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Briar Hill NEWS

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My warning to the McMahon family was useless. Before my column appeared in print Marge got a phone call that Bob's niece had fallen on ice on a sidewalk and broke her ankle. Who will be the next victim?????

The Briar Hill Women's Bowling League ended up their first half with three teams tied for first place so Friday, Jan. 19, they played it off.

The top teams were the Fun-tastic Four - Toni Wolff, Joan Babcock, Ann Collins and Carol Petro; the Occasional Wives Rosie Miller, Lois Mathews, Ruth Donovan and Pat Bambas; the Best the Challenge - Joan Landenberger, Connie Wingle, Marie Nicol and Annabelle Mc-Mint.

Who winners were the Occasional Wives. Irene Young has the high game score - 230 and Joan Danaro, high series, 552.

WINNER OF the first half for the Men's League were the Westbrook Barbers - Joe Stephan, Sr., Pat Lupia, Hank Atrax and Don Rug. The high game score is held by Ron Pierdon, 264, and Joe Stephan, Sr., has high series - 683.

We have a small mystery in our home. Several weeks ago our daughter, Deborah, received a letter from the Embassy of India in Washington, D.C. saying she had placed third in a nationwide essay competition. Her prize was a lovely silver filigree tray and upon its arrival, the card with it said it was for second place - so now we are wondering, second or third?

JOE COLLINS, of Briarton, received word that his mother

has passed away Jan. 9, so the Collins family left for West Virginia to attend her funeral. They planned on returning by the evening of Saturday, Jan. 13, but found themselves snowed in.

There was 30 inches of snow and in some places you drove down a highway and the snow was banded so high on the sides it was like driving through a tunnel. Going through a U.S. Forest area though, there was a silent beauty about it all. They were finally able to start back and arrived home the evening of Tuesday, Jan. 16.

A few more birthday congratulations for this week - Carole Terrellberry celebrates on Jan. 23, Sandra McCormick Jan. 29 and Dale Seterak of Des Moines on Jan. 31.

THE MYSTERY CLUB outing was last Saturday and ended up with members viewing the modern version of "Gone With The Wind". Refreshments were enjoyed after at The Canopy and those at the tables were the Coppes, Biehls, Holmes, Browns, Don Marzinkas, Wakelands, Morgans, O'Neils and Morens.

Marge and Bob Wicklander were guests of honor at the farewell party hosted by Marge and Bob McMahon last Saturday evening. Friends attending included the Lockes who drove up from Columbus, O. for the weekend.

Sunday morning found them at a brunch given by Norma and Bob Homier. The Wicklanders will be leaving Briar Hill soon and will try apartment living in the Chicago area. They've been our good neighbors for quite a few years and we hate to see them go.

Collisions

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touch off a series of collisions behind him involving the following:

Donald Wilkinson, 21, of Wal-lace Lake in a 1980 Ford; John Oliver, 54, of Fowlerville in a 1984 Chevrolet; Weldon Jenkins, 38, of Westland in a 1983 Buick; Maurice Osterle, 46, of Webberville, driving a 1987 Ford stake truck; John Stevens, 72, of Wayne in a 1987 Oldsmobile; and Arthur Burger, 43, of Allen Park who was wheeling a tractor and trailer.

Several other cars and trucks also became involved, but as of Tuesday township police were still piecing together the fragments and seeking complete identification of the drivers. It was the Buick driven by

Jenkins which burst into flames and was the first hauled from the scene.

Police said DeBoise was one of the persons who required treatment for minor injuries,

but their records did not show identity of the other.

Wreckers were still at work Tuesday attempting to remove the enormous truck from the median where the accident started.

Team first place and individual high game are the two factors for the pride of 11-year-old Donald Lyons of

Youth Bowls 201 Game

30764 W. 14 Mile Rd., West Bloomfield Township. On Jan. 22, Donald bowled a 201 game in a league at the Norwest Lanes. For this

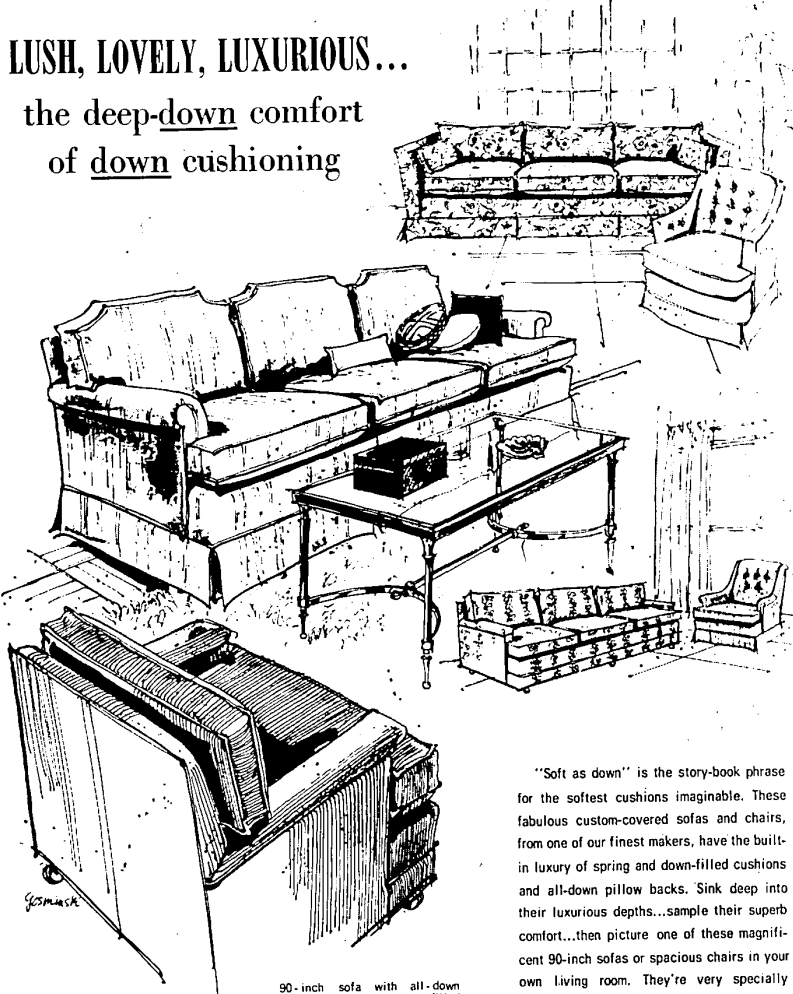
feat, the sixth grader at Farmington's Eagle School received a trophy for the high game of the season. He also helped his team win the first place honors.

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