

SPORTS

The Farmington Enterprise



NEW RULE CHANGES FOR HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL NOTED

New rules have been added to the basketball record book again this year. Three new rules apply to high school contests.

The new rules are:

1. Time is out on jump balls until one of the players actually taps the ball.
2. A closely guarded player can not hold or retain possession of the ball for more than five seconds. (The five second rule will only be applied at the discretion of the official since it is designed to prevent "stalling.")
3. The official must indicate the seconds by a chopping motion of the arm and hands when it is obvious the team is trying to run out the clock. However, if a player dribbles into the "shooting zone" and then back out, the official must start a new count.)
4. The "one and one" bonus free throw rule applies throughout the entire game. Thus, a player awarded one free throw from a common foul gets another if he makes his first attempt any time in the game.

Wildlife Federation Announces Plans For National Hunting, Fishing Survey

The first scientific survey of the economic aspects of hunting and fishing in the United States - how many people take part and how much money they spend - will get under way early in January, the National Wildlife Federation reports.

The survey, to be supervised by the Fish and Wildlife Service of the U. S. Department of Interior, will be conducted by the firm of Crossley, S-D Surveys, Inc., of New York City. Crossley representatives will start interviewing hunters and fishermen next month in a nationwide sampling from which national estimates will be calculated.

The study is being financed from the Fish and Wildlife Service's administrative share of the revenue collected under the Pittman - Robertson and Dingell - Johnson acts of Congress. These laws earmark the collection from excise taxes on sporting arms and ammunition and fishing tackle for programs of federal aid to the states in game and fish restoration projects.

The inquiry will seek to ascertain the number of persons who hunt and fish for sport in 1955, including those licensed to take game and fish and those not required to have licenses. Questions will include the age and sex of the nimrods and anglers, the time devoted, and the amount of money spent for equipment and other items directly connected

with hunting and fishing.

The results will help answer many questions that have puzzled legislators and wildlife conservation agencies for years. They will give businessmen the answer to questions concerning hunting and fishing as an industry, and will help point the way for future public programs in game and fish management.

It is known that more than 30 million hunting and fishing licenses are sold in the 48 states each year. Few states require a license for fishing in coastal waters, and many persons may hunt or fish without a license because of age or other special exemptions that vary from state to state.

The total contribution of hunting and fishing to the nation's business has been estimated in the past from \$5 billion to \$11 billion annually, according to the National Wildlife Federation. The Federation, not a government agency, is an organization composed of State wildlife federations and sportsmen's leagues which in turn are made up of thousands of regional associations and local clubs.

As soon as your Christmas tree is brought home, throw cold water all over it, and then cut off the end about an inch. It will be open pores for drawing up water. Set the tree in water and keep it cool and shaded until it comes indoors for trimming.

CLARENCEVILLE OPTIMIST CLUB TO OPEN CHRISTMAS TREE SALE DECEMBER 11

The Clarenceville Optimist Club will begin its annual sale of Christmas Trees on Sunday, December 11, at a lot located on the south side of Grand River in the vicinity of Deering and Eight Mile Roads.

Members of the club have tickets for the sale which can be purchased in advance. If a person secures a ticket and then doesn't find the tree he wants, the price of the ticket will be refunded if the request is made by December 23. The lot will be open from December 11 to December 23 from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Proceeds from the Christmas Tree Sale will be used by the Optimist Club to further youth activities in the community.

Actress Helen Hayes will soon have a Broadway theater named in her honor. The only other actress to have received such an accolade is Ethyl Barrymore.

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Farmington Falcons Drop Opening Basketball Game To Bentley High

The Farmington Falcons dropped their first game of the season to the Bentley Bulldogs on the Falcons' home floor last Friday evening.

After trailing throughout the first half, the Bulldogs came from behind to top the Farmington five, 59-51.

The Falcons took a 20-15 first quarter lead with Robinson dropping in the first six points for Farmington.

The competition became keener in the second quarter as the Bulldogs pulled to within three points of the Farmington team for a 27-24

Intramural Basketball Play To Get Under Way

Intramural basketball will get under way at Farmington High School this evening, December 8, at 8 o'clock.

About 100 boys are expected to be divided into teams in two leagues. Freshmen and sophomores will make up the Red League while the White League will be comprised of juniors and seniors.

Mr. R. D. Race, supervisor of the intramural athletic program this year, and a student committee have been picking teams in preparation for tonight's initial games.

Falcons JV's Lose Cage Opener To Bentley, 59-45

The Farmington J. V.'s lost their first basketball game of the season to the Bentley Bulldogs 59-45 Friday, December 2.

The Falcons led at the end of the first quarter 13-10. Brewbaker topped the scoring with six points.

The Bulldogs came from behind to lead 25-24 at the half. Catherman racked up eight to top the Falcon scoring in that period.

Bentley controlled the game throughout the second half, scoring 34 points to Farmington's 21.

Catherman again led the scoring, setting six points in the third quarter and four in the fourth.

The starting lineup for Farmington was: Byrne and Andrews at forwards; Brewbaker and Strickland, guards; and Raupp, center. Catherman led the attack with 19 points. Andrews and Brewbaker each tallied six.

Holman racked up 24 points. Gabel 14 and Speck 10 to lead Bentley.

CREWS COMPLETE INVENTORY OF 31 MICHIGAN LAKES

Fisheries research crews completed inventories on 31 Michigan lakes during the past summer in addition to survey work on 26 streams and river systems.

Part of the lake inventory program was a three-month survey of Burt Lake in Cheboygan County, including temperature - chemistry tests and a study of lake bottom composition. This work on Burt Lake's 16,700 acres was in addition to the regular fishery inventory of the lake.

Conservation Department workers also completed inventories of 15 other lower peninsula lakes and 15 in the upper peninsula.

Some of the larger lakes inventoried included Manistee Lake, Kalkaska County; Fenton Lake, Genesee County; Otter Lake, Houghton County; and Upper and Lower Herring Lakes, Benzie County.

Inventories included studies of fish populations, scale samples and brush shelters. Underwater observations with the aid of diving equipment were made on some of the lakes.

Some 22 more lakes were mapped with echo sounder equipment and 32 others were checked for mapping possibilities.

Stream study work consisted of biological and physical surveys, fish collections and sea lamprey surveys.

BATES RECEIVES SENIOR U. OF M. FOOTBALL AWARD

Jim Bates, Farmington center and line backer on the University of Michigan varsity football team, has received the Patterson award for the highest scholastic record among the senior varsity members.

The award was presented to Bates during the annual U. of M. Football banquet held at the Statler Hotel in Detroit. Bates, who was an outstanding football player at Farmington High School, has been a key member of the strong Michigan defense throughout the past season. The Patterson Award is one of the most coveted honors to be bestowed on a senior member of the U. of M. football team.

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Keglers' Corner

Team	Pts.
Wallace Construction	31
Oak Pharmacy	30
Lewis Inn	25
Mason's Market	25
Farmington Tool and Die	25
Corliss Brick Cleaners	24
Greenleaf Florists	23
Mason Contractors	22

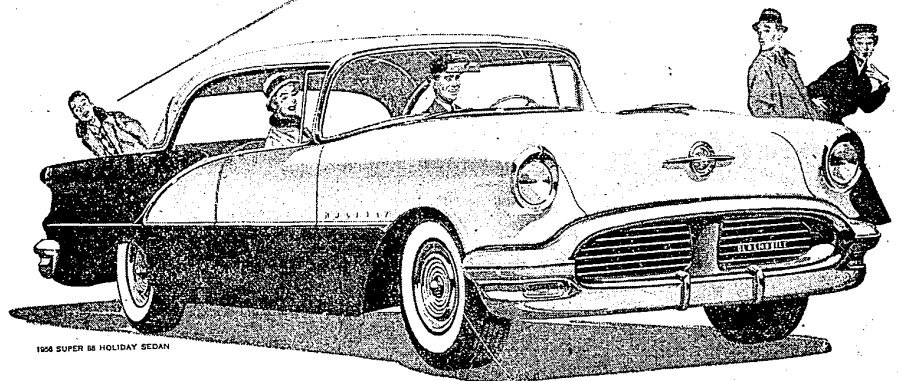
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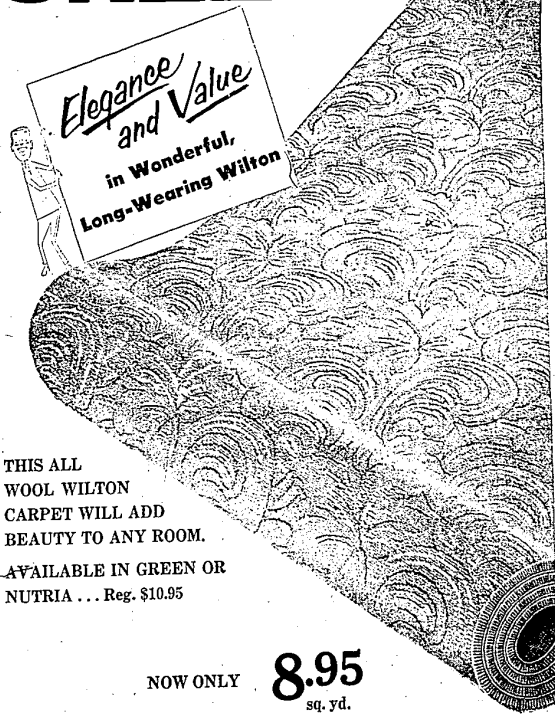
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