

In The Pocket

By W.W. EDGAR



The final reports are in and again it appears that both the Greater Detroit Bowling Association and the Detroit Women's Bowling Association will lead the nation in membership.

126,890 members in 3,859 leagues. For the men this is a new high while the women remained close to their membership of a year ago.

Borgess picks basketball coach

By KEN VOYLES

Once a coach, always a coach. So it could be said of many men and women in the area who experience the hunt of leading a group of boys or girls in pursuit of athletic achievement and can never give it up.

Bill Croteau will always be a coach at heart, as will Ron Gutkowski.

Gutkowski resigned recently as varsity basketball coach at Redford Thurston. Croteau cited several reasons, one being that he wanted to have some time off.

Another was that Croteau wasn't truly happy with the situation at Thurston. He had been there for five years and wasn't sure if he wanted to coach anymore.

Gutkowski, who had led the Spartans to two district titles during his coaching tenure, will no longer coach in any form. That's for now anyway.

"Right at this time, I am trying to make the decision whether I want to coach in the future. I'm going to take this year to see if I want to continue as a coach," said Gutkowski.

GUTKOWSKI has taken a teaching position in Troy and will also be work-

"Capital of the Bowling World".

FRED WOLF, the ever popular bowler and radio commentator who suffered a stroke some months ago, had one of the best times of his recuperative period last Saturday night. He appeared at a gathering of friends at Hillcrest Country Club and was greeted by many of those who bowled

against him in the good old days and others who had followed him on radio for years.

For Fred, who is recuperating slowly, it was a fine evening and he seemed to enjoy every minute of it. It was the best therapy he could get, and he had the best wishes of those who stopped to greet him.

HERE'S SOME good news for the higher average bowlers.

The men's senior house league is being revived at Wonderland after an absence of a year. Many of the former members who sought greener fields and more cash prizes last year are returning, and the league now appears to be as strong as ever.

There are still a few opening for bowlers with averages between 900 and 950.

TIM HENRY had every reason to be wearing a big smile when he finished bowling in the men's 700 league at

Woodland Lanes. He had just posted a 277 game that was 107 pins over his average. It was the best he had done all year.

In the race for high game Rick James had a 252 in 590 George Simpson had a 251 in 590.

OVER AT SUPER BOWL, Sharon Fitcher had a 223 in 597 to lead the Whirlwinds. In her wake came Glenda Wojtan with 222 in 566, Gale Daniel with 216 in 555 and June Hammond with 202 in 497.

THE WOMEN'S Mid-City Open gets under way this coming Sunday at State Lanes in Saginaw. The entry is expected to reach 160 when firing starts at 10 a.m.

ing at his real estate business more in the future.

"I miss the kids the most. I enjoy kids and I like working with them," said Gutkowski. "I developed some super relations with Fred Muskhini, Jack Griffin and Ralph Owen at Borgess and I shall miss that also."

"Ron was quite successful when he was with us," said Borgess Athletic Director Ralph Owen. "When Ron resigned, the first guy I thought of was Bill Croteau. He was the first and only person I approached."

"We are just thrilled about having Bill with us. I know his abilities and he did a good job at Thurston," Owen continued.

"I had to think for awhile, but when I thought of the challenge and of the high-class operation at Borgess, I knew I wanted the position. I didn't go out and seek it; they came after me."

CROTEAU admitted that he had turned down two other coaching opportunities early this summer.

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