

Last week Birmingham oratory students were hosts to the regional speech contest. Baldwin students Jane Seymour and Dudley Chapman won first places.

Jane received top rating for her dramatic reading "Mama's Bank Account." Dudley earned his first for an original oration entitled "An Old Lesson."

IT SAYS HERE...

By MARY LOU GREGORY

Bill Dodds was host to the Black and White Club for dinner Saturday, May 5. After dinner the boys and their dates went to Edgewater where everyone had a wonderful time. Some couples were Sue Mason, Art Fairbanks, Patty McGinnis, Bill Aikens, Patty Layland, Gordon Shira, Karin Oldberg, Dave Beatty, Margaret Elliott, Tom Luscombe, Sue Manning, Lester Colbert, Janet Weber, Marc Joslyn, Linda Grandnes, Russ Sanders, Betty Aldred, Dave Hershey.

Others who enjoyed themselves were Jane Fisher, Bob Appleford, Andy Snyder, Charles Weir, Jeanne Runkel, Bud Deloria, Gail Burlingame, Bill Dodds, Nancy Johnson, Steve H. Wingham, Mary Ann Bates, Dave Bowen, Judy Tuttle, Dick Emery, Sandra Tischer, Stu Scheifele.

BATTER UP! A group of girls went to the baseball game Sunday afternoon. Although the Tigers lost the game, the girls had a wonderful time. Tiger fans were Judy LaMessure, Barb Stradinger, Sara Reed, Sis Spademan, Peggy Ann Reed, Velma Harris, Marilee Kleiter, Bane Bertling, Barb Averill, Bev Stradinger, Georgia Roehm, Peg Hillcock, Judy Sawyer, Phyllis Abbot, Shirley Abbott, Ginny Townsend.

Others were Jane Gruber, Janice Pike, Estelle Wilson, Cris Adams, Jocelyn Watt, Carol Philon, Jane Kohr, Joan Soroule, Deede Robertson, Jane Kasten, Sharon Cummings, Nancy McCombe, Jan Kindley, Janet Wassock, Gwen Upfeleger, Pat Babcock, Mary VanPetersen.

Kingswood School Elects Officers

Student council elections at Kingswood school were held last week. Anne Coulter was elected president. Betty Hamady, vice-president. Sara Frythall, secretary-treasurer and Sally Lowe is the new president of the Dormitory council.

Retiring presidents are Phyllis Smith of the student council and Martha Lucier of the Dormitory council.

Birmingham Nine Defeats Cranbrook and Hazel Park

By JIM LURKINS

Birmingham turned in its second league victory by defeating Hazel Park 7-2 three last week. Jerry Pike and Tom Tracy joined to hold the Vikings to seven hits and two runs. Pike worked well until the fifth inning when Bob Waldrop tied into a fast ball which went for a homer.

TRACY RELIEVED Pike in the sixth with two runners on and none out. Howard Wiley, first man to face Tracy, fanned but Bill DuBois singled driving in the second run. The next two batters were easy outs.

The Maples scored one run in the first when Bob Siimowski led off with a triple and Tracy scored him minutes later. Birmingham added three more runs in the fourth on three hits and a misplay on the field.

Two runs were added in the sixth, and a long homerun by Jack Watkinson in the seventh with Don Halpin on base ended the Maples' scoring.

Cranbrook Students Wins Honors in Writing Contest

Top award in the Southeastern Michigan writing contest sponsored by Scholastic Magazine and the Detroit News has gone to Cranbrook student Robert Walter, winner of six prizes, including two first places. Son of Lewis H. Walter, sports writer for the Detroit Times, he received a portable typewriter from the contest's sponsor, in addition to two keys and two book awards.

Cranbrook with 34 prize took leadership in the state for schools of comparable size, and received in addition four national prizes granted by the judges in New York. Robert Bartlett received an award in the literary essay class, William Sale in biography, Theodore Price in historical essay and Jan Simpson in radio script.

Local Thinclads Take Win From Hazel Park Team

By TOM LUSCOMBE

The Maple thinclads defeated Hazel Park for their first win of the season recently at Birmingham after dropping meets to Cranbrook and Mt. Clemons.

Local endermen made a good showing by taking 10 of the 13 first places. Outstanding performers were Jack Hooper, triple winner in the 100 yard dash, 250 and 380 relay; Rich Hindley, high hurdles; Ned Sharples, 480; Parker Wolf, 100 hurdles; Tom Luscombe, 880; Dave Bowen, shot put and Kelt Woods, pole vault.

This was the second of league meets, Birmingham having won one and lost one.

SUMMARY IS AS follows: 100 yd. high hurdles (B), Bachman (B), Suttler (HP) 15.8; 100 yd. dash, Hooper (B), Moore (B), Bower (B) (HP) 11.1; mile racecraft (HP), Rockwell (B), Alford (HP) 4:55; 400, Sharples (B), Fairbanks (B), Jones (B), 57.1; 110 low hurdles, Wolf (B), Deloria (B), Sutton (HP) 14.5; 200, Hooper (B); Rawland (HP), Harne (B) 24.5.

Hazel Park Golf Squads Bows to Locals 503-563

The Maple golf quintet of Al Fremody, Tony Printz, Stu Scheifele, Jack Lewis and Jack Wallace trounced Hazel Park 503-563 here last week.

Printz and Scheifele were medalists with 79, while Hazel Parks Doyle McIntosh was low with 87. Jim Duest's 31 putts was closely followed by Al Fremody's 32. Lewis was low man for the first nine with 38, followed by Printz with 40.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S CALENDAR OF EVENTS

The following meetings and events are open to the young people and are supplied by the Coordinating Activities of the Y.M.C.A. Youth Council.

- May 17 10:00 a.m.—Y.M.C.A.—Birmingham Radio Workshop—Franklin Village school building. Through a Measles "Village."
Baldwin students congress (location)—The Rev. John H. Braham.
Birmingham 8th Grade vs. Ferndale: baseball at Ferndale.
May 18 8:00 a.m.—Y.M.C.A. rinkydinks—Baptist Church.
8:00 p.m.—Birmingham Opera Co. "Jerry of the Jericho Band" at Birmingham gym.
May 19 10:00 a.m.—Y.M.C.A. rinkydinks—Baptist Church.
10:30 a.m.—Baldwin Library Saturday story hour.
Baldwin Regionals in track, golf and tennis.
Baldwin vs East Detroit: Track three.
Baldwin vs Berkley: Golf five.
Baldwin vs Berkley: Track here.
May 20 4:00 p.m.—Birmingham 8th Grade vs Cranbrook at East Detroit: Baseball, Tennis here.
Birmingham 8th Grade vs Holy Name: Basketball.
Birmingham 8th Grade vs Hazel Park: Basketball here.
May 21 8:00 p.m.—Birmingham 8th Grade vs Little Oak vs Berkley: Track, here.
Baldwin participates in State Meet. Track and Golf.
May 22 10:00 a.m.—Y.M.C.A. rinkydinks—Baptist Church.
10:00 a.m.—St. James Annual Street Fair.
10:00 a.m.—Baldwin Library Saturday story hour.
1:30 p.m.—Pet Parade.
May 23 1:30 p.m.—Birmingham 8th Grade vs St. Hugo: Baseball at St. Hugo.
May 24 Baldwin vs Fort Payne: Baseball and Tennis at Fort Payne—Track and Golf at Birmingham.
June 1 Baldwin vs Berkley: Baseball at Berkley.
Golf Meet and Tennis State Meet.
3:00 p.m.—Birmingham 9th Grade vs Oak Ridge: Baseball at Oak Ridge.
June 10 10:00 a.m.—Y.M.C.A. rinkydinks—Baptist Church.
10:30 a.m.—Baldwin Library Saturday story hour.
Baldwin—Warre relay in track.
June 4 Baldwin vs Berkley: Golf at Berkley.
June 5 Baldwin: League tennis meet at Ferndale.
June 7 Baldwin: League Track Meet at Baldwin.
3:00 p.m.—Birmingham Tea for 8th Grade Girls and Mothers.
4:00 p.m.—Birmingham 8th Grade vs Royal Oak: Baseball at Burum.
June 7 Baldwin: Election of next year's Student Congress officers.

Spring Concert Slated by Choir For May 24

By BARBARA STRADINGER

Baldwin high school choir will present its annual spring concert, Thursday, May 24, at 8:15 in the school auditorium. The 70 young voices will present a program of spirituals, madrigals, a group of sacred numbers, and four folk songs arranged by Joseph A. Braham.

The program will consist of "Now let all the Heavens Adore Thee," "O Jesus Grant Me Hope and Comfort," "O Bone Jesus," "Grant Us Peace," "In These Days, Lightful Pleasant Groves," Henry Purcell; "Where Allen-A-Dale Went a-Hunting," Robert De Peernal.

The girl's ensemble will sing "When Love is Kind," arranged by Noble Cain; and "The Little Sandman," arranged by Harley Achenbrenner. The mixed ensemble will present "My Heart, Dear Beg You'll Not Forget," J. Lassus; and "My Bonnie Lass She Smith," Joseph Bottomley.

A group of folk songs by Braham will be sung. They are "I'll Enter Your Garden," "The Miller," "How Sad Flow the Streams," and "Awake, Awake!" Other numbers will be "Ride the Carousel," arranged by William Smith; "Soon-As Will Be Done," by William F. Dawson; "I Wish I'm in Heaven Set'n Down," arranged by Byron and Wright; "Weggie Song," by the Kronen; "Tico-Tico," by Ervin Drake and Zequinha Abreu; "Shortnin' Bread," arranged by Don Large.

Local Net Squad Defeated 5-2 by Cranbrook Team

By TOM GARRISON

The Maple tennis team dropped a 5-2 non-league contest at Cranbrook May 8. The only Birmingham wins were in the first singles and doubles, with Woody Peeling, Ken Wilson 5-6, 6-3, Roger Esabe and George Wrenn losing to Tom Plumby 6-2, 3-6.

In the other matches, Bob Appleford was defeated Ted Price 4-5, 7-5, 6-1; and Bertling, fourth singles, vs. Dick Taylor 6-0, 6-1.

The Maple second doubles of Jack Maddox and Rich Spelman lost to John Colwell and Andy Kaplan 6-0, 6-0. Emory and Ned Hagan were defeated by Steve Stubbs and Larry Parker 7-5, 5-0.

The Birmingham netters ferried today in an Eastern Michigan league match. The Maples enter three singles, three doubles in the state regionals at Dearborn-Fordson day and Saturday.

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