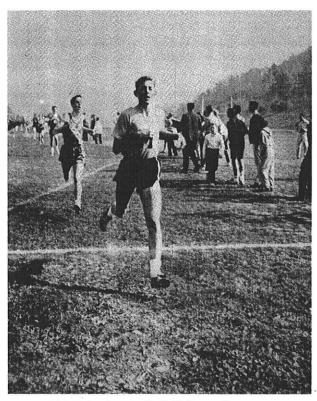


Foreground: David Kostizak, Mgr.; Mr. Robert J. Bradley, Coach. First row: Brian Doughtery, James Logar, Gregory Sloan, Michael Gleason, Peter Rogers, Paul McLaughlin, Stephen Fahy, Patrick Love, Jeremy Abott, Peter Struble, John Curran. Second row: Walter Payne, Gary Zeppettella, Gary Lesnick, Eric Kendrick, Paul Doyle, Michael Connor, Richard West, Robert Rokos, Raymond Sherbinski, Robert Carson, John Stanley, Timothy McCluskey, Michael Griffin, Michael Shaughnessy, Eugene Lenyk, Dennis O'Brien, Eugene Flis, Richard Lenhard.



Dick Lenhard crosses the finish line at Chenango.

CROSS COUNTRY

This year's Cross-Country Team, led by sophomore Eric Kendrick, proved to be one of the best ever at McQuaid. Under the guidance of Coach Robert J. Bradley, the team posted an excellent .835 percentage, defeating 101 out of 121 schools faced. In only two races did the Knights find themselves lower than third place. This was partially due to the loss of Captain Mike Connor, who was injured for the early part of the season.

Highlights of the Varsity season were the Alfred-Almond, Rochester Catholic Diocesan, and Jesuit High School meets. In all three, our McQuaid harriers put forth a team effort to take first place. In the latter two, Kendrick captured first place honors and was followed, as he was all season, by the strong running of Mike Connor, Mike Shaugnessy, Dick Lenhard, Greg Sloan, Gene Lenyk, and John Stanley.

On the J.V. level the Knights were able to field only an average team due to the lack of depth from the Varsity. Thus they completed a below par season. They consistently faced younger opponents and only once encountered equal teams. In this race against Cardinal Mooney and Aquinas, team leaders Brian Dougherty, John Curran and Steve Fahy put forth their best effort of the year to account for the lone J.V. win.