

# Baldwin's Passing Wins Over Rochester High

## FIRST VICTORY SCORED OVER NEIGHBOR '11

Maroons Have Easy Time In 26-6 Win Prior To Royal Oak Tilt

### SUBS GIVEN CHANCE

By GEORGE G. WILLIAMS  
The fray with Rochester High School was the sort Birmingham needed to limber up for the tenth annual grid battle tomorrow with Royal Oak. The Maroons may now square away to exchange the final buffets of the season.

Four touchdowns, and a safety completed the Birmingham portion of the 26-6 score on Rochester's field Friday afternoon.

Numerous gains, passes and substitutions were features of the attack led by the visiting team.

A lively passing attack similar to the one successful in the fourth

period of the Toledo-Scott contest was maintained throughout the game and Birmingham succeeded with seven for major gains. Cox and sometimes Herman Schwarze acted as the passers, and Ralph Schwarze, his brother and Ellerby served as the receivers. The longest aerial gains were two for 25 yards, Cox to Herman.

**Steady Attack**  
The ball totters kept up a steady plugging at Rochester to chalk up 20 first downs to the local team's five.

One of the 25 yard passes and several gains by Cox placed the ball in a position in the first period allowing Gore to plunge it over. Root had had luck with all of his four placekick tries. Biting cold made handling of the ball from placement uncertain.

In the second period a series of three completed short passes and nine-yard cracks at the line by Doherty and Gore brought the ball to the three yard line. Ralph Schwarze was pulled back from end to carry the ball over, thus distinguishing himself in the scoring department. The second marker in this stanza was popped over by Gore who bridged a gap of seven yards in a line buck to the one successful in the fourth

this position by H. Schwarze who raced around end for 23 yards. Pass Gains 30 Yards.  
A pass gaining 30 yards, from Tubes to Shinnick looked promising for Rochester but they failed to gain subsequently, and the ball changed hands. The second 25 yard heave was completed at this time and gains by Brien, Doherty and Cox aided in bringing the ball to the 30-yard line where H. Schwarze slanted off tackle into open field in bringing the distance to the goal line.

In the fourth chapter a steady drive placed the ball on the three yard line with four downs to cross goal. Root and Ellerby were both pulled back to carry the ball but failed in four blows at the Rochester forward wall which had stiffened to block the touchdown. Root on the fourth down appeared to have crossed the line but the referee placed the ball one inch from scoring.

### Fumble Is Costly

A fumble on the punt from behind the goal line upset the chances for Rochester kicking to safety. The ball was hurled from outside the sideline, opposite the end zone, and from behind a nearby parked car to Neal who intercepted it on the five yard line. However, the play was ruled a safety. Darkness made delicate ball handling difficult. Most of the Maroon veteran war horses were removed and with these men out of the way Rochester played on an even footing. A punt over Deer's head allowed Rochester to get into scoring territory and not long after Toussaint snatched a pass out of the hands of Doherty, Deer, Winborn and Neal, who took turns juggling it, and tore to the last white stripe for a gain of 30 yards. At one time in this period Cox ran an intercepted pass back 34 yards and Herman returned a punt for 40 yards.

### Rochester's First Loss

This was Rochester's first defeat. They have won seven before and tied one, placing them even with Oxford for the tri-county championship. The game with the Baldwinites had no effect on their standing. Their next game is with Armada.

### Score by Quarters

Birmingham	6	12	6	2-26
Rochester	0	0	0	0-6
Lineup:				
Birmingham	LE	Rochester		
R. Schwarze	LT	Toussaint		
Kurtz	LG	Knapp		
Wasey	LG	C. Nunn		
Root	C	Parker (C)		

D. Doherty RC  
McDonald RT  
Ellerby RE  
H. Schwarze N  
F. Doherty RH  
Gore F  
Cox (C) T  
Substitutions: Birmingham—Rainey for Schwarze, Pose for D. Doherty, McGlelland for Root, Morgan for Wasey, Wasey for Morgan, Morgan for Wasey, Mix for Kurtz, Fowler for Ellerby, Morgan for H. Schwarze, Brien for F. Doherty, F. Doherty for Brien, Deer for Gore, Neal for Cox, Rochester—Whitman for C. Nunn, Williams for Fenner.

Touchdowns: Gore 2, H. Schwarze 1.  
Safety: Birmingham.  
Referee: Peele (M. S. N. C.). Umpire: Young (U. of M.). Headlinesman: Short (Ripon). Time of quarters: 12 minutes.

## GRID DANCE DATE IS SET

Letters To Be Awarded To Players At Party Dec. 7

The annual Football Dance will be given in the High School gymnasium Dec. 7. It is announced. The affair will be from 8:30 to 11:30 p. m.

At this time letters will be awarded to the football players by Melvin C. Hart, principal of the school. Music will be supplied. Parents of players and members of the board of education and their wives will serve as chaperones.

## 35 GIRLS ANSWER COURT GAME CALL

Practice for girls' basketball began yesterday in the Baldwin High gymnasium, with a squad of 35 girls in attendance. Miss Helen McIntyre, coach, announced. Practices will be held three times each week.

Miss McIntyre says the team stands an excellent chance of winning the cup this year. All of last year's team is back except Hilda Trumbull, whose place forward will be filled by Esther Kist, Jean Brooks, Catherine Carr, or Idaho Johnston, and Avis Graylin, whose post at center will be occupied by Annette Kiley or Blanche Bell. Lilly Baldwin is captain of the team.

Birmingham and Ferndale tied for the trophy score. Ferndale has possessed the cup for the past six months, and it will be brought to Birmingham soon to be placed in the local trophy case.

The schedule for the season as announced so far is as follows: Jan. 4—To be filled with practice game.

Jan. 11—Farmington—There  
Jan. 18—Ferndale—Here  
Jan. 25—Vacant  
Feb. 1—Berkley—There  
Feb. 8—Rochester—Here  
Feb. 15—Northville—There  
Feb. 22—Hazel Park—There  
March 1—Halfway—Here

## Briefly Told

Students in the Birmingham schools begin tonight a four-day vacation, for the Thanksgiving holidays. Classes will resume Monday.

Members of the 11B class gave a Leap Year dance at the Community House Friday. The Jan. 1st dance began at 8 p. m. and closed at 11:30. Cards, games, and dancing were continuous throughout the evening.

A whistling solo was given by William Dean, recently named champion whistler of Oakland County.

Students of the Hill School sixth grade presented a Thanksgiving assembly program at the school this morning. The program included several short plays, recitations, and songs, all of a Thanksgiving nature. The children have created a seasonal atmosphere in the room by their colorful scenes from the lives of the Pilgrims, as seen on blackboards and windows. Miss Lyla McCormick was the teacher in charge of the presentation.

It is announced today by George F. Johnson, advisor for the Senior Washington group, that the organization will sell refreshments and novelties at the Royal Oak football game tomorrow. Sales of megaphones and yarn dolls in the local colors, maroon and white, are going well, it is reported. These novelties will also be available in Royal Oak's blue and white at the game.

The radio program broadcast by Walter Damrosch and the New York Symphony orchestra will be postponed until Dec. 9, owing to the Thanksgiving vacation, which continues through this Friday, it is announced. The numbers of that program will be announced later.

## FORMER STUDENT GIVEN AWARD

Jean Gilbert Receives Scholarship At Ontario School

Announcement is made today that Miss Jean Gilbert, a former Birmingham High School student, has been awarded a scholarship at the Ontario College of Art, Principal Melvin C. Hart, has received a letter from Miss Gilbert's father, H. Bryan Gilbert, thanking the school board and

Mr. Hart for their part in his daughter's success. During Miss Gilbert's first term at the Toronto high school, where she has been a student, she won second place in an oratorical contest, having for her subject, "The League of Nations."

### PLAN PEP MEET

Members of the High School Varsity club are sponsoring a pep meeting for the Royal Oak game, to be held on Barnum Field tonight. Besides yells and songs, Superintendent Clarence Vilek, Principal Melvin Hart, Coach George Johnson, and Roderick Cox, captain of the Maroon eleven, will speak.



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