

Ottawa was host to some 150 Kansas Conference stars on last Friday and Saturday, and about seven of those 150 went away bearing the honor of holding a new state record. For in the track and field meet that was held at that time there were eight new records established.

Kansas State Normal easily won the meet with a total of 46 points. College of Emporia was second with 22½; Pittsburg Normal third, 22, and Washburn fourth with 21 points.

Lige Williams, star colored sprinter of the Emporia teachers, was the attraction of the meet, and his stepping in the century and the two-twenty yard dashes was something to be marveled at.

In the finals of the hundred on Saturday, he made the excellent and almost unbeatable time of 9.7 seconds. Noticing his remarkable stride, Professor Utt, announcer, measured between two of the sprinter's spike-prints and found his average stride to be 7½ feet. By winning these two events, Williams was high-point man of the meet. His records will probably stand for some time to come. He stepped off the 220 in :21.8—.8 second better than the old mark.

Earl McKown, another Teachers' man, held the crowd awe-struck, at each leap of his over the bamboo pole. He tried to establish a new mark at 12 feet 6 inches, but failed by a margin of 2 inches.

Sherer, of the Normals, 220 low hurdles expert, broke his record of last year, with a run of 24.4, the former mark being 25.6.

Dunning, the high hurdler, from the same school, tied his record of last year, at :15.6, but it failed to count, due to the fact that two of the obstacles were tipped over.

Smith, Ottawa, and Olds, Ottawa, were the only two men who placed in the meet. Smith took first in the javelin throw, with a toss of 160 ft. 11½ in. This is within 9 ft. ½ in. of the state record. Olds placed a second in the broad jump, with Mounts of the Friends placing first.

Purma, Pittsburg Normal, set a new record in the shot put, with a heave of 44 ft. 9¾ in., breaking the old record by 2 feet 3 inches.

Fowler, of the same school, set up a new mark, by only ¼ of an inch, in the high jump. This was remarkable, in that he was jumping at about 2 inch over his head, he being a short, stocky fellow. But his pedal extremities seemed to hold an awful amount of the old "mule" for he cleared the bar with seeming ease at 5 ft. 10½ inches.

Wiley, of the Friends University of Wichita, broke the state mark in the discus, by 4 ft. 8½ in. Cole was doped to take this event, but fell down somewhat in the test. He placed a second.

The Washburn relay team won the one mile relay in the excellent time of 3:28, breaking the old state record by 2.3 seconds.

Streit, of the same school, lowered the mark in the quarter-mile to 51.6.

McKeever, Kansas Wesleyan, broke the record in the two-mile event by doing the eight laps in 10:10.5, ¾ of a second better than the former mark.

The golf tournament was played off on Friday and Saturday, Bollinger of Baker taking home the cup offered by Arthur Capper.

Streit took home the quarter-mile cup to Washburn and the relay team took the cup offered by the Chamber of Commerce of Ottawa, for that event.

The Summary

100 yard dash—Won by Williams (K. S. N.); Walton (C. of E.) second; Hooper (Pittsburg) third; Skilling (Bethany) fourth. Time, 9.7 seconds. **Breaking state record by $\frac{1}{2}$ second.**

1 mile run—Won by Brown (Washburn); Myer (K. S. N.) second; Upson (K. S. N.) third; Van Lew (Friends) fourth. Time 4:41.

150 yard hurdles—Won by Dunning (K. S. N.); Sherer (K. S. N.) second; Gibson (C. of E.) third; Webber (K. S. N.) fourth. Time, 15.6, tying state record, but unofficial because of hurdles knocked down.

440 yard run—Won by Strelt (Washburn); White (Washburn) second; W. Smith (Baker) third; Patison (C. of E.) fourth. Time 5:1 1-5.

220 yard low hurdles—Won by Sherer (K. S. N.); Dunning (K. S. N.) second; George (C. of E.) third; Webber (K. S. N.) fourth. Time, 25 2-5, **breaking state record by 1-5 second.**

330 yard run—Won by Snodgrass (Pittsburg); McNabney (Washburn) second; Harvey (Friends) third; Summers (K. S. N.) fourth. Time, 2:30.9.

350 yard dash—Won by Williams (K. S. N.); Walton (C. of E.) second; Hooper (Pittsburg) third; Skilling (Bethany) fourth. Time, 21 4-5 second.

Two mile run—Won by McKeever (Kansas Wesleyan); (Washburn) second; Talbot (K. S. N.) third; (Fairmount) fourth. Time, 10:19.5. **Lowered state record by $\frac{3}{4}$ second.**

One mile relay—Won by Washburn; Baker second; Friends third; C. of E. fourth. Time, 3:23. **Lowered state record 2.3 seconds.**

Pole vault—Won by McKown (K. S. N.); Woodworth (Kansas Wesleyan) and Walker

(Southwestern) tied for second; Little (Friends) third. Height, 12 feet.

Shot put—Won by Purma (Pittsburg); Rodwick (Southwestern) second; Miller (C. of E.) third; Binford (Friends) fourth. Distance, 44 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ inches. **Broke state record by 1 foot 11 1 inches.**

Broad jump—Won by Mounts (Friends); Olds (Ottawa) second; Walton (C. of E.) third; Skilling (Bethany) fourth. Distance, 22 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ inches.

Javelin—Won by Smith (Ottawa); Binford (Friends) second; Holzfreteich (K. S. N.) third; Skelton (Pittsburg) fourth. Distance, 160 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ inch.

High jump—Won by Fowler (Pittsburg); Barnes (Bethany) and Godger (C. of E.) tied for second; Skelton (Pittsburg) fourth. Height 5 feet 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches. **Broke state record by $\frac{1}{2}$ inch.**

Discus—Won by Wiley (Friends); Cole (K. S. N.) second; Studabaker (C. of E.) third; J. Snodgrass (Pittsburg) fourth. Distance, 138 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ inches. **Breaking state record by 4 feet 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches.**