

Chiefs Nose Out Haslett For Honors

Ewing, Hagenbuch Individual Stars; Williamston Takes Third Place

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Amid a drizzling rain and muddy Michigan State college track, Okemos high school successfully defended its Ingham County track title by outlasting Haslett high school for the second straight year Saturday morning.

The Chiefs, who topped Haslett to win the 1952 championship, scored 50 points to Haslett's 41½ total to retain the county trophy. Williamston also repeated its 1952 finish by closing in third place with 28½ points. Stockbridge was fourth with 27 points; Fowlerville was fifth with 18; Leslie had 17½ for sixth place; Holt was seventh with 10 and Danville had four points.

Team balance again paid off for Okemos this year. The Chiefs scored in every event except the broad jump while winning six first and three second places of the 13-event meet.

Dick Ewing paced Okemos as he retained his 100-yard and 200-yard dash titles. Mel Swab of the Chiefs won the 120-yard high hurdles; Mike Sweeney took the mile run; and the Chiefs won both the medley and 880-yard relays.

Only disappointment Okemos experienced was the failure of Gerald Rossa to recapture the title he held in the quarter mile run. Up to Saturday's meet, Rossa had won the county quarter-mile race two years in a row but this time he was edged by Fowlerville's Paul Sutton who snatched through the mud in 55.9 seconds.

Second place Haslett made a determined bid to dethrone Okemos, forcing the Chiefs into the final event, the 880-yard relay, before falling. Only four points separated the two teams before the event. However, Okemos showed its all-around power by winning the race while the Haslett entry was disqualified for interference and did not set a point.


Herb Hagenbuch, sturdy Haslett runner, paced his squad for the third straight year. He was entered in four events and won first places in the 180-yard low hurdles, broad jump and high jump and finished second to Ewing in the 100-yard dash.

It was the third year Hagenbuch won the broad jump and the second year in a row he won the high jump.

In 1951, Hagenbuch scored all but one of Haslett's 11 points and followed with 15 last year. But his 18-point effort Saturday topped all past performances.

Haslett's Bill Haskins was the only other person to retain a title. He threw the shot 83 feet 8¾ inches to better his last year title toss by an inch.

Dick Latham of Williamston won the 880-yard run for the other meet first place.



RETAINS TITLE — Okemos Dashman Dick Ewing is shown crossing the finish-line to win the 100-yard dash. (State Journal photo)

Summary

120-yard high hurdles: Won by Swab (O); second, Haskins (Ha); third, Lathambot (W); fourth, Eckman (W); fifth, Jackson (S). Time: 18.2.

Medley relay: Won by Okemos (Davidson, Webb, Davis, Brown); second, Williamston (Latham, Rossa, Sutton, Haskins); third, Haslett (Haskins, Hagenbuch, Ewing, Swab); fourth, Stockbridge (Haskins, Hagenbuch, Ewing, Swab); fifth, Haslett (Haskins, Hagenbuch, Ewing, Swab); sixth, Stockbridge (Haskins, Hagenbuch, Ewing, Swab); seventh, Haslett (Haskins, Hagenbuch, Ewing, Swab); eighth, Stockbridge (Haskins, Hagenbuch, Ewing, Swab); ninth, Haslett (Haskins, Hagenbuch, Ewing, Swab); tenth, Stockbridge (Haskins, Hagenbuch, Ewing, Swab); eleventh, Haslett (Haskins, Hagenbuch, Ewing, Swab); twelfth, Stockbridge (Haskins, Hagenbuch, Ewing, Swab); thirteenth, Haslett (Haskins, Hagenbuch, Ewing, Swab); fourteenth, Stockbridge (Haskins, Hagenbuch, Ewing, Swab); fifteenth, Haslett (Haskins, Hagenbuch, Ewing, Swab); sixteenth, Stockbridge (Haskins, Hagenbuch, Ewing, Swab); seventeenth, Haslett (Haskins, Hagenbuch, Ewing, Swab); eighteenth, Stockbridge (Haskins, Hagenbuch, Ewing, Swab); nineteenth, Haslett (Haskins, Hagenbuch, Ewing, Swab); 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