

Geneseo finishes in ninth at district meet

By Jerry Reedy

Kevin DeBlieck, Bruce Borkgren and Barry Roberts gave it their best shot. Yet, none of the trio will be traveling to Charleston for the state track meet. Dave Mitchell, Jeff Renihan, Sander Peterson, Keith Kincaid, Brad Fleming, Dave Paxson and Dan Carton won't be going either. All placed at the Friday, May 18 district at Sterling, yet didn't reach state qualifications.

Of the ten young men: DeBlieck, Borkgren and Roberts came the closest to a state trip. DeBlieck finished third in the 330 low hurdles but his time was not fast enough to qualify. Time also stopped Borkgren in the pole vault and Roberts in the 120 high hurdles, who came in fourth.

As for the other six, comprising two relay teams with the addition of DeBlieck Mitchell, Renihan, Peterson, Kincaid teamed up for the two mile relay and garnered a fourth place. Dave Paxson, Brad Fleming, Kevin DeBlieck and Dan Carton took fifth place in the mile relay.

Overall, Geneseo placed ninth with 13 points.

Roberts, Geneseo, :15.0. (Record — :14.5 by Gilman, Fulton, 1961. Snyder, East Moline, 1971; Johnson, Moline, 1978.) (Top 3 qualify).

Pole Vault — 1. Andy Geiger, Sterling, 14-0. 2. Kevin James, Dixon, 14-0. 3. Bruce Borkgren, Geneseo, 12-6. 5. John Roche, Moline, 12-6 and Dean Fletcher, East Moline, 12-6. (Top 2 qualify).

880 yard run — 1. Garron Grigsby, Alleman, 1:55.59. 2. Todd Hunsberger, Sterling, 1:57.40. 4. Terry Schwabe, Moline, 1:59.20. (Top 2 qualify).

880 relay — 1. East Moline (Eric Walker, Marcel Reasby, Mark Shields, Andre Cuerrington), 1:30.04. 2. Sterling, 1:30.7. 3. Moline, 1:30.83. 4. LaSalle-Peru, 1:31.06. (Top 4 qualify).

440 dash — 1. Dave Swords, Rock Falls, :51.43. 2. Marcel Reasby, East Moline, :51.52. 3. Gary Ellis, Galesburg. 4. Doug Wyatt, Moline. (Top 2 qualify).

330 low hurdles — 1. Rob Johnson, Moline, :38.09. 2. Mike Wolf, Rock Falls, :39.60. 3. Kevin DeBlieck, Geneseo. 4. Barry Roberts, Geneseo. 5. Larry Parmentier, Moline. (Top 2 qualify).

220 dash — 1. Rob Johnson, Moline, :21.93. 2. Bob Mueller, LaSalle-Peru, :22.20. 3. Ted Nehrkorn, Rock Falls, :22.39. 4. Preston Howze, Sterling, :22.41. 5. Cuerrington, East Moline, :22.47. (All qualify).

Mile run — 1. Bob Smith, Rock Island, 4:27.95. 2. Jeff Honert, East Moline, 4:28.58. 3. Garon Grigsby, Alleman, 4:28.59. 4. Tom Lawrence, Moline. 5. Kevin Williams, Kewanee. (Top 2 qualify).

Mile relay — 1. Moline (Scott Holcomb, Doug Wyatt, Ron Ende, Tony Jones), 3:24.80. 2. Sterling, 3:26.05. 3. Galesburg, 3:27.30. 4. East Moline, 3:28.59. 5. Geneseo, 3:29.88. (Top 2 qualify).

I.H.S.A. BOYS' DISTRICT TRACK MEET
May 18, 1979

- HIGH JUMP - 1) Darren Butler, East Moline, 6'3"; 2) Gerald Harland, Kewanee and Lee Jomant, Rock Falls, 6'3"; 4) Lloyd Fletcher, East Moline, 6'3"; 5) Mark Holmes, Moline; Carl Stamp, Moline; and Mike Eckhardt, Rock Island, 5'11"
- SHOT PUT - 1) Al Meinke, Dixon, 56'9-1/2"; 2) Jon Schaefer, Ottawa, 55'3"; 3) Adam Lingner, Alleman, 53'1-1/2"; 4) John Carl, Sterling, 53'1/4"; 5) Marty Ballard, East Moline, 49'9-3/4"
- TRIPLE JUMP - 1) Tony Jones, Moline, 46'5-1/4"; 2) Dwayne Shine, Rock Island, 45'2-1/2"; 3) Mike Conrad, LaSalle-Peru, 44'8"; 4) Doug McCoy, Sterling, 44'2"; 5) Greg Colberg, Sterling, 42'6-1/2" (New Record: Old Record - 46'1-1/4" by Sterlynn Berry, East Moline, 1977)
- LONG JUMP - 1) Tony Jones, Moline, 22'10-1/2"; 2) Adam Graham, Moline, 21'9-3/4"; 3) Mark Meadows, Rock Island, 21'6"; 4) Todd Caxr, Sterling, 21'3-1/4"; 5) Dan Durbin, Streator, 21'1-1/2"
- TWO MILE RELAY - 1) Sterling (Brian Rude, Gordon Gates, Mark Waller, Todd Hmsberger), 7:58.28; 2) Rock Island (Dave Newberry, Brian Gottwalt, Terry Brown, Jim Coster), 8:04.65; 3) East Moline (Dave Ziegler, Jeff Honert, Miguel Laxe, Jerry Hoffman), 8:05.75; 4) Geneseo (Dave Mitchell, Jeff Renihan, Sander Peterson, Keith Kincaid), 8:18.72; 5) Ottawa (Kirk Hawthorne, Kim Hawthorne, Ed Bartlett, Dave Anderson), 8:27.19 (New Record: Old Record - 7:58.9 by Princeton (Ellis, Miller, Martin, Arch), 1978)
- DISCUS - 1) Al Meinke, Dixon, 164'5"; 2) Jerry Lauex, Mendota, 157'; 3) Adam Lingner, Alleman, 156'3"; 4) Mark Holmes, Moline, 149'10"; 5) Mark Stinson, Galesburg, 148'8"
- 440 YARD RELAY - 1) Moline (Larry Parmentier, Ron Ende, Scott Holcomb, Bob Johnson), 42.95; 2) East Moline (Todd Holman, Marcel Reasby, Eric Walker, Andre Guerington), 43.02; 3) LaSalle-Peru (Bob Peterlin, Dan Patterson, Mike Glupczynski, Bob Mueller), 43.37; 4) Rock Falls (Dave Keime, Randy Nehrkorn, Mike Wolf, Ted Nehrkorn), 43.66; 5) Sterling (Doug McCoy, Mike Mellott, Matt Howze, Preston Howze), 43.68
- TWO MILE RUN - 1) Mark Nevius, Dixon, 9:47.25; 2) Jim Seavey, Sterling, 9:49.43; 3) Cecil Crist, LaSalle-Peru, 9:53.31; 4) Mark Pirmann, East Moline, 9:53.33; 5) Ron Thompson, Ottawa, 9:55.83
- 100 YARD DASH - 1) Ted Nehrkorn, Rock Falls, 10.22; 2) Bob Mueller, LaSalle-Peru, 10.26; 3) Eric Reed, Rock Island, 10.28; 4) Andre Guerington, East Moline, 10.30; 5) Matt Howze, Sterling, 10.44
- 120 YARD HIGH HURDLES - 1) Bob Johnson, Moline, 14.32; 2) Tony Jones, Moline, 14.74; 3) Eric Walker, East Moline, 14.75; 4) Barry Roberts, Geneseo, 15.0; 5) Mike Wolfe, Rock Falls, 15.33 (New Record: Old Record - 14.5 by Gliman, Fulton, 1961; Snyder, East Moline, 1971; Johnson, Moline, 1978)