

## **Coach Charles Kahle**

**Charles was an industrial arts teacher, coach and athletic director at Milwaukee East High School.**

**He was the Head Track Coach for 26 years, from 1912-1938.**

### **Coaching Highlights:**

**His teams won 16 city championships. Between 1915 and 1938 his teams won eleven State Championships and were runner-up on three other occasions. Charles coached 62 individual or relay state champions.**

### **Other coaching experience:**

**Charles also coached football and cross country and in 2018 was inducted into the Wisconsin Cross Country Coaches Association Hall of Fame. His cross-country teams won 16 State Championships.**

**He stepped down from coaching after the 1938 season to become the school's athletic director.**

**“No other coach has contributed so much as Coach Kahle to the establishment of the traditional reputation that East has long enjoyed for true sportsmanship in all**

**it's athletic endeavors.”—1938 East Yearbook**

## **Inducted 2020**

