

# Out-of-towners take hardware in Mott Relays

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For the first time in five years, Flint-area teams were shut out at the C.S. Mott Relays.

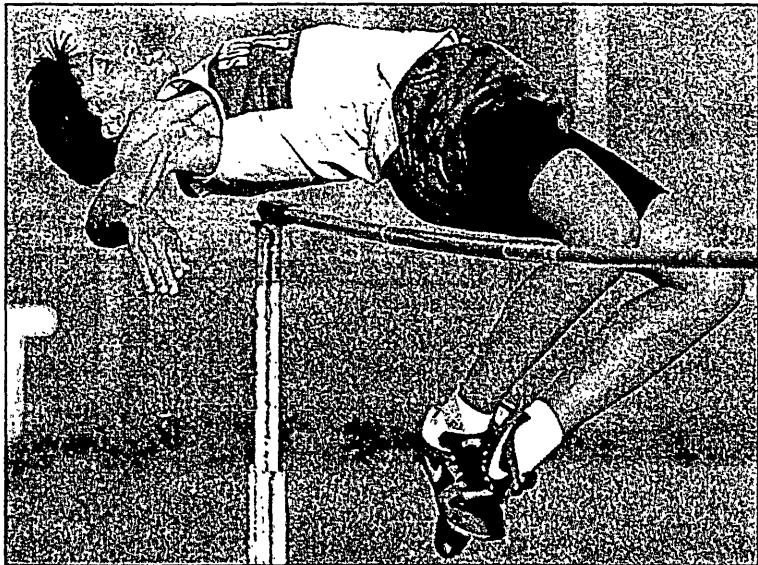
Kalamazoo Loy Norrix repeated as the girls' champion while Midland took home the boys' title Friday as Flint-area teams failed to win at least one of the crowns for the first time since 1990.

Loy Norrix edged Central's girls 73-67 and Midland easily outpointed Beecher 84-56 in the boys' portion of the 27th annual event at Houston Stadium.

Central may have captured the girls' hardware had it not been for one glaring weakness.

"I didn't have anyone in the shot put," said a disappointed coach Otha Hill, whose team was blanked in that event.

Loy Norrix, on the other hand, earned 10 crucial points by winning the shot put when sisters Chela and Cherina Hubbard teamed for a distance of 58 feet, 5½ inches. That was one of five events cap-



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Stacey Thomas of SW Academy clears 5 feet, 2 inches in the high jump.

tured by the Knights.

Laura Edwardson was their top performer, running on two triumphant relay teams while also winning the 1,600 run. Katie Snyder joined Edwardson on the first-place relay teams.

Central won three of the other five events that eluded Loy Norrix in the girls' division. The Indians won the 400- and 800-meter dashes, while Shante

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Beecher's Eric English hurls the discus 121 feet.

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Burke — who was on both of those teams — edged teammate Ada Malloy in the 100.

Burke and Malloy teamed in the 400 relay along with Angelina Edwards and Tekila Lewis. Edwards, Mia Malloy and Ada Malloy joined Burke on the 800 team.

Because of the unpredictable weather, no records were set.

Conditions were perfect in the early afternoon hours, but that quickly changed when a thunderstorm caused a 45-minute delay. When the rain clouds passed, the winds kicked up and the temperature dropped about 15 degrees.

"That makes it tough," said Cliff Turner, the meet's assistant director. "It's really tough to set any (records) on a day like this. We ran for awhile, then had a break and just sat around."

In the boys' competition, Beecher won four events to Midland's three. But the Chemics' depth was the difference as they picked up points by scoring in 10 of the 13 boys' events.

Beecher's Darnell Wilson, Torry McDaniel, Eric Southland and Emanuel Hare teamed to win the C.S. Mott Relay and all were double winners.

Wilson and Erick English teamed to win the discus relay; McDaniel and Southland were on the first-place, 1,600 team along with Justin Phillips and Kenyatta Brown; and Hare captured the high jump relay with Claude Williams.

— Grand Blanc's Geoff Besso and Craig Smith helped the Bobcats win two events.

They took the distance medley along with Mike Tremblay and Kris Straham, and were first in the 3,200 with Felix Onown and Diego Harrison.

The only other boys' victory by a Flint-area team was in the shuttle hurdles relay, where Northern's Lavell Hamlin, Jason Fouse, Derrick Lee and James Webb prevailed.

Grand Blanc (39) finished third in the boys' event with Northern (38) fourth, Central (19) ninth, Southwestern Academy (15) 10th and Northwestern (0) tied for 13th.

Among the girls' teams, Southwestern Academy (50) was fourth, Northern (23) tied for fifth, Beecher (8) tied for seventh, and Northwestern (3) was 10th.

### C.S. Mott Relays

#### Boys

Team scoring: 1 Midland 84. 2 Flint Beecher 56. 3 Grand Blanc 39. 4 Flint Northern 38. 5 Kalamazoo Loy Norris and Saginaw 28. 5 Ann Arbor Huron 27. 8 Midland Dow 24. 9 Flint Central 19. 10 Flint Southwestern Academy 15. 11 Saginaw Arthur Hill 4. 12 Detroit Redford 2. 13 Flint Northwestern and Highland Park 0.

Shuttle hurdle relay — 1 Flint Northern (Lavell Hamlin, Jason Fouse, Derrick Lee, James Webb) 1:02.9. 2 Midland 1:03.7. 3 Ann Arbor Huron 1:04.4. 4 Kalamazoo Loy Norris 1:10.1. 5 Detroit Redford 1:17.5.

600 relay — 1 Kalamazoo Loy Norris (Mitchell Kundell, Chris Moffat, Steve Walker, Kerry Nehl) 1:30.4. 2 Midland 1:38.3. 3 Kalamazoo Dow 1:39.45. 4 Ann Arbor Huron 2:04:17. 5 Grand Blanc 2:19:19.1. 6 Saginaw 2:21:27.

C.S. Mott relay — 1 Flint Beecher (Darnell Wilson, Emanuel Hare, Eric Southland, Torry McDaniel) 1:32.8. 2 Saginaw 1:33.4. 3 Flint Northern 1:34.1. 4 Flint Central 1:34.8. 5 Ann Arbor Huron 1:34.6. 6 Kalamazoo Loy Norris 1:35.35. 9 Free vailut — 1 Midland Dow (Kevin Slipchack, Brad Archbold) 23-6. 2 Midland (Kevin Gensinger, Craig Wenzel) 22-6. 3 Ann Arbor Huron (Morrison Braders, Kyle Novak) 11-6.

Long jump — 1 Midland (Lake Poutos, Okoineme Agbomeivie) 41-0. 2 Flint Northern (James Webb, Lavell Hamlin) 38-4. 3 Saginaw (Michael Washington, DeRonnie Pitts) 37-6. 4 Flint Southwestern Academy (Charlie Bell, Jeremy Stork) 37-4. 3-4. 5 Flint Central (L.A. Botten, Kirk Williams) 36-3.1-2.

Sprint medley relay — 1 Midland (John Dill, Andy Mortensen, Jim Guavera, Doug Jones) 2:34. 2 Grand Blanc (3) 2:35. 3 Flint Northern 2:36.4. 4 Flint Central 2:37.9. 5 Kalamazoo Loy Norris 2:38.4. 6 Flint Southwestern Academy 2:39.9.

3,200 relay — 1 Grand Blanc (Geoff Besso, Felix Onown, Diego Harrison, Craig Smith) 8:24.7. 2 Ann Arbor Huron 8:38.0. 3 Flint Beecher 8:40.9. 4 Midland Dow 8:47.2. 5 Flint SW Academy 8:55.6. 6 Midland 9:28.1.

Discus relay — 1 Flint Beecher (Erick English, Darnell Wilson) 270-2. 2 Flint Central (David Robinson, Stan Brown) 268-8. 3 Midland Dow (Kyle Musser, Jason Churchill) 253-9. 4 Midland (Ben Roach, Jakob Ostin) 248-4. 6 Ann Arbor Huron (Anton Camp, Jon Bellow) 264-3.

Shot put relay — 1 Midland (Jakob Ostin, Brian Johnson) 93-10. 2 Flint Beecher (Cameron Tucker, Darnell Wilson) 93-6. 3 Flint Central (Stan Brown, David Robinson) 91-0. 4 Saginaw Arthur Hill (Joseph Jefferson, Alfonso Boone) 85-5. 5 Grand Blanc (Nick Fletcher, Wes Maul) 81-6.

Distance medley relay — 1 Grand Blanc (Geoff Besso, Mike Tremblay, Kris Straham, Craig Smith) 11:32.6. 2 Midland 11:41.7. 3 Kalamazoo Loy Norris 11:48.9. 4 Flint SW Academy 12:15.5. Saginaw Arthur Hill 12:25.8. 6 Flint Northern 12:34.6.

1 Saginaw (Leron Davis, Chris Palmer, DeRonnie Pitts, Brian Bullock) 44.4. 2 Midland 49.3. 3 Flint Northern 45.5. 4 Kalamazoo Loy Norris 45.6. 5 Ann Arbor Huron 45.9. 6 Grand Blanc 45.9.

High jump relay — 1 Flint Beecher (Emanuel Hare, Claude Williams) 11-8. 2 Midland 6-1. 3 Saginaw 6-0.

1,600 — 1 Flint Beecher (Torry McDaniel, Eric Southland, Justin Phillips, Kenyatta Brown) 3:32.2. 2 Flint SW Academy 3:32.3. 3 Midland 3:32.4. 4 Grand Blanc 3:40.4. 5 Flint Northern 3:41.5. 6 Saginaw 3:45.3.

#### Girls

Team scoring: 1 Kalamazoo Loy Norris 73. 2 Flint Central 67. 3 Flint Southwestern Academy 50. 4 Midland 49. 5 Pontiac Central and Flint Northern 23. 7 Flint Beecher and Detroit Redford 9. Ann Arbor Huron 6. 10 Flint Northwestern 3. 11 Saginaw Arthur Hill 1. 12 Highland Park 0.

Shuttle hurdle relay — 1 Midland (Lynell Hartley, Macy Moore, Vanessa Watson, Michelle MacCroe) 1:12.9. 2 Flint Central 1:14.4. 3 Kalamazoo Loy Norris 1:14.8. 4 Flint Beecher 1:12.5.

C.S. Mott Relay — 1 Kalamazoo Loy Norris (Laura Edwardson, Jonelle Penn, Katrina Russell, Katie Snyder) 7:16.7. 2 Midland 7:26.2. 3 Southwestern Academy 7:31.3. 4 Detroit Redford 7:45.0. 5 Flint Central 7:48.6. 6 Pontiac Central 7:57.2.

400 relay — 1 Flint Central (Angelina Edwards, Shante Burke, Ada Malloy) 1:46.2. 2 Flint Southwestern Academy 1:47.3. 3 Flint Northern 1:49.7. 4 Kalamazoo Loy Norris 1:51.5. 5 Pontiac Central 1:52.3. 6 Flint Beecher 1:57.4.

3,200 relay — 1 Kalamazoo Loy Norris (Laura Edwardson, Becky Weinhold, Karen Lucatelli, Katie Snyder) 10:48.1. 2 Midland 11:56.3. 3 Pontiac Central 12:08.7. 4 Flint Southwestern Academy 12:12.5. 5 Flint Central 12:53. 6 Flint Northern 13.34.

100 — 1 Shante Burke (Flint Central) 12.45. 2 Ada Malloy (Flint Central) 12.40. 3 Rhea Hicks (Flint Northern) 12.50. 4 Missy Moore (Kalamazoo Loy Norris) 12.52. 5 Dionne Noel (Saginaw Arthur Hill) 12.75. 6. Satoshia Hudson (Flint SW Academy) 12.88.

Shot put — 1 Kalamazoo Loy Norris (Chela Hubbard, Cherina Hubbard) 58-5. 1-2. 2 Flint Southwestern Academy (Kanisha Smith, Asha Chekha) 55-11. 3. Pontiac Central (Deana Goge, Cherlonda Jones) 55-9. 4. Detroit Redford (Kenyatta Barnes, Shawn Burkland) 54-7. 5 Flint Northwestern (Matecha Buford, Erica Wright) 50-9. 1-2.

1,600 — 1 Laura Edwards (Kalamazoo Loy Norris) 5:45.4. 2 Anna Griffin (Ann Arbor Huron) 5:41.4. 3 Katie Snyder (Kalamazoo Loy Norris) 5:55.8. 4 Tiffany Davis (Ann Arbor Huron) 6:00. 5. Kasha Hutchinson (Flint Central) 6:12.7. 6 Angie Lyken (Midland) 6:17.

Long jump — 1 Flint Northern (Rhea Hicks, Charissa Elm) 30-2. 1-2. 2 Flint Central (Tekila Lewis, Shannon Reeves) 29-6. 3-4. 3 Kalamazoo Loy Norris (Katrina Russell, Sherea Holmes) 26-9. 1. 4 Flint SW Academy (LaQuanesha Fields, Tracy Boone) 26-6. 5. Midland (Teresa Green, Kristy Law) 26-1. 2.

400 relay — 1 Flint Central (Angelina Edwards, Shante Burke, Tekila Lewis, Ada Malloy) 50.1. 2 Flint SW Academy 52.4. 3 Pontiac Central 52.9. 4 Flint Northern 53.0. 5 Flint Beecher 53.9. 6 Kalamazoo Loy Norris 54.1.

1,600 relay — 1 Flint Central (Ada Malloy, Angelina Edwards, Mia Malloy, Shannon Reeves) 4:15.4. 2 Flint SW Academy 4:18.6. 3 Midland 4:20.8. 4 Kalamazoo Loy Norris 4:23.4. 5 Flint Beecher 4:35.9. 6 Flint Northern 4:37.5.

Discus relay — 1 Kalamazoo Loy Norris (Deno Lynn, Izrail Steen) 183-8. 2 Flint SW Academy (Asha Chekha, Latanya Palmer) 156-8. 3 Midland (Terri Erickson, Natalie DeNooyer) 151-2. 4 Redford (Shawnda Duncan, Kenyatta Barnes) 150-1. 5 Pontiac Central (DeAnna Alphonse, Cherhonda Jones) 132-2.

High jump — 1 Midland (Linda Hartley, Frances Lerner) 50.2. 2 Flint SW Academy 50.2. 3 Ann Arbor Huron, Stacy Thomas) 49-8. 3. Pontiac Central (Cherlonda Moorehead, T.Allen) 9-6. 4 Flint Central (Tekila Lewis, Angelina Edwards) 9-4. 5. Kalamazoo Loy Norris (Cherina Hubbard, Tasha Wilson) 9-0.