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High School Athletics

BASEBALL
The baseball game between Birmingham and Ypsilanti had to be played four innings over-time to decide the winner last Thursday afternoon on the local sandlot when the score was tied in the seventh inning. Plotkin pitched a fine game for the opposing team but three runs up to the ninth when he was pulled from the box and replaced by Curtis who gave the Ypsilanti team two runs. Birmingham came back by taking two runs for itself and again tied the score. Plotkin returned to the box in the tenth and held them to no runs. In the eleventh inning fell victim to what Coach Van Winkle expressed as "form", incidentally the ball game went with the arrival of "form" when the opposing team scored six runs. The final score was 11 to 5. Bradley caught for Birmingham.

The batting average of the team is .246 with the individual standings as follows:

Player	A. B.	H.	Pct.
Taylor	11	3	.273
Plotkin	28	9	.321
Swehla	34	10	.294
Coomer	24	2	.083
Curtin	4	1	.250
Thompson	37	9	.243
Cromb	22	2	.091
Bradley	25	5	.200
Munn	25	6	.240
Streib	11	1	.091
Parks	6	1	.167
Schwarze	18	1	.056

TRACK
The Oakland County Grade School track meet which was held at Barnum Field on Saturday, May 22, was attended by 225 boys from Birmingham, Pontiac, Royal Oak, Ferndale, Hazel Park, Oak Ridge, Holly, Oxford, Clawson, Walled Lake, Rochester and Berkley.

The winners in the various classes were as follows:

Class	Winner	Score
Class 1—60-80 lb.	Perry, Hazel Park	71.2
2. Stone, Birmingham	69	
3. Cox, Farmington	68.5	
Class 2—111-125 lb.	Steele, Royal Oak	74.7

2. Voorheis, Pontiac 71
3. Walker, Oxford 63.5
Class 2—95-110 lb.
1. Schwartz, Birmingham 88
2. Rainey, Birmingham 81.2
3. Coore, Royal Oak 85
Class 4—111-125 lb.
1. Wright, Oxford 56.0
2. Hazel Park 56.3
3. Patterson, Holly 54.5
Class 5—Unlimited
1. Gallen, Pontiac 78
2. Woodworth, Pontiac 81.3
3. Wright, Ferndale 81
4. Gallen, Pontiac 81.2
1. Schwartz, Birmingham 88
2. Rainey, Birmingham 81.2
3. Gallen, Pontiac 78

The meet as a whole was won by Pontiac, the scores of the four highest scores are given below.
School Winner
1. Pontiac, Score 281.8
2. Ferndale, Score 251.5
3. Hazel Park, Score 240.6
4. Birmingham, Score 237.5
Pontiac Gets Trophy Cup
To Pontiac was awarded the Y. M. C. A. trophy cup which must be won three years by any place to be entitled to permanent possession. This cup was won in 1922 by Ferndale, 1923 by Oakridge, 1924 Royal Oak and 1925 Oak Ridge.
Gold, silver and bronze medals suitably inscribed were awarded to all the winners in the various class contests. Birmingham boys won five of these medals. H. Schwartz was awarded two gold medals, one for first place in meet and one for first place in his class; S. Rainey received a medal for second place in meet and second place in class; J. Stone won a medal for second place in class.

High School Track Team Loses
The high school track team lost to Pontiac Friday 79 to 50. Porteus was high scorer for Birmingham. It was Coach Van Winkle's opinion that competition with Pontiac was unfair since the enrollment of the two schools is at such variance. "If Pontiac is allowed to enter in these meets in the future, there should be an age restriction of 18 years," stated Van Winkle.
Yesterday afternoon Birmingham swamped Rochester in the Dual Track Meet with a score of 94 to 24. Taylor was high point man with a total of 16 points; Gaffill came in second in the meet with a total of 13.

TENNIS
Two victories this week, one over Holly Monday, the other over Farmington Thursday, brought the Girls' tennis team into second place in the county meet, with Royal Oak first. One more game with Rochester this afternoon will close the schedule for this spring. Montelle Hoffman and Avis Gravin make up the team.
David Gaffill and Fred Whittlesey have been put on the Boys' team to replace the two former senior players who have been relieved of that task because of increasing studies and senior activities. In the two games of the past week this new combination broke even, losing to Holly and winning from Farmington. They are third in county meet.

"ECO CITY HOMES IN BIG DEMAND" — HUMPHREY
"Vacant houses in our Eco City subdivision are being rented as fast as we can list them," said Rex Humphrey, of Leinbach-Humphrey Co., this week. "Our company this week closed a deal with the General Motors Corporation to rent employees of the Yellow Coach Co., the new factory which the G. M. Co. will build south of Pontiac, 50 of our have rented 20 houses in the past ten days."

Mr. Humphrey stated that at the present time there is a great shortage of houses in Pontiac. He prophesied great industrial expansion for Pontiac, which means much real estate activity.

SPLENDID BILL PROMISED AT KEITH'S TEMPLE SHOW
Albertina Rasch's "Pompadour Ballet," vaudeville's greatest dance production, headlines the bill at B. F. Keith's Temple Theatre starting Sunday, May 30. "Pompadour Ballet" is a modern ballet satire, featuring Evelyn Groves, "Pompadour's" source, sensational Egyptian artistess San Krevoff and the eight Albertina Rasch solo dancers. Others listed are Harry Kahn's "America," foremost mentalist in new and greater mental achievement; Hal Neiman, one of the four horsemen; Armat Brothers, tiddling and whistling gymnastic clowns; Rose and Thorne in their comedy skit "Sold"; Stan Eavanagh and Company, the Australian juggling humorist; Dancing McDonalds, pace-makers of danceland and the weekly screen feature.

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Stock Company Plays Pontiac For Summer

General Manager A. J. Kliest, Jr. has made a ten strike in bringing to Pontiac, the much sought after Dorothy La Vern Players who will start in a summer season of stock productions, starting Sunday night, May 30th.

Miss La Vern and her associate players come to Pontiac with the enviable reputation of being one of America's foremost stock companies, and it was only through a liberal financial offer that Mr. Kliest was enabled to secure this noted organization for an indefinite engagement.

Other plays to be presented during the engagement are "Apple Sauce," "Dancing Mothers," "The Cat and The Canary," "The Show Off," "The Fall Guy," "Zander, The Great" and other plays which have received the universal stamp of approval of the American public.

Obituary
Lady J. Bilger, aged 20, of Bennington avenue, died May 19 at the Pontiac City Hospital of pneumonia. She was an inspector at the Wilson Foundry in Pontiac. She was taken to Pottstown, Penn. the home of her parents, for burial May 21.

Harry B. Opdyke
Harry B. Opdyke of Detroit, formerly of Pontiac, died at the home of his sister, Mrs. Mabel Harrison, in Los Angeles, Cal., May 16. Burial took place from the undertaking parlors of Daines & Bell, May 22, in Greenwood Cemetery.

Surviving him are Mrs. Harrison; one daughter, Helen Opdyke of Saginaw; and three brothers, A. D. Opdyke of Seattle, Wash., R. F. Opdyke and E. B. Opdyke of Detroit.

Mrs. Elizabeth Myers
Mrs. Elizabeth Myers of Frank street, the wife of Daniel Myers, died at her home May 24. She was 82 years old and was survived by her husband and daughter, Mrs. George Scott of Argus avenue. The body was taken to Clyde, Ohio, for burial May 25.

Takes on Colors
Kelp fish of the California coast and the stickleback, says Nature Magazine, adopt during their mating season a vividly gay nuptial coloration.

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Notice is hereby given that an adjourned meeting of the Board of Review for the Village of Birmingham will be held in the Commission Chambers, second floor of the new village hall at the corner of Martin and Pierce streets, on

Thursday, June 3, 1926
From 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.

for the purpose of receiving objections and suggestions relative to the 1926 Tax Assessment Roll for the Village of Birmingham. All persons interested in this matter are cordially invited to appear before this Board.

Signed---Robert K. McClellan,
Assessor for the Village of Birmingham.

Dated May 25, 1926.

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