

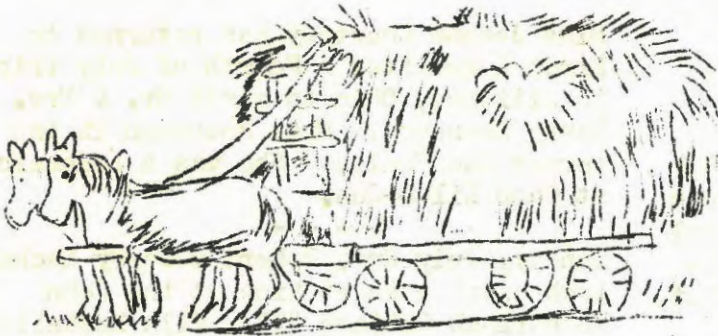
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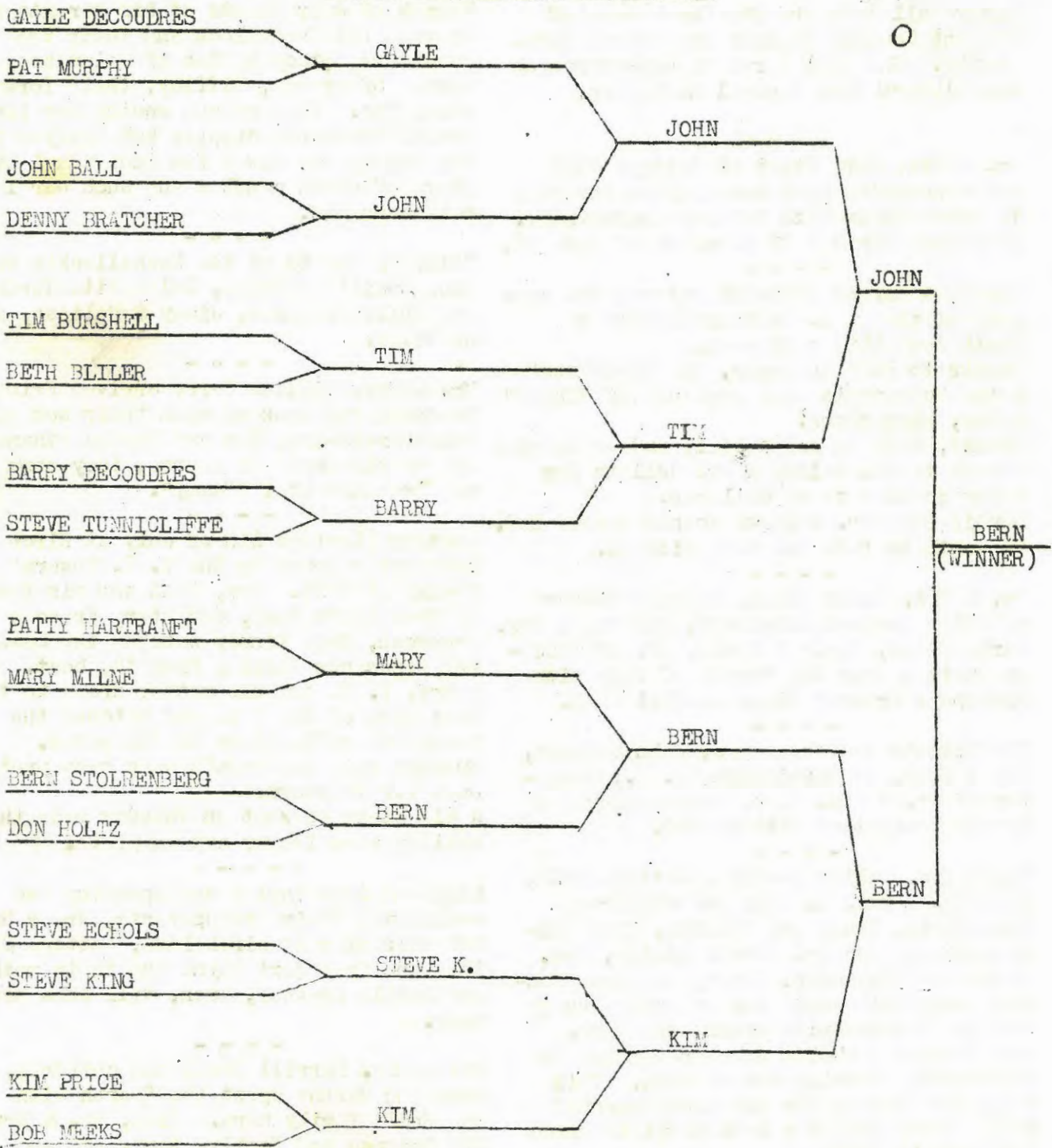
--50¢ PER YACHT CLUB MEMBER

--75¢ PER NON-MEMBER

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RESULTS OF PING PONG TOURNAMENT





What's New?

Mr. & Mrs. Paul Smeltzer, Carol, Mark & Gail of Elkhart were guests of the John Ball's Sunday, July 2nd. John and Paul had quite a fast trip home on the Sunfish when the "big wind" came! In fact, the crew fell overboard. July 4th guests of the Ball's were Mr. & Mrs. George Chapman, Carol & Cathy, and Deanne Denton, all from Elkhart. We all enjoyed the fireworks on Monday evening.

Cindy Ball left the 9th for a week of Student Council Seminar at Indiana University. She will serve as secretary for the Elkhart High Council next year.

Mr. & Mrs. Gary Stout of Cottage #357 had a surprise open house given for them to honor their 25th Wedding Anniversary. They were Married 25 years as of June 26.

Martha & Gordon Norquist enjoyed the company of the C. J. McNamara family of South Bend this past week.

Thanks to PaPa Waggoner, the Norquists' & the McNamara's made good use of "Chaos" & Wow, what chaos! Thanks, Dad, we had a ball, and--a special thanks to Mr. Fulmer & Mr. Gollatz for being so kind to my children. Gordie says Mr. Gollatz is his second Dad. He wants to take him home with us.

Mr. & Mrs. Elair Dixon, Susan & Richard of Hales Corners, Wisconsin; and Mr. & Mrs. Merle Dixon, Twyla & Merle, Jr. of Chicago visited over the Fourth of July with Grandpa & Grandma Dixon on East Hill.

The Dixon's and Mr. & Mrs. John Schlect, Kay & John, of Washington, D. C., daughter of Mr. & Mrs. C. J. Dixon enjoyed a lovely cookout at Cottage #50.

Mr. & Mrs. Walter Gaedtke, Cottage #318, took Mr. & Mrs. L. Hain and children, Ruth Marie, Cindy and Clinton, from Williamsville, and Mr. Hain's sister, Mrs. Cooper and daughter, Linda, and son, Dennis, from California for an early Sunday morning Pontoon ride around the lake. Mrs. Cooper & children are returning to California, leaving Sunday noon. This being the reason for the early hurried trip. Mrs. Cooper's last visit to Birch Lake was in 1939.

Miss Jeanne Courtney has returned to Birch Lake after a Fourth of July trip to Alliance, Ohio to visit Mr. & Mrs. Harry Houseman. Mrs. Houseman is the former Sue Godley. She was a counselor at Camp Kil-O-Qua.

Sunday, July 2nd, Robert & Gerry Machalleck spent a short time at the John Machalleck Cottage #51. Ella Machalleck, mother of the boys, who had been staying with John, went home with Robert to live with them in St. Joseph, Michigan for the month of July.

Fourth of July guests of his parents were Steve & Pat Machalleck and their two daughters, Stacy & Gina of Kalamazoo, Mich. Of course, Tiffany, their Yorky came, too. They missed seeing our lovely annual fireworks display but enjoyed the day anyway and saw a few individual displays of roman candles and such our lake neighbors had.

Saturday guests of the Machalleck's were Mrs. Lucille Watkins, Cal & Rita Jordan and their children, Jimmy & Melissa, all of Niles.

Mr. & Mrs. William Terry arrived Friday to spend the weekend with their son and daughter-in-law, Tom and Martha Athanas. Are we kidding? Of course, they came to see granddaughter "Cummy".

Another glorious 4th of July at Birch Lake was enjoyed by the I. T. Bowers' family at #307. Son, Paul and his family from South Bend, daughter, Frances and grandson, Greg Kinner watched the beautiful fireworks display from the boat. Mr. & Mrs. I. T. and his mother drove to the East Side of the lake and watched the beautiful reflections in the water. Grandma said she hadn't seen such pretty ones for 70 years.

A big steak cookout on Tuesday made the holiday seem longer and complete.

Lisa and John Taylor are spending two weeks with their grandparents, Mr. & Mrs. Bob Carpenter at Birch Lake, Cottage #112. They are from Fort Wayne and their mother and little brother, Aron, will come next week.

Mr. & Mrs. Merrill Crull and children, Drew and Martha spent the fourth with the Crull family here. Also, Mr. & Mrs. Tim Shugrue and family, Toni, Pat and Elizabeth, visited with the Crull's the fourth.



BARKER NEWS



Karen Toth celebrated her 16th birthday Friday, July 7th with her guests at beautiful Birch Lake. Her guests from Riley High School and St. Mary's Academy enjoyed skiing (Some for the first time). "Many happy returns, Karen--from Mom, Dad, and all your brothers and sisters.

Friday night Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cowan, #308, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Duncan of Mishawaka enjoyed Kathryn Crosby in "The Guardsman" at the Drury Lane Theatre in Chicago.

Shelley Lynn Kruggel celebrated her first birthday, Sunday, July 9th. On hand for the celebration were Grandma & Grandpa Watson, Aunts & Uncles, and other friends from South Bend.

Mr. & Mrs. Stanley A. Niles and daughter, Tina, from Philadelphia, Pa. spent last week at the Heckber's in the Cove. Mrs. Niles is Galen's sister.

The John Scofield's are spending the week at Birch Lake---a lazy vacation.

FRESH MUSHROOMS---If you would like to enjoy fresh, hot-house grown mushrooms with your steaks or have large ones for Kabobs?---Order from the Machalleck's, Cottage #51. Orders should be in day before, except for weekends, when orders should be placed by Thursday.

DAWN FRESH MUSHROOMS - - 75¢ LB.

FOR SALE: Nearly new 19 in. Emerson Portable T. V. with stand. Used less than six months. Have purchased Color Set.

L. A. Milne Cottage #93

FOR SALE: 14 Ft. Lyman Boat with 30 H.P. Johnson Electric Start Motor & Battery-Life Saver Type Cushions, Fire Extinguisher, Cover and Tie-up posts included. See Mahlon EberhartCottate #27.

Camp Kiloqua, the Camp of the Mishawaka Camp Fire Girls at Birch Lake, Michigan, opened a six-week session on Sunday, July 9. Miss Nancy Ranzaert of South Bend will return as Camp Director. Miss Judy Hull of Mishawaka will be Assistant Director and in charge of the tent units. Miss Joan Nemes will be Waterfront Director. Other local members of the staff include Nancy Grundtner, Linda Forbes, Betsy Freise, and Barbara Hitchins, Mrs. Clara Berreth and Mrs Angela Myers will be camp Cooks. The Camp Nurse for the first week will be Mrs. Lawrence Britton, R.N.

Staff Members from South Bend are Ann Marie Leliart, Faith Parsons, and Lisa Dredge. Joyce Ford of Albion, Michigan; Sharon Pennell, Lake Bluff, Illinois; and Jeff Asire, Centerport, New York, complete the staff.

Camp Kiloqua is licensed by the State of Michigan, and is an approved member camp of the American Camping Association. The six-week sessions will run through August 19.

Little Lisa Getzinger, granddaughter of Dorothy and Hub Getzinger, underwent surgery for the removal of her tonsils last Saturday. Lisa and her mother, Judy will be spending some time with the Getzingers---Daddy, Dave, will arrive later.

Johnny Earhart celebrated his birthday last Sunday, with family and friends at Cottage #4. Happy Belated Birthday, Johnny.



REPORT FROM COMMITTEE

THE SUBJECT OF VANDALISM WAS DISCUSSED AT A RECENT YACHT CLUB MEETING. SPECIFICALLY, THE DAMAGE DONE TO MR. JOHNSON'S AND MR. WEAVER'S PROPERTY. THE OFFICERS APPOINTED A COMMITTEE OF MESSRS. FORBES, FULMER AND EBERHART TO CONTACT THE SHERIFF TO SEE WHAT COULD BE DONE ABOUT THE ABOVE INCIDENTS AND ALSO SPEEDING.

ON FRIDAY, JULY 7TH THESE MEN WENT TO SHERIFF DOOL'S OFFICE AND DISCUSSED OUR PROBLEMS. HE SAID HE WOULD TRY TO GET A PATROL CAR TO PATROL AROUND THE LAKE, PARTICULARLY THE SOUTH SIDE, ON WEEKENDS. HE MAY BE ABLE TO SEND UP A RADAR CAR.

ANY OF OUR LAKE RESIDENTS WHO ARE HAVING PROBLEMS ARE ENCOURAGED TO CONTACT YOUR DIRECTOR OR ANY CLUB OFFICER, OR THE AUTHORITIES.

Here's a checklist for evaluating the abilities of your major rival:

- If he has something to say on a subject--he's trying to run things.
- If he's silent--he has an inferiority complex.
- If he agrees with you--he lacks originality.
- If he doesn't agree with you--he's ignorant.
- If he has a strong opinion--he's bull-headed.
- If he tries to see both sides of a question--he's pussy-footing.
- If he's been working in the job for a short time--he's inexperienced.
- If he's been on the job for a long time--he's in a rut.
- This may not be too objective a test, but it certainly is fun!

THE JUNIOR YACHT CLUB ARE STILL IN DESPERATE NEED OF CHAPERONES FOR THEIR TUESDAY AND THURSDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES.

CONTACT TORI KING IF YOU CAN HELP.

--THANKS--

CINDY BALL, PRES.

If you have any suggestions or criticism concerning the publication of the Barker please feel free to voice them.

--Editor

Any news or ads you may have for the Barker can be given to your carrier on Saturday or brought to Cottage #00 before 6:00 P.M. on Sunday.

ADULT SOCIAL NIGHT

FRIDAY JULY 21st

YACHT CLUB 8:00 PM

Handwritten note:
Please come

COME AS YOU WISH