Merritt Ties Century Mark
With 9.6 Time

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Thick stands of football and track, won first in the division and second in the meet. Alexander, his chief competitor in the State in both events, did just the opposite.

Keith Wiltzifer, an East High last-year, and, sprayer Kent Merritt, also at East, broke new records with 9.6 and 9.9 performances in the triple jump. He also placed third in the long jump.

Merritt, considered the State's premier sprinter, tied the meet record of 9.6 in the 100. He was also the favorite in the 220, but pulled up a little lame after the century race and didn't see action again.

In other top performances, Carl Wood of Richmond set a tie of 35.6 in the 440 inter-meet record with a draping 35.4 showing in the 440 and intermediate hurdles last year. The Gal- lers' David R. Boles tied the 440 mark in 56.8 for the 220 high hurdles.

The Indians' Charles Dob- son, a triple winner Sunday against the Terps, was among the favorites in the high hur- dles, but late turned against him. After a sparkling showing in the trials, he hit the first barrier at the finish, fell, and was out of the race. "We hadn't planned on running him in any other events. He should be ready for the Penn Relays this weekend," said Randolph.

Eddie Nancehouse, a Mon- troise eighth grader last year, was a surprise winner in the pole vault, clearing 144.

Other winners from the Peninsula included Art Hansen of Warwick, who tied in the high jump, and Bill Allen of Christiansburg, New- ton, 100 and 220 in the mile. 