

Cosmos Keep Track Crown

Surprise With Easy Win in Prep Meet

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Hamtramck High was expected to receive stiff opposition from five schools in its efforts to retain the city outdoor track and field crown but the meet became a procession after the first five events were run off at U. of D. Stadium, Saturday.

A Hamtramck athlete led the way in each of these races and from then on it was just a question of how many points the defending champions would score.

At the finish of the 13-event program Hamtramck had 39 points. Redford and Cooley were tied for second with 17 each. Then came Southeastern with 15, Northwestern, 14½; Central, 13; Pershing, 7; Denby, 6½; Eastern, 6; Mackenzie, 3; Western, 3 and Northern 2.

KNIGHT WINS

The first event of the meet was the 120-yard high hurdles, Hamtramck's Jim Knight winning it by a yard and a half from Heber Houston, of Eastern, in 15.2-5 seconds, a fifth slower than the present record.

Then came the 100-yard dash and Walter Radzienda, Hamtramck sophomore, barely nosed out Bob Abbott, of Redford, in an exceptionally close finish. The one-mile run was next and Tate White, not to be outdone by his Hamtramck mates, took the lead at the start and held it to the end, winning by fully 35 yards over Elden Blackburn, of Western.

The 440-yard run was next and this race was expected to go to Douglas Pearse, of Redford, with Jim McMillan, of Hamtramck, the defending champion, second. Pearse could not shake off McMillan, however, and in the final 25 yards McMillan stepped out to win by three yards. Knight came back to win the low hurdles and give Hamtramck its fifth successive first place.

ONLY DOUBLE WINNER

Knight, competing in his last high school meet, was the only double winner. He missed a tie for the record in the low hurdles when the timers caught him between 13 and 13 1-5 seconds, the latter time being accepted. The record of 13 seconds flat was made by Willis Ward in 1930.

Radzienda was right behind Knight in points with his first in the 100-yard dash and a tie with Abbott, of Redford, for first in the 200-yard dash. Both Knight and Radzienda were members of Hamtramck's relay

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Walter Radzienda, Ha

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team that finished second to Redford.

Although the performances were good no records were broken.

Northwestern, one of the favorites, was unplaced in the relay, its first runner dropping the baton at the start of the race. It had one first place winner in Randall Pittman who took the high jump.

COOLEY'S WINNERS

Cooley had a pair of winners in Merrill Gottschalk in the pole vault and George Young in the half-mile. The other winners were Howard Carter, of Pershing, in the discus throw, Carl Culver, Central, broad jump and Harold Cochrell, Southeastern, shot put.

The results:

120-YARD HIGH HURDLES: Won by Jim Knight (H); second, Heber Houston (E); third, Oliver Roberts (SE); fourth, Bob Lucy (Cent). Time 13 2-5 seconds.

POLE VAULT: Won by Merrill Gottschalk (Cool); second, Ernie Walte (SE); third, Brennan Clark (NW); fourth, George Jackson (NW). Height 11 feet 3 inches.

100-YARD DASH: Won by Walter Radzienda (H); second, Bob Abbott (R); third, Carl Calabrese (SE); Carl Culver (Cent) and Ed Lumpkin (NW) tied for fourth. Time 10 3-8 seconds.

ONE-MILE RUN: Won by Tate White (H); second, Elden Blackburn (W); third, Warren Anderson (N); fourth, Henry Blaskiewicz (H). Time 4:40 3-5.

RUNNING HIGH JUMP: Won by Randall Pittman (NW); second, Earl Redmond (E); Carl Culver (Cent) and Mark Arnott (D) tied for third. Height 6 feet 1 inch.

440-YARD RUN: Won by Jim McMillan (H); second, Douglas Pearse (H); third, Bob Luby (Cent); fourth, Carl Calabrese (SE). Time 13 1-5 seconds.

220-YARD DASH: Walter Radzienda (H) and Bob Abbott (R) tied for first; third, Charles Doan (D); fourth, Carl Calabrese (SE). Time 23 2-5 seconds.

SHOT PUT: Won by Harold Cochrell (SE); second, Mike Kraatz (Cool); third, Leonard Kalinowski (H); fourth, Tony Arena (NW). Distance 48 feet 1 1/2 inches.

DISCUS THROW: Won by Howard Carter (P); second, Walter Jurkiewicz (H); third, Mike Kraatz (Cool); fourth, Jim Mead (C). Distance 123 feet 10 inches.

RUNNING BROAD JUMP: Won by Carl Culver (Cent); second Ed Lumpkin (NW); third Fred Culver (Cent); fourth, Rex Keeler (SE). Distance 21 feet 3 inches.

880-YARD RUN: Won by George Young (Cool); second, Don Chaffee (Mack); third, Bill Breen (R); fourth, Ralph Boyke (NW). Time 2:01 3-5.

RELAY: Won by Redford (Alward Pinnock, William Smith, Bob Abbott, Douglas Pearse); second, Hamtramck; third, Pershing; fourth, Central. Time 1:34 3-5.

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