

# Comb Squad for Suitable Backs

The picture on the Farmington High gridiron practice field still isn't bright, but some light is beginning to filter through.

The coaching staff has been working diligently to find replacements for at least a portion of the 18 veterans lost through graduation from last year's varsity football team.

Featuring a championship club.

Finding suitable backs to lug the pigskin has, and continues to be, the big task Head Coach Jack Hayes faces.

When opening call was issued two weeks ago, Coach Hayes found himself with only Harvey Chapman back around which to mold his backfield. Although listed as a second-string quarterback on last year's team, Chapman was one of the top ground gainers and leading touchdown scorer on the squad. His automatic two-point account for 25 placement points for the championship Falcon eleven.

OPENING practice day and each day thereafter has found the coaching staff looking carefully at each and every one of the approximately 60 grid candidates, including linemen, for signs of backfield potential.

Among the first to be spotted was Jack Aitchison, a transfer student from Canton Lincoln (Ohio) who saw some action there last year as an end. He is now operating at one of the backfield positions. Aitchison is a senior.

Also working out at halfback is Steve August, national handball champion who played in the junior varsity backfield last year. He's a junior. Larry Hawkins, another junior, is working out at both halfback and as a quarterback behind Chapman.

Senior Jim Wall has also been doing some signal calling. Running the ball from the fullback slot presently are Jerry Cassell, Warren Pierce and Russ Hoffmeyer.

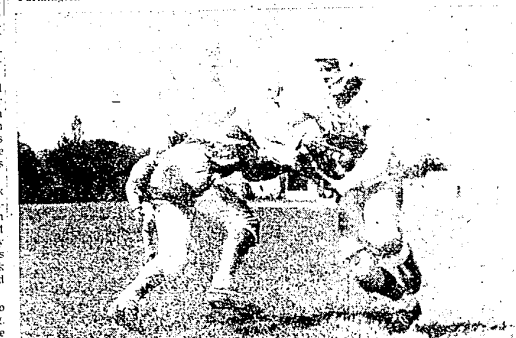
Showing exceptionally well in the line thus far this year has been John Anderson at end. He has been sharpest on his downfield blocking, often taking out two and three men on one play. Dan Cruise, a rugged defensive end on last year's club, is coming back slowly and has as yet not shown the spark he displayed last season.

A range 6'3" junior with good hands, Keith Markert, was also singled out by Coach Hayes as a boy who could prove to be a good pass receiver.

All attentions are now being directed at getting a starting 11 in shape to meet Livonia Bentley a week from this Friday, September 18, on the home gridiron.



**BRAWN HELPS** but brains are needed too in this modern-day brand of football. Taking a break from rough blocking and tackling drills, running through plays and controlled scrimmages, members of the Farmington Falcon football team moved



**EXECUTING** a perfect hand-off here is first-string Falcon quarterback, Harvey Chapman. Taking the ball, facing the camera, is one of several candidates Coach Jack Hayes has working out at the

## Several Letterman Back, But OLS Grid Team Lacks Depth

"Depth is something we just don't have," lamented Our Lady of Sorrows football mentor Ron Suter in discussing the team's chances this season.

"We expect no more than 28 boys out after the opening of school. Thus far in pre-season practices we've seen no more than 23 boys any one day."

INJURIES to any of the key players back from last year's squad are the thing Coach Mrozinski fears most.

BACK at one of the halfback positions is flyweight (135 pounds) Bob Unks, a junior, who hopes for a better season than last year, when Sorrows won three while losing five, are halfback post left vacant by

pinned on 182 pound junior Mike Suter. A fullback last year, Suter has been shifted into the key quarterback slot this season. Another veteran scrappy 160 pound guard Bill Junior, Ron Discher, has been moved in at fullback. A 185 pounder, he should be able to handle the Sorrows' team some tackle positions. John Pelky, a 185 pound junior, is slated to handle the centering duties.

Don Hallman, a freshman letter winner last year who tips the scales at around the 200 mark, will again be called on to handle guard or line-backer. Coach Mrozinski stated.

Jim Devine, a senior, has been placed as a likely starting guard.

LINEMAN services, rendered by Bill Marzonia, a senior tackle on last year's club, will be sorely missed.

The Sorrows' eleven will open the season here with a game against St. Thomas of Ann Arbor.

The schedule for the remainder of the season:

September 27-St. Leo, Detroit (there)

Oct. 4-St. Mary, Wayne (there)

Oct. 11-Sacred Heart, Dearborn (home)

Oct. 18-St. Agatha, Detroit (home)

Oct. 25-Benedictine, Detroit (there)

Nov. 1-St. Francis Xavier, E. (there)

Nov. 8-Open Date

Nov. 15-St. Lawrence, Utica (there)

It is not certain yet whether Sorrows team will be playing their home games this season.

# Sports

## Re-Building Program Hustles CHS Gridders

A vast re-building program is taking place at Clarenceville High these days.

There's a good deal of urgency about it, too, for it must be completed by Sept. 18.

That's the date the Trojan varsity football squad takes the field in the season's opening battle. The Clarenceville gridders will journey to Ypsilanti Lincoln High to begin their season at 7:30 p.m.

UNDER the tutelage of Lynn Nutter, new head football coach, and Lee Kempf, line coach, the Trojans have been working hard these past two weeks. With only three returners back from last fall's unit, Nutter has watched his hopefuls carefully in an effort to weld a strong first-string squad.

Both coaches force a heavier line this autumn. Combined with a faster backfield and a speedier offense, the Trojans hope to improve on their 1958 record.

The legacy handed down to Nutter is far from wealthy. In 1958, the Clarenceville gridders racked up one win and seven defeats. The year before they were win-less.

BUT PILING runs high on the practice field that the Trojans' football fortunes are not up-swing. Doug Hanaford is in order for the quarterback's slot and will be working from a straight-T formation.

Hanaford, a 160-lb. speedster, was destined for a steady signal-calling job last year when injuries sidelined him for the season. Ron Warren did hold them in good stead for football.

## Bentley Alumni Meet Tonight

The Bentley High School Alumni Association will hold its first Alumni general meeting on Thursday, September 10, at 8 p.m. at the Bentley cafeteria.

All graduates of Bentley High School and their guests are invited to attend. Following the General Meeting there will be swimming, dancing and refreshments for those who wish to stay.

Donald E. Friedrichs, new Bentley High principal, will be the guest speaker. A welcome to Bentley will be given by Otto Kipper, 90, President of the Alumni Association, and he will bestow honorary memberships upon a number of people in recognition of their distinguished service to Bentley High School and its Alumni.

Admission to the evening's affair will be free, but the Association has requested that graduates attend the meeting at 8 o'clock so that they can receive their tickets which will allow them to take part in the social activities afterwards.

Graduates who wish to swim are asked to bring their own suit and towel. The entire evening, including the dance, will be informal.

The Mid Knights, a dance band composed of Bentley graduates, will provide the music for dancing from 9 until 11.

## New Lanes Open Here; Bowl Free

Ultra-modern Bel-Aire Lanes, Farmington's newest bowling establishment will swing open its doors this evening, Friday, September 11, at 7:30 p.m.

Free bowling for everyone who gets there in time is expected to pack bowling enthusiasts into Bel-Aire Lanes' arching roof.

Located on Orchard Lake road one block south of Ten Mile road, Bel-Aire Lanes is the training to determine unit efficiency under simulated combat conditions.

Private Burnett, a weapons specialist in Battery D of the 8th Artillery in Schweibach Summ, entered the Army in September 1958, completed basic training at Fort Hood, Texas, and arrived in Europe last April.

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## Troul Season Ends Sunday

Fishermen are reminded that September 13 is the final day of the 1959 regular trout season. This date also marks an end to all fishing in designated trout lakes and most trout streams.

Some trout streams or portions of these streams will remain open to fishing for other species after the regular trout season closes.

Brook trout will remain on the legal catch list through October 15 in Swanzy and Airport lakes of Marquette county. This experimental regulation is part of a Conservation Department research project.

Rainbow trout may also be taken during an extended fall season-September 14-November 15-in lakes and streams designated by the Department.

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## Camp Fire Girls Resume Plans

Farmington Camp Fire Girls are resuming activities following summer vacation.

Meetings of leaders and all interested parents will be held next week to plan this year's activities.

Mrs. Forrest F. Owen, field camp for Region 9 of the Camp Fire Girls, will conduct the meetings at St. John's Lutheran Church, 23225 Gill Road, an hour distance south of Grand River.

The meeting to discuss Blue Birds' activities will be held Tuesday, Sept. 15, from 10 a.m. until 12 noon. A Camp Fire Girls meeting has been set for Wednesday, September 16, for the same hours. A general meeting will be announced at which time a leader's organization will be formally set up.

The Blue Birds, girls 7 through 9 years old, and the Camp Fire Girls, 10 through 12, will be meeting in several different sections in the community.

Cloverdale elementary school will have both Blue Birds and Camp Fire Girls groups. Mrs. Tush Manters, GR-4040, will be the Camp Fire Girls guardian with Mrs. Mavis White as her assistant. Mrs. Wanita Davison, GR-4676, and Mrs. Brush will lead the Blue Birds.

Mrs. Betty McPhail, GR-4284, will be the Camp Fire Girls guardian in the Kendallwood section. It is expected that there will be several new Blue Bird groups in Kendallwood this year. Mrs. Marie Honn, GR-4360, and Mrs. Stump, GR-4284, will be the new Blue Bird leaders.

Ten Mile elementary school will have a new Blue Bird group. Mrs. Louise Allen, GR-4561, is the leader.

## Staman Acres Wendy Turner GR. 4-7747

This Friday, September 11, a Tupper Ware demonstration will be given by Ethel Grenda for the St. Anthony's Guild. It will be held in the basement of Sharon Keel's home on Rocky Crest at 8:00 p.m.

MARIAN AND AL REYNOLDS just returned from a day vacation spent in Galesburg, Illinois at the home of Marian's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Youngquist. While the Reynolds were there they attended a cousin's wedding and Susan was junior bridesmaid in the ceremony.

Anyone interested in writing the subdivision column this winter please contact me right away. I leave for Michigan State University September 20.

THIS WEEK, September 8-14 the families in charge of cutting the grass at the entrance are the At Caruthers, Alex and Colleen Chadwick, the Paul Christensens, and Russ Cleveland and family. The grass cutters will be the John Cross family, John W. Crosses, Mel and Herb Davies, and Ed and Virginia Dongueue.

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## With John W. Buda Insurance Agency

Frederick R. Dwyer of 31990 Allison, Farmington, has recently joined the John W. Buda Agency, Detroit, of the New England Mutual Life Insurance Company.

Peter and Danny Gillies of Ann Arbor spent last week with Mike Turner. They arrived Sunday of Sorrows Holy Name day and left Friday evening.

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Helpful hints from Consumers Power Company's Home Economist

Autumn is Tangy Apple Pie Time!

Luscious wedges of fresh-baked apple pie only minutes from the oven... m-m-m-m. Can't you just smell it now? An autumn favorite if there ever was one! You can make it an extra special treat by sprinkling grated cheese over the sliced apples before placing top crust on the pie. This little trick brings out a delicious, tangy flavor pie to complete family like magic! And from apple pie to complete family meals, we recommend the wonderful cooking qualities of a modern Gas range oven. Perfect baking and roasting requires controlled, even heating. The kind you get in a Gas oven. The exact cooking temperature you need is automatically held... your cakes, pies, roasts cook evenly to a golden brown goodness. Gas range ovens are automatic too! You set the controls for the time and temperature then leave for the day. The oven turns on all by itself. More good news, and turns off like a Gas range oven for perfect cooking and convenience. Your Gas Range Dealer will be happy to tell you today about all the advantages of modern Gas cooking!

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