

**HILLSBORO** — Bethel college out-scored McPherson by only 2 points here Friday night to capture the team crown in the Kansas conference track meet at Tabor college.

Bethel, which won the Tabor invitational track meet on the same track earlier this year, scored 155 points to edge out McPherson, which scored 153 points. McPherson won the ACCK track title earlier this year.

Tabor was 4th with 83 points followed by Bethany 43, Sterling 31 and Friends and Kansas Wesleyan 1.

Bethel's Russ Larkin set a new hammer throw record of 145-7 and Tabor's Al Regier bettered the existing record in the triple jump with a leap of 46-7. Regier's mark will be considered by a committee for a KCAC record but a decision is not expected until later in the week. High winds are the reason a ruling must be made on the jump.

Regier also won the long jump with a leap of 23-1/2.

Billy Jones, Bethel, was named the meet's outstanding athlete. He won the 220 and finished with 30 1/2 individual points. Regier was 2nd with 29 points and Bethel's John Mathuma, winner of the mile and 3-mile runs, was 3rd with 28 points.

McPherson's Roger Kamla was the meet's other double winner with victories in the discus and shot put.

Tabor was the defending Kansas conference champ.

Wesleyan's Mike Stevens accounted

for the Coyotes only point with a 6th place finish in the high hurdles with a time of 15.6.

Discus—Kamla, McPherson; Chermey, Sterling; Hammer, Southwestern; Herman, McPherson; Dvork, Southwestern; Richard, Tabor Distance 163-4 3/4

3-mile run—Mathuma, Bethel; Wiens, Tabor; Boggs, Southwestern; Porter, McPherson; Malticks, Southwestern; Jackson, McPherson; Time 15:47.5.

High jump—Mills, Southwestern; Regier, Tabor; Lamberl, McPherson; Cope, McPherson; Howard, Southwestern; Vanderslice, Southwestern Height 6-4

Hammer throw—Larkin, Bethel; Bredemeler, Tabor; Stucky, Bethel; Hornbaker, McPherson; Beckmeyer, Southwestern; Fleming, Bethel Distance 145-7 (Record)

Long jump—Regier, Tabor; Rose, McPherson; Stevenson, Southwestern; Reimer, Bethel; McAhren, Southwestern; Doyle, Bethel Distance 23-1/2

Pole vault—Wyatt, Sterling; Jones, Bethel; Pierson, Tabor; Selby, Sterling; Peters, Tabor; Englund, Bethany; Height 12-6

Javelin—Stepnoski, Southwestern; Luke, Sterling; Meyer, McPherson; Tschudin, McPherson; Whorton, McPherson; McFall, Southwestern Distance 187-8

Shot put—Kamla, McPherson; Larkin, Bethel; Herman, McPherson; Meyer, McPherson; Ponzi, Southwestern; Richards, Tabor Distance 53-7

440 relay—Bethel, McPherson, Bethany, Tabor, Southwestern, Sterling Time 45.6.

Mile run—Mathuma, Bethel; Wiens, Tabor; Renner, Southwestern; Huffo, Southwestern; Fleming, Bethel; Jackson, McPherson Time 4:36.0

High hurdles—Combs, Bethel; Reimer, Bethel; Wedel, Bethel; Miller, Bethany; Jones, Bethel; Stevens, Wesleyan Time 15:2

440—Peffer, McPherson; Myers, McPherson; Culver, McPherson; Stevens, Bethany; Morgan, Southwestern; Heck, Southwestern Time 53.0

100—Arning, Southwestern; Jones, Bethel; Thompson, Bethel; Rush, Bethany; Peters, Tabor; Farris, Tabor Time 9.8.

880—Work, McPherson; Mathuma, Bethel; Petz, Bethany; Jost, Tabor; Buller, Bethel; Freeman, Southwestern Time 1:58.8.

440 intermediate hurdles—Peffer, McPherson; Waples, Southwestern; Hoch, McPherson; Dooley, Bethel; McAhren, Southwestern; Weedel, Bethel Time 59.2.

220—Jones, Bethel; Arning, Southwestern; Reece, McPherson; Rush, Bethany; Miller, Bethany; Work, McPherson Time 22.4.

Steeplechase—Boggs, Southwestern; Fleming, Bethel; Work, Southwestern; Wiens, Tabor; Porter, McPherson; Maddocks, Southwestern; Time 10:45.3.

Mile relay—McPherson, Bethel, Tabor, Bethany Time 3:37.8.

Triple jump—Regier, Tabor; Miller, Bethany; Stevenson, Southwestern; Reimer, Bethel; Rose, McPherson; Howard, Southwestern Distance 46-7.