



STAR RUNNER Kirt Hardy, an eighth grader at Taney Jr. High in Camp Springs, holds some of the many trophies he has won in the two years he has been competing, while his younger brother Keith admires the second place trophy Kirt won at the National Cross Country Championship held in New York on November 8. The contest, sponsored by the Road Runners Club of America, was held at Cortland Park in New York, with contestants coming from as far as California and Canada. Kirt's time for his second place finish in the mile and one-half cross country was nine minutes, 11 seconds. Keith is in the sixth grade at Allenwood Elementary and came in twelfth in the national competition. Both boys are coached by Ed Bowie, track and field coordinator of Prince George's Recreation Department.

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