

Eastern Wins by Half a Point

Take Cosmos' Track Title by 25-24½

Eastern High School won the annual City League indoor track championship Saturday night at Central by the narrowest margin in the 16-year history of the event. The Indians beat Hamtramck, the defending champion, by half a point. Eastern scored 25 points and Hamtramck 24½.

Records in both the 20-yard low and high hurdles were tied as Eastern and Hamtramck staged a neck and neck fight for the championship which was not decided until the last event, the relay, was finished.

Willie Henderson, Southwestern's one man track team running in his last high school indoor meet, equaled the high hurdle mark of 19.4 as he beat Bernard Lucas of Eastern by less than a foot for first place.

Jim Knight, Hamtramck's ace hurdler, tied the low hurdle mark of .94 but was edged out Henderson by inches in the final. Lucas of Eastern was third and Jack Rutland of Eastern fourth in this event.

Central Edges Colts

Central finished third in the race for team honors with 16 points; Northwestern was fourth with 15; and Southwestern fifth with 13½. Other schools to score points were Southwestern, 8; Western and Miller, 5 each; Cooley and Redford, 4 each and Northern 1.

Lucas, the boy who mainly was responsible for winning the outdoor championship for Eastern last spring, again paced the Indians to the championship Saturday. Lucas scored 10 points in three events. He placed first in the high jump; second in the high hurdles and third in the low hurdles. It was his first place in the high jump where Jack Colbert, Hamtramck's best jumper, could do no better than tie for second which won the meet for the Indians. Lucas' winning jump was six feet.

Henderson took the individual scoring honors for the meet with 11 points. Besides winning the high hurdles, Henderson placed second in the low hurdles and second in the 20-yard dash.

Hamtramck's half mile relay team of Harry Demacko, Chester Wisocki, Jim McMillan and Jim Knight furnished the big upset of the meet by beating Central. It was the first time in three years Central's relay team has been beaten. The Cosmo quartet was clocked in 1:37.4.

Spencer Misses Mark

Wilfred Spencer, Southeastern's good miler, failed in his attempt to break the City record of 4:39 held by Wesley Hurd. Spencer who finished 20 yards in front of Irwin Dufour of Northwestern in this race was timed in 4:38.2. Spencer took the lead on the third lap of the race and led for the remainder of the race.

Ulysses Amos of Northwestern won the half mile championship after a great race with Harold Ray of Hamtramck. Amos edged out Ray by a yard in 2:07.6. Amos led all the way but for the last seven feet.

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laps of the race Ray was never more than four yards behind.

Willard Simmons of Central easily won the pole vault with a leap of 11 feet 3 inches. Simmons did not miss a try in taking first place. Farquhar of Northwestern finished second and three Cooley boys, Waugh, Gottschalk and Gillespie, tied for third.

30-yard dash—Won by Barnes (M.); Henderson (S. W.), second; Wiacek (H.), third; Shipman (N.), fourth. Time—:03.8.

30-yard low hurdles—Won by Knight (H.); Henderson (S. W.), second; Lucas (E.), third; Rutland (E.), fourth. Time—:04. (Ties City record).

30-yard high hurdles—Won by Henderson (S. W.); Lucas (E.), second; Rutland (E.), third; Cummings (H.), fourth. Time—:04.2. (Ties City record).

220-yard dash—Plang (E.) and Pearce (R.), tied for first; Neal (Cent.), third; C. Culver (Cent.), fourth. Time—:25.2.

440-yard dash—Won by Neal (Cent.); Lalowicz (H.), second; Durant (N. W.), third; McMillan (H.), fourth. Time—:55.6.

880-yard dash—Won by Amos (N. W.); Ray (H.), second; Bell (S. E.), third; Hannah (N. W.), fourth. Time—2:07.4.

1 Mile run—Won by Spenced (S. E.); Dufour (N. W.), second; O'Brien (W.), third; Pacey (E.), fourth. Time—4:59.2.

Pole vault—Won by Simmons (Cent.); Farquhar (N. W.), second; Waugh, Gottschalk and Gillespie (Cool.), tied for third.

High jump—Won by Lucas (E.); Colbert (H.) and Stomp (S. W.), tied for second; Pittman (N. W.), fourth.

Shot put—Won by Lovati (E.); Harrara (W.), second; Kowalski (H.), third; Carlson (S. E.), fourth. Distance—46 feet 9 inches.

880-yard relay—Won by Hamtramck; Central, second; Eastern, third; Cooley, fourth. Time—1:37.8.

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