

News Of The Week In Village Schools

JUNIOR BASEBALL TEAMS COULD MEET TO LEAD LEAGUE

Adams And Baldwin Teams Still Undeclared In Little Six Circuit

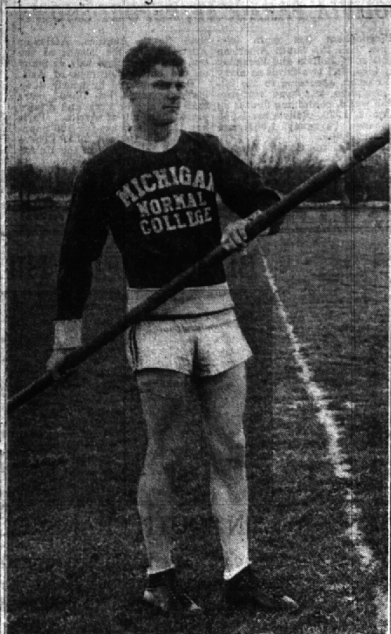
The two local junior high school baseball teams, the Adams and Baldwin, kept up their 1,000 rating in the Little Six League last week when the Adams team won its third straight game, 10-4, from Berkley and the Baldwin team registered its second victory to far this season by defeating Taft Junior High at Ferndale, 12-4. Both teams conclude their 1936 season with a game on the Springfield diamond on Thursday, May 29. The Baldwin team got a late start when the first game this season was postponed because of bad weather conditions. The game was scheduled with Royal Oak and will be played before the end of the term.

Keen competition is expected in the league during the last leg of the season. Both the Baldwin and the Adams teams are leading the league with perfect percentages and claims for the league honors will undoubtedly rest in the result of the fray between the two teams May 29. Last year the Baldwin team led the league for first place in baseball and then in track and at the close of the past basketball season was the first time they failed to top first order in the sports in which they competed since they entered the league.

Coach Engel was handicapped at the beginning of the present season by the smallness of the team and then again when he lost two good pitchers through injuries. Both local teams were held back by lack of practice space at Springfield. Coach Joy made arrangements and the Adams team was granted the use of a large field near the school and practice is held every night without difficulty. The Baldwin team will start practice at Springfield. Coach Joy's Adams team travels to Ferndale today to clash with Lincoln Junior High and the Berkley Juniors meet the Berkley team at Springfield Park.

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WILL COACH HERE NEXT YEAR



Franklin Allen Whitney, of Toledo, will come to Birmingham next year to coach basketball and instruct in physical education; he was a basketball player in 1927, he has been transferred to direct physical education activities at the Lincoln Junior High School, and Mr. Whitney, who is 22 years old, is a graduate of the Wayne

YEAR BOOK DEDICATED TO BALDWIN PRINCIPAL
The 1936 issue of The Baldwinian, the annual year book of Baldwin High School, is dedicated this year to the school principal, Melvin C. Hart and not to the memory of Harry Bradley, a student who died last October, as was stated in the sub-headline of The Eccentric last week. A page in the Baldwinian was affectionately inscribed by the students to the memory of their departed schoolmate.

CORREVENT IS NEW PRESIDENT

Baldwin Instructor Elected Head of Birmingham Teachers' Club

Mr. H. Earle Correvont, instructor at Baldwin High School, was elected president of the Birmingham Teachers' Club at its meeting held May 14. The other new officers for the 1936-37 season are Mrs. Aris Horwath, of Baldwin High, vice-president; Miss Isabel Foreman, principal of Barnum School, secretary; and Miss Mabel Brown, assistant principal of Adams School, treasurer. The board of directors includes Mrs. Ethel Tard, Pierre school; Mrs. LaRida Forest, Quanton school; Miss Dena Hallock, Barnum school; Miss Carol Susan Adams school; and Miss Mabel Stickle, of Baldwin High School.

The club has discontinued active work until the fall but the officers will meet sometime during this semester to make tentative plans for the coming year.

BALDWIN GOLFERS AGAIN DEFEATED

Show Big Improvement, However, In Defeat By Pontiac, 7 To 5
Although losing for the second time to the Pontiac High School golf team on Friday at Pontiac, Baldwin High School's golfers showed remarkable improvement in the 7 to 5 defeat at the hands of the Chieftains. The first defeat, 10 1/2 to 1 1/2 was suffered Apr. 26. Anderson, fourth man for Birmingham, shot the course in 79 to 82. DeBeauvoir, the Maplewood No. 1 man, scored 1 1/2 points in 78. Powers at 83. George Shave, second man for Birmingham, scored his other half point.

Bond of Pontiac defeated Baldwin, shooting an 81 to Winborn's card of 86. Stolt of Pontiac shot a 77 to nose out Shave who played excellent golf for a 78.

The Baldwin team will enter the regional meet at Ann Arbor on May 31, and if it survives will compete in the State meet at Ypsilanti on June 7, closing its schedule in the S. E. A. League Tournament, June 14.

The seventh and eighth grade students of the county rural schools took the annual county examinations given each year at Baldwin High School, under the direction of Melvin C. Hart, principal of Baldwin High. The seventh grade examinations were given May 15 and 62 children participated, taking tests for reading, arithmetic, spelling, geography, and word study. Tests in arithmetic, civics, history, grammar, and agriculture were given to 40 eighth grade children, May 16. About 20 of the eighth grade students will enter Baldwin High School in the fall to complete high school work.

All the children of the Hill School will participate in a program of songs to be given Friday evening at 8 p. m. in Baldwin High School auditorium, under the direction of Miss Mae Bramsted, music instructor. The program will include folk songs of many nations. Mrs. Elizabeth Heller will be the piano accompanist. The public is invited to attend this program.

Coach Engel's Baldwin High School basketball team journeyed to Orchard Lake Saturday to clash with the St. Mary's Academy. Birmingham secured revenge for its basketball loss during the tournament at Pontiac last winter.

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HIGH SCHOOL TRACK TEAM THIRD IN MEET

Trackmen Win Honor At Ypsi Contest Against 51 State Schools

Competing with twelve other schools in class B, the Baldwin High School track team piled up a total of 18 points to take third place in the regional meet Saturday at Ypsilanti. There were 650 athletes in the meet, coming from 59 schools in Michigan.

The six men and the relay team members who qualified in the regional contest will compete in the State meeting at East Lansing tomorrow and Saturday. The guests were Mr. Clarence Vliet, superintendent; Melvin C. Hart, principal of Baldwin High; L. M. Randall, business manager; and the board members, R. J. Correll, Guy Jensen, Ray Palmer, Leigh Lynch, and Fred V. Quanton. The high school art classes made the place cards.

The team journeyed to East Lansing tomorrow to compete in the regional meet at Ypsilanti. Tomorrow they enter in the county meet at Ferndale. The season is concluded on June 7 at Ferndale in the S. E. A. League Meet.

Baldwin and Adams Junior High School trackmen who have been idle so far this season will enter the county meet at Ferndale on June 7.

COOKING CLASS GIVES DINNER TO SCHOOLMEN

Members of the advanced cooking classes of Baldwin Senior High school under the direction of Mrs. Leta Bloomfield, instructor, entertained members of the Board of Education at a dinner May 15 in the school dining room.

The dinner, which is an annual affair, was served by Hazel Symons and Lucille Lowman and prepared by Margaret Shikowsky, Margaret Brooks, Ruth Church, Josephine Newbold, Ruby French, Kate Drumm, and Betty Hiers. The guests were Mr. Clarence Vliet, superintendent; Melvin C. Hart, principal of Baldwin High; L. M. Randall, business manager; and the board members, R. J. Correll, Guy Jensen, Ray Palmer, Leigh Lynch, and Fred V. Quanton. The high school art classes made the place cards.

NEXT YEAR'S SCHOOL CALENDAR ANNOUNCED

The Board of Education announces the following calendar for the 1936-37 school term. The program allows a two weeks' Christmas vacation instead of the customary one week but the schools will not close until the third week of June. Sept. 2, first semester begins; Sept. 2, general teachers' meeting at 2 p. m.; Baldwin High School; Oct. 30 and 31, State Institute at Detroit; Nov. 27 and 28, Thanksgiving recess; Dec. 19, Christmas vacation commences; Jan. 5, school resumes; Jan. 30, mid year commencement; Feb. 2, second semester begins; Apr. 3, Spring vacation commences; Apr. 13, school resumes; June 18, commencement; and June 19, school closes.

CIVICS CLUBS ARE ORGANIZED

Civics clubs have been organized by both the girls and boys' eighth grade civics classes of Baldwin High School in connection with their study of community problems. These clubs have been formed by all the civics classes of Mrs. Golda Holbeck for the past two years and are conducted in the same manner as the regular town civics clubs which give the student an interest in his town activities. Each club draws up his own constitution and elects officers each week. The members sponsor some civic improvement each term to help the community. Citizenship charts are kept by each student on which he keeps a record of all the things he has done for the benefit of the village. These are evaluated each week by the officers and special credit is given the members accordingly.

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GIRL RESERVES NAME OFFICERS

Club Chooses Leaders At Elections in Baldwin High School

The local Girl Reserve club announces the club officers for the school year 1936-37 elected recently at the high school. They are Genevieve Upper, president; Betty Ead, vice-president; Mary Q. Johnson, secretary; Helen Guckelberg, treasurer; and Jessie Prentice, inter-club councilor. The cabinet, which is composed of the active chairman of the program, social, service, publicity and refreshment committees will be appointed by the new officers. The present club officers are Katherine Brown, president; Betty Kidder, vice-president; Katherine Hunt, treasurer; and Dorothy Kirk, secretary.

The club held its annual World Fellowship banquet May 14 in the Mary Griffith room of the Community House and about 30 mothers and daughters attended. Miss Anne Spragg, of the Detroit Y. W. C. A., talked about the girls of the other countries in connection with the world-wide Girl Reserve organization and also told of her experiences with the clubs in different countries when she travelled abroad. Mrs. Katherine Dewly entertained with several vocal and piano numbers.

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