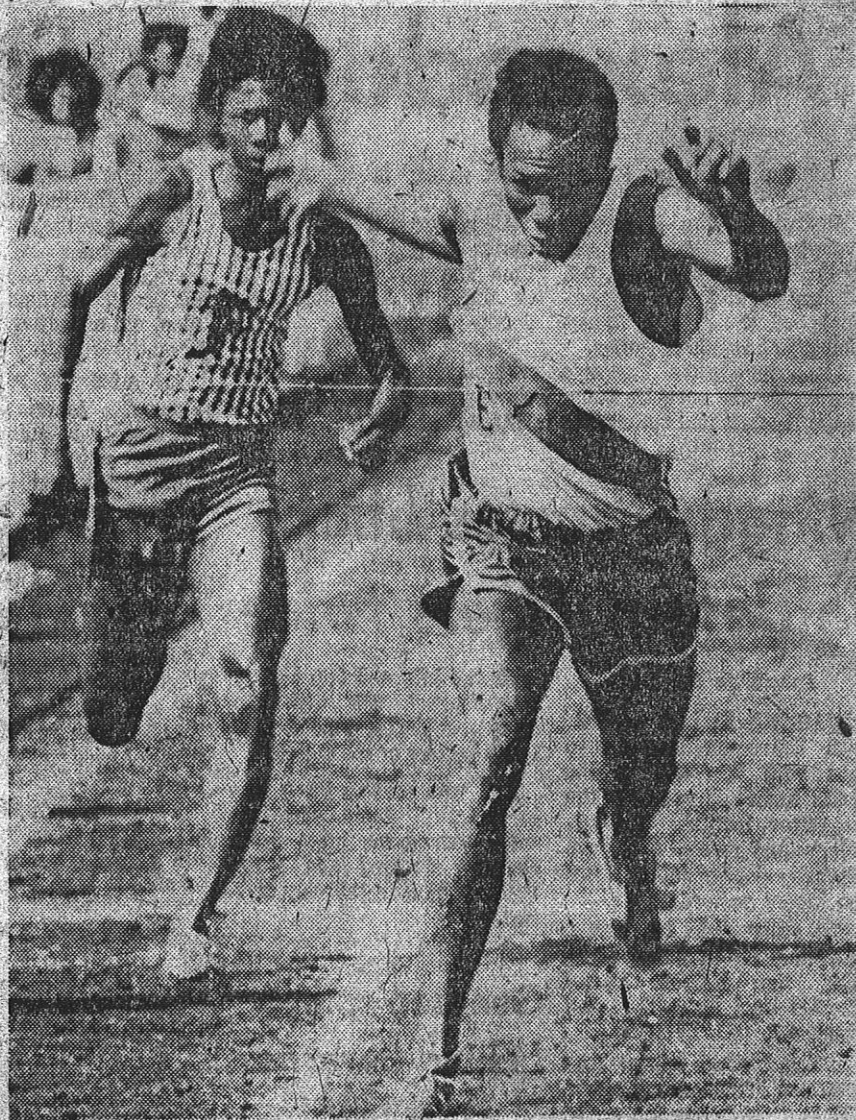




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Lorenzo Sutton crosses finish line to win 100-yard dash.

Knights beat 2 foes

Tim Lawrence of McQuaid ran the season's best half-mile in Section 5, and his two-mile victory helped the Knights clinch a victory in a City-Catholic Track League tri-meet yesterday at Frederick Douglass Junior High.

McQuaid, unbeaten in five league meets and seven overall, scored 86 points to 80 for Bishop Kearney (3-2 in league) and 19 for Edison Tech (0-5 in league).

Lawrence won the half-mile in one minute, 57.5 seconds, and the two-mile in 10:05.5. Brian Hart of McQuaid turned in another strong performance, a 14.9 in the 120-yard high hurdles.

Lorenzo Sutton was the only bright light for Edison, winning the 100 in 10.1.

In other City-Catholic League Division 1 action, Aquinas routed Monroe, 102½-43½, Franklin beat East, 76-66, and Cardinal Mooney defeated Madison, 82-62.

Juan Navarro of Aquinas won the 220 (23.0) and 440 (53.0) as the Little Irish won 13 of 18 events at East. Mike Serra of the Irish upset Willie Barkley in the high jump with a leap of six feet.

Winning the final two events, the 440 and mile relays, to break a 66-66 tie at East, Franklin won its first meet. Franklin's John Carter won the 120 high hurdles (14.6) and 330 intermediate hurdles (43.2), and teammate Jeff Benjamin won the shot put (45-11½) and discus (114-0).

In New York City

Knights Set 2-Mile Mark

Special to the D&C

NEW YORK — McQuaid High School set a Diocesan and school record en route to winning the Classified Division two-mile relay event at the Queens-Iona Relays yesterday at Queen's College.

The Knights' foursome of Roger Key, Sean McGinnis, Dave Seeger and Chris Horton won the 12-school race in 7:57.5, 14 seconds better than the previous school record.

It may be the first time any area school has run the two-mile relay under eight



CHRIS HORTON



ROGER KEY

minutes," said McQuaid track coach Bob Bradley. "We should qualify for the Penn

Relays in Philadelphia on April 28."

Seeger, the Knights' third

runner, brought McQuaid from 25 yards behind to 15 yards ahead with a 1:56.9 in his half mile leg. Horton, McQuaid's last runner, maintained the Knights' lead with a time of 1:55.3.

Key led off with a time of 2:01.9 and McGinnis followed with a half-mile time of 2:03.4.

Boys High of Brooklyn won the Championship Division two-mile event in 7:46.8, a meet record. Schools were divided into classes according to enrollment and past performance.

McQuaid's only entry in the meet was in the two-mile event.

Farrell's Mile Best in Section

By RICK SAYERS

McQuaid's John Farrell stepped out of a giant shadow cast over him by teammate Tim Lawrence and saved his spot in the Section 5 Meet mile race, all in one big move yesterday.

Coach Bob Bradley had told Farrell before yesterday's meet with Aquinas at RIT that he was thinking about scratching him from the mile in favor of the two-mile relay for the Sectionals.

But Farrell told Bradley he thought he could do something in the mile. He gave him an indication of what he's capable of doing with a 4:21.8 clocking yesterday. Lawrence was second in 4:23.3.

"He said it was a good chance to show me and he did," said Bradley. "He sensed he had better come up with a good race in a hurry. He did what he's been trying to do all year, but couldn't."

Farrell's best time before yesterday was 4:28.9. Even Bradley was surprised by his 4:21.8, the best time in Section 5.

"I thought if he ran in the Sectionals he'd go under 4:25," said Bradley. "He's something of a darkhorse now. He just gives (Mike) Burke and the others someone else to worry about Saturday."

Farrell ran behind Lawrence for the first three laps yesterday before running away to win easily.

"He (Farrell) was not thundering all out," said Bradley. "He just came out of the straightaway striding. I don't think he realized it was that fast."

Aquinas won the meet and the City-Catholic title, however, to finish unbeaten for the second straight year. It also ran its unbeaten streak to 20 straight dual meets. Final score: Aquinas 89, McQuaid 47.

Leo Finucane, Dan Izzo, Paul Finewood and Glen Williams were the big heroes for Aquinas.

Finucane ran slowly for the first lap then turned it on to outrun Farrell and Paul Shafer to win the 880 in 1:58.1, the area's best time. His previous best was 2:00.2.

Izzo won the 440 in a fast 51.8 and then ran a 51.7 anchor leg to help Aquinas win the mile relay in 3:31.7.

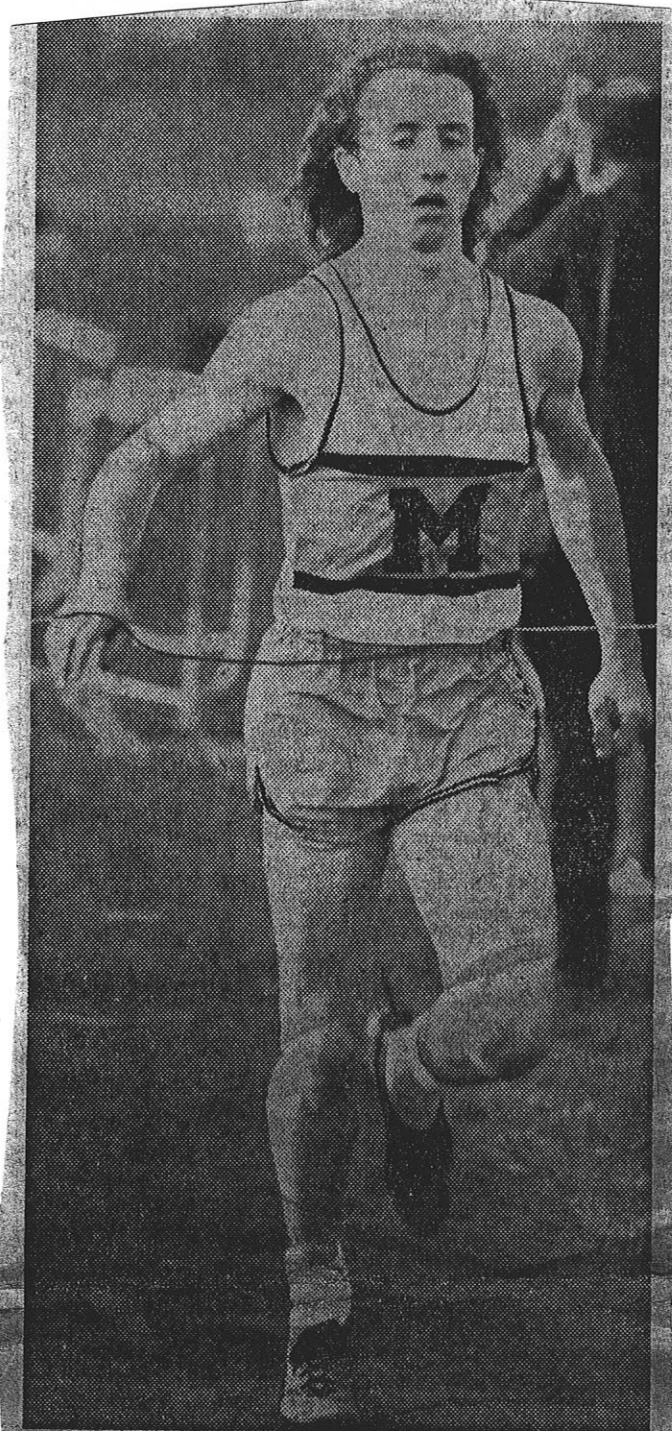
Finewood ruled supreme in the hurdles, winning the highs in 15.2 and the lows in 20.4, the area's best time.

Williams, only a junior, outdid himself to win the discus with a heave of 155.4. Before yesterday his best was 138 feet.

NOTES: A new City-Catholic All-Comers Meet will be held tomorrow for runners and field performers who did not qualify for the Sectionals. Varsity, JV and freshman competition will begin at 3:45 p.m. at RIT. . . . Uniondale's Willie Smith and Mephram's Mark Belger are already considered favorites to win at the Golden West national meet.

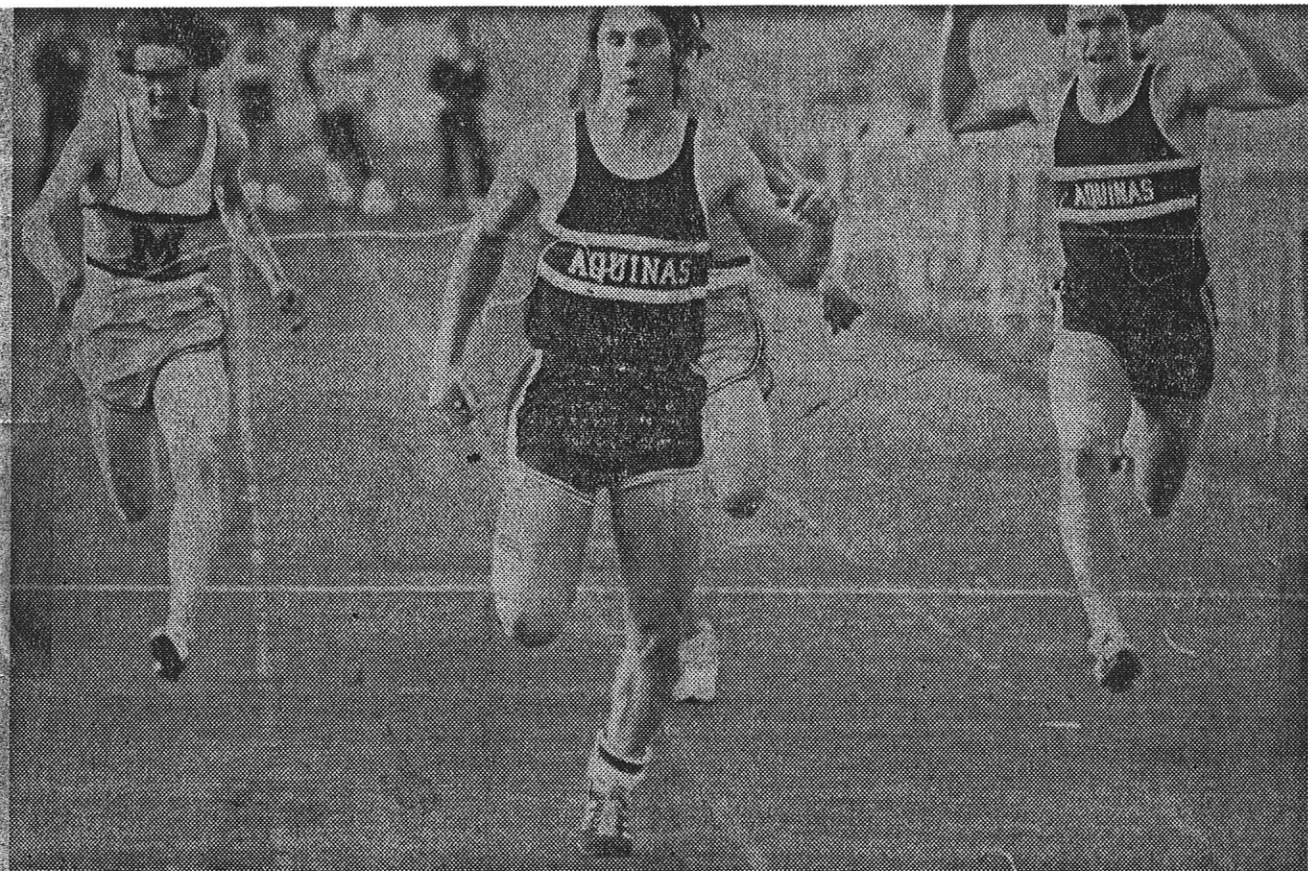
Smith ran a 20.6 in the 220 at the Hartford (Conn.) Invitational last Saturday equalling the listed USA high school record (around a turn) held by Marshall Dill, Gerald Tinker and Clyde Glossen. Smith has also run the 100 in 9.5. . . . Belger has blazed the 880 in sub 1:51 clockings five straight times, believed to be a USA record. He had three last year (best 1:50.3) and two this year, 1:50.8 and 1:50.6. He's aiming for 1:48.

. . . Another outstanding New York State product is New Rochelle's Rudy Reavis, who has high jumped 6-10 three times. He narrowly missed 7-0 at Eddy Meet when he hit the bar on the way down. He also has state's best triple jump of 47-1, and he's only a junior. . . .



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McQuaid's John Farrell hits tape in 4:21.8 to clip seven seconds off his previous best in the mile run.



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Aquinas' John Veltre (foreground) wins 100-yard dash and teammate Gene Marron finishes second.

Aquinas romps to league title

By STEVE MONROE
D&C Sportswriter

It will be a 34th birthday Father Tom Bales of Aquinas might long remember.

"What a great birthday present, and what a way to end a good season," said Bales after his Aquinas track team ripped McQuaid, 89-47, in a meet that decided the City-Catholic League track championship and extended the Little Irish's unbeaten dual meet streak to 20 victories.

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field at the 220-yard mark and sprinted away to the victory in 1:58.1.

The time was an area best this season, beating the previous best by Horton and Kearney's Kent Youngman of 1:58.6. Horton finished well back while Farrell and Lawrence were second and third.

"I knew they (Farrell, Lawrence, Horton) had good kicks and I knew I'd have to get out ahead of them early to win," said Finucane, a junior, whose best before yesterday was 2:01.7.

"Lawrence beat me in the City-Catholic meet and I was definitely pointing to beat him, and I was looking for Horton, too. I knew I was moving pretty fast in the stretch and I didn't even hear them behind me."

Finucane's victory gave Aquinas a 68-37 lead, virtually clinching the meet since 69 points was needed to win. Veltre, the meet's only individual double

either way," said Bales of the meet, billed as the battle of unbeaten. The Irish and the Knights entered the meet with 6-0 records and as the only unbeaten teams in the league.

"The whole team just really outdid themselves, there was exceptional spirit out there today," he said.

One of those with exceptional spirit was Aquinas' Leo Finucane, who personally broke the Knights' backs with an outstanding performance in the 880-yard run.

winner, got the needed points when he then won the 220-yard dash (23.0). Finucane came back and helped put the finishing touches on the triumph by running a key third leg on the Irish winning mile relay team.

"Rather than say anything negative about how we ran, I'd say just lay it all on Finucane, he just ran a great race," said McQuaid coach Bob Bradley. "Anytime you're on the track with three guys who have done the half-mile in under 2:00 and run away from them like he did, you have to run a great race."

Another unexpected performance for the Irish was Glenn Williams' 155 feet, 4 inches toss in the discus, upsetting McQuaid's Mike Hanna, who threw 149-7. Williams finished second to teammate Dan Mastrella in the shotput. Mastrella won the event with a throw of 52-½.

One bright spot for McQuaid was

early sprint events—Paul Finewood won the 120-yard high hurdles (15.2) and the 180-yard low hurdles (20.4). John Veltre won the 100-yard dash (10.1) and Dan Izzo won the 440-yard run (51.8)—but it was the middle and long distances where McQuaid was expected to win big.

But Finucane, running against McQuaid's favored trio of Tom Horton, Tim Lawrence and John Farrell, symbolized the Irish determination to win the meet, as he broke away from a tight

Farrell's victory in the mile in 4:21.8, an area best this season, beating teammate Lawrence (4:23.3). McQuaid's Chris Polukis won the pole vault (11-6) and the Knights' Jack Reiser won the 2-mile run (9:45.6).

"We did better than I thought we would in the sprints and the field events," said Bales, who, in two years of head coaching at Aquinas has yet to lose a dual meet.

"McQuaid's a terrific team but we were really up for them."

Other victories for the Irish were in the 880-yard relay where Matt Saxe, Joel Orlando, Carlos Cruz and Dan Butler won in 1:34.2; the high jump, won by Mike Cerra at 6-0; the long jump, won by Gene Marron at 19-7½; the mile relay won by Finucane, Steve Colvin, Doug DeCoursey and Dan Izzo in 3:31.7, and the triple jump, won by Chris Gorman at 41-2.

McQuaid Wins 5th Straight in League



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John Farrell of McQuaid is about to hit string after winning 4:47.3 mile

McQuaid posted 99 points and swept a triangular track meet with East and Jefferson yesterday in City-Catholic League action at McQuaid.

East had 50 points and Jefferson 20. The victory was the fifth without a loss for the Knights in league meets. McQuaid is 5-1 overall.

John Aiztrauts of East leaped 12 feet in the pole vault, the best height so far this season in Section 5.

AQUINAS 93½, EDISON 61½, CHARLOTTE 14—Glen Williams and Jim Lane of Aquinas were double winners in a City-Catholic meet at Charlotte.

Williams won the discus and shot put, and Lane captured the high hurdles and low hurdles.

BISHOP KEARNEY 80, FRANKLIN 58, MARSHALL 26—The Kings remained undefeated in four starts as they defeated host Franklin and Marshall in a league meet.

Ken Youngman paced the Kings with a victory in the 880-yard run with a time of 2:01.8, and anchored the mile relay team.

Earl Wyche of Franklin was the meet's only double winner with victories in the shot put and high jump.

MADISON 63, CARDINAL MOONEY 62, MONROE 42—Madison won its third City-Catholic League track meet against a loss by sweeping a triangular event at Cardinal Mooney.

Cleveland Hunt and Charlton Eddington each won two events for the Wilson Parkers. Hunt captured the triple

jump and long jump and Eddington captured the low hurdles and high hurdles.

GREECE ARCADIA 77, PENFIELD 64, HARLEY-ALLENDALE-COLUMBIA 26—Arcadia won its opening track meet of the year. Host Penfield is 1-2 and Harley-Allendale-Columbia is 0-1.

Track and Field

MADISON 63, CARDINAL MOONEY 62, MONROE 42

Shot put—Mohr (CAM) 43-11½; triple jump—Hunt (MAD) 42½; high jump—Satterfield (MAD) 6-1; long jump—Hunt (MAD) 21-6¼; pole vault—Azarella (CAM) 10-4; discus—LeGree (MAD) 120-9; 120 high hurdles—Eddington (MAD) 16.7; 100 dash—Brown (MON) 10.7; mile run—Hockenberry (MON) 4:46.2; 440 dash—Williams (MON) 55.0; 880 relay—Madison (Warfield, Mitchell, Robinson, Carter) 1:28; 180 low hurdles—Eddington (MAD) 21.5; 880 run—Tydings (CAM) 2:09.6; 220 dash—Robinson (MAD) 23.5; two mile run—Hockenberry (MON) 10:12.2; mile relay—Cardinal Mooney (Smith, Cipura, Yarbrough, Moore) 3:45.2.

KEARNEY 80, FRANKLIN 58, MARSHALL 26

Shot put—Wyche (F) 41 feet, 2 inches; long jump—Atkins (F) 19 feet, 9¾ inches; high jump—Wyche (F) 5 feet, 6 inches; triple jump—Lorress (K) 36 feet; pole vault—O'Connor (K) 9 feet; discus—Koppler (K) 113 feet; 120 high hurdles—Maler (K) 19.2; 100 dash—Folins (F) 10.4; mile—Anson (M) 4:47.9; 440 dash—Scott (F) 53.5; 880 relay—(F) 1:36.7; 180 low hurdles—M. Scott (F) 14.3; 880 Youngman (K) 2:01.8; 220 dash—Brown (F) 22.6; 2 mile run—Kuebel (K) 10:30.0; mile relay—(K) Santilago, Smith, Ryan, Youngman 3:45.0.

AQUINAS 93½, EDISON 61½, CHARLOTTE 14

Shot put—Williamson (A) 44-7; long jump—Glover (E) 19-6; high jump—Glover (E) 5-8; triple jump—Halzyk (A); pole vault—Gosert (A) 11-3; discus—Williams (A) 12-8; 120 high hurdles—Lane (A) 16.7; 100 yard dash—Singleton (E) 11.0; mile run—Fox (A) 4:40.2; 440 yard dash—Whelan (A) 53.6; 180 low hurdles—Lane (A) 21.9; 880 run—Izza (A) 2:06.8; 220 dash—Singleton (E) 23.2; two mile run—Stevens (E) 10:15.2; 880 yard relay—Edison (Caletz, Green, McKenzie, Holt) 1:43.6; mile relay—Edison (Skiba, Hogan, Kliss, Vaccaro) 4:59.

MCQUAID 99, EAST 50, JEFF 20

120 high hurdles—Moulton (M) 16.7; 100 dash—Reed (J) 10.6; mile run—Farrell (M) 4:42.3; 440 run—Horton (M) 53.0; 880 relay—McQuaid (Abinda, DeJesus, Wheelahan, DeLaney) 1:40.5; shot put—Presley (E) 48¼; long jump—Johnson (E) 18.2; high jump—Jones (E) 5-7½; triple jump—Ross (M) 39-1; pole vault—Aiztrauts (E) 12-0; discus—Hanna (M) 122-7½; 180 low hurdles—Schellman (E) 22.3; 880—Seeger (M) 2:05.3; 220 dash—DeLaney (M) 24.7; two mile run—10:30; mile relay—East (Efter, Mitchell, Jones, Marvin Jones, James) 3:53.5.

McQuaid Outscores Franklin in Track

Brian Fraine of Franklin ran the 100-yard dash in 10.1 seconds, but the Quakers lost their City-Catholic league track meet to McQuaid, 70-56, yesterday at McQuaid.

In other City-Catholic League action, Aquinas dumped Marshall, 79-47, at Franklin Field; East crushed Jefferson, 96-27, at East and Madison beat Edison, 66-61, at Franklin Field.

Fraine also won the 220-yard run for the Quakers. Tim Lawrence, a freshman, won both the mile and the two-mile for McQuaid, now 5-2.

Ken Hudson won the high and low hurdles for East. Harris Reed of Jefferson won both the sprints and Cleveland Hunt set a school record in the triple jump.

Bill Soeffing was the only double winner in the Marshall met, taking both hurdles for the losers.

Bill Curran took the mile and two-mile and Art Killings the 440 run and long jump for Edison.

EAST 94, JEFFERSON 27

Shot put—Shelton (E) 39-6; long jump—Johnston (E) 18-8; high jump—Jones (E) 5-8; triple jump—Hunt (J) 41-8 (school record); pole vault—Alz (E) 10-6; 120 high hurdles—K. Hudson (E) 0:15.9; 100 run—Reed (J) 0:17.7; mile run—Hild (E) 4:51.2; 440 run—Costanzo (E) 0:56.1; 880 relay—East (Anderson, Hooks, W. Yeomas, Gause) 1:37.6.

Onema) 1:39.9; 180 low hurdles—K. Hudson (E) 0:20.4; 880 run—Crowley (E) 2:10.8; 220 run—Reed (J) 0:23.8; 2-mile run—Hild (E) 10:42.1; mile relay—East (Anderson, Rumbold, Costanzo, Crowley) 3:53.5.

MADISON 66, EDISON 61

120 high hurdles—Johnson (M) 0:16.4; 120 low hurdles—Parker (M) 0:14.2; mile run—Curran (E) 5:01.9; 100 run—Singleton (E) 0:10.4; 440 run—Killings (E) 0:54.9; 880 run—Curran (E) 2:18.3; 220 run—Gause (M) 0:23.3; 2-mile—Stevens (E) 10:32.8; high jump—Parker (M) 5-10; long jump—Killings (E) 19-10 1/2; triple jump—Satterfield (E) 39-1; shot put—Bruce (M) 32-6; straits (E) 10-6; 120 high hurdles—K. Hudson (E) 0:15.9; 100 run—Reed (J) 0:17.7; mile run—Hild (E) 4:51.2; 440 run—Costanzo (E) 0:56.1; 880 relay—East (Anderson, Hooks, W. Yeomas, Gause) 1:37.6.

McQUAID 70, FRANKLIN 56

120 high hurdles—Wolz (M) 0:18.4; 180 low hurdles—A. Scott (F) 0:21.9; mile run—Lawrence (M) 5:05.7; 100 run—Fraine (E) 0:10.1; 440 run—K. Scott (F) 0:54.2; 880 run—P. Shaffer (M) 2:12.5; 220 run—Fraine (F) 0:23.9; 2-mile run—Lawrence (M) 11:00.7; 880 relay—McQuaid (Delaney, Guzzetta, Mbinda, Frayer) 1:42.1; mile relay—Franklin (Jackson, Ferrara, M. Scott, K. Scott) 3:44.8; pole vault—Ammons (M) 10-6; high jump—Ferrara (F) 5-4; long jump—Atkins (E) 18-9; triple jump—Wilkins (John VanDongen) 3:48.6; 880 Ross (M) 36-11; shot put—Padula (F) 41-4.

AQUINAS 79, MARSHALL 47

120 high hurdles—Soeffing (M) 0:15.0; 100 run—Koster (M) 0:10.6; 220 run—Soeffing (M) 0:23.2; long jump—Traynor (M) 19-5; pole vault—Birecree (A) 9-6; 120 low hurdles—Scott (M) 0:15.2; 440 run—izzo (A) 0:54.8; two-mile run—R. Dugan (A) 10:14.1; triple jump—Hetzvik (A) 39-9 1/2; mile run—McGinnis (A) 4:46.5; 880 run—Amrose (A) 2:01.2; high jump—Fox (A) 5-4; shot put—Wilson (A) 40-0; mile relay—Aquinas (O'Toole, Ross, Manning, Blackwell) 1:41.1.