

### Cards Complete Best Season in School's History

**MEMORIAL DAY RELAYS**

Class "C"	Total
Wakefield	35
Marquette	36
Class "D"	
Marquette	6
Baraga	19
Class "B"	
Marquette	25
Escanaba	27
Missing	16

**WAKEFIELD**—Wakefield's Cardinals clinched the most successful track and field season in the history of the school when Coach Roman Vachek's diamond captured their second straight Upper Peninsula Class C Memorial Day Relays championship Tuesday evening at Marquette.

The Cardinals topped a combined field of Class C and D schools to roll up 33-1-3 points for the relay title. Cards had two tie-ups in Class "C". Classes "C" and "D" ran with each other, but points were awarded to the team best by classes.

Newberry repeated as Class "D" relay winner in front of Marquette's 190 Class "D" Relays title.

The Wakefield Cardinals completed another record to the relay's books, captured three relay titles and placed second in two classes and also topped several places in the two field events.

Jim Hodge, Jim Johnson, Bill Erickson and Don Savaski provided a strong relay to the Cardinals' brilliant 1961 track season when they established a new Class "C" meet record in the 880 yard relay. The Redford four-man posted the new record time of 1:36.5 in capturing a brilliant field race. Coach's fast starter, Don Savaski, set a beautiful anchor to keep ahead of the Mount Vernon's Auld Fredrick at the tape.

Two decisive victories were posted by the 3/4 mile medley relay and two mile relay teams. The Newberry team of Gene Amant and Arnold Harty posted the good time of 2:28.4, narrowly missing the meet mark of 2:31.7 in capturing that event.

The two mile team of John Howe, Dick Nelson, Roger Londo and Gene Amant easily scored a victory in this event. The four-1/2 mile distance team finished well ahead of the field in the time of 8:16 minutes.

Marquette Pierce posted a new one mile relay record in winning the event in the time of 3:41.8. Wakefield's quartet of Ed Valerno, Hayward Anderson, Bob Smith and Dewey Mann, while finishing second also captured the excellent record of 3:41.6 set by Erickson in 1957.

Class "D" won the 400 yard relay, setting the record of 4:16 seconds set by Iroh River in 1956. Wakefield's 400 yard quartet of Tom Minerva, Bob Kunkin, Jim Hodge and Bob Erickson finished second just one-tenth of a second off the mark, but second.

Also getting second place ribbons were Don Minerva in the 1500 yard dash, while Jim Hodge 1600 for second in the pole vault. Bob Kunkin tied for fifth spot.

Newberry, in repeating as "B" class relay champ, set a new meet record in the 3/4 mile medley relay in the time of 2:28.4, creating the old mark of 2:38.4 set by Sault Ste. Marie in 1957.

Marquette officials announced prior to the start of the 1961 running of the relays that they were disappointed the relays due to the lack of interest indicated by Upper Peninsula high schools in this event.

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### Braves Win First Phillies Cop Nigh

**PHILADELPHIA** (AP)—Younger pitcher Art Lyle, the prevailing right-hander for the Philadelphia Phillies, led Milwaukee to eight scattered hits in the eighth of a doubleheader Tuesday to score his second straight victory over the Braves, 1-0. The Braves won the opener 3-1 behind the four-hit pitching of Bob Bush.

Mahaffey, who held the Braves to four hits and best them 1-0 in Milwaukee last Wednesday, had little trouble coasting to a victory after home runs by Roy Walters and Pancho Herrera gave him a 1-0 good cushion.

It was the sixth victory against the Braves for the 25-year-old Mahaffey and it was his eighth completed game in nine starts in this major league.

This match made it easy by scoring six runs off Carl Wilton in the first inning. The left-hander Tony Gonzalez double with the Milwaukee lead in the first inning by Walters.

Herrera closed his fifth home run of the season in the seventh with two runners on base to sew up the victory.

Bush pitched in an excellent performance in spite of a brace for the Braves in the opening game. He was seldom in trouble despite the fact he walked six men. Bush struck out four.

Hank Aaron's triple in the opening inning set the Braves' lead in the home track and field season. In Coach Roman Vachek's Wakefield Cardinals captured top honors in the second annual NAC in front of 14,000 fans and won the Invitational, Michigan Wisconsin Conference, Michigan State and Michigan State Peninsular Class "C" and Memorial Day Relays track titles.

**Relays summary:**

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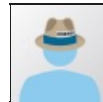
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