## tennis

## BIRMINGHAM MARIAN 7 LIVONIA LADYWOOD 0 Monday at Marian

1 singles: Barb Coughlan (BM) deleated Zimmerman, 6-0, 8-0. 2: Pathy Oxley (BM) def. Claudia Pa-, 6-1, 6-1. 3: Jocke Mabika (BM) def. Terril Bielenda. No

3-0, 6-0. No. 4: Julie Drobot (BM) def. Kitty Beaure-jard, 6-1, 8-1. No. 1 doubles: Jenny Jeler-Heather Duncan (BM) def. Margia Mellish-Margaret Murphy, 6-2, n.4.

-1. No. 2: Jenny Gape-Beth Gill (BM) def. Deana unitibargor-Diane Huntsbargor, 6-1, 6-0. No. 3: Melanie Okoreto-Jenny Graham (BM) d. Beth Burtord-Mary Kate Studer, 6-2, 6-3. Ledywood's dual record: 1-1.

FARMINGTON MERCY 6 NORTHVILLE 1 Tuesday at Northville

No. 1 singles: Kalhy Heimbuch (FM) def.

## the week ahead

PREP FOOTBALL Fidds, Seol. 13 Phy. Salema LL V. Chuchan, 7.30 p.m. L.N. Frankina L.V. Stevenson, 7.30 p.m. Biolog. Despest al Realized Links, 7.30 p.m. Biolog. Despest al Realized Links, 7.30 p.m. Catholic Control al "yobiant, 7.30 p.m. N. Farmington al W.L. Walaton, 7.30 p.m. N. Farmington al W.L. Walaton, 7.30 p.m. N. Farmington al W.L. Walaton, 7.30 p.m. St. Carotal Park, Caston, 7.30 p.m. St. Carotal Park, Caston, 7.30 p.m. St. Carotal Park, Caston, 7.30 p.m. St. Agatha at Traverse SL. France, 7.730 p.m. St. Agatha at Traverse SL. France, 7.730 p.m.

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MONROE ST. MARY INVITATIONAL Saturday at Monroe

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Unless they're going up north for the weekend, few Observerland football followers will have a chance to see the Game of the Week. That's because it will take place Sat-urday night (7:30 pm.) in Traverse City, as host St. Francis, one of the state's top-ranked teams in Class C, takes on a senior-laden Redford St. Acatha sound. (FM) def. Lisa Felicelli-Nancy Kiewicz, 7-5, 6-2. No. 2: Becky Weber-Killy Pheney (FM) del. Lauren Oliver-Jenniler Hiligoud, 4-6, 7-5, 0-4, No. 3: Kalhison Katarski-Heidi Robins (N) del. Kalle Boyle-Killsi Boyle, 6-4, 6-4. Mercy's dual record: 2-1 oversil.

antes on a senior-issen Redford St. Agatha aquad. "I understand wa're playing a team that people say might be playing against Detroit DeForres for the state championship in the Ponliac Silver-dome," said Agatha coach John God-dard. "We're looking forward to it and the kids are excited. "We had the best Monday practice since Ive been here." Both teams opened the season last weekend, posting shutouts: Agatha dropped Detroit Servite, 21-0, while St. Francis blanked Tawas, 20-0, Team standings: 1. Notre Damo Academy (Dhio), 21. 2. Ann Arbor Pioneer, 17; 3. (Iiio) Grosse Pointe North and Biocmilleid Hills Kings-wood, 13 each; 5. Farmington H&s Mercy, 12; 6. Dearborn, 10; 7. Forest Huls Central, 8; 8. Mon-ree St. Mary, 4.

"I SAW THEM play Friday and they're very basic — iwo light ends and a basic formation, "Goddard sail." But they don't make mistakes. They also have a linebacker, Joe Conley, that is a major college prospect." Two years ago, Sk. Francis lost to Detroit DePorres for the state cham-pionship on a last-second play. Goddard said hopes are running high again for Gindiator fans. "They're saying this is their year."

aid the Agatha coach. "But we'll be ady to play." Agatha came out of last week's win gainst Servite short-handed at quartagal

back Jim Knittel, a 6-1001-1, 10-17-10-senior. "It's a challenge for Jim," Goddard sald. "But be throws well and is a good athlete. He's a little nervous right now, but he'll be fine." How does the Observer sports staff see it? Fick - S.F. Francis a close one, both writers agree.

FRIDAY GAMES

PLYMOUTH SALEM at LIVONIA CHURCHILL (7:30 p.m.) — Salem was pushed around last week by a good Trenton Lam. Churchill aboved lough defense in a 13-7 win over terling Height. The Leans appear to be equal The Lean making the fewest ministice wine. Nets — McCoay take Churchill, but Econs takes Sa-

LIVONIA STEVENSON at LIVONIA FRANKLIN (7:50 p.m.) — Boki kama, loers lasi week, need to generate more officae. Stevenon quarteriach Dwer Roschalt war's as branklin quarteriach Dwer Bockhill needs to jet roadh spatier how han be did has week squint Fordon. Fyl- McCaby like Stevenon, bei Emong ays Franklin's defense pells them through.

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Thursday, September 12, 1985 O&E

WESTLAND JOHN GLENN at PON-TLAC CENTRAL (7:30 p.m.) — If this was basketball, Gicon would be in trenble. But it's foot-ball, and Contral, yet to play a game (contain goff a 3-5 season), is so match for the powerful Rockets. Pick — Two votes for Gamen.

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N. FARMENGTON vs. WALLED LAKE WESTERN (7:35 p.m. at WAL Central) - This a minanth from the work go. Watern lost to Case B Novi hast weak, 13-7. North delawa hald Canton to mine-39 parts reming tast weak. Pick - North palls on the ball-pen hammers.

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# Thurston win is confidence builder

It wasn't pretty, but Redford Thurston football oach Ron Powell didn't care. It was a victory — a

coach ion Powell idid't care. It was a victory - a much needed one. On Saturday, Thurston broke a 10-game losing streak with an 8-0 victory over visiting Gibarlat Carison, It was also the first win for the second-year coach. "We're capable of playing better offensively," Powell said. We had our chances. "But I feel they (the players) needed this win. Now that they're got a taste, they'll feel better about themselves." Despite the torrid heat and humidity, Thurston's defense ross to the occasion, making a goal line stand in the fourth quarter: The Eagles' defense, led by linebackers Chris McFarland and Dave Dietirch, recovered four Carl-son fumbles. The only score of the same occurred in the sev-

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EDSEL FORD 2.1, BORGESS 20: Mistake coal Redford Bibby Borgess a season-opening victory Saurdraback Dan Ebos ran for a pair of touchdown birds bold off the Spartnam. We shall Estel out in the second half, "at the Thunder coach Gary Cock. "And we about have been on the board the fourt feaster, with four minutes to go we had the ball on their 33-yard line, first and down, and fumbled. Turnorew rere libe high dink extre point in the third ball over three rel lines in the start of pairs and ball over three rules in the start pairs in the third ball over three times in the flat period on a pair of fum-bles and an interception. Borges, originated by Easel Ford 176-115 in total yard-see, relied primarily on 6-foot; 2, 115-pound senior full-back Mills Stewart, who scored all three Spartna The or runs of 4, 9 and 6 yards. He had 85 yards in 16 is carries for that.

y. rterback Mike Ritchie hit 5 of 10 passes for 92

ST. AGATHA 21, SERVITE 0: Defense played a big role in Redford SI. Agatha's abitotot Saturday night seginats Detroit Bervito in a non-league game at Redford Ulaton's Kraft Field. The Aggies held Servito to a mere 41 yards on the ground and allowed jast one completed pass for 11 yards and and allowed jast one completed pass for 11 yards coach John Moden. Your from some man but Marnon, John Modes, Kevin Rich, Nick Fallips, Ron Rychilmaki — were contrading.<sup>2</sup>

Agatha racked up 269 total yards, 197 on the ground.

Against stacked up rate total yarca, it's on the ground. The Aggins opened the scoring in the first quarter on Tom Trojlill's 1-yard quarterback meak. Jim Klitchen's extra point made it 7-4 a ball. In the third quarter, Kevin Foulks fumbled the ball on a 2-yard run, but lineman Marty Emery recovered in the end zooo for Argubba's second TD. Fullsket TOm Kutch then hit Faillips with the two-point conversion pass to make it 15-0.

The Aggies then sewed things up in the fourth quarter on Kutch's 28-yard run.





