

# Listed are the State Final Results (for all events).

There are numerous pages.

Prelim results were not available.

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Place	School	Score	Coach
1	East St. Louis (Sr.)	37	Jimmy Lewis
2	Chicago (Brother Rice)	24	
2	Deerfield	24	
4	Evanston (Twp.)	23	
5	Dolton (Thornridge)	22	
5	Orland Park (Sandburg)	22	
7	Chicago (Calumet)	21	
8	Harvey (Thornton)	20	
9	Chicago (Farragut)	19	
10	Danville (H.S.)	18	John R. Eakle
10	Maywood (Proviso East)	18	

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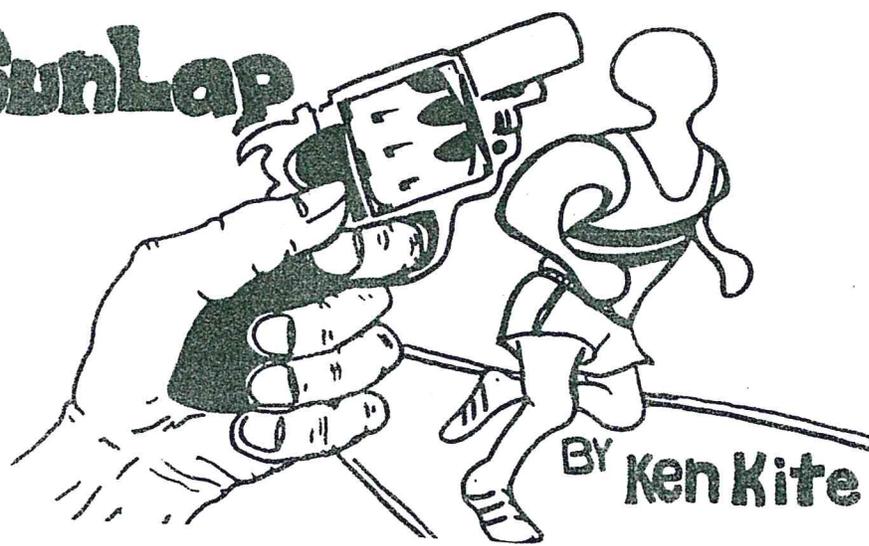
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Norm Singbush and Dave M. Anderson, J.D. Darnall high school juniors, participated in the Friday, May 26, state track meet at Charleston, but failed to qualify for the finals.

Singbush was eliminated in the high jump after he missed the opening height of 6' 3". Anderson recorded a distance of 44' 2" in the triple jump.

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## East St. Louis Wins 4th Straight

The East St. Louis Flyers won their fourth straight state Class AA track title with a winning total of 37 points. Unlike the Flyers' previous three wins, they did not dominate the relay events. In fact, they did not win one first place. This marks the first time since Alton, another East St. Louis area powerhouse, turned the trick in 1969.

The Flyers' four straight wins (including a tie with Bloom in 1977) ties the state mark for consecutive wins held by Bloom, 1956-57-58-59.

Despite the relatively large margin of victory, 37 points to 24 for Deerfield and Brother Rice, head coach James Lewis could not relax until the state of the final running event, the mile relay.

East St. Louis' title hopes suffered what could have been a death blow when their highly touted mile relay team was disqualified in their district meet. Another setback occurred when the Flyers premier hurdler, junior Steve Brown, false started in the low hurdle preliminaries.

But despite these two potentially damaging events and the lack of an individual state championship, the Flyers cruised to the victory.

The stage was set for the Flyers in the preliminary races where they advanced nine individuals and their 440 relay into Saturday's finals. Their ten qualifiers doubled the number of the nearest rival, Danville, who advanced five.

The Flyers' two best chances for individual state titles were in the 220 yard dash and the pole vault. Lloyd Pelly, a veteran of many state meet races, was the season long 220 favorite as his 21.7 was the regular season's best time while his 21.6 effort was the best effort in all the district meets. Unfortunately, Pelly was

unable to crack 22 seconds in the state meet but still raced to a respectable third place.

Larry James was Coach Lewis' other ace in the hole as he was the most consistent 15 foot vaulter in the state. His 15'0" district height was also the state's top state qualifying effort. James, however, dropped out at 14'9" and he had to settle for second place at 14'6".

The Flyers, however, scored in four other events including two places in the high hurdles and 100 yard dash to insure their win.

The Flyers' 440 relay of Greg Canada, Lloyd Pelly, David Pelly, and Auphrey Campbell raced to third in 42.40 seconds, just 0.07 seconds off their season best of 42.33 run in the preliminaries.

Tim Scott placed eighth in the long jump with a leap of 22'3 3/4".

The 100 yard dash and high hurdles were East St. Louis' best events. Auphrey Campbell and Lloyd Pelly ran fourth and sixth in the century with excellent times of 9.84 and 9.88 seconds, respectively. Steve Brown and Lorenzo Nicholson placed third and seventh in the 120 highs with fine times of 14.10 and 14.40, respectively.

Both Campbell and Brown who were finalists in their respective events a year ago are juniors.

The Flyers had two other finalists who although did not score still performed well. Vince Allen and James Melton, a sophomore and junior, high jumped 6'6" but finished out of the scoring.

Coach Lewis was especially pleased with this win, commenting, "This is definitely a sweet victory for us because we had to overcome two big obstacles. At the district, our mile relay team on whom we had always depended to clinch the title, was out. I was afraid psychologically that we would be down for the state meet.

"I was doubly worried when our 330 hurdler was disqualified on a false start. But the kids performed as a team as they always had."

Asked about a fifth title, Lewis was restrained but none the less looking forward to next year as he said, "I don't know about building a dynasty. Give us another year."



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Brother Rices Lamar Summer hits the finish tape first in the AA 440 yard relay. BR ran a 42.15 to narrowly beat Chicago King who ran 42.36. East St. Louis Sr. was third, Chicago Calumet was fourth and Danville finished fifth. [Staff photo].

**FINAL CLASS AA TEAM STANDINGS**

East St. Louis (Sr.)	37
Deerfield	24
Chicago (Brother Rice)	24
Evanston (Twp.)	23
Dolton (Thornridge)	22
Orland Park (Sandburg)	22
Chicago (Calumet)	21
Harvey (Thornton)	20
Chicago (Farragut)	19
Danville (H.S.)	18
Maywood (Proviso East)	18
Glen Ellyn (Glenbard West)	16.5
Chicago (King)	16
Kankakee (Westview)	16
Waukegan (West)	14
DeKalb	13
North Chicago	13
Wheaton-Warrenville	13
Hinsdale (Central)	11
Minooka	11
Oak Park-River Forest	10
East St. Louis (Lincoln)	10
Oak Lawn (Comm.)	10
Sycamore	10
Chicago (Lindblom)	10
Chicago (Luther North)	10
Bensenville (Fenton)	10
Elgin (H.S.)	10
Chalreston	8
Chicago Hts. (Bloom)	8
Batavia	8
Chicago (Tilden)	8
Elk Grove	8
Joliet E (East)	8
Urbana (H.S.)	8
Rolling Meadows (H.S.)	8
Chicago (Phillips)	7
Palatine (H.S.)	7
Springfield (Griffin)	7
Waukegan (East)	7
Lombard (Glenbard East)	6
Wheaton (North)	6
Chicago (Kenwood)	6
Sterling (H.S.)	5
Moline	5
Palatine (Fremd)	5
Chicago Hts. (Bloom Trail)	5
Darien (Hinsdale South)	5
Champaign (Central)	5
Springfield (Southeast)	5
Streator (Twp.)	4
Chicago (Mendal)	4
Peoria (Richwoods)	4
Oswego	4
East Moline (United)	4
Buffalo Grove	4
Springfield (Lanphier)	4
Chicago (Leo)	3
Park Ridge (Maine East)	3
Stanford (Olympia)	3
Elmhurst (York)	3
Rock Island (H.S.)	3
Princeton	2
Hillside (Proviso West)	2
Wilmette (Loyola)	2
Aurora (West)	2
Naperville (North)	2
Rock Island (Alleman)	2
Centralia	2
Decatur (MacArthur)	2
Rockford (West)	1
Peoria (Manual)	1
Belleville (West)	1
Hoffman Estates (Conant)	.5

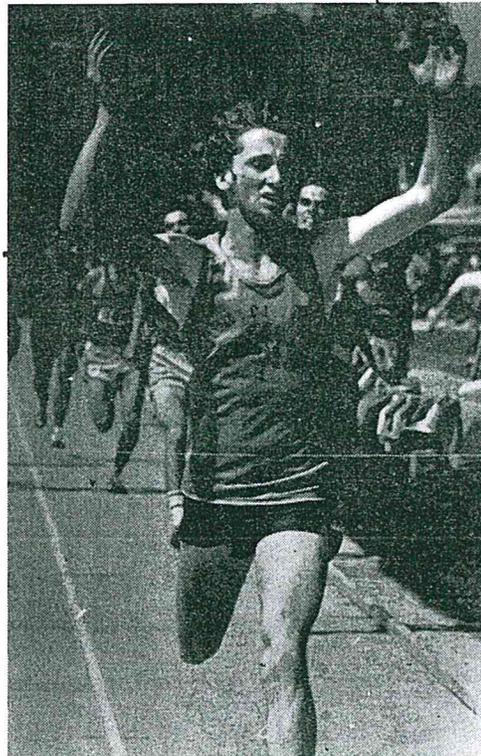


Proviso East's Darren Pearson gives it everything he's got to help his team win the AA mile relay title. Missing the Illinois All-time best by a mere fraction of a second, the team from Maywood clocked a 3:17.15. [Staff photo by Dean Rutz].



Mike Jackson of Blue Mound, a junior, acknowledges the applause of the crowd after winning the A 880 in 1:54.24. [Staff photo]

Brad Muae, one of a number of juniors that won state titles, won the A mile.



**FINAL CLASS A TEAM STANDINGS**

Robinson	35
Madison	32
St. Anne	31
Gibson City	28
Casey	25
Rushville	24
Riverton	18
Peru (St. Bede)	18
Spring Valley (Hall)	18
Highland (St. Paul)	16
Saunemin	15
Rochester	14
Fulton	14
Bridgeport (Red Hill)	14
Blue Mound	14
Taylor Ridge (Rockridge)	13
Chicago (University High)	13
Buda-Sheffield (Western)	12
Chicago (Luther South)	12
Hoopeston-East Lynn	12
Pana	11
Melrose Park (Walther Lutheran)	11
St. Jacob (Triad)	11
Breese (Mater Dei)	10
Wilmington	10
Aurora (Central Catholic)	10
Roanoke-Benson	10
Metropolis	9
Mahomet-Seymour	9
Sherrard	8
Neoga	8
Danville (Schlarman)	8
Oregon	8
Carlinville	8
Industry	8
Farmer City-Mansfield	8
Anna-Jonesboro	6
Decatur (St. Teresa)	6
Arthur	6
LeRoy	6
Staunton	6
Farmington (F. East)	6
Normal (Univ.)	5
Morrison	5
Paxton	5
Amboy	5
Bismarck-Henning	5
Carterville	4
DuQuoin	4
Colfax (Octavia)	4
Burlington (Central)	4
Lebanon	4
Chicago (Providence-St. Mel)	4
Westville	4
Aurora (Marmion)	3
Niantic-Harristown	3
Sciota (Northwestern)	3
Forreston	3
Lomboard (Montini)	3
Elmwood	3
Winchester	3
Lewistown	3
Hardin (Calhoun)	2
Peoria Hts.	2
Lawrenceville	2
Astoria	2
Winnebago	2
Monmouth (H.S.)	1
Ashton	1
Prophetstown	1
Fairfield	1
Tiskilwa	1
Byron	1
Raymond (Lincolnwood)	.5
Malta	.5
Kewanee (Wethersfield)	.5
Pinckneyville	.5



Lloyd Pelly, David Pelly, Aурphey Campbell, Greg Canada.



The East St. Louis Flyers.

# Flyers State Track Champions

BY STANFORD SCOTT

As expected, the E. St. Louis Flyers won the Illinois State Class 2A Track Title at Charleston, Illinois. Coach Jimmy Lewis' powerful squad used its phenomenal depth to win their fourth consecutive State Title to join Chicago Heights Bloom as the only two Illinois schools to accomplish this feat.

The Flyers Express also joined Alton as the only schools to win a State Title without a first place finish. There had been some concern regarding the Flyers ability to defend their title. After all, the Flyers had used their relay team in the past as the corner stone to their victories and this year only their 440 relay had qualified. But, as usual, the Flyers were true to the test as they picked up points here and there to bring home the title once again.

Whereas the Flyers faithfuls had expected their first places in the pole vault and 220 and possibly the 440 relay, other flyers came through for the always important unexpected points to offset the lack of first place finishes.

Going into Fridays' preliminaries Dolton Thornridge was a co-favorite with the Flyers; Danville and Evanston as dark horses. Thornridge had qualified the same number of individuals as the Flyers plus



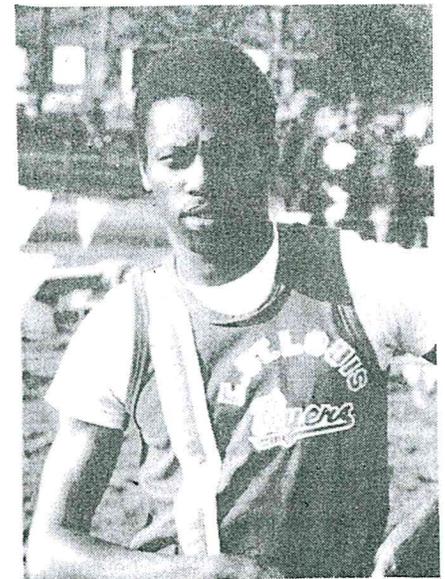
Jimmy Lewis—Coach East St Louis Senior High.

three relay teams. Following Fridays' preliminaries, the Flyers were clear favorites as Thornridge fell by the wayside.

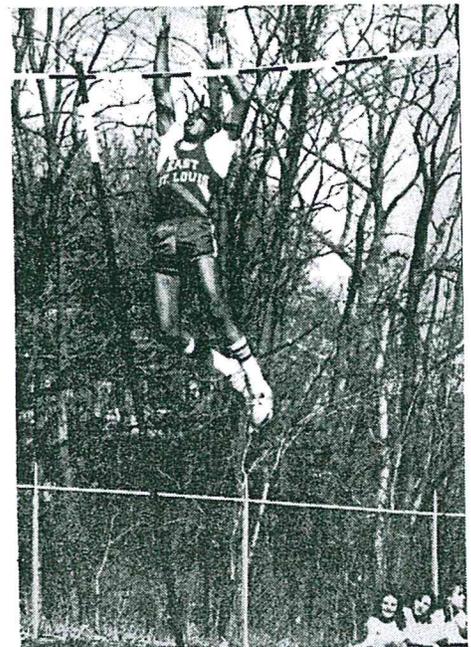
Tim Scott scored the Flyers first point with an eighth place in the long jump. Scott jumped a season best of 22'3 3/4". The Flyers 440 relay foursome of Greg Canada, Lloyd Pelly, David Pelly and Aурphey Campbell finished third (42.40) for six more points. Larry James added eight more points with his second place finish in the pole vault (14-6) to give the Flyers a lead they never relinquished. The Flyers picked up eight more points in the 120 high hurdles from Steve Brown (3rd-14.10) and Lorenzo Nicholson (7th-14.40). Aурphey Campbell (4th-9.84) and Lloyd Pelly (6th-9.88) increased the lead with eight more points in the 100 yard dash and Lloyd Pelly (3rd-22.33) nailed down the victory in the 220-yard dash.

The Flyers finished with 37 points to co-runner up's Deerfield and Chicago Brother Rice with 24 points each.

The Lincoln Tigers finished down in the field with ten points as Alfrederic Joyner placed third in the triple jump with a season best leap of 48-0 1/4 and the two mile relay team of James Scott, Broderick Fields, Reginald McClure and Anthony White came in fifth with their best time of the season (7:53.91).



Lloyd Pelly—100, 220, 440 Relay East St Louis Senior High.



Larry James—Pole Vault East St Louis Senior High.

# 1977-78 (AA)

## 100-yard dash

Place	Name	School	Mark
1	Steve Turner	Chicago (Lindblom)	:09.74
2	Vincent Jones	Chicago (Tilden)	
3	Lamar Summers	Chicago (Brother Rice)	
4	Auphrey Campbell	East St. Louis (Sr.)	
5	Jeff Patnaude	Wheaton (W.-Warrenville)	
6	Lloyd Pelly	East St. Louis (Sr.)	
7	Carlos Gonzales	Aurora (West)	
8	Clemon Bowens	Rockford (West)	

## 220-yard dash

Place	Name	School	Mark
1	Jim Smith	Kankakee (Westview)	:22.14
2	Lamar Summers	Chicago (Brother Rice)	
3	Lloyd Pelly	East St. Louis (Sr.)	
4	Eugene Lidell	Chicago (King)	
5	Jeff Patnaude	Wheaton (W.-Warrenville)	
6	Alvin Palmar	Chicago (Mendel)	
7	Derrick Green	Decatur (MacArthur)	
1	Jim Smith	Kankakee (Westview)	:22.14
2	Lamar Summers	Chicago (Brother Rice)	
3	Lloyd Pelly	East St. Louis (Sr.)	
4	Eugene Lidell	Chicago (King)	
5	Jeff Patnaude	Wheaton (W.-Warrenville)	
6	Alvin Palmar	Chicago (Mendel)	
7	Derrick Green	Decatur (MacArthur)	

## 440-yard dash

Place	Name	School	Mark
1	Tony Adams	Elgin (H.S.)	:48.03
2	Derek Peebles	Chicago (Calumet)	
3	Roosevelt Hudson	Chicago (Kenwood)	
4	Darren Pearson	Maywood (Proviso East)	
5	Larnell Farmer	Waukegan (West)	
6	Shaun Cooper	Danville (H.S.)	
7	Artis Yancey	Waukegan (East)	
8	Kevin Watson	Springfield (Lanphier)	

## 880-yard run

Place	Name	School	Mark
1	Jim Spivey	Bensenville (Fenton)	1:50.28
2	Maurice Street	Chicago (Farragut)	
3	Tom Clennon	Minooka	
4	Tom Stevens	Deerfield	
5	Anton Smits	Oak Park (O.P.-River Forest)	
6	Al Strunk	Elmhurst (York)	
7	Garron Grigsby	Rock Island (Alleman)	
8	Tom Ross	Palatine (Fremd)	

## 1-mile run

Place	Name	School	Mark
1	Tom Graves	Orland Park (Sandburg)	4:09.37
2	Todd McCallister	Deerfield	
3	Mark McCallister	Deerfield	
4	Tom Clennon	Minooka	
5	John Sullivan	Dolton (Thornridge)	
6	Pat Cross	Sterling (H.S.)	
7	Mike Choffin	Orland Park (Sandburg)	
8	Bob Weilmuenster	Belleville (West)	

## 2-mile run

Place	Name	School	Mark
1	Tom Graves	Orland Park (Sandburg)	9:06.91
2	Jim Galen	Dolton (Thornridge)	
3	Tom Johnson	Palatine (H.S.)	
4	Keith Hampton	Deerfield	
5	Brian Kinman	East Moline (United)	
6	Brad Gair	Springfield (Griffin)	
7	Jay Rutherford	Glen Ellyn (Glenbard West)	
8	Charles Elliott	Palatine (H.S.)	

## 120-yard high hurdles

Place	Name	School	Mark
1	Bob McGee	Evanston (Twp.)	:13.36
2	John McCloughan	Elk Grove Village (E.G.)	
3	Steve Brown	East St. Louis (Sr.)	
4	Mark Wilson	Springfield (Southeast)	
5	Tyrone Jenkins	North Chicago	
6	Chris Martin	Maywood (Proviso East)	
7	Lorenzo Nicholson	East St. Louis (Sr.)	
8	Kevin Jones	Springfield (Lanphier)	

### 330-yard low hurdles

Place	Name	School	Mark
1	Vic Shockey	Hinsdale (Central)	:36.25
2	Bob McGee	Evanston (Twp.)	
3	Mark Rau	Glen Ellyn (Glenbard West)	
4	Tyrone Jenkins	North Chicago	
5	Chris Hilvert	Buffalo Grove	
6	Tim Sparkman	Rock Island (H.S.)	
7	David Patrick	Centralia	

### 440-yard relay

Place	School (& Relay Members)	Mark
1	Chicago (Brother Rice) <i>Frank Fortini, Brian Jennings, Lamar Summers, Tim Trahey</i>	:42.15
2	Chicago (King)	
3	East St. Louis (Sr.)	
4	Chicago (Calumet)	
5	Danville (H.S.)	
6	Chicago Heights (Bloom Trail)	

### 1-mile relay

Place	School (& Relay Members)	Mark
1	Maywood (Proviso East) <i>Stephen King, Mike Nettles, Darren Pearson, Tim Stampley</i>	3:17.15
2	Chicago (Calumet)	
3	Chicago (Phillips)	
4	Waukegan (East)	
5	Waukegan (West)	
6	Chicago (Farragut)	
7	Glen Ellyn (Glenbard West)	
8	Danville (H.S.)	

### 2-mile relay

Place	School (& Relay Members)	Mark
1	Dolton (Thorndridge) <i>Dave Everts, Jeff Heath, Ken Lee, John Sullivan</i>	7:47.81
2	Chicago (Farragut)	
3	Oak Park (O.P.-River Forest)	
4	Moline (H.S.)	
5	East St. Louis (Lincoln)	
6	Charleston	
7	Princeton	
8	Chicago (Mendel)	

## high jump

Place	Name	School	Mark
1	Gail Olson	Sycamore (H.S.)	7-2
2	Tyke Peacock	Urbana (H.S.)	
3	Ed Foreman	Lombard (Glenbard East)	
4	Jim Sokolowski	Darien (Hinsdale South)	
5	Tim Fox	Peoria (Richwoods)	
6	Mike McErlean	Chicago (Leo)	
7	Greg Newquist	Chicago Heights (Bloom Trail)	
8	Jim Cleworth	Hinsdale (Central)	

## pole vault

Place	Name	School	Mark
1	Matt Stewart	DeKalb	14-9
2	Larry James	East St. Louis (Sr.)	
3	Mike Noland	Glen Ellyn (Glenbard West)	
4	Bob Zebe	Champaign (Central)	
5	Dennis Bell	Oswego (H.S.)	
6	John Blus	Park Ridge (Maine East)	
7	Tim Reynolds	Wilmette (Loyola Academy)	
8t	Phil Smith	Glen Ellyn (Glenbard West)	
8t	Brett Anderson	Hoffman Estates (Conant)	

## long jump

Place	Name	School	Mark
1	Duane Bibbie	Harvey (Thornton)	24-3 $\frac{1}{4}$
2	Mike Bell	Danville (H.S.)	
3	Glenn Davidson	Kankakee (Westview)	
4	Andre Dixon	Chicago Heights (Bloom Twp.)	
5	Eric Isermann	Streator (Twp.)	
6	James Gage	Chicago (King)	
7	Walt Divers	Sterling (H.S.)	
8	Tim Scott	East St. Louis (Sr.)	

## triple jump

Place	Name	School	Mark
1	Duane Bibbie	Harvey (Thornton)	49-3 $\frac{1}{4}$
2	Tim Herring	Joliet (East)	
3	Al Joyner	East St. Louis (Lincoln)	
4	Steve Carter	Evanston (Twp.)	
5	Mark Phelps	North Chicago	
6	Andre Dixon	Chicago Heights (Bloom Twp.)	
7	Mike Bell	Danville (H.S.)	
8	Larry Streeter	Chicago (Phillips)	

Place	Name	School	Mark
1	Mike Lehmann	Oak Lawn (Community)	63-6 $\frac{3}{4}$
2	Scott Jennings	Rolling Meadows	
3	Gerald Green	Waukegan (West)	
4	Tom Fieweger	Wheaton (W.-Warrenville)	
5	Marty Finis	Palatine (Fremd)	
6	Doug Krahenbuhl	DeKalb	
7	Milo Despinich	Hillside (Proviso West)	
8	Tim Barbian	Springfield (Lanphier)	

discus throw

Place	Name	School	Mark
1	Rich Behnke	Chicago (Luther North)	171-11
2	Duane Kramer	Batavia	
3	Bruce Williams	Wheaton (North)	
4	Anthony Cox	Charleston	
5	Kurt Simmons	East Moline (United)	
6	Keith Crawford	Stanford (Olympia)	
7	Steve Pribramsky	Naperville (North)	
8	Joe Moton	Peoria (Manual)	