

## B'field Hills Routs Parkers; Maples Edge Groves

### Barons Blank Redskins, 33-0

If Bloomfield Hills is to be dethroned as co-champions of the Wayne-Oakland League, it's a safe bet Oak Park won't believe it. It's an even safer bet that Oak Park won't do the dethroning. The Barons rolled over the visiting Redskins, 33-0, in the league opener Friday.

Bloomfield had just nine on the field for one play, but the results were the same. Oak Park was no match for the spirited Barons squad.

And yet, despite the convincing victory and the fine performance turned in by senior Dick Janz, the game left Don Hoff with some worries.

Bloomfield's starting quarterback, Jamie Miller, was injured near the end of the first period in a pile-up, and it is indefinite how long he will be out.

Miller and defensive half Bill Barnes were sidelined with ankle injuries, and it is possible that Miller may have a fracture.

The Bloomfield defense, though smaller than last year's championship team, yielded only 11 yards rushing, although the Redskins gained 74 yards through the air and had promise of a favorable passing game.

The Barons defense brought about the first touchdown with 1:54 left

in the first period when the rushing Bloomfield line blocked an attempted Redskin punt in the end zone. Tackle Ken Davies fell on the loose ball for the touchdown.

In the second quarter, after Davies recovered an Oak Park fumble, the Barons marched from their 32-yard line to the Redskin 30. Fullback Pete Vidor went the rest of the way off-tackle and Janz, switched to quarterback, sneaked the extra point over.

With less than five minutes remaining in the half, Bloomfield took over on downs and went 60 yards to score, as Janz hit right end Gerry Appleby on an end-around with 10 seconds remaining.

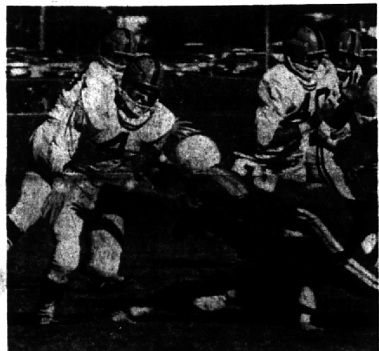
Leading 20-0 at the end of half, Bloomfield coasted the rest of the way, with Barons coach Don Hoff practically emptying the bench.

The first time they got their hands on the ball in the second half, the Barons scored.

Janz, the offensive star, rolled left in an option play at the Redskin 27-yard line and sped the distance untouched to paydirt, helped by some fine blocking by the Barons forward wall.

Oak Park never threatened once; the closest they penetrated was to

(See BARONS, 2-E)



DICK JANZ (4), Bloomfield's top offensive weapon against Oak Park, picks up needed yardage after taking a hand-off from quarterback Jamie Miller (rear) in the early minutes of Friday's game. Janz was switched to quarterback after Miller was hurt near the end of the first period. Fullback Pete Vidor (40) helps block.

### BEAT THURSTON, FORD

### Seaholm's Harriers Win Twice in Week

Seaholm's cross-country squad is off and running again.

The Maple harriers won their first two meets this season by the top scores of 16-45 over Thurston and 16-47 from Edsel Ford.

Against Thurston Sept. 10, Kermit Ambrose's runners captured the first four places as Jim Olson won the meet with a 10:37 time.

The winning time was, incidentally, a new course record since Ambrose has lengthened the Seaholm run 225 yards over last year's path. Jamie Dennis finished second in 10:43, Scott Bradley was third with 10:50 and Pat Richardson wrapped up the top four spots with a 10:58.

THURSTON managed to grab the 5th and 7th places, but wedged

in between was Seaholm's Bill Bacher who ran the course in 11:02.

Rounding out the varsity squad were Mike Branice who finished 8th in 11:18 and Neal Touran, 6th with an 11:21.

The Maples reserves defeated Thurston's team, 25-36, with Seaholm's runners taking 3rd through 12th places inclusive.

If the varsity times in the Thurston meet didn't convince people that Ambrose's squad is in top shape, the Edsel Ford meet did the trick. Olson lopped 5.3 seconds off his previous time, running the two miles in 10:51.7 to win, followed by five Seaholm runners as the Maples took the first six places.

Olson, of course, set a new record which he will break every time he can lower his time.

As proof of the fine condition Olson is in, coach Ambrose pointed out that his winning time was only 3.7 seconds over his 10:28 time in the second meet last year over the shorter Seaholm course.

### Club Slates Dog Contest

The Midwest Dechahund Club is sponsoring an A-H-Arc ARC Sanction Match on Sunday at Gargrett's Farm, 2680 Gunn Road, Rochester.

The show is open to all classes and any age over two months. Champions are barred from competition.

The judging by Mrs. Earl Cutler will begin at 1 p.m. with handling classes held earlier to help owners learn how to show their dogs.

Trophies and ribbons will be awarded. Entries will be taken from 11:30 a.m. to judging time. A \$1 entry fee per dog is assessed.

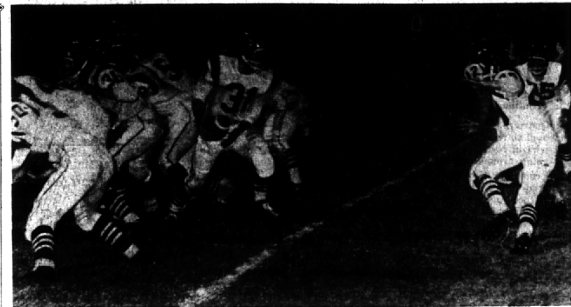
For further information, all interested area dog owners should call MI 6-5152.

IN THE EISEL Ford meet Friday, Pat Richardson finished second in 10:46, Scott Bradley was third in 10:55.9, Bill Bacher took fourth with a 11:04 clocking. Mike Branice was fifth in 11:11 and Neal Touran finished sixth with 11:12.

Eric Hoagland captured ninth place for the Maples with an 11:38 time for the two miles.

Richardson knocked off 12 seconds from his Thurston time, Branice clipped 7 seconds off his and Touran brought his time down 9 seconds.

Ambrose's team opens the Eastern Michigan League season Friday with a meet against Roseville at home. The meet starts at 4 p.m.



Start of a Maple TD as Heft (29) takes pitch from Swaney (31) . . . And goes 76 yards.



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### Heft's 2 TD's Ruin Falcons

By DICK ZEMMIN  
Sports Editor

"If only Ken Heft hadn't been there," is what Groves coach Jim Kinnison must be saying to himself these days.

He has good reason to feel that way. The Birmingham Seaholm speedster was the difference Friday night as he scored touchdowns on runs of 43 yards and 76 yards to spoil the upset-minded Falcons' bid for glory.

It was a fitting way to begin the 1963 football season as 7,000 spectators jammed their way into seats to witness the cross-town rivalry.

But, the outcome was much different than last year, although the Maples remained victorious.

It was obvious early in the game that Kinnison had brought a much improved team to Seaholm as compared to the squad a year ago.

THE BIG difference was in the defense. At the end of the first half, the powerful Maples had managed only four first downs.

Each team finished with a mere six first downs apiece, but Groves could not put together a sustained drive.

Seaholm rushed for a 223-yard total, but each time they threatened, the Falcons managed to hold, with the exception of Heft's long runs.

Actually, Heft was a threat all night. Time and again he broke into the Falcon secondary only to be hauled down by some fine Groves tackling.

Coach Jim Kinnison was pleased with the Groves defense, but had little to shout about offensively.

netted 146 yards on the ground and 120 yards on pass receiving.

But the Groves offense could not move against the heavier, stronger Maple line, and therein was the difference between the two teams.

"We missed blocking assignments on almost every play," Kinnison said. But, he added that he was very proud of his defensive secondary.

SEAHOLM COACH Carl Lemle commented that the Falcon defense was about twice as good as it was last year.

Heft scored his first touchdown late in the first period with 1:14 left.

It was a reverse that featured terrific blocking by the Seaholm (See MAPLES, 2-E)

### Area Gridders Ready For Week-End Clashes

This week end marks the first full schedule of football as all area high schools swing into action.

Birmingham Seaholm, Bloomfield, West Bloomfield and Southfield will be out after their second victories, while Birmingham Groves is in search of its first win of the current campaign.

Cranbrook, Brother Rice and Detroit Country Day all will be playing their initial contests, having started a week later than the others.

Taking them one by one, Seaholm, 12-0 conquerors of Groves, will bump heads with Royal Oak Kimball, victims of a 27-25 upset at the hands of Walled Lake last week.

Groves, after suffering a tough loss to the Maples, this week faces Cranbrook in the opening game of the season for the Gridders.

Bloomfield, who coasted to a

### Scouts Set Northridge District Plans

In an effort to achieve greater coordination between all scouting committees in the Northridge District, a new program of bi-monthly District committee meetings has been set.

E. E. Pollock, Northridge District chairman, announced that the first of these meetings will be held Tuesday at St. John's Episcopal Church in Royal Oak at 7:30 p.m. Members of all operating committees are urged to attend.

The Northridge District also announced that Cub Scout training will begin next Thursday at the First Presbyterian Church in Royal Oak from 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Regular meetings will continue for six consecutive Thursdays at the same location. Interested parents are invited to attend these programs.

The First Presbyterian Church is located at the corner of 6th and 11th in Royal Oak.

### Grid Schedule

FRIDAY  
Groves at Cranbrook, 4 p.m.  
Kimball at Seaholm, 8 p.m.  
B'field at Clarkston, 8 p.m.  
W. B'field at Holly, 8 p.m.  
Oak Park at S'field, 8 p.m.

SATURDAY  
Webberville at City Day, 2 p.m.

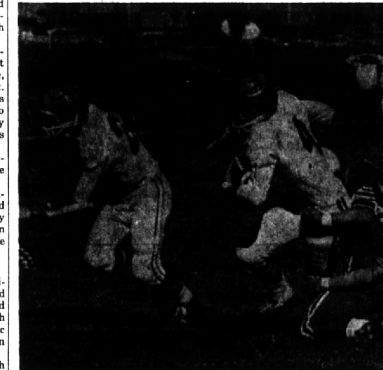
SUNDAY  
Det. Cath. at Br. Rice, 2:30 p.m.

### Recreation Dept. Sets Swim Classes For B'ham Youths

The Fall series of swimming classes for children who have completed kindergarten will begin in Sept. 22 at Barnum, Doby and Seaholm pools. Children must be residents of the City or School District of Birmingham.

Instruction will be offered in the following classes: Beginners, those who swim less than 30 feet; Poly-wogs, at least 30 feet; Intermediate, one pool length; Advanced, two pool lengths; Competitive, advanced swimmers; and Diving.

Registration is by mail only and will be from Sept. 16-20. Applications have been sent out through the schools and are also available at the Recreation Dept., 151 Martin.



Two Oak Park linemen latch onto a leg of Bloomfield's Dick Janz (4) as he follows his teammates through a hole in the Redskins' line. Pete Vidor (40), Barons fullback, watches action after throwing a block. Janz averaged 5.8 yards for 12 carries, while Vidor bulled 61 yards in 10 attempts for a 6.1 average in the Barons' 33-0 shelling of Oak Park.



BILL Stephenson (12) and Hugh McCombs (74) of Groves close in on Maples' Ken Heft (29) as he slices through the Falcon defense for a first down in the intercity contest. Tackle Jim Mitchum (46) of Seaholm draws a bead on Stephenson to help Heft out.

### S'field Wins First Game In 2 Years

Southfield High doesn't even want to think about the 1962 football season. They lost all nine ball games last year.

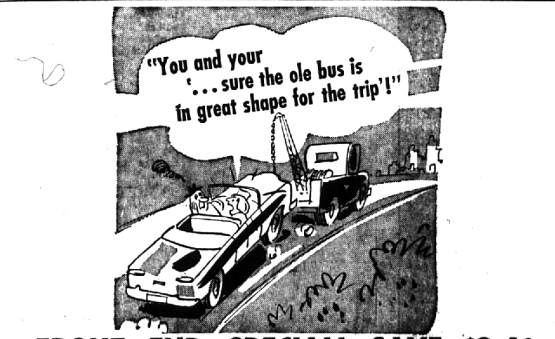
They're trying to forget it in the best way possible, too—by winning games this year. Friday, the Jays started the season off with a bang by solidly beating Thurston, 20-7 in their non-league opener.

Leading 7-0 at the end of the first half on a 30-yard scoring pass from Terry Thompson to end Rich Smielicki, Southfield scored twice in the fourth quarter to put it away.

Thurston had tied the score in the third quarter when Paul Lawrence ran 7-0 yards to paydirt and then ran the extra point.

But John Beard raced 62 yards and Jim Larsen 70 yards on dive plays to give the Blue Jays the victory.

Harry Glass for Southfield converted two of three extra points.



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