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Tennis Team Beats Port Huron 5 to 0

By **ROGER WILLIS**
 Birmingham's tennis team made it two in a row Friday by defeating Port Huron, 5-0.
 Larry Goodrich, tennis coach, shuffled his team to balance the singles and doubles events, moving Dick Halsted from second singles to second doubles and slating Pete Whitlaw to carry second singles. Pete had played second doubles this season but showed a strong serve and a brilliant defensive game to win over Walter Annatt 6-0, 6-0.
 Top seeded Dick Adams defeated Dave Jollette 6-0, 6-0, in the first singles spot. Dick has a strong backhand which proved an asset in conquering his opponent, Harris Jackson, playing third singles, made it three up on Port Huron by winning over Bill Kenol 6-3, 6-3.

Strong Doubles Play
 John Bones and Bob Dasechner regained their strong drives and unequalled defensive play after losing the first set 8-6, to win the next two 6-0, 6-1 over Happy Braun and Bob Weick of Port Huron making it 4-0.
 Dave Ballentine and Dick Halsted, playing together for the first time combined their best efforts to defeat Dale Shore and Tom Wilson 6-2, 6-2 in the second singles event, giving the locals a clean sweep.
 Birmingham's season record now stands at four wins and one loss.

Senior Girls Guests At Tea Given May 8

By **JAN WALSER**
 As a very special treat for the senior girls of Baldwin, Kingswood, and Vaughan, the American Association of University Women gave a tea in their room on May 8 at the Community House.
 Mrs. Mildred C. Stanford, speaker, who was introduced by Mrs. William H. Jackson, program chairman, spoke on art as subject and its influence on the people of the world. She is supervisor and art teacher at Van Dyke and this summer will school at the graduate art school at Wayne University.
 Mrs. Stanley R. Saunders, present at the tea, is president of the A.A.U.W. and Mrs. George W. Mullin, chairman of the tea, was assisted by Mrs. Jackson who also welcomed the girls.
 Members of Mrs. Mullin's committee were Mrs. S. S. Pierce, Mrs. W. K. Carter, Mrs. W. Dueschner, Mrs. Glen M. Davis, Mrs. George B. Finch, and Mrs. L. D. Stauffer.

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Maples Pound Out 6 to 5 Victory Over Port Huron, there, Thursday Afternoon

By **DON COULTER**
 In a fierce hitting duel, the Maples blasted their way to a 6-5 victory over Port Huron last Thursday afternoon, on the Big Red's diamond.
 The Birmingham batters rapped out five hits while the opposition chalked up four. Blauman, Maple ace hurler, pitched the entire game.
 The locals went on a spree in the first inning, starting with Kordenbrock, who drew a base on balls. Thurston reached first on an attempted sacrifice while Kordenbrock was thrown out at second.
 Bud Gasser also walked and both runners advanced on a passed ball. A lone double by Dan Crigg into deep center field scored Thurston.
 Driven From Mound
 At this point the Port Huron pitcher, Fernandez, was replaced on the mound by Cain, who walked the Maples' catcher, Anderson.
 Ed Davey was hit by a pitched ball and Dick Dasechner singled, sending Crigg and Anderson home.
 At the end of the first frame, Birmingham was in the lead, 4-0.
 In the third session for Port Huron, Cain and Alexander singled. Both runners scored when the Maple first baseman missed the play on the next batter.
 Crammer walked in the fourth for Birmingham and was driven in by Dick Blauman's single.
 The Reds retaliated with a vengeance in the fifth frame as Cain drew a base on balls. Next up was Alexander who smashed a home run into the woods behind center field, but Port Huron still trailed, 5-4.

Player	AB	R	H	Box Score
Dasechner, 2b	3	2	2	
Davey, cf	2	0	1	
Blauman, p	3	0	1	
Grigg, 2b	4	1	1	
Kordenbrock, 3b	2	1	0	
Thurston, rf	3	1	1	
Gasser, lf	3	1	0	
Anderson, ss	3	1	0	
Cramer, ss	2	1	0	
Murray, lf	0	0	0	
		26	6	5

Big Beaver Girls Win Title In Annual Soft Ball Tourney

The Big Beaver girls' softball team won the Twin County League trophy when they defeated the Bloomfield Hills team 24 to 13, May 7th. It was the fourth straight victory for the Big Beaver girls.
 The Big Beaver line-up was: Ellen McCrory, Louie Steinhart, Norma Harrington, Judy Burgess, Mavis Bailey, Evelyn Goul, Louise Kesseljeh, Esther Halsey, and Shirley Edgerton.
 Substitutes: Mary Virgilio, Ruth Spaulding, Norma Ogg.
 Umpire: S. K. Baker, Coach, Miss Earla Smith.

Ferndale Captures Title At Eastern League Track Meet

By **BOB KING**
 With rain falling throughout the meet, Ferndale won the Eastern Michigan League Track championship last Friday by defeating Birmingham, last year's champs 61.8-49.29, at Jefferson Field, Ferndale.
 Following Birmingham was Mt. Clemens with 35-17.5 points; Port Huron, fourth with 15 points; and Hazel Park, fifth, with 9-1/4.
 Although the track was slow, four new records were set.
 Jac Phister, Birmingham, led the race in the 30 yard dash to set a new league record of 54.3 seconds. The old time was 55 seconds.
 Dan Elar, also of the Maples, set a new shot put record at 44 feet 1/4 inches. The old distance, set last year, was 42 feet 4 inches. Bud Gasser and Pete Grigg, also Birmingham, both bettered the mark with 44 feet 8 inches and 42 feet 8-1/2 inches, respectively.
 Andy Balough, Port Huron, set a new time for the half mile by doing the run in 2 minutes 11.1 seconds. The old time was 2 minutes 13 seconds.
 Bill Dearborne, Hazel Park, led the millers to set a new time of 4 minutes 54.1 seconds. The old time was 5 minutes 4.2 seconds, made by Payne of Port Huron, last year.

Don Johnson, Mt. Clemens, was first in three events, the 100 yard dash, the 200 yard dash, and the broad jump.

Pontiac Overpowers Barnum Junior High In Big Track Meet

Barnum Junior High lost their first track meet, Friday, at Pierce Field to Pontiac, Eastern. The Pontiac boys beat the locals 49-1/2 to 18-3/4. Joel Ross of Barnum took two first places for more than half of Barnum's score. Lang of Pontiac was exceptionally good in the 110 low hurdles, doing them in 14 seconds. Eddie Herron was one inch out of first place in the shot put with 42 feet.

Summary
 100 Yard Dash—Ross, first; Lang, Pontiac, second; Bradshaw, Pontiac, third; time: 11 seconds.
 75 Yard Dash—Ross, first; Cooper, Pontiac, second; Tunnichiffe, third; time: 8.8 seconds.
 110 Low Hurdles—Lang, Pontiac, first; Temperas, Pontiac, second; Tunnichiffe, third; time: 14 seconds.
 Put—Ashley, Pontiac, first; Herron, second; Bradshaw, Pontiac, third; distance: 42 feet 1 inch.

Local Students Do Good Work In Annual State Music Event

By **GREGORY PECK**
 In the state solo, ensemble, and choir festival held at the University of Michigan May 10 and 11, Birmingham received an overall average of third division honors.
 Don Garfield received a second division in the tenor section; Nancy Ketta a third division in the soprano; Gregory Peck, third division, baritone section; and Patricia Underhill fourth division in soprano.
 The girls' ensemble from Barnum Junior High School received a third division, and the Baldwin a cappella choir also received a third division.
 The soloists and ensemble went to Ann Arbor Friday in cars. The choir went Saturday in a chartered bus. The soloists were accompanied by Miss. Mary Jane Stephens a graduate of Baldwin who is a student in the University of Michigan School of Music.

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