

Sophomores Win Class Track Meet At Geneva

Geneva, April 4.—The Sophomore class of the Geneva high school won the inter-class track and field meet held on the local school ground last week. Due to the rainy weather, the records made were not what they might have been otherwise, but from the showing made in practice, the G. H. S. seems to have a well balanced first class track team.

Pyle has been doing well above 19 feet in the broad jump and 5 feet 4 inches in the high jump, but due to the fact that he was entered in seven of the events in the meet, and the bad condition of the grounds, he did not show up as well as he did in practice. Renner of the Sophomore class was highpoint man of the meet with 15 points.

Striker followed with 14 and Pyle was next with 13. The points scored by the respective classes were as follows: Sophomores, 31 1-3; Juniors,

21 1-3; Seniors, 19 1-3; and Freshmen, 0. The sophomores had five men to break into the point column, the Juniors four and seniors, two.

The events were as follows:
100-yard dash:
Renner, Soph., first; Pyle, second; Striker, Junior, third.

Shot put:
Striker, Junior, first; Blum, Soph., second; Pyle, senior, third. Distance, 37 feet and 6 inches.

220-yard dash:
Pyle, senior, first; Renner, Soph., second; Bradford, Junior, third. Time, 27 seconds.

Half-Mile Run:
Blum, Soph., first; Lybarger, senior, second; Dehoff, Junior, third. Time, 2:22.

Running High Jump:
Severance, Junior, first; Pyle, senior, second; Renner and Drew, Sophs., tied for second and third. Height, 5 feet.

Pole Vault:
Striker, Junior, first; Lybarger, senior, second; Dehoff, Junior, Renner

and Drew, Sophs., tied for third. Height, 8 1-2 feet.

Standing Broad Jump:
Renner, Soph., first; Striker, Junior, second; Charleston, Soph., third. Distance, 9 feet, 7 inches.

Running Broad Jump:
VanSkyock, Soph., first; Pyle, senior, second; Renner, Soph., third. Distance, 18 feet.

KEEPING CHILDREN IN SCHOOL NO LITTLE JOB

Indianapolis, April 4.—Keeping the Hoosier youth in school is more of a job than most folks realize.

A little army of 159 attendance officers is employed by the State to keep a vigilant eye on the 538,079 children of ages from seven to sixteen.

Every county has a county officer who keeps many cities employ several. In 1923, for example, the "army" kept 72,339 truants in school. Others escaped in the following manner: physically unfit, 5,950; entering industry, 2,854, and 3,860 migrating with family to unknown places.

Why kids desert the classroom is an interesting phase of the attendance officer's job. Miss Blanche Merry, State attendance officer, outlines the reasons as follows:

1. Dislike for school. Some gave the excuse they desired to work; several "threatened" to take their life, while other, to evade the law, bought a marriage license, found a girl and got married.

2. Incurable and delinquent action caused some to be counted nuisances by the teachers. Juvenile court is given authority over this type.

3. Discouraged pupils. Those who are unable to keep up with more apt pupils.

4. Physically defective children. Bad teeth, diseased tonsils, adenoids, defective eyesight are the cause of many "failures" in school.

5. Socially handicapped, such as motherless girls with responsibilities of home; brothers and sisters to care for; abandoned by parents; children of divorced parents or with parents dependent upon them.

6. Lack of transportation facilities and poverty of families.

7. Objection of parents to public high school because of religious belief.

"The child who is handicapped by any of these conditions presents the saddest, most difficult and most expensive attendance problem," Miss Merry, declared.

Gold braids is employed as a novel sort of trimming on the white satin frock.

Liquid Lime and Sulphur for spraying fruit trees and for disinfecting chicken coops, on hand.—H. Knapp & Son.

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ITCHING ECZEMA DRIED RIGHT UP WITH SULPHUR

Any breaking out of the skin, even fiery, itching eczema, can be quickly overcome by applying a little Rowie's Mentho-Sulphur, says a noted skin specialist. Because of its germ destroying properties, this sulphur preparation instantly brings ease from skin irritation, soothes and heals the eczema right up and leaves the skin clear and smooth.

It seldom fails to relieve the torment and disfigurement. Sufferers from skin trouble should get a little jar of Rowie's Mentho-Sulphur from any good druggist and use it like a cold cream.

HAVE DARK HAIR AND LOOK YOUNG

Nobody Can Tell When You Darken Gray, Faded Hair With Sage Tea

Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and attractive with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Whenever her hair took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, all ready to use, at very little cost. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound now because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use, too. You simply dampen a comb or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By ignoring the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and beautiful.

The Society

CLUB CALENDAR

Friday
W. R. C. — Legion Hall, 2 p. m.
S. and S. Club—Miss Ireta Shakley, Annual North Ward play, "On Mid-Summer's Day," high school auditorium, 7:30 p. m.

Kirkland Township Ladies Club—High School, 1 p. m.
Minnehaha Club—Lodge Room.
W. H. M. S. of M. E. Church—Mrs. W. J. Bowen, 313 Madison street, 2:30 p. m.

Wednesday
Historical Club—Mrs. S. E. Hite.
Shakespeare Club—Mrs. J. E. Peterson.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian church met at the home of Mrs. Noah Mangold Thursday afternoon with a large number in attendance. Reports from the gray and blue sections were made, the contest having been held during the month of March. Dr. Emma Charles was captain of the gray and Mrs. Nora Railing, was captain of the blue side. Mrs. Charles reported \$153.81 for her side and Mrs. Railing reported \$177.35, total receipts for the month being \$331.16. The captains and members worked very hard to make the contest a success and were very much pleased with the results obtained. Mrs. Mangold was presented with a lovely gift of two pairs of silk hose, the occasion being her birthday. The hostess was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Kern, in serving delectable refreshments.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian Church will hold their annual Bake Sale, Saturday, April 19, at the White Meat Market. All sorts of home made cakes, pies, etc., for Easter, will be on sale.

A profusion of spring flowers in low bowls made a pretty setting for the clever announcement party given last evening by Miss Faye Stelts, at which time she announced the engagement and approaching marriage of her intimate friend, Miss Mary Brown. The electrolaters were gay with shades of bright yellow and white and tiny bunches of spring flowers, which gave forth a glow of soft mellow light throughout the home. Games and music furnished the diversions of the evening after which a delightful three-course luncheon was served. A corsage of sweet peas marked the place of the honored guest and tiny nosegays were given the other guests as favors. A miniature radio broadcasting station almost hidden in a bed of flowers made a clever centerpiece. The receiving stations were placed at each guest's place and were adorned with tiny white wedding bells. The message "listen" was written on each bell except the one at the place of Urcile Amspaugh, her message being "Mary and Frisbie, April 29, 1924, Los Angeles, Cal." Miss Brown is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Brown and since her graduation from the Decatur High School with the class of '20 has been employed as book-keeper at the First National bank. Miss Brown will leave next week for Los Angeles, where she will meet her fiancé, M. A. Frisbie, of Elkhart, who with his aunt, Mrs. Patton, and Miss Alma Brown, sister of the bride-elect, has been in the west since last fall. Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Frisbie will sail for the Hawaiian Islands where they will spend their honeymoon. The girls who attended the party last evening were Misses Urcile Amspaugh, Bernice Nelson, Mary Polling, Esther Archbold, Laura and Helen Stanley, Serena Hornada, Naomi Stults, the guest of honor and her mother, Mrs. S. E. Brown. Miss Stults was assisted in serving by Miss Hornada.

The Ever Ready class of Methodist Church entertained the members of their families at a pot luck supper last evening in the parlors of the church. After the supper a fine program was rendered including several selections by the male quartette and Junior choir. Games were played and general good time was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Butler entertained at dinner today in honor of the birthday anniversary of their granddaughter, Miss Zula Porter, and also that of Mrs. Butler. Members of the immediate families were guests.

Purdue Beats DePauw

Lafayette, Ind., April 4.—Purdue scored an 11-to-4 victory over DePauw in the opening game of the season for both teams here yesterday afternoon.

Stone Is Approved

Washington, April 4.—The nomination of Harlan F. Stone of New York, to be attorney general, today was ordered favorably reported by the senate judiciary committee without a record vote.

Getting Too Fat? Try This—Reduce

People who don't grow too fat are the fortunate exception. But if you find the fat accumulating or already cumbersome, you will be wise to follow this suggestion, which is endorsed by thousands of people who know. Ask your druggist for Marmola Prescription Tablets and follow directions. One dollar is the price the world over. Get them from your own druggist or send price direct to Marmola Co., 4612 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich. By doing this you will be safe from harmful drugs and be able to reduce steadily and easily, without starvation diet or tiresome exercise.

Two-cent chicken supper, Yeoman hall, Saturday 5 to 7 p. m. Program following supper. Public invited. F-S

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The Tonic and Laxative Effect of Laxative BROMO QUININE Tablets will keep the system in a healthy condition and thus ward off all attacks of Colds, Grip or Influenza. The box bears the signature of E. W. Grove, 30c.

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The DeMille Production "GRUMPY"

with Theodore Roberts

May McAvoy

and Conrad Nagel

Grouchy, lovable wise Grumpy. See him solve an enthralling mystery and save two young lovers from disgrace.

Also—"The Leather Pushers" 10c-15c

TOMORROW—

"Oh Boy," Some Show

Chas. (Buck) Jones

in "SKID PROOF"

Be skid proof in Love, Business and Joy Riding.

See How It Is Done.

Also—"Somebody Lied"

Some Comedy.

Special Matinee Every Saturday for Children....5c

Night 10c-20c

The New Jewelry For Spring

It is lovely, so colorful, so prettily designed, so smart in style. You never saw such attractive Rings, Pins, Buckles, Necklaces, Bracelets, and so on. Just what you want with your Easter costume—and for Easter gifts.

Until you come in and see our displays you have no idea of the stunning effects you can secure. Stunning effects you can secure a touch of modish smartness can be added to sport, street or formal costume, or a personal characteristic made more attractive.

Flexible Bracelet in all the popular colors \$2.00 to \$10.00

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The man who started Chalmers Union Suits in this garage was a salesman—and he sold the idea to the rest of the organization.

Next—they went into the repair department and put a stop to the Underwear grind with the men who grind the cylinders.

Then the tire man got interested—he was tired of bending in Underwear that wouldn't bend—he bought a Chalmers.

The Battery man was low in Underwear—he's high in spirit now.

The man at the Gas Tank—the man with the Chamois—the man who adjusts the carburetor and the man who tows you in—they are all wearing Chalmers Union Suits today and they are all as happy as larks.

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Silk Hose with Clox.

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BETTER CLOTHES FOR LESS MONEY—ALWAYS—
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ILLINOIS MERCHANT GIVES FACTS IN CASE

George H. Kniess, Of Polo, Found Relief From Stomach Trouble 5 Years Ago—Gives Tanlac Full Credit.

"Never in my life have I enjoyed better health than I do since taking Tanlac," recently affirmed George H. Kniess, a retired merchant, of Polo, Ill.

"My Tanlac experience dates back five years when I took it for stomach trouble. The gas from my undigested food would press on my heart and almost cut off my breath. Along with these smothering spells I would

have dizzy attacks and was in such a condition that it handicapped me in attending to business.

"Before I had finished my first bottle of Tanlac I began to straighten right up. My appetite came back with a rush and all my stomach misery soon went away. Three bottles of Tanlac put me to eating like I never had before and my weight went up around twenty-five pounds. Tanlac did a lasting job, too, for I am still feeling fine. You can't beat Tanlac."

Tanlac is for sale by all good druggists. Accept no substitute. Over 49 Million bottles sold.

Take Tanlac Vegetable Pills.



I Was No Beauty

As a girl—till these ways made me so
By Edna Wallace Hopper

I was not a natural beauty. Many a girl had finer figure and complexion. But my mother went with me to search the world for the greatest beauty helps in existence. Those helps made me a famous beauty, and kept that beauty to my grand old age.

I have seen those helps bring multiplied beauty to countless young girls since then. They have brought to many friends of mine decades of added youth. That is why I now am helping millions to obtain them.

The Supreme Help

Clay is the greatest beauty help that ever came to women. Famous beauties have for ages used it. Now in every circle you see its marvelous effects. It purges the skin of all that mars, leaving one a baby-like complexion. It firms the skin, combats all lines and wrinkles, reduces enlarged pores. No girl or woman who knows its results will ever go without it.

France gave to me a super-clay, white, refined and dainty. It is based on 20 years of scientific study. No crude and muddy clays can bring comparable results. I call it my White Youth Clay. To that I owe my youthful bloom, which countless women envy. Now that White Youth Clay is at your call. The price is 50 cents and 41.

Matchless Cream

My Youth Cream is the greatest cold cream science has perfected. It contains both lemon and strawberry. Also all the best that science knows to foster the skin texture.

I use it after my clay. Also as a night cream. Also daytimes as a pow-

der base. Never for an hour am I without it to soften, whiten, feed and protect the skin. Now I offer you that Youth Cream. The price is 60 cents.

My Facial Youth is a liquid cleanser perfected by French experts. Now the great masters of beauty, the world over, employ it.

It contains no animal, no vegetable fat. The skin cannot absorb it. But it penetrates the skin to the depths. When I wipe it off, all the dirt and grime, all the refuse comes with it. I never knew what a clean skin meant until I found Facial Youth.

Now you may use that cleanser. My Facial Youth costs 75 cents.

My Beautiful Hair grows finer every year. Falling hair, dandruff or gray hair have never been known to me.

All that is due to my Hair Youth. I apply it with an eye dropper, directly to the scalp. It keeps the hair roots free from hardened oil and dandruff. It stimulates and fertilizes. I have never known anything bring to men or women the results Hair Youth brings me.

My Hair Youth costs 50 cents and 41. No one who tries it for one week will never go without it.

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