

### Teams Loom as Favorites for Prep Title

#### Henderson Sets Pace in Three Events of Semi-Finals

Hamtramck High School advanced another step toward the retention of its City League indoor track championship Wednesday afternoon by setting the pace in the semi-finals on the Central High School track.

The Cosmos qualified boys for 10 individual positions and a relay team to lead Eastern, its main contender, by two places. The Indians put eight boys and a relay team in the final. Northwestern and Southwestern each qualified for six individual positions while Central, the dark horse of the meet, qualified five boys and a strong relay team.

Other schools whose competitors secured places in the final are Cooley, five boys and a relay team; Western, four boys; Southeastern, three; Redford, two; Denby, Miller and Northern, each one.

#### Knight Tips Hurdles

Willie Henderson, Southwestern's mascot team, took individual honors Wednesday. The fleet Prospect star qualified in three events, the low and high hurdles and the 20-yard dash. What is more impressive, Henderson turned in the best time in each of these events.

Henderson was clocked in :042 for the low hurdles, the same time that Bernard Lucas and Bill Rutland, of Eastern, and Jim Knight, of Hamtramck, turned in. Knight, the youngster who was both hurdles events in the East Division meet last week, figured in the leading upset when he failed to qualify for the high hurdles.

Knight placed first in his heat of the high hurdles but he knocked down both hurdles thereby disqualifying himself. This disqualification, together with the survival of

**SUMMARIES ON PAGE 20**

Bernard Lucas in both hurdles for Eastern may furnish the Indians with enough points to win the title Saturday night.

Lucas, who holds the City outdoor high jump record, was another boy who qualified for three events. Besides the two hurdles races, he won a place in the high jump final.

Emil Lovati, Eastern's good shot putter, appeared a sure winner in the final when he heaved the 12-pound ball 46 feet, 2 inches Wednesday. Bob Herrera, of Western, had the next best toss, one of 40 feet.

Wilfred Spencer, of Southeastern, is an odd-man favorite to win first place in the mile run. Spencer led the field Wednesday in the fast time of 4:39.8, seven and one-fifth seconds faster than Irwin Dufour, of Northwestern, who had the next best time.

#### Amos Tops Half Miler

Ulysses Amos, Northwestern's star half miler, had the best time in his event when he was clocked in 2:06. Dick Bell, of Southeastern, was next with 2:09.6. Eastern lost at least one point in the 800 when its best half miler, Bill Schlopp, fell with less than 20 yards to go on the last lap and failed to finish.

Central's fast relay team of Stanford Glazer, Fred Culver, Bob Lohy and Carl Culver, did the half mile in 1:38.6 to establish itself as the leading contender for first place. Eastern, Hamtramck and Cooley also qualified relay teams.

# Detroit city semis 2-20-1935

Clipped By:



jeffhollobaugh  
Thu, Dec 13, 2018