

T.C. Thinclads Do Well in Huron Relays

Traverse City Central's track team finished 27th in a field of 57 schools at the Huron Relays at Ypsilanti Saturday night and according to Coach Jim Ooley "did real well."

The local team has not been out of doors yet and apparently will not get outside in the near future and the team's placing where it did, was due to the enthusiasm of the squad, working under great odds.

Individually, Dick Wollam finished in fourth place in the pole vault, clearing 12 ft. 6 inches, but missing at 12-10. The winning height in this event was 13 ft. 1 1/2 inches. John Martoni ran a 4:55 mile. Gary LaMott ran 8.7 in the high hurdles, reaching the semis before being eliminated. Bill Myers ran a 6.6 60 yard race in the qualifying heats but was in a fast heat and eliminated. The winning time in the final was 6.5 seconds. Bob Diller put the shot over 45 ft. 8 inches and Myers was over 40 feet but the two combined totals did not place. Both Bob Kortokrax and John Martoni were over 18 feet in the broad jump.

In the two relays, the Trojans also did well, placing sixth in the sprint medley and 19th in the mile relay. The split times in the sprint relay were Myers 52.8 in the 40, Bob Diller and Mike Allison 25.2 in the 220 and Bob Kortokrax 2:07 in the 880. In the mile relay Myers again ran a 52.8, Allison was 55.5, LaMott 27 and Kortokrax 55.5 for a 3:41.8 overall time. The time for the sprint medley was 3:51.2 minutes.

The local team will enter a full team in this week's Sagnaw-Arthur Hill Invitational at Central Michigan University Friday night.



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