

1943 District meet...

SIX WILL RUN IN DISTRICT

Althoff Names Entries For Cross-Country At Toledo

Coach Whitey Althoff announced today that six members of the Ross high cross-country team would compete in the district run at Toledo on Saturday, final qualifier for the state chase in Mansfield a week later.

Little Giants who will race over the Lucas county course are Capt. Bill Berger, Paul Schabel, Norm Feighner, Bill Wing, Del Weiler and Vern Smith, first six finishers in Wednesday's dual run against Port Clinton.

Althoff's harriers won the Port Clinton meet, 21 to 34, giving them an even break in four meets, both victories coming at the expense of Port Clinton. Bill Berger was first across the finish line, covering the two miles in 10 minutes, 54 seconds, 26 seconds ahead of teammate Schabel and nearly a full minute ahead of Stephens, first Porter to finish.

Feighner was third, followed by Springer of Port Clinton, Wing of Fremont, Mack and Hoefactor of Port Clinton, Weiler and Smith, Fremont; Clemons, Port Clinton; Williamson, Fremont; Adams, Port Clinton; Heflinger, Arnold and Overmyer, Fremont.

LITTLE GIANTS ARE THIRD IN DISTRICT RUN

Bill Berger Fourth As Harriers Quali- fy For State Run

The six-man Ross cross-country team took third place honors at the district meet in Toledo, run over the two-mile Ottawa Hills course Saturday, with all six members qualifying for the state run in Mansfield Saturday.

The meet was won by Mansfield, with 30 points, while Toledo Waite pulled in second with 43. The Little Giant total was 111 and they were trailed by Toledo Libbey, 117; Port Clinton, 124; Old Fort, 140; Toledo DeVilbiss, 161, and Toledo Woodward, 163.

The first three teams all qualified for the state meet and Coach Whitey Althoff said the Little Giant sextet would be entered providing all could get off from work. If not, Capt. Bill Berger will likely be a lone entry.

Breaks Old Record

Stewart of Waite, won the run in 10 minutes and 19 seconds, setting a new district record which, until Saturday, had been held by Fremont's Wade (Soupy) Campbell at 10:26. Stewart's time was 19 seconds slower than the state record.

Smith and Humphries, both of Mansfield, trailed Stewart across the finish line with Berger coming in fourth, first Fremont runner to finish. His time was 10:37.

Paul Schaubel was the next Little Giant to finish, coming in 13th, and he was followed by Norm Feighner, 21st; Bill Wing, 34th; Vern Smith, 39th and Del Weiler, 44th. All told, 55 boys ran in the district meet.