Sports

Dallas stops GAR, 7-0

By CHARLOT M. DENMON Staff Correspondent

"Our defense was fantastic; they controlled the game," said Dallas football coach Ron Rybak after the Mountaineers 7-0 shutout over GAR. "Our offense moved the ball against the Grenadiers but they made too many mental mistakes.

"Mike Borton was great on offense. He isn't the biggest nor the fastest back in the conference but pound for pound I'd say he is the best back in the Valley. It doesn't matter how big the guys are who come after him; he keeps moving ahead. John Farrell was playing backup and did a splendid job for us.

'Joe Walsh and Greg Manusky were outstanding on defense but the entire defense played a great game. I could name everyone of them.

"Borton gained nearly 100 yards in the game and Joe Simon played a great game."

The only score in the game came in the first quarter on a G.A.R. fumble. The Grenadiers took a Dallas punt on their five-yard line but two plays later fumbled the ball. Mountaineer Joe Ostrowski recovered it and on the next paly Mount John Farrell went through the left side of the line and into the end zone for a score. Darren Ford's kick for the extra point was good and the Mounts went in front 7-0.

The Mountaineers' offense controlled the ball and knocked on the door several times but were unable to score. Mike Borton led the offense in yardage and QB Bernie Walsh completed three-for-eight passes for 58 yards

The Grenadiers' defense deserves a lot of credit for they held the Dallas offense throughout three quarters.

Rybak's defense completely controlled the Grenadiers and turned in a stellar performance. In fact, it was the defense led by Greg Manusky who turned in the only score to give the Mounts their 7-0 win.

"We have a week off before we meet Pittston which will give us a rest. Tim Grove will be back and so will Tim Lyons. Tucker was back for the GAR game but this extra week will be good for him as well. He played in the GAR game and as soon as they saw him on the field they put two men on him.

"If our defense plays as well against Pittston as they did last Saturday, we will be in good shape. Pittston will be up for us, they always are," added

Meyers gets by Knights

"A dropped touchdown pass and missing two extrapoints - that's what killed us," said Lake-Lehman grid coach Mark Kirk after his Knights' 21-20 loss to the Meyers Mohawks last Friday.

"We didn't make the right plays to stop Meyers near the end of the game. We knew what they planned to do, but our boys made too many mental mistakes. We would have won if we had played good football in the first half.

"Our kickoff in the final minutes of the game hurt us. Our specialty team consists of all young players and they make too many mistakes. The Mohawks took the ball and ran it back more than 25 yards to their 45 yard line. We need to make some changes on our specialty teams."

The Knights contained the Mohawks fast-running back Dwayne Harrison fairly well despite his chalking up 135 yrds. Most of that yardage was gained in about three long runs and Harrison accounted for two of Meyers TD's.

'He's a good back," said Kirk. "We couldn't get him when it counted.

tie in the first quarter. In the second period, the Mohawks drove down field from their 14 to Lake-Lehman's 28, but fumbled on the play

The Knights countered by driving to the Mohawks 30 yard line but following a penalty gave up the ball on the Mohawks 30 yard line.

Meyers put the first score on the board on Harrison's first TD and Belgian exchange student Wim Peters kicked the extra point. The Mohawks scored their second TD on a 25 yard pass from QB Chris Hunsinger to Jeff Lott in the end zone. Peters kicked his second extra point to give the Mohawks a 14-0 lead.

80 yards to make the score 14-6 when T.J. Cadwalder hit Earl Weidner with a 36-yard pass for a score. The Knights' pass for two points failed which cost them the ball game.

Late in the third period, Chris Wargo recovered a Meyers fumble at the Mohawk 10-yard line. On second down, Jeff Martin took the ball to the five and on third and five Stu Thomas took it in for the score. triple A but they'll all be tough.' Cadwalder hit Weidner for a two

Both teams played to a scoreless point conversion pass. Another fumble set up the Knights third score. Ed Gavlick recovered the Meyers fumble and six plays later Martin took the ball in from the Mohawks nine yard line. The pass

for a two point conversion failed. Harrison tied the score at 20 each when he went in for a TD with only 2:38 remining on the clock. Peters made his third point for the day to give the Mohawks the 21-20 win.

"We have two weeks off before we meet Crestwood," said Kirk. "The layoff will help us. The kids need the rest and it will give us time to teach them some new techniques. We plan to do some intensive teaching during that time.

"Our kids are doing a great job. The Knights took over and drove They're young and inexperienced but for a small school they are very competitive. Many people fail to realize we have only about 400 students in the senior high.

> 'All the boys are working hard and John Williams, Jeff Martin and Chris Wargo have been turning in some fine performances. Four of our next five games are with Division AA schools. Only Nanticoke is

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MVPs selected

Frank Galicki, assistant principal, Dallas Senior High School, congratulates Greg Manusky, center, and Tim Finnegan, as the two MVP's in the Dallas-Bishop Hoban gridiron game played Sept. 24. Galicki presents the boys with trophies, awarded by the Dallas Gridiron Club. Between the two players they had 12 tackles, recovered two fumbles, caused two Argent fumbles, had five quarterback sacks and intercepted a pass for 80 vard touchdown.

ady Knights impressive.

the girls played this past week. Cindy Slocum had eight saves, They played more aggressively and girls field hockey coach Jean John- game. son Lipski. The girls won two games and tied Nanticoke during the week and in doing so had 77 shots on goal, a terrific number for three games.

greatly improved and they are Breita, scored a second time 17 working together as a team. I'm minutes into the half to give the happy to see that.

"Susan Bonsavage is doing an outstanding job for us and Pam second half to tie the score at 2-2. Solinski is playing very well. She has come a long way. Joan Skopic is scored for the Knights to give them now playingwing and adjusting very well. I would say she is the most improved player on the team.'

The Lady Knights shut out Bishop O'Reilly 3-0, Friday, paced by Kim Fey who scored two goals to lead Lake-Lehman in their win. Fey scored her first goal unassisted in the first half to give the Lady Knights a 1-0 lead at halftime.

Fey scored again assisted by Sandy Dicton halfway through the second half. With only six minutes remaining Sandy Dicton scored a third goal unassisted to give the and Sue Dicton, assisted by Fay, Lake-Lehman team their 3-0 win.

The Knights had 37 shots on goal, estrini. O'Reilly six; Lehman had 14 cor-

O'Reilly's Kathy Harper had 11. played more offense instead of The Lady Knights tied Nanticoke defense," commented Lake-Lehman 3-3, Wednesday, in a hard-played The Trojans Karen Bolka scored

the first goal unassisted eight minutes into the first half. Ten minutes into the half, Kim Fey assisted by "I'm very happy with their play- Sandy Dicton scored for the ing," said Coach Lipski. "They are Knights. Bolka, assisted by Sharon Trojans a 2-1 lead at the half.

Fey scored unassisted early in the Later in the half Sue Bonsavage a 3-2 lead but with less than 14 minutes left in the game Bolka scored her third goal assisted by Michelle Pawlush to tie the score at 3-3. The Knights had six shots at goal, Trojans had nine; Knights had seven corners, Trojans five; and Knights had seven saves, Trojans had 10.

Goalie Cindy Slocum turned away seven shots as Coughlin had 15 shots on goal to give the Lady Knights a 2-0 shutout over the Crusaders. Sue Bonsavage, assisted by Jean Skopec scored goals against Coughlin's Bal-

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Dallas girls get three

"The girls did a fine job this past The Tigers scored first 11 minutes reek," said Dallas girls field into the game and four minutes week.' hockey coach Robyn Jones. "They later Strauser with an assist by won all three games to make it four Radzinski tied the score. Strauser consecutive wins and turn the scored a second goal in the opening season around.

The Tigers scored first 11 minutes of the second half with an assist by "They're finally scoring in the Maribeth Watchulonis and Radzin-

minutes into second half play. Strauser iced the score 14 minutes into the second half, again assisted by Radzinski. Wall played an outstanding game as goalie coming in for the second half and holding the Crusaders scoreless.

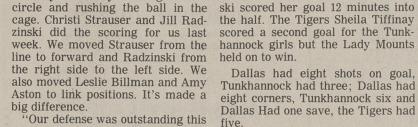
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"I was very pleased with the way ners, O'Reilly eight; Lehman goalie



past week. Susan King, right halfback was moved to that position from forward, and has been doing a great job. Karen Wall was terrific as goal keeper. In the Coughlin game she had eight saves and kept them scoreless.

"This week we have GAR and Meyers, both AA teams, but they have the potential to win in any game. There is only one team undefeated to date, that's Crestwood."

The Lady Mounts defeated Tunkhannock, 3-2, Friday afternoon paced by Cristi Strauser's two goals and Jill Radzinski's goal which proved to be the winning point.

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scored a second goal for the Tunkhannock girls but the Lady Mounts held on to win.

Dallas had eight shots on goal, Tunkhannock had three; Dallas had eight corners. Tunkhannock six and Dallas Had one save, the Tigers had

The Lady Mounts shut out Coughlin, 2-0, on Wednesday with both teams unable to score in the first half. Dallas scored quickly in the second half with Strauser, assisted by Radzinski scoring a goal five

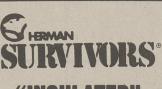
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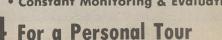
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