

Willow Glen Wins Meet

SAN JOSE, April 24.—Lincoln's Don Bowden zipped 880 yards at the speedy clip of 1:54.1 in the standout performance of the second annual San Jose prep all-city track and field meet, which was captured by Willow Glenn with 65¼ points on the latter's field here today.

Santa Clara won both the 130 pound division with 86 points and the 120's with 71 5-6 in the six school meet.

VARSITY

120 high hurdles—Brewer (JL), Haynie (JL), Martin (B), 15.6.
880—Bowden (L), Scott (WG), Geimer (JL), 1:54.1.
100—Knoth (L), Falcone (B), Olguin (L), 10.3.
440—Walrath (WG), Block (B), Courtwright (WG), 51.8.
180 low hurdles—Brewer (JL), Haynie (JL), Jones (WG), 21.0.
220—Knoth (L), Aguiar (JL), Olduin (L), 22.5.
Mile—Wilson (SC), Gross (L), Swarthout (WG), 4:30.1.
880 relay—Lincoln, Bellarmine, Willow Glen, 1:32.6.
Shotput—Raimondi (WG), Dirienzo (L), Arriante (SC), 46-6½.
Pole vault—Frizzell (WG), Darwin (L), tie with LeGate (JL), 12-9.
High jump—Durkee (B), Barranti (WG), Brewer (L), 5-6.
Broad jump—Falcone (B), Olguin (L), tied with Frizzell (WG), 21-3.
Discus—Swarthout (WG), Sadler (JL), Stewart (SJ), 139-4.
Team points—Willow Glen 65¼, James Lick 56¼, Lincoln 55, Bellarmine 43¾, Santa Clara 21 1/12, San Jose 3¾.

130 POUNDS

70 high hurdles—Helmdout (JL), Benetvino (L), Montez (SC), 10.1.
660—Ybarra (SC), Reblan (SJ), Jenkins (WG), 1:31.9.
75—Richmond (SC), Santos (L), Valentine (B), 8.3.
330—Nunes (SC), Reblan (SJ), Threefoot (B), 38.1.
120 low hurdles—Ramirez (L), Helmdout (JL), Montez (SC), 14.4.
150—Nunes (SC), Richmond (SC), Green (B), 15.7.
1,320—Antes (L), Wright (L), Cooper (SJ), 3:29.8.
440 relay—Santa Clara, Bellarmine, San Jose, 45.7.
Shotput—Nunes (SC), Detrick (B), Ybarra (SC), 51-5¼.
High jump—Three way tie among Miesenback (JL), Frangani (WG) and Wagner (SJ), 5-3¾.
Pole vault—Mendoza (JL), Erickson (SC), Walsh (B), Antes (L) and Reinhardt (WG) tied for third, 10.
Broad jump—Richmond (SC), Ferrara (L), Arballo (SC), 18-8½.
Discus—Rizzo (SJ), Detrick (B), Fernandez (SC), 129-8.
Team points—Santa Clara 86, James Lick 41½, Lincoln 40, San Jose 33½, Bellarmine 31, Willow Glen 15½.

120 POUNDS

75—Ortega (SJ), Robinson (SC), Shea (B), 8.5.
330—Martinez (SC), Simonetti (L), Ruiz (JL), 39.1.
120 low hurdles—Arevalo (SJ), Tirado (JL), Hayashi, 15.3.
150—Martinez (SC), Ortega (SJ), Robinson (SC), 16.6.
440 relay—San Jose, Santa Clara, Bellarmine.
High jump—Saldivia (B), Kogura (SJ), tied with Arevalo (SJ), 4-10.
Discus—Sanders (SJ), Tachibana (SC), Smith (SC), 99-9½.
Shotput—Sanders (SJ), Aiello (SJ), Gast (SC), 45-2½.
Team points—Santa Clara 71 5/6, San Jose 70 1/6, Bellarmine 23½, Lincoln 11 1/6, James Lick 11, Willow Glen 1½.

Lee Cox Lauds Morris Goldner

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Morris Goldner, Willow Glen track and field coach, deserves more than a pat on the back for his efforts in the Second Annual San Jose City High School track and field championships held Saturday on the Willow Glen oval.

To the uninformed, Goldner coaches the Ram spike team that dethroned Lincoln as the team champion, and he also conducted the meet. The second annual event was run off smoothly, a tribute to Goldner's diligent efforts.

After losing the Southern Peninsula Athletic League dual meet title to Lincoln Wednesday, Goldner had a tough job getting his boys "up" for their second chance. That he succeeded was demonstrated by the Ram team Saturday.

When asked if the loss of hurdler-high jumper Jack Searfoss had anything to do with his team's defeat, Lincoln Coach Lee Cox said it would have made no difference.

"Willow Glen deserved to win and after all the bad luck Goldner has encountered, it was nice to see his team come out on top," said Cox.

Others we talked to said the same thing. Many observers thought Bellarmine, under Mr. Edward Callanan, S.J., made a surprisingly strong showing in their first effort and others remarked that Bill Sullivan did an outstanding job with his James Lick Comets, who finished a strong second.

Colorful Rip Miller of Santa Clara presented his usual strong teams. His B and C teams made a successful defense of their crowns and the varsity made a better showing than expected.

Elgin Martin's San Jose Bulldog C team lost by one point in a dog-eat-dog encounter with Santa Clara.

The great improvement in prep track and field in this city can be attributed to these coaches—Goldner, Cox, Sullivan, Martin, Miller and Callanan.

Another heartening factor Saturday was the attendance, more surprising to us than Don Bowden's remarkable ramble of 1:54.1 in the 880. Crowds of that sort, plus continued good coaching, are bound to make this area a power in prep track and field circles.

Bowden Nears Record

We are more convinced than ever that Don Bowden of Lincoln will crack the National Interscholastic 880 record of 1:53.9 now held by Lang Stanley, formerly of Jefferson of Los Angeles and last year NCAA 880 champ at San Jose State.

Running all the way all by his lonesome, Bowden galloped the two laps in 1:54.1 Saturday. He ran his first 440 in 53.5, a fact which led San Jose Coach Bud Winter to remark "Not even Whitfield runs his first quarter that fast."

Coach Lee Cox is also convinced his protege will crack the record. It probably won't be in the SPAL trials at San Jose Friday, but we look for the lanky Lion to break it before the state finals.

Almost forgotten behind Bowden's performance was Bill Wilson's repeat All-City win in the mile. Almost unable to complete a race this year, let alone win one, the angular Santa Claran ran the four laps in 4:30.1, best effort by a Northern Californian this year and fifth best in the state.

Wilson had to run fast, however, as Lincoln's Marv Gross, the heavy favorite, was clocked in 4:30.8. Wilson will be tough from now on and don't be surprised if he repeats as champion of the North Coast Section and gives those favored Southerners a good run in the state finals at Berkeley.