

Local Boys Take First at Lansing

(By P. W. Nickel.)

East Lansing, June 11.—Pluck, grit and sportsmanship won the tenth annual M. A. C. interscholastic meet for Grand Rapids Central High school at the M. A. C. athletic field Saturday afternoon, when the Furniture City team went home with the laurel of thirty-seven points. This was more than twice as many as St. Joseph, second, tallied. This school had fifteen points. Other schools in the meet ranged as follows: Lansing, fourteen; Muskegon, twelve; Pontiac, eight; Newaygo and Paw Paw, seven; St. Johns and Arthur Hill, six; Dowagiac and Otsego, five; Ann Arbor and Harbor Springs, four; Detroit Central, Detroit Eastern, Grand Rapids Union, Grand Rapids South, Plainwell and Saginaw, three; Detroit Northwestern and Kalamazoo, two; Ionia, one.

Belknap Ineligible.

Grand Rapids was represented at the meet eight strong, and won five firsts, one second and two thirds. Jack Belknap, who was ineligible to compete for points on account of the eight semester rule, rung up eight more tallies for his team, but these were not counted by the officials.

The Centralites won first in the 220-low hurdles, half mile, 440 dash, mile, 120-high hurdles and relay. MacKenzie equaled the state record in both hurdle events.

Merchant of St. Joseph broke the state record for the 220 dash, covering the distance in 22 3-5 seconds.

From the very start Upton's team had the edge on the meet. When the classic was over they were the proud possessors of six loving cups, four of which they will keep permanently, a gold watch and several gold and silver medals. The individual star of the meet was Rod MacKenzie, Central hurdler. Rod pulled down ten points, taking first in both the low and high hurdles. For this exceptional work he was presented with a \$85 gold watch by the M. A. C. Athletic association.

Accidents Mar Meet.

Several accidents marred the meet, the high jump claiming the most victims. It was while trying to cross the bar that Dave Forbes sprained his ankle and was unable to enter the relay, the deciding event for Central. Fessender of Newaygo, who rung up seven points for his school, fell on his wrist while attempting the high jump and fractured both bones in his right forearm.

The winning of the large Harvard cup that was presented to the school making the greatest number of points in five years, was largely due to W. Bacon. During the 220 dash finals, Bacon strained a tendon and it was thought that he would be unable to enter in the relay, but the plucky lad was determined.

Bacon Takes Lead.

Grand Rapids had just thirty-two points before the half-mile relay. Rod MacKenzie ran the first lap for the Upton boys. He was boxed at the start being unable to get away and was in fourth place when he gave Jake Vander Visse the slap to start. Jake was running in second place for Forbes. Jake was also unable to get in the lead, but when he got to Bacon, it was clear that the race was won, for the fast boy shot ahead of the other contestants like a streak. Houston, who ran the last lap, added considerable distance between himself and the Ann Arbor man who crossed the tape second. Summaries:

1/2 Mile Run—Vander Visse, Grand Rapids Central, first; Schuster, Grand Rapids South High, second; Isbell, Northwestern, Detroit, third; Snyder, Detroit Eastern, fourth. Time—4 minutes 42 2-5 seconds.

140-yard Dash—Houston, Grand Rapids Central, first; Forbes, Grand Rapids Central, second; Merritt, Lansing, third; Kueschpert, Ann Arbor, fourth. Time—52 1-5 seconds; equal to state, interscholastic record.

Shot Put—Fessinger, Newaygo, first; Van Orden, Ann Arbor, second; Schultz, St. Joseph, third; Starr, Pontiac, fourth. Distance—46 feet 2 inches.

Discus Throw—Bishop, Lansing, first; Wilson, Harbor Springs, second; Daltze, Lansing, third; Jacobs, St. Johns, fourth. Distance—193 feet 2 inches.

220-Yard Dash—Merchant, St. Joseph, first; Workman, Plainwell, second; Cowen, Pontiac, third; Conn, Ionia, fourth. Time—29 3-5 seconds. Breaks interscholastic record of 23 1-5.

Half Mile—Forbes, Grand Rapids Central, first; Doefner, Arthur Hill, Saginaw, second; Houston, Grand Rapids Central, third; Steinhagen, Saginaw Eastern, fourth. Time—2 minutes 49 seconds.

120-Yard High Hurdles—MacKenzie, Grand Rapids Central, first; Marcous, Arthur Hill, Saginaw, second; Glendon, Detroit Eastern, fourth. Time—16 2-5 seconds.

Broad Jump—Townsend, St. Johns, first; Schultz, St. Joseph, second; Munn, Paw Paw, third; Anderson, Lansing, fourth. Distance—20 feet 6 inches.

220-Yard Low Hurdles—First, MacKenzie, Grand Rapids Central; second, Cornwall, Grand Rapids Union; third, McCallum, Detroit Central; fourth, Wilson, Harbor Springs. Time—29 3-5 seconds.

High Jump—First, Walker, Dowagiac, tied for second between Hamilton, Lansing; Schultz, St. Joseph and Kurtz, Kalamazoo. Height—5 feet 7 1/2 inches.

Hammer Throw—First, Walters, Otsego; second, Sheridan, Muskegon; third, Fessinger, Newaygo; fourth, Schmidt, Saginaw Eastern. Distance—128 feet 3 inches.

Pole Vault—First, Cross, Muskegon; tie for second, Windergen, Muskegon; Gardner, Lansing and Wilson, Muskegon. Height 19 feet 9 inches.

Half-Mile Relay—Grand Rapids Central, MacKenzie, Vander Visse, W. Bacon and Houston, first; Ann Arbor, second; Lansing, third; Detroit Central, fourth. Time—1:38.

Women's Golf Tourney On.

New York, June 12.—Most of the prominent women players of New York city and vicinity are among the 100 entrants in the Women's Metropolitan Golf championship which began Monday on the links of the Baltusrol Golf club, to continue until Friday.

Badoud Going to S. A.

New York, June 12.—Albert Badoud, European welterweight champion, will leave for Buenos Ayres next week to tackle Ted (Kid) Lewis in a twenty-round bout there.