

Union City Edges Athens in Track

Union City nipped Athens at Jonesville, 81-23. It was the final Union City yesterday in one of the closest Little C Conference track meets of the season, 55½ to 53½.

In the other meet on the Union City layout, defending league champion Litchfield whipped Reading, 78½ to 31½.

KCC Golf Team Loses 3-Way Meet

JACKSON—The Kellogg Community College golf team finished third in a three-way meet here yesterday at the Jackson Country Club bowing to Jackson, 9½-5½, and to Flint JC, 11½-3½.

Hoppy Adair was the big point-getter for the Bruins winning all three points against both the Jackson and Flint opponents. The other KCC points were scored by Tom Reynolds who won two and one-half points in his match against the Jackson foe and one-half point against the Flint golfer.

Vinix Smits, Tom Hodges and John Neigh all lost all three points to both their opponents.

Gull Lake Wins 3-Way Golf Meet

Gull Lake High ran its record to 9-3 in all meets by winning a three-school golf test yesterday over the Gull Lake Country Club course.

The Blue Devils finished with 168 while Parchment hit 199 and Delton 213.

Paul Dubnicka fired a low 46 for Gull Lake while Jim Scott and John Light each hit 41 and Chuck Baumer 46.

Bob Randall hit 46, Scott Wagner 50, Terry Coon 51 and Mike Lappin 52 for Parchment while Jamie Poyer shot 45, Roger Husson 51, Mike Bourdo 58 and Tim Knowlton 59 for Delton.

Play Wednesday

The Central High-Benton Harbor doubleheader, which was rained out last Saturday, will be played at Post Ball Park starting at 3 p.m. tomorrow. Speed-up rules will be used in an attempt to get both seven-inning ball games in before darkness.

Slupensons and Amberford, all of whom will be going in the Derby Saturday and each with a story behind his name.

There's a touch of sadness and memory in the name of Abe's Hope, 5-2 choice to win the 92nd running of the 1¼-mile classic for 3-year-olds. He was named for his 71-year-old Hungarian groom, Vele Bojinoff, with the nickname of Abe.

As a yearling, the groom told trainer Del Carroll, "This horse is going to win the Kentucky Derby." So the Illinois-bred son of Better Bee was named Abe's Hope. Vele never got a chance to see if his prophecy would come true. He died last year of cancer.

Kauli King, the 7-2 second choice, came by his name through his ancestry and a trip to the island of Hawaii.

3 Middleville Shot Putters Set Records

NASHVILLE — Middleville High School's three powerful shotputters hit their career peaks here yesterday to lead the Trojans past Maple Valley in an Expressway League track and field meet, 68-41.

Gary Van Elst, a sophomore, won the shot put with a new school record heave of 57 feet, 10½ inches. His brother, Dave who is a senior, hit a new personal high of 55 feet, 6 inches, and teammate Jamie Rohrbacher also hit a career high of 50 feet, 3½ inches.

Vance Hiteon led Maple Valley on victories in the low hurdles with a new school record of 22.8 and took the high jump.

- (First Place Winners)**
- 800 relay—Maple Valley, 3:24.4
 - 100—Van Elst (SO), 1:08.4
 - 200—Van Elst (SO), 2:17.3
 - 400—Terry Apple (SO), 2:48.4
 - 800—Tom Warner (SO), 3:02.2
 - 100—Liz Vance Hiteon (SO), 22.3 (New school record)
 - 200—Warner (SO), 24.6
 - 400—Hiteon (SO), 3:02.2
 - 800—Hiteon (SO), 3:30.0
 - 1000—Warner (SO), 3:30.0
 - 1500—Warner (SO), 3:30.0
 - 2000—Warner (SO), 3:30.0
 - 3000—Warner (SO), 3:30.0
 - 4000—Warner (SO), 3:30.0
 - 5000—Warner (SO), 3:30.0
 - 6000—Warner (SO), 3:30.0
 - 7000—Warner (SO), 3:30.0
 - 8000—Warner (SO), 3:30.0
 - 9000—Warner (SO), 3:30.0
 - 10000—Warner (SO), 3:30.0

Hastings Defeats Lakewood High, 4-3

HASTINGS — Dave Bjork limited Hastings to one hit here yesterday but that single by Steve Schondelmayer sparked a four-run fourth inning rally that beat Lakewood in a West Central league baseball thriller, 4-3.

Two walks and two Lakewood errors were sandwiched around the single by Schondelmayer. Bjork did everything but win the game. He allowed only one hit and tripped in the fifth inning but Hastings hung on to

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