

1963 Sectional Tournament...



# Fremont, Tiffin Calvert Meet Today In Tournament Finals

Fremont Ross pushed across the winning run in the bottom of the seventh to edge Eastwood 2-1 Thursday and Tiffin Calvert scored on a theft of home in the ninth inning to nip Clyde 3-2 in semi-final games of the Class "AA" baseball sectional tournament here.

Ross and Calvert play today at 4 for the right to represent this

area in next week's district tournament at North Robinson.

John Prosser, Ross catcher who has 14 hits in 25 at-bats this season, opened Fremont's seventh with a base on balls. With one out, Ken Pasch reached first on an error, Prosser going to second. Jerry Slatter then lined a clean single down the right field line to score Prosser with the winning run.

Prosser drove in Fremont's first

run in the fourth after Eastwood tallied in the top of the frame.

Fremont's pitcher Mike Frantz, a curve-ball artist, bested Glen Hamen of Eastwood, a lad who throws hard and has a good curve. Frantz struck out five and gave up just two hits. Hamen allowed four hits and fanned nine.

Clyde took a 2-0 lead in the fourth but Calvert came back to tie in the sixth. Neither team scored until the bottom of the ninth.

Dave Ritzler led off for Calvert with a walk. He moved to third base as Pitcher Bill Welty was safe on an error. Clyde hurled Dan Daugherty then struck out two batters and worked the count down to 2-2 on Rick Scheiber when Ritzler dashed home from third with the winning run.

Clyde made seven hits and Calvert picked up six.

## Whitey Ford Under Spell Of Hypnotist

LOS ANGELES (AP)—The way Whitey Ford has been getting hitters out lately, you'd think his pitching motion was inducing hypnotic slumber.

Matter of fact, it turns out Ford himself is under a hypnotic spell—of sorts.

It was only a few weeks ago that the National League's Most Valuable Player, Maury Wills of the Los Angeles Dodgers, revealed he had gone to a hypnotist during the winter because he was afraid his legs were going bad.

Now Ford acknowledges that he, too, visited a hypnotist during the off-season. Whitey wanted to kick a habit, one that may or may not have affected his pitching.

The 34-year-old left-hander pitched a four-hitter and scored the 32nd shutout of his major league career Thursday as the New York Yankees defeated the

## Indians On Cloud Nine After Outburst

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The Cleveland Indians flew here today—probably on Cloud 9—after their biggest hitting outburst of the season in a 15-6 rout of the Kansas City Athletics.

The triumph, produced with an 18-hit attack and a tremendous seven-inning relief job by Barry Latman, knocked the Athletics out of first place Thursday.

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Woodie Held touched on the ~~Q~~ best fireworks with a grand slam homer in the Indians' six - run sixth inning. Held also hit a run-scoring single and walked twice. Tito Francona had four hits, including three doubles. Vic Davalillo had two hits, including a home run, and knocked in four runs. Fred Whitfield smacked two

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<b>ROSS</b>			<b>EASTWOOD</b>		
	<b>ab</b>	<b>r</b>	<b>ab</b>	<b>r</b>	
George 2b	3	1	Roif 2b	3	0
Hagerty ss	2	0	0 Caughey rf	1	0
Prosser c	2	1	1 Hoas 3b	3	0
Binder 3b	3	0	0 Robinson c	3	0
Pasch rf	3	0	0 Buchman cf	3	0
Slatter lf	3	0	1 Brick 1b	3	0
Hyzer 1b	2	0	1 Kohlenburg lf	2	0
Stout cf	2	0	0 Dunmeyer ss	2	1
Frantz p	2	0	0 Homen p	2	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Totals</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>1</b>

Score by innings:

EASTWOOD 000 100 0-1  
BOSS 000 100 0-1

ROSS 000 100 1-2  
Runs batted in—Prosser, Slatter, Rob-  
inson.



Photo by Townsend

**MIX-UP RESOLVED:** Umpires Randall Miller (light jacket) and Dick Baron (home plate ump) point to runner Jerry Binder of Ross who slapped a ground ball over first base bag for a single to drive home John Prosser, who had

tripled, with the winning run Friday against Tiffin Calvert in the "AA" sectional tourney. Miller first called the ball foul but Baron, having a better view of the play, reversed the decision.

## Ross Nips Tiffin Calvert 2-1, Plays In District Tournament

Fremont Ross' Little Giants won their second consecutive tournament game by the score of 2-1 Friday afternoon at Anderson field and by doing so captured the Class "AA" baseball sectional.

Tiffin Calvert was Ross' latest victim.

Fremont now moves to North Robinson for the first half of the district tourney. Ross' opponent has not been established at this time. Should Fremont win Tuesday at North Robinson, then the finals of the district will be played here next Friday afternoon. Winner of the district journeys to Lima for regional play.

Joe Houck, Tiffin Calvert pitcher, and Huron Alex Hyzer were locked in a scoreless duel for four innings before the Senecas broke loose for their only run. First baseman George Zirger led off Calvert's top of the fifth with a

sharp single to center field. He was moved to second base on a sacrifice bunt by Houck. With two outs, Joe Ritzler, third sacker, singled home Zirger. Rick Scheiber then beat out a slow roller down the third base line to put two Calvert runners aboard. Hyzer ended the inning by getting Catcher Frank Puesey on strikes.

Fremont broke the ice in the bottom of the sixth when Vern Erchenbrecher led off with a triple to right-centerfield. Rick Gabel came in to run for Erchenbrecher. Russ Hagerty popped out to the right-fielder, with Gabel holding third. John Prosser then slammed a long triple over the center-fielder's head to score Gabel with the tying run. Prosser came home on a ground single over the first base bag by Jerry Binder.

Except for the fifth inning when Calvert collected three of its six hits, Hyzer was in complete control of the situation. Ross also made three hits, two by Binder. Ritzler knocked out two safeties for Tiffin Calvert.

Hyzer struck out five and walked none. Houck fanned one and passed one batter.

Ross nipped Eastwood 2-1 Thursday in the semi-finals here.

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CALVERT	ROSS					
ab	r	h	ab	r	h	
Perna	4	0	0	Erchenbrecher	3	0
Ritzler	4	0	2	Gabel	0	0
Scheiber	3	0	1	Hagerty	3	0
Puesey	3	0	0	Prosser	3	1
Weltz	3	0	0	Binder	3	0
Steyer	3	0	1	Pasch	3	0
Saad	3	0	1	Slatter	3	0
Zirger	3	1	1	Hyzer	2	0
Houck	3	0	0	Stout	2	0
			George		2	
<b>Totals</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>Totals</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>2</b>

Score by innings:

CALVERT	0	0	0	1	6	0
ROSS	0	0	0	2	6	1

RBI—Prosser, Bender, Ritzler.