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## TRACK

There was additional interest in track work the past season. Whereas in 1930 there were several schools which abandoned track temporarily, there were more high school track teams in the state this season than ever before. Almost 100 preliminary meets were approved as qualifying meets for the state regionals. Ten regional meets were held as qualifying meets for the state championship meet. The relays were divided into two classes in both regional and state meets, a factor which contributed largely to the increased interest in the sport this year.

### The 1931 State Meet

The 1931 state high school track meet was the largest ever held. The Emporia Teachers track and field was crowded Saturday morning, May 16, with 450 boys endeavoring to qualify for the finals in the afternoon.

Wyandotte high school of Kansas City upset advance dope by winning the meet with a total of 13 points. Wichita East was second with 12 points, Pretty Prairie third with 11, Little fourth with 10, while Hutchinson and the American Indian Institute tied for fifth with 9 points each. Forty-three schools took part in the scoring.

No individual records were broken but the three relay races in the Class A division were smashed. Wyandotte High broke the mile relay mark, setting a new record of 3 min. 29.3 sec. Wichita East broke the half-mile relay record, running the distance in 1 min. 31.8 sec. The Medley relay mark was also broken by Columbus High, the new record being 3 min. 30.9 sec.

The 1931 meet was held under the auspices of the Teachers College at Emporia and the meet was handled in excellent fashion. Coach Bill Hargiss of the university was the official starter and referee.

Some of the boys went to the Chicago University meet in June and brought back several first places.

### OFFICIAL STATE TRACK MEET RECORDS

EVENT	RECORD	HELD BY	YEAR EST.
100-yd. dash	9.9 sec.	Holder, Marion	1928
220-yd. dash	21.6 sec.	Hocker, Minneapolis	1927
440-yd. dash	50.6 sec.	Phillips, Hays	1927
880-yd. run	1 min. 59.4 sec.	Ziegler, Junction City	1927
1-mile run	4 min. 28.4 sec.	Cunningham, Elkhart	1930
120-yd. high hurdles	15.5 sec.	Byers, South Haven	1927
220-yd. low hurdles	24.1 sec.	Gridley, Wichita	1929
Pole vault	12 ft. 8 $\frac{1}{4}$ in.	Coffman, Ford	1929
Shot put	58 ft. 3 $\frac{1}{8}$ in.	Dees, Lorraine	1929
High jump	6 ft. 3 in.	Madison, Hutchinson	1928
Broad jump	22 ft. 5 in.	Madison, Hutchinson	1928
Discus throw	134 ft. 9 $\frac{7}{8}$ in.	White, Pleasanton	1930
Javelin throw	184 ft. $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	Walton, Parsons	1928
$\frac{1}{2}$ -mile relay—Class A	1 min. 31.8 sec.	Wichita East	1931
Class B	1 min. 34.3 sec.	Little River	1931
Mile relay—Class A	3 min. 29.3 sec.	American Indian Institute	1931
Class B	3 min. 36.2 sec.	Wyandotte	1931
Medley relay—Class A	3 min. 30.9 sec.	American Indian Institute	1931
Class B	3 min. 35.1 sec.	Columbus	1931
		Pretty Prairie	1931

## RESULTS OF 1931 STATE TRACK MEET—EMPORIA

TRACK EVENTS	FIRST	SECOND	THIRD	FOURTH	TIME
100-yd. dash	Strohm, Little River	Vogel, Ness City	Vickers, Wyandotte	McKay, Russell	10.1 sec.
220-yd. dash	Vogel, Ness City	Briggs, Atchison	Farrow, Waverly	Kenyon, Little River	22.1 sec.
140-yd. dash	Rhoads, Jetmore	Witt, Norton	Nixon, Downs	Bidwell, Rosalia	50.8 sec.
880-yd. run	Phelps, Manhattan	Pitman, Scott City	Clark, Wellington	Booth, Belle Plaine	2 min. 0.8 sec.
1-mile run	D. Smith, Pretty Prairie	Forney, Lawrence	Edwards, Ottawa	Cross, Utica	4 min. 30.4 sec.
120-yd. high hurdles	Wilhelm, Arkansas City	Stoner, Sabetha	Witt, Norton	Richardson, Lincoln	15.6 sec.
220-yd. low hurdles	Rugger, Smith Center	Allison, Wyandotte	Wilhelm, Ark City	San Romani, Frontenac	25.0 sec.
1/2-mile relay	Wichita East	Wyandotte	Topeka	Harris, Lawrence	1 min. 31.8 sec.
Class A	Little River	Tied	Argonia	Johnston, Dighton	(new record)
Class B	American Indian Institute			Hutchinson	1 min. 34.3 sec.
1-mile relay	Wyandotte	Manhattan	Wichita East	Waverly	
Class A	American Indian Institute	Arnold	Blue Mound	Ottawa	3 min. 29.3 sec.
Class B	Columbus	Hutchinson	Topeka	Argonia	(new record)
Medley relay	Pretty Prairie	Jetmore	Howard	Archison	3 min. 36.2 sec.
Class A	Dicker, Lawrence			Walton	3 min. 30.9 sec.
Class B	White, Ellsworth			Voran, Pretty Prairie	(new record)
Pole vault	Morris, Nickerson				3 min. 33.1 sec.
Shot put	Dees, Lorraine	Russell, Pittsburg	Kanitzer, Hutchinson		HEIGHT OR
High jump	Martin, Caney	Tied	Cassida, Ottawa	Johnson, Byers	DISTANCE
Discus throw	Moore, Wichita North		McKay, Russell	Johnson, Byers	12 ft. 1 in.
Javelin throw	Russell, Pittsburg		Cox, Wellington	Bidwell, Rosalia	57 ft. 8 3/4 in.
Broad jump	Brinkman, Fort Scott		Brown, Wichita East		5 ft. 11 in.
	McKay, Russell		Cassida, Ottawa		124 ft. 4 1/2 in.
			Kirkpatrick, Topeka		181 ft. 11 in.
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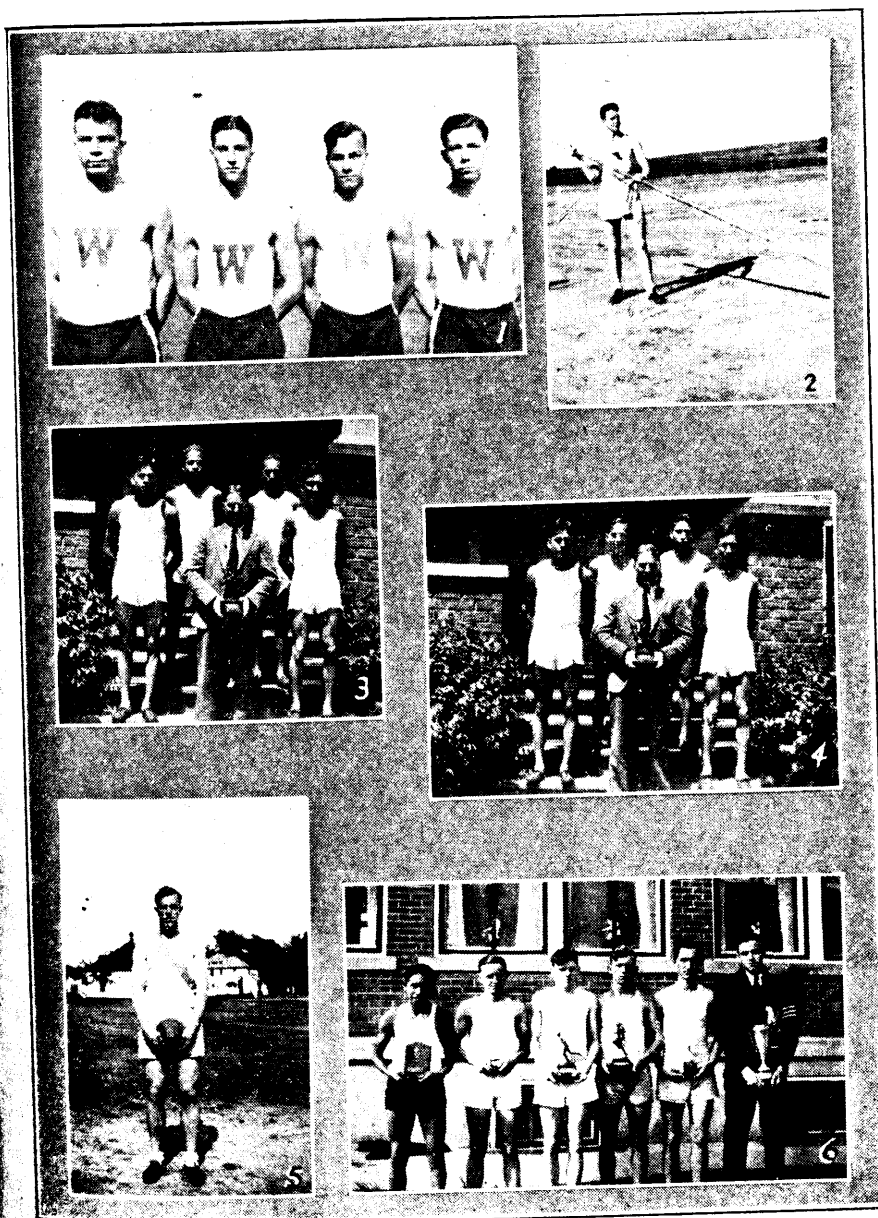
# OF STATE AND REGIONAL TRACK AND GOLF TOURNAMENTS

## RECEIPTS

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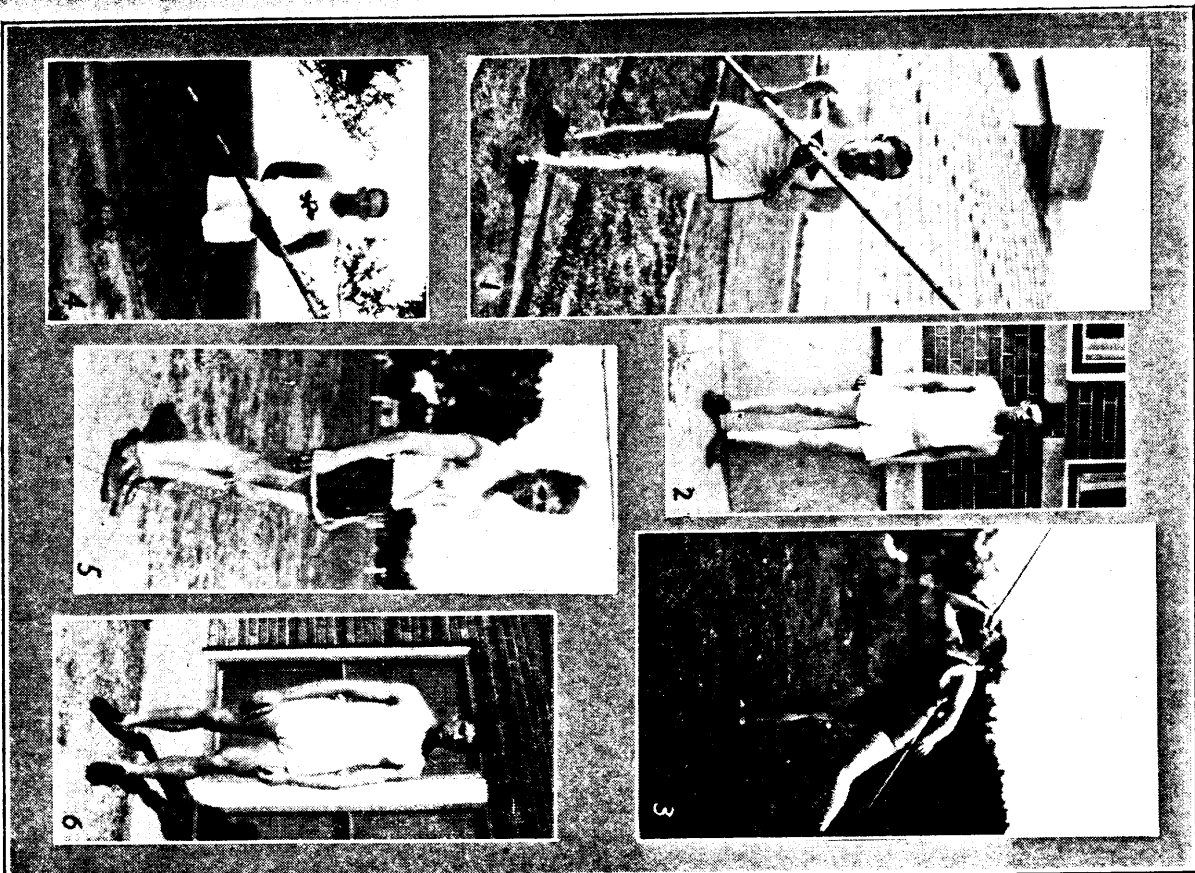
## STATE TRACK MEET WINNERS

1. Wyandotte mile relay team, Class A winner. 2. "Bob" White, Ellsworth, tied for 1st in pole vault. 3. American Indian Institute half-mile relay team, tied for 1st in Class B. 4. American Indians mile relay team, 1st in Class B. 5. Russell, Pittsburg, 1st in Discus. 6. Little River half-mile relay team, tied for 1st in Class B.



1. Phelps, Manhattan, 1st in 880 yd. run. 2. Dees, Lorraine, 1st in shot put. 3. McKay, Russell, 1st in broad jump. 4. Rugger, Smith Center, 1st in low hurdles. 5. Rhoads, Jennore, 1st in 440 yd. dash. 6. Martin, Caney, tied for 1st in high jump. 7. Wilhelm, Arkansas City, 1st in high hurdles.

### STATE TRACK MEET WINNERS



1. Dicker, Lawrence, tied for 1st in pole vault. 2. Strohn, Little River, 1st in 100 yd. dash. 3. Brinkman, Fort Scott, 1st in javelin. 4. Morris, Nickerson, tied for 1st in pole vault. 5. Moore, Wichita North, tied for 1st in high jump. 6. Vogel, Ness City, 1st in 220 yd. dash.

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