

1961 Sectional Tournament...

**OPENS AT ANDERSON SATURDAY . . .**

# Ross Meets Huron, Clyde Plays Eastwood In Baseball Tourney

Drawing for the Class AA District sectional baseball tournament to be played at Anderson Field, Fremont, was held Wednesday night in Ross Senior high school.

John Titsworth, Ross faculty manager of athletics, the tourney manager was in charge.

Tourney opens Saturday at 2

## Temple Streak Still Going Despite Hassle

Tribe Trips Birds;  
Yankees Next Foe

NEW YORK (AP) — Second baseman Johnny Temple of the

p.m. with Clyde meeting Eastwood.

Fremont Ross plays Monday, May 1, at 3:30 p.m. against Huron.

Winner of Eastwood vs. Clyde meets defending tourney champion Tiffin Calvert at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 2.

Winner of Ross vs. Huron plays Willard at 3:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 3.

Final game, matching Eastwood, Clyde or Calvert against Ross, Huron or Willard, is set for 3:30 p.m. Friday, May 5.

Fremont winner plays the North Robinson tourney winner at North Robinson the following week.

Only three of the teams in the Fremont tourney have been able to get in any games this season due to the wet weather. Eastwood is 4-0 and Clyde and Calvert 3-0. Fremont Ross, Huron and Willard are all 0-0.

PLAY WILLARD WEDNESDAY...

# Ross Opens Baseball Tourney Action With 6-2 Victory; Dundore Fans 12

Fremont Ross, the defending Class AA Fremont District-Sectional baseball champion, took a step toward honors again this spring with a 6-2 victory over Huron at Anderson Field Monday.

This afternoon at 3:30 at Anderson, Clyde met Eastwood in a tourney battle. Winner of Clyde - Eastwood takes on Tiffin Calvert at 3:30 Thursday afternoon. Ross will meet Willard at 3:30 Wednesday afternoon at Anderson in a second tourney engagement. Final game is scheduled Saturday.

Lefty Dick Dundore was the starter and winner on mound for Ross. He allowed only two hits, both in a 2-run sixth inning for the visiting Tigers, and struck out 12. The veteran hurler, who led Ross to the baseball Regional tourney last year, was a little wild, walking five batters.

Loser was southpaw Jay Pressler who was tagged for nine hits, fanned nine and walked three.

It was Ross high's first game of the year while Huron had previously beaten Perkins township in a non-tourney game. Ross

Coach Leroy Marquette was ill, assistant coach Hank Miesle taking over the club. Huron coach is Dick Klein.

## Four In Third

Ross tallied four runs in the third inning to sew up the contest. Chuck Hufford led off with a looper behind the third baseman, the ball falling in front of the Huron shortstop. He was sacrificed to second on Terry Stout's beauty bunt. Dan Moran struck out. With two out, Maury Gnepper lined a double to right center scoring Hufford. Dundore reached first on a grounder, pitcher Pressler failing to tag the bag after coming over to cover first. Denny Stine singled up the middle bringing in Gnepper and Jackie White walked to load the bases. Larry Ripple then cracked a two-run double to right center to plate two more runs.

An error, single by Stine and a single by White plus another error produced two more Ross runs in the sixth.

Huron scored on two errors, a fielder's choice, infield single by

Ray Majoy and long triple to right center by Jim Cunningham.

Dundore struck out the side in the seventh and final frame.

Moran had a triple and single for Ross, Stine two singles and Gnepper and Ripple doubles. Ripple turned in an unassisted double play in the first inning, taking a line smash on the fly and stepping on first to double the leadoff Huron hitter who had walked.

Fremont (6)			Huron (2)			
ab	r	h	ab	r	h	
Moran cf	4	0	2	Bilgen 3b	2	0
Gnepper 2b	3	1	1	Molnar cf	3	0
Dundore p	4	2	1	Pressler p	3	1
Stine c	3	2	2	Majoy c	1	1
White 3b	2	0	1	Cunn'gham ss	3	0
Ripple 1b	3	0	1	Sender rf	2	0
Hufford if	2	0	0	Smallwood 2b	0	0
Hufford rf	3	1	1	Post if	2	0
Stout ss	2	0	0	Koehler if	1	0
				Enderle 2b-rf	2	0
				Hardy 1b	3	0
Totals			Totals			
Score by Innings:						
Huron	0	0	2	2	3	
Ross	0	4	0	2	2	

Errors—Pressler, Cunningham, Sender, Gnepper, Stout. Runs batted in—Ripple 2, Gnepper, Stine, White. Doubles—Gnepper, Ripple. Triples—Moran, Cunningham. Sacrifice—Stout. Stolen Base—Gnepper. Struck out by Dundore 12, Pressler 9. Walked by Dundore 5, Pressler 3. Double Play—Ripple (unassisted). Winning pitcher—Dundore. Losing pitcher—Pressler.

## DUNDORE, GIANTS HALT CALVERT 9-0...

## Ross Wins Baseball Sectional; Marion Next Foe In Tournament

The Ross vs. Marion baseball tournament game at North Robinson was scheduled to start at 4 this afternoon it was learned the N-M sports department late this morning.

Fremont Ross, repeating as champion of the district-Sectional baseball tournament at Anderson Field with a 9-0 verdict over Tiffin Calvert Thursday, takes on Marion Harding either this after-

noon or Saturday morning in a pre-District tournament test.

Marion won the North Robinson district-Sectional, defeating Mansfield Senior in the finals.

Ross and Marion will collide on the North Robinson diamond. North Robinson is located east of Bucyrus.

Winner of the Ross-Marion game will take on Maumee, winner over Toledo DeVilbiss in

the Toledo area district Sectional, at Fremont's Anderson Field at 3:30 p.m. Monday.

Either Ross, Marion or Maumee will advance to the Class AA Regional at Lima next Friday and Saturday.

Ross and Calvert battled in the final of the Fremont district-Sectional the past three years, Calvert winning in 1959 and Ross in 1960 and 1961. Ross advanced to the Regional last year, losing out in the first round.

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Lefty Dick Dundore allowed four hits in blanking Calvert, three of the infield variety. He struck out seven and walked two. Mike Kear, his opponent, gave up all nine runs and 11 hits collected by Ross, fanned four, walked one. Ted Rombach, 6-5 junior, pitched to the final Ross hitter in the seventh and fanned him.

## Two Big Innings

Ross, winner of three tournament games (only contests the Little Giants have been able to work in this wet spring), had

two big innings, a five-run fourth and four-run seventh.

In the fourth, after one out, Dundore reached base on an infield hit. Denny Stine doubled to left, Jack White reached base on a fielder's choice and error, Dundore and Stine scoring, Terry Stout singled, Larry Ripple singled and Chuck Hufford singled.

In the seventh, Ripple and Huf-ford put together back-to-back singles, Maury Gnepper singled, Stine doubled and Jack White was awarded third base when a Cal-vert player threw his glove at the ball, an automatic triple.

Hufford 3-For-3

Hufford had a double and two singles for a perfect 3-for-3 at bat, Stine two doubles and Ripple two singles. Hufford and White drove in two runs apiece.

Coach Cot Marquette's Fremont team came up with some neat fielding plays including a double play on a ground ball, White to Ripple. Dundore fielded well from his mound position, Hufford stopped a potential Calvert rally with a catch of a sinking liner and White, Stout and Stine also fielded well.

ADDED NOTE—Ross, Marion, Findlay and Lorain of the Buckeye Conference have survived Class AA baseball tournament warfare thus far. Only Elyria has been ousted. Sandusky, the sixth league team, does not play baseball.

Fremont (9)			Tiffin (0)		
g	b	r	g	b	r
Morgan,cf	4	0	Leahy,cf	0	0
Gnepper,2b	4	1	Carpenter,2b	2	0
Dundore,p	4	1	Horn,2b	0	0
Stine,c	4	2	Rombach,3b,p	0	0
White,3b	4	1	Reed,ss	3	0
Sturzus,	3	1	Williams,cc	0	1
Edwards,lf	3	0	Forney,1b	0	0
Ripple,1b	3	2	Beltz,2b	0	0
Huffman,rf	3	1	Schelber,rf	2	0
			Kear,p,3b	0	0
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Score by innings:

Errors—Reed 2, Betz 2, Kear, Ripple.

Stout, Runs batted in—White 2, Hufford 2, Moran, Gnepper, Stine, Ripple, Doubles—Hufford, Stine 2, Triple—White, Stine on bases—Ripple, Gnepper. Struck out—Dundore 1, Kean 1, Rombach 1, Brudzinski 1, Baron 1. Walked to—Dundore 2, Kean 1. Doubles—White 1, Ripple 1. Hits off—Dundore 4 for 4 runs in 7 innnings. Hits off Kean 11, for 9 runs in 4½ innnings. Hits off Rombach 0 for 0 runs in 1½ innning. Pitching pitcher—Dundore (2-0). Losing pitcher—Kean. Umpires—Brudzinski (P), Baron (B).