

CAPTURES 14 POINTS IN FIRST EVENTS

All Grand Rapids Boys Qualify in Trials Except One; Saginaw Sprinter Steps Century in 9.7.

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East Lansing, May 27.—Kalamazoo Central's well balanced track and field team went into the lead for the class A championship of Michigan at State College field, with the first events completed Saturday.

With two events finished, the shot put and the high jump, the celery city boys had amassed a total of 14½ points and was far ahead of any other school.

Grand Rapids boys entered in the running events all qualified for the finals with one exception. Stiles of Ottawa Hills, an entry in the 100-yard dash finished third in his heat and was thus eliminated from participating in the finals.

Voorhels of Catholic and Bresnahan of Catholic each had an easy time making the grade in the 220-yard sprint, the former tripping the distance in 22.4 seconds and the latter in 22.7.

Local Hurdlers Qualify.

Karczewski of Tech ran a particularly fine race in the 120 high hurdles, first heat, stepping over the barriers in 15.9. Boshoven of Central and Zegunis of Union also qualified easily. Zegunis ran second to Karczewski. The Union hurdler and team captain came back in the 220 hurdle event and stepped the distance in 25.7 to equal the best time hung up by Lambooy, the Kalamazoo ace. Karczewski was second to Lambooy and Uhl of Central ran second to Zegunis. Six men qualified for the hurdles and four are from Grand Rapids.

The events completed Saturday morning were the shotput and the high jump in class A. Allen of Pontiac won the weight toss with a heave of 47 feet 9 inches. Wisner, the star of the South squad, was second with a toss of 46 feet 5¼ inches. Wisner made this mark on the first trial and thereafter could not better it.

High Jumpers Fall.

Grand Rapids lads were practically washed out in the high jump, an event in which the Kalamazoo entrants took first and second and tied for third and fourth. Seven Grand Rapids lads were among 11 who tied for fifth place. They were Kolenda of Union, Anderson and Boshoven of Central, Weaver of Creston, Hartnacke of Catholic, Weland of South and Jefferson of Ottawa.

Colby, 100-yard ace from Saginaw, set the fans talking when he ran his heat in the century in 9.7 to beat the old interscholastic record held by Hester. The record, however, will not be allowed, it is said, because there was a wind which might have helped him.

Bresnahan, Creston, was second in this same heat and he was timed in 10 flat. Voorhels had a mark of 10.2 in his heat.

Allegan Has Lead.

Allegan got off to a fast start in the class B events when Humm won the broad jump with a leap of 21 feet 4 inches. Humm also qualified in the 100-yard dash and hung up the best time, 10.2. Smith of Allegan led the field in the 200-yard dash trials.

A new record was hung up in class C when White of Boyne City leaped 22 feet ½ of an inch in the broad jump, besting the old mark of 21 feet 1½ inches.

Vivian of East Grand Rapids qualified in the class C high hurdles and Bergin of Lowell won his heat in the 220-yard hurdles, Smith of Paw Paw and Wood of Helling qualified easily in the 100-yard dash.

The summaries:

Class A—Shotput—First, Allen, Pontiac; second, Wisner, Grand Rapids South; third, Mundlak, Kalamazoo; fourth, Buys, Grand Rapids Central; fifth, Johnson, Flint Central. Distance—47 feet 9 inches.

Class B—Broad Jump—First, Humm, Allegan; second, Reum, Niles; third, Zarbel, Hastings; fourth, Holmes, Ecorse; tied for fifth, Wright, Berkley and Runyan, South Haven. Distance—21 feet 4 inches.

Class C—High Jump—Tied for first, Lockhart, Frankfort; Scott, Saranac, and McDermond, Caro; fourth, Baldwin, Northville; tied for fifth, Leach, Coopersville; Lyons, Ypsilanti Roosevelt; Rolan, Buchanan; Green, Grand Rapids Lee; Allen, Manvelona, and McCarthy, East Grand Rapids. Height—5 feet 7¼ inches.

Class D—Pole Vault—First, Jolls, Maple Rapids; tied for second, Kutter, Portage; and Patton, Benton Harbor St. Johns; fourth, Fliin, Mackinaw City; tied for fifth, Drummond, Howard City; Vandenberg, Ellsworth; and Tessman, Centerville. Height—9 feet 0 inches.

Class D—Shotput—First, Terwilliger, Howard City; second, Walters, Centerville; third, Wilkinson, Baldwin; fourth, Warbler, Royal Oak Madison; fifth, Starks, Alba. Distance—40 feet ¾ inch.

Class C—Broad Jump—First, H. White, Boyne City; tied for second, Lyon, Ypsilanti Roosevelt, and C. McDermond, Caro; fourth, Belz, Lapeer; fifth, Rolan, Buchanan. Distance—22 feet ½ inch. (New record.)

Class B—Pole Vault—Tied for first, Oldt, River Rouge, and Erickson, St. Joseph; tied for third, Whittney, Dearborn, and Metz, St. Joseph; tied for fifth, Pearsall, East Lansing; Stobbie, Dearborn; Dimmick and Krueger, Three Rivers. Height—11 feet 6 inches.

Class A—High Jump—First, Powell, Kalamazoo; second, O'Connor, Kalamazoo; tied for third, Pletz, Pontiac, and McClish, Kalamazoo; tied for fifth, Weaver, Grand Rapids; Creston; Lile and Saule, Royal Oak; Anderson and Boshoven, Grand Rapids Central; Kolbe, Saginaw; Jefferson, Grand Rapids Ottawa; Kolenda, Grand Rapids Union; Weland, Grand Rapids South; Hartnacke, Grand Rapids Catholic, and Brookhauke, Lansing Eastern.