

FRIDAY NIGHT TO TELL:

Title Tie for Sorrows?

The week of decision... the week of waiting. That's the basketball story as far as Our Lady of Sorrows high is concerned.

day before Sorrows' rebounded to beat St. Francis de Sales 33-48. Entering the final week of the regular season, Sorrows had a 9-2 record to Orchard Lake's 8-2.

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Thurston 5 Rebounds

Thurston high's basketball team, the surprise of the Christmas holiday tournament at River Rouge and the meet's champion — had been having its problems in 1967.

Coach Mike Pasternak's forces weren't acting or performing like they did in the Rouge classic.

NOW AT BENTLEY

Leg Lost By Former UM Great

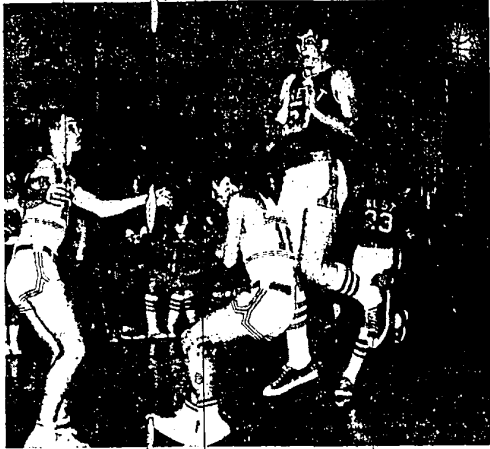
Jim Brieske, kick-kicking star of the University of Michigan football team in the mid-40's and now a teacher at Bentley high school, has lost his right leg.

Prep Cage Standings

Table with columns for HOW THEY STAND, SUBURBAN SIX LEAGUE, and NORTHWEST LEAGUE. Lists teams like Redford, Westland, and Farmington with their records.

This is the Week For East Cagers

This is it. If there's to be a basketball pennant to fly over Garden City East High this winter, matters very well may be decided Friday night when Coach Billy Joe Young's forces entertain Taylor Center High School.



WHERE'S SHE GO? Garry Robinson (51) Riverside. The Riverside player (in white) of Garden City West jumps as the ball looks like he's doing some blocking on the scoots away from him in game against play.

Fouls Are Few As West Loses

Who says basketball can't be played with fouling kept to a minimum? When Riverside high last Friday night by a score of 45-59, only 13 personal fouls were called in the game.

Withrup Named President of Kennel Club

W.R. Withrup is the new president of the Livonia Kennel Club following the annual election a week ago.

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St. Agatha Breaks Even

St. Agatha high's basketball team came through with a split last week. After blowing a 29-19 lead at halftime and falling to St. Francis de Sales, St. Agatha stomped back to rout St. Francis Xavier, 61-37.

Learns to Fly Army 'Chopper'

Robert F. Lake, 20 son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph D. Lake, 16585 Harrison, Livonia, was graduated recently as an aviator from the Army Primary Helicopter School at Ft. Rucker, Ala., and was commissioned a warrant officer.

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MARKS NO HELP. Although Ray Woods of Redford Union swam to a pair of new school records, Plymouth High's David Guthrie (100-yard free), Chris Stewart (breast stroke) and the free style relay of Meoli, Guthrie, Larry Barron and Jay Schreiber all produced second-place finishes for Bentley.

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Non-Loop Play Aid For Glenn

John Glenn high's basketball team has to prefer playing non-league games this season. The Glenn cagers have won three times outside of the Northwest Suburban League.

Over the weekend, Glenn encountered its troubles again in the league when spanked by Oak Park, 75-38, on Friday night.

Oak Park took a 41-26 half-time lead against Glenn and then sewed up matters in the third period when Walt Williams hit 17 of his 29 points in the third quarter.

Mike Mahanian had 20 points and Mike McMasters 14 for Glenn. The Glenn-Flat Rock battle was thriller-all the way.

It was tied 24-27 at halftime and Glenn led 50-46 at the threequarter mark. An intercepted pass with four seconds of regulation time remaining enabled Flat Rock to tie the score at 50-50.

Manhikan with 19 points, Dennis Jackson 15 and Decker and McMaster with 14 each paced the winners. Bill Allen and Rich Miracle had 21 and 20, respectively for Flat Rock.

Bentley Ace Sets 2 Records

Dennis Rogasart called up another pair of records, but it didn't help Bentley high's swimming team in its showdown with Trenton for the Suburban Six League.

Rogasart turned in his records — both varsity and pool — in the 200-yard free style and the 400-yard free style. He was timed in 1:53.2 and 4:09, respectively. The latter effort ranks second best in the state.

Bentley earned only two other victories. The medley relay of Brian Donaldson, Chris Stewart, Bill Palmer and Ron Mehol hit the finish first while Palmer came back to win in the butterfly.

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Woods set his marks while winning the 100-yard free style in 53.1 seconds and placing second to Plymouth's Porter in the 50-yard free. Woods' time for the shorter race was 23.7 seconds.

Jerry Hallon accounted for a "double" for RU when he won the individual medley and the 400-yard free style. Pat McGee placed Plymouth with wins in the butterfly and the 200-yard free style.

Other winners: Medley relay — Plymouth (Faulk, Leonard, Malbeou, Pugsley). Diving — Clancy (RU). Backstroke — Faust (P). Breast stroke — Leonard (P).

Free style relay — Plymouth (Kenney, Pugsley, Wolf, Whitaker).