

## Parts Casted for 'Superman'; Students Work on Production

Look, up in the sky! Is that a bird? Is that a plane? No, it's not a bird or a plane. It's "Superman," and he is soaring to Edsel Ford High School Auditorium on March 28, 29, and 30 at 8 o'clock. Tickets being sold for "Superman" are priced at \$1.50 for adults, \$1.00 for all Edsel Ford students with an activity ticket, and 50¢ for children.

### Super Cast Chosen

The cast for "Superman" has been chosen, and the students are as follows: **Richard Dixon**, 11A, as Superman; **Linda Marley**, 12A, as Lois Lane; **Mark Sawyer**, 12A, as Max; **Diane Bernardin**, 12A, as Sydney; **George Spooner**, 12A, as Abner; **Rick Turpen**, 12A, as Jim; and **Bill Hendricks**, 11A, as Father Ling. The four choreographers to be used for the play are juniors **Veronica Miller**, **Gail Wiederman**, **Barbara Stephenson**, and sophomore **Sandy McCann**. The dances that will be used are dances that might be seen in the year 2000 with costumes fitting the same future period. Edsel Ford's Art Department will be working on designs for the cast.

### Super Songs Sung

To add to the enjoyment of the play, some real swinging songs will be sung. Some of the songs that will be heard are "We Need Him," "It's Super Nice," "We Don't Matter," "You've Got Possibilities," "What I've Always Wanted," "Doing Good," "Do You Love You," and "The Man Has Everthing." Dances will also be during the songs. Many of the

singers who will be participating are from the music department.

Mr. Neil Brown, director of all Edsel Ford plays, is out to get some good motion pictures of Superman doing super good things for all the nice people. The film that will be made will be shown during the play.

All the rehearsals for "Superman" will begin early this month and continue on through March.

## Organizations Help Mr. Valentine; Hootenanny Scheduled in February

The annual Booster Club Hootenanny will be held at 7:30 on February 19 in Edsel Ford's auditorium. Unlike the past hootenannies, the Booster Club will combine with the Executive Council as sponsors, and all proceeds will be donated to the Bill Valentine Fund.

### Students at Work

There is a lot of work behind a program of this type, and many students have donated their time. The general chairmen are **Janet Johnson**, 11A, and **Judy Guerny**, 12A. Janet is also the head of the ticket committee, while the house committee is being covered by **Gail Rowley**, 10A. **Iona Miller**, 11A, is in charge of publicity.

### Students Provide Talent

As in the past, the performers will be members of the school's folk club, and any other students who desire to perform and show a bit of talent. Tryouts were held last week, and some of those students who will be

## Bolt Members Given Promotions; Additional Features Are Included

Anyone for a new school newspaper? The Bolt staff can't do that, but instead new features will be added this semester.

### New Positions Assigned

The loss of a few seniors during the change in semester has brought a need for a new assistant editor. Replacing graduate Eileen Nahina is the new assistant editor **Beth Darwish**, 12A. Beth, previously Page 2 editor, will be replaced by senior **Darcy Green**, while junior **Debbie Asquith** will be the new Page 2 headliner.

### New Sports Coverage

Beginning this semester, a boost in the calibre of sports writing is antici-

pated. In addition to a feature coverage of sports events, **Bob Proctor** will be in charge of statistics on players and games.

To add both interest and variety to the upcoming issues of the Bolt, cartoons by **Durwood Coffey**, 11A, will be printed.

One change which has been contemplated by the staff is the possibility of dropping the want-ads due to lack of student interest. If students really want to see the want-ads during the coming semester, please submit them to the Bolt office.

The staff hopes that the coming additions of the Bolt will be enjoyed by all.

## Senior Schauer Given Betty Crocker Award

Two months ago, all the senior girls of Edsel Ford took a 50-minute written examination. The purpose of this test was to find the Betty Crocker American Homemaker of Tomorrow. In the time which has passed since the examination, the tests of senior girls from all over the country were evaluated, and the high scorer from each school was recently notified.

This year the winner at Edsel Ford is 12A **Nancy Schauer**.

### Purpose of Program

This is the fourteenth year that General Mills has sponsored the Betty Crocker Search for the Homemaker of Tomorrow contest. It was started in 1954, with the objectives of enhancing the prestige of the American home, creating interest in home-making, and to show the contributions to the home made by high schools and their teachers. The national award is a scholarship of \$5,000.

### Qualifications for Award

To become the Homemaker of Tomorrow winner for Edsel Ford, Nancy received the highest score in the school, and she also had to be certified as to character and reputation by the school principal. For winning the school award, Nancy received a silver charm and a letter of congratulation. From there, she went on to compete in the state competition. Nancy filled out a detailed questionnaire, with questions about her interests, activities, and future plans. So far, in the state competition Nancy is one of the top ten, of which one will be picked at the end of February to be the state Homemaker of Tomorrow.

## Debate Season Proven Successful by Students

The end of Edsel Ford's first debating season has brought great success to all of the members of both the varsity and junior varsity teams.

During the season, the debaters spent many hours preparing for each match. The following ten students participated in the debates: **Merrie Ackley**, 11A; **Mary Ellis**, 12A; **Bill Gelgota**, 12A; **Dave Hardesty**, 12A; **Karen Kitzmann**, 12A; **Scott Miller**, 12A; **Mark Piegza**, 12A; **Chuck Schettler**, 12A; and **Mike Yuskowatz**, 12A.

### Students Finish Third

The varsity and junior varsity members placed third in the Sauk-Trail League. The coach, Mr. Gordon Cochrane, commented, "When you consider that none of the debaters nor myself had a great deal of experience in debate, their record was even more than amazing."

### Debaters Compete in District

The last match of the season for

the Edsel Ford debaters was the district finals held at Thurston High School on Wednesday, January 17. Four Edsel Ford debaters competed in this event. On the affirmative team were **Mary Ellis** and **Mark Piegza**, and on the negative team were **Merrie Ackley** and **Dave Hardesty**. The results proved excellent as Edsel Ford ended in a tie for fourth place out of a total of nine teams.

Discussing the advantages of debating experience, Mr. Cochrane added, "Of course, there are many more benefits to debating than winning matches, and these kids not only gained a lot of knowledge concerning the proposition, but they also developed their speaking skills and argumentative techniques to a great degree." Mr. Cochrane feels that hopefully in the future even more students will become interested in debating. He also feels that this season was just the beginning of debating and that each forthcoming year will be an improvement.



# Immature E.F. Students Show Disrespect For School Property

Do you value and take pride in that which belongs to you?

One of the advantages of our capitalistic economy is that we have the right to own private property and to use or dispose of this property in whatever way we see fit (with reasonable restrictions, of course). But what about this question of taking care of that which belongs to each individual? It is probably safe to assume that most of us are fairly conscious of what we do with our personal belongings.

However, another question must be posed: Are you also as respectful toward the possessions of others? Each must answer this question for himself.

A minority of the Edsel Ford student body should be affected by this last question. A group (not necessarily close-knit) of students have been abusing the privilege of using the pay telephones, property which belongs not to them but to a private company that wishes to provide a convenience for society.

Certain individuals are known to "cheat" the phones. They have methods of using them for less than the standard dime. Their practices are unorthodox and simply immature. Not only have they devised a method of getting a cheaper call, but they also lie to the operator, and all just to make a few pennies.

Who are these people hurting anyway? Yes, it is true they've put phones out of order and hindered the use of them for other self-respecting persons. The "Golden Rule" seems to be of no concern to them. But what about the damage they are doing to themselves? They are surely misplacing some of their values and morals. The loss of character values can scar a person for life.

# Feathers

by Ellen Oas

Pam Nicholson, 10B, will be the new Keener correspondent from Edsel, replacing January graduate, Janet Ware . . . **The Thunderbird Styling Contest** is now in progress. Pick up forms for the contest today from Mr. Hashoian or Mr. Nicholas . . . **12A's** are ordering graduation name cards . . . **The juniors** will be taking the NMSQT on February 24, at 8:30 a.m. Good luck juniors . . . **Booster Club** has purchased new pom-poms for the cheerleaders . . . **The Sophomore Barbershop Quartet** from Edsel will be reviewed and criticized by the Wayne State Music Staff . . . **Thespians** will be traveling by bus to the Meadowbrook Theater to see **King Lear** . . . **The 10A's** will sponsor a dance on March 15 . . . **Need any repairs?** The Edsel Auto Shop is now open for business . . . **The choir** will give a preview of **Superman** for O.L. Smith, February 27 . . . **Rich Dixon** will be filmed robbing a bank for the spring musical, **Superman** . . . **The walls are falling down?** Well, not exactly, but the wall between A9 and A10 is going to be torn down.

# Awake & A Turley

by Phyllis Turley

Last fall, when Janet Ware started to write the column "Awake and A Ware," we didn't give much thought as to what would happen to the column when Janet graduated. It finally hit us a few days ago, after commencement, that if we didn't find someone to take over her column, we would soon be publishing "Awake and A Blank" in our next paper.

Choosing a responsible, balanced, creative, and liberally educated person to fill this position was not easy. Of course, I was not chosen. Instead, I was shut down by a 4'11" jolly brown-freckled **Beth Darwish**.

Of course, there were reasons for choosing Beth to head the column (and reasons for not choosing me). I was told that I was already responsible for finding controversies in the school to turn into thought provoking editorials.

This editorial bit may sound like the real chance to express that passionate emotion that you've had bottled up inside you, that is, until you read the clause in the school code that says an editorial must be a **printable** school controversy. After all, you can only write so much about such juicy topics as school spirit, the kids that take cuts and leave messes at lunch, and last but not least, those "nasty" kids that were cheating on the music test.

So, Beth Darwish was chosen to write the column. Actually, the "determining factor" in this decision was the fact that we already had a title for the column if it was written by her. No matter how you look at it, "Awake and A Turley" just has no coath. I'll admit that we could have named it "Fill up with Fill-iss," but "A Little Bit of Beth" went along a little bit better with the deciding factor. So, I'll end this story now and save a "little" bit for Beth to write on next time.

# 'pinions

by Pam Kocsis

Friday night, January 19, at 7:45 p.m., **Ellen Gritter**, a 10A student of Edsel Ford, was struck by a south-bound car on Outer Drive across from Dearborn High. The driver claimed to have not seen Ellen or **Erik Knorr**, 11A, another student, crossing the street to attend a basketball game. Both students were unaware of the pedestrian button at the stop light.

Erik and Ellen were both wearing dark clothing, which made the chances of being seen at night very slim. The single witness, in giving what information he had, backed up the driver's story in saying that he only saw the two at the last second because everything happened so quickly.

But this single accident was not the extent of the injury. Another car, traveling at a much slower speed than the first, ran over Ellen's legs and continued on. The driver may have had no knowledge of what he had done because of the darkness and poor condition of the road, but I question this irresponsible act. This second car was considered hit-and-run.

In the past year alone, 425 hit-and-run accidents have occurred in Dearborn. These accidents vary from very small property damages to most serious accidents. There is a wide variance between property damages and fatal injuries. But the fact still remains that hit-and-runs do occur, and many people suffer because one driver thinks only of what consequences he may have to face if he stops. Although Ellen was not killed, something must be done about this threat until all drivers are cooperative, not just the few honest people, but all of us.



# The World In A Flower Pot

by Debbie Asquith

Many moons ago on a Saturday night, a strange and eerie event took place. Just as "Gentle Ben" was coming to a stirring climax, darkness suddenly fell upon the room and the T.V. faded into a white dot in a sea of blackness. As I stumbled in the dark trying to find my way to the front door, I wondered what exactly had happened. Was it an air raid? Had the "Invaders" finally taken over, despite David Vincent's heroic efforts to save the world? Or had someone turned the big neon light in the sky off? Finally, I reached the door window (after receiving two broken knee caps from pointed end tables and one stubbed toe from my dad's favorite chair). Peering out the window, I was alarmed to find that all the houses on my street were in complete darkness! Seeing this, I knew it was time for action!

Get out the flashlights! Somebody find the batteries! Dig up last year's Christmas candles! Find the bug repellent citronella lamps from last summer! By the time all these things were located and lit, the black-out was over. As it was, it only lasted one hour. But it was long enough to make me realize just how lucky we are to have electricity. (Mr. Edison sure was nice to invent the phonograph!?)

Then as life returned to normalcy and the T.V. was flicked on to reveal "Maya" walking gracefully across the screen, I again began to think of the

great miracle of electricity. It's the greatest thing since candlelight. At least with electricity you don't burn your fingers in the dark trying to put some light on the subject!



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**WANTED:** Classroom secretary needed-typing, filing, and general clerical. Interview B8 any time between 8:00-4:00.

**WANTED:** A good drummer for a rock band. Contact Dennis Mrozinski, 11A.

Because of the recent lack of interest shown by the student body concerning advertisements in the **Bolt**, there is a possibility that the Want Ads will be dropped. The **Bolt** staff feels that this column is a worthwhile service to the school and would like to continue it. Remember, if you have any want ads, drop them off at the **Bolt** office, A24.



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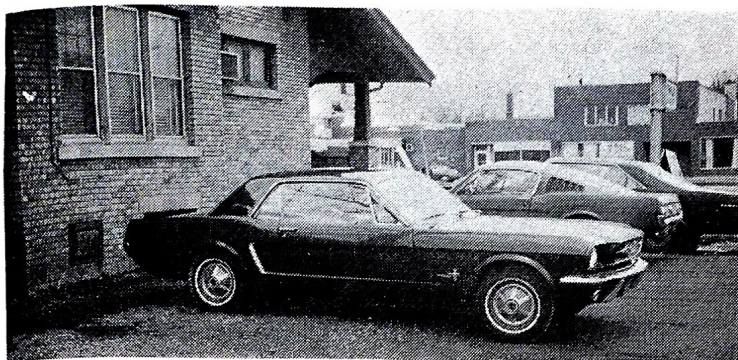
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If you think those wheel covers look nice, you should have seen . . .

## Boltly Bomb

### Diane Smiley's Metallic Mustang Becomes Transportation for Many

The last few foggy days, I've had no problem finding my way to school, because my friend and I have been following the puffs of oil smoke left by 11A Diane Smiley's '66 maroon Mustang.

This metallic pony, which by some unknown power brings Diane to school every day, hides a six banger under the bonnet. The mammoth power plant reaches the road through a 3-speed slush-box. One of the chrome goodies this car was optioned with was full wheel covers. This point is stressed by the fact that all

other options have been mysteriously removed.

The color-keyed monster is a sign that the owner has extremely good taste, illustrated by the maroon exterior, the white and black interior, and the white bucket seats.

The oil consumption on this car can be easily computed as follows: take the combined weights of Diane's 11 morning passengers, multiplied by her 20 evening passengers, subtract this from 1000, and this will give you the number of quarts of oil needed to start the machine each following day.

Local auto dealers (including the neighboring boys), have made quite a sum of money due to Diane's negligence in not locking her car at night. During the last few months she has gone through two horn rings, an outside mirror, a left wiper blade, and three piston rings. Incidentally Diane is qualified by the state to operate a moving vehicle.

## Former Teachers Meet Challenges Of 2 New Jobs

It's always hard to say good-bye, especially to teachers who have gained the respect and admiration of everyone. Leaving Edsel Ford are Mr. Gordon Cochrane and Mr. John Pinter.

Mr. Cochrane began his teaching career at Edsel Ford. While at Edsel, he taught English, Drama, and Public Speaking. Mr. Cochrane was also very active and enthusiastic about starting a debate team.

At the present time Mr. Cochrane is leaving the teaching profession. He remarked, "As much as I've enjoyed teaching, I always wanted to try something in the fields of business and industry. After many rewarding experiences and having developed many close friendships, it was really difficult for me to leave. But I felt it was a decision that had to be made. Maybe I'll be back in a few years. Who knows?"

Mr. Pinter has taught English for five years at Edsel and is leaving to teach at Henry Ford Community College. He is particularly interested in college teaching, and for him the change means a different and challenging career.

In addition to the changes above, Miss Alison Fisher is now a roving substitute teacher for Edsel Ford.

## Students Donate Summer Time To Volunteer Work

What did you do during summer vacation? Besides fun and good times, some Edsel Ford students gave their time doing volunteer work for the United Community Services of Metropolitan Detroit.

Through this organization, our volunteers were placed in different jobs. Leading our school for the number of hours volunteered was Margie Rundl, 10A, who worked at Veterans' Administration Hospital; Margie put in a total of 188 hours. Other Edsel Ford students who worked at Veterans Hospital were Leslie Mitchell, 11A, with 123 hours; Barb Palmer, 11A, with 103 hours; Mary Hammon, 11A, with 88 hours; Jan Lewis, June '67 graduate, 78 hours; Joanne Ryba, 11A, 66 hours; Elaine Sperkowski, January '68 graduate, 58 hours; Linda Faris, 12A, 42 hours; Donna Laugh-

rice, 11A, 40 hours; Kathy Teefey, 11A, 27 hours; Sherry Teefey, 11A, 27 hours; and Linda Tyson, 12A, 13 hours.

Not all volunteers worked at Veterans Hospital; some did group recreation work at Wayne County General Hospital. Sue Borsos, 11A; Sue Kleeman, 11A; Sue Smith, 11A; and Carol Wieck, 11A, all worked a total of sixteen hours for the hospital. Last but not least were the students who worked as counselors for Easter Seal Society Day Camp. To prove that the men can do their share, too, Kim Shunkwiler, a former Edsel Ford student, put in the most time with a total of 58 hours spent at camp. Other camp counselors were Debbie Schwesinger, 11A, 29 hours, and Janice Graham, 11A, 30 hours.

## New Tri-M Club Organized For Good Music Students

The newly formed Tri-M Club (Modern Music Masters Club) held its second initial meeting for the purpose of electing club officers on Monday, January 8 at 3:30 p.m. The Edsel Ford branch of this national organization will hold meetings in B11.

All students who wish to take part in Tri-M must hold a required scholastic average of "C" with a standing "B" average in Music, and should also be able to fulfill the requisite of a semester of musical training from any of the Music Department classes. Club members will hold practice sessions.

Tri-M co-presidents Linda Marley and Joanne Black, both 12A's will hold club meetings on Mondays.

In addition to holding club meetings and practice sessions, the musical group would also like to visit the music departments of other high schools and some universities to examine their different methods of approaching music. The Edsel Ford Tri-M plans to meet with other branches of the organization to swap ideas and compare notes.

The Tri-M Club will join with other E.F. students to present a benefit hootenanny on the nineteenth of this month. This program will be held to raise funds for Mr. Bill Valentine, a teacher at Dearborn High who has just undergone a serious kidney operation.

Tri-M will be there helping the hootenanny to become another Edsel Ford night to remember. Let's all come and help them along for a very worthy cause!

## Calling All Male Bowerbirds- Valentine's Day Is February 14!

? Queres ser mi Valentino? Sgoamo te. Bitte, wurdest du neinen schatz sein? Sayes mon Valentin! Legyel az en kedvesem. Will you be my Valentine?

Love does indeed speak a varied language!

Most high school students are interested in dating, or at least interested in a related topic, the opposite sex. The average young person thinks only of what he wishes to find in his choice. To face facts, however, one must consider the following: 1. what he wants, 2. what he needs, and 3. what he can get. Although the male may be disillusioned, disappointed, and discouraged in the obvious thwarting of his attentions, he must realize that the female of any species has remained unchanged throughout the centuries.

The female has always had, and probably always will have, an unquenchable desire to be amused, entertained, and catered to. Hence, the gifts of ancient animal furs and to-

day's gifts of candy, flowers, and romantically inclined verse . . . Hence, Valentine's Day. In spite of all these "love displays," the male is constantly turned down, insulted, or thrown out of the house. Rest assured, my disappointed friends, you are not alone.

From one of James Thurber's many writings, I cite the example of the bowerbird. This creature spends so much time courting the female that he never gets any work done. I imagine that the bowerbird, after a few hours of chasing, says the heck with it and goes home to bed. The next day he telephones someone else, and the entire procedure is gone through once again.

As you see, the human is not the only species to be thwarted in dating attempts. It has been the fate of every male, human or not, through the centuries. The female has an undying desire to be the center of attention. So, my dear friends, "take your chance on February 14."

## June '66 Graduates Killed in Active Duty

The centrifugal sun dawned on the sultry fields of another Vietnamese day. Suddenly, death shots rang out, shattering the lives of two recent Edsel Ford graduates, 19-year-old PFC's Charles Leon Hanselman and Douglas McIlroy. Both students graduated from Edsel Ford in June of 1966 and January of 1967, respectively.

PFC Charles Hanselman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bugg of 3607 McKinley, was laid in repose at Querfeld Funeral Home. His life-long friend, Doug McIlroy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas McIlroy of 3851 Lincoln, was also laid in repose at the same home.



# Edsel Falls to Third Place

First place is where we would like to be, but third place is where we are. After a long string of victories, the string broke, toppling us into third place, three games behind Ypsilanti.

The final score in this high spirited, but low scoring game between Edsel and Dearborn was 53 to 65.

The great misfortune in this game was the inability of the T-Birds to put the ball through the hoop. This problem has not hampered our squad in the past, and let's hope it does not trouble them in the future.

The high scorer in the game for Edsel was **Dennis Aylward** with 17 points. **Ted Grignon** was next with 11.

Just a week before Edsel's loss to Dearborn, the T-Birds rolled over Wayne 71 to 58.



Edsel's J.V.'s show their speed as they scramble for the ball.

In the shooting department, Edsel went wild. The T-Birds had 109 shots on basket which included 27 baskets and 17 free-throws. Even though

Edsel had a slightly lower percentage of baskets, the overwhelming number of shots on basket made the difference.

Ted Grignon, Dennis Aylward, and **Bob Bores** all scored in double figures. Grignon had 26 points, while Aylward and Bores had 13 and 12, respectively.

## January Graduates Receive Recognition At G.A.A Banquet

At the end of last semester, the Girls Athletic Association held an awards banquet to honor outstanding members of the club. Special recognition was given to the six graduating seniors. They were **Eileen Nahina, Janet Ware, Kathy Bogya, Kathy Reimer, Elaine Sperkowski, and Pat Wilkie.**

Each year the graduates vote on one person whom they think has done the most for G.A.A. The 12A's this year voted on Eileen Nahina who was presented with a gold trophy.

The next highest award presented was the gold pin, or 1300-point award. As stated, the member must have accumulated 1300 points through intramural, official, and committee work. Two pins were presented at the banquet, one to Eileen Nahina and one to **Phyllis Turley, 12A.**

A new award at the banquet this year was the 1000-Point Pin Award. The new pin is gold with a black enamel covering, lettered with the numerals 1000. Those girls receiving this award were **Sue Conway, Mary Ellis, Karen Kitzmann, Eileen Nahina, Ellen Oas, Kathy Summers, Elaine Sperkowski, Phyllis Turley, and Diane Williams.**

## J.V. Basketball

# Little J.V.'s Prove to Possess Big Qualities

Since I'm not much of a history student, I'm not too sure of the name of the person who once said, "Give me Liberty or give me the J.V. team." But I do know one thing, the quote was meant as a compliment, in that our J.V. team has had six wins and only three losses, being the most interesting team in a long time.

After inquiring around the locker room, I found why the team was so interesting—the main reason being the promotion of two J.V. members

to the varsity team. They are tenth graders **Rick Jenks** (after his first three games), and **Bill Myer** (just recently). Coach Bridges commented by saying, "This is really another great achievement, since the main reason for the J.V. team is to prepare individuals for the varsity team."

We believe this team has shown a lot of hustle, desire, and haven't quit trying all year. A few of the players who deserve some recognition are **Joe Major**, quarterback of

the team, hustle leader, who has scored double figures in his last four games; and **Jim Talasis**, who has moved up to the starting line, doing a good job. The other members of the team are **Mike Foley, Mark Golles, Frank Pantoni, Chris Bradley, John Jakcsy, Gordy Luchonok, and Larry Cameron.**

Most people might say this is a small team. Well it is, but it makes up for its size with speed, co-ordination, and stamina.

## Keteyian Waits With Anticipation

Practically everyone knows **Bob Keteyian!** Practically everyone also knows that Bob has been absent for a whole week... Skipping school? No, not exactly.

Bob was injured playing basketball at the Dearborn High basketball game Friday, January 19. As he was shooting a basket, (which he made), a Dearborn High senior cut his legs out from under him in the air, and Bob tumbled onto his head. No one thought the injury was really serious, so Bob played the rest of the game. After the game, he was rushed to Oakwood Hospital, where it was found that Bob had a brain concussion. He was told to stay on his back for six days.

Bob is back in school now, but he can't play basketball or do any strenuous work yet. The T-Birds will be without their senior guard for a few weeks, although you might see Bob playing in the Wayne game.

# Rough Road Ahead for Matmen While Tankers Look for Victory

Edsel Ford's wrestling team continues on the long, rough road to victory by beating Farmington 25-18. Yes, this road to victory is rough, and coach Wyka and a few key wrestlers are feeling the bumps.

Farmington managed to slow down Edsel's appetite for victory until the last two matches where the matmen clinched the win.

### Individual Ratings

The only pin for Edsel during the Farmington meet was by sophomore **Walter Gibbons**, wrestling in the 95 lb. class. There was also only one tie in the meet by junior **Mark Rodak**. Other Edsel Ford points were collected by decisions in the 127 lb. class, **Frank Nastase**; 145 lb. class, **Mike Blaskowski**; 154 lb. class, **Pat Carmichael**; 165 lb. class, **Brian Guffrey**; 180 lb. class, **Fred Kemp**; and in the heavyweight class, **Tom Verrill.**

With over half the regular season already gone, Edsel Ford's wrestling team has compiled a record of 6-2.

This success should be contributed to team work and hustle which is traditional to all sports at Edsel Ford.

It has been the work of the captains and Coach Wyka which has kept this team morale at a high level throughout the season.

### Swimmers Work Out

Probably one of the least watched sports, which happens to be swimming, is also one of the most grueling and competitive of all our varsity activities at Edsel Ford. While the members of the varsity swimming team are all striving to chalk up a team win and gain area recognition, individual effort is also being bettered. Accomplishment in the various areas of swimming strokes is important to the strength of the team.

On Wednesday, January 24, Edsel Ford drenched Wayne by a score of 67 to 40. The oddness of the score was attributed to the fact that one of the relays was disqualified. More recently the tankers beat Ferndale with a score of 57 to 48, while also add-

ing several first place positions in the individual events.

**Ross Lindsay** took a first in the medley relay along with **Dan Lenardon, Mike Sitarski, and Dan Skorich.** In the individual medley, **Stu Baker** took a first place position for the 200-yd. event, and Mike Sitarski gained a first for the 100-yd. butterfly. Also in the Ferndale meet, **Rich Lenardon** stole a first in the 100-yd. backstroke, and **Mark Rojek**, oddly enough, tied for a first in the 100-yd. freestyle.

In the Ferndale meet the Edsel Ford Swim-birds also won the 400-yd. free relay. The members included in this event were **Stu Baker, Gary Sigmund, Dan Skorich, and Rich Lenardon.**

It has been announced that **Ross Lindsay** is the newly elected co-captain. To Ross and all the swimmers we wish the best of luck when they travel to Bowling Green, Ohio, next Saturday.

**Bring back another win, T-Birds!**