

Rain mars District 1 track efforts

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Devastating rains held down times, heights and distances at the District One track championships yesterday, which certainly cost a lot of area trackmen the chance to advance to next weekend's state meet.

The excellent all-weather facility at Delaware Valley College in Doylestown was inundated by rains and the field events were nearly washed out all together. The Class AAA pole vault was postponed until tomorrow afternoon because the downpour made it too dangerous for the contestants to jump.

That did not affect the AAA team scoring however, as Lower Merion had 51 team points to Council Rock's 50, and the Aces still had two competitors in the pole vault, while the Indians had none. Thus the team trophy was awarded to Lower Merion despite the incomplete results. It was Lower Merion's first district championship since 1966.

Sharon Hill won the Class AA championship for the first time since 1958, beating out Del-Val B League rivals, Swarthmore and Darby Township. Sharon Hill compiled 67 points, Swarthmore 62½ and Darby Township scored 58.

Team scoring is based on the first six finishers in an event, on a 10, 8, 6, 4, 2, 1 basis.

Individuals qualify for the state championship meet either on place or on effort. The two top finishers in each event advance to the state championship regardless of their time, height or distance. After that, however, a competitor must meet a qualifying standard (based on the top 10 efforts at last year's state championship meet) in order to advance.

Since the heavy rains depressed times in all the running events and hurt distances and heights in field events, fewer District One competitors than usual advanced. The state championship meet will be held Friday and Saturday at Shippensburg State College.

One ironic quirk was provided by new circumstances however — since this was the first year the track

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Pole vault — 1, Russ Bergen, Perkiomen Valley, 11-6; 2, Dean Hillas, Garnet Valley, 11-6; 3, Wayne Kennedy, Sharon Hill, 11-6; 4, Bob Galt, Perkiomen Valley, 11-6; 5, John Maschal, Swarthmore, 11-0; 6, Bob Paraschos, Swarthmore, 10-6. (Qualifying height, 12-6).

Javelin — 1, Jeff Havelow, Oxford, 162-5; 2, Rob Marker, Garnet Valley, 154-8; 3, Brian Kroon, Swarthmore, 150-10; 4, Geoff Chew, Swarthmore, 147-9; 5, Dan Moran, Sharon Hill, 139-11; 6, Ken Pachella, Perkiomen Valley, 129-3. (Qualifying distance, 183-8).

High jump — 1, Jay Carter, Potts-grove, 6-0; 2, Stan Dixon, Bristol, 6-0; 3, Dan Johnson, Lansdowne-Aldan, 5-10; 4, Bill Elliott, Oxford, 5-8; 5, Bob Paraschos, Swarthmore, 5-8; 6, Mike MacCrone, Swarthmore, 5-8. (Qualifying height, 4-4).

Long jump — 1, James Lewis, Holy Ghost Prep, 21-7; 2, Andy Griffin, NCCT, 21-2; 3, John MacMillan, Avon Grove, 20-6 1/2; 4, Jeff Hyden, Octorara, 20-4 1/4; 5, George Ramasco, Perkiomen Valley, 20-4 1/4; 6, Craig Eisenfelder, Unionville, 19-11 1/2. (Qualifying distance, 20-8).

Shot put — 1, Reginald Hines, Darby Township, 52-2 1/2; 2, Randy Lieberman, Unionville, 47-8; 3, Mike Kelly, Archbishop Kennedy, 45-7; 4, Scott Clay, Potts-grove, 44-9 1/4; 5, Zigmuf Choroszy, VFMA, 43-4; 6, Steve Dell'Orefice, Garnet Valley, 43-0 1/4. (Qualifying distance, 50-7 1/2).

Discus — 1, John McKeon, Sharon Hill, 137-10; 2, Bill Elliott, Oxford, 128-10; 3, Russ Johnson, Darby Township, 128-5; 4, Mike Kelly, Archbishop Kennedy, 123-7; 5, Brian Kroon, Swarthmore, 122-9; 6, Dan Moran, Sharon Hill, 116-6. (Qualifying distance, 144-1).

Triple jump — 1, John MacMillan, Avon Grove, 44-0; 2, Stephen Stasheff, Lansdale Catholic, 42-9 1/2; 3, Eugen Hyden, Darby Township, 42-6 1/2; 4, Van Mantegna, Garnet Valley, 42-2 1/4; 5, Dean Lee, Kennett, 42-11 1/2; 6, Mike McAndrews, Unionville, 41-3 1/2. (Qualifying distance, 43-4 1/4).

Avon Grove's Lewis wins four district track titles

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By MARK BROWN
(Local News Correspondent)

If you closed your eyes, the final dash was reminiscent of the incredible performance Maryland's Renaldo Nehemiah recently put on at the Penn Relays.

Running the anchor in both the 400 and the 1,600-meter relays, Nehemiah in the latter race, caught and surpassed Villanova's Tim Dale down through the final meters to win and make his effort one of the most memorable performances in the carnival's history. And, with a similar set of variables on Saturday at the District I girls' championships at Bensalem High School, Avon Grove's Debbie Lewis' magic was just as evident.

Running anchor in the 400 meter relay, the field all but passed Lewis before she was able to obtain the baton and, like Nehemiah, eventually outrace the competition to the finish line. Her impressive victory in the 400 was one of four personal wins on the day and she would have probably gathered additional awards if not for the fact that she could only enter four events.

Afterwards, she downplayed the Nehemiah comparison but was quick to talk about the University of Maryland sophomore.

"I did meet him once," she recalled, "flashing a broad smile," and that was

about two years ago.

"I was running for Klub Keystone, you know that's our local track club and he was entered as well. I really can't remember the exact circumstances. He won the best male athlete award that day and I won the best female award so I had a chance to get together with him.

"I'm sure he does not remember that day; that was before he really became excellent. But, for me, that's a day I'll never forget."

And Saturday may be a day many who witnessed her performance might not for-

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get. The conditions were miserable, a driving rain, wind-swept skies and a track which resembled a swimming pool. In each of her four wins Lewis did not approach her times and distance (she won the long jump as well as the 100-meter dash, 200-meter dash, and 400-meter anchor relay) she achieved at last year's district championship and felt that the weather was indeed the decisive factor.

"Overall," she added, "I was pleased with the way things turned out, especially in the relay."

"Our team was really proud of the re-

lay win and that was the best we have done this year. Oxford and Kennett had beaten us earlier in the season and we wanted revenge. So we went out and gave it all we had.

"I wasn't concerned with time because of the weather. On a day like this, I think you have to be more concerned with place than with time. On a clear, dry day, I would have probably been upset with my times but not today."

Overall, Avon Grove finished second in its competition (Class AA) losing to Perkiomen Valley 128-70. Adding participating schools from Class AAA, Avon Grove still finished with the second highest point total. In Class AA, Unionville finished third with 48 points. Octorara came in fourth with 40. In Class AAA the winner was Wissahickon, with 57 points while Coatesville came in a disappointing eighth with 22 points.

If not for the vacillation of Perkiomen Valley drifting between Class AA and AAA, Avon Grove might have returned as class champions.

"That is a very strange situation," said Avon Grove coach Keith Maurer, completing his first year as track mentor.

"The size of their school seems to change from year to year and two years ago, they won the districts but last year, they were classified in AAA. Now they're back in our division and I guess that their student population is right on the border. They keep shifting back and forth and this year, they were put in with us.

Maurer went on to explain that "I was pleased with our whole team and everyone ran well."

"I was a bit surprised that we were running as well as we were. There's no question that the rain affected the field events and that the distances were lower than usual," he added.

Aside from Lewis, other Avon Grove first-place finishers included Jameel McMillan in the triple jump and Arlene McKim in the discus. Other area winners were Missy Helek of Coatesville in the AAA long jump and Candy Casheil of Unionville in the AA high jump (her 5-6 was the highest height reached in the two-day competition).

WCEast relay team looks to Shippensburg

But their times were good enough for the state meet, as was Ed Marshall's fourth place long jump (21-6 1/2).

Other local athletes heading for Shippensburg will be Coatesville's Mike Sullivan, first (4:17.94) in the 1600-meter run, Tom Barr of Owen J. Robbers, first in the long jump, and Spring-Ford's Jeff Raantz, first in the javelin.

Sharon Hill won the Class AA title with 67 points. None of the local teams was able to stay close, but they waged their own battle. Garnet Valley (38) was fifth, Oxford (35) sixth, Kennett (32) seventh, Unionville (27) eighth, Avon Grove (22)

Ted Robinson sixth (11.43) in the 100 and the 400 relay was fourth (44.06), but none will advance.

The biggest disappointment, though, was Robinson and Ricky Stonehill in the sprints. Both had strong performances in the league meet, but they faded Saturday.

"I can't say what happened," Selcher said. "Maybe the tension was greater and they need to run relaxed. I just don't know."

Coatesville's Terry Anderson was fourth (4:25.63) in the 1600-meter run followed by teammate Rick King (4:25.77).

By DAVID LANUTE
(Local News Correspondent)

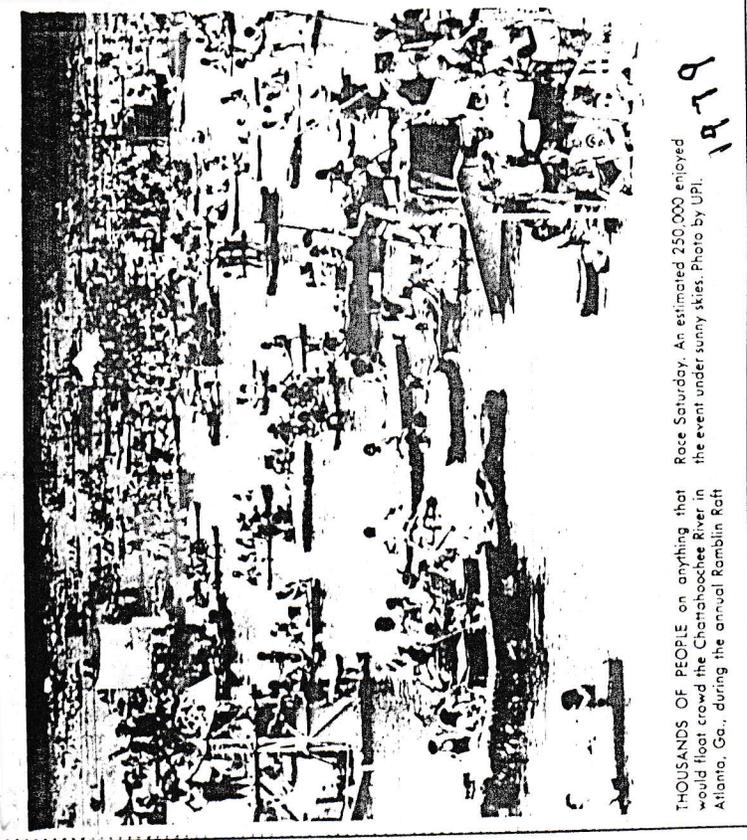
For years we've been educated about the loneliness of the long distance runner. Overlooked, however, has been the loneliness that most all runners experience through all levels of track competition much of the time.

Obviously, then, it is a refreshing second wind that is inspired when one comes out of a turn and is greeted by the cheers of thousands in a stadium. The legs become lighter, the ache of overworked lungs lessens and the impossible merges into the possible.

Many local athletes will experience those sensations for the first time next weekend when they come out of turn four on the Shippensburg State College track at the PIAA state championships. None will be more thrilled than West Chester-East's 400-meter relay team of Terry Gallimore, Kelvin Butcher, Don Day and Ken Winston - especially Winston who just missed qualifying for the state 100- and 200-meter dashes in Saturday's District One championships at Delaware Valley College in Doylestown.

The team reached the state event by coming in second in the District One event (in 43.73 seconds) to Lower Merion (43.14).

Winston finished third in 11.25 seconds in the 100 and 22.61 in the 200 in his two specialty events Saturday, thus missing by one place an automatic invitation to Shippensburg. And like scores of others



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Winston finished third in 11.25 seconds in the 100 and 22.61 in the 200 in his two specialty events Saturday, thus missing by one place an automatic invitation to Shippensburg. And like scores of others who were hampered by the horrible weather, Winston failed to meet qualifying standards that provided the only other route to the starting blocks.

Still, his points, along with Butcher's third (21.47) in the long jump and Jim Greene's second (51.49) in the shotput, earned the Vikings a third place (34 points) finish behind Lower Merion (51) and Council Rock (50) in the team standings for Class AAA schools.

Downingtown, led by David White's victory in the 300 intermediate hurdles, was fourth with 25 points.

"The kids really felt bad about last week (The district outcome and fourth place in the Ches-Mont League championships), coach Mike Payton said. "They wanted to bring a little glory to West Chester and now they feel they've done their share. It made them feel good when they heard people around the stadium talking about West Chester East."

"I feel bad Kerry had to run under the (weather) conditions we had and that he won't be going to the states in his specialties. I think the last month he really started to go a little flat and last week he was at the bottom. But, now I can see he's getting stronger."

Butcher will be doubling this weekend since his long jump met qualifying standards.

Whippet White to run
Downingtown's White and Great Valley's Al Kohline ran in the slow heat of the intermediate hurdles, but their ongoing rivalry pushed them to the fastest times - White finishing in 39.70 seconds and Kohline in 39.91.

White ran in the district meet last year, but failed to place. Increased coaching by first year assistant Bob Siermer and maturity on White's part has turned it around, however.

"It's taken him a couple of years to realize his capabilities," Downingtown coach Charlie Secher said. "He's just gotten intense in his interests in track. Now he believes he belongs with these (talented) guys."

Drew Proctor triple jumped 44.9 for fourth place, but the distance was enough to qualify him for the state meet. Steve Orth was third (49.13) in the shotput.

"I can't say what happened," Secher said. "Maybe the lesion was greater and they need to run relaxed. I just don't know."

Colesville's Terry Anderson was fourth (4:25.63) in the 1600-meter run, followed by teammate Rick King (4:25.77).

First in the javelin, Stanton Hill won the Class AA title with 67 points. None of the local teams was able to stay close, but they waged their own battle. Game Valley (33) was fifth, Oxford (35) sixth, Kennett (32) seventh, Unionville (27) eighth, Avon Grove (22)

Charles Lewis said, "In most meets, they are run close to each other (in the schedule)."

Other local athletes who will compete in Class AA state competition include: (10:00.94) in the 3200 run.

St. Pius Tony Yerger, St. Pius Tony Yerger, AAA long jump and Candy Cabell of Unionville in the AA high jump (her 5-6 was the highest height reached in the two-day competition).

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C-M sprinters star in districts

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By DAVID LANUTE
(Local News Correspondent)

There's been some magnificent competition in the sprinting events around the Ches-Mont League track and field circuit this spring, and from all indications, it's going to continue right through the district meet.

Downingtown's Ricky Stonewall and Ted Robinson, West Chester East's Ken Winston and Terry Gallimore and West Chester Henderson's Clarence Clary resumed their now weekly battles yesterday as the 55th annual District One championships for boys got underway at Delaware Valley College in Doylestown, Bucks County.

All of them qualified for a return to the blocks today in the semifinal races of the 100 and 200-meter events. (This is the first year for meter distances in the district meet.) Not only was pride at stake today, but also advancement to the finals and a trip to next week's PIAA state championships at Shippensburg State College.

Went flat

"I just hope we do well," East coach Mike Payton said. "Downingtown hit that hot streak in the 100 last week (in the Ches-Mont League championships) and we went flat. Track is strange like that. One event can ruin your whole day."

Stonewall and Robinson finished one, two in the 100 last Saturday, to set the tone for Downingtown's surprisingly easy meet victory. East was hoping to sneak into second place, but finished fourth. And Clary provided the only bright spot for Henderson on an otherwise dreary day with victories in the 220 and 440.

"He (Clary) deserves everything he gets," Henderson coach Bob Friday said. "He's taken good ability and worked hard to get everything out of it. He worked with weights and did a lot of indoor distance running over the winter."

East second

Except for Clary, the group is also competing in the 400-meter relay for their respective schools. East, with a team of Gallimore, Kelvin Butcher, Don Day and

Winston, had the second fastest time (43.18 seconds) behind Lower Merion (42.91) in yesterday's trials.

East and Downingtown were the only Ches-Mont schools to compete in the 1600-meter trials and both made it to the finals, but Downingtown will have to work hard to place as it will run in the final's slow heat.

The Whippets also advanced in the 3200-meter relay, as did Coatesville.

Downingtown's David White, the premiere hurdler in the league this year, advanced to the semifinals in the 110 high hurdles and the finals in the 300 intermediate hurdles. Also advancing in the high hurdles was Henderson's Jeff Streets and Great Valley's Rob Gerwig.

Al Kohnie of Great Valley also advanced to the finals of the intermediate hurdles.

East's Butcher finished third in the long jump with a leap of 21 feet, 8 1/2 inches. The jump was long enough to qualify him for the state meet, along with winner Tom Barr (21-11 1/2) of Owen J. Roberts and

Coatesville's Ed Marshall (21-6 1/4), who finished fourth.

Rantz wins javelin

In the only other Class AAA final yesterday, Spring-Ford's Jeff Rantz won the javelin, but his winning distance was unavailable as the judge failed to turn in the tabulation sheet.

In Class AA competition, Oxford's Jeff Havelow won the javelin with a throw of 162 feet, five inches. Rob Marker (154-4) of Garnet Valley, was second, and both will go to the state meet.

Bill Elliot of Oxford was fourth in the high jump at 5 feet 8. Pottsgrove's Jay Carter won the event on fewer misses at six feet.

Garnet Valley's Dean Hillas was second in the pole vault at 11 feet 6.

Brian Stoltzfus of Octorara was the only Southern Chester County League contestant in the 300 intermediate hurdles, and although he was second in his heat, it wasn't good enough to advance him to this morning's finals.

Unionville girls sweep high jump

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By MARK BROWN
(Local News Correspondent)

In yesterday's opening session of the two-day District I Girls' Championship Meet at Bensalem High School in Bucks County, Unionville took the top three places in their speciality, the high jump.

Winner Candy Cashell tied her own personal record of 5-6 and figures to be a formidable force in next week's state championships at Shippensburg State College.

In addition to Cashell, Indians' Jackie Jamison (second place) and Bonnie McLennon (third) completed the sweep. In fact, five of the top six finishers in the high jump came from local schools.

Afterwards, sophomore Cashell, who finished second in the state last year as a freshman, admitted that breaking her existing mark was a near possibility.

"I have jumped 5-8 already this season," she admitted, "but I knew that might be out of reach."

"I injured my back during a meet earlier this year, and it has hurt from time to time. It would have been nice to break my previous height, but I really didn't think I could do it with the injury."

.....Yesterday's cool, wet weather had coaches and runners alike concerned about the possibility of pulled muscles. But, for what must have seemed like hours while stuck on the Pennsylvania Turnpike, that was the least concern for East coach Bob Benz.

Benz was driving sprinter Joy Joseph to the meet when they suddenly found themselves snared in traffic about 12 miles from their exit. By the time they arrived

at the stadium, only the triple jump was being contested. Joseph, entered in the 200-meter run, had missed her event.

"I suppose she had as good a chance as anybody else in the trials," Benz said last night. "I really don't know if she would have advanced to today's final or not. That's pure speculation. Luckily, (since she's a junior) she'll have another chance next year. And, she will be running today in the 1600-meter relay."

.....Coach Jeanne Burns' Coatesville unit scored well in the trials for today's 100-meter hurdles final. The Raiders' Linda Boynes turned in the third fastest time by covering the distance in 15.1 seconds. Only Phoenixville's Marian Ambrose moved faster; her 14.4 was the quickest time recorded. Coatesville's Monica Moore, with a time of 15 seconds flat recorded the second fastest time overall, but ran in the heat in which Ambrose was clocked fastest.

In the 100-meter dash, area runners who qualified for today's district championship include Sue Bruce of Coatesville, Stacy Weldon of Henderson, and Ambrose. Of those qualifiers, Weldon's 12.72 for the 100 meters was the best time recorded.

In related developments, Missy Helak of Conestoga won her heat in the 220 (25.92) with Weldon placing second (26.24). Both have qualified for the district championship scheduled for today. In additional field events, Moore finished third on the triple jump (conducted in a driving rainstorm) with a distance of 35.4, and the Raiders' Voncille Grove took fourth in the shot put with a distance of 35-10.

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"The 400 relay was a shock," said Ryaless. "I saw all those teams and said, 'Wow, no way.' But it was funny, when we got to the paddock, we heard all the other teams say, 'There's Wissahickon, there they are.' They were shooting for us."

"Today I had a pretty good start in both races," Sydno said. "I really thought I was going to lose to Bey. But I got that good start."

"I like the 220 better because I have time to bring it back up, if I start out slow."

William Tennent's Dan Friedman

because it takes stamina. The weather didn't bother me. I kept my sweats on and did some extra stretching."

Now Ware has a chance for a PIAA state title. The PIAA state week is Friday and Saturday in Shippensburg.

"I hope to win both up there," Ware said. "I'll do a lot of 400s this week."

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Track summaries

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Boys

DISTRICT ONE BOYS TRACK CHAMPIONSHIPS

At Delaware Valley College
Individuals and teams listed in bold type have qualified for the PIAA state championships, scheduled for Friday and Saturday in Shippensburg.

AA 100 meter dash: 1, Robert Ware, VFMA, 11.45; 2, Van Showell, Garnet Valley, 11.66; 3, Bill Kyle, Swarthmore, 11.84; 4, Ken Rouse, Holy Ghost Prep, 11.86; 5, Lamont Burton, Darby Township, 12.02.

AAA 100 meter dash: 1, Chris Sydno, Radnor, 10.96; 2, Xavier Bey, Lower Merion, 11.18; 3, Ken Winston, West Chester East, 11.25; 4, Brian McCutcheon, Penncrest, 11.33; 5, Keith Dean, North Penn, 11.34.

AA 200 meter dash: 1, Robert Ware, VFMA, 22.78; 2, Tom Nocho, Kennett Square, 23.68; 3, Bill Kyle, Swarthmore, 23.68; 4, Dean Lee, Kennett Square, 23.71; 5, Tom Christian, Pottsgrove, 23.96.

AAA 200 meter dash: 1, Chris Sydno, Radnor, 22.27; 2, Brian McCutcheon, Chichester, 22.59; 3, Ken Winston, West Chester East, 22.61; 4, Clarence Clary, West Chester Henderson, 22.87; 5, Paul Ierubino, Council Rock, 23.36.

AA 110 meter high hurdles: 1, Ray Glemson, Holy Ghost Prep, 15.59; 2, Stan Dixon, Bristol, 15.72; 3, Gary Soliwoda, Avon Grove, 16.24; 4, Art Lastoskie, Pottsgrove, 16.28; 5, Brian Stoltzfus, Octorara, 16.55.

AAA 110 meter high hurdles: 1, Xavier Bey, Lower Merion, 14.75; 2, Tim Lewis, Pennridge, 14.81; 3, Rick McCracken, Interboro, 15.16; 4, Rick Young, Neshaminy-Langhorne, 15.31; 5, Rob Gerwig, Great Valley, 15.49.

AA 300 meter intermediate hurdles: 1, Bob Fullenlove, Sharon Hill, 39.46; 2, Mike King, Darby-Cotwyn, 40.45; 3, Craig Baudendistel, Holy Ghost Prep, 40.83; 4, Ray Glemson, Holy Ghost Prep, 41.14; 5, Eric Swanson, Perkiomen Valley, 41.65.

AAA 300 meter intermediate hurdles: 1, Dave White, Downingtown, 39.70; 2, Al Kohnle, Great Valley, 39.91; 3, Greg Matusky, North Penn, 40.09; 4, Steve Phelan, Pennsbury, 40.11; 5, Gunar Avots, Central Bucks East, 40.23.

AA 400 meter dash: 1, Tom Nocho, Kennett Square, 50.62; 2, Vincent Clark, Darby Township, 50.65; 3, Bob Fullenlove, Sharon Hill, 50.88; 4, Al Haneycz, Holy Ghost Prep, 51.80; 5, Joe Loggie, St. Pius X, 52.24.

AAA 400 meter dash: 1, Russell Carter, Lower Merion, 47.63; 2, Paul Ierubino, Council Rock, 49.17; 3, Clarence Clary, West Chester Henderson, 49.20; 4, Craig Rainey, Chester, 49.20; 5, Blake Inman, Lower Merion, 50.22.

AA 800 meter run: 1, Tony Yergler, St. Pius X, 2:00.08; 2, Ethan Landis, Swarthmore, 2:02.35; 3, Jim Taylor, Swarthmore, 2:02.50; 4, Bruce Fullenlove, Sharon Hill, 2:03.72; 5, Tony Wilson, Kennett Square, 2:03.88.

AAA 800 meter run: 1, David Long, Ridley, 1:54.41; 2, Edwin Meade, Pennsbury, 1:55.72; 3, Donnell Allen, Springfield (M.), 1:56.57; 4, Tom Hoban, Central Bucks East, 1:58.52; 5, Lou Casale, Central Bucks West, 1:59.31.

AA 1600 meter run: 1, Ethan Landis, Swarthmore, 4:30.16; 2, Jim Taylor, Swarthmore, 4:30.66; 3, Jeff Turner, Unionville, 4:40.10; 4, Pat Pollack, Oxford, 4:41.02; 5, Mike Mitchell, Sharon Hill, 4:43.08.

AAA 1600 meter run: 1, Mike Sullivan, Conestoga, 4:17.94; 2, Brian Wallace, Methacton, 4:21.62; 3, Greg Sargent, North Penn, 4:24.04; 4, Terry Anderson, Coatesville, 4:25.63; 5, Richard King, Coatesville, 4:25.77.

AA 3200 meter run: 1, Jerry Blauvelt, Sharon Hill, 9:59.03; 2, Rick Lehman, Garnet Valley, 10:00.94; 3, Pat Pollack, Oxford, 10:05.57; 4, Corey Stricklin, Unionville, 10:06.53; 5, Ken Glah, Bishop Shanahan, 10:10.86.

AAA 3200 meter run: 1, Bill Godschall, Interboro, 9:27.31; 2, Scott Zecker, Council Rock, 9:28.39; 3, Mark Schaeffer, Central Bucks West, 9:34.41; 4, Brent Barnhill, Central Bucks East, 9:36.94; 5, Steven McGready, Pennridge, 9:41.11.

AA 400 meter relay: 1, Darby Colwyn (Rob Brown, Ray Thomas, John Rovers, Mike King), 45.59; 2, Darby Twp., 45.71; 3, Unionville, 46.15; 4, Octorara, 46.44; 5, Holy Ghost, 46.71.

AAA 400 meter relay: 1, Lower Merion (Russell Whaley, Blake Inman, Russell Cater, Xavier Bey), 43.14; 2, W.C. East, 43.73; 3, C.B. West, 43.78; 4, Downingtown, 44.09; 5, Abington, 44.11.

AA 1600 meter relay: 1, Darby Twp. (Tony Jones, Chuck Mason, Kendrick Ellison, Vincent Clark), 3:29.11; 2, Holy Ghost, 3:30.60; 3, Sharon Hill, 3:31.93; 4, St. Pius, 3:35.27; 5, Lansdale Catholic, 3:37.63.

AAA 1600 meter relay: 1, Lower Merion (Bryant Spry, Blake Inman, Xavier Bey, Russell Carter), 3:21.44; 2, Abington, 3:23.33; 3, C.B. West, 3:25.03; 4, Chester, 3:25.74; 5, U. Perkiomen, 3:25.82.

AA 3200 meter relay: 1, Sharon Hill (Bob Fu, Dave

Ruber, Don Hess, Bruce Fullenlove), 8:22.00; 2, Darby Twp., 8:24.05; 3, Kennett, 8:25.85; 4, Perk. Vly., 8:39.69; 5, Holy Ghost, 8:41.04.

AAA 3200 meter relay: 1, Chester (James Wharton, Carl Lancaster, Jonathan Wright, Craig Rainey), 7:57.02; 2, C.B. East, 7:57.60; 3, Council Rock, 8:00.68; 4, Upper Moreland, 8:04.11; 5, Wilson, 8:07.70.

AA Shot put: 1, Reginald Hines, Darby Twp., 52.2 1/2; 2, Randy Lieberman, Unionville, 47.8; 3, Michael Kelly, A. Kennedy, 45.7; 4, Scott Clay, Pottsgrove, 44.9 3/4; 5, Zigmuf, Choroszy, VFMA, 43.4.

AAA Shot put: 1, Dan Friedman, Tennent, 55.0 1/2; 2, James Greene, W.C. East, 51.9; 3, Steve Orth, Downingtown, 49.11 3/4; 4, Kevin Witchev, Wissahickon, 49.9 1/2; 5, Paul Meduli, Pennsbury, 49.8.

AA Discus: 1, John McKeon, Sharon Hill, 137.10; 2, Bill Elliott, Oxford, 128.10; 3, Russell Johnson, Darby Twp., 126.5; 4, Michael Kelly, A. Kennedy, 123.7; 5, Brian Kroon, Swarthmore, 122.9.

AAA Discus: 1, Dan Friedman, Tennent, 168.3; 2, Glenn Wright, Council Rock, 142.4; 3, Mike Burke, Ridley, 137.2; 4, Mark Berhauser, N. Penn, 136.9; 5, Lance Stark, Phoenixville, 132.10.

AA Triple jump: 1, John McMillan, Avon Grove, 44.0; 2, Stephen Stasheff, Lansdale Catholic, 42.9 1/2; 3, Eugene Hyden, Darby Twp., 42.6 1/2; 4, Ven Mantegna, Garnet Valley, 42.2 1/4; 5, Dean Lee, Kennett, 42.1 1/4.

AAA Triple jump: 1, Larry Mercadante, Council Rock, 46.8 3/4; 2, Kurt Schwartz, U. Moreland, 45.5; 3, Tony Calermo, Wissahickon, 45.4 1/4; 4, Drew Proctor, Darby Twp., 44.9 1/4; 5, Terrance Pittman, Chester, 43.5 1/2.

AA Long jump: 1, James Lewis, H. Ghost, 21.7; 2, Andy Griffin, NCCT, 21.2; 3, John McMillan, Avon Grove, 20.8 1/2; 4, tie between Jeff Hyden, Octorara, 20.4 3/4 and George Ramasco, Perk. Vly., 20.4 3/4.

AAA High jump: 1, Tony Fiorenino, U. Merion, 6.6 1/4; 2, Tim Lynch, C. Rock, 6.4; 3, Jeffery Streets, W.C. Henderson, 6.4; 4, John Hinks, Abington, 6.4; 5, Jeff Spahr, Penncrest, 6.4.

Girls

DISTRICT ONE GIRLS TRACK CHAMPIONSHIPS

At Bensalem High
Individuals and teams listed in bold type have qualified for the PIAA state championships, scheduled for Friday and Saturday in Shippensburg.

AA 100 Meter Hurdles: 1, Kim Knickerbocker, Perkiomen Valley, 15.4; 2, Anne Bowie, Swarthmore, 15.6; 3, Cathy Bragaw, Kennett, 15.9; 4, Lori Cuono, Perkiomen Valley, 16.0; 5, Tracey Trent, Darby Twp., 16.8.

AAA 100 Meter Hurdles: 1, India McCellan, Norristown, 14.7; 2, Marian Ambrose, Phoenixville, 15.0; 3, Lois Hatzenbeller, Tennent, 15.1; 4, Linda Boynes, Coatesville, 15.2; 5, Katie Ryan, North Penn, 15.60.

AA 3200 Meter Relay: 1, Perkiomen Valley (Trish Malischewski, Julie Wirth, Joanne Kehs, Valerie Laudenslager), 9:42.0; 2, Garnet Valley, 10:11.9; 3, Kennett, 10:13.6; 4, Pottsgrove, 10:29.9; 5, Unionville, 10:32.5.

AAA 3200 Meter Relay: 1, Council Rock (Margret Hanrahan, Kathy Morrissey, June Robinson, Mary Turner), 9:38.0; 2, North Penn, 9:30.5; 3, Upper Darby, 9:43.2; 4, Wissahickon, 9:43.8; 5, Conestoga, 9:57.3.

AA 100 Meter Dash: 1, Debbie Lewis, Avon Grove, 12.48; 2, Karla Washington, NCCTs, 12.8; 3, Sue Lindner, Yeaton, 13.13; 4, Rennee Toalton, Octorara, 13.17; 5, Patty Anderson, Avon Grove, 13.21.

AAA 100 Meter Dash: 1, Lori McCauley, Pennridge, 12.41; 2, Rene Ryaless, Wissahickon, 12.49; 3, Trina Russell, Abington, 12.5; 4, Sabrina Moore, Wilson, 12.6; 5, Jill Counts, Delhaas, 12.8.

AA 1600 Meter Run: 1, Marisa Schmitt, Gwynedd-Mercy, 4:59.8; 2, Marya Small, Notre Dame, 5:01.9; 3, Trish Malischewski, Perkiomen Valley, 5:12.6; 4, Sherry Meyers, Garnet Valley, 5:39.2; 5, Holly Charlton, Avon Grove, 5:40.6; Sarah Malischewski, Perkiomen Valley, 5:44.0.

AAA 1600 Meter Run: 1, Kim Gallagher, Upper Dublin, 4:56.5; 2, Nancy Parker, Upper Merion, 5:13.2; 3, Sally Drudi, Pennridge, 5:14.5; 4, Carlo Tendall, Wissahickon, 5:15.9; 5, Daria Varaitis, Pennsbury, 5:17.0.

AA 400 Meter Relay: 1, Avon Grove (Patty Anderson, Janell McMillan, Barb Henderson, Debbie Lewis), 51.84; 2, Perkiomen Valley, 51.87; 3, Oxford, 52.0; 4, Kennett, 52.1; 5, Octorara, 52.6.

AAA 400 Meter Relay: 1, Wissahickon (Cricket Cupid, Whoopie, Sharon Bunio, Rene Ryaless), 49.51; 2, Abington, 49.6; 3, Coatesville, 49.9; 4, Chester, 50.2; 5, Pennridge, 50.6.

AA 400 Meter Dash: 1, Karla Washington, NCCTs, 1:00.3; 2, Rene Harmon, Kennett, 1:00.4; 3, Valerie Laudenslager, Perkiomen Valley, 1:01.6; 4, Bonnie McLennon, Unionville, 1:02.5; 5, Martha Maurer, Oxford, 1:03.5.

AAA 400 Meter Dash: 1, Lori McCauley, Pennridge, 56.1; 2, Marcia Martin, Radnor, 56.5; 3, Carol Sames, North Penn, 58.0; 4, Patricia Lee, Abington, 59.0; 5, Debby Morris, Lower Merion, 59.4.

AA 800 Meter Run: 1, Trish Malischewski, Perkiomen Valley, 2:22.4; 2, Dawn Finley, Octorara, 2:29.5; 3, Sue Hanling, St. Pius, 2:30.7; 4, Jill Jarnieson, Unionville, 2:34.8; 5, Joanne Kehs, Perkiomen Valley, 2:35.8.

AAA 800 Meter Run: 1, Kim Gallagher, Upper Dublin, 2:09.4; 2, Carla Maurer, Hallboro-Hersham, 2:13.6; 3, Jane Robinson, Council Rock, 2:18.7; 3, Gwyn Tracy, Conestoga, 2:20.1; 4, Beth Good, Upper Dublin, 2:21.9; 5, Tammi Williams, Norristown, 2:22.0.

AA 200 Meter Dash: 1, Debbie Lewis, Avon Grove, 25.9; 2, Sue Lindner, Yeaton, 26.7; 3, Roxanne Asbury, Darby-Cotwyn, 27.59; 4, Patty Anderson, Avon Grove, 27.9; 5, Diann Marinkov, Perkiomen Valley, 28.7.

AAA 200 Meter Dash: 1, Rene Ryaless, Wissahickon, 25.8; 2, Jill Counts, Delhaas, 26.09; 3, Trina Russell, Abington, 26.00; 4, Sue McCaffrey, Wissahickon, 26.6; 5, Rene Burrows, Delhaas, 26.8.

AA 3200 Meter Run: 1, Marva Small, Notre Dame, 11:00.1; 2, Marisa Schmitt, Gwynedd-Mercy, 11:24.7; 3, Lillie Wirth, Perkiomen Valley, 11:37.5; 4, Rosemarie Glah, Bishop Shanahan, 11:57.6; 5, Janice Oswald, Garnet Valley, 12:11.2.

AAA 3200 Meter Run: 1, Judy Rodkey, North Penn, 11:26.0; 2, Sally Drudi, Pennridge, 11:26.1; 3, Judy Shaffer, Guakertown, 11:34.7; 4, Kathy Bruzas, North Penn, 11:40.4; Lisa Capodici, Upper Merion, 11:46.4; 5, Carol Tendall, Wissahickon, 11:47.3.

AA 1600 Meter Relay: 1, Perkiomen Valley (Val Laudenslager, Joanne Kehs, Kim, Jamie Knickerbocker), 4:06.2; 2, Kennett, 4:10.7; 3, Unionville, 4:19.0; 4, Octorara, 4:21.8; 5, Oxford, 4:25.7.

AAA 1600 Meter Relay: 1, Upper Dublin (Jewel Herder, Beth Good, Kathy Seitz, Kim Gallagher), 4:00.8; 2, Pennridge, 4:01.1; 3, Wissahickon, 4:01.8; 4, Council Rock, 4:02.4; 5, Radnor, 4:03.2.

AA Long Jump: 1, Debbie Lewis, Avon Grove, 17.1; 2, Kim Knickerbocker, Perkiomen Valley; 3, Rennee Toalton, Octorara, 16.9; Shawn Ellison, Darby Twp., 16.1; Cindy Gebhard, Unionville, 15.9.

AAA Long Jump: 1, Missy Helak, Conestoga, 17.11 1/2; 2, Colleen Nuschke, Souderton, 17.8 1/2; 3, Stacy Weldon, Henderson, 17.2 1/2; 4, Cheryl Shippin, Lower Merion, 17.0 1/2; Mary Marcello, Bensalem, 17.8.

AA Triple Jump: 1, Janell McMillan, Avon Grove, 33.9 1/4; 2, Melissa McIntire, Octorara, 33.7; 3, Lori Cuono, Perkiomen Valley, 33.3; 4, Dawn Thomas, Octorara, 33.1; Albion, Swarthmore, 32.7 1/2.

AAA High Jump: 1, Marcia Martin, Radnor, 5.5; 2, Nancy Gaelsel, Council Rock, 5.4; 3, Gina Bears, Pennridge, 5.3; 4, Kelly Halligan, Marple-Newtown, 5.3; 5, Belinda Ben, Coatesville, 5.2.

AA Shot Put: 1, Anna Martorana, Perkiomen Valley, 34.0 1/4; 2, Tammi Paton, Perkiomen Valley, 32.3; 3, Barb Terry, Darby Twp., 31.6 1/2; 4, Karen Dazio, Unionville, 30.5 1/4; 5, Debbie Gilbert, Garnet Valley, 29.8.

Discus: 1, Ariene McKim, Avon Grove, 72.3; 2, Peggy Owens, Perkiomen Valley, 68.11; 3, Anna Martorana, Perkiomen Valley, 68.3; 4, Debbie Gilbert, Garnet Valley, 67.6; 5, Lorraine Durnan, Oxford, 66.6.

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At Germantown Academy

Pole Vault: 1, Alex Bruhn, Haverford, 11-0; 2, Mike Hill, Chestnut Hill, 10-6.

Shot Put: 1, Jordie Maine, Chestnut Hill, 41-5; 2, Chris Bassett, Penn Charter, 39-9/2.

Long Jump: 1, David Smith, Episcopal, 20-3/4; 2, Jim Golden, Penn Charter, 19-10/4.

High Jump: 1, Kirk Griswold, Germantown, 5-11; 2, Paul Sullivan, Haverford 5-10.

Triple Jump: 1, Jim Golden, Penn Charter, 40-9/4; 2, Jim Dodge, Episcopal, 40-5/2.

1 Mile Run: 1, Chris Shaffer, Episcopal, 4:32.6; 2, John Blough, Germantown, 4:40.3.

120 High Hurdles: 1, Larry Jones, Episcopal, 15.9; 2, Brian Wall, Malvern Prep, 16.1.

100 Yard Dash: 1, George Bailey, Chestnut Hill, 10.2; 2, Larry Tornerfa, Haverford, 10.3.

440 Dash: 1, Roger Hebben, Haverford, 52.2; 2, George Bailey, Chestnut Hill, 52.3.

Two Mile Run: 1, Chris Shaffer, Episcopal, 10:14; 2, John Blough, Germantown, 10:25.8.

330 Intermediate Hurdles: 1, Larry Jones, Episcopal, 42.1; 2, John Cannon, Germantown, 42.1.

220 Dash: 1, George Bailey, Chestnut Hill, 22.7; 2, Larry Tornerfa, Haverford, 23.8.

880 run: 1, Garry VanArkel, Haverford, 2:14.4; 2, Bruce Levin, Penn Charter, 2:05.

1 Mile Relay: 1, Haverford, 3:37.8; 2, Penn Charter, 3:41.0.

Team Scoring: 1, Episcopal, 55; 2, Haverford, 42; 3, Chestnut Hill Academy 38; 4, Penn Charter, 36; 5, Germantown Academy 35; 6, Malvern Prep 17.

Rain mars District 1 track efforts

By Don McKee
Inquirer Staff Writer

Devastating rains held down times, heights and distances at the District One track championships yesterday, which certainly cost a lot of area trackmen the chance to advance to next weekend's state meet.

The excellent all-weather facility at Delaware Valley College in Doylestown was inundated by rains and the field events were nearly washed out all together. The Class AAA pole vault was postponed until tomorrow afternoon because the downpour made it too dangerous for the contestants to jump.

That did not affect the AAA team scoring however, as Lower Merion had 51 team points to Council Rock's 50, and the Aces still had two competitors in the pole vault, while the Indians had none. Thus the team trophy was awarded to Lower Merion despite the incomplete results. It was Lower Merion's first district championship since 1966.

Sharon Hill won the Class AA championship for the first time since 1958, beating out Del-Val B League rivals, Swarthmore and Darby Township. Sharon Hill compiled 67 points, Swarthmore 62½ and Darby Township scored 58.

Team scoring is based on the first six finishers in an event, on a 10, 8, 6, 4, 2, 1 basis.

Individuals qualify for the state championship meet either on place or on effort. The two top finishers in each event advance to the state championship regardless of their time, height or distance. After that, however, a competitor must meet a qualifying standard (based on the top 10 efforts at last year's state championship meet) in order to advance.

Since the heavy rains depressed times in all the running events and hurt distances and heights in field events, fewer District One competitors than usual advanced. The state championship meet will be held Friday and Saturday at Shippensburg State College.

One ironic quirk was provided by new circumstances however — since this was the first year the track

events were run in meters, rather than yards, all winning times automatically are District One records. A strong competitor who advanced handsily despite the weather was William Tennent's Dan Friedman, who won both the shot put and discus for the second straight year. Friedman, a Big 33 football player who is heading for Maryland on a track scholarship, is the defending PIAA discus champ and was the fourth-place finisher in the state in shot put last year.

He won the discus with a throw of 168 feet, 3 inches, far off his personal best of 182 feet (set in a dual meet against Norristown). He put the shot 55-0½, close to the 56 feet he did in the Penn Relays.

"In the discus, I'm pretty confident (of repeating as state champ)," he said, "as long as I get it out there. Lately I haven't been throwing too well. I don't know what it is. All I can do is keep throwing and hope I can get it down."

"I like being the defending champ. It puts a lot of pressure on you, because people expect a lot from you, but I think I do better under pressure."

Perhaps the greatest pressure in the meet fell on Lower Merion's 1,600-meter relay team. The Aces — who were to win by just a single point — had to finish first in the day's last event while Council Rock finished nowhere.

They won. With Bryant Spry, Blake Inman, Xavier Bey and defending state 440 champion Russell Carter carrying the sticks, the Aces ran it in 3:21.44. They beat Abington (3:23.33) handsily.

Earlier, Bey had won the 110-meter intermediate hurdles and finished second to Radnor's Chris Snyder in the 100-meter dash. Carter won the 400-meters to pile up points and the Aces also had won the 400 relay.

Sharon Hill's situation was equally desperate, as Swarthmore led, 61½-61, with only the 1,600-meter relay left. But third place in that event secured the title for the Owls, as Swarthmore finished sixth. The summaries:

Team totals — Lower Merion 51, Council Rock 50, West Chester-East 34, Downingtown 25, William Tennent 22, Radnor 21, Upper Merland 20, North Penn 20, Con-

tral Bucks West 20, Abington 20, Chester 20, Central Bucks East 18, Ridley 17, Malvern 17, Interboro 14, West Chester-West 14, Norristown 14, Penncrest 15, Pennsbury 14, Pennington 11, Wissahickon 11, Spring-Ford 10, Upper Merion 10, Gravel Valley 10, Owen J. Roberts 10, Coatesville 10, Havertown 4, Souderton 4, Springfield 13-6-3, Neshaminy-Lanesham 4, Cheltenham 2, Phoenixville 2, Woodrow Wilson 2, Sun Valley 1, Pottstown 1, Harrisonville 1, Mechanix-Mapee Park 1, Malvern-Hershey 1, 110 high hurdles — 1, Xavier Bey, Lower Merion, 14:25; 2, Tim Lewis, Pennridge, 18:11; 3, Rick McCracken, Interboro, 15:14; 4, Rick Young, Lanshore, 15:31; 5, Bob Gardner, Gravel Valley, 15:51; 6, Allen Marley, Penncrest, 15:54. (Time needed to qualify for PIAA state championship meet, 14:90.)

100 — 1, Chris Snyder, Radnor, 10:24; 2, Xavier Bey, Lower Merion, 11:18; 3, Ken Winston, WC-East, 11:25; 4, Brian McCutchen, Penncrest, 11:33; 5, Keith Dean, North Penn, 11:34; 6, Ted Robinson, Downingtown, 11:43. (Qualifying time, 10:24.)

200 — 1, Chris Snyder, Radnor, 22:27; 2, Brian McCutchen, Penncrest, 22:59; 3, Ken Winston, WC-East, 23:41; 4, Clarence Clary, Henderson, 22:87; 5, Paul Ierubone, Council Rock, 22:34; 6, Tim Lewis, Pennridge, 23:35. (Qualifying time, 22:33.)

300 intermediate hurdles — 1, Dave White, Downingtown, 29:20; 2, Al Kohler, Gravel Valley, 31:31; 3, Greg Matkovic, Souderton, 30:09; 4, Scott Schaefer, Downingtown, 40:11; 5, Gunnar Avon, CBE, 40:23; 6, Pete Nilsson, Radnor, 40:48. (Qualifying time, 40:00.)

400 — 1, Chester, 1:57:02; 2, Central Bucks East, 1:57:40; 3, Woodrow Wilson, 2:00:44; 4, Upper Merland, 2:04:11; 5, Woodrow Wilson, 2:07:30; 6, Wissahickon, 2:08:11; 7, Mike Sullivan, Conestoga, 4:17:94; 2, Brian Wallace, Malvern, 4:21:42; 3, Greg Sargent, North Penn, 4:22:52; 4, Souderton, 4:23:52; 5, Rich King, Coatesville, 4:27:77; 6, Mark Voti, Cheltenham, 4:28:43. (Qualifying time, 4:30:31.)

1,600 — 1, Mike Sullivan, Conestoga, 4:17:94; 2, Brian Wallace, Malvern, 4:21:42; 3, Greg Sargent, North Penn, 4:22:52; 4, Souderton, 4:23:52; 5, Rich King, Coatesville, 4:27:77; 6, Mark Voti, Cheltenham, 4:28:43. (Qualifying time, 4:30:31.)

800 — 1, Dave Leno, Ridley, 1:54:41; 2, Ed Maede, Pennsbury, 1:55:72; 3, Allen Dorned, Springfield (PA), 1:57:47; 4, Tom Hibben, CBE, 1:58:52; 5, Lew Calkins, CBW, 1:59:31; 6, Mark Voti, Cheltenham, 1:59:34. (Qualifying time, 1:55:59.)

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100-meter hurdles — 1, Xavier Bey, Lower Merion, 14:25; 2, Tim Lewis, Pennridge, 18:11; 3, Rick McCracken, Interboro, 15:14; 4, Rick Young, Lanshore, 15:31; 5, Bob Gardner, Gravel Valley, 15:51; 6, Allen Marley, Penncrest, 15:54. (Time needed to qualify for PIAA state championship meet, 14:90.)

200-meter hurdles — 1, Chris Snyder, Radnor, 22:27; 2, Brian McCutchen, Penncrest, 22:59; 3, Ken Winston, WC-East, 23:41; 4, Clarence Clary, Henderson, 22:87; 5, Paul Ierubone, Council Rock, 22:34; 6, Tim Lewis, Pennridge, 23:35. (Qualifying time, 22:33.)

300-meter hurdles — 1, Dave White, Downingtown, 29:20; 2, Al Kohler, Gravel Valley, 31:31; 3, Greg Matkovic, Souderton, 30:09; 4, Scott Schaefer, Downingtown, 40:11; 5, Gunnar Avon, CBE, 40:23; 6, Pete Nilsson, Radnor, 40:48. (Qualifying time, 40:00.)

400-meter hurdles — 1, Chester, 1:57:02; 2, Central Bucks East, 1:57:40; 3, Woodrow Wilson, 2:00:44; 4, Upper Merland, 2:04:11; 5, Woodrow Wilson, 2:07:30; 6, Wissahickon, 2:08:11; 7, Mike Sullivan, Conestoga, 4:17:94; 2, Brian Wallace, Malvern, 4:21:42; 3, Greg Sargent, North Penn, 4:22:52; 4, Souderton, 4:23:52; 5, Rich King, Coatesville, 4:27:77; 6, Mark Voti, Cheltenham, 4:28:43. (Qualifying time, 4:30:31.)

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Yet, looking on are Phil coach Billy DeWors, base runner Mike Anderson, Expo shortstop Chris Speer Stoneback.

Bobby Speer

baseball team in the universe has chance are those with names like W.

C-M sprinters star in districts

By DAVID LANTITE
(Local News Correspondent)

There's been some magnificent competition in the springing events around the Ches-Mont League track and field circuit this spring, and from all indications, it's going to continue right through the district meet.

Downington's Ricky Stonewall and Ted Robinson, West Chester East's Ken Winston and Terry Gallimore and West Chester Henderson's Clarence Clary resumed their now weekly battles yesterday as the 55th annual District One championships for boys got underway at Delaware Valley College in Doylestown. Bucks County.

All of them qualified for a return to the 100 and 200-meter events. (This is the first year for meter distances in the district meet.) Not only was pride at state today, but also advancement to the finals and a ship's at Shippensburg State College.

Just hope we do well. East coach Mike Payton said. Downington hit that hot streak in the 100 last week in the Ches-Mont League championships and we went flat. Track is strange like that. One event can ruin your whole day. Stonewall and Robinson finished one-two in the 100 last Saturday, to set the tone for Downington's surprisingly easy meet victory. East was hoping to sneak into second place, but finished fourth. And Clary provided the only bright spot for Henderson on an otherwise dreary day with victories in the 220 and 440.

He (Clary) deserves everything he gets. Henderson coach Bob Friday said. He's taken good ability and worked hard to get everything out of it. He worked with weights and did a lot of indoor distance running over the winter. East second

Except for Clary, the group is also competing in the 400-meter relay for their respective schools. East, with a team of Gallimore, Kevin Butcher, Don Day and

Winston, had the second fastest time (4:18 seconds) behind Lower Merion East and Downington's trail.

Ches-Mont schools to compete in the 1600-meter trials and both made it to the finals, but Downington will have to work hard to place as it will run in the final's slow heat.

The winners also advanced in the 3200-meter relay, as did Coatesville. Downington's David White, the premiere hurdler in the league this year, advanced to the semifinals in the 110 high hurdles and the finals in the 300 intermediate hurdles. Also advancing in the high hurdles was Henderson's Jeff Streets and Great Valley's Rod-Geving.

Coatesville's Ed Marshall (21:54), who finished fourth.

Pariz wins javelin In the only other Class AAA final yesterday, Springfield's Jeff Pariz won the javelin, but his winning distance was unavailable as the judge failed to turn in the tabulation sheet.

In Class AA competition, Oxford's Jeff Havelow won the javelin with a throw of 162 feet, five inches. Rob Marker (154-4) of Garnet Valley was second, and both will go to the state meet.

Bill Elliot of Oxford was fourth in the high jump at 5 feet 8. Postgrave's Jay Carter won the event on fewer misses at six feet.

Garnet Valley's Dean Hillis was second in the pole vault at 11 feet 6. Brian Sullivan of Oxford was the only Southern Chester County League contestant in the 321 intermediate hurdles, and although he was second in his heat, it wasn't good enough to advance him to this morning's finals.

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Unionville girls sweep high jump

By MARK BROWN
(Local News Correspondent)

In yesterday's opening session of the two-day District I Girls' Championship Meet at Bensalem High School in Bucks County, Unionville took the top three places in their specialty, the high jump. Winner Candy Casbell tied her own personal record of 5-6 and figures to be a formidable force in next week's state championship at Shippensburg State College.

In addition to Casbell, Indiana Jackie Jamison (second place) and Bonnie McLennan (third) completed the sweep. In fact, five of the top six finishers in the high jump came from local schools.

Afterwards, sophomore Casbell, who finished second in the state last year as a freshman, admitted that breaking her existing mark was a "real possibility."

"I have jumped 5-8 already this season," she admitted, "but I know that might be out of reach."

"I injured my back during a meet earlier this year, and it has hurt from time to time. It would have been nice to break my previous height, but I really didn't think I could do it with the injury."

Yesterday's cool, wet weather had coaches and runners alike concerned about the possibility of pulled muscles. But, for what must have seemed like hours while stuck on the Pennsylvania Turnpike, that was the least concern for East coach Bob Benz.

at the stadium, only the triple jump was being contested. Joseph, entered in the 200-meter run, had missed her event.

"I suppose she had as good a chance as anybody else in the trials," Benz said last night. "I really don't know if she would have advanced to today's final or not. That's pure speculation. Luckily, (since she's a junior) she'll have another chance next year. And, she will be running today in the 1600-meter relay."

Coach Jeanne Burns' Coatesville unit scored well in the trials for today's 100-meter hurdles final. The Raiders Linda Boyers lurched in the third fastest time by covering the distance in 1:51 seconds.

Only Phoenixville's Marian Ambrose moved faster; her 1:47 was the quickest time recorded. Coatesville's Monica Moore, with a time of 1:5 seconds that recorded the second fastest time overall, but ran in the heat in which Ambrose was clocked fastest.

In the 100-meter dash, area runners who qualified for today's district championship include Sue Bruce of Coatesville, Stacy Weldon of Henderson, and Ambrose. Of those qualifiers, Weldon's 12.77 for the 100 meters was the best time recorded.

In related developments, Mary Heak of Conestoga won her heat in the 220 (25:27) with Weldon placing second (25:34). Both have qualified for the district championship scheduled for today in additional field events. Moore finished third on the triple jump (conducted in a driving rainstorm) with a distance of 35.4, and the Raiders' Voncille Greer took fourth in the shot put with a distance of 35.10.

PIAA District One Meet Results

R. Ron Seitz

AAA BOYS

100 METERS

1 Chris Sydnor	Radnor	10.96
2 Xavier Bey	L. Merion	11.18

200 METERS

1 Chris Sydnor	Radnor	22.27
2 Brian McCutcheon	Penncrest	22.59

400 METERS

1 Russell Carter	L. Merion	47.63
2 Paul Ierubino	C. Rock	49.17
3 Clarence Clarey	W.C. Henderson	49.20
4 Craig Rainey	Chester	49.20

800 METERS

1 David Long	Ridley	1:54.41
2 Edwin Meade	Pennsbury	1:55.73

1600 METERS

1 Mike Sullivan	Conestoga	4:17.94
2 Brian Wallace	Methacton	4:21.62
3 Greg Sargent	North Penn	4:24.04
4 Terry Anderson	Coatesville	4:25.63
5 Richard King	Coatesville	4:25.77
6 Mark Voit	Cheltenham	4:26.63

3200 METERS

1 Bill Godschall	Interboro	9:27.31
2 Scott Zecker	Council Rock	9:28.39

110 METER HURDLES

1 Xavier Bey	Lower Merion	14.75
2 Tim Lewis	Pennridge	14.81

300 METER HURDLES

1 Dave White	Downingtown	39.70
2 Al Kohle	Great Valley	39.91

400 METER HURDLES

1 Lower Merion		43.14
Russ Whaley, Blake Inman, Russ Carter, Xavier Bey, Jeff Muse		

1600 METER RELAY

1 Lower Merion		3:21.44
Brian Spry, Blake Inman, Xavier Bey, Russell Carter, Thomas Anderson		

3200 METER RELAY

1 Chester		7:57.02
James Wharton, Carl Lancaster, J. Wright, C. Rainey, S. Goins		

SHOT PUT

1 Dan Friedman	William Tennent	55-1/2
2 James Greene	W.C. East	51-9

HIGH JUMP

1 Tony Fiorentino	Upper Merion	6-6 1/4
2 Tim Lynch	Council Rock	6-4
3 Jim Street	W.C. Henderson	6-4
4 John Hinks	Abington	6-4
5 Jeff Spahr	Penncrest	6-4

LONG JUMP

1 Tom Barr	O.J. Roberts	21-11 1/4
2 Jake Howard	Methacton	21-10 1/4
3 Kelvin Butcher	W.C. East	21-8 1/2
4 Edw. Marshall	Coatesville	21-6 1/4
5 Rich Hatzenbellar	William Tennent	21-4 1/4
6 Robert Stone	Sun Valley	21-4

DISCUS

1 Dan Friedman	William Tennent	168-3
2 Glenn Wright	Council Rock	142-4

JAVELIN

1 Jeff Rantz	Springford	180-11
2 Ken Matthias	Upper Moreland	177-8

TRIPLE JUMP

1 Larry Mercadante	Council Rock	46-8.75
2 Kurt Schwartz	Upper Moreland	45-5
3 Tony Calamaro	Wissahickon	45-4.25
4 Drew Proctor	Downingtown	44-9.25



Chris Sidnor

AAA GIRLS

100 METER HURDLES

1 India McClellan	Norristown	14.76
2 Marian Ambrose	Phoenixville	15.02
3 Ida Hatzenbeller	William Tennent	15.19
4 Linda Boynes	Coatesville	15.27
5 Katie Ryan	North Penn	15.60

200 METERS

1 Lori McCauley	Pennridge	12.41
2 Renee Ryaless	Wissahickon	12.49

300 METERS

1 Renee Ryaless	Wissahickon	25.84
2 Jill Counts	Delhaas	26.00

400 METERS

1 Lori McCauley	Pennridge	56.18
2 Marcia Martin	Radnor	56.57
3 Carol Sames	North Penn	58.03

800 METERS

1 Kim Gallagher	Upper Dublin	2:09.47
2 Carla Maurer	Hatboro-Horsham	2:13.68
3 Jane Robinson	Council Rock	2:18.70
4 Gwin Tracy	Conestoga	2:20.15

1600 METERS

1 Kim Gallagher	Upper Dublin	4:56.59
2 Nancy Parker	Upper Merion	5:13.20
3 Sally Drudi	Pennridge	5:14.54
4 Carol Tendall	Wissahickon	5:15.92
5 Daria Varaitis	Pennsbury	5:17.00

3200 METERS

1 Judy Rodkey	North Penn	11:26.0
2 Sally Drudi	Pennridge	11:26.1
3 Judy Schaffer	Quakertown	11:36.7

400 METER RELAY

1 Wissahickon		49.51
Cricket Cupid, Sharon Bunio, Betty Ann Wynder, Renee Ryaless		

1600 METER RELAY

1 Upper Dublin		49.64
J. Herder, K. Seitz, B. Good, K. Gallagher, E. Ryder		

200 METER RELAY

1 Pennridge		9:30.52
2 North Penn		9:43.22
3 Upper Darby		9:43.86
4 Council Rock		

3200 METER RELAY

1 Council Rock		9:28.08
Margaret Hanrahan, Jane Robinson, Kathy Morrissey, Mary Turner		

SHOT PUT

1 Wendy Whiteley	Pennsbury	42-5
2 Andrea Defabio	Sun Valley	37-9 1/2

HIGH JUMP

1 Marcia Martin	Radnor	5-5
2 Nancy Gaebel	Council Rock	5-4
3 Gina Bears	Pennridge	5-3
4 Kelly Halligan	Marple Newtown	5-3
5 Belinda Ben	Coatesville	5-2

LONG JUMP

1 Missy Helak	Conestoga	17-11 1/2
2 Colleen Nuschke	Souderton	17-8 1/2
3 Stacy Weldon	W.C. Henderson	17-2 1/2
4 Cheryl Shippen	Lower Merion	17-1 1/2
5 Mary Marcello	Bensalem	17-0
6 Debbie Townsend	Hatboro Horsham	16-10 1/4

DISCUS

1 Wendy Whiteley	Pennsbury	128-1
2 Kim Allison	Nesh. Maple Point	120-2

JAVELIN

1 Andrea Defabio	Sun Valley	127-6
2 Lyn Sweeney	Sun Valley	107-1/4

TRIPLE JUMP

1 Betty Ann Winder	Wissahickon	36-8
2 Cheryl Shippen	Lower Merion	36-1

AA BOYS

100 METERS

1 Robert Ware	V.F.M.A.	11.45
2 Van Showell	Garnet Valley	11.66

200 METERS

1 Robert Ware	V.F.M.A.	22.98
2 Tom Nocho	Kennett	23.68

400 METERS

1 Tom Nocho	Kennett	50.62
2 Vincent Clark	Darby Twp.	50.65
3 Bob Fullenlove	Sharon Hill	50.88

800 METERS

1 Anthony Yergler	St. Pius	2:00.08
2 Ethan Landis	Swarthmore	2:02.35

1600 METERS

1 Ethan Landis	Swarthmore	4:30.16
2 Jim Taylor	Swarthmore	4:30.66

3200 METERS

1 Jerry Blauvelt	Sharon Hill	9:59.03
2 Rick Lehman	Garnet Valley	10:00.9

110 METER HURDLES

1 Ray Glemser	Holy Ghost	15.59
2 Stanley Dixon	Bristol	15.72

300 METER HURDLES

1 Bob Fullenlove	Sharon Hill	39.46
2 Mike King	Darby Colwyn	40.45

400 METER RELAY

1 Darby Colwyn		45.59
Robert Brown, John Rivers, Ray Thomas, Michael King, Edward Zimmerman		

1600 METER RELAY

1 Darby Twp.		3:29.11
V. Clark, K. Ellison, C. Mason, L. Burton, T. Jones		

3200 METER RELAY

1 Sharon Hill		8:22.0
B. Fullenlove, D. Ruber, D. Hess, Bruce Fullenlove, C. Taylor		

SHOT PUT

1 Reginald Hines	Darby Twp.	52-2 1/2
2 Randy Lieberman	Unionville	47-8

HIGH JUMP

1 Jay Carter	Pottsgrove	6-0
2 Stanley Dixon	Bristol	6-0

LONG JUMP

1 James Lewis	Holy Ghost	21-7
2 Andy Griffin	NCCT	21-2

DISCUS

1 John McKeon	Sharon Hill	137-10
2 Bill Elliott	Oxford	128-10

JAVELIN

1 Jeff Havelow	Oxford	162-5
2 Rob Marker	Garnet Valley	154-4

TRIPLE JUMP

1 John McMillan	Avon Grove	44'
2 Stephen Stasheff	Lansdale Catholic	42-9 1/2

POLE VAULT

1 Russ Bergen	Perkiomen Valley	11-6
2 Dean Hillas	Garnet Valley	11-6



Kim Gallagher



Debbie Lewis

AA GIRLS

100 METER HURDLES

1 Kim Knickerbocker	Perkiomen Valley	15.44
2 Anne Bowie	Swarthmore	15.67

200 METERS

1 Debbie Lewis	Avon Grove	12.48
2 Karla Washington	NCCT	12.84

300 METERS

1 Debbie Lewis	Avon Grove	25.97
2 Sue Lindner	Yeadon	26.76

400 METERS

1 Karla Washington	NCCT	60.37
2 Renee Jarmin	Kennett	60.49

800 METERS

1 Trisha Malischewski	Perkiomen Valley	2:22.47
2 Dawn Finley	Octorara	2:29.51

1600 METERS

1 Marisa Schmitt	Gwynedd-Mercy	4:59.86
2 Marya Small	Notre Dame	5:01.93
3 Trisha Malischewski	Perkiomen Valley	5:12.64

3200 METERS

1 Marya Small	Notre Dame	11:00.1
2 Marisa Schmitt	Gwynedd-Mercy	11:24.7
3 Julie Wirth	Perkiomen Valley	11:37.5

400 METER RELAY

1 Avon Grove		51.84
P. Anderson, B. Henderson, J. McMillan, D. Lewis, D. Sutton		

1600 METER RELAY

1 Perkiomen Valley		51.87
V. Laudenschlager, K. Knickerbocker, J. Kehe, J. Knickerbocker, J. Wirth		

3200 METER RELAY

1 Perkiomen Valley		4:06.04
T. Malischewski, J. Kehe, J. Wirth, V. Laudenschlager, J. Knickerbocker		

SHOT PUT

1 Anna Martoranna	Perkiomen Valley	34-3/4
2 Tammi Paton	Perkiomen Valley	32-3

HIGH JUMP

1 Candy Cashell	Unionville	5-6
2 Jackie Jamieson	Unionville	5-0

LONG JUMP

1 Debbie Lewis	Avon Grove	17-11
2 Kim Knickerbocker	Perkiomen Valley	17-4 1/2
3 Renee Toalton	Octorara	16-9
4 Shawn Ellison	Darby Twp.	16-1 1/4

DISCUS

1 Arlene McKim	Avon Grove	92-3
2 Peggy Owens	Perkiomen Valley	88-11

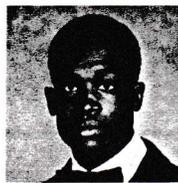
JAVELIN

1 Karen Boyd	Garnet Valley	105-1
2 Judy Bianchi	Swarthmore	98-10

TRIPLE JUMP

1 Janell McMillan	Avon Grove	33-9 1/4
2 Melissa McIntire	Octorara	33-7

Dave Long



Reginald Hines



John McKeon

girls' championships at Bensalem High School, Avon Grove's Debbie Lewis' magic was just as evident.

(Track boxscores, Page 14)

Running anchor in the 400 meter relay, the field all but passed Lewis before she was able to obtain the baton and, like Nehemiah, eventually outrace the competition to the finish line. Her impressive victory in the 400 was one of four personal wins on the day and she would have probably gathered additional awards if not for the fact that she could only enter four events.

Afterwards, she downplayed the Nehemiah comparison but was quick to talk about the University of Maryland sophomore.

"I did meet him once," she recalled, flashing a broad smile, "and that was

get. The conditions were miserable, driving rain, wind-swept skies and a track which resembled a swimming pool. In each of her four wins Lewis did not approach her times and distance (she won the long jump as well as the 100-meter dash, 200-meter dash, and 400-meter anchor relay) she achieved at last year's district championship and felt that the weather was indeed the decisive factor. "Overall," she added, "I was pleased with the way things turned out, especially in the relay.

"Our team was really proud of the e-

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WCEast relay team looks to Shippensburg

By DAVID LANUTE
(Local News Correspondent)

For years we've been educated about the loneliness of the long distance runner. Overlooked, however, has been the loneliness that most all runners experience through all levels of track competition much of the time.

Obviously, then, it is a refreshing second wind that is inspired when one comes out of a turn and is greeted by the cheers of thousands in a stadium. The legs become lighter, the ache of overworked lungs lessens and the impossible merges into the possible.

Many local athletes will experience those sensations for the first time next weekend when they come out to turn four on the Shippensburg State College track at the PIAA state championships. None will be more thrilled than West Chester East's 400-meter relay team of Terry Gallimore, Kelvin Butcher, Don Day and Ken Winston - especially Winston who just missed qualifying for the state 100- and 200-meter dashes in Saturday's District One championships at Delaware Valley College in Doylestown.

The team reached the state event by coming in second in the District One event (in 43.73 seconds) to Lower Merion (43.14).

Winston finished third in 11.25 seconds in the 100 and 22.61 in the 220 in his two specialty events Saturday, thus missing by one place an automatic invitation to Shippensburg. And like scores of others who were hampered by the horrible weather, Winston failed to meet qualifying standards that provided the only other route to the starting blocks.

Still, his points, along with Butcher's third (21-8½) in the long jump and Jim Greene's second (51-9) in the shotput, earned the Vikings a third place (34 points) finish behind Lower Merion (51) and Council Rock (50) in the team standings for Class AAA schools.

Downingtown, led by David White's victory in the 300 intermediate hurdles, was fourth with 23 points.

"The kids really felt bad about last week (The district outcome and fourth place in the Ches-Mont League championships)," coach Mike Payton said. "They wanted to bring a little glory to West Chester and now they feel they've done their share. It made them feel good when they heard people around the stadium talking about West Chester East.

"I feel bad Kenny had to run under the (weather) conditions we had and that he won't be going to the states in his specialties. I think the last month he really started to go a little flat and last week he was at the bottom. But, now I can see he's getting stronger."

Butcher will be doubling this weekend since his long jump met qualifying standards.

Whippet White to run

Downingtown's White and Great Valley's Al Kohnle ran in the slow heat of the intermediate hurdles, but their on-going rivalry pushed them to the fastest times - White finishing in 39.70 seconds and Kohnle in 39.91.

White ran in the district meet last year, but failed to place. Increased coaching by first year assistant Bob Sterner and maturity on White's part has turned it around, however.

"It's taken him a couple of years to realize his capabilities," Downingtown coach Charlie Selcher said. "He's just gotten intense in his interests in track. Now he believes he belongs with these (talented) guys."

Drew Proctor triple jumped 44-9¼ for fourth place, but the distance was enough to qualify him for the state meet. Steve Orth was third (49-11¼) in the shotput.

Ted Robinson sixth (11.43) in the 100 and the 400 relay was fourth (44.09), but none will advance.

The biggest disappointment, though, was Robinson and Ricky Stonewall in the sprints. Both had strong performances in the league meet, but they faded Saturday.

"I can't say what happened," Selcher said. "Maybe the tension was greater and they need to run relaxed. I just don't know."

Coatesville's Terry Anderson was fourth (4:25.63) in the 1600-meter run, followed by teammate Rick King (4:25.77).

But their times were good enough for the state meet, as was Ed Marshall's fourth place long jump (21-6¼).

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By DAVID LANUTE

(Local News Correspondent)

For years we've been educated about the loneliness of the long distance runner. Overlooked, however, has been the loneliness that most all runners experience through all levels of track competition much of the time.

Obviously, then, it is a refreshing second wind that is inspired when one comes out of a turn and is greeted by the cheers of thousands in a stadium. The legs become lighter, the ache of overworked lungs lessens and the impossible merges into the possible.

Many local athletes will experience those sensations for the first time next weekend when they come out of turn four on the Shippensburg State College track at the PIAA state championships. None will be more thrilled than West Chester East's 400-meter relay team of Terry Gallimore, Kelvin Butcher, Don Day and Ken Winston - especially Winston who just missed qualifying for the state 100- and 200-meter dashes in Saturday's District One championships at Delaware Valley College in Doylestown.

The team reached the state event by coming in second in the District One event (in 43.73 seconds) to Lower Merion (43.14).

Winston finished third in 11.25 seconds in the 100 and 22.61 in the 220 in his two specialty events Saturday, thus missing by one place an automatic invitation to Shippensburg. And like scores of others who were hampered by the horrible weather, Winston failed to meet qualifying standards that provided the only other route to the starting blocks.

Still, his points, along with Butcher's third (21-8½) in the long jump and Jim Greene's second (51-9) in the shotput, earned the Vikings a third place (34 points) finish behind Lower Merion (51) and Council Rock (50) in the team standings for Class AAA schools.

Downingtown, led by David White's victory in the 300 intermediate hurdles, was fourth with 25 points.

"The kids really felt bad about last week (The district outcome and fourth place in the Ches-Mont League championships)," coach Mike Payton said. "They wanted to bring a little glory to West Chester and now they feel they've done their share. It made them feel good when they heard people around the stadium talking about West Chester East.

"I feel bad Kenny had to run under the (weather) conditions we had and that he won't be going to the states in his specialties. I think the last month he really started to go a little flat and last week he was at the bottom. But, now I can see he's getting stronger."

Butcher will be doubling this weekend since his long jump met qualifying standards.

Whippet White to run

Downingtown's White and Great Valley's Al Kohnle ran in the slow heat of the intermediate hurdles, but their on-going rivalry pushed them to the fastest times - White finishing in 39.70 seconds and Kohnle in 39.91.

White ran in the district meet last year, but failed to place. Increased coaching by first year assistant Bob Sterner and maturity on White's part has turned it around, however.

"It's taken him a couple of years to realize his capabilities," Downingtown coach Charlie Selcher said. "He's just gotten intense in his interests in track. Now he believes he belongs with these (talented) guys."

Drew Proctor triple jumped 44-9 ¼ for fourth place, but the distance was enough to qualify him for the state meet. Steve Orth was third (49-11½) in the shotput.

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Avon Grove's Lewis wins four district track titles 1979

Daily Journal

By MARK BROWN
(Local News Correspondent)

If you closed your eyes, the final dash was reminiscent of the incredible performance Maryland's Renaldo Nehemiah recently put on at the Penn Relays.

Running the anchor in both the 400 and the 1,600-meter relays, Nehemiah in the latter race, caught and surpassed Villanova's Tim Dale down through the final meters to win and make his effort one of the most memorable performances in the carnival's history. And, with a similar set of variables on Saturday at the District I girls' championships at Bensalem High School, Avon Grove's Debbie Lewis' magic was just as evident.

Running anchor in the 400 meter relay, the field all but passed Lewis before she was able to obtain the baton and, like Nehemiah, eventually outrace the competition to the finish line. Her impressive victory in the 400 was one of four personal wins on the day and she would have probably gathered additional awards if not for the fact that she could only enter four events.

Afterwards, she downplayed the Nehemiah comparison but was quick to talk about the University of Maryland sophomore.

"I did meet him once," she recalled, flashing a broad smile, "and that was

about two years ago.

"I was running for Klub Keystone, you know that's our local track club and he was entered as well. I really can't remember the exact circumstances. He won the best male athlete award that day and I won the best female award so I had a chance to get together with him.

"I'm sure he does not remember that day; that was before he really became excellent. But, for me, that's a day I'll never forget."

And Saturday may be a day many who witnessed her performance might not for-

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get. The conditions were miserable, a driving rain, wind-swept skies and a track which resembled a swimming pool. In each of her four wins Lewis did not approach her times and distance (she won the long jump as well as the 100-meter dash, 200-meter dash, and 400-meter anchor relay) she achieved at last year's district championship and felt that the weather was indeed the decisive factor.

"Overall," she added, "I was pleased with the way things turned out, especially in the relay.

"Our team was really proud of the re-

lay win and that was the best we have done this year. Oxford and Kennett had beaten us earlier in the season and we wanted revenge. So we went out and gave it all we had."

"I wasn't concerned with time because of the weather. On a day like this, I think you have to be more concerned with place than with time. On a clear, dry day, I would have probably been upset with my times but not today."

Overall, Avon Grove finished second in its competition (Class AA) losing to Perkiomen Valley 128-70. Adding participating schools from Class AAA, Avon Grove still finished with the second highest point total. In Class AA Unionville finished third with 48 points; Octorara came in fourth with 40. In Class AAA the winner was Wissahickon with 57 points while Coatesville came in a disappointing eighth with 22 points.

If not for the vacillation of Perkiomen Valley drifting between Class AA and AAA, Avon Grove might have returned as class champions.

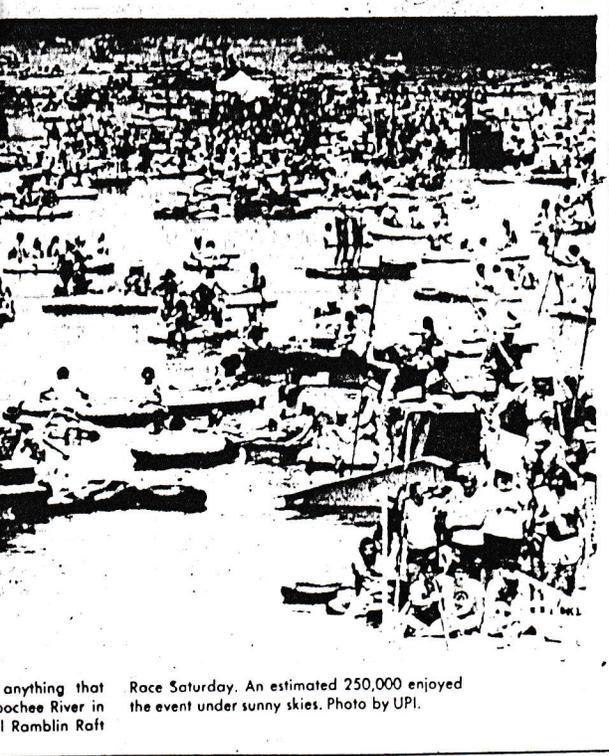
"That is a very strange situation," said Avon Grove coach Keith Maurer, completing his first year as track mentor.

"The size of their school seems to change from year to year and two years ago, they won the districts but last year, they were classified in AAA. Now, they're back in our division and I guess that their student population is right on the border. They keep shifting back and forth and this year, they were put in with us."

Maurer went on to explain that "I was pleased with our whole team and everyone ran well."

"I was a bit surprised that we were running as well as we were. There's no question that the rain affected the field events and that the distances were lower than usual," he added.

Aside from Lewis, other Avon Grove first-place finishers included Jannell McMillan in the triple jump and Arlene McKim in the discus. Other area winners were: Missy Helak of Conestoga in the AAA long jump and Candy Cashell of Unionville in the AA high jump (her 5-6 was the highest height reached in the two-day competition).



anything that Cochee River in Ramblin Raft Race Saturday. An estimated 250,000 enjoyed the event under sunny skies. Photo by UPI.

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year he had become his own worst critic. After shooting a 68 in the opening round of the Colonial National Invitational, someone asked him if he thought he could win the tournament.

Track scores Daily Local

DISTRICT ONE AAA
BOYS TRACK CHAMPIONSHIP
at Delaware Valley College

100-meter dash—1. Snyder, Radnor, 2. Bev. Lower Merion, 3. Ken Winston, W.C. East, 4. McCutchen, Penncrest, 5. Dean, North Penn 10.96

200-meter dash—1. Snyder, Radnor, 2. McCutchen, Chichester, 3. Ken Winston, W.C. East, 4. Clarence Clary, W.C. Henderson, 5. Jerubino Council Rock 22.77

400-meter dash—1. Carter, Lower Merion, 2. Jerubino Council Rock, 3. Clarence Clary, W.C. Henderson, 4. Ralney, Chester, 5. Inman, Lower Merion 1:07.62

800-meter run—1. Long, Hadley, 2. Masde, Pennsbury, 3. Allen, Springfield (M), 4. Hoban, C.B. East, 5. Casale, C.B. West 2:54.11

1,600-meter run—1. Mike Sullivan, Conestoga, 2. Wallace, 3. Methanon, Sargent, North Penn, 4. Terry Anderson, Coatesville, 5. Richard King, Coatesville 8:20.77

3,200-meter run—1. Godschall, Interboro, 2. Zacher, Council Rock, 3. Schaeffer, C.B. West, 4. Bernhill, C.B. East, 5. McGready, Pennridge 27:31

600-meter relay—1. Lower Merion, 2. W.C. East, 3. C.B. West, 4. Downingtown, 5. Abington 13:11

1,200-meter relay—1. Lower Merion, 2. Abington, 3. C.B. West, 4. Chester, 5. Upper Parkton 21:44

3,600-meter relay—1. Chester, 2. C.B. East, 3. Council Rock, 4. Upper Merion, 5. Wilson 7:07.81

Shot put—1. Friedman, Tomsent, 2. James Greene, W.C. East, 3. Steve Orth, Downingtown, 4. Witley, Wissahickon, 5. Medall, Pennsbury 36-9

Discus—1. Friedman, Tomsent, 2. Wright, Council Rock, 3. Burke, Hadley, 4. Berhauer, North Penn, 5. Lane Stark, Phoenixville 123-19

Triple jump—1. Marcandato Council Rock, 2. Schwartz, Upper Merion, 3. Calamero, Wissahickon, 4. Drew Proctor, Downingtown, 5. Pittman, Chester 44-7.75

High jump—1. Florentino, Upper Merion, 2. Lynch, Council Rock, 3. Jeff Stevens, W.C. Henderson, 4. Hinks, Abington, 5. Spahr, Penncrest 64-2.25

Long jump—1. Tom Barr, O.J. Roberts, 2. Howard Methanon, 3. Kelvin, Butler, 4. Ed Marshall, Coatesville, 5. Hattenbeller, Tomsent 21-11.25

Javelin—1. Jeff Rantz, Spring Ford, 2. Matthias, Upper Merion, 3. Matta, Haverford, 4. Nyce, Souderton, 5. Mace, Souderton 180-11

Team scoring—1. Lower Merion 81, 2. Council Rock 64, 3. W.C. East 56, 4. Downingtown 39, 5. Tomsent 33, Radnor 31

DISTRICT ONE AAA
GIRLS TRACK CHAMPIONSHIP
at Bonham High

100-meter hurdles—1. McMillan, Norristown, 2. Marian Ambrose, Phoenixville, 3. Lois Hattenbeller, Tomsent, 4. Linda Boyne, Coatesville, 5. Ryan, North Penn 14.7

200-meter relay—1. Council Rock, 2. North Penn, 3. Upper Merion, 4. Wissahickon, 5. Conestoga 3:38.8

400-meter dash—1. McCauley, Pennridge, 2. Ryales, Wissahickon, 3. Russell, Abington, 4. Moore, Wilson, 5. Conita, Delaware 12.41

800-meter dash—1. Ryales, Wissahickon, 2. Conita, Delaware, 3. Russell, Abington, 4. McCaffrey, Wissahickon, 5. Burrows, Delaware 30.9

1,600-meter run—1. Gallagher, Upper Dublin, 2. Maurer, Hatboro, 3. Robinson, Council Rock, 4. Graye Tracy, Conestoga, 5. Beth Good, Upper Dublin 5:09.4

3,200-meter run—1. Gallagher, Upper Dublin, 2. Parker, Upper Merion, 3. Drudi, Pennridge, 4. Tendall, Wissahickon, 5. Verrillo, Pennsbury 11:56.2

600-meter relay—1. Wissahickon, 2. Abington, 3. Coatesville, 4. Chester, 5. Eggert 40:31

1,200-meter relay—1. McCauley, Pennridge, 2. Martin, Radnor, 3. Kanne, North Penn, 4. Lee, Abington, 5. Morris, Lower Merion 16:1

3,600-meter relay—1. Radnor, North Penn, 2. Drudi, Pennridge, 3. Shaffer, Quakertown, 4. Bressan, North Penn, 5. Capodici, Upper Merion 11:28

1,600-meter relay—1. Upper Dublin, 2. Pennridge, 3. Wissahickon, 4. Council Rock, 5. Radnor 4:09.8

High jump—1. Maria, Radnor, 2. Geibel, Council Rock, 3. Gearna, Pennridge, 4. Hagan, Maple-Newton, 5. Deiana Sun, Coatesville 5-6

Long jump—1. Missy Helak, Conestoga, 2. Nuschke, Souderton, 3. Stacy Weldon, W.C. Henderson, 4. Shappan, Lower Merion, 5. Marcello, Downingtown 17-11.5

Triple jump—1. Wyder, Wissahickon, 2. Shippan, Lower Merion, 3. Monica Moore, Coatesville, 4. Nuschke, Souderton, 5. Martin, Souderton 36-6

Shot put—1. Whitey, Pennsbury, 2. DeFazio, Sun Valley, 3. Hestell, Council Rock, 4. Vancille Grove, Coatesville, 5. Lorch, Chesterham 43-5

Discus—1. Whitey, Pennsbury, 2. Allison, Maple Point, 3. Wilson, Lower Merion, 4. Zimmerman, Upper Merion, 5. Wajack, Tomsent 129-1

Javelin—1. DeFazio, Sun Valley, 2. Sweeney, Sun Valley, 3. Lisa Dehl, Downingtown, 4. McLaughlin, Upper Merion, 5. Cindy Carbone, Haverford 127-1

Team scoring—1. Wissahickon 27, 2. Pennridge 21, 3. (tie) Council Rock and Upper Dublin 14, 5. Sun Valley 12, 6. North Penn 11

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100-meter dash—1. Ware, VFMA, 2. Burwell, Garnet Valley, 3. Kyle Swarthmore, 4. Romeo Holy Ghost, 5. Burton, Derby Top 11.68

200-meter dash—1. Ware, VFMA, 2. Tom Nocho, Kennett, 3. Kyle Swarthmore, 4. Dean Lee, Kennett, 5. Tom Christal, Pottstown 23.98

400-meter dash—1. Glennon, Holy Ghost Prep, 2. Dixon, Bristol, 3. Gary Salvenda, Avon Grove, 4. Art Laskahe, Pottsgrove, 5. Brian Stotifus, Octorara 1:04.36

800-meter run—1. Fullamore, Sparan Hill, 2. King, Derby-Cole, 3. Baundestiel, Holy Ghost Prep, 4. Glenner, Holy Ghost Prep, 5. Swanson, Perkiomen Valley 2:30.95

1,600-meter run—1. Tom Nocho, Kennett, 2. Clark, Derby Top, 3. Fullamore, Sharon Hill, 4. Haney, Holy Ghost Prep, 5. Joe Logge, St. Pius X 5:30.82

3,200-meter run—1. Tony Yarger, St. Pius X, 2. Lande, Swarthmore, 3. Taylor, Swarthmore, 4. Fullamore, Sharon Hill, 5. Tony Wilson, Kennett 12:00.00

600-meter relay—1. Lande, Swarthmore, 2. Taylor, Swarthmore, 3. Jeff Turner, Unionville, 4. Pat Pollack, Oxford, 5. Mitchell, Sharon Hill 4:20.18

1,200-meter relay—1. Blawie, Sharon Hill, 2. Lehman, Garnet Valley, 3. Pat Pollack, Oxford, 4. Corey Stricklin, Unionville, 5. Ken Glah, Bishop Shanahan 9:38.20

400-meter relay—1. Derby-Cole, 2. Derby Top, 3. Unionville, 4. Octorara, 5. Holy Ghost 10:59.30

1,600-meter relay—1. Derby Top, 2. Holy Ghost, 3. Sharon Hill, 4. St. Pius, 5. Lansdale Catholic 3:20.11

3,200-meter relay—1. Sharon Hill, 2. Derby Top, 3. Kennett, 4. Park Valley, 5. Holy Ghost 8:22.0

Shot put—1. Hines, Derby Top, 2. Randy Lieberman, Unionville, 3. Kelly, Kennedy, 4. Scott Clay, Pottsgrove, 5. Chorazy, VFMA 52-2

Discus—1. McKoon, Sharon Hill, 2. Bill Elliot, Oxford 128-10

Javelin—1. John, Derby Top, 2. Kelly, Kennedy, 3. Kroun, Swarthmore 137-18

Triple jump—1. John McMillan, Avon Grove, 2. Staebell, Lansdale Cath, 3. Hyden, Derby Top, 4. Mantega, Garnet Valley, 5. Dean Lee, Kennett 44-6

Long jump—1. Lewis, Holy Ghost, 2. Andy Griffin, NCT, 3. John McMillan, Avon Grove, 4. (tie) Jeff Hyden, Octorara and Haverford Park Valley 21-7

Team scoring—1. Sharon Hill 87, 2. Swarthmore 62, 3. Derby Top 58, 4. Holy Ghost Prep 57.5, 5. Garnet Valley 36.5, 6. Oxford 35

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200-meter dash—1. Debbie Lewis, Avon Grove, 2. Lander, Yeadon, 3. Ashbury, Derby-Cole, 3. Patty Anderson, Avon Grove, 4. Martine, Perkiomen Valley 28.9

400-meter dash—1. Debbie Lewis, Avon Grove, 2. Kara Washington, NCT, 3. Linder, Yeadon, 4. Anne Toulon, Octorara, 5. Patty Anderson, Avon Grove 1:09.48

800-meter run—1. Kara Washington, NCT, 2. Renee Jarmon, Kennett, 3. Landman, Park Valley, 4. Donna McLannan, Oxford, 5. Martha Maurer, Octorara 1:09.27

1,600-meter run—1. Trisha Malachuk, Park Valley, 2. Dawn Plinke, Octorara, 3. Sue Hamlin, St. Pius X, 4. Jill Jamieson, Haverford, 5. Renee, Park Valley 3:38.67

3,200-meter run—1. Shmidt, Guymond Mercy, 2. Small, Notre Dame, 3. Malachuk, Park Valley, 4. Meyers, Garnet Valley, 5. Holly Charlton, Avon Grove 8:30.88

600-meter relay—1. Small, Notre Dame, 2. Schmitt, Guymond Mercy, 3. Wirth, Park Valley, 4. Rose Glah, Bishop Shanahan, 5. Janice Oswald, Great Valley 11:09

1,200-meter relay—1. Kickerbocker, Park Valley, 2. Burns, Swarthmore, 3. Bragg, Park Valley, 4. Conno, Park Valley, 5. Trent, Derby Top 13:24

400-meter relay—1. Avon Grove, 2. Park Valley, 3. Oxford, 4. Kennett, 5. Pottsgrove 31:50

1,600-meter relay—1. Park Valley, 2. Kennett, 3. Unionville, 4. Octorara, 5. Oxford 4:08.36

3,200-meter relay—1. Park Valley, 2. Garnet Valley, 3. Kennett, 4. Pottsgrove, 5. Unionville 9:42.97

High jump—1. Cindy Gebhard, Unionville 17-11

Triple jump—1. Janet McMillan, Avon Grove, 2. Malina Malachuk, Octorara, 3. Conno, Park Valley, 4. Lynn Thomas, Octorara 5. Alben, Swarthmore 43-8

Shot put—1. Martara, Park Valley, 2. Padde, Park Valley, 3. Terry, Derby Top, 4. Karen Dato, Unionville, 5. Gilbert, Garnet Valley 44-7.5

Discus—1. Marlene Elin, Avon Grove, 2. Owens, Park Valley, 3. Martara, Park Valley, 4. Gilbert, Garnet Valley, 5. Lorraine Durman, Oxford 99-3

Javelin—1. Boyd, Garnet Valley, 2. Beach, Swarthmore, 3. Laurer, Park Valley, 4. Bressman, NCT, 5. Pat Thompson, Octorara 106-1.125

Team scoring—1. Perkiomen Valley 126, 2. Avon Grove 79, 3. Unionville 68, 4. Octorara 60, 5. Garnet Valley 59, 6. Kennett 51, 7. NCT 22