

Castlemont New OAL Track King

Castlemont High won its first Oakland Athletic League track championship since 1942 yesterday in the annual meet at University of California's Edwards Field.

The Knights, coached by Nick Garedakis, had 332½ points in the OAL's unique meet in which every competitor scores at least one point.

Major upset found Raphael Saddler, Tech sophomore, defeating Castlemont's Charlie Peoples in the 440 in 49.8. Peoples had smashed the OAL record in Tuesday's trials, running the quarter in :49.3. The old record was :49.9 set by John L. Simmons of McClymonds in 1949.

SUMMARY

100—Simpson (C), Palmer (C), Patton (M), :10.1. 220—Patton (M), Palmer (C), Simpson (C), :22.4. 440—Saddler (T), C. Peoples (C), Barker (M), :49.8. 880—Porto (O), Lauritzen (F), Kirton (O), 2:01.6. Mile—Cartwright (M), Beverly (O), White (M), 4:34.4.

120 HH—Whitfield (C), Hence (T), U. Hurts (C), :14.8. 180 LH—Whitfield (C), tie for second, Hence (T) and U. Hurts (C), :19.5. 880 Relay—Castlemont (C. Peoples, Downey, Simpson, Palmer), McClymonds, Technical, 1:29.0. Shot—Hayes (M), Copland (F), Lane (F), 51-2⅓. Broad Jump—Downey (C), Malone (O), Foster (M), 22-9¼. High Jump—Green (O), Blake (M), three way tie for third, Ferguson (F), Hollis (O), Newton (T), 6-3. Pole Vault—Pollack (O), B. Peoples (C), Watson (C), 13-0.

Total points: Castlemont 332½, McClymonds 280, Oakland 257½, Technical 254, Fremont 240.