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Falcons Post 1st League Win At Waterford

The Farmington High School basketball team, runner-up to the Champions in last year's Inter-Lakes Conference, returned in a fine performance Friday night at Waterford to hand the Skippers a 72-65 setback.

It was the first league triumph for the Falcons, who were nosed out by Walled Lake in a double overtime duel in their last Conference action, 79-77.

HIGH POINT man for Farmington counted 23 points to the winning effort against Waterford. Two other Falcons hit in double figures, Neil Warriner with 15 points and John Olander with 13 tallies.

Falcons coach Jack Quigley commented on the fine rebounding of Lorenz, a rangy 6-foot-7-inch who has been strong under the Boards for Farmington in all four games so far in the young season which began when the Falcons post a 22 record.

Commenting on the Waterford game, coach Quigley praised the team, which held close to a ten-point margin most of the way, for maintaining their poise when the Skippers pulled to within three points early in the final period of play.

OTHER POINT getters for Farmington were Dave Schlack (15), Greg Wilson (6), Roy Leach (4), and Lloyd Nichols (3).

The next action for the Falcons will come this Friday night, December 27, against Livonia Bentley in the Annual Christmas Basketball Tournament. Farmington will play again on Saturday and Monday in action to be scheduled pending the outcome of the Friday night encounters.



MIKE FLEMING CONVERTS a two-pointer for North Farmington as the Raiders swept to their second league victory in as many starts last Friday night against Livonia Franklin. Other white shirted Raiders in on the play are Skip Moore (30) and Ron Watson (34).

—Photo by Judy Woods

N. Farmington Raiders Post 2nd League Win

North Farmington mastered the Livonia Franklin Patriots 45-36, for their second straight victory in league competition this season.

The Raiders' jumped off to a first period lead of 12-5. Shabby play by both squads in the second stanza resulted in a 17-13 halftime score, the Raiders owning the lead.

Both teams showed vast improvement and moved to a crowd pleasing fast-break style of play in the second half. The Patriots held the score at 23-23 midway through the third quarter, but Northern outscored them 13-12 adding a point to their four point lead.

FOURTH PERIOD play proved to be the most polished as North Farmington dumped in fifteen points while holding the Patriots to 10.

Mike Fleming, who averages 17 points per game, poured in 9 field goals for a total of 18 points and game honors. High for Franklin was forward Bill Branterton with 13.

North Farmington will participate in a Christmas Tourney at Riverside, their first game is at 8 against Romulus on December 26.

Varsity Swimmer At Western Reserve

Al Dobzyniak of Farmington is again being counted on by the swimming coach at Western Reserve University in Cleveland to bolster the team in the freestyle events.

Dobzyniak is a junior who earned his first varsity letter while a sophomore with the Redempt swimming team. He is 20 years old, weighs 160 pounds and stands 5 feet nine inches tall.

The Great Lakes as a whole form the largest body of fresh water in the world. The combined area is greater than that of the Black, the Baltic, the Red, the White or the Caspian Sea, and as great as the Adriatic and Ionian Seas combined.

"When a girl is easy to look at, the fellows look that much harder," Kenny Bennett, Greenacres (Ind.) Putnam County Graphic.

Christmas Gifts On Sale Here Dec. 28

Is there someone special you still would like to purchase a little gift for? Grandmas, Grandpas, a friendly neighbor? If so, you're sure to find the perfect gift when Mrs. Phillip Sills opens shop at First Farmington Savings and Loan Saturday, December 28, 9:30 a.m. to 12 noon.

For many years Mr. and Mrs. Sills have given of themselves and much of their time to the retarded children at the Plymouth State Home and Training School. All of the proceeds from the sale on the 28th will go toward the purchase of an enormous popcorn machine to be placed in the recreation area of the Home.

On sale will be Christmas cards (buy now for next year's beautiful handwoven and nationally known perumes. For after-Christmas specials, stop by First Farmington Savings and Loan Saturday, December 28, see Mrs. Sills, buy some special gifts, and aid the retarded children all at the same time!

Add New Course To YW Program

Due to requests and interest shown, a class in Furniture Refinishing will be added to the curriculum of winter classes at the Northwest Branch YWCA, 2394 Grand River.

The class, which is open to men and women, will be held on Monday evenings from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. starting January 13.

THE INSTRUCTOR will be Mrs. J. Gilbert Gipey who has been instructing in this subject for the past several years, and whose hobby has been furniture refinishing for some time. The class does not include antique restoration but practical tips and instruction for the home-owner who wants to give a new look to an old piece of furniture.

Registration is now open at Northwest YWCA, Call KE. 7-1509 for information.

1919 — Women voted for the first time at the primary election.

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Questions to Meet In Quakertown

The traditional "Silent Auction" for the Quakertown Quarters was held December 11 at the home of Mrs. Charles Lorion.

There was a short business meeting and then everybody enjoyed bidding on the many lovely antique items.

Proceeds from the auction go toward books on antiques, for the Farmington Library. After the meeting members enjoyed a four of Mrs. Lorion's 102-year-old home.

It is a lovely home, beautifully furnished with antiques of the Early American Colony period.

The January meeting will be held at Mrs. P. E. Harrison's home and the subject that day will be on The Story of Wall Coverings and Wall Paper. Mrs. A. McCaw will give the talk.

Patricia Steinberger

U of M Diploma For Local Coed

Patricia J. Steinberger, 21, of 3215 Queensboro, Farmington Township, graduated from the University of Michigan on December 14. She received an A.B. degree in Russian Language and Literature, and is planning to pursue post graduate work in this field.

PATRICIA graduated from Farmington High School in June of 1959.

She is the daughter of George and Dr. Charlotte (Mersky) Steinberger.

Mr. Steinberger is a graduate of University of Detroit College of Law and Mrs. Steinberger of the Detroit College of Medicine.

Experiment on X-rays Aired

State Highway Commissioner Mackie has made a turn in the right direction in announcing an experiment designed to give a better chance in getting off at the right interchange.

As good as Michigan expressways are, the program or system of giving helpful and needed information to drivers has been the subject of some critical comment. As motorists who use US-23 and the Detroit-Livonia Expressway know, recent posting by the highway department of larger signs has been of some assistance.

Recently Commissioner Mackie announced that I-94, between Detroit and New Buffalo, will be converted before next summer to a system of numbered interchanges. The numbering will be on a mileage basis. If a motorist is planning to exit at Exit 50, for example, he will leave at Exit 25 and drive another 25 miles to go before getting off the expressway. Between interchanges will be a series of smaller mileage markers for the driver who forgets where he has just been.

Mr. Mackie declares the program is strictly experimental in nature, that his department wants to test motorist reaction before extending the system to other highways. Assuming that a motorist will remember the number of the interchange he has passed, the prediction is that motorists generally will have a favorable reaction to the plan.

And while the highway people are at it they might also consider some other suggestions that have been made for reducing the chances of misreading motorists or leaving them in the dark entirely.

For example, official signs at interchanges and exits might easily be a little more detailed in telling what is beyond the interchange and how far.

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