

## City Harriers To Have Own Title Meet

### Championships To Be Held First Time Election Day

A new championship competition for Jersey City's seven high schools was assured today, when the office of Commissioner Frank H. Eggers announced that the Department of Recreation will conduct the first annual city interscholastic cross-country championships on the morning of Election Day, Nov. 7, at Lincoln Park.

The cross-country meet is the fifth interscholastic championship card inaugurated by Commissioner Eggers, whose Department of Recreation has held titular meets in track and field, swimming, fencing and gymnastics. He also rewards the annual basketball, football and baseball champions, but these titles are decided on the basis of regularly-scheduled games among the seven local high schools.

It also was announced that Ed Friel has been appointed coordinator of track and field athletics for the recreation department, and will be in charge of the cross-country activities. A member of the department's staff, he directed the city interscholastic track and field championships last June. He is a member of the senior and junior track and field committees of the Metropolitan Association of the A.A.U., and has served in various positions to help push the sport in Hudson County.

The cross-country carnival will be in two sections—varsity and freshman. The varsity runners will tour a course of 2 1/2 miles and the "frosh" harriers will cover a mile over the regular Lincoln Park layout. Both individual and team championships will be decided. The winning school in each race will receive a trophy, while medals will go to the first three individuals in each race, and to the members of the first three teams in each division.

Entries will close with the Office of Recreation, 75 Paterson St., on Thursday, Nov. 2. Each team will be limited to eight members, but there will be no limit on the number of squads a school may send into action. Individual entries will be accepted from students of schools not having teams.