

Looking Around Sports

U.M. Cops Title; Bowl Next

The top sports story for Michi-ganders this past week was fash-ioned by Bump Elliott and his Univer-sity of Michigan football team.

In the game with all the golden chips riding on the out-come, the Wolverines beat Ohio State, 10-0, to win the Big Ten title and also the trip to Pasadena, Calif., for the 1965 Rose Bowl game.

There were many heroes for Michigan. The biggest was Quarterback Bob Timberlake who passed brilliantly for the one Michigan touchdown, kicked a field goal and added a conversion.

The Michigan defense sparkled, too. Ohio State had chances, especially in the early going, but there was no penetrating Michigan's defense last Saturday.

Elsewhere on the collegiate football scene this past week: Notre Dame made it 9-0 by downing Iowa and now all the

Irish have to do this Saturday to beat Southern California to haul in the national championship.

Michigan State lost its finale to Illinois, 16-0, while the University of Detroit dropped a 17-9 verdict at Boston College in the Titans' final encounter.

In addition to Michigan, other bowl teams include: the Orange, LSU and Texas to the Orange, LSU and Syracuse to the Sugar and Arkansas to the Cotton.

The Army meets the Navy this Saturday, and it will be Roger Staubach in the spotlight for the Mideast again. Both teams have had their problems so far this season, but history dictates that the game this Saturday will be another homey.

The Lions had to wait until the last half minute to gain a 23-21 tie with Minnesota and keep alive their hopes of at least landing in the runnerup

coach Dave DeBusschere, picking up wins over Philadelphia and Baltimore before losing to St. Louis. The Falcons have a pair of games at Los Angeles (Wednesday) and Friday night before returning to Detroit Saturday evening against Philadelphia. The Boston Celtics, meantime, appeared to have cooled off. After winning 11 straight, the Celtics dropped four out of six.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

The 1964-65 season begins next week with the University of Michigan certainly figuring as one of the top teams in the nation. With Cazzie Russell and Bill Buttin available, the Wolverines should win the Big Ten and the NCAA crown this winter.

BASEBALL

The minor and major league meetings start next week. There should be some wholesale trading. The Tigers likely will engineer a swap of some kind. It could involve Norm Cash or maybe Hank Aguirre. Brooks Robinson of the Baltimore Orioles was named last week as the most valuable player in the American League. Nobody was surprised. . . . It was learned that the Tigers will open their 1965 season at Kansas City on April 12, then meet the same A's in the Tiger Stadium opener eight days later.



SUBURBAN SIX LEAGUE champions and unbeaten in dual meet competition during the past season are these members of the Redford Union High school team. The group includes (front row, from left): Fred Turak, Mike McCrea, Co-Captains Bob Griffone and Steve Crane, Fred Alexander and Roy McLain; back row, from left: Coach Mike Bowerman, Steve Glazier, Jack Sheppard, John Rhodes, Tom McLain and Reserve Coach Chuck Patterson. Turak, Griffone and Sheppard were honored at the end of the season when selected for the seven-man all-league team.

SC Cagers Open Play Saturday

Although handicapped by lack of gym and pool facilities on the campus, Schoolcraft College will have basketball and swimming teams in competition for the first time during the winter months.

That was the announcement of Athletic Director and Coach Edw. Gans as he held an ambitious 16-game case schedule, opening next Saturday against Western Ontario Tech. of Windsor, Canada, on the Clarenceville High court.

The cagers—13 of them—have been practicing on the Clarenceville and Franklin High courts when time is available and when Gans is able to work it into his busy schedule. This generally means in the evening between the hours of 7 to 9.

For the swimmers, Gans managed to get together with them for workouts at 6:30 a.m. in the Franklin High pool.

"Never have I seen such fine spirit as shown by the students at Schoolcraft College," said Gans, "and I imagine that the basketball team having to practice in the evenings, which means most of the candidates have to travel as many as 12 to 15 miles, and a swimming team forced to practice at 6:30 a.m."

"We all realize that this is a rather familiar format for colleges when they first get started, especially when the athletic facilities aren't available. But these athletes have demonstrated that they really want to compete—especially when they go to all of these pains to practice."

Gans doesn't have the varsity's swim schedule complete but hopes to arrange home and home meets with most members of the junior college circuit within reasonable distance of the Schoolcraft campus.

In basketball, he encountered little trouble booking a schedule that will keep his squad busy from Nov. 28 through Feb. 20.

His biggest problem is getting enough candidates to or-

Farmington Schedules Announced

Schedules for winter sports teams at Farmington and Farmington High schools have been announced.

FARMINGTON

Basketball

December: 3—Bentley, 5—N. Farmington; 11—At Port Huron, 18—East Detroit, 28-29—Holiday tourney at Farmington; 30—Western Ontario Tech. of Windsor; 31—At Walled Lake; 1—Plymouth; 2—At Pontiac Northern; 29—At Waterford.

February: 5—Walled Lake; 12—Pontiac Northern; 19—At Mt. Clemens; 26—At N. Farmington; 27—Northville.

WRESTLING

December: 3—Redford Union; 10—North Farmington; 15—Royal Oak Dendero; 18-19—Oakland County meet.

January: 7—At East Detroit; 14—Rosedale; 21—Waterford; 28—Pontiac Northern.

February: 4—At Walled Lake; 9—At Port Huron; 11—At Clarenceville; 16—At North Farmington; 20—Conference meet at Rosedale; 23—Northville.

NORTH FARMINGTON

Basketball

December: 4—At Kettering; 5—At Farmington; 11—At Thurston; 18—Oak Park.

January: 8—At Franklin; 15—Groves; 16—At Clarenceville; 22—Glenn; 23—Southfield; 29—Thurston.

February: 5—At Oak Park; 12—Franklin; 19—At Groves; 26—Farmington; 27—Kettering.

WRESTLING

December: 1—Clarenceville; 3—At Northville; 10—At Farmington; 18-19—Oakland County meet.

January: 7—At Glenn; 12—At Dendero; 15—At Groves; 21—At Thurston.

February: 4—Franklin; 11—At Redford Union; 16—Farmington; 20—Conference meet at Thurston; 23—Fitzgerald.

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than to run the ball in his direction. Never had one bar pass from center throughout his prep career.

BACKS

GARY GRADY—Plymouth: A two-way player called by retiring Coach Mike Hoben "one of the best, if not the best, I have ever coached." And it's to be remembered that Hoben coached All-State Randy Eloff and All-Suburban Wayne Sparkman, two young men who later went to star for Yale and Michigan, respectively. Grady's strength was in his versatility. He was a good blocker, ran better than average and was a standout on defense. He scored 52 points during the past season, second high in the league, and stood out as the team's top man in tackle consistency. Averaged four yards per carry this past season.

ROY LEACH—Farmington: Starting fullback for three straight years at Farmington. Ran for 510 yards in 109 carries for 4.7-yard average this season despite the fact injuries kept him inactive for the most part in three games. Scored 10 touchdowns. Coach John Hayes of Farmington said of Leach: "He was an exceptionally strong runner. His fine balance made it possible to offset the fact he wasn't the fastest

my in the world." Roy played end on defense and "did a real good job," according to his coach.

SAM ANTONAZZO—Franklin: Truly a dream athlete. During the 1964 season he scored 98 points, one of the highest totals in the state. His efforts included 13 touchdowns and one field goal. Did "everything" for Franklin. Ran, passed, punted, kicked points and field goals and kickoffs. He averaged 25 yards on each of his touchdown runs. His dashes for scores included runs of 50, 67, 48, 50, 35 and four in the 15-20 bracket. Several of his kickoffs sailed into or beyond the end zone, something unusual for a high school player. Also was an adept pass receiver. Played safely on defense and frequently would come up with the key tackle of the game.

LARRY YONISH, Franklin—He dashed for 11 touchdowns and averaged 28 yards on each scoring thrust. Some of his TD dashes came on gallops of 65, 54, 51 and 53 yards. Had tremendous foot speed. "He was almost impossible to stop once he passed the line of scrimmage," his coach said. A strong young man who's the "baby" of this year's All-Observer eleven. Larry is only 16 years old. Operated at tackle on defense and was one of the workhorses of the great Franklin line which ranked among the best in the entire state.

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when they saw the 39-year-old Lindsay work out with the Wings during the training season. Then came the announcement and Lindsay has been an excellent addition to the Wings who have surprised the league by jumping out to lead the pack—with a brilliant new goalie in Roger Crozier.

9. The high school football season produced some thrill-packed moments heretofore. Three schools figured in titles—Franklin, St. Agatha and Bentley. Franklin had a perfect season . . . nine wins as many games. . . . North Farmington, which was supposed to be a "nothing" team because of heavy graduation losses, came back like a bunch of tigers. And, then, there was the end of the line as a coach for Mike Hoben who stepped down after ten seasons at Plymouth.

10. The 1964 Olympics made big news during the days we worked at The Daily Press. From a local standpoint, the big high, who captured the 400-meter hurdles and came home a week ago to show the Farmington folks the beautiful gold medal he had won. In the Olympics, of course, the Americans dominated the track and field, the swimming and the basketball. The Yanks also won more gold medals than any other nation. It was a great year for the Yanks.

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11. The Carling Open at Oakland Hills drew the greatest golfers from all over the world. The winner, in a surprise, was Bobby Nichols.

12. The record-breaking of Craig Breedlove and Art Arfons in their automobiles at the Bonneville Salt Flats out in Utah. They took turns at erasing the speed mark on land and Arfons finally set the mark, which for the moment stands at something over 550 m.p.h. And, says Arfons, he hopes to get over 600 m.p.h. before long.

13. Livonia's Bernie Carbo helped Detroit Favro to win a national sandlot baseball title while Barry Marion of Livonia and Plymouth's Dick Schreyer were standouts as Adray took the U.S. All American Boys Federation crown.

14. The Americans saw the Davis Cup go back to Australia after the Aussies edged out the U.S. in the finals of the nationals at Forest Hills.

15. Livonia's Eddie Edger announced that junior bowling was setting all kinds of records in Michigan and that one reason was the number of youngsters in the Greater Livonia area who knock down the pins.

16. And last, but not least, there were the Wolverines of the University of Michigan who on Saturday won both the Big Ten title and the coveted trip to the Rose Bowl. There are few nicer guys in the coaching business than Michigan's Bump Elliott. That he deserves the honors that have finally come his way is something to which all the sports world says "amen."

Bentley Teams Set To Play

Bentley high's basketball team is set to begin its season on great note against Farmington on Dec. 4. The next day will see the Bentley swimmers start in a relay meet at Redford Union. The wrestlers are already in action.

The varsity schedules:

BASKETBALL

December: 4—Farmington; 8—Edsel Ford; 11—Livonia; 18—At Belleville; 22—At River Rouge; 28-29-30—Holiday tourney.

January: 8—At Trenton; 15—At Redford Union; 22—At Allen Park; 26—Franklin; 29—At Plymouth.

February: 5—Belleville; 12—Trenton; 19—At Redford Union; 23—At Dearborn; 26—Allen Park.

SWIMMING

December: 5—Relays at Redford Union; 10—At Plymouth; 18—Belleville.

January: 8—Trenton; 15—At Redford Union; 22—Allen Park; 26—Dearborn; 29—Plymouth.

February: 5—Belleville; 12—Franklin; 19—At Trenton; 23—At Redford Union; 26—At Southfield; 29—At Allen Park.

WRESTLING

December: 3—At Fordson; 11—At Garden City Invitational; 12—At Franklin.

January: 8—Trenton; 15—At Redford Union; 22—Allen Park; 26—At Edsel Ford; 29—Romulus.

February: 5—At Catholic Central; 12—At Trenton; 19—Redford Union; 23—At Allen Park.

Pendley Collins, former Michigan State wrestling coach, was manager of the 1964 United States Olympic wrestling team in Tokyo.

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