

NEW TRACK AND FIELD CHAMPION IN EACH CLASS

Wichita North Wins AA Title; Stafford and Hays Tie in Class A; Class B to Conway Springs; Five New Class A Records; Two Marks Tied in Class B; New State Record in Mile Run

New champions were crowned in all three classes in the 41st running of the State High School Track and Field Meet held at Wichita University May 18 and 19. Rainy weather on Friday hampered the running of the preliminaries but by Saturday afternoon the track was in perfect condition for the finals.

Wichita North pulled the big upset of the day by winning the AA title from a highly favored Wichita East team that had held the championship since 1949. North accumulated a total of 36 points to 30½ for East and 29½ for Topeka. El Dorado was fourth with 19 points followed by Lawrence with 18½. In winning the meet, North took only two firsts with Ellis Steele taking the 440 yard dash and the 880 yard relay team finishing ahead of the field in that event.

Hays and Stafford tied for the Class A title with a total of 20 points. Nickerson took third with 15 points, all coming through the efforts of Bill Barnett who took firsts in three events. Hoisington took fourth place with 13 points, followed by Oakley with 10. Five new records were established in this division, one of them establishing a new state mark for all classes. Fredonia's sterling miler, Alan Eshbaugh, took high honors for the day when he bettered the mile run record of the state set by Bill Tidwell of Kiowa in 1950. Eshbaugh's time of 4:27.0 was slightly faster than Tidwell's 1950 record of 4:27.1. Other new records set in the Class A division are: 880 yard run—2:00.4 by Gerald Cullop, Anthony; 220 yard dash—21.7 by Jerry Mershon, Oakley; Javelin—183-8¼ by Lloyd Chamberlin, Chapman; Medley Relay—3:28.0 by Mulvane (Standiford, Young, Peterson and Reed).

Conway Springs annexed the Class B championship with 22 points. Pretty Prairie was a close second with 20⅔, followed by Attica with 17 1/6, Mt. Hope with 12⅞ and Bronson with 12. Two Class B records were tied with Don Hess equalling his brother Junior's mark in the 100 yard dash of 10.0 set in 1946 and Bill Biberstein of Attica equalling the high hurdle record of 15.1 set by Darrel Dean of Glen Elder in 1946 and Ray Dahl of Leon in 1949.

Following is a complete summary of results in each class for the 1951 state track meet:

Class AA

120-yard high hurdles—1. Mueller, Leavenworth; 2. Olson, Wichita North; 3. Shields, Wichita East; 4. Lewis, Shawnee Mission; 5. Hervey, Wichita East. Time: 15.0.

100-yard dash—1. Hartman, Topeka; 2. Stanley, Wichita North; 3. Wolfe, Lawrence; 4. Johnson, Junction City; 5. Lee, Coffeyville. Time: 10.2.

One-mile run—1. Fitzimmons, Coffeyville; 2. Scha-

fer, McPherson; 3. Crook, Wichita East; 4. Michel, Garden City; 5. Linder, Salina. Time: 4:32.8.

880-yard relay—1. Wichita North (Ledford, Evans, Kimmons and Stanley); 2. Wichita East; 3. Wyandotte; 4. Coffeyville; 5. Garden City. Time: 1:31.5.

440-yard dash—1. Steele, Wichita North; 2. Hartman, Topeka; 3. Akers, Newton; 4. Mady, Topeka; 5. Franklin, Parsons. Time: 51.1.

180-yard low hurdles—1. Mueller, Leavenworth; 2. Feller, El Dorado; 3. Harrington, Garden City; 4. Lewis, Shawnee Mission; 5. Hervey, Wichita East. Time: 20.0.

880-yard run—1. Fulford, Ottawa; 2. Mecklenburg, Shawnee Mission; 3. Brooks, Topeka; 4. Harrell, Wichita East; 5. Peterson, Topeka. Time: 2:01.3.

Medley relay—1. Dead Heat—Wichita East (Russell, Allison, Lamb and Frame) and Lawrence (Wilburn, Wolfe, Murphy and Carter); 3. El Dorado; 4. Chanute; 5. Newton. Time: 3:31.8.

220-yard dash—1. Johnson, El Dorado; 2. Hartman, Topeka; 3. Stanley, Wichita North; 4. Mady, Topeka; 5. Steele, Wichita North. Time: 22.3.

One-mile relay—1. Coffeyville (Franklin, George, Hall and Lee); 2. Wichita North; 3. Garden City; 4. Wyandotte; 5. Lawrence. Time: 3:28.7.

Pole vault—1. Feller, El Dorado; 2. Tie—McGhee, Ottawa, and Reeves, Topeka; 4. Tie—Nelson, Topeka; McCurdy, Wichita East; and Kratzer, Wyandotte. Height: 12-4¼.

Shot put—1. Nieder, Lawrence; 2. Price, Wichita

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East; 3. Kelley, Atchison; 4. Curry, Ottawa; 5. Peterman, Pittsburg. Distance: 51-11 $\frac{3}{4}$.

High jump—1. Tie—Powell, Emporia, and Sjolholm, Junction City; 3. Tie—Wheeler, Topeka, and Jung, Hutchinson; 5. Tie—Wells, Hutchinson, and Olson, Wichita North. Height: 6 $\frac{1}{8}$.

Discus throw—1. Kelly, Atchison; 2. Craig, Lawrence; 3. Zickafoose, Wichita North; 4. Jackson, Wichita East; 5. Hassig, Wyandotte. Distance: 146-11 $\frac{1}{4}$.

Javelin throw—1. Hall, Wichita East; 2. Flowers, Wyandotte; 3. Cook, Wichita North; 4. McAdoo, El Dorado; 5. Sneegas, Lawrence. Distance: 177-11.

Broad jump—1. Smith, Wyandotte; 2. Tie—Allen, Wichita North, and Pickett, Manhattan; 4. Hoffman, Emporia; 5. Banks, Topeka. Distance: 21-10.

Class A

120-yard high hurdles—1. Shroeder, Garnett; 2. Sullivan, Lyons, 3. Felten, Hays; 4. Ventura, Rosedale; 5. Hines, Rosedale. Time: 15.5.

100-yard dash—1. Mershon, Oakley; 2. Blair, Osborne; 3. Sandifer, Stafford; 4. Blackwood, Marysville; 5. Rose, Hoisington. Time: 10.0.

One-mile run—1. Eshbaugh, Fredonia; 2. Peters, Haskell; 3. Radar, Liberal; 4. Miller, Valley Center; 5. Adee, Minneapolis. Time: 4:27.0. (New State Record)

880-yard relay—1. Hoisington (Rose, Price, Ekblad and Niedens); 2. Olathe; 3. Rosedale; 4. Scott City; 5. Osborne. Time: 1:33.0.

440-yard dash—1. Stewart, Wamego; 2. Winters, Buhler; 3. Frisbie, Stafford; 4. Childs, Stafford; 5. Lewis, Valley Center. Time: 51.0.

180-yard low hurdles—1. Felten, Hays; 2. Sullivan, Lyons; 3. Dochow, Eureka; 4. Ventura, Rosedale; 5. Rasmussen, Lincoln. Time: 20.4.

880-yard run—1. Cullop, Anthony; 2. Swanson, Abilene; 3. Kechel, Hill City; 4. Niernberger, Ellis; 5. Carnes, Haskell. Time: 2:00.4. (New Class A Record)

Medley relay—1. Mulvane (Standiford, Young, Peterson and Reed); 2. Hugoton; 3. Kingman; 4. Anthony; 5. Ellis. Time: 3:28.0. (New Class A Record)

220-yard dash—1. Mershon, Oakley; 2. Blair, Osborne; 3. Rose, Hoisington; 4. Sandifer, Stafford; 5. Stewart, Wamego. Time: 21.7. (New Class A Record)

One-mile relay—1. Hays (Hanson, Pfeifer, Felten and Smith); 2. Liberal; 3. Harper; 4. Hoisington; 5. Girard. Time: 3:32.5.

Pole vault—1. Barnett, Nickerson; 2. Montgomery, Ellsworth; 3. Tie—Sanborn, Fredonia, Whitcomb, Girard, and Johnson, Abilene. Height: 12-4 $\frac{1}{4}$.

Shot put—1. Wesselowski, Beloit; 2. Fritzmeier, Stafford; 3. Johnson, Yates Center; 4. Maher, Ellis; 5. Blasi, Pratt. Distance: 48-7 $\frac{1}{4}$.

High jump—1. Barnett, Nickerson; 2. Tie—Graber, Kingman, Moon, Hugoton, Meade, Hays, Laird, Anthony and Niedens, Hoisington. Height: 5-11 $\frac{1}{8}$.

Discus throw—1. Pfeifer, Hays; 2. Cox, Burlington; 3. Fritzmeier, Stafford; 4. Graham, Fredonia; 5. Gastin, Liberal. Distance: 153-2 $\frac{1}{2}$.

Javelin throw—1. Chamberlin, Chapman; 2. Brown,

Clay Center; 3. Fritzmeier, Stafford; 4. Ortega, Haskell; 5. Widrig, Beloit. Distance: 183-8 $\frac{1}{4}$. (New Class A Record)

Broad jump—1. Barnett, Nickerson; 2. Martino, Cherokee; 3. Hollinger, Russell; 4. Hess, Scott City; 5. Keith, Goodland. Distance: 22-0.

Class B

120-yard high hurdles—1. Biberstein, Attica; 2. New, Williamsburg; 3. Miller, Cheney; 4. C. Dryden, Wellsville; 5. Suenram, Moundridge; Time: 15.1 (Ties Class B Record)

100-yard dash—1. D. Hess, Pretty Prairie; 2. Willard, Bronson; 3. King, Conway Springs; 4. Harder, Inman; 5. Bateman, Attica. Time: 10.0. (Ties Class B Record)

One-mile run—1. Thomas, Cimarron; 2. Nicholson, Maize; 3. Seabolt, Moscow; 4. Perry, Waverly; 5. Jurzenka, Madison. Time: 4:40.3.

880-yard relay—1. Sterling (W. McAlister, Kilbourn, Chesky and C. McAlister); 2. Pretty Prairie; 3. Conway Springs; 4. Hamilton; 5. Andale. Time: 1:34.5.

440-yard dash—1. Shinn, Conway Springs; 2. Johnson, Cassoday; 3. F. Dryden, Wellsville; 4. Odgers, Clyde; 5. Hatch, Horton. Time: 51.6.

180-yard low hurdles—1. Johnston, Attica; 2. C. McAlister, Sterling; 3. Jones, Arma; 4. Miller, Cheney; 5. Payne, Clyde. Time: 20.6.

880-yard run—1. Feist, Claflin; 2. Cotton, Horton; 3. Gay, Gardner; 4. Novak, Narka; 5. Warner, Cimarron. Time: 1:59.9.

Medley relay—1. Maize (Nicholson, Alexander, Woodard and Galwarp); 2. Andale; 3. Halstead; 4. Mullinville; 5. Burrton. Time: 3:33.2.

220-yard dash—1. D. Hess, Pretty Prairie; 2. Harder, Inman; 3. King, Conway Springs; 4. Bateman, Attica; 5. Bacon, Beattie. Time: 22.0.

One-mile relay—1. Ashland (Baker, Cline, Davis and Cox); 2. Hamilton; 3. Bronson; 4. Washington; 5. Conway Springs. Time: 3:32.9.

Pole vault—1. Grimm, Conway Springs; 2. Tie—McNitt, Republic; Birney, Sublette; Flickinger, Pretty Prairie; Tucker, Attica; Stinson, Randall, and Miller, Chase. Height: 11-0 $\frac{1}{2}$.

Shot put—1. Logan, Parker; 2. Chance, Mt. Hope; 3. Vignatelli, Arma; 4. Thornton, Madison; 5. Winters, Preston. Distance: 50-4 $\frac{1}{2}$.

High jump—1. Tie—Hill, Cedar Vale, Chrysler, Parker, C. Dryden, Wellsville, and Blakeway, Summerfield; 5. Eight-way tie. Height: 5-8 $\frac{1}{8}$.

Discus throw—1. Chance, Mt. Hope; 2. Lousch, Coldwater; 3. Goodman, Mt. Hope; 4. Moore, McCune; 5. Robertson, Arma. Distance: 142-2 $\frac{1}{2}$.

Javelin throw—1. Morrison, Pretty Prairie; 2. Woolfolk, Protection; 3. Frack, Macksville; 4. Frantz, Conway Springs; 5. Rudzik, Lane. Distance: 163-11 $\frac{1}{2}$.

Broad jump—1. Willard, Bronson; 2. Toburen, Washington; 3. Tie—New, Williamsburg, and Bateman, Attica; 5. Tie—Hoover, Chase, and Lillian, Hartford. Distance: 20-3 $\frac{3}{8}$.

Year/Class	Rank	School	Pts	Year/Class	Rank	School	Pts	Year/Class	Rank	School	Pts
1951AA	1	Wichita North	36.00	1951A	1	Stafford	20	1951B	1	Conway Spings	22.0
1951AA	2	Wichita East	30.50	1951A	1	Hays	20	1951B	2	Pretty Prairie	20.6
1951AA	3	Topeka	29.00	1951A	3	Nickerson	15	1951B	3	Attica	17.1
1951AA	4	Eldorado	19.00	1951A	4	Hoisington	13	1951B	4	Mt. Hope	12.1
1951AA	5	Lawrence	18.50	1951A	5	Fredonia	10.0	1951B	5	Bronson	12.0
1951AA	6	Wyandotte	18.00	1951A	5	Oakley	10.0	1951B	6	Maize	9.0
1951AA	7	Coffeyville	14.00	1951A	7	Anthony	9.0	1951B	6	Sterling	9.0
1951AA	8	Ottawa	10.50	1951A	7	Osborne	9.0	1951B	8	Parker	8.5
1951AA	9	Leavenworth	10.00	1951A	9	KC Rosedale	8.0	1951B	8	Wellsville	8.5
1951AA	10	Garden City	9.00	1951A	9	Liberal	8.00	1951B	10	Arma	7.0
1951AA	10	Shawnee Mission	9.00	1951A	9	Lyons	8.00	1951B	11	Williamsburg	6.5
1951AA	12	Atchison	8.00	1951A	12	Haskell	7.00	1951B	12	Cimarron	6.0
1951AA	13	Emporia	6.50	1951A	13	Ablene	6.00	1951B	12	Hamilton	6.0
1951AA	13	Junction City	6.50	1951A	13	Beloit	6.00	1951B	12	Imman	6.0
1951AA	15	McPherson	4.00	1951A	13	Hugoton	6.00	1951B	12	Washington	6.0
1951AA	15	Newton	4.00	1951A	13	Wamego	6.00	1951B	16	Andale	5.0
1951AA	17	Manhattan	3.50	1951A	17	Chapman	5.00	1951B	16	Ashland	5.0
1951AA	17	Hutchinson	3.00	1951A	17	Ellis	5.00	1951B	16	Cheney	5.0
1951AA	18	Chanute	2.00	1951A	17	Garnett	5.00	1951B	16	Horton	5.0
1951AA	19	Parsons	1.00	1951A	17	Kingman	5.00	1951B	20	Cassoday	4.0
1951AA	20	Pitsburg	1.00	1951A	17	Mulvane	5.00	1951B	20	Clyde	4.0
1951AA	20	Salina	1.00	1951A	22	Buhler	4.00	1951B	20	Coldwater	4.0
				1951A	22	Burlington	4.00	1951B	20	Mount Hope	4.0
				1951A	22	Cherokee	4.00	1951B	20	Protection	4.0
				1951A	22	Clay Center	4.00	1951B	25	Randall	3.6
				1951A	22	Ellsworth	4.00	1951B	26	Cedar Vale	3.5
				1951A	22	Olathe	4.00	1951B	26	Summerfiel	3.5
				1951A	28	Eureka	3.00	1951B	28	Gardner	3.0
				1951A	28	Girard	3.00	1951B	28	Halstead	3.0
				1951A	28	Harper	3.00	1951B	28	Macksville	3.0
				1951A	28	Hill City	3.00	1951B	28	Madison	3.0
				1951A	28	Russell	3.00	1951B	28	Moscow	3.0
				1951A	28	Scott City	3.00	1951B	33	Chase	2.1
				1951A	28	Valley Center	3.00	1951B	34	McCune	2.0
				1951A	28	Valley Center	3.00	1951B	34	Mullinville	2.0
				1951A	36	Marysville	2.00	1951B	34	Narka	2.0
				1951A	36	Meade	2.00	1951B	34	Waverly	2.0
				1951A	38	Goodland	1.00	1951B	38	Republic	1.6
				1951A	38	Lincoln	1.00	1951B	38	Sublette	1.6
				1951A	38	Minneapolis	1.00	1951B	40	Beattie	1.0
				1951A	38	Pratt	1.00	1951B	40	Burton	1.0
				1951A	38		1.00	1951B	40	Clafin	1.0
				1951A	46		1.00	1951B	40	Lane	1.0
				1951A	46		1.00	1951B	40	Moundridge	1.0
				1951A	46		1.00	1951B	40	Preston	1.0
				1951A	46		1.00	1951B	46	Hartford	0.5