

Otisville Girls Win Genesee County Track

Hornets Cop Second Title

Flushing, Goodrich Take Runnerup Spots

By Ed Ackley

Competing with practically the same squad as last year, the Kearsley High girls track team again showed the Genesee County Class B League too much power and depth as the female Hornets strode to their second straight cinder title.

The defending champions outscored their nearest rivals, Flushing, by more than a two-to-one ratio. Kearsley copped the honors with 50½ points, with the runners-up getting only 24.

While the Class B winners were having an easy time, Otisville surprised everyone by taking the Class C laurels in a tight squeeze. The first-place squad accumulated 36 5/6 points, nipping Goodrich with 28 5/6.

Kearsley missed only Mickey Lovett, star female athlete of 1951, but Shirley Young and Joyce Radke performed well enough to win the Class B meet in a breeze.

Miss Young gained first places in the 75-yard dash and the standing broad jump and led off the winning Kearsley relay team. She was the only double winner of the day. Miss Radke copped top laurels in the hop, step and jump event and took a second in the 75-yard dash, and anchored the relay squad.

Besides taking four first places, Kearsley had a pair of seconds, six thirds, two fourths and one fifth place. The other two on the first-place relay team were Mary Ellen Goulsh and Blanche Simmons.

Flushing took two first places, Marjorie Springer in the shot put and Doris Jones in the running broad jump. Lucille Martin of



KEARSLEY DOMINATES DASH—Kearsley High girls track team got off to a good start in winning the Genesee County Class B cinder title Thursday as three girls finished one-two-three in the 75-yard dash. Shirley Young (right) won the event in 9.6 seconds and Joyce Radke (left) was second. Mary Ellen Goulsh is behind Miss Radke in the outside lane. Kearsley successfully defended its 1951 title by amassing 50½ points in the annual meet at Dort Field. (Journal Photo)

Beecher was first in the baseball throw and Marjorie Bedtelyon of Davison was first in the basketball toss.

Third place went to Beecher (20%), fourth was Davison (17), fifth Bendle (5) and sixth Grand Blanc (4).

The Class C champs, Otisville, won three firsts and tied for a fourth in gaining the title. The squad also took three seconds, a third and three fifths.

Virginia Smith and Gail McCormick ran one-two in the 75-yard dash to give Otisville a jump on the other eight squads. Ramona Gray tied for first in the hop, step and jump event with Janet Thomas of Goodrich. Nellie Barden was first in the basketball throw for Otisville and the relay team also won top honors.

Besides Miss Smith and Miss McCormick, the relay team was composed of Pat Craig and Beverly Jackson.

Besides tying for one first place, the second-place Goodrich team took top honors with Kay Scott in the running broad jump and Gloria Johnson in the standing broad jump.

Defending champion, Mandleville, was able only to make third

place on two firsts by Bonnie Beall in the shot put and Sandra DeCorte in the baseball throw.

The Spartanettes gained third with 24 points, Utley was fourth with 13 1/3, Bentley fifth with 11½, Dye sixth with 4½, Swartz Creek seventh with 1 and Mt. Morris St. Mary and Linden failed to place.

Only casualty of the day was Jackie Krish of Bendle. The blonde lass injured a ligament in her right knee while taking practice tries in the running broad jump. She placed fourth in the running broad jump and second in the standing jump last year.

Tests to Be Made On Stomach Contents Of Harness Champ

Lexington, Ky.—AP—Stomach contents of a famed fine harness horse found dead Thursday are being tested at the University of Kentucky to determine if the death was due to poison.

Noble Kalarama was found dead in his stall Tuesday by owner Jack Thompson at Hodgenville. Thompson said the horse

Girls' Track Summaries

Class C

Shot Put — Won by Bonnie Beall (Mandeville); second, Nellie Barden (Otisville); third, Sally Alander (Utley); fourth, Pat Curry (Bentley); fifth, Jean Millille (Swartz Creek). Distance, 29 feet 3¼ inches.

75-Yard Dash — Won by Virginia Smith (Otisville); second, Gail McCormick (Otisville); third, Mert Kirbyson (Bentley); fourth, Kay Raver (Dye); fifth, Nina Sanborn (Bentley). Time, :09.9.

Hop, Step and Jump — Won by Ramona Gray (Otisville) and Janet Thomas (Goodrich); third, Mert Kirbyson (Bentley); fourth, Gloria Johnson (Goodrich); fifth, Virginia Smith (Otisville). Distance, 28 feet 1½ inches.

Running Broad Jump — Won by Kay Scott (Goodrich); second, Bonny Beall (Mandeville); third, Verdi Wright and Phyllis Rainwater (Utley); fifth, Nellie Barden (Otisville), Sally Alander (Utley) and Betty Esson (Goodrich). Distance, 13 feet 6 inches.

Baseball Throw — Won by Sandra DeCorte (Mandeville); second, Irene Borgert (Utley); third, Janet Yale (Otisville); fourth, Pat Curry (Bentley); fifth, Beverly Brown (Dye) and Mert Kirbyson (Bentley). Distance, 169 feet, ½ inch.

Standing Broad Jump — Won by Gloria Johnson (Goodrich); second, Kay Scott (Goodrich); third, Juanita Gage (Goodrich); fourth, Doris Sincok (Mandeville); fifth, Virginia Smith (Otisville). Distance, 7 feet 7 inches.

Basketball Throw — Won by Nellie Barden (Otisville); second, Pat Averill (Otisville); third, Margaret Metevier (Mandeville); fourth, Bonnie Howard (Mandeville); fifth, Pat Tenney (Goodrich). Distance, 76 feet 6 inches.

200-Yard Relay — Won by Otisville (Virginia Smith, Gail McCormick, Pat Craig and Beverly Jackson); second, Goodrich; third, Mandeville; fourth, Dye; fifth, Utley. Time, :26.09.

Class B

Shot Put — Won by Marjorie Springer (Flushing); second, Maxine Carpenter (Davison); third, Shirley Gustafson (Kearsley); fourth, Charlotte Edgecombe (Flushing); fifth, Pat Dunkel (Grand Blanc). Distance, 30 feet ¼ inch.

75-Yard Dash — Won by Shirley Young (Kearsley); second, Joyce Radke (Kearsley); third, Mary Ellen Goulsh (Kearsley); fourth, Doris Jones (Flushing); fifth, Neva Ockerman (Beecher). Time, :09.6.

Hop, Step and Jump — Won by Joyce Radke (Kearsley); second, Geraldine Sayward (Flushing); third, Shirley Young (Kearsley); fourth, Jackie Woodward (Bentley); fifth, Neva Ockerman (Beecher). Distance, 31 feet 3 inches.

Running Broad Jump — Won by Doris Jones (Flushing); second, M. Drews (Bentley); third, Mary Jane Kinney (Kearsley); fourth, Doris Usher (Beecher); fifth, Shirley Rutledge (Kearsley). Distance, 14 feet 2 inches.

Baseball Throw — Won by Lucille Martin (Beecher); second, Marjorie Bedtelyon (Davison); third, Mary Ellen Goulsh (Kearsley); fourth, Shirley Rutledge (Kearsley); fifth, Maxine Carpenter (Davison). Distance, 178 feet ½ inch.

Standing Broad Jump — Won by Shirley Young (Kearsley) and Clara Franklin (Beecher); third, Doris Jones (Flushing); fourth, Pauline Bandur (Kearsley); fifth, Diane Essinger (Flushing). Distance, 8 feet 2 inches.

Basketball Throw — Won by Marjorie Bedtelyon (Davison); second, Barbara Barlow (Kearsley); third, Shirley Gustafson (Kearsley); fourth, Sally Bird (Davison); fifth, N. Key (Bendle). Distance, 84 feet 10 inches.

200-Yard Relay — Won by Kearsley (Shirley Young, Mary Ellen Goulsh, Blanche Simmons and Joyce Radke); second, Beecher; third, Grand Blanc; fourth, Flushing; fifth, Davison. Time :25.05.

Matts Vacate Parochial Cellar On 6-4 Victory

St. Matthew broke its tie for the City Parochial League cellar spot with St. Agnes Thursday with a 6-4 victory over the Crusaders at McKinley Park.

Freshman right-hander Jerry Snyder gave up eight hits but pitched effectively with men on base to preserve the win for the Matts. Pete Klasa, St. Agnes' hurler, also allowed eight hits but the Panthers bunched them for three two-run innings.

The win gave St. Matthew a 1-3 record while St. Agnes is still looking for its first CPL triumph.

Art Beauchesne paced St. Matthew with three hits in four times at bat and Jack Daniels contributed two doubles.

St. Agnes	AB	R	H	St. Matthew	AB	R	H
Klasa, p	4	1	1	Szabo, 2b	3	1	0
Sletzc, c	4	1	1	Paris, lf	3	1	1
Poplek, 3b	3	1	1	Beauchesne, 3b	4	2	3
Bonomo, cf	3	0	1	Ferry, m, c	3	0	1
Finn, 1b	3	0	0	Daniels, cf-1b	3	1	2
Bishop, rf	3	0	2	Draper, rf	2	0	0
Talman, rf	3	0	0	Ferry, p, ss	2	0	0
Louretto, ss	3	0	0	Snyder, p	2	1	1
Routhier, 2b	3	1	1	MacArthur, 1b	2	0	0
				Fearon, cf	1	0	0
Totals	29	4	8	Totals	26	6	8

St. Agnes	002	020	0-4
St. Matthew	002	200	x-6
EB—Ferry, 1	MacArthur, 2	Snyder, 1	
REB—Daniels, 4	Poplek, 1	Bonomo, 3	
Paris, Ferry, M. 3B—Bonomo, 2B—Daniels, Poplek, Daniels.	SB—Bonomo, Szabo 2.	Draper, DP—Snyder, ROB—B. Ferry.	

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New Golf League Set for Women

A Genesee County Golf League for women was organized Thursday afternoon at Flint Golf Club. The group will play every other Saturday morning and will be the guest at a different Genesee County course each time.

Officers for the group elected Thursday; are Mrs. Hal Seeley, president; Mrs. Earl Ginger, vice-president; Mrs. Victory Ryden, treasurer; Miss Janet Applehof, secretary, and Mrs. Tom Bowles, publicity chairman.

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