

Farmington Quintet Gets Back On Victory Trail; Down Viking Team

In a fast-moving, highly competitive game thriller Friday night, the Farmington Quintet came back on victory trail and downed the less effective Walled Lake Vikings 67-49.

Paced by high scoring John Pawest's eight points in the first period, the Falcons zoomed ahead to an early lead and ended the first period seven points up on the Vikings, 17-10.

The second period saw the hard-driving Falcons push further ahead by scoring 12 points to the Vikings' 9, boosting their lead to 29-19. Score at half time was 29-19.

The Vikings' tempo picked up in the third and fourth periods but the Farmington quintet kept up their drive to remain in the lead. Even though the over-pressing Vikings scored 20 points in the last period to the Falcons' 14.

The hardwood drama featured a fast-paced game, with Farmington chalking up 20 points for the evening on nine field goals and two free shots. Ron Danahue, who had not dressed for three games due to an ankle injury, did very well for himself, racking up 13 points on six baskets and one free shot.

Following Danahue was Bud Jones, who looped in 12. Rice and Shoukiet each chipped up six points.

Bob Hess led the Viking scorers, making 18 points. Hess was followed by Mike Tierney, who sank nine points, and Myrel Tauler, who tallied eight.

The next game is tomorrow night with Waterford on the Waterford floor.

Overtime Is Fatal To Trojan Cagers

The Clarenceville cagers collided with the Brighton Bulldogs on their own court last Friday night and lost the game in a torrid two-minute overtime period.

Brighton collected two quick baskets at the beginning of the overtime period. Fred Reed, captain of the Trojans, flashed back with a swift two points, followed by Hanaford who bucketed another two to tie the game.

Just before the overtime ended, however, Brighton rallied with four rapid points to take the game.

In the first period the Trojans were outscored 12-10. Pacing the scoring for Clarenceville was Corman with six points. In the second quarter the Trojans were outscored 13-11 to leave the score at half-time trailing by five points.

In the second half the Trojans came back with new vigor and fought all the way to the buzzer to tie the score five points and tie the score.

Leading scorers for the second half were Jones, Grose and Reed with seven points each.

F.H.S. Intramural Teams See Battle

The Farmington High Intramural League is still going strong with six teams seeing action last Thursday night.

In the White League, Jerry Plautz led his league-mates to a 12-10 victory over the Free-Throwers by scoring 12 points.

In another White League game, the Fast Breakers beat the Blue Angels 12-10, with Steve Phillips getting 10 points.

The only Red League game was a 46-17 slaughter by the Basket-hangers over the Blue Angels. Ray Porter and Horace Waters led the scoring for the winners with 23 and 15 points respectively.

The following are the White and Red League standings:

Team	Won	Lost
Goal Getters	5	0
Fast Breakers	4	1
New Misses	3	2
Playtime Four	2	3
Free-Throwers	0	4
Red League		
Sharpshooters	3	0
Basket-hangers	1	2
Blue Angels	1	3
Crewcuts	0	3

The Intramural League meets 7 every Thursday night. J. R.

GERALD JAGROWSKI ON WEST POINT WINTER TRACK TEAM

Cadet Gerald L. Jagrowski, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon H. Jagrowski, 28370 Tenth Mile Road, Farmington, is a member this season of the U. S. Military Academy's winter track team at West Point, New York.

He was picked from almost 1,800 boys of the upper three classes to participate with the track team. The academy takes part in ten varsity sports during the winter season.

Cadet Jagrowski attended the University of Detroit before his appointment to West Point by Rep. George A. Dondero of Michigan's 17th Congressional District.

Trojan J.V.'s Edged By Keego Harbor Five

The Clarenceville High J. V.'s lost a thrilling, hard fought game to the Keego Harbor Reserves 40-33 on Friday January 28.

The Trojans' loss was due to poor start in the first quarter by scoring only 3 points to Keego's 11. In the second quarter, however, the Trojans got hot and scored 13 points to Keego's 7. Keego was leading at the half by a slim two points.

In the third quarter Keego surged ahead again for 17 points to Clarenceville's 7. The Trojans outscored Keego 16-5 in the final period but lost the game.

Davitt led the scoring for Clarenceville with 15 points. Hearty Mack with 13, followed by Wassch with 6.

B. T.

Trojan J.V.'s Stage Rally To Whip Brighton 56-50

In action with Brighton, the Clarenceville J.V.'s staged a fourth period rally to come from behind and down their foes 56-50.

They scored 25 points to Brighton's 13. Healy and Carleton paced the Trojan club in their last period spree with 8 and 7 points respectively.

In the opening period the Trojans took the lead by out-scoring Brighton 13-8, but dropped behind in the second and third quarters. They were trailing 31-27 going into the final period.

High scoring for the Trojans was Carleton with 17 points.

HOW THEY STAND

Team	Won	Lost
Barkley	6	1
Southfield	4	3
Farmington	3	3
Van Dyke	3	3
Walled Lake	2	2
Waterford	1	1

Enjoying Ice Skating At City Rink



After a slow start, wintry weather finally set and the ice skating, toboggans and other winter sports equipment came out at the City Park in Farmington where the group of youngsters, known above, The nearly hilly could also be seen dotted with youngsters enjoying sliding and tobogganing activity, the enclosed, miniature hockey arena was their choice.

Franklin Knolls News

Twenty-Five From Knolls Vie For Strikes, Spares Weekly At Nor-West

For relaxation, recreation, exercise or just plain fun, twenty-five bowlers from Franklin Knolls get together every Tuesday night at Northwest Recreation. There are six teams in the league. Charlotte Rubin is secretary and Irene Coffman is treasurer.

Teams 6 and 2 are battling for first place with Team 6 having 4 points and Team 2, eight points. Teams 1, 3, 4 and 5 are tied with five points each and Team 4 has taken four points. Individual averages are:

Team 1	Team 2
S. Schmidt 130	H. Corville 75
R. Schmidt 145	D. Corville 136
B. Beck 126	D. Thomas 138
I. Beck 153	R. Thomas 137
Poltz 63	V. Walker 88
Team 3	Team 4
S. Walker 145	B. Rubin 113
G. Steinberger 152	C. Simon 88
A. Coffman 155	H. Simon 103
A. Kodashia 159	H. Simon 111
	Lederer 624

Team 5	Team 6
A. Forte 105	S. Morrison 107
S. Forte 166	R. Morrison 138
G. Kornfield 160	B. Gausb 124
D. Coffman 572	E. Gausb 123
	Depatie 129
Plus	Team 6
Harold Simon had high game last week with 222. Previous high was 187.	

NOTE INCREASE IN APPREHENSION OF LAW VIOLATORS

A slight increase in the number of conservation court cases noted in 1954, continuing a trend established during the last several years.

Conservation department records show 6068 cases were taken in 1953, more than 100 more than in 1952. In 1952, the courts handled 5662 conservation cases. In 1951 the total was 5406 and in the previous year 5000.

Game people are going hunting and fishing these days," says E. E. Tucker, in charge of conservation law enforcement. "The slight rise in violations can be probably only a reflection of that trend."

Tucker points out that Michigan probably has fewer hunting and fishing laws on the books now than at any time in the last several decades.

"A lot of local regulations were scrapped in 1929," he says, "and more recently we've cut away senseless and unenforced regulations."

Violators have paid about \$650,000 in fines and costs in the last five years, most of which goes directly into the state library fund.

Tempting Bait Needed For Best Winter Angling

"Anglers' bait needs to be especially tempting to attract fish in the winter," states the article "Fishing" Chips, in the January-February issue of Michigan Conservation, bi-monthly conservation department magazine.

The recently-published issue discusses why this is the case and gives several other tips on ice fishing.

A one-year subscription to the magazine is available from the conservation department in Lansing.

Falcons Stage Comeback To Beat Trojans

Last Tuesday night in a non-league battle, the Clarenceville Falcons and the Farmington Falcons met on the hardwoods with Farmington winning 56-51.

Reed, Hanaford, Corman, Grose and Todd against a taller and more experienced Farmington team made up of Nichols, Robinson, Rice, Benn and Jones.

In the first period the Clarenceville underdogs jumped ahead of the confident Falcons by the score of 19-11. In the second period of fighting, the Trojan offensive attack was hampered but they still outscored the Falcon team 14-13 to leave the floor at half-time in possession of a 33-24 lead.

The second half opened with Farmington showing new vigor as Rice cut loose on a 16-point scoring spree to make the second half a sad one for the Trojans. The Falcons outscored the Trojans in the two period 30-18.

Farmington's leading scorer was Rice with 25 to this credit. He was closely followed by Jones with 18. High point man for Clarenceville was Reed with 15. Grose followed with 13.

Falcon Freshmen Dumped By Walled Lake 46-29

The Farmington Fresh were beaten by Walled Lake Friday by the score of 46-29. The score at the half was 20-16 for Walled Lake.

The starting line-up for Farmington was Catherman, Chandler, Bryon and Nichols, guards; Chalmers and Putton, forwards.

Catherman was high point man with 12 points.

By Jim Chalmers

F.H.S. GIRL BOWLING TEAMS BATTLE FOR SECOND PLACE

The Guttergrabs and Kazootie Kids are still waging a terrific battle for second place in the Farmington High School Girls Bowling League with the Debs now leading by half a point.

The White Wings and the Oop Shoops are again tied for fifth place.

S. J. G.

BALLROOM SQUARE DANCE CLASSES OFFERED BY YWCA

Have trouble following your partner on a crowded night club dance floor?

Do you get mixed up when the square dance caller calls a dance you don't know?

June Bisset, director of Northwest Center YWCA, 17268 Redford Avenue, has pondered these questions, and as a result, has scheduled square and square dance classes to take care of the situation.

Beginners, teen-agers and intermediate dancers may learn the fundamentals of ballroom dancing as well as the latest fad steps - at classes at Northwest Center on Thursday evenings. They are scheduled at 7, 8 and 9 p.m. The classes will be taught by Mrs. Ruth Griffin.

Also on Thursday evenings, at the Northland Auditorium, under the sponsorship of Northwest Center, there is square dancing will be taught by Mildred and Les Brennan. Following a beginner's course at 7:30 p.m. the Brennan's will have two hours of square dancing in the auditorium at 8:30 p.m.

Registration for the classes may be made at Northwest Center.

FOLDER REVEALS INFORMATION ON FISH CONSERVATION

Some lowdown on the high art of fish conservation is wrapped up in "Fish Conservation Highlights of 1954," a recent publication of the Sport Fishing Institute.

The work discusses the general picture, stocking, regulations, habitat improvement, population work, creation of new fishing waters, research, education and other elements in the total fisheries picture.

"This is a good brief statement of fish conservation work," says A. B. Cook, assistant chief of the Michigan fish division. "Anyone who wants a general picture of what fish conservation is trying to do in the United States could turn to reading this book."

R. W. Eschmeyer, author of the work, says the book is not intended as "the last word" on fish conservation but that it "represents the observations of one professional fish conservationist as of now."

Illustrated with cartoons by artist Oscar Warbach, now on the staff of Michigan's conservation department, copies of the work may be purchased from the Sport Fishing Institute located at the Department Building, Washington, D. C.

WINTER SPORTS & NOW AT PEAK IN HCMA PARKS

Winter sports activities are at their height now in the Huron-Clinton Metropolitan Authority Parks. After a slow start because of prolonged warm weather, park officials said the cold snap has built up sufficient ice to assure good skating and skating for some time to come.

Kensington Metropolitan Park near New Hudson reports excellent conditions for skating on Kent Lake, and good skiing, sledding and tobogganing on the hills nearby. There are nearly one hundred shanties on the lake on week ends.

With two lighted skating rinks, Lower Huron Metropolitan Park near Belleville is drawing crowds of hockey players and free skaters.

Metropolitan Beach on Lake St. Clair is drawing week end crowds of from 10 to 15 thousand persons, with plenty of room for more. While a majority of these are ice fishermen, women and children, many are interested spectators who enjoy the view from the board walk and often hike out on the ice to watch the colorfully dressed fishermen with their intricate "Up-ups" and other unusual tactics. Some set up housekeeping on the ice, with shanties or improvised shelters, the family dog sometimes comes along on a sled, and one man was seen trying his perch catch in the open over a charcoal burner. Weekly prizes are given at the Bait and Tackle Shop for the largest fish.

The sheltered skating rink at Metropolitan Beach with sections for both free skaters and hockey teams is in use night and day. Bernie Ballentine is winter sports director.

Never underestimate the sporting power of Mr. John Q. Breadwinner! Seven out of ten men shop in food stores at least once a week - much more often than they did five years ago.

Falcon J.V.'s Fall To Walled Lake

The Farmington Junior Varsity fell to a slow start, caught fire, but fell behind to lose to the Walled Lake Vikings 64-53 Friday, February 4.

Farmington had trouble in starting and at the end of the half trailed Walled Lake 32-23. Farmington then seemed to light up and at the end of the third period trailed Walled Lake by only seven points, 40-47.

Farmington lost ground, though not spirit, in the final period and when the buzzer sounded to end the game Walled Lake had an eleven-point victory, 64-53.

Dave Warriner paced Farmington's attack with seven field goals and one free shot for a total of 15 points. He was followed closely by Jerry Pilek with a total of 14 points. Louie McDaniel collected 13 points and Louis Gildemister sank three field goals and three free throws for a total of nine.

Farmington lost its previous tilt to Walled Lake in December by the tune of 63-41. J. R. D.

Eight Graders Humbled Two-To-One By Vikings

The Eighth Grade lost to Walled Lake February 4 by a score of 35-16, with Dick Byrne making 12 out of the 16 points. Fred Bugert, who went in during the second half, made two points. J. Lawing and Tom Grimshaw each made one point.

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