Falcons lead the way

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in the 800 relay in place of Maier. Instead of running Nicole Tocco in the 200 dash, Brown entered her in the 400 relay.

Tocco, Fox, Shelli Gaul and Angle Forge won the 400 relay in 50.9, equaling the team's season best. Fox, Amy Trunk, Tocco and Forge ran 1:46.8 to win the 800.

"We still won the 400 and 800, "We still won the 400 and 800, but it made us weaker in some open events," Brown sald. "I think (Maier's absence) made a difference. But, even if we had Carrie, I don't think we would have had the depth to beat Canton.

"It's something we knew all along — that we didn't have the depth to win a big meet — but

girls track

didn't want to admit that."

Farmington's Kristl Devine and Julie Lawton were second in the discus and high jump, respectively.

North was led by DeDe Newman, who won the 100 dash in 12.5 and took second in the 200 at 26.5. Teammate Suzt Butcher was runner-up in the shot put.

Harrison was led by Jane Peters, who was third in the 300-meter hurdles, and Tracey Radke, who placed third in the long jump.

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usually not where the toughest runners are," said
Carney, who felt as if a heavy weight had been
taken off her shoulders when Miller told her the
Chlefs needed only a third instead of first while
waiting for the baton.
"I flyered that would be to my advantage. I was
feeling winded. But I knew I could run it, and it
fell like the best quarter I ever ran."

At the three-quarter mark of the final leg, it
appeared hiller might have enough in reserve to
come on and win the race, but she remained third
as the Churchill runner reluxed to fold.
"I was so tirred from the other evens I said:
"Angle, just hold your place," 'Miller recalled. "If
I didn't know the team was depending on me,
the ADDITION TO running the relay and winning the high jump [6-3]. Miller was second in the
400 dash and fourth in the 200 final.
"I was a great day for a great athlete," 'Przygodski said. "She ran great in the 200 — an event
she's only run three times all year — and she

made a sacrifice for the good of the team by com-ing out of the 800 relay to run that event." Surprisingly, Miller had the team's only first-place finish. Thus, it was depth that made the dif-ference for the Chiefs, who scored fifth or higher

Walaskay was another of the contributors, tak-ing fifth in the long jump and third in the 100-meter hurdles.

meter nurgies.
"I just wanted to score, because I knew we hadn't scored in those events recently," she said.
"I knew if I could just score one point it would help the team."

OTHER HIGHLIGHTS included Sherry Figur-OTHER HIGHLIGHTS included Sherry Figures skit, rated sixth among those entered in the 800 run going into the meet, finishing second and third-place Heather Spencer helping give Canton 16 points in the high jump, the event that kept the Chiefs afloat until the strong finish. "(Winning the meet) made being on the team all four years worthwhile," said Figurski, who also is a vocal supporter of her teammates when she's not commeding heresoff.

not competing herself.
"I like to be loud. I like to let people know I

care about them," she added.

Seeling a talented team, dominated by a long-suffering senior class, finally capture the top prize was a gratifying experience for Przygodski.

"It's great to stand back and see them get so excited about accomplishing what they wanted to do," he said.

"When the money is on the line, we've got a lot of kids who want to come out on the track," he added. "It's like taking the last shot in basketball, we have a lot of kids who want to take that last shot."

KANTOR AND SPRINTER Cretchen Loyd turned in sterling performances for Churchill. Besides winning the 3,200 run, Kantor also captured the 1,600 and was second in the 800. Loyd claimed double wins, too, in the 400 and 200 dashes.

"It was tough to lose by three points," said Churchill first-year coach Kelly Graham. "It would have been casier to take if we had lost by 20. I'm disappointed, but we have a good, quality

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OU soccer adds pair of recruits

Not much will be missing from last fail's Oxland University mens soccer team when coach Gary Parsons opens practice this summer. Only one starter from a 14-5-1 MCAA Division II qualifier is gone, although several key bench personnel, will also be absent.

But Parsons is contident his current crop of redshirts and recruits will more than IIII any holes.

Experience was perhaps OU's greatest weakness last season. It won't be this year. Joining the 10 returning starters are seniors Dan OSbea, a midfleider/defender, and Raui Delgado, a sweeper.

OSbea, a Iduonia Franklin graduate, played at Schoolcraft College before transferring to OU. He played one season for the Ploneers before being stedlined first by academic troubles and then a serious knee injury. He has rehabilitated his knee and has one year of eligibility remaining.

DELGADO PLAYED for OU in 1984 and 1985 before leaving school. He, too, has one year of eligibility of three transfers add to OU's incoming crop of experienced players: Mike Barron, a junior defender from Triton (III). Community College, Dan Weinerth, a sophomore transfer from Maryland who played sweeper at Rochester Adams, and John Bernan, a sophomore midlielder from Warren who transferred from Karlamazoo College.

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Also avaliable for duty this season is former Bloomfield Hills Roeper star Scott Camact, a forward who couldn't play last year because of an injury. Camace will retain freshman status.

Three freshmen recruits round out the newcomers for Parsons: stopper John Kropinsk from Troy Athens; forward Joshua Pittman from Berkley; and forward/midflelder Geran Stoyanovski from Dearborn Heights. The only starter lost is Brian Fitzgerald. Tom Duff, a valuable performer off the bench from Birmingham Scaholm, has also gradued, while Yong Song and David Play have both transferred. Also, keeper Mino DiComo, from Troy Athens, has left the team.

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Farmington Soccer Club has scheduled three tryout sessions for tis select teams, which are limited to boys born between 1977-79.

Players can sign up and demonstrate skills 3-5 p.m. Sunday, June 5.

All sessions will take place at Farmington High School.

The Tuesday, June 7, session will consist of more skill demonstration and a scrimmage between 6:30 and 8:30 p.m. The final tryout is scheduled for 6:30-8:30 p.m. Thursday, June 9.

Players should come dressed with

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For information, call Dale Dolesh at 474-8815 or Terry Gerts at 661-282.

GRID COACHES

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Farmington Public Schools is accepting applications for non-teaching, coaching positions in football for the 1988-89 school year.
Applicants should send a resume to Ronald G. Holland, athletic director, 32500 Shlawassee, Farmington 48024, or call 471-6337 between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. weekdays.

BASEBALL TRYOUT

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The Doyle Baseball School will
meet July 11-12 at Walled Lake
Western High School. The school offers instruction for youths age 8-18.
Sessions run from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
each day. Call 1-800-443-5536 for information.

