

N. Farmington Cagers Drop to 2nd in League

By DENNIS GLADCHIN
North Farmington failed to gain a stronger hold on first place in the Northwest Suburban League and instead fell to second place in the night before a 10-point lead in the second half and lost to Birmingham Groves, 68-63. On the following night the Raiders partially redeemed themselves as they dropped the Clarenceville Trojans, 74-61.

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RICH SCHULTZ turned in a fine game as he scored 24 points while playing less than 30 minutes. Schultz found in eight field goals and also contributed 16 points on the fourth quarter before fouling out with less than two minutes to play. The Raiders' high scoring forward, Rick Schultz, scored 16 points on six field goals and four of seven free throws.

Senior John McDonald, seeing his first real action since sustaining a leg injury during the football season, pumped in nine points as he hit on four shots from the floor and one from beyond the 3-point arc.

NORTH FARMINGTON managed a slim one point lead after the first 30 minutes of the first half, 29-28 advantage. The Raiders outscored Birmingham in the second quarter and commanded a 31-25 half-time lead.

North Farmington came out and opened up a 38-28 lead midway through the third quarter and looked as if it was going to continue to "pull away" from the home-bound Trojans. Groves then moved into a full-court press and staged a comeback as they closed the margin to 41-40, for North Farmington held a 39-37 lead.

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Lancer Cagers Extend String

On return from the Christmas vacation, the Lancers High continued on their winning ways. Starting with Royal Oak St. Mary, the team has gone on to win out of 4 and now holds a 7-2 league record.

As the score indicates (69-55) the "RO" game was a real squeaker. The Lancer team shot like a real power team and came out of the locker room at halftime with a 10 point advantage, which quickly was upped to 16. From then on, the Lancers wanted the lead divide to nothing with just over two minutes left.

MYLES KEARNEY broke the tie with a clutch basket and Brian Bender put in both ends of a 1 and 1 situation with 10 seconds left which proved to be the victory margin. Ben Bender led all scorers with 22 points and Mark Bender, 11.

RETURNING HOME the Purple and White took revenge on their only league loss to Pontiac St. Mary, 54-53, in a rematch. Sorrows rushed to quick 10-0 lead and from then on controlled the game winning 22-7. All starters got in double digits as Sorrows, led by the loved by B. Bender 19, Soph Tim Doyle 16, Mike Bars and M. Bender 10 apiece.

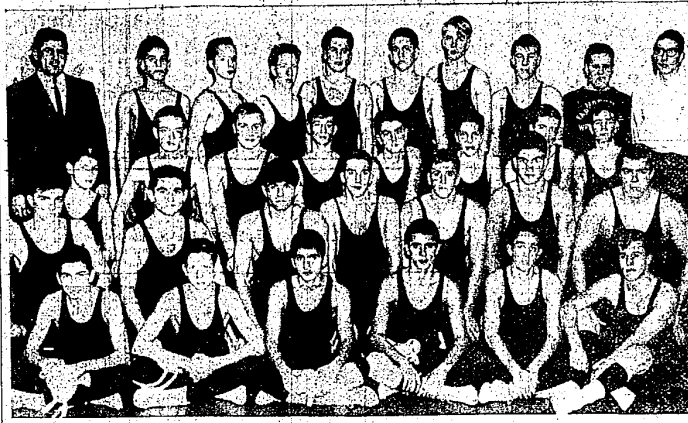
On the road again, the team failed to extend its short winning streak as they drew 22-22, with an inexperienced but scrappy Roseville squad last Thursday night.

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THE RAIDERS WRESTLING TEAM has posted the finest win-loss record for this season of all the high school teams. The North Farmington squad, boasting a record of five victories against just one defeat, is pictured above (L to R, front row) Rick Gunderlock, J. Dragon, Dennis Vartanian, Dan Vartanian (L to R second row) Lance Oak, Terry Geha, Terry Shaback, Tim Ferguson, Dick Allen, Craig Wyckinsy and Mike Coles; (L to R, third row) Ray Rowe, Greg Hendee, Dale Roberts, Dan McCort, Mark Goodwin, Dave Johnson, Rick Neilson and Bernie Thompson; and (L to R, top row) Coach Nick Rudelic, John Kaplan, Bob Dragon, unidentified, Keith Coykendal, Leigh Rocks, Rick Tyler, Mike Collet, Bill Borez and member Bill White. Absent from the picture are Assistant Coach Grant Wilcox, Bob Smith, Ray Roberts, Mike Himelsohn, Tom Larry and J. Clark. The North Farmington wrestlers are undefeated in conference action. The Raiders will host league rival Oak Park in a dual meet Thursday night, January 21, at 7:30 p.m. in their next action.

Falcons Draw With Matmen From Roseville

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Lancer Grapplers Win 2 Meets As Rick Korte Stays Unbeaten

The Our Lady of Sorrows wrestling team scored two impressive victories in dual meet action this past week as Lancer Captain Rick Korte extended his string of undefeated dual meet matches to seven straight for the season.

The Lancers bombed Lutherian East on Jan. 10, on January 12 in a home meet and journeyed to Whitmore Lake on January 14 to claim a 27 to 15 victory.

RICK KORTE pinned his 145-pound Lutherian East opponent, 5-0 and was awarded a 3-2 decision on riding time in his match against Don Lupp. A Biggins place winner for Whitmore Lake in 1963, to keep his perfect dual meet record.

Little Falcons Win Cage Tilts

"Was a very rewarding weekend for the Sophs as they triumphed twice over Walled Lake and Plymouth. The Walled Lake victory extended their league record to 2-0. The showdown battle will be tomorrow at Pontiac as the Huskies hold a perfect 2-0 record.

The Sophs outplayed Walled Lake on Friday, 76-51. At the end of the first quarter, the game was deadlocked, 16-16. The Little Falcons broke loose in the second half to break open the game as they added 74 points to their half time lead of 42-25.

MIKE AMES took the scoring honors as he tallied for 24 points. Tom Wint collected 16 points. In Saturday's game with Plymouth, the Little Falcons chalked up another victory as they downed the Rocks, 49-9.

The Sophs never downed in the contest as they led 14-8 in the first quarter, 29-16 in the second, and 46-32 in the third quarter, and at the final horn, 55-19.

Rex Cawley Will Run In Track Meet Jan. 23

Farmington's own Rex Cawley will run in the 400 meter Intermediate Hurdles in the Los Angeles Invitational Track Meet on January 23. Rex, a 1959 graduate of Farmington High School and Olympic Gold Medalist as well as world record holder for the 400 meter Intermediate Hurdles, is currently a member of the Los Angeles Athletic Club.

USO Show Planned By Prep Music Depts.

Farmington High's band and vocal groups will join forces February 2 and present a concert in the gymnasium of Farmington Junior High and Farmington East Junior High. The theme of the show will be the USO.

Falcon Cagers Drop Two Games; Face Tough Pontiac Northern

The Farmington High basketball team received a double dose of defeat last weekend, losing to Walled Lake, 34-40, on Friday evening and dropping an overtime battle with Plymouth the next night, 66-63.

Falcon players found their shooting eyes as they closed the game out during the first quarter against Walled Lake, falling behind 18-6 after the first eight minutes. The scoring drought continued as the Birds found themselves trailing a very mediocre Viking team, 26-18, at the half.

The Farmington quartet rallied after intermission behind Mike Wilson's buzzer shot to the zone press, to close the gap to seven points. The Falcon momentum and the Blue and White team found themselves trailing, 39-32, going into the final quarter.

But, the comeback rally was foiled by Walled Lake as the home team regained its first place in league competition, squaring its record at 1-1. Farmington Northern now led by 20 marks, with Farmington and Walled Lake tied for second place.

Marilyn Fedraw On Volleyball Team at CMU

Marilyn Fedraw of Farmington, a member of Central Michigan University's number two volleyball team, helped teammates down Eastern Michigan 15-5 and 15-6 in best-of-three play and beat Wayne State's first team, 15-1 and 15-6 in best-of-three matches.

The games were played at Western Michigan University in Second Class Postage Paid at Farmington, Michigan. Address All Subscriptions, Changes of Address, Forms 3279, to Box 455, Farmington, Michigan 49024.

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- Jan. 22 Fish Fry, Ft. Francis C of C Hall, 21900 Middlebelt, open to the public or carry-out, GR 6-1100.
- Jan. 22 Farmington Senior High School Senior Class presents the play, "Ask Any Girl," Farmington Junior High School, 8 p.m. Students; seventy-five cents, adults one dollar.
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- Jan. 25 Farmington Jaycees regular meeting, City National Bank, 8:30 p.m.
- Jan. 25 Farmington Board of Education, Administration Bldg., 8:30 p.m.
- Jan. 25 Farmington Township Board, Township Hall, 8 p.m.
- Jan. 26 Kiwanis, Botsford Inn, 6:30 p.m.
- Jan. 26 Provisional League of Women Voters at the home of Mrs. Vern McManey, 30322 Wicklow. Topic will be public welfare.
- Jan. 27 Newcomers, First Farmington Savings & Loan, 12 noon, Dr. Sherman, Hypnotist from Detroit Hypnosis Clinic.
- Jan. 27 Farmington High Chapter American Field Service, Farmington Senior, High, 3 p.m.
- Jan. 27 Pioneer Golden Age Club, business meeting and social afternoon, St. Alexander's Social Hall.
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