

## 1961 Season review...



Row One: Jack Jaisler, Tom Nicholson, Tom Lloyd, Neal Wensiger, Steve Weller, Bruce Hathaway. Row Two: Tony Starn, Bill Knoke, Gary Kaebel, Bob Cliburn, Jim Hetrick, Gifford Root. Row Three: Wayne Wensinger, Bruce Landis, Dave Parker, Jim Kaufman, Ron Stiger, Jim Parker, Manager Jack Zirkle.

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# Ross Varsity Faces Alumni In Swimming

Past swimmers of Ross high will compete against the current Purple and White varsity an exhibition tonight in the Fremont Junior high pool.

Event will start with a seventh and eighth grade freestyle relay at 7:30 p.m. with Overmyer, Le- Maitre, Gabel and Wise on one team and D. Emrich, J. Emrich, Zink and Geyer on the other.

There will be a number of regular alumni vs. varsity events which will be separated by some short distance swimming involving the alumni, especially the older members.

Regular events: 50-free, varsity, Cliburn, Lloyd; alumni, Dick Gwinup (1957), Chuck Miller (1951), 100-fly, varsity, Parker; alumni, Dave Carl (57), Mike Reed (60). 200-free, varsity, Hetrick, Wensinger; alumni, Charles Hull (54), Bob Agee (54). 100-back, varsity, Jaisler, Hathaway; alumni, Bob Corthell (54), Jack Talbot (60).

100-breast, varsity, Parker, Morris; alumni, Lynn Huffman (60), John Huffman (60). 100-free, varsity, Cliburn, Weller; alumni, Gordon Tod (59), Bob Lucas (53). Dive, varsity, Kaufman, Root, Koebel; alumni, Dave Serwin (60), Jim Mooney (59), Bill Myers, Gene Smith (54).

200-ind. med., varsity, Jaisler, Wensinger; alumni, Talbot. Medley relay, varsity team one, Hathaway, Knoke, Parker and Parker against the alumni, Corthell, Huffman, Reed, Gwinup; varsity team two, Wensinger, Starn or Morris, Kaufman, Stiger against the alumni, Bill Wise, John Smith, Dick Pence (44) and Slick Hess (43).

Free style relay, varsity, Lloyd, Hetrick, Landis, Weller; varsity, Hull, Ron Whisler (50), Don Smith, Miller.

CLIBURN VARSITY ACE...

## Ross Nips Alumni 40-39 In Swimming Exhibition

One-point margin separated the Ross Varsity and the Alumni in a swimming exhibition Friday in the Junior high pool.

The varsity won 40-39 with junior Bob Cliburn leading the way for Coach Bill Faunce's Purple and White splashers.

Cliburn finished second to the terrific Gordon Tod (1959) of the alumni in the 100-freestyle race, Tod registering a torrid 55.8 and Cliburn 58.1. Cliburn's time was three seconds better than he has had this season.

Cliburn won the 50-free in 25.1 seconds, one-half second better than his best previous time.

Team co-captains for the 1960-61 season were announced. Seniors Dave Parker and Jim Kaufman will guide this season's swim team.

Alumni held a 39-33 lead late in the meet after Jack Talbot (1960) won the 200-individual medley in 2:36.8. But the foursome of junior Bruce Hathaway, junior Bill Knoke, senior Dave Parker and sophomore Jim Parker turned in a 2:01.7 to win the 200-medley relay and give the Varsity a 40-39 advantage. Alumni medley team, made up of Bob Corthell

(1954), Lynn Huffman (1960), Mike Reed (1960) and Dick Gwinup (1957), finished in 2:02.5.

Both teams were disqualified in the final event, the 200-free-style relay, due to infractions. Actually, the Varsity team of sophomore Tom Lloyd, sophomore Jim Hetrick, sophomore Bruce Landis and sophomore Steve Weller had a better time than the Alumni.

Reed of the Alumni won the 100-fly race in 1:14.8 with Jim Parker of the Varsity second in 1:16.7. Bob Agee of the Alumni won the 200-free in 2:35.6 with sophomore Neal Wensinger of the Varsity coming in in 2:39.9. Talbot, state competitor in the 100-backstroke, won for the Alumni in 1:04.9 with sophomore Jack Jailer of the Varsity finishing second in 1:09.6.

### Dave Parker First

Dave Parker gave the Varsity a first in the 100-orthodox in 1:15.8. Gil Root, senior, was second in the diving to Dave Serwin (1960) of the Alumni. Jaisler's second place team to Talbot in the 200-individual was 2:46.4.

Alumni, organized by Ron Whisler (1950), were introduced before the meet and a brief rundown on what each is doing now was given.

Ross meets Findlay at 2:30 p.m. January 7 at Findlay, then is home for the first time in a meet with strong Lima Senior at 7 p.m. Tuesday, January 10.

### Summary

Results—(first place five points, second place three points, third place one point in individual events; first place seven points in relay):

50-free—Cliburn, R, first; Miller, A; Gwinup, A; Lloyd, R. Time—25.1.

100-fly—Reed, A, first; J. Parker, R; Carl, A. Time—1:14.8.

200-free—Agee, A, first; Wensinger, R; Hirschberger, A; Hetrick, R. Time—2:35.6.

100-back—Talbot, A, first; Jaisler, R; Hathaway, R; Corthell, A. Time—1:04.9.

100 - orthodox — D. Parker, R, first; Smith, A; Morris, R; Huffman, A. Time—1:15.8.

100-free—Tod, A, first; Cliburn, R; Weller, R; Lucas, A. Time—55.8.

Diving—Serwin, A, first; Root, R; Kaufman, R.

200-individual medley — Talbot, A; Jaisler, R; Wensinger, R. Time—2:36.8.

200-medley relay — Ross first (Hathaway, Knoke, D. Parker, J. Parker). Time — 2:01.7. Alumni team was made up of Corthell, Huffman, Reed, Gwinup.

200 - freestyle relay — Both teams disqualified (Ross team, Lloyd, Hetrick, Landis, Weller; Alumni team, Roush, Whisler, Smith, Miller).

## Bradley Halts Cincy; Loss For Marquette Five

PEORIA, Ill. (AP) — At long last, Bradley, the country's No. 2 team, appears ready to shed its role as runner-up in the Missouri Valley Conference and take over championship matters.

For the last four seasons the Braves have finished second in the MVC—three times behind Cincinnati's Braves led by Oscar Robertson who has advanced to the pro league.

The Braves kayoed Cincinnati 72-53 Friday night in their conference opener and ran their string to 14 victories—eight of which have come this season. It was also Bradley's 42nd straight home triumph dating back to Jan. 20, 1958, when Portland came through with an upset.

Bolstered by such veterans as Chet Walker, Al Saunders, Ed Wodka, Lee Edwards and Mack Herndon, Bradley also has been graced by such sophomore standouts as Tim Robinson and Walt Gerard.

The loss was the second straight in the MVC for Cincinnati, which lost to strong St. Louis 57-40 in its conference opener. The St. Louis Billikens, who won the Kentucky Invitation Tournament this week by whipping both California

# Ross Swimmers Off To Findlay

Coach Bill Faunce's Ross high swimming team headed for Findlay shortly after noon today to open the season against Findlay, first event at 2:30 p.m.

Tuesday the Purple and White will be in their home pool in the Junior high building for their first home meet, clashing with strong Lima Senior high school, at 7 p.m.

Eighth grade swimmers of Fremont Junior high will take on Sandusky in the J.H. pool at 4 Tuesday afternoon.

Faunce said he didn't expect Findlay to be too powerful as a team but that "they have some individuals who will provide our boys much opposition." He mentioned Jon Judi in the freestyle sprints, Richard Alesch in the butterfly and Lawrence Westfall in the breaststroke.

Faunce is going to experiment in some of the events by swimming some of his boys in events they haven't competed in either the Purple and White Intra-squad event or the battle against an alumni squad, both held last month.

## Competing for Ross:

% — free, Steve Weller, Bruce Landis.

100-fly, Jim Parker.

200 - free, Dave Parker, Jim Hetrick.

100—back Jack Jaisler, Eugene Smith.

100-breast, Bob Morris, Bill Knoke.

100 — free, Bob Cliburn, Tom Lloyd.

Dive—Jim Kaufman, Gill Root.

200—Ind. medley, Jack Jaisler, Medlay Jim Parker.

200—Medley relay—Bruce Hathaway, Bill Knoke, Jim Kaufman, Bruce Landis.

200 — Free relay, Tom Lloyd, Steve Weller, Dave Parker, Bob Cliburn.

# Swimmers Open Home Season

## Tuesday; Lose To Findlay 45-40

Ross high swimming team, loser to Findlay at Findlay Saturday 45-40, opens its home session Tuesday at 7 p.m. against Lima Senior high in the Junior high pool.

Coach Bill Faunce's Ross splashers won three individual races and one relay against Findlay.

Jim Parker had a good 1:15.2 time in winning the 100-fly and almost pulled the 160-medley relay out for Ross which would have given the Purple and White the meet. Ross 160-medley team, made up of Bruce Hathaway, Bill Knoke, Parker and Bruce Landis, finished in the time of 1:33. Findlay, with Kmisman, Ferman, Ludi and Bruman performing, won in 1:32.8.

Jim Kaufman was second in the diving event by less than a point. Siford of Findlay won with 173.0 points to Kaufman's 172.6. Third was Ross high's Gil Root.

Ross 160 - free medley team, composed of Tom Lloyd, Dave Parker, Steve Weller and Bob Cliburn, won in the time of 1:21.2.

Jack Jaisler, Ross sophomore, was first in the 160-individual medley in 2:03.2 with Neal Wensinger of Ross second. Findlay's Alesch actually had the best time but was disqualified.

Cliburn won the 100-free in 59.6 seconds with Alesch of Findlay second and Lloyd of Fremont third. Ferman and Bousham of Findlay were first and second with Bob Morris, Ross, third in the 100 - orthodox, Ferman in 1:16.2.

Jaisler was second in 1:09.1 to Findlay's Kershman, 1:06.8, in the 100-backstroke with Smith of Ross third. Siford of Findlay won the 200-free in 2:22.9 with Dave Parker of Ross second, 2:23.5 and Jim Hetrick of Ross third.

Lude of Findlay was second and N. Wensinger of Ross third to Jim Parker in the 100-fly.

Kats of Findlay won the 40-free in 20.5 seconds with teammate Bowman second and Weller of Ross third. That was the opening event and gave Findlay an 8-1 early meet cushion.

# Ross Tankers Win By Point

## Loser Lima Senior Sets Two New Jr. High Pool Records

A thrilling, come-from-behind swimming victory by one point was scored by Fremont Ross over Lima Senior Tuesday in the Fremont Junior high natatorium.

Trailing 42-36 entering the final event, the 200-yard freestyle relay, Ross needed the seven points awarded the winner to cop the meet. And the foursome of Tom Lloyd, Bruce Landis, Steve Weller and Dave Parker came through to beat the Lima relay team and give Fremont a 43-42 decision.

Fremont 200-free foursome went the distance in 1:44.5. Dave Parker is a senior, the others sophomores.

### Two Pool Records

Earlier, Lima set two new pool records. Jim Taylor with a 1:09.6

time in the 100-orthodox and Dave Wilt with a 51.1 time in the 100-freestyle.

Best individual marks for Ross were by junior Bob Cliburn, winner in 25.7 seconds of the 50-freestyle; by Dave Parker, winner in 2:23.6 of the 200-freestyle; and by sophomore Jack Jaisler, winner in 2:38.6 of the 200-individual.

Jim Kaufman won the diving event, 109.3 points, with Ross teammate Gil Root second, 93.6 points. Both are seniors.

Mike Carpenter of Lima won the 100-butterfly in 1:03.4 with Neal Wensinger, Ross, second. Jim Parker of Ross would have taken second but was disqualified. S. Wilt of Lima won the 100-backstroke in 1:03.6 with Jaisler second, 1:08.9, and Gene Smith, Ross, third, 1:10.9.

Bob Morris and Bill Knoke of Ross tied for third in the 100-orthodox. Trailing D. Wilt in the 100-free was Cliburn, 59.5, and Lloyd, 59.9.

Lima's 200-medley relay team (Thompson, Taylor, Wilt, Hirts) won in the time of 1:58.2 with Ross going in 2:05.6 (members Bruce Hathaway, Knoke, Kaufman, Jim Hetrick).

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## Ross Wrestlers

### Fall At Toledo

Ross wrestling team lost to Toledo Central Catholic at Toledo Tuesday 38 to 8.

Winners for Ross were Larry Kelly, 112-pound class, by decision; Harry Quackenbush, 127, by decision; and Bob Shaull, 133, who drew with his opponent.

Losers were Mike Forsythe, 103, by a pin; Tom Auxter, 120, by a pin; John Deno, 138, by a pin; John McMillen, 145, by a pin; Ken Smith, 154, by decision; Felix Palomo, 165, by decision; Ed

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## Gibsonburg, Carey Win Contests; Woodville Edges Elmore By Five

Gibsonburg won its second game of the season, Carey gained its sixth straight triumph and Woodville edged Elmore in area basketball last night.

The host Golden Bears defeated Genoa 61-59 to give Gibsonburg a 2-8 overall record. Genoa is 3-3. The Bears led 39-34 at halftime but trailed by a point entering the final quarter. Divided scoring marked a fourth period comeback.

Dave Swartz had 22 points, 17 the first half, sophomore Ted Vance 13 and 6-4 junior Dick Krotzer 10 for Gibsonburg. Larry Kerr, 6-4 junior, and Steve Newcomer, 6-0 senior, were tough in the rebound department. Swartz is a senior. Bob Brinkman led Genoa with 21. Gibsonburg made 38.8 per cent of its field tries and also hit 19 of 28 free throws to Genoa's five of 10, a definite factor in the final decision.

Gibsonburg reserves won 47-23 paced by Denny Bell's 12 markers.

The Bears tangle with Seaway Conference leader Ottawa Hills Friday at O-H.

Woodville tripped Elmore 58-53 at Elmore. The Warriors of Sandusky county had a 11-point lead in the fourth period with the host Bulldogs whittled to three with one minute left. But the Warriors increased their margin via free throws.

Woodville, 6-5 record, was led by John Haas, 16 points, Tom Hinrichs and Tom Obermeyer, 13 each. Elmore, now 1-8, was led

York Friday in a Sandusky County League game.

Carey dropped its first two games this season and now has a 6-2 record. Sixth straight victim was Upper Sandusky at Elmore last night, 48-43. Upper is now 3-6. It was the first game in 17 days for Carey.

The BlueDevils were "hot" the first half, making 13 of 19 shots, to take a 32-19 halftime edge. They slipped somewhat in the second half but had enough of a lead built up. Jerry Arlington, 16 points, and Bob Wentling, 13, paced Carey. Wentling had been averaging about three points a game. Frank Markey netted 19 and Bill Markey 16 for Upper.

Carey plays Friday at Delphos St. John.

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Woodville (58)			Elmore (53)			
G	F	T	G	F	T	
Arnold	2	4	8	Giesler	2	0
Shepman	0	1	1	Reynolds	5	1
Shreffler	4	1	9	Harder	6	2
Obermeyer	5	1	11	Brandow	5	3
Haas	8	0	16	Overmyer	5	1
Hinrichs	5	3	13			

Totals 24 10 58 Totals 23 7 53

Score By Quarters:			
Woodville	13	15	20
Elmore	9	14	16
Officials:	Vetter and Long.		
Reserves	Woodville 44-32.		

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Up. Sandusky (43)			Carey (48)			
G	F	T	G	F	T	
B. Markey	7	2	16	Arlington	7	2
Jaqueth	0	1	1	Beagle	1	4
F. Markey	9	1	19	White	4	0
Brickner	1	2	4	Wentling	4	5
Kless	1	0	2	Phillips	2	1
Case	0	1	1			

Totals 18 7 43 Totals 18 12 48

Score By Quarters:			
Upper Sandusky	7	12	9
Carey	17	15	9
Officials:	Wilman and Mosher.		
Reserves	Upper 40-27.		

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# Ross Swimmers Meet Academy

Ross swimming team meets Columbus Academy at 2:30 Saturday afternoon at Columbus hoping to improve its 1-1 dual meet record.

Swimming for Ross will be Bob Cliburn, Bruce Landis, 50-free; Jim Parker, Neal Wensinger, 100-butterfly; Steve Weller, Witt, 200-free; Jack Jaisler, Gene Smith, 100 - back; Parker, Knoke, 100-breaststroke; Cliburn, Tom Lloyd, 100-free; Jim Kaufman, Gil Root, diving; Jaisler, Wensinger, 200 individual; Smith, Knoke, J. Parker, Jim Hetrick, 200-medley relay; Lloyd, Landis, Weller, D. Parker, 200-freestyle relay.

Coach Bill Faunce of Ross says Academy has a well balanced team, a top boy in the 200-free, John Wolfe, who also is tough in the 200-individual, a good freestyle sprinter in Casto, a good backstroker in Hoster and McNeally, rugged breaststroke swimmer.

Faunce expects a close meet.

# Ross Swimmers Defeated By Columbus Squad

Missing by one-tenth of a second in the 200-medley relay, Fremont Ross bowed to Columbus Academy 48-38 in swimming Saturday afternoon in the Academy pool.

Ross, now 1-2 in dual meets, takes on Mansfield at Mansfield Thursday, 4 p.m. and then entertains Western Reserve Academy at 1 p.m. Saturday in the Fremont Junior high pool.

Ross trailed 41-31 going into the two relay events and needed the seven points awarded the winner in each to win the meet. The Little Giant 200-medley foursome of Dave Parker, Jack Jaisler, Bill Knoke and Jim Parker went the distance in two minutes, 00.5 seconds but Acadamy was just a little faster in 2:00.4.

Ross 200-freestyle relay team came through in 1:45.8 for a victory, Tom Lloyd, Jim Hetrick, Bruce Landis and Steve Weller on the winning combine.

Coach Bill Faunce of Ross said most of his boys swam below their usual times. Two bright spots for Ross were in diving where Jim Kaufman was first, 133.45 points and Gil Root second, 99.65 and in the 100-butterfly where Jim Parker turned in a 1:14.1 time for first place.

Bob Cliburn of Ross won the 50-freestyle in 25.6 seconds. Weller was third in the 200-free following Wolfe of Academy, 2:10.8, and Jones of Academy, Jaisler was second in the 100-backstroke in 1:08.2 and Gene Smith third behind Academy's Hoster, 1:06.7.

Dave Parker was second in the 100-orthodox in 1:17 behind Academy's McNealey, 1:13.5. Lloyd was second and Cliburn third in the 100-free to winner Heruich of Academy, 59.8 seconds.

# Ross Swimming

## Lineup Listed

Lineup for Ross high in a swimming meet at Mansfield Thursday against Mansfield Senior high beginning at 4 in the afternoon:

50-free, Bob Cliburn, Bruce Landis; 100-butterfly, Jim Parker, Neal Wensinger; 200-free, Dave Parker, Gary Witt; 100-backstroke, Jack Jaisler, Eugene Smith; 100-breaststroke, Bob Morris, Bill Knoke; 100-freestyle, Tom Lloyd, Steve Weller; diving, Jim Kaufman, Gil Root; 200-individual, Jaisler, Wensinger; 200-medley relay, Smith, Morris, J. Parker, Cliburn; 200-freestyle relay, Lloyd, Landis, Weller, D. Parker.

Coach Bill Faunce said there is a possibility that Cliburn, Dave Parker and Lloyd will not be able to make the trip, Cliburn due to an infected toe and Parker and Lloyd due to colds.

Mansfield is only in its third year of competitive swimming but has advanced rapidly. Times of Fremont and Mansfield in most events this season have been about equal, indicating a close meet.

# Ross Swimmers Blasted; Meet WRA Saturday

Fremont Ross swimming team will try to recover from a 60-26 loss at Mansfield Thursday when the Little Giant tankers host Western Reserve Academy, 4 p.m. Saturday in the Fremont Junior high pool.

Mansfield Senior high applied the one-sided setback yesterday. Fremont picked up only one first place, that by the 200-freestyle relay team of Steve Weller, Bruce Landis, Dave Parker and Bob Cliburn in the time of 1:42.9.

Second placers for Fremont against Mansfield were Cliburn, 50-freestyle, 25.5 seconds; Jack Jaisler, 100 backstroke, 1:08.4; Jim Kaufman, diving, 175.75 points; and Jaisler, 200-individual, 2:39.6.

Landis won a third in the 50-free; Jim Parker in the 100-butterfly; Dave Parker in the 200-free; Eugene Smith in the 100-backstroke; Bob Morris in the 100-orthodox; Tom Lloyd in the 100-free; Gil Root in diving.

Mansfield's 200 - medley relay team (McNeal, Knapp, Bruce, McDonald) won in 2:01 to a 2:04.2 by Fremont (Smith, Morris, J. Parker, Jim Hetrick).

Mansfield winners and times: 50-free, Tom Henry, 25.3 seconds; 100-butterfly, B. Baker, 59.1 seconds; 200-free, T. Beard, 2:06.5; 100 - backstroke, J. Oberwetter, 1:03.6; 100-orthodox, J. Bruce, 1:11.8; 100-free, S. Lerro, 56.7; diving, J. Zimmerman, 187.55 points.

44-42 OVER WRA ...

# Individual Race Success Gives Ross Swimming Win

Coach Bill Faunce's Ross high swimming team scored heavily in the individual events to nip Western Reserve Academy 44 - 42 Saturday afternoon in the Fremont Junior high natatorium.

Record in dual meets is now 2-3 for Ross which meets Akron Buchtel in the J. H. pool Friday starting at 7 p.m.

The Giants picked up four first places and seven second places in the individual events to gain a 44-28 lead. WRA won both relay events to add 14 points but still fell two points shy.

Bob Cliburn started things off for Ross with a victory in the 50-yard freestyle in 25.7 seconds. Steve Weller of Ross was third.

Power of WRA won the 100-butterfly in 1:01.9 with Jim Parker second. Riely of WRA went 2:16.8 in the 200 - freestyle for first place. Dave Parker of Ross was second in 2:18.3.

Sophomore Jack Jaisler gained a first place for Ross in the 100-

backstroke in 1:08.1 with Eugene Smith of the Giants second, 1:10.7, and Hoover of the visitors third.

Another Ross first was picked up by Bob Morris in the 100-orthodox in 1:16.6. Bill Knoke, a teammate, was second in 1:17.5 and McHugh of WRA third.

Cliburn was second and Tom Lloyd third behind winner Alsers of the Academy, time 58.1 seconds, in the 100-freestyle.

Jim Kaufman, with 110 points, and Gil Root, with 94.7, gave Ross first and second in diving. Manchester of WRA was third.

Close race was waged in the 200-individual, WRA's Power winning in 2:38.6, Dave Parker of Ross second, 2:39.3, and Jaisler of Ross third, 2:39.4.

The 200-medley relay was won by WRA (Hoover, McHugh, Riely, Young) in 2:02.4 and the 200-freestyle relay also was won by WRA (Chapman, Lillich, Cercone, Akers) in 1:46.6.



**ROSS SWIMMERS**—Coach Bill Faunce's Ross high swimming team takes on Akron Buchtel, 7 tonight in the Fremont Junior high pool. In water, from left, Jack Jaisler, Tom Nicholson, Tom Lloyd, Gil Root, Neal Wensinger, Steve Weller; seated, from left,

News-Messenger Photo

Jim Troxel, Tony Starn, Jim Parker, Bob Morris, Gary Koebel, Bob Cliburn, Jim Hetrick; top row, from left, Wayne Wensinger, Bruce Landis, Dave Parker, co-captain; Jim Kaufman, co-captain; Ron Stiger, Eugene Smith.

# *Little Giants*

## *Defeated In*

### *Swimming Meet*

Akron Buchtel swimming team defeated Ross high's tankers 48-38 Friday in the Fremont Junior high pool, fourth loss in six dual meets this season for the Little Giants.

Ross meets Lima Senior this afternoon at Lima, 2:30 starting time. The Giants are at Sandusky Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.

Coach Bill Faunce's Ross swimmers won two individual first places and one relay event. Bob Morris topped the 100-orthodox in 1:18.7 with Bill Knoke of Ross second. Ross was one-two in diving, Jim Kaufman first and Gil Root second.

Relay team, sparked by Dave Parker, won the 200-medley event in 1:01.5. Bruce Hathaway led off, followed by Knoke, then Jim Parker with Dave Parker anchoring. Dave Parker also picked up a second in the 200-freestyle, time of 2:17.3, to winner Jim Jenson's 2:15.4.

Akron's Jim Lash won the 50-free in 24.4 with teammate Dick Snyder second and Ross high's Steve Weller third. Jim Parker of Ross was second in the 100-butterfly in 1:13 to winner Teddy Malcolm of Buchtel's 1:02.7. Neal Wensinger of Ross was third.

Eugene Smith of Ross was second in the 100-backstroke time of 1:11.2 to Paul Boggs of Akron, winner in 1:05.1. Ron Nelson of Akron won the 100-freestyle in 57 seconds flat, Edson Harris of Akron was second and Bob Cliburn of Ross third.

Boggs won the 200-individual in 2:28 with Ross high's Jack Jaisler second, 2:41.2. Akron won the 200-freestyle relay, Harris, Snyder, Nelson and Lash, in 1:40.4.

# Lima Swimmers

## Defeat Giants

Sophomore Jack Jaisler won an individual first place and the Fremont Ross 200-yard freestyle relay team won to provide the only firsts\* for the Little Giants who lost 53-32 to Lima Senior in swimming Saturday at Lima.

Ross, record now 2-5, meets Sandusky Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. at Sandusky.

Jaisler won the 200-individual in 2:41 with Buehl of Lima second. The Ross freestyle foursome, Steve Weller, Tom Lloyd, Bob Cliburn and Dave Parker, won in 1:42.6.

Weller was second in the 50-free to Lima's Langstaf, 25.2 seconds. Weller was timed in 26.2. Taylor of Lima won the 100-butterfly in 1:06.2, Jim Parker of Ross third. Wilt of Lima won the 200-free in 2:05, Dave Parker of Ross third.

Gene Smith of Ross was second and Wayne Wensinger third in the 100 - backstroke won by Lima's Wilt in 1:02.2. Butel of Lima won the 100 - orthodox in 1:13.7, Bob Morris of Ross second (1:18.5). Carpenter of Lima was first in the 100-free, 52.6, with Cliburn of Ross second and Lloyd of Ross third.

Diving honors went to Lima's Shultz with Gil Root and Jim Kaufman of Ross second and third respectively.

Lima's 200-medley relay team, S. Wilt, Taylor, Carpenter, Wilt, won in 1:47.8.

# Strong Sandusky Ross Swim Foe

Ross swimming team meets one of the state's best swimming teams, Sandusky high, tonight at 7:30 in the Sandusky high pool.

Sandusky lost only three boys via graduation off last year's strong team, Dave Bennett and Tim Ziemke, All-Americans, and Doug Meng.

Walter Caldwell, SHS coach, has found suitable replacements for all three plus added overall strength. He has a fine group of freestylers, Dave Scott, both a distance and spring ace, a fine sophomore in the butterfly in Bill Zorn and a good sophomore breaststroker in Tim Sidley. Senior backstroker Rich Koehler adds balance.

SHS is undefeated this year in dual meets including winning twice over Lima and beating a strong Upper Arlington team.

Coach Bill Faunce's Little Giants are 2-5 for the year. Probables tonight: 50-free, Bob Cliburn, Jim Hetrick; 100-butterfly, Jim Parker; 200-free, Tom Lloyd, Neal Wensinger; 100-backstroke, Jack Jaisler, Eugene Smith; 100-breaststroke, Bob Morris, Bill Knoke; 100-free, Dave Parker, Steve Weller; diving, Jim Kaufman, Gil Root; 200-individual, Smith, N. Wensinger; 200-medley relay, Jaisler, D. Parker, J. Parker, Cliburn; 200-free-style relay, Lloyd, Weller, Bruce Landis, Hetrick.

## *Ross Tankers*

### *Really Taken*

Sandusky's swimming team, ranked high in the state, turned back Fremont Ross with ease at Sandusky Tuesday, 74½ to 11½.

Ross, 2-6 in dual meets, takes on Mansfield Friday, 7:30 p.m. in the Fremont Junior high pool. Saturday, Coach Bill Faunce takes his Little Giant swimmers to Bowling Green for the annual B.G. Relays starting at 2 p.m.

Unbeaten Sandusky won every event yesterday although Ross got a tie in the 200-freestyle relay. In fact, SHS was one-two in all individual events and won the 200-medley relay.

Results: 50-free, Richard Williams, SHS, winner in 25.2 seconds; Bob Cliburn, Ross, third. 100-butterfly, Bill Zorn, SHS, winner in 1:01.1; Jim Parker, Ross, third. 200-free, Dennis Brengartner, SHS, winner in 2:17.8; Tom Lloyd, Ross, third. 100-backstroke, Rich Koehler, SHS winner in 1:05.4; Jack Jaisler, Ross, third. Sidle, SHS, winner of the 100-orthodox in 1:12.3; Bill Knoke, Ross, third. 100-free, Dave Scott, SHS, winner in 54.6; Dave Parker, Ross, third. Diving, Shibe, SHS, first; Jim Kaufman, Ross, third. 200-individual, Zorn, SHS, first in 2:21.4; Eugene Smith, Ross, third.

Sandusky's 200-medley foursome of Seante, Davison, Santina and Mayer won in 1:52.6. Tie in the 200-freestyle (Ross boys — Lloyd, Bruce Landis, Jim Hetrick, Steve Weller), 1:47.9.

# Ross Swimmers Host Mansfield

Fremont Ross swimming team, 2-6 in dual meets, will try to reverse a 60-26 early season setback to Mansfield Senior high when the Little Giant splashers take on the Mansfield tankers, 7 tonight in the Fremont Junior high natatorium.

Bob Morris and Bill Knoke are doubtful performers for Coach Bill Faunce due to illness. Probables for Ross:

50-free, Bob Cliburn, Dave Parker; 100-fly, Jim Parker; 200-free, Tom Lloyd, Neal Wensinger; 100-back, Jack Jaisler, Eugene Smith; 100-breaststroke, either Morris and Knoke or Tony Starn; 100-free, D. Parker, Steve Weller; diving, Jim Kaufman, Gil Root; 200-individual, Jaisler, J. Parker; 200-medley relay, Bruce Hathaway or Wayne Wensinger, Morris or Knoke, N. Wensinger, Bruce Landis; 200-free relay, Lloyd, Weller, Cliburn, D. Parker.

Ross will participate in the Bowling Green relays Saturday.

## Swimming Loss For Ross High

Mansfield Senior  
Beats Giants 53-33

By HAL SHANAHAN

Ross swimming team dropped a 53-33 dual meet to Mansfield Senior high Friday in the Fremont Junior high natatorium, seventh setback in nine outings for the tankers of Coach Bill Faunce.

Actually the score was an improvement for Ross who lost 60-26 to Mansfield earlier in the season at Mansfield.

Both teams are appearing in the Bowling Green Relays this afternoon along with such state powers as Canton McKinley and Cleveland University School. Canton defeated Sandusky high Friday in a dual meet at Sandusky.

Ross registered three individual first places and one relay triumph last night. Dave Parker, a senior, swam the 50-yard freestyle for the first time and won in the time of 25.4 seconds. Jim Kaufman, senior, won the diving event with 128.1 points. Jack Jaisler, sophomore, won the 200-individual medley in 2:41, pulling away in his specialty, the backstroke.

Ross 200-freestyle relay team registered its best time in winning that event, Tom Lloyd, sophomore, Steve Weller, sophomore, Bob Cliburn, junior and Dave Parker turning in a 1:42.

Kaufman topped Jack Zimmerman of Mansfield in diving. Zimmerman had defeated Kaufman at Mansfield.

The Little Giants were without the services of Bob Morris, junior breaststroker and Bill Knoke, another junior breaststroker, due to illness.

Good times turned in by Mansfield were a 59.7 seconds by Vince Baker in the 100-butterfly and a 1:12.5 by John Bruce in the 100-breaststroke.

Results:

50-free — Dave Parker, R; tie for second, Cliburn, R, and Tom Henry, M. Parker's time, 25.4; Cliburn and Henry, 25.9.

100-butterfly — Baker, M; Steve Henry, M; Jim Parker, R., sophomore, Baker's time, 59.7.

200-freestyle — Tom Beard, M; Tim McDonald, M; Lloyd, R. Beard's time, 2:10.1. Lloyd recorded his best time in the event this year, 2:20.6.

100-backstroke — John Oberwetter, M; Jaisler, R; Eugene Smith, a junior, R. Oberwetter's time, 1:05.5; Jaisler, 1:09; Smith, 1:11.5.

100-breaststroke — Bruce, M; Don Knaps, M; Tony Starn, a junior, R. Bruce's time, 1:12.5.

100-freestyle — Tom Henry, M; Sam Lerro, M; Weller, R. Henry's time, 58.3.

Diving — Kaufman, R; Zimmerman, M; Root, R. Kaufman, 128.1 points; Zimmerman, 112.3; Root, 92.6.

200-individual Medley — Jaisler, R; Bill Locke, M; Jim McNeal, M. Jaisler's time, 2:41.

200-medley relay — Mansfield (Beard, Bruce, Vince Backer, McDonald), 1:55.

200-freestyle relay — Ross (Lloyd, Weller, Cliburn, D. Parker), 1:42.

# Ross Showing In B.G. Relays

Fremont Ross finished eighth in the Bowling Green swimming relays Saturday.

Canton McKinley was first with 63 points, then Cleveland University School 62, Sandusky 61, Trenton, Mich. 22, Warren Harding 21, Lincoln Park, Mich. 20, Mansfield 18, Fremont 15, Findlay 4.

Ross placed fourth in diving with the pair of Jim Kaufman and Gil Root. The Giants won three fifth places, in the 200-freestyle and 400-freestyle relays (team both times consisting of Tom Lloyd, Steve Weller, Bob Cliburn and Dave Parker) and in the 200-backstroke relay (Jack Jaisler, Wayne Wensinger, Eugene Smith, Bruce Hathaway).

Ross is at Cleveland University School Friday and meets Findlay Saturday, 2:30 p.m., in the Fremont Junior high pool.

# Ross Swimming Lineup Listed

Lineup for Fremont Ross in a swimming meet against Findlay this afternoon, starting at 2:30 o'clock in the Fremont Junior high natatorium:

50-free—Bob Cliburn, Bruce Landis; 100-butterfly — Jim Parker, Neal Wensinger; 200-free — Dave Parker, Tom Lloyd; 100-backstroke—Jack Jaisler, Eugene Smith; 100-breaststroke — Bill Knoke, Tony Starn; 100-free — Cliburn, Steve Weller; diving — Jim Kaufman, Gil Root; 200-ind. medley—Jaisler, Smith; 200-medley relay—Bruce Hathaway, Knoke, J. Parker, D. Parker; 200-freestyle relay — Lloyd, Jim Hetrick, Landis, Weller.

Fremont will be out to avenge a 45-40 loss to Findlay early in January at Findlay.

Findlay has good performers in Kornersman in the 100-backstroke, Siford and Dives in the 200-freestyle and Alesch in the 100-freestyle.

# Ross Tankers Defeat Findlay

Swimming team of Fremont Ross high won its third dual meet with a 55-31 triumph over Findlay Saturday in the Fremont Junior high pool.

Victory avenged a 45-40 Findlay win at Findlay early in January.

Ross 3-8 record, has two more regular season meets before District competition. The Little Giant splashes of Coach Bill Faunce meet Sandusky Thursday, 7:30 p.m. in the J. H. natatorium, then take on defending state champion Canton McKinley at Canton February 24.

Fremont swimmers turned in several best individual times of the season Saturday.

Tom Lloyd won the 200-freestyle in 2:18.8 with Jim Hetrick of Ross third. Jack Jaisler went 2:06 in the 100-backstroke for a first place for Ross and Eugene Smith came in third.

Dave Parker won the 100-freestyle in 57.9 and Jim Kaufman was first and Gil Root third in diving for Ross.

A fine 1:58.3 was turned in by the Ross 200-medley relay team, winning team consisting of Jaisler, Bill Knoke, Jim Parker and Bob Cliburn.

Other Fremont performances—Cliburn won the 50-free in 25.8 with Steve Weller second. Jim Parker was second in the 100-butterfly to Findlay's Steve Siford, 1:11.3. Knoke was third in the 100-breaststroke won by Firmen of Findlay in 1:17.3.

Dave Parker won the 200-individual medley in 2:38.6 with Neal Wensinger third.

The Ross 200-freestyle relay team (Loyd, Bruce Landis, Hetrick, Weller) won in 1:45.1.

# Dave Parker Ties Talbot's Mark As Ross Loses To SHS Tankers

Fremont Ross did much better as a team and senior Dave Parker tied the school record in the 200-individual medley in a swimming meet against Sandusky in the Junior high pool Thursday.

Final score was Sandusky 52, Ross 34. Ross lost by a much wider margin at Sandusky earlier in the season.

Parker went the 200-individual in 2:34.8 which ties the school record set by Jack Talbot last year.

Victories for Ross were scored in the 200-freestyle when sophomore Tom Lloyd went his best time of the year in 2:13.5, five seconds better than any of his previous marks.

Jim Kaufman of Ross won the diving event with 116.1 points, topping a foe he has had trouble with in dual meets the past three years, Dean Scheid of Sandusky who had 107.5 points.

The Ross 200-freestyle relay team (Lloyd, Jim Hetrick, Steve Weller and Bob Cliburn) won in 1:43.9.

Sophomore Jack Jaisler turned

in a great performance for Ross in the 100-backstroke, a sizzling 1:05 but still lost to Koehler of Sandusky who had a 1:04.8 to nip the Ross underclassman. Heidl of SHS finished third in 1:07.1.

Dave Parker was second and Weller third to Sandusky's Dave Scott in the 50-free, Scott's time 24.9.

Jim Parker of Ross got a third in the 100-butterfly won by sophomore flash Bill Zorn of SHS in 59.7.

Ross high's Bill Knoke was third and Sandusky's Smith first with a 1:12.8 in the 100-breastroke.

Cliburn had a 58.4 to place second to Sandusky's Kessler, 54.2, in the 100-freestyle.

Sandusky won the 200-medley relay in 1:59.9 with Ross (Jaisler, Knoke, Jim Parker, Bruce Landis) finishing a shade back with a 2:00.

Ross takes on defending state champion Canton McKinley at Canton next week.

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# *Ross Swimmers Lose To Canton*

Fremont Ross swimming team lost to defending state swimming champion Canton McKinley 62-24 at Canton Friday.

It was McKinley's 12th dual meet win in 13 starts and the 10th setback for Ross in 13 outings.

Ross competes in the District at Bowling Green next week, beginning at 2 p.m. on Saturday, March 4.

John Leisure, McKinley sophomore, broke his own school record in the 100-backstroke in 57.0 seconds to better his previous standard of 58.1.

Lone Ross victories were scored by Bob Cliburn in the 40-yard free style in 19.5 seconds and by the Ross 200-medley relay team of Jack Jaisler, Bill Knoke, Jim Parker and Bruce Landis in 1:31.9.

Jaisler, a sophomore, went 1:07.5 to gain a third in the backstroke.

Jim Parker, 1:14.4, was third in the 100-butterfly won by CM's Tim Loehr in 59.2 seconds. Tom Lloyd, 2:17.5, was third in the 200-free won by CM's Bill Schubach in 1:55.4. Knoke, 1:16.6, was third in the 100-breaststroke won by CM's Gary Wilhelm in 1:10.8.

Cliburn, 58.4 seconds, was second and Ron Stiger third in the 100-free won by CM's Spike Frederick in 50.7. State diving champion Bob Rice of McKinley was first in that event with 72.85 points, Jim Wooley of CM second with 54.8 and Jim Kaufman of Ross third with 45.55.

Dave Parker, 1:58.6, was second in the 160-individual medley won by CM's Jim Holder in 1:51.9.

McKinley won the 200-freestyle relay in 1:19.3 to Ross high's 1:21.2.

