

Strikes-Spares

The Lady Sharpshooters League has been exchanging gifts between members every Christmas for the past several years. This year, however, the bowlers donated \$50 instead for needed equipment at the Plymouth State Home and Training School, Farmington, for mentally retarded children. The exchange of gifts by members was skipped.

Bob Tucker, personal secretary of the Farmington Bow League, had the top spot in the recent BPAA Secretaries' Tourney all but dropped when a series of splits in his last game dropped him 35 pins off the pace and down to seventh place.

The final day of the first half of the Junior Girls bowling season proved to be a real thriller. Team 1, after leading the league most of the season, needed to win just one game to win the half-season championship. Team 4, in second place, won the first game and battled right down to the last split to bowl to take the second. Suzanne Nichols, a Team 4 bowler, needed a spare on her last ball and got it to give her team a one-pin margin of victory and the championship. Girls on the winning Team 4 stand are Karen Davis, Holly Thurston, Suzanne Nichols, Elaine Rowe and Diane Cook. Girls on Team 1 are Ann Graham, Karen Sneider, Rosemarie Norman, Gale Guenther and Mary McDonald.

The second half of the bowling season will get underway on January 21. Junior high age girls interested in joining the league register now at Farmington Lanes. The girls bowl two games a week on Mondays after school.

Team 2, composed of Sharon Coates, Pat White, Laura Coates and Sandy Hupert, won the first half championship in the High School Girls League. The girls bowl three games each week on Tuesday afternoons after school. The second half of the season will begin Jan. 12. New bowlers are invited to join the league since free instruction is given.

Some of the local retired men have been gathering at Farmington Lanes on Monday afternoons and plan to start a league in January. Any man interested in joining an "Over Sixty" league which will bow Monday at 1 p.m. should join at Farmington Lanes.

Kendallwood Ladies' League

Team 1	34	22
Team 2	33	23
Team 3	28	29
Team 4	30	25
Team 5	27	27
Team 6	29	25
Team 7	28	29
Team 8	24	23
Team 9	23	33
Team 10	24	23
Team 11	23	33
Team 12	23	33

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Sorrows Edged By St. Thomas Quintet, 45-44

Continuing to show improvement, the Our Lady of Sorrows Lacers put up a stiff fight against the St. Thomas of Ann Arbor eagles in action last week but were edged out, 45-44.

St. Thomas held a slim margin of lead throughout the contest. The Lacers' lead was short-lived.

AT HALFTIME the Ann Arbor quintet led the floor out 24-17. In the third canto they widened their lead and were ahead 39-29 at the end of the period.

In the fourth period, the Lacers seemed to come alive. With just 59 seconds left in the game, the local boys were still trailing by three points: Bob Unks was fouled, however, and sank two free shots to pull the Sorrows boys within one point of a tie.

ANXIOUS to get his hands on the ball, Unks took a shot. St. Thomas player and, in the same situation as Unks just seconds earlier, he dropped in two free shots to tie the game.

With ten seconds left Sorrows took possession of the ball. John Hirsch took a shot and then tipped it out of bounds. The Sorrows could get the ball again, however, the final buzzer sounded.

Hirsch was high point man in the game with 16 tallies. Dick Pelletier was high point man for St. Thomas with 12. Bob Unks netted ten points for Sorrows.

Junior Bowlers Really Get Hot

Boys on Team 7 in the Junior League at Farmington Lanes gave each other a delayed Christmas present last Saturday.

The boys bowled a terrific 97 game for a new league high in this exceptionally remarkable view of the fact that it is 251 pins over the boys team average. The average age of boys participating is under 12.

Boys on the team are Dave Watson, Bill Pepper, Mike Webster, Louis Burgeon and Gary Brundie.

New Year's Teen Dance Slated at 'Y'

The Northwestern Branch of the YMCA will hold its second annual New Year's Eve Ball for both high school and college teenagers at the branch building on 7 Mile near Lash.

Bob Ruskus quartet and soloists will be the featured attractions with noted entertainers also promised. Prizes will be given and at midnight a buffet will be catered by Cregar's Restaurant.

An active parents' group which has been working hard on arrangements will assist at the party, a spokesman for the party stated. Included in this group are Mr. and Mrs. R. Rumford, Mr. and Mrs. W. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hawk and Mr. and Mrs. A. McCurdy. Other parents will also be present at the dance.



HARVEY CHAPMAN (white uniform, center of photo) went high into the air in an attempt to get this rebound but just wasn't close enough or able to go high enough to pull it away from a high-jumping Inkster Roosevelt free in Christmas tournament action last Saturday night.

Falcons Show Poorly In Tourney Opener

In the opening round of the Northwest Suburban Christmas Basketball tournament Saturday night the Farmington Falcons made a miserable showing.

They fell to an Inkster Roosevelt squad by a lopsided 63-32 score.

"They just out-played us all the way," Coach Robert Ruch commented after the game.

THE INKSTER Roosevelt five made their high showings in the first and final periods. Utilizing the fast-break very effectively, the Inkster boys piled up a 20 to 6 lead.

In the second quarter, the Falcons threw up a stronger defense and held the Inkster team to six points but were unable to move in to score themselves. At halftime the Falcons were trailing 18-26.

Third quarter play was also fairly evenly matched with the Falcons netting 13 points while holding their foe to 17.

IN THE FINAL canto, however, the Inkster five walked away with the game. It was a repeat of the first quarter. They dumped in 20 more points while holding Farmington to a meager six points.

High point man for Farmington was Harvey Chapman with 11. He got little help from any of his teammates, however.

Tuesday afternoon, the Falcons were in action against the losing team of the Monday night meet. Results of this contest and details on the victors in the tourney will be reported in next week's Enterprise.

Business News

To Attend Big Insurance Co. Meet in Calif.

Joseph A. Schulte, Jr., 31631 Slaman Circle Drive, Farmington, is one of 50 independent insurance agents from throughout the United States selected to participate in the 3rd Conference on Family Happiness and Security, held in San Francisco, California, January 7-11.

Schulte, his wife Edith and their two children, Sharon Lynn, 12, and Susan Ann, 3, will go to Disneyland as guests of the Insurance Company of North America Companies, sponsors of the conference in which insurance agents, their wives and INA executives will meet with prominent men and women from many fields.

Among them will be Dr. Hans H. Director, Institute of Experimental Medicine and Surgery, University of Montreal, who is expert in endocrinology and author of "The Stress of Life."

Howard C. Petersen, former Assistant Secretary of War and now President, Fidelity-Philadelphia Trust Company, Henry H. Viscardi, Jr., founder and president of Human Resources Corporation and author of "Give Us The Tools," Commander William R. Harrison, U.S.N., Commander of the Nautilus—first atomic submarine and co-author of "Nautilus 90 North."

Together, they will explore new ways insurance may better serve the American family in the future.

Schulte is owner of the Schulte Insurance Agency, 22623 Farmington Building, Detroit 26, Michigan. He is a member of the Detroit Assoc. of Insurance Agents and the United Foundation Fund Drive.

Action to Sell

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of the new school units proposed.

THE SECOND legal step is to make application with the Municipal Finance Commission to get permission from this governmental agency to sell the \$15 million in bonds.

Another Little Slice to Come Out of Pay

"We don't want to make your thoughts for the start of the New Year unhappy ones but tell you should be reminded of the fact that another little slice will be taken out of your pay after the first of the year."

Beginning January 1, 1960, your social security contribution will be increased to 4 1/2 percent. If you are a wage earner and 4 1/2 percent for the self-employed. The employer of each wage earner will also contribute 3 percent.

The present rates are 2 1/2 percent each for wage earners and employers and 3 1/2 percent for the self-employed.

"Today over 13,000,000 beneficiaries are receiving over \$8,000,000 each month in social security benefits and the beneficiary rolls are increasing each year," William E. LaRock, manager of the Pontiac social security district office said.

"To assure the financing of the program for a sound actuarial basis, Congress in August of 1959 approved the contribution schedule which provides for the rate increase beginning January 1," LaRock concluded.

Tax Payments A Bit Slower Than in 1958

Payment of taxes by city and township residents is about the same or perhaps a little behind the last few years. Many people wait until after the first of the year.

Personal property taxes are due Dec. 10, but may be paid up to and including Jan. 10, 1960 without penalty.

BOTH CITY and township are pretty much collection agencies for county and school taxes. Real estate taxes may be paid up to and including Jan. 10, 1960 without penalty.

Twp. Treasurer Elise P. Avery says she has received and paid \$28,125 to school districts and the county up through Dec. 21. There is \$2,106,438 due to be collected in total township taxes this year, nearly all going to schools and the county.

It's difficult to judge exactness, but not so long that troubles might result from having money available to meet payments to contractors.

Say Wire Glass Too Expensive

A proposal by the building subcommittee of the School Citizens Advisory Committee that wire glass might be used at upper-levels in the hallways of the new Dunckley Junior High addition was turned down by the School Board Monday night.

The proposal was rejected as too expensive following a report to the Board by Trustee Vernon Fisher.

Fisher told fellow Board members that he had investigated this matter and that, as close as he estimates, it would cost between \$800 and \$1,000 more to use this wire glass than plain glass such as has been used in the past in other buildings.

Board members were unanimous in their belief that the benefits which might be derived, if any, were not worth the additional expense. Members of the administrative staff agreed.

King Completes Marine Basic

Marine Pvt. Barry J. King, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius M. King, of 3500 Valley View Drive, Farmington completed recruit training Dec. 28 at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, South Carolina. Relatives and friends of many of the new Marines were on hand to witness the graduation ceremonies.

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