

Cooley Wins City League Track Title

Relay Disqualification Loses Cardinals 8 Points but Is Settled After Issue Is Settled

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Although there was much fuss and excitement about the disqualification of Cooley High School's relay team in the final meet of the City League meet and Claude Sperry, Cardinals coach, was one of the principals—it didn't mean a thing.

Cooley had won the championship regardless of the outcome of that race. In fact the trophy, emblematic of the City championship, had been given to Sperry three weeks before by Southwestern's Coach Leggett Boyd, picture taken and the trophy stowed away in Sperry's car.

The excitement all started when John Winterspoon was selected soon after the start of the final leg of the relay. The Cardinals finished second but lost the eight points for that position and the relay team was disqualified.

CARDINALS SCORE 107½

The Cardinals won the title in the same manner they secured the West Side crown last week. They failed to have many boys out in front of the pack, but there was always a goodly share of the Cardinals in the front six places, which had set standards of the 27 Cardinals who qualified for the track, scored points totaling a total of 107½ points in the Junior-Senior 200-yard dash, in which they scored 20 points.

Don Davis, Cooley's sprinter, was the day's sensational star. He scored 28 points for the winners, getting first place in both hurdles and finished second in the 100-yard dash. Dave Brown, of the Southwesterns, scored a stem in both the dashes, winning readily in the 100 and 200.

Stanford's Hawks had the most individual winners, getting four first places, one more than Cooley or Southwesterns, and finishing repeated his mile performance of last week and won handsily. This Brown took top honors in the 400-yard dash, while Dick Metz scored home first in the 500. Tom Clark won the 800-yard dash.

SOLE VAULT RIVALRY

The most bitter feud of the day was the one staged by Ralph Spivey, of Southwestern, and Fred Archer, of Cooley, for the pole vault honors. Archer finally won the event at 12 feet 6 inches.

The defeat of Southwestern marked the first time in three years that the East Side school had not won the outdoor track title. It was the first time since 1939 when their winning streak was stopped at two city crowns.

Next Saturday the boys from the City School and from several metropolitan area high schools will compete in the annual Wynne Beatty at University of Detroit Stadium.

Chicago's Bob Hudson was the best of the day in the 100-yard dash, finishing in 17.4 seconds. He was followed by Cooley's Don Davis in 17.8 seconds. The Cardinals' John Winterspoon was third in 18.2 seconds. The Cardinals' John Winterspoon was fourth in 18.6 seconds. The Cardinals' John Winterspoon was fifth in 19.0 seconds. The Cardinals' John Winterspoon was sixth in 19.4 seconds. The Cardinals' John Winterspoon was seventh in 19.8 seconds. The Cardinals' John Winterspoon was eighth in 20.2 seconds. The Cardinals' John Winterspoon was ninth in 20.6 seconds. The Cardinals' John Winterspoon was tenth in 21.0 seconds.

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