Giants Use Team Work In 67-55 Win

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Team work turned the trick last night and now Fremont Ross goes to a district basketball tournament for the first time since 1958.

Molded within the team effort were controlling factors such as strong rebounding, torrid shooting both at the free throw line and from the field and sturdy defense. These factors gave Ross a 67-55 triumph over Eastwood at the Bowling Green sectional.

Ross now will play in the Toledo district next weekend. A draw will be made Sunday afternoon between Ross, Toledo Macomber, Toledo Central and the winner of tonight's Tiffin Calvert - Toledo Libbey game.

Picking off 49 rebounds - 18 more than the Eagles - hitting 42 per cent of their shots-12 per cent more than Eastwood and their highest field average of the season-and dropping in 23 of 29 free throws, the Little Giants overpowered the shorter opponent and pulled away for good after the opening minutes.

Ross got unusually fine balanced scoring out of its starting five of Jim Davis, Willy Schwenzfeier, Frank Moore, Guy Nuhfer and Dick Hufford. Davis, on the strength of 10 free throws, topped the list with 16 points. Schwenzfeier hit 13 points, Moore 12, and guards Nuhfer and Hufford each added 10.

boards.

changed hands four times in the early minutes but Ross hit seven straight points to grab a 10-4 margin. Eastwood came back to knot the count on the shooting of Allan Rahe, who hit 24 points last night for the Eagles. A buckey by Davis and a free throw by Moore gave the local squad a 13-10 lead but with two seconds remaining in the quarter Hal Moore of Eastwood canned a long shot to pull the Eagles to within one, 13-12.

Ross started to pull away in the second quarter. Davis canned two outside shots to get the Giants moving at 17-12 and then both teams traded baskets for the most part until halftime when Ross led 28-21. Ross continued to get balanced scoring from its starters, plus some free throw help from John Prosser.

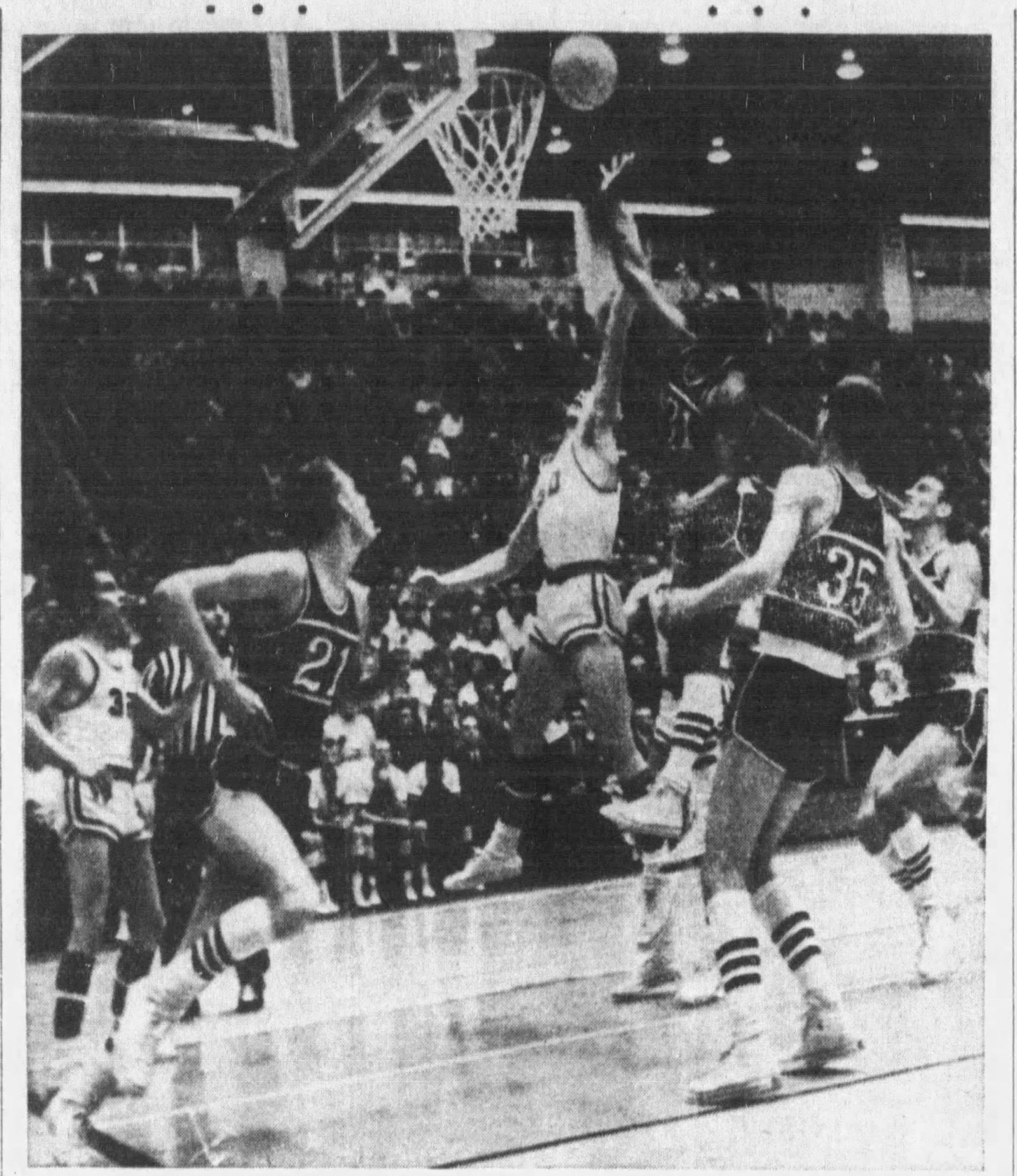
The Little Giants scored five of the first seven points made to open the second half and vaulted to a 33-23 margin. They swelled that margin to 39-28 with 3:56 to play in the third quarter on a two - point by Schwenzfeier. The Giants remained ahead by nine to 11 points until early in the final quarter when Eastwood was able to crawl to within seven at 51-44. Three cripple shots by Hufford late in the game opened the gates to Toledo for Ross.

Fremont carries a 10-11 record into the district, having won four in a row. Eastwood closed its season with 14-7 log.

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Totals 19 17 18 55 Totals Running score by periods:

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SHORT SHOT: Ross' Jim Davis tries a short shot in Friday night's game with Eastwood. This one missed. Going up for a block is No. 50 Paul Rolf of Eastwood. At fringe of action is No. 32

of Eastwood, Allan Rahe, high scorer of the Eagles. Ready to rebound for Ross are Willy Schwenzfeier, No. 21, Dick Hufford, No. 35, and Frank Moore, No. 53.

Moore with 14 and Schwenzfei-er with 13 rebounds controled both Ross Third In District Swim Meet, Eastwood stayed with Ross during the most of the first quarter which ended 13-12. The lead 10 Tankers To Make Trip To State

Friday night in the district swim- points. ming meet held at Bowling Green. Ten Little Giant swimmers qual-The Giants recorded 49 points, one lifted for the state meet next

Norwalk

Topples Sandusky

Sandusky's Streaks ended their basketball season last night shocking fashion as Norwalk took Wants To Buy a come-from-behind 61-59 sectional tournament game at Sandusky.

The Streaks had led by five points going into the fourth quarter and by one point with 30 seconds to play before bowing.

Don Rather, all - Buckeye Conference, scored 35 points in a losing cause for Sandusky.

er with 1:49 to play cut the gap the increasingly bitter negotia-Williams pulled the Streaks closer promptly said the National

one point lead with his goal at the have no intention of increasing 30 second mark. But 6-8 Dallas their latest offer, a reported \$26,-Newton came back to score for 000. the Truckers with 22 seconds Jay, who earned \$15,000 last showing and this gave Norwalk a 60-59 edge.

With four seconds showing, Harry Meagrow of Norwalk scored to

end the game. Alex Koslow with 18 points and Newton with 15 were high for Norwalk.

Ross' swimming placed third total. Lima won the meet with 70 fourth place finish on a time of

behind Sandusky's second place weekend. Nine schools took part in the district meet and to qualify for state a swimmer must finish no worse than fifth.

> Ross' outstanding 200-yard medley relay team of Jack Jaisler. Bill Knoke, Jim Parker and Tom Lloyd won first place with a new school time of 1:50.1. The Giants picked up 14 points with this victory.

> Ross' 200-yard free style relay team also goes to state with its

Joey Jay His Contract

unprecedented move for a hold took a slender one-stroke lead out, right-hander Joey Jay has over a tightly bunched field into offered the Cincinnati Reds a re- the second round of the \$20,000 ported \$125,000 or more for his Baton Rouge Open Golf Tournacontract.

Late in the game Norwalk held Reds General Manager Bill De Thirty-one players toured the to 58-55. Two free throws by Stew tions with his 21-game winner, at 58-57. Time remaining was 1:25. League champions were not in-Rather then gave Sandusky the terested. He added that the Reds

\$30,000.

is demanding a raise to at least "I am attempting to negotiate a reasonably salary which Mr.

DrWitt for some reason has re-

fused" said Iney He added.

1:41.1. Qualifiers were Steve Weller, Jim Hetrick, Neil Wensinger and Bob Cliburn.

Bob Lozano earned a state berth in diving and Norm Demmel placed in the 200 - yard individual medley with a time of 2:38.6.

Some of the same qualifiers going in other events were Parker, third in 100-yard free style; Cliburn, fourth in 50-yard free style; Lloyd, second in 200-yard free style; Jaisler, second in 100-yard backstroke; and Knoke, fourth in 100-yard breaststroke.

Parker's time was 56.9; Cliburn, 24.8; Lloyd, 2:10.3; Jaisler, 1:02.6; and Knoke, 1:12.7.

Burke, Four Others Tied For Golf Lead

BATON ROUGE, La. (AP) -TAMPA, Fla. (AP) - In an Jack Burke Jr. and four others ment today.

a 58-53 margin but Rather's field- Witt, who has been conducting 6,700-yard Baton Rouge Country Club course Friday in sub-par opening rounds. Nine others matched par with 72s.

season when he was Cincinnati's Ron Eberly O

Tiffin Calvert and Mohawk dominated the 1962 all-conference team in the Sandusky Bay loop this season as each placed two