

Maple Tankers Boost String; Jays Win First

Birmingham high's swimmers captured eight of 10 firsts as they routed Ferrdale, 71 to 25, Jan. 14 in the Ferrdale pool.

Maple tankers broke two line pool marks. Pete Sirtz set a standard of 52.8 in the 100-yard free style and the Birmingham 200-yard medley relay team overpowered its distance in a record 1:38. It was the 16th straight dual win for Birmingham.

SOUTHFIELD notched its first swimming victory in six starts Friday night, downing Fitzgerald, 63 to 33, in the Jay pool. Southfield won eight firsts.

The Jays had bowed to Pontiac, 66 to 30, Jan. 14. The host Chiefs copped all but one first.

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BOWLING

Hermie Evans' 449 and Margaret Parson's 441 were top counts noted in the Birmingham bowling action. Ethel converted the difficult 7-4-10 split.

Arline Benson tossed a 297 single in Old Newsweekers activity while Doris Hart had a 485 series.

The Little of 4-2 in the Holy Name ladies league. Lorraine Fouts and Eleanor Zakhovsky converted 7-7-10 splits. Bloomfield Hills has been leads the league, followed by Minecroft, Shop, Monahan's beef buffet and Hall & Young, Inc.

Date Point's 503 threesome and a 290 single by Bill Meade were best counts in the Bloomfield Lane junior classic. Meade also had a 482 series.



Marty Shows Them How

Marty Pavelich, an all-time Red Wing great, takes a moment before class starts at Birmingham's Eton Park ice rink to check the proper position of three young players' hockey sticks when facing off. Re-

ceiving instructions are, from left, Kevin O'Connor, Paul Fleming and Leonard Bar- tush. Pavelich recently retired from hockey after 10 years with the Detroit organization.

Young Hockey Enthusiasts Learn Ropes from Real Pro

"May I have your attention?" With these words, Richard come to a halt and laughter are silenced as potential hockey stars at Birmingham's Eton Park ice rink gather around their capable instructor, Marty Pavelich.

A basic principle in hockey is explained, and then demonstrated by the handsome former Detroit Red Wing great, who keeps a watchful eye on his young pupils during their Monday classes.

"We have separated the youngsters into two classes," said Pavelich, "with one group receiving instruction from 4 to 5 p.m. and the other from 5 to 6 p.m. Attendance has been very good." He added, "but newcomers are always welcome."

PAVELICH'S OWN hockey career began when he received his first pair of skates at the age of 5. At 19 he turned professional and after playing 1 1/2 months for a Detroit farm club, he joined the Red Wings.

"My dreams had now come true," recalled Pavelich, "for I had always wanted to play in the National Hockey league and what is more unusual, for Detroit, although I had never seen the city."

"Most Canadian," he explained, "want to play for either the Toronto Maple Leafs or the Montreal Canadiens. But I wanted to be a Red Wing."

Pavelich climaxed his debate in the NHL by scoring a goal in his first turn on the ice for the Wings. During his 10 years with Detroit, the left winger from Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., tied a hockey league record by playing in eight championship games. He shares this record with his former teammates, Ted Lindsay, Gornie Howe and Red Kelly.

SCORING THE GOAL that won a playoff game against Montreal with only a few minutes left in the game and being a member of his first Stanley Cup team, stand out in Pavelich's memory as two of his greatest hockey thrills.

"But one of my biggest disappointments," he said, "is that I never scored 20 goals in one season. The closest I came was 17."

Pavelich, nicknamed "Sabu" by a teammate because of his dark hair and skin, kept in shape during the off-season by playing golf and doing a lot of walking.

"Maureen Hockey" Richard of Montreal was the best all-around player I ever skated against," said

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Pavelich. "And when the chips were down and a tie was at stake, the Canadians were our toughest opponents."

"BUT WHILE I WAS playing," he continued, "The New York Rangers seemed to be the hardest team for us to beat during a regular game."

At present Pavelich, who collects pipes for a hobby, is a manufacturer representative for Mapco Sales Agency.

"I couldn't have been happier," said, "when I learned that one of my teammates, Sid Abel, had been named coach of the Red Wings. Sid's a fine fellow and will do a wonderful job for Detroit."

Pavelich's advice to his interested in hockey was to learn the fundamentals and then skate, skate, skate. The rest will come through coaching, he said.

HOOPSTERS (Continued from Page 6-E)

net in the first extra three minutes.

THE MAPLE center bashed 10 of his game-leading 21 points in the fourth quarter as he fired the Birmingham drive that overcame a 34-29 deficit at the close of the third stanza.

Chuck Ganza accounted for the only other Maple points in the fourth quarter on a pair of free throws.

Birmingham led Kimball, 12 to 7, at the end of the first period and 22 to 15 at halftime.

JOHN KENNEDY topped the Kimball effort with 15 points. Birmingham's reserves won the preliminary, 48 to 32.

BIRMINGHAM (43): Gibson, f. 2-8; Russell, f. 1-0-2; Stephenson, c. 8-3-19; Ritchie, g. 1-0-8; Green, g. 1-0-6.

KIMBALL (41): Kennedy, f. 6-1-15; Michael, f. 6-0-12; Ray, c. 3-6-12; Page, g. 3-1-7; Harris, g. 3-1-7.

Sports Calendar

Basketball
Friday, Jan. 21
Hazel Park at Birmingham, 6:30 p.m.
West Bloomfield at Bloomfield Hills, 7 p.m.
Waterford at Southfield, 7 p.m.
Fitzgerald at Troy, 6:45 p.m.
Country Day at Oak Park, 7 p.m.

Swimming
Friday, Jan. 21
Birmingham at Kimball, 7:30 p.m.

Wrestling
Tuesday, Jan. 28
Assumption at Hazel Park, 4:15 p.m.
Holly at Bloomfield Hills, 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, Jan. 23
Southfield at Hazel Park, 7:30 p.m.



Denison Cager

Tom Turner, 6-foot 2-inch 190-pound forward from Southfield township is one of three juniors who have made the 14-man varsity basketball squad at Denison university, Granville, Ohio, this season. Turner has made four goals out of 18 attempted and three free throws out of six for a total of 11 points in five games to date. In addition, he has seven rebounds to his credit. A 1955 graduate of Ferrdale Lincoln high, where he earned four basketball letters under Coach Roy Burkhardt, Turner is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Turner, 31553 Kenway court.

Quarterback Bobby Layne of the Detroit Lions started his professional career with the Chicago Bears in 1948, was traded to the New York Bulldogs in 1949 and joined the Lions via the trade route in 1950.

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