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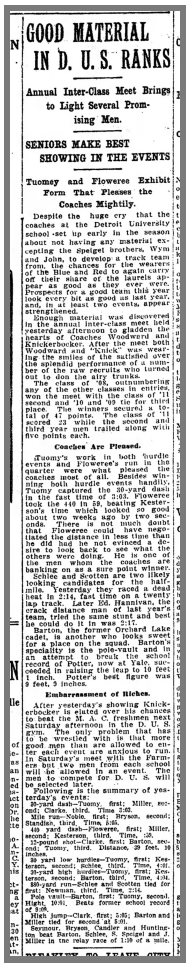

GOOD MATERIAL IN D. U. S. RANKS

Annual Inter-Class Meet Brings to Light Several Promising Men.

SENIORS MAKE BEST SHOWING IN THE EVENTS

Tuomey and Flowerer Exhibit Form That Pleases the Coaches Mightily.

Despite the huge cry that the coaches at the Detroit University school set up early in the season about not having any material except the Speigel brothers, Wynn and John, to develop a track team from, the chances for the wearers of the Blue and Red to again carry off their share of the laurels appear as good as they ever were. Prospects for a good team this year look every bit as good as last year, and, in at least two events, appear strengthened.

Some material was discovered in the annual inter-class meet held yesterday afternoon to gladden the hearts of Coaches Woodward and Knickerbocker. After the meet both Woodward and "Knick" was wearing the smiles of the satisfied over the splendid performance of a number of the raw recruits who turned out to don the airy trunks.

The class of '98, outnumbering any of the other classes in entries, won the meet with the class of '11 second and '10 and '09 tied for third place. The winning record for a total of 41 points. The class of '11 scored 29 while the second and third year men trailed along with five points each.

Coaches Are Pleased.

Tuomy's work in both hurdle events and Flowerer's run in the quarter were what pleased the coaches most of all. Besides winning both hurdle events handily, Tuomy captured the 30-yard dash in the fast time of 3:03. Flowerer took the 440 in 58, beating Kesterson's time which looked so good about two weeks ago by two seconds. There is not much doubt that Flowerer could have negotiated the distance in less time than he did had he not evinced a desire to look back to see how the others were doing. He is one of the men on the coaches are banking on as a sure point winner.

Schiles and Scotten are two likely looking candidates for the half-mile. Yesterday they raced a dead heat in 2:14, fast time on a twenty-lap track. Later Ed. Hannivan, the crack distance man of last year's team, tried the same stunt and best he could do it in was 2:17.

Barton, the former Orchard Lake cadet, is another who looks sweet for a place on the squad. Barton's specialty is the pole-vault and in an attempt to break the school record of Potter, now at Yale, succeeded in raising the leap to 10 feet 1 inch. Potter's best figure was 9 feet, 5 inches.

Embarrassment of Riches.

After yesterday's showing Knickerbocker is elated over his chances to beat the M. A. C. freshmen next Saturday afternoon in the D. U. S. gym. The only problem that has to be wrestled with is how many men can and are allowed to enter each event. Knick is anxious to run. Saturday's meet with the Farmers are but two men from each school will be allowed in an event. The men to compete for D. U. S. will be selected later.

Following is the summary of yesterday's events:

30-yard dash—Tuomy, first; Miller, second; Clarke, third. Time 3:02.

Mile run—Noble, first; Bryson, second; Standish, third. Time, 5:06.

440 yard run—Flowerer, first; Miller, second; Kesterson, third. Time, :58.

16-pound shot—Clarke, first; Barton, second; Tuomy, third. Distance, 39 feet, 10 inches.

30 yard low hurdles—Tuomy, first; Kesterson, second; Schiles, third. Time, 4:01.

30-yard high hurdles—Tuomy, first; Kesterson, second; Hastings, third. Time, 4:04.

880-yard run—Schiles and Scotten tied for first; Newman, third. Time, 2:14.

Pole vault—Barton, first; Tuomy, second. Height, 10:01. Beats former school record of 9:09.

High jump—Clark, first; 5:05; Barton and Miller tied for second at 5:01.

Seymour, Bryson, Candler and Huntington beat Barton, Schiles, R. Speigel and J. Miller in the relay race of 1:39 of a mile.

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