

City Girl Runnerup At Akron

Francie Kraker of Ann Arbor had another medal to add to her growing collection today.

Running in the National Women's Indoor AAU Track Meet in Akron, O., Miss Kraker, placed second in the 880-yard run. The Ann Arbor High junior was timed in 2:23.2 on the all-wood floor. Louise Gerish of Livonia, a teammate on the Ann Arbor Anns, finished eighth in the basketball throw.

But it was a Canadian secretary who overshadowed a multitude of American Olympic hopefuls in the weekend meet.

Jennifer Wingerson of Toronto won the 50-yard low hurdles with a meet record of :06.7 and finished third in the 50-yard dash finals despite a faulty start.

Of the American women who hope this year to dethrone their arch-rivals from the Soviet Union in the 1964 Olympics, only Valerie Carter stood out.

The junior biology major from City College of New York was an easy winner in a controversial 220-yard dash and 440-yard run. She was at first disqualified in the 220 for cutting out of lane but an officials' huddle reversed the ruling. The four-time defending national champion and indoor world record holder, Suzanne Knott of Ohio State, was eliminated in the semifinals.

Chicago won the team championship with 23 points, followed by Columbus, with 21; Cleveland, 17; New York, 14; and Frederick, Md., and Detroit, with eight apiece.