

1954 District Meet...

14 Little Giants To Compete In B.G. District Track Meet

Fremont Coach Mel Mackey will take 14 boys to Bowling Green Friday and Saturday for the district high school track and field meet.

Toledo Libbey is defending Class A champion. Class B honors went to Clyde, which went on to capture state honors.

Libbey, led by a great speedster, Roger Williams, is expected to finish high in the standings again this year, but Lima Central is regarded as the Class A favorite.

Williams ran the 100-yard dash in 9.8 in a dual meet three weeks ago. He hasn't equalled that time since. The duels between Fremont's Jim Tiller and Williams shape up as the meet's big attraction.

Whitecomb Should Score

The Little Giants hope to compile points in the dashes, broad jump and the hurdles, where Ron Whitcomb excels. Whitcomb is unbeaten in the 180-yard low hurdles and has won several times in the 120-yard high hurdles.

Prelims will be held Friday in the hurdles, dashes, and half-mile relay. Finals will be held Friday in the broad jump and shot put at 1 p.m., and in the discus at 1:45 p.m.

The schedule for Saturday's finals: (both Class A and Class B)

1 p.m. — pole vault, high jump; 2, 120-yard high hurdles; 2:15, 100-Yd. dash; 2:30, mile run; 2:45, half-mile relay; 3:10, 440-yard dash; 3:25, 180-Yd. low hurdles; 3:45, 880-yard run; 4, 220-yard dash; 4:15, mile relay.

Fremont Lineup:

110-yard high and 120-yard low hurdles — Ron Whitcomb, Ward Sewell

100-Yd. dash — Jim Tiller, Dick Harter

220-Yd. dash — Tiller, Jim

Fiore Impressive Winner Over Black

DETROIT AP—Cy Crisci is a reasonable fight manager, which is something of an oddity. His boxer from Brooklyn, Carmine

Houghtaling Mile run — Dave Anstead, Dick Stevens

880-Yd. run — Bill Jones 440-Yd. dash — Walt Deichert.

Horace Sewell Mile relay — Deichert, Dick Beal, Horace Sewell, Rick Schliebner

880-Yr. relay — Whitcomb, Harter, P. Houghtaling, Tiller

Broad Jump — Tiller Shot put — Ron Whitcomb, Dave Wolshuck

Discus — Wolshuck, Charles Black

No-Hit Bobo' Joins Columbus

COLUMBUS, Ohio AP — General Manager George Sisler of the Columbus Red Birds yesterday announced the addition of pitcher Alva (Bobo) Holloman, 27, who hurled a no-hit, no-run game in his major league debut in 1953. Right-hander Holloman scored his famous 6-0 victory with the St. Louis Browns against the Philadelphia Athletics. Holloman is on option from Toronto in the International League.

JACKSON, Ohio AP—Lewis Parker, assistant football coach at Wellston High School, today was named head football coach at nearby Oak Hill High School. He replaces George Mingle, who will act only as basketball coach.

LEBANON, Ohio AP—Bad weather caught up with the Lebanon harness races last night. Rain and cold caused postponement of the program. The schedule of eight races will be run off tonight, weather permitting.

AKRON, Ohio AP—Akron's Ronnie Delaney meets Bobby Hughes of Warren tonight in a 10-round a middleweight bout at Akron Armory. Delaney, beaten only once in 50 pro bouts, has not lost since 1948. In a preliminary, Paul Nichols of Youngstown takes on Guido Picone of Canton in a six-round middleweight go.

Jim Captures Broad Jump Finals 2

Jack Baron, Ron Whitcomb and Jim Tiller came through for Fremont Ross in district tennis and track competition at Bowling Green State University Friday.

Baron, who teamed with Dick Garcia last year to win the state championship in doubles, advanced to the semi-finals with two victories after drawing a bye.

Tiller became the district broad jump champion yesterday and qualified for the finals in the 100 and 220 by winning heats in easy fashion.

Whitcomb, after winning fourth place in the shot put finals, won the high hurdles prelims and finished second in the lows. Both events will be completed today.

Williams, Tiller Even

Tiller and Toledo Libby's sensational sophomore, Roger Williams, turned in identical times, both bucking a strong wind. They ran the 100 in 10.6 seconds and 10.4 (two heats necessary), and the 220 in 22.8. They did not run against each other yesterday, but they will today in what looms as a four-star attraction. Williams has run the 100 in 9.8, Tiller in 10.0.

Whitcomb soared over the high hurdles in 15.8 seconds.

Baron defeated Pete Knight of Mansfield, 6-4, 6-1, and Burley Smith, Wauseon, 6-0, 6-0, to join John Meyer, Toledo Macomber; John Wiley, DeVilbiss, and Sandusky's Don Yontz, defending district champ, in today's finals.

Bill Bowlus, another singles entry from Fremont, won his first match over Jim Carroll, Toledo Central, 6-4, 6-4, then bowed out of the running to John Ginnever, 6-4, 6-2.

The doubles team of Ted Houghtaling and Larry Harris survived one test with a 6-3 victory over John Birkholder and Bill Gregg, DeVilbiss, then ran afoul of Bon Keister and Jim Rohrbacker, Toledo, 6-2, 4-6, 6-4.

The high hurdles finals will be run at 2 p. m., the 100-yard dash at 2:15, the low hurdles at 2:25 p. m. and the 220-yard dash at 4 p. m.

Saturday foe was John Willey, of Toledo DeVilbiss. It was a short match, 6-0, 6-0.

Bob Dietsche, of DeVilbiss, eliminated defending champion Don Yontz in the other semi-final match and clashed with Baron in the finals. Baron won with no trouble, 6-0, 6-0.

The smashing victories indicate that Baron has an excellent chance of winning the doubles and singles championship in successive years.

Larry Beiderman and George Stephens, Lima Central, won the district doubles crown.

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Lima Central Champ

Fremont Ross finished third in the district Class A track meet at Bowling Green as Lima Central romped off with the title with 59 7/10 points.

Runner-up was Toledo Libbey with 29 1/2. Fremont scored 20, Toledo DeVilbiss 16, Findlay 14, Clay 12, Waite 9 1/2, Kenton 8 1/2, Maumee 8 1/5, Whitmer 8. Ten other teams scored less than eight points.

Oak Harbor edged defending champion Clyde for the Class B title. The Rockets scored 34 points, Clyde 27, Elmore 25, Leipsic 21, Elida 15, Gibsonburg 14 1/2, Spencerville 14, Delta 13 1/2, Columbus Grove 12 1/2, Paulding 10, Pemberville 8, Lakeside 6 1/2, Melmore 6, with five other teams scoring points.

Fremont's lone victory was in the broad jump, with Jim Tiller

mouth, Ohio, led the victory for his team in a Wisconsin Badgers intrasquad game.

More than 7,500 fans saw the junior quarterback lead the Cardinals to a 21-14 conquest of the Whites.

As his team trailed in the third quarter 7-14, Frecka passed 15 yards to end Dave Howard, who tumbled into the end zone with the tying touchdown.

Then early in the fourth quarter, Frecka romped 17 yards on a reverse for the winning counter.

captured Friday on a leap of 21 feet, 4 inches.

Williams Wins 100, 220

Roger Williams, Libbey's highly touted sophomore, won the 100 and 220 over Tiller. In each race, he turned on the power in the last few yards, but his winning times, 10.1 in the 100 and 22.7 in the 220, was not the best season efforts of either lad. Williams ran a 9.8 100 during the season, while Tiller was clocked in 10 seconds flat.

Whitcomb Takes Spill

Ronnie Whitcomb finished second to Lima Central's Bob Harris in the high hurdles, but two spills in the 180-yard low hurdles race cost him a possible triumph. Whitcomb was undefeated in the low hurdles going into Saturday's race.

Victories in the Class B meet included:

880-Yd. relay, Gibsonburg (Al Older, Mel Rose, Mel Moore, Bob Miller), 1:37; Jerry Guntch, Oak Harbor, mile run, 4:42.7; Jim Branum, Lakeside, 880-yard run, 2:03.9; Jerry Lohr, Elmore, shot put, 45 feet, 4 inches.

Two records by Len Truex, former Lima Central and Ohio State distance runner, were broken. Whitmer's Dick Clevenger set a mile mark in 4:28.6, surpassing the record of 4:31.5, while Dave McKnight, also of Maumee, won the half mile in the record time of 2:01.1. The old record was 2:01.3.

Terry Polo