

THE DALLAS POST Sports

Back Mt. trackmen will go to state

Four and possibly five members of Dallas Senior High School will go to the state championships next week on the tartan turf at Shippensburg State College. The top two finishers in each event at the District II track championships last Friday night qualified.

John Majewski, Mike McGroarty, Jim Swepton, Pete Shiner, and perhaps, Harry Vroomen will make the trip in an event to bring home a track title.

The Dallas cinderman finished third in the team scoring behind Meyers and GAR in Class AA of the districts where records fell by the wayside as they usually do when the men run on the spartan turf.

Eight new records and one tie were set in the AA class. In the 880 yard run, the first five finishers broke last year's record of 2:00.6 set by Roger

Sherman of Dallas. Meyers' W. Brew came in first with a time of 1:56.2, then John Green of GAR 1:58.2. Harry Vroomen, Dallas, was third with 1:58.4; M. Jamilkowski, Hanover 1:59.3, and Dunmore's Chris Grega 1:59.5.

A unique situation exists in this event in that Coach Clint Brobst of Dallas remembered an old rule in the state which specifies that if a finisher has a fantastic record, it can be submitted to Harrisburg. The state then takes all the times for that event around the state and if the finisher is within the first ten times, he qualifies for state. Thus, Vroomen may have an opportunity to compete in the state championships this weekend.

Jim Swepton of Dallas came in second in the 330 Intermediate Hurdles with

a time of 43.1 behind Hanover's Neal Naemy who set a new record 40.9, breaking his brother's record of 41.5.

John Majewski set a new record of 6-6 in the high jump breaking his previous record of 6-3. Mike McGroarty finished second with 6 feet.

Pete Shiner came in second in the discuss for Dallas with a distance of 132.2 feet.

Other men placing from Dallas were Tom Kearney, fifth, mile run; Tim Cross, 220 yd. dash, fifth; Dallas relay team, third, two mile relay.

Bill Sennick, Tom Spell,

and Mike Gennetts will represent Lake-Lehman at states. Sennick placed first in the discuss with a distance of 141-10. Snell came in second in the triple jump behind Scott Reader of Crestwood, and Gennetts placed second behind Meyers' Bill Joseph who set a new record of 181-11 in the javelin event.

Others finishing in the top five for the Knights were Paul DeBarry, fifth, 120 yd. hurdles; Pete Sharp, third, two mile run; Relay team, fifth, two mile relay; and Mark DeCesaris, fifth, pole vault.

Lake-Lehman loses two, drops to sixth

Lake-Lehman Knights dropped a 6-1 game to St. John's and a 6-4 contest with Crestwood to drop from fifth to sixth place in Division II of the Wyoming Valley Baseball Conference.

St. John's went out in front 2-0 in the bottom half of the first inning. The Knights came back with one run in the second inning when Bert Balliett came in from third on a ground out to the infield. It marked their lone run of the game.

The Johnnies' Pellegrini

held the Knights to four hits and drove out a double and a single to help win his own ball game. Frank Baldiga and Bob Murphy had two singles each in four times at bat and each scored a run. Catcher J. Dorbad knocked out a long triple.

Pellegrini struck out eight and walked one. Chris Yanchik fanned four and walked four.

In Wednesday's game with the Comets, the Knights took a one run lead in the second inning but Crestwood picked up two



FIVE SUCKERS--Dallas basketball players presented the program at the recent banquet and used guests at the head table in one of their skits. The boys added the guests as poles for their phone lines then when one asked the other how he did fishing, he replied, "all I got were five suckers on my line."

Misericordia plans tennis instruction

College Misericordia will offer two sessions of tennis lessons again this summer, to be instructed by Miss Sara Gregory, physical education instructor at the college and Coach of the tennis team.

The first session is scheduled to be held from June 21 through July 9, while the second will be held from July 12 through July 30. There will be two sections in each session. Registration is being held at the college now.

Rattlesnake round-up June 19-20

At its recent meeting, the Noxen-Monroe Sportsman Club selected June 19 and 20 for its Fourth Annual Rattlesnake Round-up to be held on the club grounds located in Noxen.

Last year's hunt saw in excess of 100 snakes captured and entered in the contest. Two contestants were bitten and required hospitalization.

Registration to become a contestant will begin at 5 p.m. on June 18, and continue through the hunt Saturday and Sunday. Prizes will be awarded for the largest and smallest rattlesnake, the most rattlesnakes, and the rattlesnake having the most rattles. There will not be an admission charge to the club grounds.

For the early hunters, breakfast will be served on the club grounds Saturday and Sunday beginning at 5:30 a.m.

All snakes must be captured alive and unharmed. All snakes captured become the property of the Sportsman Club and will be released in their natural habitat by the club at a later date.

For more information contact Lew Hackling, chairman, or Carl Siglin, co-chairman, Noxen.



MAY QUEEN--Tracy Innes (left) of Sutton Road, Shavertown, was crowned May Queen of Wyoming Seminary's recent May Day. Jane Robinson, RD 4, Dallas, was an attendant for the event. Miss Innes and Miss Robinson were co-chairmen of the May Day program, a student-organized hour of skits, musical numbers and gymnastics.

Grenaders jinx continues to plague Dallas nine

Dallas Mountaineers lead Division II of the Wyoming Valley Baseball Conference with a 9-2 record and both those losses were to GAR.

In a game that went nine innings, Friday, at the Mounts' field, the Grenadiers edged the Mountaineers 2-1 scoring their winning run in the top of the ninth.

Both teams were scoreless until the top of the seventh when GAR's Breese went to first on a shortstop's error in the infield. He went to second on the next player's walk and made the score 1-0 when he came across the plate on Elmy's single to the outfield. The Mounts rallied in the

bottom half of the seventh with a single by Jeff Supulski, a sacrifice down the first base line by Brian Sickler and a long double by Ray Smith, scoring Supulski. Banks walked the next batter to fill the bases but Dallas left the runners stranded.

Both teams went scoreless in the eighth but with the score 1-1 in the ninth, Breese struck out for GAR but went to first on the catcher's error. Griffiths knocked out a single and right fielder Bromfield singled to bring in Breese for a 2-1 score. The Mounts hopes rose when, with two out, Supulski got on an error. Their hopes were short-

lived when southpaw Steve Skammer hit a long drive to the outfield pulled in by Wysocki for the third out and a second win by GAR over Dallas.

It was a pitcher's contest with Banks giving up seven hits and Skammer only four. But GAR's outstanding defense was the Dallas nine's downfall. Their outfielders turned in a stellar performance.

In Wednesday's game with Hanover, pitcher John Reese set the tempo for the

Mountaineers by striking out seven and driving out a double to lead Dallas in a 6-1 victory over the Hawkeyes.

The Mountaineers scored six runs on the five hits but walks and errors played a major role in the win.

Reese held the Hawkeyes to four hits and he had gone defensive play behind him.

Steve Skammer, centerfield, knocked a double in four times at bat and Ray Smith, designated bitter, also McCarthy had

a two base hit for Hanover. Scoring for Dallas were Jeff Supulski, Greg Steele, Smith, Jim Walsh and Bruce Riefenstahl.

Reese matched his seven strikeouts with seven walks. Kerestes fanned six for the Hawkeyes and walked six.

Hanover stands at 9-3, half game behind the Mountaineers.

Skammer pitched a two-hitter on Monday to keep the Mountaineers in the lead as they shut out

Crestwood 4-0 on the Back Mountain field.

The Mountaineers got off to an early start in the first inning when Supulski tripled and Steele sacrificed his short hit up the middle to give Supulski a chance to score.

The Mountaineers schedule calls for three games this week, St. John's Monday, called because of wet grounds; at Seminary Tuesday, and a make up game with Lake-Lehman Friday.



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