Birmingham Wins 8th District Championship

By HUGH MACK

Birmingham played Roseville last Saturday night for its eighth consecutive District Championship and won 32-18.

Both teams were out to win and started cautiously. The guarding was close, and the ball changed hands several times before either team scored. Every point in the first quarter was well earned. At the end of the first quarter the score was 7-2 in favor of Birmingham.

Baldwin opened up the lead in the second quarter. By good shooting they brought their total to 15 and held Roseville to a mere four points for the entire first half.

Cool Game

The Baldwin quintet played a cool calm game, being content to pass the ball around until someone could break loose for a shot. Baldwin let Roseville rush back and forth and take wild heaves, but calmly waited for the right time and took a set shot or a close shot.

Every man who started for the Maple Leafs scored at least once during the game.

Therrian again took high point honors for Birmingham making nine well earned points. Gilbert scored eight points and set up many more for his team mates by his quick thinking and good passing.

Alsip, Roseville's guard, scored five points and seemed to be all over the floor. He was fast; but has temper coupled with the close guarding he was doing, finally forced him to retire on four personal fouls.

Long Shots Go In

Paul Kelley sank two beautiful long shots and several of his others straight have gone in if they hadn't hit the low girders of the Roseville gym.

No Baldwin man had more than two personal fouls.

The Baldwin quintent put on a third quarter spurt that put the game on ice, scoring 13 points and holding the opposition to three.

Birmingham scored six points in that quarter and seemed content just to keep the ball out of Roseville's hands.

Roseville made two out of nine of their free throws for 22 per cent.

Baldwin sunk 35 per cent of their free throws.

East Detroit 1st Tourney Victim

Birmingham's fighting quintet defeated East Detroit in the first game of the District Tournament last Friday night at Roseville by a score of 33-17.

It didn't take the Baldwin boys long to prove that they had their minds set on winning. They scored 12 points to East Detroit's two in the first quarter. Their passing, floor work, and shooting were excellent.

East Detroit began the game playing a zone defense. But when that didn't work against the Maple Leaf's high geared offense, they switched to a man-to-man.

East Detroit had no better luck stopping Baldwin in the second quarter than in the first. They made seven points to Birmingham's 13, which was the best offensive thrust they made all night.

Coach Whitney moved Therrian to forward where he did very well, leading both teams in points made. He scored 12 well placed points.

Dick Gilbert scored eight points and continued to play his usual good floor game.

The second half continued like the first, until Baldwin overshadowing East Detroit in all departments.

East Detroit made 33 per cent of its fouls while the Birmingham lads made 46 per cent of theirs.

Senior Girls Trim Sophs in Tournament

The senior girls bowled 463 in the bowling tourney Thursday to offset the sophomores' score of 408, and at the same time, the eighth and ninth grades' 422 overshadowed the juniors' mere 387.

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Student Play Aids Are Announced

The committees for "Tish," school play, which will be given in Baldwin High School auditorium March 20-21, have been organized under various teachers. All are drawn from the junior class.

The business committee, under the sponsorship of Wilson Jenkin, is composed of John Kosso, chairman, Charles Reynolds, Frank Bohmer, Phil Dibble, Allen Yalpey, Jack Steedman, Elizabeth Giles and Spencer Pack.

The Committee for play selection, under Miss Ruth Hull, dramatic coach, included Jeanne Burton, Phyllis Sander, Mary Gardner, Nancy McCarty, John Finch, Sally Booth, John Rosso and Nanette Jensen.

Publicity is being taken care of by Mrs. Mary Hartwicks committee consisting of Jo Anne Herzberg, Jane Smith, Virginia Fellows, Louis Hagopian, Margaret Kohr, Bob Fisher, John Gillespie, Eloise Lawler, Mary Ellen Haack and Suretta Feiler.

Mrs. Adele Halladay has the ushering committee, which is made up of Jane Grohosth, Hazel Hoover, Norine McCleish, Betty Kuhlman, Roietta Clark, Mary Corbett and Mary Lou Bezanson.

The properties and make-up committees, under Miss Nina Kitts and Miss Lucille Dewar, respectively, have not yet been chosen.

Taking care of the program are Irene Donnelly, Betty Lou Hack and Margaret Stanton.

Tickets are on sale at the high school and may be reserved for ten cents extra, the Thursday night reservations going on sale at Wilson's at nine o'clock Saturday morning. Those for Friday night will be sold at Chain's at nine Saturday, March 15.

Basketball Dance Set for March 28

A South American theme will be carried out at the annual basketball dance, March 28.

Mary Gardner and Bill Roberts will be co-chairman. Mary is in charge of decorations and Bill will handle the publicity.

Other chairmen are Newell Wright, business manager; Jane Bronson, invitations; Ann Sears, favors and flowers; Barbara Holland, programs; John Gillespie, cleanup.

Frank Link's orchestra was obtained by Joe Armstrong, chairman of the music committee.

It has been rumored that this will be a formal dance, because of popular demand.

SING AT CHURCH

The A Capella Choir of Baldwin High School, under the direction of Victor F. Ulrich, sang at the Baptist Church Sunday evening, March 9.

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June Graduation Committees Set At Baldwin High

Committees for June graduation at Baldwin High School have recently announced by Miss Nina Kitts, chairman of senior advisers. Each 12A student was given the chance to be on one committee.

Heading the committee to secure caps and gowns is Jeannine Colgrove. Working with her are Nancy Lee, Clark, Janet Farrell, Betty Price, Dorene Topping, Dorothy Bull, Sue Keller and Mary Ellen Haack.

The Swing-Out program is to be planned by Jim Lee. Helping him will be Bob Foley, Tom Cummings, Howard Ward, Bob Heller, Bill Mutch, Sue Averill, Dave Kennedy, Jayne Bronson, Bill Hopkins, Barbara Holland, and Irene Donnelly, Jane White, Sheldon Olsen, Frank O'Toole, Don Wise and Stuart Linton.

The gift committee is headed by Dick Neely. Assisting him are Paul Westerby, Louis Corsi, Mildred McKinney, Rosemary Essig, Dorothy Ann Dye, Emma Alstrom, Jim Juhi, Phyllis Reaney, Jobett Peck, Bob Hall and Thelma Mason.

The Skin Day chairman is Dick Gilbert. Working with him are Patty Burke, Eloise Lawler, Gollord Forman, Jack Geentenaars, Katherine Carr, Virginia Essig, Dorothy Ann Dye, Emma Alstrom, Howard Crull, Earl Reuter, Ann Beggishagen, Winifred Moyssy, Roger Stolberg, Jane Hansen and Betty Lou Hock.

Barbara Fletcher is heading the committee planning Senior Control Day. Assisting her are Hugh Mack, Bob Cole, Marion Heald, Bob Traxler, Allen Cole, George Watt, Thelma Mason and Eileen de Beaubien.

Warren Peterson, Grace Tullius, Norman Flemington, Bill Mosson, Juanita Grenzenbauch and Grace Dilley.

The announcement committee is Barbara Poag, chairman; John Roy, Betty Stoll, Betty Booth, Marvel McGirr, Mary Gardner, Esther Smith, Jim Hertberg and Paul Rohl.

Planning graduation exercises is Sid Wilkins. Assisting him are Jane Elleby, Joi Ann Ford, Robert Brierly, Ethel Pattersed, Warren Watt, Holt Ackerman, Marjorie Peck, Barbara Greene, Eldene Brill, Laurie Walker, Karl Burgside and Charles Chapman.

Adams Council Plans After School Dance

An after-school dance, to be held April 1, is now being planned by the Adams Student Council. Music is to be supplied by Gerry, some of them newly purchased. The price of admission is 25 cents. Refreshments are frostbite. — Carol Smith.

The Council-sponsored Courtesy Drive is showing results! Many posters depicting courtesy are displayed around the school. A courtesy bulletin board is under way, while an assembly on courtesy is in the final stages of production.

The most courteous boy and girl in each home room will be elected each week. Their names will appear on the bulletin board.—Betty Harvey.

Make-up Girls Chosen for Play

The make-up committee for the all school play "Tish" was chosen Tuesday, March 11, by Miss Lucile Dewar, advisor of the Make-Up Club.

For the last two meetings, members of the club have been practicing the types of make-up they will be used in the play.

Those chosen were Barbara Reid, Gertrude Lanham, Betty Price, Rosalie Green, Nelda Mae Smith and Corajoyce Lane.

There will be two or three appointments made next week.

Definite Taste

Little Polly on a visit to her aunt was offered some leftover fragments of the Sunday dinner. She declined them politely. "Why, Polly, don't you like turkey?" inquired her aunt.

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Adams Champion Junior High Team

This is the best basketball team ever to represent Adams Junior High. The squad even defeated faculty 46-38, the first time it had been done in 15 years, and last week the team cinched its third city championship in three years. Adams scored 360 points against opponents 234. Jim Young broke the record with 97 points in nine games; highest percentage on foul shots was made by James Hendriks with 7 out of 9. FIRST ROW, left to right, JAMES HENDRIKS, JIM YOUNG, PAUL SEMISTER, RALPH COLE, BOB LITTLE. Second row, DAVID KEESE, JACK BILLINGSLEY, HAROLD KELLEY, BOB LILLEY, ART FITCH. Third row, COACH E. ENGEL, DON FISHER, DICK WILSON, DON RELEESE and MANAGER LEE WELDON. (Photo by Malcolm Tindall)

Students Enjoy Variety Show

A special variety show was presented to the Assembly Club in Baldwin High School last Thursday.

First on the program was Wally Wenthorpe with a tuba solo. He was accompanied by Mrs. Arabel Berndt. James Ball followed with a recital of the classic "The Creation of Sam McGee." Jack Freeman then gave a rendition of several popular songs on his accordion.

Next on the bill was Bob Miller and Frank Grosvenor with a piano duet of their own composition. Ken Duff following, nearly caused a riot by his performance on the drums. Frank Grosvenor accompanied him.

An exhibition skating act followed through Hazel Hoover came next, followed by Laurie Walker's rendition of "Herbert and the Kidnappers" in Lancashire dialect. Sue Keller was next with a polka wooden dance in costume.

Winding up the performance was a short skit presented by the faculty given in the best dramatic style and entitled, "Trouble in the Gallery."

In the cast were Wilson Jenkin, Carol Dunning, Lucille Dewar, Robert Brierly and George Wurster.

Bill Hopkins and George Bechnall were masters of ceremonies.

DAMAGE SMALL

Jack Atherton, Birmingham, 643 West Lincoln, backing a truck in an alley in the rear of the Palm Fox restaurant, collided with a parking machine operated by Thad Bertrand, 764 Bagley, Pontiac, it was reported to police Monday morning. Damage was small.

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Senior Girls Hear Dr. Marie Dye

Senior girls of Baldwin High school were entertained at tea by the American Association of University Women at its meeting at the Community House last Wednesday at 2 p. m.

Speaker for the meeting was Dr. Marie Dye, dean of the department of Home Economics at Michigan State College, who gave an interesting and enlightening talk on "The High School Girl and Her Future."

Following the talk the girls were invited by Dr. Dye to ask any questions that they wished to have answered concerning their futures or courses of further education.

The meeting was concluded in a warm social atmosphere with tea and other refreshments being served.

Maples' Regional Task Begins with St. Anthony Five

By BOB CRAIG

Birmingham meets a tough St. Anthony five tomorrow night at six o'clock in the new Ferndale gymnasium. It will be the Maples' first regional encounter.

St. Anthony has won five games and lost three in the Catholic League. For the season it has lost five and won nine.

The probable starting lineup for St. Anthony is Powers, center; Riech, and Murphy, forwards; Popp and Elsey, guards.

The Maples will travel to Ferndale with wins over Keego Harbor, Cranbrook, Henry Ford, East Detroit, Farmington, Alumni, Plymouth, Lincoln Park, Ferndale, Clawson, and Roseville. Birmingham has been defeated by Royal Oak, Hazel Park, and Henry Ford.

Coach Franklyn Whitney will take 12 men. They are Dick Gilbert, Hoosie Crull, Joe Armstrong, Doug Therrian, Olie Olson, Paul Kelley, Dave Kennedy, Dick Hopkins, Ted Corson, Dean Firth, Stan Peterson, Jack Steedman and Derek Belton.

The winner of the St. Anthony-Birmingham game will play the winner of the St. Clair-Visitation game, Saturday night at 7:30 at Ferndale.

Birmingham will be playing in the Ferndale gym for the second time this year. The large new gym can accommodate about 2,500 spectators.

The gymnasium is two blocks west of Woodward on Withington, a block from Nine Mile road.

DAR Honors Doris Franklin

A Good Citizenship award pin was recently presented to Doris Franklin at a meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The presentation speech was made by Adele Halladay, chairman.

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