

LERCH SECOND AT COLUMBUS MEETING

George Lerch, Fremont high's javelin tosser, who holds the state record for the event, mark he made at Norwalk Friday by tossing the Zulus' chief weapon a distance of 177 feet, 4½ inches, drew second place at scholastic meeting in Columbus Saturday. He was second to Popeko of Garfield high, Akron, who won the event with a toss of 165 feet, 10 and a fraction inches, more than 12 feet inside the Lerch sensation of the day previous.

The record toss of Friday, graduation from school on the same eventful date, were a bit too much for big George, who did not appear to be up to his usual form, but he has collected quite a bit of fame with his spear this season and will rest up now for the finish of his scholastic career at the Lit-

BLUM AND RUST COLUMBIAN STARS

TIFFIN, May 27.—Two Columbian tracksters, Blum and Rust, were in Columbus Saturday to compete in the state finals. Blum won the discus throw, shattering the state record. Rust placed fifth in the javelin throw.

In the Little Big Seven meet to be held at Sandusky this week, at least 10 Tiffin athletes will be entered Coach Junkins announced. The locals will be strong in the field events, but have little threat in the runs.

The Big Seven meeting in Sandusky, June 1.

The Little Big Seven was heard from at the Columbus meeting. V. Blum, of Columbian, Tiffin, threw the discus to a new state high mark, getting a toss of 124 feet 2½ inches, beating the old mark by two feet.