

RELAY RACE PUTS LANSING IN FRONT

Shassberger's Indoor Track Team Captures Food City Meet By Margin of Six Points; Score 41 1-2 to 35 1-2.

By a narrow margin of victory the Lansing indoor track team defeated Battle Creek at the Food City, Saturday afternoon. The score was 41 1/2 to 35 1/2. The two teams were running neck to neck when the relay, the final event came around. Lansing had one point to the good before the relay and in winning that event put the victory in its pocket. Two events, the running broad jump and the pole vault, were not staged because the Lansing team had to sprint for a train. Lansing however, admittedly had the advantage in the trials in these events, so no objection was voiced by the Battle Creek coach.

As far as individual point winning

was concerned, Hahn of the Lansing team stood on the heavy end. With a first in the 20 yard dash, a third in the standing high and standing broad jumps, a tie for third in the half mile, and a place on the winning relay team, Hahn scored 8 1/2 points. The nearest of his opponents was Miller of Battle Creek who scored eight points on a first and second.

Hamilton, the all-around trackster of the Lansing team, had an off day, with but 7 1/4 points to his record. This total placed him third among the high point winners. The running broad jump and the pole vault, the events not played off were in Hamilton's track vocabulary however, and he would probably have finished strong in these events.

Kipke, the freshman whom Coach Shassberger expects to round out into a mighty good trackster was fourth in the list as far as individual scoring was concerned. Kipke possessed seven points gained by virtue of a second in the 220 and 440 yard dashes and a third in the half mile.

Summary:
 20-yard dash—Hahn (L.), Miller (B. C.), Ross (B. C.) Time—2 1-5.
 Mile run—Smith (B. C.), Carlton Radford (L.), Shafer (B. C.) Time 5 minutes 12 seconds.
 220 yard dash—Miller (B. C.), Kipke (L.), Dunphy (L.), Hahn (L.), Baker (B. C.), Reed (B. C.) tied for third, Time—27 2-5 seconds.
 Half mile—Baker (B. C.), Carlton Radford (L.), Kipke (L.) Time—two minutes 17 seconds.
 Standing high jump—Sweet (B. C.), Hamilton (L.), Hahn (L.) Height, 4 ft. 3 in.
 Running high jump—Tucker (B. C.), Hamilton (L.), Sweet (B. C.) Height 5 ft. 4 in.
 Standing broad jump—Foerch (L.), Twaddle (B. C.), Hahn (L.) Distance 9 ft.
 440 yard dash—Cordon Radford (L.), Kipke (L.), Redner (B. C.) Time—61 2-5 seconds.

OPEN DOOR TO MICHIGAN

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—The door of the western conference was partly opened Saturday toward the return of the University of Michigan to the "big nine."

The action was taken by the faculty committee on the conference which met in special session with the graduate committee to consider whether the entry of the Wolverines in the University of Illinois relay carnival March 2 was a violation of the conference rule prohibiting cooperation with Michigan.

The committee ruled, that "under the circumstances the invitation extended the University of Michigan by Illinois was allowed to stand."

Ever Hammer Going East.

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—After a rest of four months, Ever Hammer, a Chicago lightweight, is getting ready for another ring campaign. He plans to invade the east for a long series of matches.

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