

# Saginaw High School

## Charlotte Wins Class B Honors

### Saginaw Arthur Hill Is Second, Battle Creek Runs 7th.

**EAST LANSING**—(P)—Saginaw high school, with virtually no runner on its squad, retained its class A Michigan high school track championship yesterday by beating 2,500-ranked Easts at Michigan State college, beating out its rival, Saginaw Arthur Hill, 36 1/2 points to 28.

Because of the rain, which fell all morning and had way through the meet, there was no state records broken in any of the four lower preliminary classes.

**Charlotte**, with 37 points, secured the class B championship while East Grand Rapids was 23 and Michigan School for the Deaf scored as class C champion with 25 points.

**Saginaw** won the first event of the morning when K. I. McKinnon captured the shot put score in eight of the 14 events and took three tries to lead the team down all the way. George Len, who took fifth for the two jumps in the high hurdles, was their only senior point winner.

**Bob Bradley** won the 200-yard race among the top finalists in class A, won Mackinac with 20 points, and two Flint teams—Central and Northern—each with 15. Led by Bob Bradley who captured the high jump, Battle Creek came in seventh with 11 points. Jackson is seventh with 11 points. Jackson W.P.F. contributed personally 30 points. Battle Creek was the only individual "double" in class A, by winning both the high hurdles and broad jump.

A total of 11 teams shared the 14 class A firsts with Saginaw and Flint Central the only outfits grabbing more than one.

**Hastings** is sixth. Charlotte took only one first place in pulling up a heavy victory margin in class B, where its 37-point total was almost 13 points ahead of Phoenix's 22 1/2 for runner-up honors. Evans, setting his 100-meter record in 17.1 seconds, set the tempo for victory in both events, was third with 18 1/2. Len Bismillah, Hastings was sixth with 10 points.

**East Grand Rapids**, with 31 points, closed in an eight team margin over runner-up Ypsilanti 19 1/2 in class C. Ed Millright, Coach Gundrum won the high hurdles and ran very fast for an Ypsilanti outfit that also finished first in the final relay. Bonham, the 1945 champion, finished third with 21 1/2.

**Two Double Winners**—Two of the meet's five individual "double" winners were in class D, where Arthur Denison, state event holder in both sprints, repeated his 1945 championships in both events to pace Michigan School for the Deaf to a hard-earned victory by a margin of 47 points, over the state's second best.

**Don Pionta**, Bayport, field eventer, captured both the broad jump and high jump in class D.

Nearst thing to a record performance came from Allen Haider, Mearns' class C mile, where four minutes 39.8 seconds was just a half second of the meet's best previous time.

**Michigan's Deaf's Denison**, Bayport's Rogers and Ypsilanti's Bonham's Gundrum, all ran very close sprints on winning relay teams to share individual high point honors for the meet with 13 1/2 points.

## State Track Summaries

Class A	Class B
100-yd dash—Win by Jesse Thacker (Central) over J. Galtier (Central) in 15.9 seconds. Loser, Len Hastings (Saginaw) with 16.9 seconds.	100-yd dash—Win by Doug Wilcox (Hastings) over Al McPherson (Ypsilanti) in 16.4 seconds.
200-yd dash—Win by John Parnas (Central) over Leonard Adams (Central) in 34.4 seconds. Loser, Len Hastings (Saginaw) with 36.9 seconds.	200-yd dash—Win by Charles Rogers (Ypsilanti) over Wilcox (Hastings) in 36.4 seconds.
400-yd dash—Win by Jimmie Anderson (Central) over Alvin Farnham (Central) in 1:24.4 seconds. Loser, Len Hastings (Saginaw) with 1:27.9 seconds.	400-yd dash—Win by Charles Rogers (Ypsilanti) over Wilcox (Hastings) in 1:26.4 seconds.
800-yd dash—Win by Wm. Jay (Central) over Ed. McPherson (Ypsilanti) in 2:54.4 seconds. Loser, Alvin Farnham (Central) with 2:58.9 seconds.	800-yd dash—Win by Charles Rogers (Ypsilanti) over Wilcox (Hastings) in 2:56.4 seconds.
1,600-yd dash—Win by Ed. McPherson (Ypsilanti) over Alvin Farnham (Central) in 6:19.4 seconds. Loser, Wm. Jay (Central) with 6:24.9 seconds.	1,600-yd dash—Win by Charles Rogers (Ypsilanti) over Wilcox (Hastings) in 6:21.4 seconds.
3,200-yd dash—Win by Ed. McPherson (Ypsilanti) over Alvin Farnham (Central) in 12:49.4 seconds. Loser, Wm. Jay (Central) with 13:04.9 seconds.	3,200-yd dash—Win by Charles Rogers (Ypsilanti) over Wilcox (Hastings) in 12:51.4 seconds.
6,400-yd dash—Win by Ed. McPherson (Ypsilanti) over Alvin Farnham (Central) in 25:49.4 seconds. Loser, Wm. Jay (Central) with 26:14.9 seconds.	6,400-yd dash—Win by Charles Rogers (Ypsilanti) over Wilcox (Hastings) in 25:56.4 seconds.
12,800-yd dash—Win by Ed. McPherson (Ypsilanti) over Alvin Farnham (Central) in 51:49.4 seconds. Loser, Wm. Jay (Central) with 52:34.9 seconds.	12,800-yd dash—Win by Charles Rogers (Ypsilanti) over Wilcox (Hastings) in 51:58.4 seconds.
25,600-yd dash—Win by Ed. McPherson (Ypsilanti) over Alvin Farnham (Central) in 1:04:49.4 seconds. Loser, Wm. Jay (Central) with 1:06:04.9 seconds.	25,600-yd dash—Win by Charles Rogers (Ypsilanti) over Wilcox (Hastings) in 1:05:16.4 seconds.
51,200-yd dash—Win by Ed. McPherson (Ypsilanti) over Alvin Farnham (Central) in 2:10:49.4 seconds. Loser, Wm. Jay (Central) with 2:13:04.9 seconds.	51,200-yd dash—Win by Charles Rogers (Ypsilanti) over Wilcox (Hastings) in 2:11:51.4 seconds.
102,400-yd dash—Win by Ed. McPherson (Ypsilanti) over Alvin Farnham (Central) in 4:21:49.4 seconds. Loser, Wm. Jay (Central) with 4:26:04.9 seconds.	102,400-yd dash—Win by Charles Rogers (Ypsilanti) over Wilcox (Hastings) in 4:23:56.4 seconds.
204,800-yd dash—Win by Ed. McPherson (Ypsilanti) over Alvin Farnham (Central) in 8:42:49.4 seconds. Loser, Wm. Jay (Central) with 8:51:04.9 seconds.	204,800-yd dash—Win by Charles Rogers (Ypsilanti) over Wilcox (Hastings) in 8:47:51.4 seconds.
409,600-yd dash—Win by Ed. McPherson (Ypsilanti) over Alvin Farnham (Central) in 17:24:49.4 seconds. Loser, Wm. Jay (Central) with 17:38:04.9 seconds.	409,600-yd dash—Win by Charles Rogers (Ypsilanti) over Wilcox (Hastings) in 17:35:56.4 seconds.

Rainfall in the Hastings field.

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