

News of Interest from Schools of Birmingham and Vicinity

Berkley Edges Maple Golfers

By Jack Moses
The Maroon golfers were edged out in the MHSAA golf regionals last Friday by two strokes by the Berkley linkers. The Maroon and White to the finish.

Both of these quartets qualified for the state finals June 7 to be played in Kalamazoo. John Anderson, Cliff Dunn, Pete Whitelaw and Jack Moses will carry the Maroon and White to the finish.

Phister, Groves Win State Class B Events, But Maples Wind Up in Sixth Place

By Jerry Neff

Two state champions topped the Birmingham track squad as it ground to sixth place in the annual state track and field meet at East Lansing last Saturday.

Jac Phister, 440 state champ last year, bested his previous times by over two seconds to tie the state record at 50.9 and shattered the school mark of 52.2 made by Dick Gilbert in 1941.

He led his heat of the race by ten yards and flashed across the finish line in 50.9.

53 Schools Compete

Dick Groves put the shot 46 feet, 5 1/2 inches, surpassing all contenders to take the state championship for Class B.

An interesting sidelight: following his event Dick heaved the shot 47 feet, 10 inches in a practice put, his best effort this season.

With 15 2 1/2 javelins, the Maples rated sixth place out of 53 schools. Other high Class B scores were Alma 25 1/2; Hastings 23 1/2; Adrian 23; Fremont 22; Charlotte 16.

Fine Track at MSC

The fine even track at Michigan State College offered a perfect opportunity for track achievement as schools from the entire lower peninsula competed. Several records were broken while others were tied.

Kocoman of Milan put a humorous touch to his accomplishments as he repeatedly smashed the Class C shot put record which he himself established with every toss. Shultz of Alma tied the Class B 120 high hurdle record of 15.4.

The Maples' mile medley relay team of Jack McBride, Jack Goodwin, Bill Shallberg and Pete Abrecht easily won its heat; but handicapped by absence of competitive pressure to lower the time, placed fifth, five seconds.

Announce Program For Annual Track Dinner on June 3

The annual track dinner will be given June 3 at the Community House honoring Birmingham's regional champion track and field squad.

The program will begin with the audience singing "America" and the invocation given by Reverend Fred Bankl. James Anderson will preside as toastmaster.

Speakers for the dinner are: Vice President, Harold Groves; Baldwin High School, representing Sideline Quarterbacks; Ross A. Wagner, Baldwin principal; Lloyd A. Cooper, Birmingham track coach; Frank Murray, representing the squad fathers; Dr. Dwight B. Ireland, superintendent of Birmingham schools; and Fred Zein, president of "Bucky" Zoellin Memorial Trophy.

Committee of Parents

Parents' committees are Russell McBride, chairman; J. Rowland Quinn, secretary; William Sproull, treasurer; Miss McGillin, secretary; J. Rowland Quinn, program chairman; Mrs. Grant Folin and Miss James Carson, decorations and place cards; Mrs. Russell McBride, invitations and guests; and Russell McBride, tickets.

Officers for next year are Raymond Littleton, chairman; Colin Carson, secretary; Mrs. Ralph Wilson, treasurer.

The track squad includes Pete Adams, Jim McFarland, James Allen, Jim Anderson, Lloyd Appell, Mac Booth, Joe Bowen, Bud Boyton, Clinton Burkman, Colin Campbell, Jim Carson, Earl Carter, Dale Daly, Russel Davies and Gale Elm.

Other Members Listed

Bud Folin, Norman Goddard, Jack Groves, Dick Groves, Sandy Grober, Bill Hickman, Raymond Homer, Stan Hopkins, Dick Jewell, Bob Littleton, Jack McBride and Bob Morgan.

Jim Morse, Jim Munger, Duane Murphy, Charles Murray, Dick Murray, John Parsons, Jim Patterson, Dale Pearson, Joe Phister, Doc Plant, George Pope, Hugh Quinn, Bill Reid, Dick Reilly and Don Rigdon.

Tom Seaborn, Bill Shallberg, John Sheldon, Rod Smith, Stan Smith, Bob Stevens, Dick Stoll, Harry Sturgeon, Guy Tunnicliffe, Bill Van Develier, Bud Worde, Dave Williams, Don Wilson and Larry Young.

Richard Blaiss and Dwight Egbert are managers, and Lloyd A. Cooper is coach.

BALDWIN HIGHLIGHTS

Howdy, you all,

Starting the week end off with a bang playing baseball out Franklin way Friday afternoon were Jo Kleiner, Marlyn Anderson, Adal Wilson, Helen Hemming, Sherrill Williams, Carolyn Abbott and Geneva more. Flogi Moore operated her abox to the baseball players for a box supper party following the game.

Early Saturday morning Annie Gilmore of Jo Laucomer, Mugs Eouse, Mary Powers, Stan Schaefer, Jo Kates and Stan Boynton on their way to cheer the track team at Lansing. Other spectators were Judy Ponn, Carolyn Metzger, Carolyn Hardig Jack Metzger, Lee Daly and Joe Hardig. Doree White, Joan Groves and Harry Bissett were in dance Saturday night. Swaying to mellow music under the palm trees were Jo Gove, De Watson, Margie Horne, Andy Laver, Peggy Gould, Bob Littleton, Mary Lois Cole, John Goodrich, Joan Newman, Ralph Dunbar, Lora Thurston, Deane Cramer, Janice Thomas, Harry Bissett, Mary Grosvenor and Don Ritter.

Held in a spell at intermission, Marilyn Black, Chasen Murray, John Spillman, Tom Roseberry, Lynn Martin, Guy Tunnicliffe, Doree White, Joan Groves, G. Olyn, Ted Herbst, Jo Flues, John Anderson, Alita Tosthaecker and Tony were agreed on the swell ivory pouncing.

Sipping coles and eating ice cream were Mary Ann Wilkinson, Lloyd Appell, Jane Rosewell, Mike Flannery, Sis Daechner, Doree White, Shirley Reinhardt, Pete Whitelaw, Sylvia Robinson, Bob O'Brien, Ruth Kadell and Bob Doyle.

Brumgarer gossiping in a tablely about the super decorations.

More couples were Ann Snyder, Bob Alkens, Nancy Holmes, Ed Beatty, Shirley Weiland, Mike Maloney, Nancy Keyes, Gerry Hughes, Peggy McPhail and Bob Doyle.

A party given by Fritz Weed after the dance attracted Parker Bogus, Chuck Dunn, Bud Worde, Bob Richards, Bill Luscombe and Robin Evans.

"The Jolson Story" drew a crowd Sunday afternoon, among them Jean Kiefer, Rolly Olin, Sue Hestron, Tom Seaborn, Johnny Stark, Jim McCall, Margaret Erwin, George Burdick, Jim Anderson, Bob Seifell and George Pope.

The week end was much too much for Annie, so she will knock off to rest until next week.

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20th CENTURY FOX THEATRE

Sports Showup

By H. Bissett, Jr.

In last week's issue of The Eccentric, there was a conflict between the headline and the story underneath as it pertained to the account of a baseball game. The headline read "Royal Oak" while the story said "Ferndale." The headline was in error—it was Ferndale to which the Maples lost, 2-0, and not Royal Oak. The baseball team thus far has a record of four wins and four defeats.

Birmingham gave a fair account of times last week. It netted a second with Berkley taking the number one slot. The Maples had beaten Berkley twice this season.

The League meet yesterday at Hazel Park saw five teams competing with the strength of at least two of them comparatively unknown to the Maples. Both the Ferndale and Mt. Clemens meets were called off.

The Junior Olympics originally scheduled for Tuesday, May 27, has been postponed until Tuesday, June 3.

Annual GAA Banquet Scheduled June 18 At Devon Gables

The annual GAA banquet honoring top girls in all sports is to be held this year on the afternoon of June 18 at Devon Gables. The chairman is Kern McKay; entertainment, Sally Buck; publicity, Lois Uppinger, and her committee members are Audrey Engel, Mary Gilchrist, and Ginny Marston.

Invitations are Sherrill Williams with Margaret Bernier, Peg McPhail and Nancy Jacob.

The decoration group consists of Betty Drake with Carolyn Abbott, Lois McLeese and Betty Whitelaw.

WALNUT LAKE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Dear Pam:

"Have you bought your dress yet? Well, as our colors are yellow and blue the uniforms and programs should carry out the theme!" "We've decided on white dresses and hostesses!"

These are the main topics of conversation among the eighth graders during the few remaining days before graduation. The rest of the students stand aside and offer a sympathetic smile at our excitement.

Monday the eight grade were the dinner guests of Mrs. Shepard at Friendship House. Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Sawyer also were guests.

We've concluded the brief sketches concerning the eighth graders, so now we'd like to have you know our teacher, Mrs. Muriel Shepard.

She spent her high school days at Bartman and Bardin. She attended Colorado State College of Education and Michigan State College of Education. She began teaching, which happens to be on her list of likes.

She has two sons, one a musician and daughter, Dede. She enjoys stage plays and traveling. Her main dislike is hypocrites.

Mrs. Shepard's hobby is classical music and her favorite sport is tennis. The color she likes best is yellow, and she has two favorite entertainers, Katherine Cornell and Ethel Barrymore.

She likes to go on working with teenagers.

We all think she's swell and will miss her when we go into Barman next year.

Barb.

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NOTICE of School Election

The regular annual school election by the qualified electors of School District of the City of Birmingham, Oakland County, Michigan, for the election of trustees will be held in the Adams, Barnum, Quanton and Pierce School Buildings in Birmingham, Michigan, the Bloomfield Village School Building, Bloomfield Village, Michigan and the Franklin School Building, Franklin, Michigan, on Monday, the 9th day of June, 1947.

The polls for the election will be open in the Adams, Barnum, Quanton and Pierce School Buildings, Birmingham, Michigan, the Bloomfield Village School Building, Bloomfield Village, Michigan, and the Franklin School Building, Franklin, Michigan, June 9, 1947 at 7:00 o'clock A.M. Eastern Standard Time and will close at 8:00 o'clock P.M. Eastern Standard Time.

The following persons have filed nominating petitions with the Board of said District for the office of trustee and their names will appear on the official ballot, a copy of which follows:

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 Lee B. Durham

FOR TRUSTEE (To fill vacancy; Term expiring June 30, 1948) (Vote for not more than one)

Kathryn T. Loomis

Signed: Ernest W. Schohn, Secretary

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