

Normal Beats Central High in Track Meet

Western State Normal and Kalamazoo high pulled off a small sized track meet yesterday afternoon in the Normal gymnasium. The Normals made a clean sweep in the dashes when Burke, Yeakey and Neary nosed out Mathews in a fast sprint. Burke finished ahead of the field in the fast time of 33.5 seconds. The half mile was a good race between Yeakey and Gearheart. The big Otsego boy had more endurance and finished 20 feet to the good in 2:10.5. It was the first half that Yeakey ever entered.

Kurtz won the high jump and showed some fine form. He tried for five foot four after winning, but he couldn't quite make the grade though it looks like he ought to get up around five foot six before the end of the track season.

The summaries are as follows:

30 yard dash—Burke first, Yeakey second, Neary third. Time 31.5.

Standing broad jump—Holmes (N) first, 9-7.1-2; Neary (N) second 9-1-2; Klein (N) third 8-9.

High jump—Kurtz (HS) first, 5-2; Gustafson (N) second, 4-11; Anderson (N) and Platt (HS) tied for third, 4-10.

Running broad—Wattles (HS) first 18-3; Neargarth (HS) second, 17-8.1-2; Shepard (N) third, 17-11.

Half mile—Yeakey (N) first, Gearheart (HS) second, Beam (N) third.

Relay race, 100 yards each—Neary, Yeakey, Smith, Burke (N) won from Kurtz, Bachgalupo, Shensel, Mathews. Time 47.1-5 seconds.

Another practice meet will be held in the near future when more events will be undertaken.