

WITH EASTERN

Two Track Teams Tie in City Championship Meet, Scoring 31 Points.

There will be no High School track champion this year. The honors will have to be divided by Central and Eastern, who tied for first place in the Interscholastic championship track meet at Northeastern High School Saturday. The two leading schools each scored 31 points.

Central led up to the last two events on the program, scoring all of its 31 points before then. Eastern began evening things up in the 220-yard dash when Wittman came through with five points, giving the Indians 29 points. Eastern did not expect to score in the final even, the pole vault, but Nelsch, the Indian pole vaulter, took third place for two points, tying the score. Northwestern took the relay, which ended the meet. The Colts won third place, with 28 points. The other scores were Northern, 12; Northeastern, 6; Cass, 6; Southeastern, 0.

EASTERN TAKES LEAD.

Eastern grabbed the lead in the first event, the 25-yard dash, placing Wittman first and Newhall fourth. Central pulled up and passed the Indians in the other running events. It was in running rather than in the field that the Cass avenue school boys showed their strength, while Eastern's strength was scattered over all events, the team being fairly well balanced.

Inability of Eastern to take first honors alone can be attributed to Sortor's illness. In previous dual meets he had made 15 to 20 points and had been counted on to show up in the short dashes, the 440 and the half-mile. He placed in but one race, third in the 440.

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McCallum and Conley were the high scorers of the meet. McCallum placed first in the 27-yard low hurdles and second in the 25-yard dash and the 27-yard high hurdles for a total of 11 points for Central, while Conley was first in both the 40 and the 880 for 10 points for Northern. The Eskimo runner was the only athlete to take two first places and ran two pretty races beating Cooper, of Central, in the half-mile and Sobleski, of Northeastern, in the quarter.

The mile run was one of the features of the meet. Brinker, the Eastern runner, who was one of the favorites, started off well and soon had lapped his competitors. With but two more laps to go, however, the Indian runner was so exhausted that he fell easy victim to Cooper, of Central, and Davis, of Northwestern, and finished only a poor third. Had Eastern taken this event it would have won the championship.

HOW EASTERN TIED.

In the final event, the pole vault, Eastern's chances depended on Nelsch, a mediocre vaulter, who was not expected to even place. He surprised by placing third and getting the two points needed by Eastern to tie with Central for first place.

The meet was the first held which was a financial success and its success can be credited to the efforts of Richard E. Remington, athletic manager, of Northeastern High.

Summaries:

25-yard dash—Wittman (E.), first; McCallum (C.), second; Harris (N.), third; Newhall (E.), fourth. Time, 33.5 seconds.

27-yard hurdles—McCallum (C.), first; Lawrence (C.), second; Walters (N. W.), third; Day (N. W.), disqualified. Time, 32.5 seconds.

One-mile run—Cooper (C.), first; Davis (N. W.), second; Brinker (E.), third; Kanter (C.), fourth. Time, 5:13.

40-yard dash—Conley (N.), first; Sobleski (N. E.), second; Sorter (E.), third; Barnett (C.), fourth. Time, 62.1-5 seconds.

High jump—Hopkins (C.) first; Nelsch and Turnbull (E.) tied for second; Snider (N. W.), fourth. Height, 5 feet 5 inches.

Shotput—Turnbull (E.), first; Kunow (E.), second; Huebner (C.), third; Seager (N. W.), fourth. Distance, 42 feet 6 1/2 inches.

27-yard high hurdles—Day (N. W.), first; McCallum (C.), second; Binger (N. E.), third; Sorter (E.) disqualified. Time, 34.5 seconds.

200-yard dash—Conley (N.), first; Cooper (C.), second; Thielman (N. W.), third; Chapman (E.), fourth. Time, 2:19.2.

250-yard dash—Wittman (E.), first; Bauman (N. W.), second; Walters (N. W.), third; Sobleski (N. E.), fourth. Time, 2:10 seconds.

Pole vault—Clark (Cass), first; Day (N. W.), second; Nelsch (E.), third; Snider (N. W.), fourth. Height, 10 ft. 1 in.

Relay—Won by Northwestern (Day, Walters, Bauman, Showalter). Time, 1:15.

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