

Johnson's Grid Squad Defeats Rivermen 14-0

VILLAGE TEAM CONTENDERS IN TITLE TILT

Hold Invaders Scoreless
White Running Up 14
Point Lead

FIFTH VICTORY NETTED

By GEORGE G. WILLIAMS

Little doubt should be left in the minds of the prophets that Birmingham is a strong contender for the Southeastern league football championship, following the fray with the River Rouge gridlers last Friday afternoon at Pierce field. The invading football aggregation, with a reputation as 1927 S. E. A. champions and runner-up for the state class B title, succumbed

before the powerful thrusts of the Baldwinites, 14-0.

In losing this match, the Rouge men suffered their first defeat of the season and dropped the first of three league matches played. This practically eliminates the school from bidding on conference honors.

In winning this battle, the villagers registered their fifth successive victory and won their second S. E. A. contest.

The offensive combinations which Birmingham hurled at the opposing line could not be checked. Both in the defensive and offensive departments, River Rouge was out-generated. While its line darkened the chances of the visitors advance at this point, Birmingham proceeded to conduct a battering attack which netted 16 first downs, nine in the first half. Of the first downs accomplished, 10 were through the line where the village ball plangers excelled.

The Maroon line appeared to have a pleasant task in popping holes for the advance. End runs accounted for three first downs and forward passes added three

League Standings

The major change in the Southeastern league standings following the contests of Friday and Saturday is the elimination of River Rouge by Birmingham from among the leaders.

Monroe chalked up its third victory by defeating Grosse Pointe 26-0 and Mt. Clemens won from Royal Oak, 12-0, in other league games played.

The present standings are as follows:

Team	W.	L.	Ave.	Points Scored	Opp. Points
Birmingham	2	0	1,000	40	12
Monroe	3	0	1,000	61	13
Mt. Clemens	1	0	1,000	12	0
River Rouge	2	1	666	25	20
Wyandotte	1	1	500	18	12
Ferdale	1	0	0	12	0
Royal Oak	0	1	0	0	12
Port Huron	0	2	0	0	31
Grosse Pointe	0	3	0	0	44

In addition to the Mt. Clemens-Birmingham game, Ferdale and Port Huron, and Wyandotte and Royal Oak play tomorrow and Saturday.

more. Yards gained in these two divisions are, respectively, 76 and 62. This totals ground gaining amounting to 266 yards, from which only nine yards loss by scrimmage and 15 yards by penalty may be subtracted. River Rouge compiled six first downs.

Coach George Johnson's crew got off to an early start. Root placed the ball well down the field on the kickoff to Ramsey, left end and the visitor's colored flash to the right wing, this time for 21 yards. Two line plays failed to advance the ball and Galesek punt. After H. Schwarze returned the ball to the Birmingham's 43 yard line. Doherty and Cox made first down in two blows at the line. Two plays later Cox used one of his famous pendulum swings around the end for 29 yards. Doherty, Cox and Johnson in successive line smashes carried the ball to the nine yard line the three again combined in tramping through spaces which guards and tackles broke open.

This placed the oval on the one yard line. Two plays later Cox line gained only a half a yard. The primary defense of the opponents had tightened in the critical point. Galesek punted out of danger and Herman Schwarze started a nice return but fumbled the ball with Ramsey recovering. Small gains were made by Rouge before a punt. Cox again swooped around the right wing, this time for 21 yards, Birmingham kept up a constant battering of the line until the quarter ended.

MARON TEAM INVADES MT. CLEMENS FRIDAY

The Maroon grid performers finish a light signal practice this afternoon in preparation for the football game with Mt. Clemens High School tomorrow night. This is the first of the Baldwinites third league game and the second for the Bathers. Neither team has lost in the S. E. A. Last year Mt. Clemens swamped the villagers, 39-0, but a different result is expected in tomorrow's meeting. A short route to the Mt. Clemens High School field has been pointed out by Coach George Johnson to those wishing to drive to the game: Take the east Maple road through to Schoenherr road and turn left. This leads to the center of Mt. Clemens where the high school is located and is an 18 mile trip. The game is played at 3 p. m.

He broke through and blocked Galesek's punt but it was recovered by Clark. The next punt was successful and Ramsey smothered H. Schwarze as he caught the ball on the Rouge 47 yard line.

The curtain of the Rouge spurt was drawn when a fumble recovered by Montague lost 12 yards and Mix's tackle on Williams lost three more as the game ended.

Stage Come-back

Considerable strength was shown by River Rouge for the first three downs in each half were made on a steady march which for the moment could not be stopped. The stellar lights of the Rouge team was the colored youths, Ramsey and Williams, and the captain, Galesek. Ramsey produced exceptional speed in carrying the ball on the kickoff, and on passes. An example of his wing-foot style was shown when he ran behind the line of scrimmage from his end to the opposite end and made a tackle from behind. Other tackles of his were all accurate and he was seldom blocked out of a play. Galesek's punt was a defensive mainstay and he passed with accuracy. Williams matched some of the Birmingham ball carriers at times in his line smashing. He was more successful through the line than were any of his team mates. In addition, his tackling in the line on defense was creditable. He was the only one who stopped Cox on a line plunge without gain.

To name the prominent characters in the Birmingham team would be to name the lineup. In the forward wall, R. Schwarze, Mix, D. Doherty, Root and Kurth all performed exceptionally. The line, although possessing no heavyweights has made it possible for the backfield quartet to display their exceptional versatility. The holes that were constantly prying open were made use of to great advantage.

Score by Quarters:
Birmingham 0 7 0 7—14
River Rouge 0 0 0 0—0

Lineup:
Birmingham: L. E. Ramsey
R. Schwarze L. G. Kinake
D. Doherty L. G. Kinake
Root C. Norris
Wasey R. G. Slater
Kurth R. T. Slater
Ellerby R. E. Campbell
H. Schwarze L. H. Montague
F. Doherty L. H. Montague
Gore R. H. Galesek (c)
Cox F. Williams

Substitutions: Morgan, Rossin for Wasey, Wasey for Morgan, Rossin for Darn, Darn for Rossin.
Touchdowns: F. Doherty, H. Schwarze.

Points after touchdowns: Placekick—Root 2
Referee: Brown (M. S. N. C.)
Umpire: Ruggles (M. S. N. C.)
Line Umpire: McCormick (La-Crosse)

Time of Quarters: 12 minutes.

CROSS-COUNTRY TEAM TO RUN AT GRID GAME

Tomorrow afternoon Coach Ernest Engel's thirdbirds will compete against Mt. Clemens in a cross-country meet which will begin shortly before the end of the first half of the Mt. Clemens-Birmingham football game and will end during the between-halves period.

BALDWIN HIGH HONOR ROLL ANNOUNCED BY PRINCIPAL

SPIRIT HIGH AT NIGHT CLASSES

Birmingham's public night school with its enrollment of 45 pupils today is well under way, according to Melvin C. Hart, principal of the Baldwin High School. Two weeks of the 12 week term have already passed and enthusiasm is still running high, Mr. Hart reports. It is planned to conduct another such term opening February and running through the spring.

Four regular instructors, each teaching three periods an evening, are included on the faculty. The courses offered this term and the instructors are as follows: Miss Lois Hicks, English; Miss Hazel Scholl, bookkeeping, shorthand typing; Miss Ethel Hughes, commercial arithmetic; Howard Crull, manual training, mechanical drawing and algebra; and R. J. Coryell, landscape gardening, a class which meets once a week.

According to Coach Earle Corvont, members of the debating team are working night and day on their first debate, which will be held in November. They are determined to be among those few who are not eliminated in the league.

ADAMS NAMES HONOR GROUP

The Honor Roll for the first five-week period for the Adams Junior High School is announced today by Miss Frances Giles, librarian, in charge of standing computation. It is as follows:

Ninety-five per cent: Mary Ann Reed, Beth Ramsey, Mary Palmer, Hester Giles, Rosemary Neal, Ninety per cent: Mary Lee Cole, Robert Burns, Janet McCarty, Julia Preston, Jean Deer, Betty Rouse, Donald Stewart, Bob Jan Hilly, Frederick Schwarze, Betty Sears, Gladys Long, Robert Zeigler, Dorothy Cady, Donald Parry, Dorothy Schwarze, and Louise Stone.

Honor roll percentages for the Adams Junior High school are announced today by Francis M. Cooke, principal. They are as follows:

Teacher	Pct.
SE Lila Margard	2.58
9A-9B Muriel Brusie	2.37
7B Alvena Bales	2.33
7A Margaret Scott	2.13
7A Gladys Rogers	2.03

Attendance Rating Is Given At Adams

Announcement is made today by Francis M. Cooke, principal, of the standings in attendance and punctuality in the Adams Grade School. It is as follows:

Teacher	Pct.
Marion Galbraith	96.14
Margaret McCall	92.31
Mary Plumstead	92.20
Flora Smiley	91.93
Evelyn Wheeler	91.74
Ruth Martin	90.63
Harriet Bishop	89.29
Marion Bouldrey	88.55
Carol Stanton	87.37
Ruth Mott	87.35
Dorothy McBride	87.12
Elizabeth King	86.06
Dorothy Anderson	85.85
Alice McManus	82.13
Orpha Bird	80.24
Virginia Goodwald	80.24

Briefly Told

Two new students have been enrolled in the Adams Junior High School. They are Mildred and Hettie Lytle, of Evanston, Ill. They make their home on Oxford road. Mr. Lytle is connected with the magazine, "Time."

The Girl Reserves held an open meeting Wednesday at the Community House to discuss their plans for the coming year. According to Margaret Strand, president, initiations will take place at the end of this month.

Photographs of the various organizations of Baldwin High School were taken last week, according to Mrs. Aris Horwath and Miss Merle Taylor, advisors for the group. Photographs of every group in this school were taken for the Baldwinian, high school annual.

The semi-monthly Junior High School assembly was held in the Baldwin High School auditorium Friday. Mrs. Leta Bloomfield, domestic science teacher and advisor of the Freshman class, which presented the program, was in charge. The program featured Rosamie Lambie, telling a "bear" story and the high school band, directed by Arnold W. Berndt. The Junior Girls' Glee Club entertained with two numbers, and Miss Mae Brunsted led group singing. The Scripture was read by David Burgess.

A bake sale last Saturday netted \$445 for the Junior High League, according to Barbara Stecker, chairman of the committee.

Baldwin and Adams seventh grade soccer teams held their ninth grade teams of the same schools to a scoreless tie last Wednesday.

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