

News of interest from Schools of Birmingham and Vicinity

Barnum Thinclads Win Ferndale Track Meet, 43-39

On Wednesday, May 7, Ferndale and Barnum met at Pierce Field for a track meet which Barnum won, 43-39.

Ferndale opened the meet by taking all places in the 110-yard low hurdles. Stewart Peck won the 50-yard dash. Paul Hoffman was first and Ed Heron third in the 75-yard dash. Joel Ross first and Charles Baker third in the 100-yard dash.

Ferndale won the 300-yard shuttle relay. The Barnum relay

team of Stewart Peck, Paul Hoffman, Charles Baker, and Joel Ross won the 440-yard punt relay.

In the field events, Ken Worlicke tied for first in the pole vault. Bill Humphries took first in the high jump. Ed Heron and Howard Murray took first and second in the shot put. Charles Baker and Art Fairbanks tied for second in the broad jump.

The next meet was at Ferndale yesterday afternoon with Berkley as an added competitor.

Harold Noble is the coach of the Barnum track team.

The "Pacusan Dreamboat," AAF Boeing B-29, consumed 13,000 gallons of gasoline on its record hop from Hawaii to Cairo via the polar region.

Maples Score Win Over Pt. Huron's Netters Friday

By Dick Adams

Encountering Port Huron's net crew, the Maples returned home triumphant last Friday with a 4-1 victory under their belts for their fourth straight win.

Battling the biting wind, John Bones and Dave Ballentine, top Birmingham doubles team, made short work of Jack Bradley and Jack Peaty, 6-1, 6-3.

Following in their footsteps were Don Deagan and Art Williams who downed Chuck Sturmer and Arnold McLane 6-2, 6-2.

On top of a 38-game marathon, Harris Jackson beat Steward Winkelman 6-4, 8-10, 6-4.

Frank Lyndall's ball seemed to gain momentum as the game progressed and Jack McCraney fell prey to his 10-8, 6-2 victory.

Still floundering with his pre-season form, Dick Adams turned out to be the black sheep of the squad when he lost to Bill Karand, 6-8, 6-4.

Unfortunately for Birmingham, tennis does not count toward the league all-sport trophy because Hazel Park does not have adequate court facilities to support team.

The Maples seem to have the league championship within reach although they will meet all of the competing league schools again in rematches.

Birmingham Wins Pitching Duel from Mt. Clemens, 3-2 for Fourth Victory

By Jim Milldebrandt

Some hundred-odd Port Huron baseball fans who braved the cold, biting Blue Water breeze last Friday went home dejected as Clay Joyce's hard, fast running of the base paths and a tremendous home run from the bat of Walt Boole enabled Chester Myren to pitch a gem and give Birmingham its fourth victory in six games this season by a 3-2 score.

The Blue Water boys looked as if they might be hard to beat as Jerry Pieck set down the first three batters to face him and his team mate scored two runs in their half of the first.

Don Hicks, Port Huron third baseman, led off with a perfect bunt along the third base line and moved to second on "Red" Bouslop's sacrifice. Gene Crawford then smashed a double to bring center to score Hicks and then came all the way home on Darrell Kelley's error of Bob Riggs' grounder.

Catcher Drops Ball

Myren struck out the next two batters and did not allow another hit for the remainder of the game.

Joyce led off the next inning with his first two hits, a double down the left field line and then moved to third on Jodell's infield out.

On the next play Wagner hit to the shortstop whose throw home beat Joyce by at least 15 feet; but the plucky little catcher sprang into action, stepped right with such fury that he was unable to hold the ball and Clay scored with what proved to be the winning run.

Gets Four-Bagger

Myren and Pieck carried on their pitchers' duel until the sixth inning when Kindley reached first on Hicks' error, moved to second on Joyce's single to right, and came home as Riggs threw to second to nail Joyce on his attempted steal.

Bodie followed Joyce to the plate and smashed the team's first circuit shot of the season far over the Blue Water left fielder's head, putting Myren in the lead, after which he was never headed.

Myren, who started the season

Choir Ready for Concert Tonight At Barnum High

By Yvonne Engel

"The Sacyc Hollandaise," an overture, will be presented tonight at 8:15 in the Barnum auditorium by the vocal music department.

Cast of characters includes Stewart Peck as "Joe," an old salt; Edwin Matius as "Hans," a tinner; Pat Miller as "Anna," a search of Holland's secret; Ann Graves as "Meena," Hans' sweetheart; Charles Baker as "Doctor Quick" of the royal household; the sleeping sickness; Jane Mallory as queen, real head of the kingdom; and Marcia Loomis as princess, headstrong and talkative.

"Villagers" are Susan Swartz, Joanna Kindley, Barbara Gibson, Martha Kraft, Nancy Wilson, Mary Hopkins, Elizabeth Bodie, Mary Richards, Charlotte Wiley, Margaret Frel and Judy Smith; Mary Halladay, Carole Hall, Virginia Hungerford, Sue Manning, Jean Donnelly, Sue Mason, Carol Faulkner and Ann Averill.

Sailors' Listed

Virginia Dare, Sue Tuggey, Phyllis Cox, Alma Jean Nordman, Alvanna Doyce, Charlene Adams, Judy Henderson, Barbara Hanson, Kathryn Hyland, Austara Kay Olson, Janet Mills, Carolyne Scott, Janet Thorpe, Judy Thomas, Rita Wyatt, Isabel Fawcett, Jean MacGregor, Joyce Cecil, Jean MacGillivray, Thomas and Adelaide Hiltner.

The group of sailors includes: Kindy Swartz, Charles Olin, John Wood, Ward Abbott, Peter Fumstead, Tom Maxwell, Frank Colby, Robert Guldman, Phil Savage and Robert Spence.

Betty Hood, Betsy Brewster and Mary Lu Gregory are the nurses.

Victor Ulrich is musical director and Miss Lila McCormick, director of dramatics.

U. S. long-range planes can fly to any inhabited region of the earth and return to the U. S. without refueling.

Circus Is Theme Of Senior Dinner

A circus will be the theme of the Baldwin school class dinner at the Community House on May 22. Moses, Jack, Hardy and Bill Kiefer, Co-chairmen for the dinner are

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Birmingham Average

Player	AB	R	H	E	AVG
Kindley	1	0	1	0	.333
Wagner	6	0	2	0	.333
Fikins	19	7	8	0	.316
Bodie	18	4	6	2	.316
Joyce	18	4	4	1	.277
Saffell	18	4	4	1	.277
Louise	11	2	3	5	.214
Kelley	6	0	3	1	.166
Larkins	10	1	1	0	.100
Pieck	10	2	1	4	.100
Myren	4	0	0	0	.000
Wall	3	0	0	1	.000
Dunne	1	0	0	0	.000

Sports Showup

By H. Bissett, Jr.

Dick Dunn has reported for spring football at Western Michigan College. Dick was a letter winner on last year's varsity at Western. He is doing very well in the end position and should be a regular this fall.

Due to a typing error in last week's column, there is some misunderstanding as to the track trophy won at Mt. Pleasant. It was not a winged boat. It is a beautiful golden winged foot of Mercury, the god of speed, and is the accepted symbol of track.

Sports events for the coming week are lighter than usual because the track regionals will be held Saturday, May 17, at Ann Arbor. So of course there is no Friday meet. The rest of the schedule is: Friday, May 16, baseball and tennis, Ferndale there; Tuesday, May 20, baseball and tennis, Mt. Clemens, there; golf, Mt. Clemens, here; track, Ferndale, there.

Birmingham's linksters absorbed a defeat at the hands of Port Huron's golf team, 3-1. The match took place over the very tough Black River golf club at Port Huron. Due to the extreme cold last Friday, only nine holes could be played. In straight match play, John Anderson was the only Maple in the win column.

The annual Junior Olympics will be held at Pierce field Tuesday, May 27, starting at 2 p. m. There will be 24 individual awards.

Eastern Michigan League standings as of May 1 are: Birmingham, Ferndale and Port Huron tied for first place with 35 points each; Mt. Clemens, second place with 32½ points, and in last place is Hazel Park with 12½ points.

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