

1955 Class A District Tournament

Ross High Cagers Upset St. Mary's

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Campy's Money Fist All Right

VERO BEACH, Fla. (P)—Catcher Roy Campanella, who plumped from the Most Valuable Player in the National League in 1953 to a meek 207 hitter last year, today proclaimed that his injured left hand is all right.

Twice last year he underwent surgery. Most Brooklyn Dodger officials thought Campanella's troubles cost them the pennant.

Yesterday, in the first day of spring training, he took nine practice swings and was completely satisfied with the results.

"My hand feels good," he enthused. "It doesn't hurt me a bit. I can swing that bat now, and that's all I want to know. All I've got to do now is time the ball."

He reported that all the numbness in his ring finger has disappeared and that the muscle between the thumb and the index finger is rebuilding, although it is not quite normal.

"I never felt right last season," he said seriously. "I couldn't grip the bat properly. Sure, I hit some long balls but I never had that feeling of having hit a good one outside."

"A right-handed hitter can't whip the bat around with his right hand. You do it with the left hand and I couldn't do it at all last year. I hit the 300-foot sign yesterday by whipping the bat around on an outside pitch."

"I even hit one off the fist. No sir, it didn't hurt a bit."

He said he had been doing some catching too.

"And I've been receiving some pretty hard pitches already and don't even use a sponge in the glove. I want to get used to the pounding. It's great to be a whole ballplayer again."

Fights Last Night

MILWAUKEE—John Giardello, 13, of Milwaukee, knocked out Peter Mueller, 15, Germany, 2.

HOYOKE, Mass.—Art Peasey, 12, of Worcester, knocked out Bob Fenty, 13, Newark, N. J., 5.

ST. LOUIS—Sonny Linton, 20, St. Louis, outpointed Bell

Welch, 20, Toledo, 8.

Fremont Rental, one of the city's top 10 pin combinations, truly knocked the daylights out of the maples at Paramount Lanes Tuesday night, running up a 3,105 scratch total. Big shot of the event was a 1,134 middle game.

Bruce Watts, pivot man of the combine, was the low man on the totem pole with a 585, good enough for high in almost any local class. Still, last night it was low for his team.

The scores: Gene Melbing 160 225 224 618

Carl Poorman 182 237 217 646

Bruce Watts 262 191 192 585

Bob Gee 178 212 214 604

John Jones 180 268 282 652

Handicap 52 52 52 156

973 1186 1162 3261

Rental took two of three games from Fremont Foundry, which had a 2,975 total. John Dohonan and Nick Basker topping the coveted 600 mark.

There were many high scores last night. Standard Sheet Metal of Toledo City had a 2,985 with some neat scores, three members making the Honor Roll and one, Gladys Steiger, turning in the tough 67-10. Bee Haselbach, of the Chippers in the Golf-Rotary loop, converted the equally rugged 47-10.

HONOR ROLL
New 600 Series

John Jones, Fremont Rental 652
Carl Poorman, Fremont Rental 652
Nick Basker, Fremont Rental 650

ONE IN BAG!

FREMONT ROSS (60)

G F P T

Chambers, f 10 13 4 14

Tiller, f 8 13 4 14

Milner, f 11 0 0 12

Houghaling, g 0 0 0 0

Schneider, g 1 0 1 1

Hill, g 0 0 0 0

Beeker 2 2 0 6

Totals 21 27-38 20 69

SANDUSKY ST. MARY'S (62)

G F P T

Brady, f 1 0 1 4

Noblet, f 9 12 4 22

Benkey, c 0 0 0 0

Reed, c 0 0 0 0

Keech, g 3 5 7 5

Shaffer, g 1 0 1 2

Carroll, g 1 2 2 0

Hanks 2 3 1 4

Totals 21 21-33 22 63

Score by quarters: 15 31 69

St. Mary's 17 30 45 62

Officials: Hipp and Harmon.

Norwalk (71) — Willard (62)

G F P T

Hanson 10 10 0 0

Ralston 3 8 22 14

Hunter 9 8 22 14

Smith 9 1 19 1

Hanks 1 2 2 0

Totals 29 13 71 Totals 25 12 62

Score by quarters: 17 30 61 75

Norwalk 25 35 51 72

Officials: Radabaugh and Lomper.

Akron's Delaney Lad Climbs in Rating

NEW YORK (P)—Akron's Ronnie Delaney has vaulted into the national ring ratings announced today by Ring Magazine.

A recent win over welterweight champ Johnny Saxon jumped Delaney into the No. 6 spot among middleweights.

There was a wholesale shakeup of every division from the light-weight class up in the March ratings.

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Ziemke's Youths Outbattle Foes In District 'A'

Score is 69. To 63; Norwalk Wins; Little Giants Play Thursday

DISTRICT A
Results
Fremont Ross 69, Sandusky
St. Mary's 63

Norwalk 71, Willard 62

SCHEDULE
Wednesday at 7
Port Clinton vs. Tiffin Calvert
Wednesday at 8:45
Bellevue vs. Sandusky

Ross high cagers took their first steps toward the District Class A title Tuesday night in Sandusky's junior high gym, turning back a hard-fighting and capable Sandusky St. Mary's quintet. The score was 69-63.

Just before the third quarter ended the score was 43-43.

Then tall Larry Miller took over.

The Ross senior pumped in two quick field goals, then added two free throws to give the Little

Giants a six point edge from which the lake front Parochial school boys could not recover. That brief flurry broke the tie.

There was plenty of fireworks both at that point, but the St. Mary's crew had had it. Ross was in.

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Little Giants Eliminated From Tourney, 61-48, By Blue Streaks; Truckers Victors In Thriller

Lake Fronters In Front All The Way

DISTRICT A RESULTS

Sandusky 61, Fremont Ross 48

Norwalk 70, Tiffin Calvert 68

Saturday Schedule

Championship

Sandusky vs. Norwalk 8:15

(Winner to Toledo)

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Ross high school's basketball season came to an end abruptly, convincingly and definitely Thursday night on Sandusky Junior high's court, 61 to 48. The Sandusky Blue Streaks, holding a definite advantage from the first two minutes of play, turned the trick.

Sandusky will tangle with Norwalk, the game being booked at 8:15.

The Truckers turned back a surprisingly potent Tiffin Calvert 70 to 68 in a thriller that had the crowd standing through most of the final period.

Ross just didn't have it last night.

The Little Giants matched Sandusky in field goals—18 all—but had a decided disadvantage at the free throw line, getting 12 points via that route on 22 tries, while the Streaks hit for 25 charity

tosses, missing 12. Sandusky shot from the free line 14 times more than did Ross.

Plenty Rough

The game was a rough one, bodily contact being a feature. Many scrambles for the ball, with players all over the floor developed, Jeff Johnson, tall Sandusky cager, was kayoed for a brief spell in the third period when he was hit by Henry Tiller while in the air shooting. No foul was called because Johnson had been noted traveling.

Ross supporters did some yelping about "traveling" on the part of Sandusky, particularly the two out-in-front cagers who started the plays.

But regardless, Sandusky was by far the best cage team Thursday night.

Ross wasn't able to maneuver away from the man to man defense Coach Whitney Regan set up, the taller Streaks being even more agile than the Little Giants.

Sandusky started off with a 15-9 edge at the quarter and fell even farther behind in the second quarter, the half ending 30-17.

The game might as well have ended there, because Sandusky held the 13-point edge the rest of the way. The third quarter closed 48-35.

Record For Miller

Coach Al Ziemke pointed out that Larry Miller set an all-time Ross high scoring record with the 14 points he tallied last night added to his total of 29 in the Sandusky St. Mary's game.

Miller hit 385 for the season, Dick Garcia having 367 in the 1953 season and Dean Doren 365 last year.

Ross finished the season with a 13-7 record.

Gene Miller, who played Larry Miller last night, hit for 16 points to pace the winners. Henry Tiller's 15 total being one more than Larry Miller's.

Ross played without Larry Harris, who had not yet returned from Fort Sheridan, Ill., where he took the West Point physical. Ziemke said Harris might have made a difference because his height would have prevented some of the Sandusky shooting. Ross defeated Sandusky 66-51 in season's play.

Norwalk, handicapped by four quick personal fouls against Johnny Schaechtele which benched him most of the game, trailed Tiffin Calvert most of the way, but came through just before the final buzzer.

The boys of Grant Walls had tied it up with 25 seconds to play. Then Jim Rolsten broke loose, and scored on a drive-in shot to send the total to 70-68. Rolsten was fouled and missed, but Norwalk grabbed the rebound and passed the ball the remainder of the time left.

Calvert, with a poor season's record, was ahead about all the way, holding a 19-15 quarter edge, and a 36-30 margin at halftime. Then Norwalk turned loose with 26 points against 18 for the Seneca countians, to hold a 56-54 lead at the start of the last period.

Calvert's Joe Migliani got hot in the last period, bagging three buckets to give his team a lead again, but Norwalk came back and won.

Captain Dave Hunter was Norwalk's big gun, getting 24 points and starring on both backboards. Guard Jim Witter gave the crowd a third period thrill by connecting with six consecutive shots from back of the foul circle.

Phil Falter and Dan Moran were top scorers for Calvert with 18 and 17, respectively. Migliani added 15.

SPORTSMAN'S DIGEST

By Hal Sharp

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ELKS LADIES' LEAGUE
(Maple Lanes)

& N. Drags 741—2032
Ivy Loan 558 556 728—1852
High: Weiler 139 151 183—475

Fresh's 559 558 675—1523
Hart Trucking 572 603 591—1766
High: L. Clark 147 109 139—392

Trojan Bank 524 558 618—1703
Palace Buick 607 661 670—1938
High: Dodway 150 161 153—464

B. A. L. A. LEAGUE
(Maple Lanes)

Lartzell's 571 619 637—1829
Wood 617 632 610—1871
High: Milliron 157 162 141—474

Lumberjacks 596 638 565—1849
Fawcett 621 651 578—1826
High: DeVanna 135 154 131—420

L. & R. 547 605 674—1835
Towers 605 621 571—1738
High: E. Hade 112 170 161—443

Fights Last Night

LOS ANGELES—Don Jordan, 142, Los Angeles, outpointed Frankie Cockrell, 145, Simonton, 142.

WORCESTER, Mass.—Curly Monroe, 110 3-4, Worcester, outpointed Vic Cardell, 147 1-2, Hartford, 10.

GOING TO BROWNING FIELDS