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### Pro Tennis Champ At Pine Lake CC

Pauline Betz Addie, world famous women tennis champion, will return to Pine Lake Country Club for the second consecutive year Aug. 25 for exhibition tennis matches. Miss Betz, Wimbledon champion in 1946, will play Pine Lake pro Don Brown in singles, plus a doubles team of club ladies' champion Mrs. Frank C. Smith, 1959 Oak, Birmingham, and men's runner-up Albert Mattise, 385 Puritan, Birmingham. Mattise will sub for club champion Jim Cavannagh, 30830 Helmondale, Birmingham.

Currently tennis pro at her home club in Bethesda, Maryland, Miss Betz was the national women's amateur champion in 1940, Wimbledon winner in 1946 and United States professional title-holder 1947 through 1950.

She and her husband, Washington D. C. Post sports columnist Bob Addie, will be weekend house guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W.

### Fifth Straight Victory Notched by Forest Hills

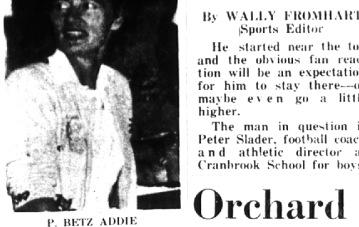
Forest Hills swim club won their fifth straight Northwood Swimming contest club dual meet last Wednesday, defeating Cranbrook swim club, 167-83.

Forest Hills last dual meet, and hopes for an undefeated season, was held yesterday against Woodbrook Swim Club. The results were not known at the time The Eccentric went to press.

Cochin Larry Severy's team took 18 first places in the Cranbrook meet and set two individual league records in the process. As has been the case all seasons, the 11-12 age class supplied the bulk of the team's power, winning six of seven events.

LEAGUE records were won by Margaret Fraser and Wood Lotz, Miss Fraser won the 15-14 age breaststroke in 48.5, and Lotz's breaststroke effort in the same age group was a 30.7. Both races covered 50 meters.

In the 25-meter races—the 11-



P. BETZ ADDIE

### Lions Meet Pine Lake as Tennis Titlist

The Detroit Lions and the Pittsburgh Steelers, halfway through the pre-season campaign, met head-on at Tiger Stadium Aug. 27 at 8 p.m. Each team sports a win and loss in pre-season action to date. Pittsburgh downed the Chicago Bears and lost to Cleveland, Detroit was edged by the Browns, 17-14, and scored a 35-24 victory over Dallas.

COACH BUDDY Parker's forces include assistant coach Buster Ramsey, who left Detroit in '60 to become head coach of the Buffalo Bills in the American Football League, fullback John Henry Johnson, halfback Tom Tracy and quarterback Bobby Layne, and guard Tom Stehauer.

Pariser has indicated that Layne will start at quarterback for the Steelers.

ED BROWN, a former Bear signal caller, has carried the brunt of the attack in the first two games but Pariser now is ready to go back to his ace, especially since a victory over the Lions is so high on his agenda.

The Monday meeting will be the final home pre-season game as the Lions take off for Omaha to meet the St. Louis Cardinals Sept. 1 and play the same Cardinals in St. Louis Sept. 7.

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### Northwood Records 3 Hole-In-Ones

Three hole-in-ones were scored at the Northwood Golf Center, Troy, this week.

Two brothers, Phil and Gene Dillard of 1967, Clawson, matched ace, Phil, 15, used a 7-iron on the 150-yard 13th hole. It didn't take Gene as long; he fired an ace on the 8th hole, achieving the 100-yard masterpiece with a 7-iron.

Northwood's 2,540-yard, par-three course is lighted and can be played from morning to midnight.

### Five Newcomers Win Medal-Play Tourney

Five winners were named at the Birmingham Newcomer's medal-play tournament last Friday at North Hills Golf Club.

## Cranbrook Hopes for 7-1 Repeat

By WALLY FROMHAIRT Sports Editor

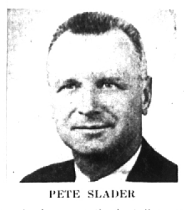
He started near the top and the obvious fan reaction to an athletic director all for him to stay there—maybe even go a little higher.

The man in question is Peter Slader, football coach at an athletic director at Cranbrook School for boys.

who in his first year at the post guided the Flames to a fine 7-1 record.

"I WAS surprised, and a little pleased, with the team's performance last year," admitted Slader, "but we had our share of breaks—mostly no serious injuries—to help out."

Cranbrook, running from a Wing-T formation, held their res-



PETE SLADER

right team spirit, few injuries and a good fullback replacement.

Last year's fullback, 205-pound co-captain Brian O'Shaughnessy, was the kind which can make Slader's offensive function at its best.

"THAT'S the heart of any offensive," reflected Slader, "the guy who can get you those safe, nervous, all-arms-out three yards up the middle." He mentioned three candidates for the fullback slot this year: Dale Bosley, Archie Copeland and Bob Green.

Half of last year's starting backfield remains intact for the coming campaign, and both are co-captains. Senior Dick Motzer will return to guide the team at the quarterback spot, and Dave Schultz, another senior, will hold down the left half-back position.

"I SUPPOSE if I'll ever have what you call a senior team, this one will be it," explained coach Slader. He was thinking of the relatively experienced backfield and the possibly more experienced line.

Five veterans will return to bolster the front wall.

Pete Maxwell, 190-pound junior tackle, looks as the best lineman on the Crane squad, judging from last year's performance.

"YOU NEVER know, though, just how big and smart a boy can become in one summer," cautioned Slader. "Several other boys could well turn out to be the best out here."

He mentioned among the more experienced linemen Tom Barlow, Bill Estes and John Billison. Billison, a reserve center last year as a junior, is being eyed as a possible left end this year by Slader.

"One end position should belong to E. McKelvey," said Slader. He mentioned Winthrop Conrad, 175-pound senior, as the probable starting center.

ANOTHER senior expected to make a strong bid for a starting end berth is Bill Powell, a senior with two years' experience on the squad.

About 50 boys annually try out for the team, which will eventually be trimmed down to approximately 20 players.

Slader and his two assistants, Dave Barney and John Laskerides, will guide the team through an eight-game schedule. The opening game will be at Groves High School Sept. 21.

ONE NEW school has been added to last year's schedule, Howe Military Academy of Howe, Indiana.

The coaches will put the team through two sessions a day until Sept. 17, the opening day of school. The first team scrimmage will come at the end of the first week. Movies of last year's games will be shown the players during the first several weeks of practice.

## Orchard Lake CC Replaces Pine Lake as Tennis Titlist

Pine Lake Country Club's three-year domination of the Tri-Club tennis championship was ended last Saturday by a strong Orchard Lake CC squad.

The meet, with one age-group preliminary and finals contest held at each of the four participating clubs—Orchard Lake, Pine Lake, Birmingham Athletic Club and Oakland Hills CC—ran for two days, preliminaries on Friday and finals on Saturday.

Orchard Lake rolled to victory in the four age-groups' championship with 40 points, 10 more than runner-up Pine Lake BAF finished third with 32 points and Oakland Hills settled in last place with two.

TWO POINTS were awarded for every individual victory in the final matches Saturday.

Oakland Hills sponsored the 16-and-under event; Pine Lake the 14-and-under; BAC, 12-and-under; and Orchard Hills, 18-and-under.

The story of the victory lies in the age-groups: Orchard Lake dominated the 12- and under class, winning both doubles and singles matches, but they won just one match in the 18-and-under and 16-and-under divisions.

THE 16- AND 12- AND UNDER doubles division was won with Kathy Lovett. They beat Miss Smith and Gretchen Genshauer of Pine Lake, Jack Albertson and Dave Kralic.

MISS GELSON teamed with Sue Smith in the 14- and for a 6-1, 6-1 first against the Orchard Lake doubles' combination of Nancy Adair and Barbara Mosher. Miss Gelson also won the singles, defeating Priscilla Reed of BAC, 6-3, 6-2.

THE FAUGHT brothers, Bob and Jim, supplied the power behind BAC's effort.

Bob won twice; he defeated Orchard Lake's Bob Lorenze, 6-2, 6-2; then he teamed with Dave Wind, winning the 16-and-under doubles, 6-1, 10-12, 6-3. Jim Gray and Randy Mathews of Oakland Hills succumbed to Faught and Wind, collecting all their team's points for the meet.

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## Biff's Punched from Playoffs

By WALLY FROMHAIRT Sports Editor

"Biff's," Birmingham summer recreation slow-pitch softball champion, came reeling out of the state playoffs last week with a two-defeat and out performance.

They might even be wondering if winning the local title to reach the playoffs was worth all the trouble in the first place.

The regular season record was eight wins, one loss.

The team entered the state recreational playoffs last weekend at Roseville with high hopes.

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Southfield the first night, using the long ball to roll to a solid 20-10 triumph.

Berkley the next night, battled by the local forces right down to the final inning. Berkley skied across a single run in the 7th for a tight but lasting 16-15 victory.

Apparently post-season reflections are easier with a bit firmly in hand, as Biff's softball team assistant manager George Wallace (left) talks over the championship season with teammate Al Larson. Biff's won the Birmingham recreation department summer slow-pitch pennant with an 8-1 regular season mark. The team was eliminated in the state recreational playoffs last week at Roseville in the first two games.

Biff's, an 18-man team composed mostly of firemen and policemen, didn't find the regular season competition nearly so tough. The championship question did run down to the wire, with a 14-7 Biff victory over the Campbell Kids the clincher.

But still, an 8-1 mark—Biff's boys had quite a time for themselves.

THE BIRMINGHAM league is played according to slow-pitch rules, meaning on each pitch the ball must describe an arc of at least two feet.

It is a game designed strictly for hitting, so much so that a 10th man, a "roving" centerfielder, is used instead of the conventional nine players.

The other two teams in the Birmingham summer league are Pyads and First Methodist.

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