

## 'D' Division Crown Won By Dickson

**East Lansing Places Fifth  
In Both Relay Events  
And 220**

Form held firm as Inkster in Class B and Norman-Dickson in Class D won the state high school track titles at the Ralph H. Young field at Michigan State college Saturday.

Both teams were heavy favorites to win the honors. For Inkster claimed its first state championship of any kind since the suburban Detroit school was built in 1942. It grabbed 39 points, to 24 13/22 for runnerup Ludington.

Inkster had firsts in the 220-yard dash, 880-yard run and the 880-yard relay but depended mostly on team depth for victory.

In the relay, the Vikings' celebrated team blazed the distance in 1:31.4 to better the former mark of 1:32.4, set by East Lansing in 1938.

Norman-Dickson Brethren, a track-minded school in the Manistee county, rolled to its third straight Class D crown by piling up 35 1/2 points. Spring Arbor was far behind, with 36 1/2.

Dick Beane — the outstanding performer of all classes — won three events for Brethren — the low hurdles, high hurdles and high jump.

Beane won the 120 yard high hurdles in :15.7, tying his own record for the event last year. He took the high jump with a leap of five feet, 7 1/2 inches and won the 180 yard low hurdles in 21 seconds flat. Beane also ran with the 880-yard relay team that tied for first with Spring Harbor.

St. Louis was third with 15 1/2 points, and East Lansing finished ninth with eight points.

John Palmer, who led St. Louis to the Class C championship last year, tied the state mark in the low hurdle race when he won in 20.2 seconds. He set the Class C mark of 20 seconds last year. Palmer was second in the high hurdles, behind Mt. Pleasant's Jack Boomer.

East Lansing picked up points by placing fifth in both of the relays. Ferg Barton was fifth in the 220, and John Schell was sixth in the 100-yard dash.

Don Harsh of Charlotte won one heat of the Class B quarter-mile race.

Duane Taft of Dimondale tied for fifth in the Class D pole vault.

*Arms on Sunday*

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