

Central Area

BAKERSFIELD, May 26. — Jerry White of Corcoran High won the 100 and 440 yard dashes and placed second in the broad jump to highlight the Central Section CIF track and field championships today.

120 High Hurdles—Dale Messer (Lemoore), Clarence Treat (Kingsburg), :14.4. (Ties own Central Section record.)

Shot Put—Wayne Crow (Corcoran), Ron Provost (Bakersfield), 58-3½.

Broad Jump—Jim Johnson (Kingsburg), Jerry White (Corcoran), 23-6⅞.

High Jump—Sylvester Pointer (Washington), Lorenzo Goree (Delano), 6-3.

880 — Tom Brown (Merced), John Patterson (Tulare), 1:55.8. (New record, old mark 1:57.1 by Porasso of Edison in 1949.)

180 Low Hurdles—Dale Messer (Lemoore), Jesse Bradford (Shafter), :19.0.

100 — White (Corcoran), Gary Schaaf (Orosi), :09.8.

440—White (Corcoran), J. C. Phillips (Bakersfield), :47.8. (New record, old record :49.1 by White in 1955.)

Pole Vault—Tie between Dave Wimmer (Fresno) and Lavern Butler (Tulare), 12-10.

Mile — Miles Eisenman (Tehachapi), Ken Bencoter (Chowchilla), 4:32.8.

220 — Schaaf (Orosi), Doug Smith (Taft), :21.6.

880 Relay — Bakersfield, Lemoore, 1:29. (New record, old mark 1:29.3 by Bakersfield in 1955.)

night they'll be looking for the harvest.

The classy speedsters in this neck of the woods will be out to reap new records in the central section California Interscholastic federation tournament at Bakersfield tonight. This area has record threats in almost every running event.

Tulare county's brightest contributions to the cinder paths are Orosi's Gary Schaaf and Tulare's John Patterson.

Schaaf, just a junior, has a good chance to break the 100-yard central section record of 9.7 tonight on the fast Bakersfield Memorial stadium oval. He has equalled that mark twice this season.

Patterson has an equal opportunity to break the half-mile record. He might, however, break the record and still not win the race.

Patterson, a tall, solidly built Tulare high senior, has broken two minutes in the 880-yard grind twice this season, both times chasing Merced's Tom Brown across the finish line. But in their third meet, Patterson may catch Brown.

The central section half-mile record is 1:57.1. That's one-tenth of a second lower than Patterson's best this year—a Tulare high record. The Red-skin, who has been timed



JOHN PATTERSON
Tulare's Ace Half-Miler

SCHAAF GETS TROPHY

However, Orosi's Gary Schaaf got the trophy for outstanding athlete of the meet. Seems as how the sprints count more points toward the honor.

Schaaf won the 220 in the good time of 21.2s but was AIDED BY A WIND. His time for the 100 yard dash was 9.9s.

The Lemoore senior just wasn't in enough events apparently to impress the judges that he deserved the trophy.

880-yard relay — Again, it's Bakersfield's quartet of Wes Johnson, Walt Mince, Willie Brown and Phillips which has the edge and is looking for a record performance.

Corcoran And Lemoore Qualify Most Athletes

BAKERSFIELD, Kern Co.—Corcoran and Lemoore High Schools qualified the most athletes for A class competition in the California State meet here last night. Corcoran won A class with Lemoore second.

Corcoran may make a real bid for the state title with entries in both the 100 yard dash, the 440 yard dash, and both weight events.

Lemoore High, with a twin win in the hurdle races was next in line. Only the first place winners in class A will be allowed to compete in the state meet.

Will Enter State Meet

Qualified for the state track and field meet in Chico Saturday night are the following class A performers:

120 yard high hurdles—Dale Messer, Lemoore, in 14.4 seconds.

180 yard low hurdles—Messer, in 19 seconds flat.

880 yard run—Tom Brown, Merced, in 1:55.8.

100 yard dash—Jerry White, Corcoran, 9.8 seconds.

440 yard dash—White, 47.8 seconds.

High jump—Sylvester Pointer, Washington Union High School of Easton, 6 feet, 3 inches.

Broad jump—James Johnson, Kingsburg High School, 23 feet, 6 1/2 inches.

Shotput—Wayne Crow, Corcoran High School, 58 feet, 3 1/2 inches.

The meet still was underway at a late hour.

Messer, White Win Doubles

Messer of Lemoore and White of Corcoran High School became early double winners in the meet which qualified only the first place men in A class for the state meet.

Messer was pushed again by Clarence Treat of Kingsburg in tying his own 120 yard high hurdle record of 14.4 seconds. Jesse Bradford of Shafter High pushed Messer in the 180 yard low hurdles to a time of 19 seconds flat. Messer's time was a record breaker but disallowed because of an aiding 5.7 mile an hour win. The record is held by Kingsburg's Rafer Johnson at 19.1.

White Beats Schaaf

White had a highly interesting duel with Gary Schaaf of Orsi High before taking first place in the 100 yard dash. His time was 9.8 in a ding dong battle.

White set a record of 47.8 seconds in the 440 yard run. It was an improvement over his own mark last year, when he turned the quarter mile in 49.1. J. C. Phillips of Bakersfield High provided him with top competition.

Brown, Merced High's outstanding middle distance runner, turned in another outstanding effort as he set a record of

1:55.8 in the half mile. Brown, who has been tops in the 880 all spring, broke the former mark of 1:57.1 set by Joe Porasso of Edison High School in 1949.

Pointer, Washington Union High School athlete from Easton, turned in his best effort of the season in winning the high jump at 6 feet, 3 inches.

The Kingsburg family of Johnsons refuse to be held down when it comes to track and field meets. James Johnson, a younger brother of Rafer, turned in an outstanding effort of 23 feet, 6 1/2 inches in the broad jump.

Crown put Corcoran High in a position to be a real threat in the state meet by winning the shot put at 58 feet, 3 1/2 inches. That was his best official mark of the season.

School Wins Furlong

Schaaf came back in the 220 yard dash to win in 21.6 and earn his trip to Chico.

Bob Eisenman of Tehachapi High sprang something of a surprise when he won the mile run in 4:32.8, topping the performance of Chowchilla's Kenneth Benscoter who had to settle for second. Benscoter was timed in 4:28 last week in Lemoore.

The swift Bakersfield High School 880 yard relay team set a mark of 1:29 in that event with a personnel composed of Wesley Johnson, Walt Mince, Willie Brown and Phillips.

Dave Wimmer of Fresno High and Levern Butler of Tulare High tied for first in the pole vault at 12 feet, 10 inches and probably both will compete in the state meet.

Crow became a double winner when he heaved the discus 166 feet, 10 1/2 inches but fell short of the sectional record set by the late Leon Patterson of Taft High.

The results:

(The key: Arvin, Ar; Avenal, AV; Bakersfield, Bfr; Caruthers, Car; Central Union, CU; Clovis, Cl; Coalinga, Coal; Corcoran, Cor; Edison, Ed; Fowler, Fow; Fresno High, FHS; Garces, Garces; Delano, Del; Dinuba, Din; Dos Palos, DP; East Bakersfield, EB; Kernan, Ker; Hanford, Han; Immanuel Academy, Imm; Kingsburg, Kings; Lemoore, Lem; Lindsay, Lin; Madera, Mad; Merced, Mer; Mt. Whitney, MW; North High, NH; Orsi, Orsi; Palmer, Pal; Porterville, Por; Reedley, Reed; Riverdale, Riv; Roosevelt, Rook; Sanger, Sa; San Joaquin Memorial, SJM; Shafter, Sha; Sierra Union, SU; Strathmore, Str; Taft, Taft; Tranquility, Tra; Tehachapi, Teh; Tulare, Tul; Wasco, Wasco; Washington Union, WU.)

220—Gary Schaaf, Orsi, 21.6.

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Messer, White, Crow Win Twice

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4:32.8. Mile—Bob Eisenman, Tehachapi

880 relay—Bakersfield High.

Pole vault—Dave Wimmer, Fresno High and Levern Butler, Tulare High, 12 feet, 10 inches.

Discus—Crow, 166 feet, 10½ inches.

The team scores:

Class A—Corcoran 24, Lemoore 21, Bakersfield 19, Fresno High 17, Taft 12, Orosl 11, Kingsburg 9, Tulare 8½, Edison of Fresno 8¼, Shafter 7¼, Merced 7, Clovis 5¼, Tehachapi 5, Washington Union of Easton 5, Roosevelt of Fresno 5, Wasco 4½, Delano 4, Sanger 4, Chowchilla 4, North High of Bakersfield 4, Selma 2½, Riverdale 2½, Fowler 2, Garces of Bakersfield 1, Coalinga 1, Dos Palos ½, Emmanuel Academy of Reedley ¼.

Class B—Bakersfield 24½, Merced 23½, Delano 18½, Reedley 17, Madera 9, Dinuba 8, Orosl 7, Edison 6, Taft 5, Washington 5, Tehachapi 5, Tulare 5, Dos Palos 5, North High 4½, Coalinga 4, Fowler 4, Wasco 3½, Parlier 3, Kernman 3, Clovis 3, Sanger 2½, Sierra Union of Toihouse 2, East Bakersfield 2, Tranquility 2, Hanford 2, Lindsay 1½, Corcoran 1½, Selma 1, Garces 1, Alexander 1.

Class C—Bakersfield 21¼, Corcoran 19, Delano 19, Taft 16, Fowler 10, Sanger 8¼, North High 8, Wasco 7¼, Redwood of Visalia 6, Tulare 5, Central 5, Reedley 5, East Bakersfield 3, Fowler 3, Fresno High 3, Selma 2½, Madera 2½, Bullard of Fresno 2, Dinuba 1, Washington 1, Emmanuel ¾.

Class A

120 HH—Messer Lem, Treat Kings, Taft Bkr, King Mer, Sherbon Cl, 14.4.

Ties record.

180 LH—Messer Lem, Bradford Sha,

G, Smith Lem, Rice Taft, Sherbon Cl,

19.0. Record but disallowed by 5.7 wind.

880—Brown Mer, Patterson Tul, Hack-

ett Ed, Pena Orosl, Eskew Wasco, 1:55.8.

Record.

100—White Cor, Schaaf Orosl, Smith

Taft, Burks Roos, Short Lem, 9.8.

440—White Cor, Phillips Bkr, Ferrell

Ed, Cowings Fow, Worsham Coal, 47.8.

Record.

High jump—Pointer WU, Gorea Del,

tie for third between Ellis Wasco and

Hoegh Selma; tie for fifth between Bar-

stow FHS and Eubanks DP, 6 feet, 3

inches.

Broad jump—Johnson Kings, White

Cor, Critt Sha, Scott NH, Messer Lem,

23 feet, 6¾ inches.

Shot put—Crow Cor, Provost Bkr,

Eller FHS, Rose FHS, Mattox Cl, 58

feet, 3¼ inches.

220—Schaaf Orosl, Smith Taft, Burks

Roos, Short Lem, Bradford Sha, 21.6.

Mile—Eisenman Teh, Benscooter

Chow, Tempton FHS, Ross NH, Kom-

army Garces, Orms of FHS third but

disqualified, 4:32.8.

880 relay—Bakersfield (Johnson,

Mince, Brown, Phillips); Lemoore, Taft,

Edison, Shafter, 1:29.0. Record.

Pole vault—Tie for first between

Wimmer FHS, Butler Tul; tie for third

between Broom Sha, and Hendrix Riv;

tie for fifth between Jackson Ed, Brad-

ford Sha, Tatum Cl and Keimer Imm,

12 feet, 10 inches.

Discus—Crow Cor, Eller FHS, Pro-

vost Bkr, Mattox Cl, Davis Wasco, 156

feet, 10½ inches.

Class B

70 HH—J. Wilson DP, Stahl Din,

Blakeley Cl, Rugger Bkr, E. Foster WU,

9.0.

180 LH—Takemoto Reed, Sharp Bkr,

J. Coe Ker, Brown Tran, Johnson Sha,

18.1. Record new distance.

880—Malone Mer, Dornan Coal, Mo-

ferrem Mad, Tos Han, Niece Ex, 1:57.7.

Record.

100—Hill Del, Tucker Bkr, Bigger

Orosl, Iwasaki Reed, Raney Taft, 10.0.

Ties record.

Discus—Cobb Mer, Muro Teh, Iwasaki

Reed, Pantaja SU, Avila Mer, 145 feet,

5½ inches.

220—Hill Del, Bigger Orosl, Tucker

Bkr, Raney Taft, Malfredo Garces, 18.9

1.320—Hernandez Bkr, Jackson Fow,

Jones Mer, Carrasco Del, Seif Sel,

3:13.8.

440 relay—Tulare (Gross, Harvey,

Brown, Taylor); Bakersfield, Reedley,

Wasco, Madera, 43.9. Record.

Shotput—Cobb Mer, Iwasaki Reed,

Cuen Bkr, Snyder Taft, Muro Teh, 58

feet, 1¾ inches. Record.

Pole vault—Tie for first between Dod-

son NH and Schlichting Mer; Miura Par;

tie for fourth between Valdez Ed and Or-

tiz Sa, 12 feet.

High jump—Lewis Mad, Henry WU,

tie for third between McCoy Bkr, Jones

Ed, Ordenez Cor, Longacre Lind, 5

feet, 11 inches.

Broad jump—Hill Del, Stahl Din, Hunt-

er Ed, tie for fourth between Viero

Del and Thomas Wasco, 22 feet, 3½

inches.

Class C

120 LH—Battles Del, Eskew Wasco,

Parker Del, Porter Del, Mason Sa, 13.8.

75 (70 yard dash by mistake)—White

Taft, Moore NH, Bedrosian Fow, Young

Bkr, Nixon Din, 7.6.

680—Montanez CU, Bowman Taft,

Pinero, Bkr, Calloway Cor, Moon Bul,

1:27.0. Record.

High jump—Hill Tul, tie for second

between Parks Bkr, Session Mad, Joyce

Sel, and Reed Wasco, 5 feet, 7¾ inches.

Broad jump—Parker Del, Battles Del,

J. Hampton Fow, Pyles RW, Escalante

Cor, 21 feet, ¾ inch.

Reno KYNO.

120—Wyke Taft, Moore NH, Young

Bkr, Bedrosian Fow, Claxton WU, 12.4.

440 relay—Corcoran (Steiger, Toney,

Calloway, Escalante); Fowler, East

Bakersfield, Taft, 46.1 for Bakersfield

which was disqualified.

Pole vault—Fillmore Reed, Bahland

RW, Yoshida FHS, tie for fourth be-

tween Kuhn Bkr, Eskew Wasco, Ortiz

San, and Peters Imm, 11 feet, 8 inches.

Discus—Murray Cor, Mason Sa, Cor-

dova Bkr, Maxwell Bkr, Rodriguez Fow,

121 feet, 6¼ inches.

Shotput—Lott Cor, Maxwell Bkr, Mur-

ray Cor, Mess Sa, Cordova Bkr, 51

feet, 9 inches.