

1932 Season review...

# CROSS-COUNTRY BOYS WINNERS

## Fremont Thin Clads De- feat Elmore Team Here Yesterday

Coach Bill Ogden's thin clads, cross-country runners who will carry the purple and white of Fremont High during the coming season, stepped out yesterday in a dual meeting with Elmore High and won the edge with plenty to spare. Fremont placed the first six men and Elmore was in there with number seven at the finish and the F. H. S. also had finishers in the number eight and nine positions.

The course stepped over was a two-mile affair with two laps at the start and finish on Harmon Field and a cross-country jog about the fair ground. The boys traveled the distance in 12:05 which is a fine showing considering that it was Fremont's first start of the season and the second time out for Elmore.

The runners showing well for the purple and white were Michaels, Pfefferle, Palyska, Hasselbach, Schneider and Hepner. Coach Ogden, well pleased with the showing made by his men, will meet DeVilbiss in Toledo on October 8 and expects to have a representative team in Fremont for competition at Harmon Field on October 15. On October 22, Fremont will meet Scott in Toledo and will participate in a district meeting in Toledo on October 29. On November 11 (Armistice Day) Scott, of Toledo, will appear in Fremont.

## CROSS COUNTRY SCHEDULE MADE

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The complete cross country team schedule for this fall was announced today by Principal H. H. Church. The first meet, with Elmore, was run on September 29.

The remainder of the schedule follows: October 8, DeVilbiss, at Toledo; October 15, to be filled; October 22, Scott at Toledo; October 29, district meet at Toledo, and November 11, Toledo Scott, here.

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# FREMONT RUNNERS IN GOOD SHOWING

Bill Ogden's thin clad cross-country runners made a fine showing in a brush against the DeVilbiss high team steppers in Toledo Saturday. The purple and white speeders were defeated by a count of 29 to 26, pretty close finish, and made the big towners step some.

DeShettler, famous Toledo stepper, was nosed out for first place by one of his own teammates. Michaels of Fremont, finished third, Pfefferle fourth and Polyaka fifth.

This is the second start of the season for the Fremonters, who give every indication that they will be outstanding in big meetings to come when they strike their real stride.

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## CROSS-COUNTRY TEAMS TO SPRINT

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As an added attraction to the Fremont-Oberlin football game next Friday at Harmon Field, there will be a match between the Fremont and Sandusky high school cross-country teams; it was announced today by Coach William Ogden.

As soon as the cross country matches are started between halves, a sprint relay team of the local school will be matched against a like team from Elmore.

The Oberlin game was recently moved up one day to Friday in order to avoid conflict with the Ohio State-Michigan game which always attracts a crowd from Fremont.

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# FREMONT TRACKERS DEFEAT SANDUSKY

Even if Fremont's football hopes were smothered Friday afternoon, the supporters of athletics at the high school can take satisfaction in the fact that Bill Ogden and his cross-country runners took on and reduced the thin-clads of Sandusky to the position of second placers.

This interesting event was staged between halves over a two-mile course, the start and finish being staged on the half-mile track at Harmon field. Of course, the cross-country run was not the only track meeting feature, the football game having the same aspect when Oberlin got to rolling along like Old Man River, but it was a clever victory for the Ogden crew.

Pfefferle of Fremont, nosed the tape in number one, and then came Polyshka of Fremont, in number two position. Recilli of Sandusky, was third, to be followed by Michaels, another Fremonter in fourth place. Smith and Minor of Sandusky, finished fifth and sixth, respectively, and Heppner of Fremont, cinched seventh pew. Hasselbach was eighth and Schneider, ninth. Lainer and Lehrer of Sandusky, were 10th and 11th.

The two mile jaunt was clocked in 11:28, good time for the event. The winners were given a great ovation as they jogged in front of the stands. Fremont started nine men, while Sandusky entered seven.

This victory, a dandy, placed the Fremont team in a fine position to take off the honors in some of the heavier engagements it has booked with Toledo schools, as well as several cross-country meetings with groups of scholastic competitors.

# THIN-CLADS FROM HERE WIN MATCH

Coach Bill Ogden and his shifty group of thin clads from Fremont High school stepped out in high class cross-country society in Toledo Saturday and defeated the steppers from Scott High by a score of 32 to 22, a notable victory.

Michaels, of Fremont, broke the tape as first man to be followed by two Toledo men who finished second and third. Fremont then counted heavily when Palosky, Pfefferle, Schneider and Heppner, finished fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh in the order named.

The two mile course was stepped in the fine time of 11:05. The Toledo victory will tune the Fremonters up nicely for the district meeting in that city next Saturday where 100 cross-country runners will face the starter.

# FREMONT CROSS COUNTRY TEAM DEFEATS SCOTT

## Handily Trims Toledoans in Big "Pneumonia Derby" Friday

Bill Ogden's purple and white team won the "Pneumonia Derby," event that was started and climaxed on Harmon field Friday afternoon between the halves of the Fremont-Bellevue football game. In other words, Ogden's thin-clad cross-country runners laid it over the Scott high gallopers from Toledo by a score of 32 to 25 and finished a very successful season in a blaze of glory.

While spectators buried themselves in winter wraps and blankets and shivered under the pressure of winter's initial blasts; while flurries of snow danced about and lowering clouds bespoke of extra frosty trimmings, two teams of well trained youngsters, just a few garments removed from their birthday suits, stepped forth and had it out over a two-mile course.

Michaels, a tall, even-stepping Fremonter, was the first man to finish. He out-legged Olinger of Scott, in a stirring stretch drive and finished the two miles in 11:10, which is good, considering the brand of weather and condition of the track. Palyska and Pfefferle of Fremont, finished third and fourth and Walker and Sisby of Scott, were fifth and sixth. Kerns of Scott, galloped in seventh but Heppner and Hasselbach of Fremont, were in the seventh and eighth positions and Emerson of Scott, was the 10th runner to finish the gruelling drive.

Ogden's cross-country team has made the best showing of any team of its type in the history of Fremont high athletics, having won a district meeting in Toledo, defeated Sandusky, Scott, Elmore and other teams and showed up in sixth position in the state meeting at Columbus last week.