

IONIA TEAM WINS ALMA TRACK MEET

West State High Aggregation Cops by One-Third of a Point; Alma Second

Special to The State Journal:
ALMA, May 16 — Ionia high took a thrilling invitational meet at Alma college Saturday, winning over Alma High by a mighty narrow margin of one third of a point, and Lowell third place winner finished just a single point behind Alma.

French of Ionia became the hero of the meet when, after the relay race was won by Alma and Alma was leading by 2-3 of a point, he went into the javelin, in which he had never practiced, and grabbed off fourth place to give his team a point in this event and with this point the meet and the silver loving cup. He gave a wonderful display of determination in outdistancing practiced competitors in this event.

Ten central Michigan high schools took part in the meet and down to the last two events five of them had a chance to win the honors of the meet.

The scoring—Ionia 25 1-2, Alma 25, Lowell 24, Charlotte 19, Vassar 18, Mt. Pleasant 15 1-3; St. Johns 12 1-2; Ithaca 9, Breckinridge 4.

Practically all of the meet was held in a drizzling rain which greatly slowed up the track events.

120 yard hurdles—Wor by Huggert, St. Johns; Minor, Ionia, second; Kooker, Mt. Pleasant, third; Allen, Ionia, fourth. Time—17.9.

Pole vault—Briggs, Vassar, first; Swops, Breckinridge, second; Potter of Ithaca, and Barnhill, Charlotte, tied for third and fourth. Height—3 feet, 10 inches.

100 yard dash—Kenney, Ionia, first; Phillips, Mt. Pleasant, second; Ward, Alma, third; Webster, Mt. Pleasant, fourth. Time—11.66.

1 Mile—Reif, Lowell, first; Denamore, Ionia, second; Graham, Alma, third; Evans, Alma, fourth. Time—8.47.

Shot—Barnhill, Charlotte, first; Keil, Midland, second; Ogilvie, Ionia, third; Holland, Breckinridge, fourth. Distance—46 feet 2 inches.

440 dash—McQuig, Alma, first; Atkins, Vassar, second; Lawhead, Charlotte, third; McNeillity, Ionia, fourth. Time—56.5.

220 dash—Phillips, Mt. Pleasant, first; Barbour, Vassar, second; Ward, Alma, third; Lathin, Ionia, fourth. Time—23.5.

High Jump—Smith, Ithaca, and Moore, Lowell, tied for first; McQuig, Alma, second; Ionia and Haggert, St. Johns, tied third. Height—3 feet, 2 1/4 inches.

120 hurdles—Huggert, St. Johns, first; Miner, Ionia, second; Jessup, Ithaca, third; Kooker, Mt. Pleasant, Taylor, Ionia, and Allen, St. Johns, tied for fourth. Time—18.2.

Discus—Barnhill, Charlotte, first; Moore, Lowell, second; Stalling, Mt. Pleasant, third; Hayman, Lowell, fourth. Distance—191 feet, 3 inches.

Half mile—Miller, Lowell, first; Lawhead, Charlotte, second; Rice, Ithaca, third; Rosecrans, St. Johns, fourth. Time—218.2.

Bread jump—Brown, Alma, first; Barnhill, Charlotte, second; Smith, Alma, third; Kenney, Ionia, fourth. Distance—20 feet, 2 1/4 inch.

Javelin—Hayman, Lowell, first; Davis, Vassar, second; Ferris, Mt. Pleasant, third; French, Ionia, fourth. Distance—129 feet, 7 inches.

Relay—Alma, first; Ionia, second; Vassar, third; Lowell, fourth.

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