

# Tecumseh

## TRACK MEETS ATTRACT STUDENTS' ATTENTION

Seventh Graders Win Thursday; Sixth Grade Beats Fifth

Special to The Telegram

TECUMSEH, Mich., May 6—This week in Tecumseh the boys and girls attending school are out to win as many ribbons as possible in the track events in which their respective grades are participating.

Thursday the sixth, seventh, and eighth grade girls fought out their annual track meet. The seventh grade won with 51 points, while the sixth grade girls were a class second with 51 points, the eighth grade placing third with 40 points. Many of the events were tied for the first four placed and extra time had to be allowed to determine the winners.

The standing broad jump was won by Yvonne Eiler, seventh grade, jumping 5 feet 3 inches; Virginia Brazee, seventh, placed second also jumping 6 feet 3 inches; Ann Gonsderandt and Nellie Howe both sixth graders, tied for third place, both jumping 5 feet ten inches. The high jumpers which determined the meet was won by Genevieve Bennett, sixth grade first; Glendola Whelan, sixth place second; Abrastine Miller, seventh, third and Maxine Owen, eighth, placed fourth.

The running broad jump was won by Lucille Owen, sixth grade jump-

ing 11 feet two inches; Helen Leighton, seventh and Maxine Owen, eighth, placed second and third.

The fifth and sixth grades boys of the central school held their annual track meet Tuesday at the school park. Although the score was 51 to 47, the sixth grade winners of the meet were closely contested in most events.

Four places were awarded in each event, the winners receiving ribbon badges. The meet consisted of low hurdles, 50, 65 and 75 yard dashes, standing and running broad jumps, high jumps and baseball throws.

Floyd Lewis, sixth grade, placed first; Eugene Crane, fifth grade, second; Kenneth French, sixth grade, third; William Clark, sixth grade, fourth. In the low hurdles. The 50 yard dash was won by Clarence Graham, sixth grade, with Richard Boyd, sixth grade, second; William Clark, sixth grade, third and Richard Ferman, fifth grade, fourth.

In the 60 yards dash the fifth grade placed first and third, Thomas Kelly and Louis Sweet winning the honors for their class. Joe Poley and Jim Beardsley placed second and third, respectively, for the sixth grade. In the 75 yard dash, first and third and fourth places were won by Gerald Covell, Charles McLaughlin and Merlin Fuller, fifth grade, while Floyd Lewis, sixth grade placed second.

The Standing broad jump was won by Floyd Lewis, sixth grade, jumping six feet eleven inches. Gerald Rowell and Edward Brazee, fifth grade, placed second and fourth. Joe Poley, sixth, won third place. The running broad jump was won by Allen French, sixth, jumping 11 feet 10 inches. Clarence Graham, fifth grade, placed second, Merlin Fuller, fifth grade, placed third and John Anderson placed fourth.

The contestants in the high jump placed as follows: Kenneth French, sixth grade, first. Floyd Lewis, sixth grade, second; Eugene Crane, fifth grade, third; Allen French, sixth grade, fourth. In the baseball throw Gerald Covell, fifth grade won by a toss of 132 feet. Floyd Lewis, sixth grade, placed second. Allen French, sixth grade placed third and Otis Cornell, fifth grade, placed fourth.

Floyd Lewis, sixth grade was the high point winner, taking two first places and three thirds. Allen French and Gerald Covell also placed high.

The hurdles which was the first event of the meet was won by Mildred Maynard, eighth grade; Lorraine Herring, seventh grade, placing second and Lydia Moody and Genevieve Bennet, sixth grades third and fourth.

Genevieve Bennett and Anna Soucrant were the point winners for

the sixth grade, while Maxine Owen scored for the eighth. The seventh grade honors were more evenly divided.

## ARBOR DAY PROGRAM PRESENTED BY CLASS

Arbor Day was fittingly observed on this afternoon by grade six of the Central school building.

The room was prettily decorated with blossoms and plants. Parents and friends of the pupils and grade five, with the teacher, Miss Branam, were guests.

The following program was given:

Song by the school; Arbor Day quotations. Fred Dickinson, Richard Brownson, Mary E. McCann, Mary A. Smith, Eva M. Cook, Lucille Owen, Ruth LaBounty, Ruby Bachtal, Maxine Welch, Joseph Poley, William Clark, Majel Jones Lydia Moody, John Anderson and Richard Boyd; recitation, "A Psalm of Friendly Trees." Majel Jones; Arbor Day scriptures, Clarence Graham, Kenneth French, Elman Service, Richard Boyd, Majel Jones and Alice Schoenholz. Recitation, "Trees" Mary E. McCann. Recitation, "Remorse," Clarence Graham, Dialogue, "Why I've Kept Arbor Day," Harold Wilson, Allen French, Jeanette Gregg, Alice Schoenholz, James Beardsley, Herbert Hoag and Louis Sweet; essay, "Arbor Day," Kenneth Mench; recitation, "A Word to the Wise," Doris Bower; dialogue, "Address to the Birds" Robert Hamilton, John Anderson, Clarence Graham, Maxine Welch and Allen French; recitation, "Out in the Fields," Richard Boyd; dialogue, "Who Stole the Bird's Nest," James Beardsley, Mary E. McCann, Fred Dickinson, Doris Bower, and Maxine Welch; reading, "Apple Seed Johnny," Elizabeth Sutton.

Remarks were made by Superintendent O. W. Laidlow in the Tecumseh schools.

## SYLVAN GARDENS OPEN SUMMER DANCE SEASON; LOCAL BAND IS SPONSOR

The Tecumseh Ladies Band opened the summer season at Sylvan Gardens, the Sand Lake dance hall, Thursday evening when it sponsored a colorful dance which was attended by more than 200 couples from all parts of the county. Stautler's Orchestra from Tecumseh furnished the music.

The Ladies Band played during the grand march, which was led by Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Moore of this place and also rendered several selections during the evening. The en-

It Isn't a Question of What to Give Mother

on Mothers' Day

Mothers are apt to like anything you give them, but the gift that shows thoughtful choosing is the one that will