

WELCOME

The BELLAIRE RELAYS extend to your fine school a cordial invitation to enter your track & field team in our annual BELLAIRE RELAYS.

We are happy to report that our meet which is contested at Nelson Field on the last Saturday of April, is now known as "one of the two largest track & field meets in the State of Ohio."

This brochure contains general information relating to the BELLAIRE RELAYS, namely, time schedule, awards, results of past meets, records, photographs, regulations, and other valuable data. An entry blank is enclosed for your convenience.

"Ask Someone Who's Been There"

CONGRATULATIONS

We congratulate Lawrence Central of Indianapolis, Indiana who took home the championship trophy last year after a fine performance.

Congratulations again, and good luck this year.

CHARLES MARTIN
Starter



CLARENCE HEBURN
Chief Inspector



PAT McMILLIN
Referee



JOE GILL
Asst. Referee



BUD KEYSER
Founder



STANLEY OSTASIEWSKI Honorary Referee

1979

“Silver Anniversary”

BELLAIRE RELAYS



Stanley Ostasiewski, a member of Bellaire's Business Community for over 50 years, is recognized this year for his consistent support of the Bellaire Relays through each of its twenty five years of growth.

His interest in athletics, his promotional abilities and sound judgment have provided behind the scenes direction to many who have labored with the events.

Those most intimately associated with the Bellaire Relays over the years remember Stanley for having given an appropriate prod, a well deserved reprimand, or an original idea to those in need.

Others involved with the relays recall that Stanley co-founded the Annual Coaches' Party - now an integral part of the event and well remembered by coaches everywhere; and that many of the annual trophy donors were originally solicited by Stanley - making possible many of the thousands of awards given over the years. Further, it was this year's Honorary Referee who introduced official synchronized Longines Timers, and more recently electronic timers, to the event - thus permitting recognition of records set on the track.

While Stanley Ostasiewski is remembered and honored for these and other contributions, he is also thanked by all who served on the 25 Bellaire Relay Committees for having provided his place of business for informal committee meetings at all hours, on any day, for twenty-five years.

Outstanding feature of this years Relays is the newly resurfaced track with its 8 lane straight away for the 100 meter dash and our 110 meter High Hurdles.



Aerial View of All Weather Track at Nelson Field

1955	Bud Keyser
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1957	Calvin Giffin
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1960	Fred Volleman
1961	Jack Teasdale
1962	Harry Bell
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1965	Ed Jackson
1966	John Clark
1967	Fred Volleman
1968	Joe Gill
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1972	William Marinacci
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1978	George Richardson

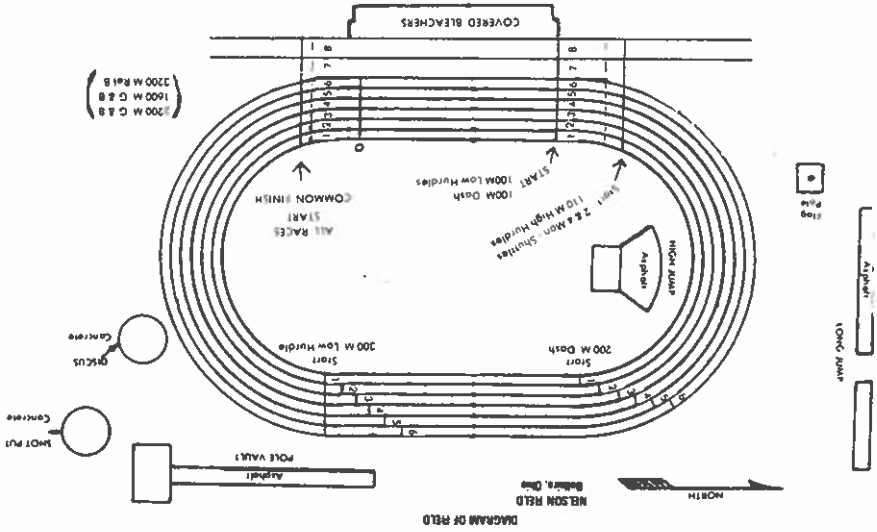
PAST BELLAIRE RELAYS CHAIRMEN

1959	Rev. J. S. Richards
1960	Wm. J. McGraw
1961	Gov. James Rhodes
1962	Dr. W. J. Shephard
1963	W. J. McConnell
1964	Jos. V. Mack
1965	Paul Warfield
1966	Stephen Polinsky
1967	George L. Rider
1968	F. N. Reinbolt
1969	Wayne L. Hayes
1970	Nick Sabatina
1971	Sim Earich
1972	Harry Bell
1973	John Niemiec
1974	Ken Howell
1975	Bud Keyser
1976	Warren Pugh
1977	Joe Gill
1978	Dr. C. O. Messerly

REFeree	OHio State	PAT McWILLIN
ASST. REFeree	Bellaire	JOE GILL
STARTER	Cleveland	CHARLES MARTIN
ASST. STARTER	Ohio U.	ED DAVIS
CHIEF TIMER	Bellaire	JOHN CLARK
CHIEF OF FINISH	St. Clairsville	SAM WUMLEY, JR.
HEAD INSPECTOR	Bellaire	CLARENCE HEBURN
CLERK	W. V. U.	DON MILLER
CLERK	Ohio State	JERRY NARCISI
CLERK	Muskingum	ROGER BEST
CLERK	Bellaire	JOE RIPOY
CLERK	Ohio U.	DAVE CRUNELLE
CLERK	Ashland	BILL PORTERFIELD
CLERK	Ohio Northern	JOHN SNIVELY

MEET OFFICIALS

All Races to be timed by HEUER ELECTRONIC MICROSPILT STOPWATCHES
Bought From STANLEY'S JEWELERS



LOCATION: Nelson Field - 26th Street, Bellaire, Ohio

TRACK: All weather 400 Meter Track. Track was resurfaced by Humphrey and Hansen in 1978.

SCORING: Six places will count 10 - 8 - 6 - 4 - 2 - 1

SPIKES: One fourth of one inch maximum - NO NEEDLE NOSE SPIKES.

The area adjacent to the finish line will be fenced off and contestants found in this area will cause his teammates to be disqualified. The finish line officials must have a good view at all times.

A medical facility will be located at the North End of the field and available to all teams. This area will be supervised by the Bellaire Emergency Squad.

All relays will be run against time.

Relay Exchanges: The 800 and 400 meter sprint relay will be run in lanes and the team will exchange batons in their respective lanes. In all other relays, the California exchange will be used and the teams will be placed in position of the incoming runner.

Restrictions:

1. No boy can compete in more than four events.
2. The relays shall be counted as track events.

Shot put and discus will be thrown from cement. All other field event areas are of asphalt. **Soft rubber shoes or 2 inch spikes accepted.**

The shot put and discus will be run in flights according to the best distances. All schools entering teams in our relays must abide by the rules and regulations adopted by OHSAA.

HOUSING

Visiting teams coming over 150 air miles will be provided lodging in private homes. We are sorry but we must limit lodging to the first 12 teams, therefore, it is to your advantage to send in your entry blank early. Housing request must be postmarked no later than April 18, 1978. All later applications will not be accepted. A maximum of 20 per team will be accommodated. Your team will be fed upon arrival at the school cafeteria Friday evening before 6:30 at a charge of \$1.00 a meal and will be entertained as our special guest that night in a variety of different ways. They will be given their breakfast on Saturday Morning and then transported to the stadium.

HEADQUARTERS

Bellaire High School Gym-Auditorium located at 35th and Belmont Sts., Bellaire, Ohio. Ample room for car and bus parking.

ENTRY FEE

There will be an entry fee of \$1.00 for each boy that is entered in the meet. Checks for the total amount should be made to the Bellaire Relays Committee and enclosed with your official entry blank.

Coaches and Administrators will be guests of the Big Reds Touchdown Club at a smoker, Friday evening at the Lion's Club.

PUBLICITY

We need your co-operation concerning publicity. Individual records, news clippings, pictures or anything that might help us will be greatly appreciated.

Please send them in advance to the Times-Leader Sports Dept., Martins Ferry, Ohio 43935 and News Register Sports Dept., Wheeling, W. Va. 26003.

OFFICIAL PHOTOGRAPHERS

Boyd Nelson — Bob Ney — Duane Gill

OFFICIAL SCORERS

Bill Van Horne - Walter Jablonsky - Doug Huff - Cal Pokas

BELLAIRE RELAYS COMMITTEE — 1979



Pictorial History of
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Relays Referee Cal

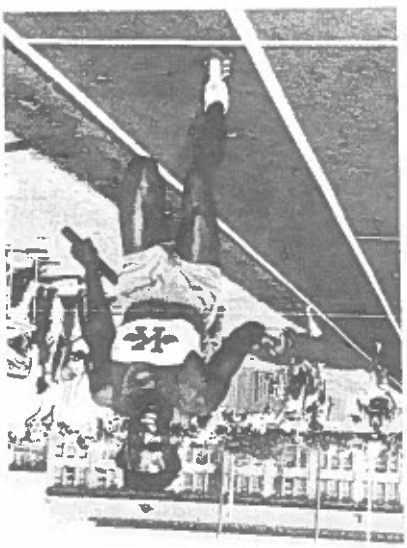
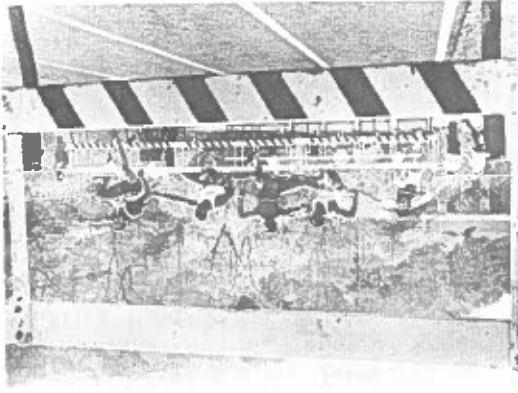




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RELAYS
ights of



BELLAIRE RELAYS RECORDS

TRACK EVENTS

100-yd. DASH—Jeff Phillips, Cois. Whitehall, 1975—Time 9.5 secs.
220-yd. DASH—Jeff Walker, Arkon North, 1977—Time 20.6 secs.
440-yd. DASH—Jeff Walker, Akron North, 1977, —Time 46.8 secs.
880-yd. RUN—Bob Linn, North Olmstead, 1972—Time 1 min. 54.8 secs.
MILE RUN—Les Nagy, Niles McKinley, 1970—Time 4 mins. 10 secs.
TWO-MILE RUN—Alan Scharsu, Austintown Fitch 1977—Time 9 mins. flat
120-yd HIGH HURDLES—Marshall Parks, Dayton Roth, 1977—Time 13.9 secs.
180-yd. LOW HURDLES—Bob Hennings, Cle. Collinwood, 1974—Time 18.9 secs.

FIELD EVENTS

SHOT PUT—Ken Lanier, Cois. Marion Franklin, 1977—Distance 64 ft. 7 in.
DISCUS—Ken Kreuger, Sandusky, 1968—Distance 181 ft. 6 in.
LONG JUMP—Todd Bell, Middletown, 1976—Distance 24 ft. 7 1/4 in.
POLE VAULT—Tom Rice, Upper Arlington, and Barry Fisher, Cincinnati
Moeller, 1974—Height 14 ft. 6 in.
HIGH JUMP—Terry Burris, Cois. Whitehall, 1974—Height 6 ft. 8 in.

RELAY EVENTS

880-yd. Clev. Glenville - Derrek Harbour, Frank Lewis, David White, Floyd Ware, 1974—Time 1 min. 28.1 secs.
MILE—Clev. John Adams - Michael Murray, Keith Travis, Jeff Craft, Steve Davis, 1976—Time 3 mins. 17.9 secs.
TWO-MILE—Dayton Roosevelt - Lee Calhoun, Charles Reed, All Payne, Warren Hand, 1972—Time 7 mins. 49.85 secs.
MEDLEY—Clev. Rhodes - Terry Davison, Kirk Mewer, Ron Hertzling, Ron Addison, 1970—Time 7 mins. 37.9 secs.
SHUTTLE HURDLES—Warren Harding - Lionel Thomas, Tom Perry, Howard Turner, Al Provitti, 1976—Time 55.4 secs.

NOTE: All races this year will be run in meters, and all previous records will stand. Winners this year will establish new records.

TEAM SCORING IN PAST YEARS

Year	Rank	Team	Score
1968	1.	John F. Kennedy	55
	2.	Glenville	30
	3.	Sandusky	23
	4.	Eastmoor	20
	5.	John Hay	17
1969	1.	Cleveland J.F.K.	39
	2.	Wheeling	26
	3.	Sandusky	21
	4.	Warren Harding	19
	5.	Euclid	18
1971	1.	Detroit Northern	53
	2.	Cleveland Glenville	42
	3.	Akron East	32
	4.	Dayton Chamade	24
	5.	Dayton Roosevelt	20
1972	1.	Cleveland Glenville	44
	2.	Beckley, W. Va.	40
	3.	Charleston, W. Va.	32
	4.	Columbus Marion Franklin	30
	5.	Cleveland John Adams	29
1973	1.	Charleston, W. Va.	72
	2.	Cleveland Glenville	40
	3.	Worthington	40
	4.	Bay Village	32
	5.	Warrenville Heights	26
1974	1.	Cleveland Glendale	61
	2.	Cleveland J.F.K.	35
	3.	Cleveland Collingwood	28
	4.	Columbus Whitehall	28
	5.	Bay Village	27
1975	1.	Cleveland Glenville	40
	2.	Cleveland John Adams	40
	3.	Columbus Whitehall	39
	4.	Bay Village	36
	5.	Newark	30
1976	1.	Cleveland John Adams	46
	2.	Dayton Roth	40
	3.	Cleveland Glenville	34
	4.	Woodbridge, Va.	34
	5.	Cleveland Benedictine	30
1977	1.	Akron North	59
	2.	Dayton Roth	41
	3.	Col. Marion-Franklin	34
	4.	Cleveland Glenville	32
	5.	Cleveland John Hay	32
1978	1.	Lawrence Central	54 1/2
	2.	Cleveland John Adams	53 1/2
	3.	Cleveland John Hay	38
	4.	Cleveland Heights	37
	5.	Lawrence Central	36 1/2

BELLAIRE RELAYS RESULTS — 1977

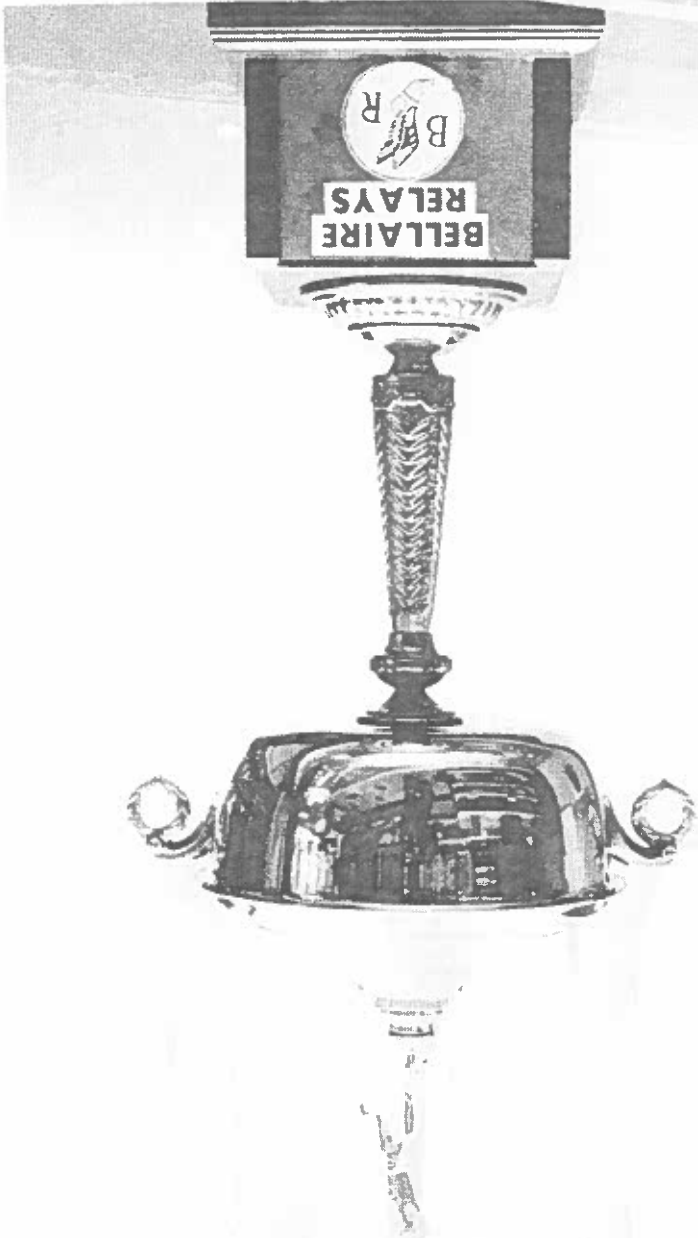
Two-mile run — Alan Schartz, Austintown
 9 mins, 24.4 secs, 2nd; Oldfater, Bay Village, 9 mins, 24.9
 secs, 3rd; Murrer, Cois. Marion Franklin, 9
 mins, 27.6 secs, 4th; Frazier, St. Albans, 9 mins,
 26.4 secs, 5th; Houser, Delaware Hayes, 9 mins,
 37.6 secs, 6th. (Scharz's time is new meet
 record, surpassing 9 mins, 15 secs, established in
 1973 by Rick Garver, of Dayton Wilbur Wright).
 120-yd. high hurdles — Marshall Parks,
 Dayton Roth, 13.9 secs, won; Hancock, Clev.
 John Hay, 14.1 secs, 2nd; Spencer, Akron
 Buchtel, 14.4 secs, 3rd; Gruber, Akron North,
 14.5 secs, 4th; Miller, Dayton Roth, 14.7 secs,
 5th; no sixth place. (Parks' time is new meet
 record, eclipsing his own mark of 14.1 secs, set
 in 1976).
 100-yd. dash — Jeff Walker, Akron North, 9.7
 secs, won; Lockhart, Akron Buchtel, 9.8 secs,
 2nd; Fowler, Clev. Glenville, 9.9 secs, 3rd;
 Vance, Trotwood, 10.1 secs, 4th; Walker, Clev. Col-
 lingswood, 10.5 secs, 5th.
 Mile run — Bill Posey, St. Albans, 4 mins, 14.3
 secs, won; Whitsett, Akron North, 4 mins, 22.7
 secs, 2nd; Kristan, Austintown Fitch, 4 mins,
 24.0 secs, 3rd; Lewis, Newmark, 4 mins, 25.2 secs,
 4th; Lewis, Newmark, 4 mins, 25.2 secs, 5th;
 Carter, Youngstown Liberty, 4 mins, 30.7 secs,
 6th.
 400-yd. dash — Jeff Walker, Akron North, 46.8
 secs, won; Mondie, Clev. John Hay, 50.0 secs,
 2nd; Willis, Clev. John Hay, 50.1 secs, 3rd.

TRACK EVENTS

2nd; Willis, Clev. John Hay, 50.1 secs, 3rd;
 5th; Rupp, Trotwood, 50.2 secs, 4th; Bay, Pitt-
 sburgh Braemar, 50.9 secs, 5th; Webb, Dayton
 51.4 secs, 6th. (Walker's time is meet
 record, surpassing former standard of 47.7 secs,
 set in 196 by Derek Harbourn, of Cleveland
 200-yd. dash — Jeff Walker, Akron North, 20.6
 secs, won; Lockhart, Akron Buchtel, 21.5 secs,
 2nd; Fowler, Clev. Glenville, 21.8 secs, 3rd;
 Jany, Akron Lakewood St. Edward, 23.0 secs, 4th; Skelley,
 Skelley, Clev. John Adams, 23.8 secs, 5th; Skelley,
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 time is new meet record, wiping out previous
 best of 21.1 secs, set in 1974 by Lamar Fryor, of
 Trotwood Madison, and tied in 1976 by Jeff
 Phillips, of Whitehall. It is also a new all-time
 Ohio high school record).
 800-yd. run — Scott Rider, Hilliard, 1 min, 55.7
 secs, won; Nichols, Parkersburg South, 1 min,
 56.9 secs, 2nd; McClure, Akron North, 1 min,
 57.6 secs, 3rd; Hartman, Woodbridge, 1 min,
 58.6 secs, 4th; Osterman, Berea, 1 min, 58.6
 secs, 5th; Fanta, Bay Village, 1 min, 59.6 secs,
 6th.
 100-yd. low hurdles — Marshall Parks, Dayton
 Roth, 19.4 secs, won; Spencerc, Akron Buchtel,
 19.7 secs, 2nd; Miller, Spencerville, 19.9 secs, 3rd;
 Mike Myers, Magnolia, 20.0 secs, 4th; Petty,
 Lawrence Central, Ind., 20.1 secs, 5th; no sixth
 place.
 Shot put — Ken Lanier, Cois. Marion Franklin,
 117 ft. 1 in., 2nd; Harris, Clev. John Hay, 55 ft. 8 1/2
 in., 3rd; Harris, Warrensville Hgts., 55 ft. 4 1/2 in.,
 4th; Webb, Dayton 57 ft. 11 in., 5th; Webb, Dayton
 57 ft. 11 in., 6th; (Lanier's toss is
 new meet record, surpassing the old mark of 61
 ft. 1 in., set in 1972 by Wayne Harris, of Cois.
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 Long jump — Doug Donley, Cambridge, 22 ft. 5
 in., 2nd; McKimley, Clev. John Adams, 21 ft. 10
 in., 3rd; Bey, Pittsburgh Braemar, 21 ft. 10
 in., 4th; Pugan, Woodbridge, Va., 21 ft. 7 1/2 in.,
 5th; Crawford, Clev. Glenville, 21 ft. 7 1/2 in., 6th;
 Hoffman, Wheeling Park, 21 ft. 3 in., 6th.
 High jump — Sherman Thompson, Cambridge,
 6 ft. 6 in., won; Keisler, Trotwood, 6 ft. 6 in., 2nd;
 Wrasniewski, North Olmsted, 6 ft. 4 in., 3rd; Kling,
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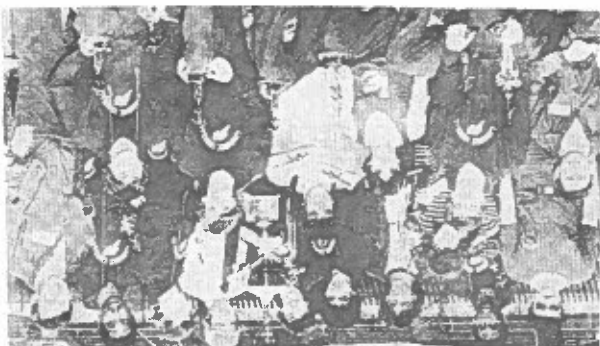
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 RELAY EVENTS
 Lanaster, 13 ft. 6 in., 4th; Dean Caldwell, River,
 Lancaster, 13 ft. 6 in., 5th; Becksville, 13 ft. 6 in.,
 6th; Hocking, Becksville, 13 ft. 6 in., 7th;
 Pole vault — Gene Roach, Wash'n Pa. Trinity,
 Becksville, 157 ft. 2 in., 6th.
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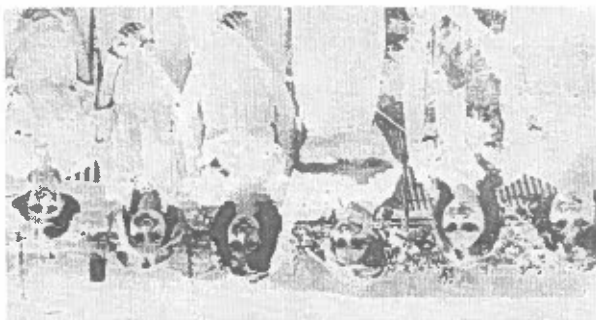


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LONG JUMP	
110 M. H.H.	
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4 x 800 M. RELAY	
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SHUTTLE RELAY	
200 M. DASH	
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978 Bellaire Relays Champs, Lawrence Ind. Central



1978 Bellaire Relays Queen Debbie Skagg



Dr. Messerly receiving Honorary Referee plaque

