Time, 1:40.8.

440-yard Dash—won by Mackey (PC); Williamson (F) second; Weller (F) third. Time, 58.3 seconds.

Shot Put—won by Bloom (PC); Mackey (PC) second; O'Nan (PC) third. Distance, 47 ft. 9½ in. \*

Pole vault—won by Schabel (F); Adams (PC) and Rinebold (F) tied for second. Height, 9 ft.

220 Low Hurdles—won by Stein (PC); Demmel (F) second; Adams (PC) third. Time, 14.6 seconds.

880 Run—won by Larkins (F); Adams (PC) second; Lafer (PC) third. Time, 1:17.7.

Discus—won by Bloom (PC); O'Nan (PC) second; Weller (F) third. Distance, 132 ft. 2¼ in.

220-yard Dash—won by Dem-

mel (F); Ashton (PC) second; Von Thron (PC) third. Time, 24.4 seconds.

Mile Relay—won by Fremont (Schabel, Berger, Williamson, Weiler). Time, 3:57.2.

High Jump—won by Adams (PC); Selgo (PC), Mohler (F), Hoy (F) and Robertson (F) tied for second. Height, 5 ft. 4 in.

Broad Jump—won by Stein (PC); Demmel (F) second; Rogers (F) and Selgo (PC) tied for third. Distance, 19 ft. 4¾ in.

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## DEMME SETS PACE AS TEAM WINS 10 FIRSTS

### Swift Junior Cops Four Events; Next Meet Is In Doubt

Showing a somewhat improved form over their initial start earlier in the week, the Ross high track team scored an 80 to 33 victory over the Bowling Green scanty-clads on the latter's track Friday afternoon.

With Bob Demmel setting the pace with four first places, the Little Giants copped 10 of the 13 events that were run, the half-mile relay having been cancelled. This time they also cashed in on seconds and thirds, taking eight of the former and six of the latter, and coasted to their initial victory of the new season.

The meet was run off in rather chilly weather and there was a stiff breeze which helped the entries in the dashes but retarded the runners in the longer events. Only races the Little Giants lost were the 100 and 440, both of which went to Rockwood, while Bradley took the high jump.

#### No Meet Scheduled

Del Weiler pushed out the shot and discus farther than ever before, but was forced to be content with second place in the platter throw as Miller, Ross newcomer, who shows considerable promise, took the event.

Coach Whitey Althoff said he was still trying to book a dual meet for next Friday but so far had been unsuccessful. On Saturday he will take several of his charges to the Ohio Wesleyan Relays at Delaware, but he is still uncertain as to whom they will meet. Results of the Bowling Green meet were as follows:

High Hurdles—Won by Demmel (F); Mohler (F) 2; Voorhees (BG) 3. Time, 16.5 seconds.

100-yard Dash—Won by Rockwood (BG); Erchenbrecher (F) 2; Sampsel (F) 3. Time, 10.8 seconds.

1 Mile—Won by Berger (F); William (BG) 2; Hirtman (BG) 3. Time, 4:59.5.

Pole Vault—Won by Rinebolt (F); Schabel (F) 2; Maas (BG) 3. Height, 9 feet, 3 inches.

440-yard Dash—Rockwood (BG) 1; Larkins (F) 2; Williamson (F) 3. Time, 54.3 seconds.

Shot Put—Won by Weiler (F); Fahle (F) 2; Miller (F) 3. Distance, 38 feet, 5 1-2 inches.

220 Low Hurdles—Won by Demmel (F); Mohler (F) 2; Maas (BG) 3. Time, 27.1 seconds.

High Jump—Won by Bradley (BG); Gillespie (BG) 2; Mohler (F) 3. Height, 5 feet, 2 inches.

220-yard Dash—Won by Demmel (F); Rockwood (BG) 2; Erchenbrecher (F) 3. Time, 23.8 sec.

880 Run—Won by Larkins (F); Schabel (F) 2; Waugh (BG) 3. Time, 2:18.5.

Discus—Won by Miller (F); Weiler (F) 2; Herringshaw (BG) 3. Distance, 121 feet, 11 inches.

Broad Jump—Won by Demmel (F); Maas (BG) 2; Rogers (F) 3. Distance, 18 feet.

1 Mile Relay—Won by Fremont (Schabel, Weiler, Williamson, Berger). Time, 3:52.

## ROSS TRACKMEN IN HOME DEBUT

The Ross high track team, with an even break in two meets so far this season, will make its home debut Friday in a twilight affair designed to attract the fans who can't get away late in the afternoon. The Little Giants will meet Lima Central at 5:30 p. m. at Harmon stadium, Coach Whitney Althoff has announced.

Althoff said he knew nothing about the Lima outfit, but believed they had already opened their season. The Little Giants have lost to Port Clinton and defeated Bowling Green thus far this year. Because of this meet, he will not enter any of his athletes in the Ohio Wesleyan Relays on Saturday, the Ross mentor added.

## OUTFIT SHOWS GOOD BALANCE IN HOME MEET

### Demmel Scores Four Firsts Again; Relay Lost By Infraction

The Little Giants became the overwhelming favorites to successfully defend their Buckeye league track championship two weeks hence when they turned back a previously unbeaten Lima Central squad, 76 to 42, on the Harmon field cinders Friday afternoon.

The visitors scored a decisive victory over Findlay last Wednesday while the Rossmen have already triumphed over Bowling Green, leaving Tiffin, Columbian the only unknown loop quantity.

The meet, run in a chill wind, was close during the early part of the competition and the score was tied at 34-all at the end of eight events, partly because the Little Giants experienced a bit of tough luck and donated Lima five points on a race they won. This was the 880 relay in which they were disqualified.

After that, the Fremonters' superiority began to tell and the team copped firsts in 10 of the 14 events with Bob Demmel again setting the pace with four victories.

#### Freshmen Come Through

Demmel started his grand slam of the events in which he was entered with the opening race, the 120-yard high hurdles, which he took by a fair margin from Cox of Lima, in the creditable time of 16.4 seconds. "Itch" Mohler, freshman comer, was third, hard on the heels of Cox who barely beat him out.

Carl Erchenbrecher scored his first victory of the season in the next event, the 100, as Fremont made a sweep. Bob Sampel, another freshman who shows plenty of promise, was second and Williamson third in something of a blanket finish. The winner's time was 10.9 seconds, not bad considering conditions.

Bill Berger literally ran away with the mile. He opened up an early lead and at the finish had a margin of more than 100 yards over Chidster of Lima as the field finished far apart. Foulkes, Lima was third. Berger's time was 4:55.7, his best so far.

Lima picked up points in the pole vault with Reed and Chismon tying for first as both cleared nine feet, while Schabel and Rinebold, both Fremont, tied for third.

#### Team Disqualified

The half-mile relay team of Weiler, Sampel, Williamson and Erchenbrecher, finished some 10 yards in front of the Lima quartet of Ulrich, Cox, Sieler and Bazill, but Sampel and Williamson had trouble in their baton exchange and the latter was over the specified zone when he took the stick and as a result Lima was given the race.

The high jump went to Wright of Lima, who cleared five feet six inches, and a teammate, Slager, finished second, while Mohler took the show spot with a leap of five feet two inches, but the points lost here were more than made up in the shot put with Bud Inks winning the event with a toss of 40 feet 3 3/4 inches and Del Weiler taking third behind Schaback of Lima.

Trailing by three points, the Little Giants knotted the count in the 440 with Larkins breaking the tape first and Johnson picking up another point as third. Frederick of Lima was second. Larkins winning time was 58.1 seconds.

Demmel and Mohler ran almost together to take first and second in the low timbers in 27.4 seconds, with Cox of Lima third, and the Little Giants went safely out in front when the results of the discus were tabulated. The Rossmen made a sweep of the platter-sailing contest with Miller, Weiler and Inks finishing in that order. Miller's winning heave was 108 feet 6 inches.

#### Last Jump Wins

In a close finish Foulkes of Lima took the half-mile in 2:16.1 with Schabel and Larkins pushing him at the tape, while in the 220 Demmel scored his third win in 24.5 seconds with Teammate Erchenbrecher a yard behind and Bazill of Lima bringing up the rear.

The mile relay was a trot for the Fremont quartet of Schabel, Weiler, Williamson and Berger, who had a lead of 120-yards at the finish and was clocked in 3:53.

The final event, the broad jump, packed the most kick of the entire meet. It went to Demmel who came through with a 19 foot five inch leap on his last try after his first three saw him clear but little more than 18 feet. Itch Mohler did a good piece of jumping, too, his 18 feet 3 1/2 inches giving him second by one inch over Bazill of Lima.

## MILE QUARTET PUTS PUNCH IN DUAL MEET

### Wins Thrilling Race As Demmel And Stewart Vie For Honors

In as thrilling a finish as any track meet here has had in several seasons the Ross high Little Giants defeated Toledo Waite, 65 1/2 to 52 1/2, at Harmon stadium Thursday afternoon.

It was the third straight victory for the Rossmen, who dropped their opener, and the second setback in five starts for the visitors and the decision wasn't assured until the next to last event, the mile relay.

Although the Little Giants led throughout, from the time the trio of Bob Demmel, Itch Mohler and Robertson swept all three places in the high hurdles, it was the concluding events that made the victory certain and packed the biggest punch of the afternoon.

The outstanding race was the mile relay in which the Fremont quartet of Schabel, Weiler, Williamson and Berger won by a scant six feet in three minutes and 45 seconds, 10 seconds faster than they had ever run it before after four of the most thrilling laps around the Harmon oval any one could hope to see.

#### Relay a Thriller

Jerry Schabel, pretty much worn from his half-mile grind just a short time before, ran the first leg for Fremont and was trailing Armstrong by a good margin until he turned on the steam about 150 yards from the tape. He passed Armstrong and managed to hold a scant yard lead as he handed the baton to Del Weiler.

Weiler held the slim lead all the way around the track but in the last few yards Petrie came up and managed to pass him and Arlo Williamson, third Ross runner, was about a foot behind Bahnsen as he started his quarter-mile. The two ran side by side until they hit the second turn but in the last 250 yards Williamson pulled away by a good two yards. Bill Berger, who had already run his fastest mile, held the early lead for half the distance and then twice beat off Ray Boothby as the Waite anchorman made desperate challenges and both times drew within inches of Berger. The latter had at least two yards to spare at the finish.

#### Demmel Is Nipped

The final event, the broad jump, also had a bit of drama. Sylvester Stewart, Waite's colored speedster, took one jump before he ran the half-mile and made 19 feet 4 inches. Then, when the competition resumed, Bob Demmel beat it by an inch and was leading until Stewart took his final jump. This time he cleared 19 feet 9 1/2 inches and that stood up as the best. Demmel could do on his last three leaps was 19 feet 6 1/2 inches. Rogers of Fremont, was third with 18 feet 8 1/2 inches.

As the meet started Demmel, Mohler and Robertson followed each other to the tape in the high hurdles with the winner's time being 16.4 seconds, with Boothby scoring the first of Waite's six firsts in the next race, the 100. The Toledoan was clocked in 11 seconds and had a slim lead over Erchenbrecher and Sampsel, both of Fremont.

Stewart, fastest half-miler in the country last year, showed the same ability in taking the mile in 4:45.2, with Berger pulling in second in 4:52.3, his fastest time of the season. Mills Toledo, was third.

Bud Inks won the shot put with a heave of 39 feet 7 inches, and Weiler took third with 38 feet 10 inches as Wendtke of Waite, slipping into second. Fremont had little trouble adding points in the half-mile relay which Williamson, Sampsel, Erchenbrecher and Weiler won with a big lead in 1:39.3.

#### Rossmen Hold Edge

Jerry Larkins won the 440 by two yards from Petrie and Armstrong in 57.4 seconds, but Waite gained a trifle in the high jump which went to Gladieux on a leap of 5 feet 2 inches while Mohler tied Boothby for third, both clearing five feet.

The pole vault ended in deadlocks and the points were split. Rinebold and Dibling tied for first, each clearing 9 feet 7 inches, while Schabel and Whitcomb tied for third on leaps of 8 feet 6 inches.

Demmel and Mohler ran one-two in the low hurdles, the former leading by 10 yards and Mohler claiming a two-yard advantage over Lynch, Toledo. Winning time was 27.2 seconds.

Wandtke copped the discus, sailing the platter 118 feet 8 inches and his teammate, Huffman, was second, as Inks best throw was 110 feet. Waite had 109 for fourth and no points, while Miller, who won the event last week, failed to qualify.

#### Demmel, Stewart Star

Stewart easily won his specialty, the half-mile, in 2:06 with Schabel pulling in second 7.5 seconds later and Larkins of Fremont finished third, and Demmel won the 220 yard dash from Boothby with a furious burst of speed, running his opponent into the cinders to finish a yard in

## ALMOST AS BAD AS SETUP HERE

COLUMBUS, May 8.—U.P.—The Ohio State university football squad may enter the fall gridiron campaign with the smallest coaching staff since the university entered the Big Ten conference in 1913.

The staff will be reduced to Acting Head Coach Carroll Widdoes and his two assistants, Ernie Godfrey and Paul Bixler, at the end of the school term, as compared with Paul Brown's pre-war coaching staff of seven.

Athletic Director L. W. St. John said that "we have nobody in mind to fill the vacancies at the present time."

## BIRDS AGAIN BID FOR LEAD

### Win Slugfest From Toledo And Trail Brews By Half Game

By United Press

The Milwaukee Brewers and Columbus Red Birds were separated by one-half game in the American Association today after both teams pounded out victories yesterday.

The Brewers maintained their slim margin by adding 17 hits to four Kansas City errors in gaining a 6 to 3 victory. Richard Hearn received credit for the win, although he was relieved by Jack Farmer in the fifth inning.

The Red Birds won an eight-inning slugfest, 10 to 8, after touching four Toledo pitchers for nine hits. Toledo scored four runs in the first half of the opening inning, but Columbus scored three in the same stanza. The same scoring routine was repeated in the third inning, but the Red Birds went on to score two more runs in the fourth and one each in the fifth and sixth. The game was called the end of the eighth by agreement. Ed Blake received credit for the victory.

The other two games in the league were postponed.

## KIWANIS BOWLERS SPLIT PIN MONEY

The Kiwanis bowling league divided \$132.75 in prize money at the Thursday luncheon meeting of the club with first place in the league good for \$25 for the team captained by Frank W. Gine. Other team prizes were \$20 to Dr. A. G. Thatcher's team; \$17.50 to Dr. J. Wadsworth; \$15 to Ray Anspach; \$12.50 to Attorney A. L. Hyzer and \$10 to Bill Keller.

In the individual awards the No. 1 team received \$3 for highest game, 1108; and \$3 for highest three games, 3065. Hyzer won \$3 for individual high game, 265, and Arnold Haakenson \$3 for high three games, 619. No. 2 team had high game 10 times and was awarded \$3 while it also received \$3 for having the high three games the most times, 11.

Smiley Welter won \$3 for having the high individual games most times, six, and Bill Crist and Welter split \$3 for high three games most times. Welter's average of 174 was high at the end of the season and good for \$3, while C. R. Cooper received \$3 for making the most improvement. Lowest average was that of White, 123, and it was good for \$2. Archie McShane turned in the most surprising game, a 212, and received 73 cents.

front, and Sampsel came in third. Demmel's time was 24.5 seconds and that set the stage for the relay and the broad jump.

Demmel and Stewart were the individual stars although both received plenty of support from their teammates. Demmel won the 220 and both hurdle events and was second in the broad jump for 18 points while Stewart, who hasn't been defeated in a single event this year, again took the mile, half-mile and broad jump. Eddie Gabel, former athletic director home on leave from Great Lakes, acted as starter for the meet.

#### BUCK RELEASE CUBAN

PITTSBURGH, May 8.—U.P.—The Pittsburgh Pirates announced today that Shortstop Tony Ordennana of Havana, Cuba, has been released outright to Portsmouth of the Piedmont League. Ordennana was bought on trial from Portsmouth last fall and played in one game.



## VISITORS COP FIRSTS IN 10 OF 14 EVENTS

### Bill Berger Wins Both Mile And 880 To Pace Rossmen

Competing without the services of Bob Demmel, consistent four-event winner, Ross high's track Little Giants suffered the same fate Tuesday afternoon that befell another big guy when a boy named Jack climbed a beanstalk in make-believe land.

But there wasn't anything make-believe out at Harmon stadium when the Rossmen made their first start since snaring Buckeye League honors with Port Clinton as the opposition. The Porters, taking full advantage of the weakened Fremonters, handed them a 78½ to 39½ defeat.

The setback was by a slightly wider margin than that ran up by the visitors when they were the host team last month. It was particularly distasteful in that Port Clinton had been the only team to top Coach Whitey Althoff's charges this season.

Demmel twisted an ankle Monday night and wasn't in uniform. As a result the Porters ran off with 10 firsts in the 14-event program, four of them events that Demmel would have taken, based on his past performances.

#### Berger Wins Two

The four firsts that the Little Giants managed to salvage were taken by Bill Berger, Jerry Larkins and the mile relay team. Berger finished in front in the mile and half-mile while Larkins took the 440 and two of the races were hotly contested.

After running a 4:46 mile, Berger came back in the half, first time he has run that distance in two seasons, and managed to beat out his teammate, Red Schabel, by a chest. Berger set the early pace and had a big lead with Schabel dropping behind Clemons half-way round. Then both Clemons and Schabel attempted to pass Berger and Schabel managed to do it coming into the stretch. But the miler had enough left to nose out his teammate although the latter ran the distance four seconds faster than he ever had before. The winner's time was 2:08.7.

In winning the 440, Larkins twice beat off challenges by Mackey and won by a yard or so in a tough finish. The mile relay quartet didn't have an easy time although it won by a good six yards. Schabel put on another fine display of moxie in finishing a step ahead of Anderson, turning the trick in the stretch, and Del Weller increased it to four yards on the second lap. Williamson widened it still further and Larkins didn't lose any distance despite a fine finish by Mackey.

#### Trail From Start

Fremont dropped far behind early in the meet. Adams took the high hurdles in 16.6 seconds with Itch Mohler second and Stein of Port Clinton third. Kreutzfeld and Selgo ran one-two in the 100 with Williamson third in something of a blanket finish in the slow time of 11.1 seconds and the Porters were on their way.

Dick Bloom tossed the shot 47 feet one-quarter inch for a wide margin over Bud Inks who had 40 feet 10½ inches, and Mackey added third. Berger picked up a point for the Rossmen in winning the mile in 4:46 with Clemons and Latin trailing him to the tape.

The visitors' half-mile relay team finished some 30 feet in front of Weller, Schabel, Erchenbrecher and Williamson and the point breach was further widened when Selgo took the high jump with a leap of 5 feet 3 inches and Adams added a second. Mohler cut in for third by clearing the bar at 4 feet 11 inches.

#### Can't Pick Up

Larkins copped the 440 in 56.6 seconds but Mackey and Anderson took place and show and Bloom added another five points by winning the discus with a heave of 137 feet 5 inches. Inks trailed him again and O'Nan was third. The pole vault didn't help the Little Giants any as Koob and Short, both of Port Clinton, tied for first at 9 feet 9 inches and Riedmeyer tied Fremont's Rinebolt for third at an even 9 feet.

Mohler was second in the low timbers, several yards behind Stein who was clocked in 27.5 seconds, and Clemons was third. After Berger and Schabel had run one-two in the 880 Krautzfeld and Von Thron duplicated the trick in the 220 with Sampsel third. Winning time was 25.3 seconds.

Fremont won the mile relay but Port Clinton closed the meet with first and second in the broad jump. Sein cleared but 19 feet with Selgo jumping 18 feet 11½ inches. Mohler was four inches behind him for third.



# Demmel Wins All-Events With Bill Berger Second

With the best times and distances in seven of the 12 events and a tie for first in the eighth, Bob Demmel walked off with the annual all-events track trophy at Ross high this year. The meet was run over a three day span and Demmel amassed 710 points for a 70-point margin over his closest competitor, Bill Berger.

Berger scored 640 points and was tops in two events, the mile and half-mile, and close up in several others. Trailing the two leaders were Red Schabel, 580; Jerry Larkins, 450; Waldo Whitcomb, 430; Arlo Williamson, 410; Miller, 385, and Heflinger, 230. These were the only eight of the 24 who entered who competed in all events.

## What They Did

Here is what the boys did in the various events:

Low hurdles—Berger, 30 sec.; Demmel, 28.2; Schabel, 30; Weiler, 31.6; Williamson, 29.6; Reinbold, 32.6; Rogers, 35; Hoy, 31.8; Larkins, 32.8; Mohler, 29.8; Sampsel, 30; Whitcomb, 32; Stetzel, 33.4; Sevitts, 33.2; Kellogg, 38; Robertson, 32; Johnson, 34.4; Miller, 33.6; Fahle, 32.8; Heflinger, 35; Banister, 38; Arnold, 33.

100-yard Dash—Berger, 11.2; Schabel, 11.8; Weiler, 10.9; Williamson, 11.4; Demmel, 10.7; Reinbold, 12; Rogers, 12; Hoy, 11.6; Larkins, 11.9; Mohler, 11.8; Sampsel, 11.4; Whitcomb, 12; Stetzel, 12; Sevitts, 12.8; Kellogg, 12.4; Robertson, 12.4; Johnson, 12; Miller, 12.4; Fahle, 12.8; Heflinger, 13.2; Banister, 13.4; Arnold, 12.6.

High Jump—Berger, 5; Schabel, 4.4; Weiler, 4.4; Williamson, 3.8; Demmel, 5.1; Reinbold, 4.8; Rogers, 4.4; Hoy, 5.1; Larkins, 4.6; Mohler, 5.1; Sampsel, 4; Whitcomb, 4.8; Stetzel, 4.4; Sevitts, 3.10; Kellogg, 3.10; Robertson, 4.8; Johnson, 4; Miller, 4.8; Heflinger, 4.4; Banister, 4; Arnold, 4.6.

440 Dash—Berger, 54.5 seconds; Schabel, 56.5; Weiler, 57.8; Williamson, 57; Demmel, 54.4; Reinbold, 61; Rogers, 59.6; Hoy, 65; Larkins, 57.2; Mohler, 59.8; Sampsel, 61; Whitcomb, 60.2; Stetzel, 61.2; Sevitts, 63.2; Kellogg, 66.2; Robertson, 63.6; Miller, 64.9; Heflinger, 66.9; Banister, 70.2; Arnold, 63.4.

220 Dash—Berger, 24.8; Schabel, 25.4; Weiler, 26.6; Williamson, 25.4; Demmel, 24.1; Rogers, 26; Hoy, 26.5; Larkins, 26; Mohler, 26.1; Sampsel, 26; Whitcomb, 26.2; Stetzel, 27.2; Ballenger, 29.3; Sevitts, 28.9; Kellogg, 28.4; Robertson, 27.7; Miller, 27.4; Fahle, 27.6; Heflinger, 29.8; Banister, 29.5; Arnold, 27.5.

Shot Put—Berger, 20.6; Schabel, 29.9; Weiler, 36.5; Williamson, 25; Demmel, 33.8; Reinbold, 30; Rogers, 29.6; Hoy, 35.6; Larkins, 27.9; Mohler, 31.8; Sampsel, 25.9; Whitcomb, 30.4; Stetzel, 22.4; Ballenger, 17.2; Sevitts, 17.4; Kellogg, 22.10; Robertson, 20.2; Miller, 38.5; Fahle, 39.5; Heflinger, 20.5; Banister, 16.4; Arnold, 28.2.

Broad Jump—Berger, 16.1; Schabel, 16.3; Williamson, 13.7; Demmel, 17.5; Rogers, 16.7; Hoy, 16.9; Larkins, 15.6; Sampsel, 14.1; Whitcomb, 15.9; Stetzel, 15; Ballenger, 13.11; Kellogg, 14; Robertson, 14.4; Miller, 17.2½; Fahle, 16; Heflinger, 13.9; Banister, 13.5; Arnold, 14.11.

880 Run—Berger, 2:09.7; Schabel, 2:10.9; Williamson, 2:34; Demmel, 2:19.8; Rogers, 2:26; Hoy, 2:45.9; Larkins, 2:15.7; Sampsel, 2:28; Whitcomb, 2:25; Stetzel, 2:25; Ballenger, 2:55; Sevitts, 2:36.5; Kellogg, 2:52; Robertson, 2:42; Miller, 2:32; Heflinger, 2:32.5; Banister, 2:46; Arnold, 2:42.

High Hurdles—Berger, 18.6; Schabel, 20.8; Williamson, 20.8; Demmel, 16.8; Rogers, 23.4; Hoy, 22; Larkins, 22.3; Mohler, 20; Sampsel, 20.2; Whitcomb, 21; Ballenger, 21; Robertson, 19.8; Miller, 23.8; Heflinger, 22.6.

Pole Vault—Berger, 7.3; Schabel, 9.6; Demmel, 9.9; Hoy, 6.5; Sampsel, 7; Whitcomb, 7.9; Rob-

ertson, 6.6; Miller, 6.6; Heflinger, 8.

Discus—Berger, 80.6; Schabel, 73.8; Williamson, 69.6; Demmel, 82.10; Reinbold, 100; Hoy, 68.2; Larkins, 69.9; Whitcomb, 68.2; Stetzel, 44.6; Ballenger, 52.5; Sevitts, 62.6; Robertson, 53.10; Miller, 98.10; Fahle, 90.6; Heflinger, 47.

Mile—Berger, 4:55; Schabel, 5:12; Williamson, 5:51; Demmel, 6:17; Larkins, 5:05; Whitcomb, 6; Stetzel, 5:33; Miller, 6:14; Heflinger, 6:02.

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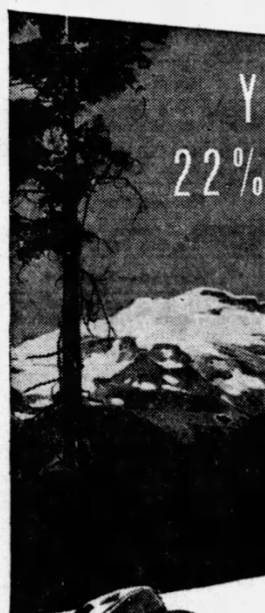
NEW YORK, May 26.—UP—The New York Giants and the Cincinnati Reds, rained out twice in as many nights in an attempt to start their three-game series, try again tonight under the lights at the Polo Grounds.

The two postponed games of the series will be played off here on the Reds' second swing along the Atlantic seaboard.

Manager Bill McKechnie of the Reds found a source of annoyance in the continued bad weather. He admitted he was worried because his pitching staff, which thrives on work, hasn't been getting enough

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### Few Here Better

Hope these three sets of records can be compared without the paragraphs becoming too involved and figures too tangled up. In but two instances do the best performances made at Harmon field top those of last Saturday while only in a like number of events Ross students have done better than last week's top performers.

Best time in any qualifier for the low hurdles was 25.2 seconds while back in 1931, Fields of Oberlin topped them here in 25.1 seconds. Fastest mile ran last week was four minutes 35 seconds, while Soupy Campbell circled the track four times in 4:33.4 eight years ago. Bob Shaw was responsible for better marks than 50 feet 3 inches in the shot put. In 1940 he set a Harmon field record of 52 feet 3 3/4 inches and the same year in the state meet tossed the lead-in pellet an even 54 feet.

Some of the other school and field records were close to those made last week, but it must be remembered that they were listed as "poor" and below the average. If you have yesterday's paper lying about yet maybe you'd like to compare those records with the balance of the ones standing here. If so, get ready. Here come the figures.

### Good 24 Years

In the high hurdles the Ross high and Harmon records were set by Pete Fox, both in 1937, at 15.1 and 15.5 seconds, respectively. Bromm of Sandusky, set the field mark in the century in 1929 and it was equaled by McMurry, also Sandusky, in 1930. The time, 10.1 seconds. Towner Smith holds the school record of 10.2 seconds, made in 1920.

Campbell's 4:33.4 mile in 1936, is tops for the school although it wasn't made here, hence Rogers of Sandusky, claims the Harmon record with 4:35.6. The 1940 half-mile relay quartet of Clark, Schneider, Huddle and Chestnutwood, are still tops with 1:32, but again the time was clocked away from home giving Sandusky another field record of 1:33, set in 1935.

Towner Smith's 52 seconds in the 440 has never been beaten by any Little Giant although they've been shooting at it for 24 years, but Owens of Junior Order, later a star sprinter at Ohio State, shaved it to 51.2 at Harmon stadium four years ago.

### Shaw Holds Three

Bob Shaw, who made athletic history here a few short years ago, shares with Smith the honor of holding the most school records and also has two stadium marks to his record. Shaw's 26.7 seconds for the low timbers, his 54 feet for the shot put and 144 feet for the discus are the best in Purple annals while his

52 feet 3 3/4 inches in the shot and 143 feet 5 inches in the discus have withstood all assaults at the Miller street sports plant. All were made in 1940.

Shaw failed to hang on to the field low hurdle records because Fields of Oberlin cleared the barriers in 25.1 seconds back in 1931. While Campbell holds the half-mile record his best time wasn't made here so he failed to snare the double distinction. However, the Harmon record, held by Harple of Sandusky and set in 1930, is no faster than Campbell's best time of 2:03.3. It was the same.

Three former athletes share 226 honors. Smith set the school mark of 22.6 seconds in 1920 and 20 years later Clarence Chestnutwood came along and tied it. Three years before that Pete Erchenbrecher was clocked in 22.7 on the Harmon cinders and still holds that record.

### Two Are Safe

Al Gant, Johnson, Riedy and Weyer, a Sandusky four-some that was unbeaten in 1938, set the Harmon record of 3:32.9 for the mile relay while the Fremont quartet of Jim Spangler, John Kochy, Bud Ballard and Chestnutwood ran the fastest Ross mile the same year, 3:35.5. Don Whittaker, also Sandusky, last of the top pole vaulters in this section, cleared the bar at a quarter-inch over 12 feet in 1935 for the field mark while the same year Thraves went 11 feet 4 1/4 inches, best effort by any Rossman.

John Pettiford high jumped 5 feet 10 1/4 inches in 1932 and that still stands for the school, but Pressing of Norwalk, made a half-inch better in 1935 and set the field mark. In 1935, King Karl Krueger of Sandusky, broad jumped 21 feet 5 inches and surpassed Windy Wendler's 21 feet 3 1/2 inches made in 1921, the latter still best for the school.

Two records that will probably never be bettered are London Gant's 173 feet 11 inches and Harmon field and Judy Lerch's 172 feet 4 1/4 inches for the school, in the javelin. Schoolboys don't throw the spear anymore. And we hope you folks aren't too groggy. Or didn't you stay with us this long?

### NEWARK BOLSTERS OHIO STATE LEAD

COLUMBUS, May 26.—UP—Newark continued to hold its lead today in the Ohio State baseball league after shutting out Springfield 6 to 0 yesterday.

In the other games, Middletown defeated Lima 9 to 6 while Marion defeated Zanesville 7 to 3.

The standings:

|                   | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|-------------------|-----|------|------|
| Newark .....      | 14  | 8    | .636 |
| Middletown .....  | 10  | 7    | .588 |
| Lima .....        | 12  | 11   | .523 |
| Zanesville .....  | 11  | 11   | .500 |
| Springfield ..... | 9   | 12   | .429 |
| Marion .....      | 7   | 14   | .333 |

## RECOGNIZE DEMMEL IN HIGH HURDLES

Bob Demmel, four-event track performer with the Little Giants last year, was placed on the all-Ohio scholastic track team for his efforts in the high hurdles, Coach Whitey Althoff has been advised.

Demmel was one of 10 boys picked for the high timber event and awarded a certificate in attest. Coach Althoff said his selection was undoubtedly based on his showing in the state meet where he was clocked in 15.5 seconds although he finished fifth in his heat which saw five timber-toppers closely bunched.