

Leafs breeze to win Geneseo Invitational

This time, there was distance between Geneseo and the rest of the field.

Using two runaway wins in the hurdle shuttle relays, plus to individual wins and five second place finishes, Geneseo won its own Invitational Meet Monday night of this week.

The Leafs scored 83½ points to easily outdistance runnerup Galesburg, which scored 66 points, and Dixon, which totaled 60.

Rock Falls, Princeton, Ottawa, LaSalle-Peru, Kewanee and Streator rounded out the field.

Galesburg was still in the hunt near the end, trailing Geneseo by just six points entering the 480-yard low hurdle shuttle relay. The Silver Streaks had designs of winning that event, but the Leafs were having no part of it. Galesburg stayed with Geneseo for just one hurdle.

The Leaf quartet of Dennis Robertson, Bruce Borkgren, Kevin DeBlieck and Barry Roberts sped to victory in :56.0, which tied a six-year-old meet record set by another Geneseo foursome.

Relays counted 10 points to the winner, just two points for a fifth place finish, and fifth is what Galesburg got in this event. The Silver Streaks were never again in serious contention in the meet.

Geneseo won the 320-yard high hurdle shuttle relay by almost two seconds, but missed a meet record by three tenths of a second. Lance Hofer ran the third leg this time, with the usual group of Robertson.

offs on its first two exchanges, and the Silver Streaks gave anchor runner Greg Parmenter just enough of a lead to enable him to stay ahead of fast-closing Dave M. Anderson.

Galesburg clocked :44.8; the Leaf team of Dave "Red" Anderson, Jeff Chadd, Randy Russell and Dave M. Anderson were in at :44.9, their best of the season. Again, though, eight points in the event, and Geneseo outscored everyone in the two short sprint relays.

Galesburg won by a comfortable margin in the mile relay, but Leafs Brad Fleming, Dave Hillman, Russell and Red Anderson were right behind them, picking up eight more points.

Norm Singbush got a second in the high jump, and Russell was runnerup in the long jump.

Galesburg ran with Geneseo. The Leafs outscored Galesburg just 65-61 in the running events. But Geneseo had an 18½ to 5 edge in the field events.

Dixon outmuscled everyone, scoring 30 points in the field events. But, the Dukes don't feature abundant speed, as they could muster just 30 more points on the track.

Rock Falls sophomore sprinter Ted Nehr Korn won both the 100 and 220-yard dashes, but he had to come from behind both times to beat Galesburg's Greg Parmenter. Nehr Korn's times, :10.2 and :23.3, were winners this time, but for Nehr Korn, they're nothing extra special. Which means the other times weren't an special either.

4. D.M. Anderson, Gen. 5, Goetz, O. :23.3.

880-1, Jeff Workman, O. 2, Cortney, O. 3, Ellis, P. 4, Keith Kincaid, Gen. 5, Thompson, Ga. 2:00.6.

High jump-1, Paul Smith, D. 2, Norm Singbush, Gen. 3, tie, Mueller, LP., Theobald, B. and Davis, S. 6-2.

Discus-1, Tim Torchia, P. 2, Mienke, D. 3, Schaefer, O. 4, Nusbaum, D. 5, Hadsall, K. 152.5.

Long jump-1, Pat Isermann, S. 2, Randy Russell, G. 3, Wignall, Ga. 4, Dennis Robertson, Gen. 5, Berton, LP. 19-9½.

Frosh-soph 440 relay-1, Rock Falls (Jim McFadden, Randy Nehr Korn, Mike Wolf, Ted Nehr Korn). 2, Geneseo. 3, LaSalle-Peru. 4, Dixon. 5, Galesburg. :45.6. (Meet record).

Varsity 440 relay-1, Galesburg (Chris Wignall, Jeff Herr, LaRouque Allen, Greg Parmenter). 2, Geneseo. 3, Ottawa. 4, tie, Rock Falls and LaSalle-Peru. :44.8.

440-1, D.R. Anderson, G. 2, Irwin, RF. 3, Ellis, Ga. 4, Wilson, K. 5, Dan Carton, G. :51.6.

Shot put-1, Alec Mienke, D. 2, Nusbaum, D. 3, Rumley, P. 4, Fisher, Ga. 5, Rosene, P. 55-9.

880 relay-1, Galesburg (Greg Parmenter, Chris Wignall, Jeff Herr, LaRouque Allen). 2, LaSalle-Peru. 3, Geneseo. 4, Streator. 5, tie, Princeton and Ottawa. 1:34.7.

480-yard low hurdle shuttle-1, Geneseo (Robertson, Borkgren, Kevin DeBlieck, Roberts). 2, Dixon. 3, LaSalle-Peru. 4, Rock

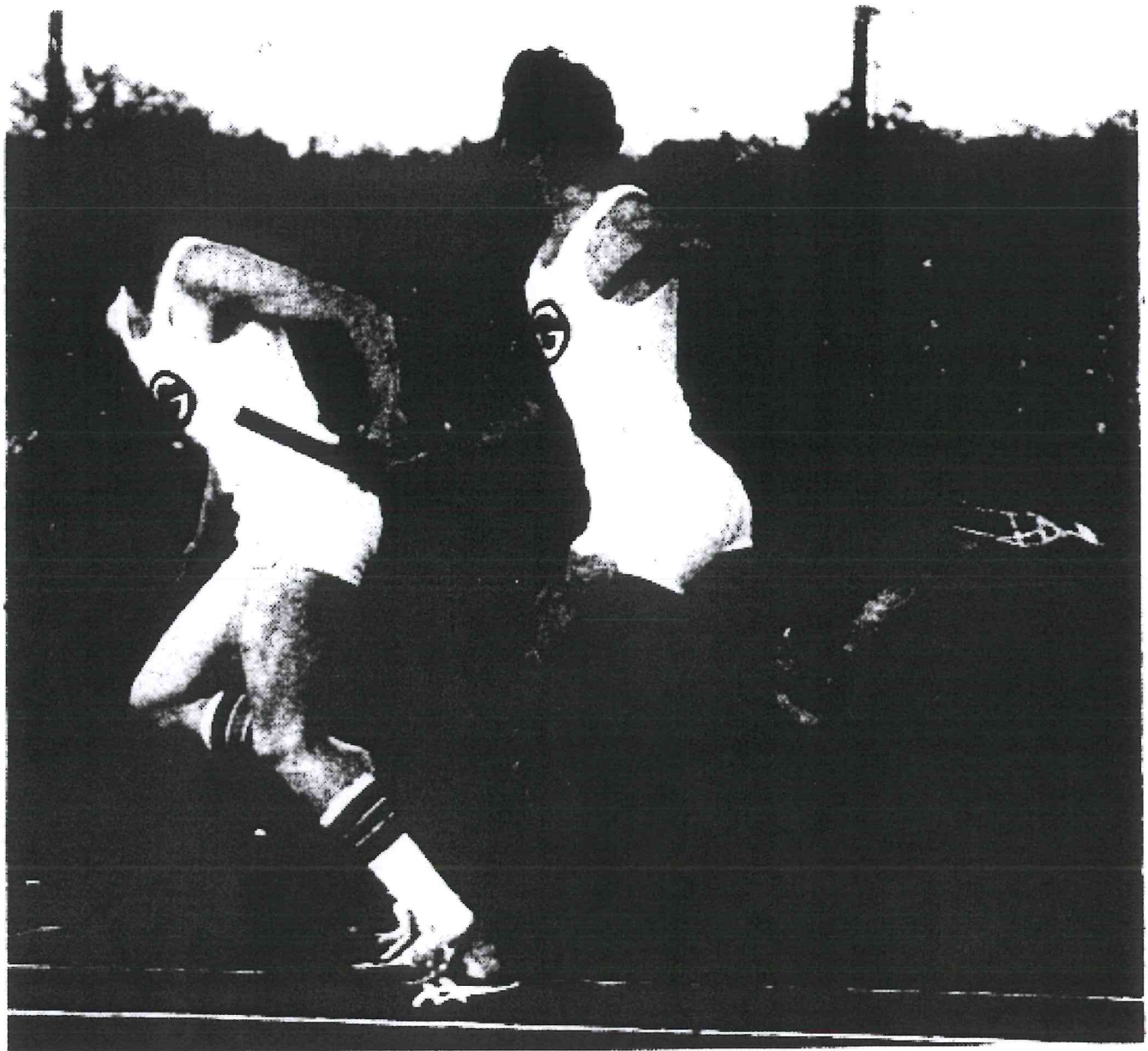
Falls. 5, Galesburg. :56.0. (Ties meet record).

Mile-1, Steve Arch. P. 2, Guibor, O. 3, Harshberger, Ga. 4, Martin, P. 5, Jackson, RF. 4:30.6.

Mile relay-1, Galesburg (Scott German, Ellis, Wignall, Parmenter). 2, Geneseo. 3, Rock Falls. 4, Ottawa. 5, Princeton. 3:29.4.

Pole vault-1, Kevin James, D. 2, Puckett, K. 3, tie, Bruce Borkgren, G. and Jones, P. 5, tie, Hogen, O. and Mighell, K. 13-0.

Triple jump-1, D.M. Anderson, G. 2, Pomije, LP. 3, Hart, K. 4, Maurimas, D. 5, Hernandez, S. 41-1¾.



Take that!

Geneseo's Jeff Chadd, left, sets to take the baton from Maple leaf teammate Scott Rink during Monday's Geneseo Invitational meet on the Leaf track.

— Republic photo by Kelly Reade

Geneseo didn't win this relay, but the Leafs did win the track meet, beating Galesburg 83½ to 66 for first place honors in the nine-team meet.



— Republic photo

Hard to catch

Rock Falls sophomore Ted Nehrkorn, left, is rarely caught by anyone in a sprint race, as Geneseo's Jeff Chadd, at right, will attest. Nehrkorn won the 220-yard dash in :23.2 in Monday's Geneseo Invitational meet, although he's gone

almost a full second faster than that in previous meets. Chadd has come on strong for Geneseo, and has a best of :23.6 in the event. Both sprinters will work Friday in the NCIC boys meet in Geneseo.

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GENESEO INVITATIONAL RESULTS

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1. Geneseo	83 1/2
2. Galesburg	66
3. Dixon	60
4. Rock Falls	48
5. Princeton	44 1/2
6. Ottawa	33 1/2
7. LaSalle-Peru	33
8. Kewanee	17 1/2
9. Streator	16

480 Yard Low Hurdle Shuttle Relay

1. Geneseo (Robertson, Borkgren, DeBlieck, Roberts)	56.0
2. Dixon	57.78
3. LaSalle-Peru	58.24
4. Rock Falls	58.26
5. Galesburg	58.7

320 High Hurdle Shuttle Relay

1. Geneseo (Robertson, Borkgren, Hofer, Roberts)	42.3
2. Dixon	44.05
3. Rock Falls	45.28
4. Princeton	45.66
5. Galesburg	46.1

440 Yard Varsity Relay

1. Galesburg (Wignall, Herr, Allen, Parmenter)	44.75
2. Geneseo	44.9
3. Ottawa	45.4
4. Rock Falls	45.5
5. LaSalle-Peru	45.5

440 Yard Fresh-Soph Relay

1. Rock Falls (McFadden, R. Nehr Korn, Wolf, T. Nehr Korn)	45.6
2. Geneseo	46.2
3. LaSalle-Peru	46.95
4. Dixon	47.3
5. Galesburg	48.56

880 Yard Relay

1. Galesburg (Parmenter, Wignall, Herr, Allen)	1:34.7
2. LaSalle-Peru	1:34.8
3. Geneseo	1:35.9
4. Streator	1:36.5
5. Princeton	1:38.8
5. Ottawa	1:38.8

TIE

One Mile Relay

1. Galesburg	3:29.4
2. Geneseo	3:32.3
3. Rock Falls	3:36.9
4. Ottawa	3:37.7
5. Princeton	3:38.5

100 Yard Dash

1. T. Nehr Korn (Rock Falls)	10.2
2. Parmenter (Galesburg)	10.3
3. Goetz (Ottawa)	10.6
4. D.R. Anderson (Geneseo)	10.7
5. Cox (Streator)	10.75

220 Yard Dash

1. Nehr Korn (Rock Falls)	23.29
2. Polmanter (Galesburg)	23.43
3. Mueller (LaSalle-Peru)	23.5
4. D.M. Anderson (Geneseo)	23.7
5. Goetz (Ottawa)	23.73

440 Yard Dash

1. D.R. Anderson (Geneseo)	51.6
2. Irwin (Rock Falls)	52.8
3. Ellis (Galesburg)	53.0
4. Wilson (Kewanee)	53.3
5. Carton (Geneseo)	53.35

880 Yard Run

1. Workman (Ottawa)	2:00.6
2. Cortney (Ottawa)	2:02.6
3. Ellis (Princeton)	2:03.8
4. Kincaid (Geneseo)	2:04.2
5. Thompson (Galesburg)	2:05.7

Mile Run

1. Arch (Princeton)	4:30.6
2. Guiber (Ottawa)	4:35.1
3. Harshbarger (Galesburg)	4:35.15
4. Martin (Princeton)	4:42.0
5. Jackson (Rock Falls)	4:43.7

Two Mile Run

1. Robbivs (Princeton)	10:08.5
2. Nevius (Dixon)	10:12.5
3. Christ (Kewanee)	10:20.7
4. Jackson (Rock Falls)	10:23.0
5. Anderson (Ottawa)	10:25.8

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Pole Vault

1. James (Dixon)	13'
2. Puckett (Kewanee)	12'6"
3. Borkgren (Geneseo)	12'
3. Jones (Princeton)	12'
5. Hogen (Ottawa)	11'6"
5. Mighell (Kewanee)	11'6"

Long Jump

1. Iserman (Streator)	19' 9 1/2"
2. Russell (Geneseo)	19' 9 1/2"
3. Wignall (Galesburg)	19' 6 3/4"
4. Robertson (Geneseo)	18' 7 1/4"
5. Berton (LaSalle-Peru)	18' 6"

Shot Put

1. Mienke (Dixon)	55' 9"
2. Nushbaum (Dixon)	51' 7"
3. Rumley (Princeton)	50' 10"
4. Fisher (Galesburg)	50' 8"
5. Rosene (Princeton)	50' 5 1/2"

Discus

1. Torchia (Princeton)	152' 5"
2. Mienke (Dixon)	148' 1"
3. Schaefer (Ottawa)	136' 2 1/2"
4. Nushbaum (Dixon)	135' 11"
5. Hadsall (Kewanee)	134' 1"

High Jump

1. Smith (Dixon)	6' 2"
2. Singbush (Geneseo)	6' 0"
3. Mueller (LaSalle-Peru)	5' 10"
3. Theobald (Streator)	5' 10"
3. Davis (Streator)	5' 10"

Triple Jump

1. D.M. Anderson (Geneseo)	41' 1 3/4"
2. Pomije (LaSalle-Peru)	39' 8 1/2"
3. Hart (Kewanee)	39' 8"
4. Mazrimas (Dixon)	39' 5"
5. Hernandez (Streator)	39' 4 1/4"