

**SPORTING EVENTS IN
CENTRAL MICHIGAN**

CHARLOTTE WINS

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CHARLOTTE, June 9.—Tied for first place up to the relay race, the last event on the program at the Eaton county high school track meet held here Saturday afternoon, Eaton Rapids and Charlotte put up a great fight in the half-mile relay. The race was won by Eaton Rapids which gave them the meet by five points.

Two county records were smashed at the meet. Butler of Bellevue, in the broad jump broke the ground at 19 feet 8 inches. Halstead, of Grand Ledge, in the pole vault, cleared 9 feet, 6 1-2 inches. The big surprise of the day was the showing made by Butler of Bellevue who with 22 points to his credit, won the gold medal for the best allround athletics, winning over Pasco, of Eaton Rapids the last year champion, who was in the lead when the discus throw was called. Butler had no trouble in taking this event.

Butler won four first, the shot-put 100-yard dash, the broad jump and the discus throw, and was third in the 220-yard dash, while his nearest competitor, Pasco, was able to negotiate but two first, the 120-yard hurdles and the high jump, however, he secured two seconds, the broad jump and the shot put, and in the 100-yard dash divided the honors for second and third positions with McIntyre of the local team.

Charlotte, Eaton Rapids, Bellevue and Grand Ledge were the teams entered in the track events. The greatest point winners for their respective teams being: Charlotte, Smith 11; Eaton Rapids, Pasco 18 1-2; Bellevue, Butler 22; Grand Ledge, McCormick 8.

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