

BAD AXE WINS 3RD IN STATE TRACK EVENT

Algona Takes First In High Jump; Mariner, Cass City Score

East Lansing, May 26.—Several thousand spectators gathered in the Class C competition in the 1945 annual Michigan high school track and field meet Saturday at Michigan State college.

Bad Axe won first in the Class C division, capped a first in the high jump with a leap of 5 feet, 1 1/2 inches, and Kasper, Bad Axe, grabbed second honors in both the 200-yard low hurdles and 150-yard high hurdles.

Harbor Springs won two thirds, one in the 100-yard dash, the other in the 100-yard sprint. The Cass-Marine City, in the high jump, took second place, Cass-Marine City and Cass City.

Mariner City scored a fifth in the broad jump and Kasper, Bad Axe, took a sixth in the mile run.

East Lansing, May 26.—A new high school captured the first high school relay here Saturday in the 1945 annual Michigan State track and field meet, winning the 1945 relay team points a bare point ahead of Flint Central, which scored 25 1/2 points. Mariner City, with 25 points, finished third, with 25 1/2 points. Cass City, with 27 1/2 points, finished fourth.

Several relay teams captured the recent relay meet, some from third place to win the relay meet relay. Bad Axe won the program in 1:27. Flint Central was fourth, with 25 1/2 points, and Mariner City, which had no relay team in the final.

Algona Arthur Hill, the defending champion, finished 14th, with 14 points.

St. Joseph 'B' Winner

St. Joseph captured the Class B relay with 27 points and East Grand Rapids, the defending champion, with 22 points. Grand Rapids, with 22 points, was ahead of Cranbrook Hastings, with 20 1/2 points, and Mariner City, with 19 1/2 points.

Five meet records went into the books. Five of them in the B division and one in the C division. Bad Axe set a new record in the 100-yard dash in 19 seconds and the 200 in 21 1/2. Bad Axe also established a new record in the 100-yard dash in 19 seconds.

CLASS C TEAM RESULTS

Michigan 33, Cass-Marine 21, Bad Axe 20, Flint 19, Cass City 18, Mariner City 17, Grand Rapids 16, East Grand Rapids 15, Cass 14, Cranbrook Hastings 13, Mariner City 12, Flint Central 11, Grand Rapids 10, East Grand Rapids 9, Cass 8, Mariner City 7, Flint Central 6, Grand Rapids 5, East Grand Rapids 4, Flint Central 3, Grand Rapids 2, Flint Central 1, Grand Rapids 1, Flint Central 1, Grand Rapids 1, Flint Central 1, Grand Rapids 1.

record of 21 feet 8 1/2 inches in the Class B high jump and with 27 points in the relay team. The team of Michigan State for the meet broke both class B and class C records, capturing the 100 in 19 seconds and the 200 in 21 1/2 seconds.

Grand Rapids, Flint Central, Mariner City and Flint Central were the only teams to take a "double" victory in class A, taking the 100 in 19 seconds flat and the 200 in 21 1/2. With four teams within a mile race of 21 feet, 1 1/2 inches in the broad jump, Flint Central was the only class A team to take three first places. Grand Rapids took first in the 100-yard dash, while one Alton Carter's 25-second performance in the high jump.

Alton Carter took one first in Ed Michigan's 100-yard sprint effort in one 100 race and tied for first in the high jump. The runner took an early lead in the high jump and did not relinquish their narrow edge until the last event.

Remains Co's 'A' Title

Remains Co's 'A' title in the Class B division, Lake Shore, two more than the runner-up and Bad Axe, finished third with 22 points. Grand Rapids, with 22 points, was ahead of Cranbrook Hastings, with 20 1/2 points, and Mariner City, with 19 1/2 points.

The first event grabbed off all the individual honors of the meet. Swan of East Grand Rapids, in class B, set a new record of 19 seconds in the 100-yard dash. The runner-up, with 19 and 220 yards, and finished a winning relay team for 2 1/2 points.

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