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JUNIOR COLLEGE SCHEDULE DUAL TRACK MEETS AT HACKLEY FIELD

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G. R. JAYSEES TO OPEN SKED HERE APRIL 20

Flint Here May 5; Reds Meet Holland April 21, Creston May 12

At least four dual track meets have been arranged for the cinder fans of Muskegon to look over this season, with Muskegon Junior college, and Muskegon High school each having two meets already scheduled, and contracts received. The season's dual meets will open May 20, with Muskegon and Grand Rapids Junior Colleges meeting at Hackley Field in a dual affair that should go a long way towards establishing one team as the dual meet champions of Michigan. Grand Rapids finished first and Muskegon second in last year's state Junior College track meet.

Muskegon High and Holland will hold a dual track meet May 21, Saturday, the day after the Jaysees meet Grand Rapids. The meet will also be held at Hackley Field. Contracts have been received from Holland calling for a complete team of track men, with entrants in all events on the state card from 100 yard dash to mile run, and from discus to shot put in the field events.

Flint Junior College will meet Muskegon Junior at Hackley Field in a dual meet, May 5, with Muskegon and Grand Rapids Creston meeting at the same field in a dual meet, May 12. These two meets are also settled, with contracts signed and all arrangements completed.

Muskegon Junior has also a dual meet tentatively arranged with Crane Junior College of Chicago, to be held there, April 28. The meet is not settled yet, but prospects point to an early exchange of contracts.

Muskegon Junior College will be entered in the state J. C. meet at Flint, May 12, and the Michigan Intercollegiate meet at East Lansing, May 19. Any winners of points at East Lansing will be entered in the national intercollegiate meet. Coach M. R. Ewings has announced.

Muskegon's myriad sports fans will be given a chance to see some of the best track and field athletes of Western Michigan perform at Hackley Field in the next few weeks. The announcement of dual meets for Muskegon High school and Muskegon Junior College assures a splendid program of track events for this city.

Muskegon High, with Holland here April 21, and Grand Rapids Creston here May 12, Junior College, with Grand Rapids Junior here April 20, and Flint here May 5, present four dual meets for the edification of fandom.

Then two meets in which several schools will perform are proposed for Muskegon. The Muskegon County High School Association, including Muskegon St. Mary's, Holton, Ravenna, Whitehall and Montague, would stage its first annual track meet here, presumably at Hackley Field, May 23.

The other meet is still in the embryo stage, with a possible get together of Muskegon High, Muskegon Junior College, Muskegon Heights High, Muskegon Y. M. C. A. and St. Mary's High. This meet may exclude the Y and Jaysees, because of the difficulties of matching high school youngsters with senior athletes, but there is a good possibility of the other three getting together. Muskegon Heights and St. Mary's are willing. Muskegon High coaches are astride the fence, not knowing at the present time which way to climb down.

Friday's clash between the Muskegon-Grand Rapids Juniors will be a bitterly fought struggle, it is believed, with Captain Lyle Hessel of the Muskegon team conceded three first places, Fields in the pole vault one, and with the Grand Rapids team believed best in the weight events and distance races. Last year Grand Rapids finished first in the state Jaysee track and field meet, with Muskegon a close

second. Muskegon is seeking the laurels this year, but it is believed the local team, with its two stars will go better in the big meet, where first places count heavier, than in a dual battle, where second and third places pile up points.

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TRACK FANS LOOK FORWARD TO DUAL TRACK CONTESTS

Junior Colleges Meet Here Friday; Holland vs. Big Reds Saturday

With the Temple Cup meet out of the way, track fans of Muskegon look forward to the opening of the dual meet season Friday afternoon, when Muskegon and Grand Rapids Junior Colleges get together in the opening clash of the year. Saturday Muskegon High will meet Holland in a second dual meet.

The Friday card at Hackley Field, bringing together first and second place winners of the state junior college race of last year, will get under way at 3 p. m. Coach M. R. Ewing announced today.

Muskegon Jaysees will have at least two men in every event on the program, with some of the boys showing real form in pre-season training.

Lyle Hessel is a sure candidate for first places in his favorite events, and he will appear in at least three, with the possibility of his entering four events. Hessel is considered a sure winner in the century, 220 yard dash, and 220 low hurdles. His running should give Muskegon the percentage in the relay.

Several other boys should be well up in the scoring when the two squads meet, although Grand Rapids will be favored to win by placing a better balanced team in the field.

The first activities of the spring season for Junior College athletes is scheduled for tomorrow afternoon, at Hackley Field when the trackman of Grand Rapids Junior will compete with the Ewing crew in a dual contest that should be interesting and close.

Grand Rapids holds the state Jaysee championship for team points. Muskegon brought back four individual championships from the state meet last year, as well as second place in the standings. And the Muskegon school entered only a quartet of trackmen in the meet. Captain Lyle Hessel is champion of the state in Jaysee ranks with victories in the 100, 220 dashes and 220 low hurdles to his credit at the carnival last year.

The other spring activity of the school, tennis, was to have been opened tomorrow also, but has been postponed for several days. The local J. C. team was to meet Grand Rapids J. C. at Grand Rapids, but cold weather and lack of practice was a handicap for Muskegon players, and the meet will be held next week, at a date to be set in the next few days.

HESSSELL, HATHAWAY NAMED J. C. LEADERS

Lyle Hessel was elected captain of the Muskegon Junior College track and field team at a meeting of cinder artists of the college last night. Winston Hathaway was chosen as captain for the college tennis team by the troupe of racquet wielders of the school.

Each of the two boys won their letters last year, and performed sensationally in their chosen sports. Hathaway is one of the ranking junior players of Western Michigan. Hessel is state Junior College champion in three events, the 100 yard dash, 220 yard dash and 220 low hurdles.