



A TIE-UP—Ross players Steve Cecil, No. 30, and Mike McCarthy, right, battle with Howard Griesinger of Holland for possession of the basketball in the opening game in the new Ross gym Tuesday won by the Little Giants 56-24. In background is No. 33 of Holland, Guard Jim Bollinger.

Slim Turnout Watches Easy 56-24 Victory

Holland Defeated
By Little Giants

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A slim turnout of no more than 600 fans watched Fremont Ross roll to an easy 56-24 triumph over Holland Tuesday in the first basketball game in the new gymnasium of the new Fremont Ross Senior high school building.

Victory gives the Little Giants a 1-1 record while Holland suffered its second setback with a win. The Ross cagers play next at Norwalk against Norwalk high Saturday night.

Reserves game also went to Fremont 27-23.

Grab 9-0 Lead

Ross romped to a 9-0 lead before Holland scored and was never in trouble. The Little Giants led 18-4 at the quarter, 30-8 at halftime and 48-19 after three periods.

The visitors, an inexperienced club, made only two field goals in the first half and seven in the game. Ross scored well in the first three periods, hitting on 20 of 49 shots for 40.8 per cent but, in a ragged fourth period when substitutes were flowing freely from both benches, the Giants made only three of 17 shots. For the game, Ross connected on 23 of 66 attempts for 34.8 per cent and 10 of 20 free tosses for 50 per cent. Holland made only seven of 42 shots for 16.7 per cent.

Lozano The Spark

The scoring and rebounding of substitute forward Reuben Lozano, 6-1 senior, sparked the Little Giants. Lozano netted 10 points to pace the Purple and White in the scoring department, Steve Cecil and Harry Walter chipped in with nine apiece and Roger Mann added eight. Substitute guard Galen Orner led Holland with seven.

Lozano and 6-0 Cecil paced Fremont board work. They accounted for most of the 30 defensive rebounds picked off by Ross. Charles Pankratz and Denny Stine also helped some on rebounds.

New Ross Coach Cot Marquette thought the Ross cagers looked much better than they did in a losing effort to Bedford last week.

"Our press defense was applied more and it looked better," Marquette opined. He also said the shooting was better but not as good as it could be. "We missed some easy shots in close," he explained.

"Rebounding was much better with Cecil and Lozano especially getting position for offensive rebounds," the Ross mentor said. "We're still slow in getting back on defense. The press is a bit rusty but the boys are beginning to grasp it and should do a better job in future games. We tried a little zone press to go along with our regular man-for-man press. The press works better when the fellows work in pairs to double-team an opponent. That still must be worked on."

Better Ball Handling

Marquette also liked the way the team moved the ball. "Our ball handling looked good, especially in the first and third quarters," he observed.

Cecil pulled up lame after only six seconds had gone by in the game. He came down on the ball of his heel and it caused a limp. However, the junior forward was back in the lineup before the first period closed.

Mann and Lozano tossed in a pair of fielders each in the first quarter to ignite the Ross attack, Mann scoring on a set and push shot and Lozano on a short jump and a rebound.

Cecil's two jump attempts highlighted a 12-point second period for the Little Giants. Lozano's three jump shorts and a pair of field goals by Cecil late in the

Arnie Flores 12, and Tom Ritter 3.

MVCDS led 15-9 at the quarter, 29-27 at halftime and 41-37 after three periods.



ROSS WRESTLING TEAM, coached tonight, battling the grapplers between Ross freshman wrestlers. Five points goes to a draw. Varsity wrestlers for Ross 120, Jim Ayers; 127, George S. Otermat; 175, Tom Woessner; 180, Bob Dorr, Tim Shanahan; 185, Bill Dorr, Neil Fausey, Jim Ayers; 190, Jim Otermat, Tom Woessner, Dan Cook, Dan Coleman, Neil Sch...

period were best for the locals in the third quarter.

Larry Ripple ripped the cords for eight points and Jim Ohms six to lead Coach Denny Lewis' Ross high Reserves to victory.

Ross (56)	VARSITY				
	FG	FIA	FTM	PF	TP
Cecil, f	4	1	1	3	9
Stine, f	2	2	0	1	4
C. Pankratz, c	1	5	4	4	6
Walter, g	3	3	3	2	9
Mann, g	3	7	2	3	8
McCarthy	1	0	0	1	2
Lozano	5	2	0	4	10
Collins	2	0	0	1	4
D. Pankratz	0	0	0	0	0
Decker	0	0	0	0	0
Ohms	0	0	0	1	6
Moran	2	0	0	0	4
Totals	23	20	10	20	56

Holland (24)	VARSITY				
	FG	FIA	FTM	PF	TP
St. John, f	1	2	1	1	3
Anderson, f	1	7	2	4	4
Reid, c	1	8	3	1	5
Bollinger, g	1	3	2	4	4
Osborn, g	0	1	0	2	0
Griesinger	0	2	1	0	1
Orner	3	3	1	3	7
Jenkins	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	7	26	10	15	24

Score at end of each period:
 Ross 18 30 48-56
 Holland 4 8 19-24
 Officials: Nick Ruggiero and Len Brudzinski.

RESERVES							
Fremont (27)			Holland (23)				
G	F	T	G	F	T		
Decker, f	2	0	4	R'nehouse, f	3	0	6
Ohms, f	2	2	6	Reining, f	0	1	1
D. Pankratz, c	0	1	1	Sultkus, c	0	2	2
L. Wilkins, g	0	2	2	S'mville, g	2	2	6
Ripple, g	4	0	8	Jenkins, g	2	0	4
Gnepper	0	0	0	Kaintz	1	0	2
Moran	2	0	4	Czerniak	1	0	2
Fuller	1	0	2				

SHIP AVILA TO ORIOLES...

Indians Trade Wertz, Geiger To Boston For Jimmy Piersall

WASHINGTON (AP) — Frank Lane, Cleveland general manager, is on another swapping binge.

Within the space of a few hours Tuesday he (1) shipped first baseman Vic Wertz and outfielder Gary Geiger to Boston for center

holder Jimmy Piersall and (2) shunted infield Bobby Avila to Baltimore for pitcher Russ Heman and a reported \$30,000 in cash.

Avila may wind up at second base for the Orioles because Billy Gardner had an off season in 1958. Or the 37-year-old Mexican-born infielder may be a utility man filling in at second or third base.

Wertz, 33, will be the Boston first baseman, perhaps alternating with Dick Gernert, a right-handed batter. Geiger will battle with Marty Keough and Gene Stephens for the center field job with the Red Sox.

Joe Gordon, Cleveland manager, said Piersall will be his center fielder.

He said the Indians had good scouting reports on Heman, a 6-foot-4 righthander who had a 9-12 record last season with the Orioles' farm at Vancouver in the Pacific Coast League.

Detroit kept the trade mill busy by sending pitcher Herb Moldor, a right hander, to Boston for catcher Lou Berberet.

Redmen Defeated For Third Time

Jackson-Burgoon high school lost its third game without a victory Tuesday as host Maumee Valley Country Day school outlasted the Redmen of Sandusky county 61-59.

A 5-10 senior forward, Peter Handwork led the Maumee Valley five with 19 field goals, seven free tosses for 45 points. He set a new school scoring record. Handwork talked the winning basket with three seconds to play, splitting the cords with an easy layup shot after an out of bounds toss in.

For Coach Don Theiss' Redmen, Jim Hull had 14 points, Jerry Ash 16, Les Widmer 13,

Townsend Scores First Victory Of Cage Season

Townsend won its first game of the season after five reversals at Townsend school last night, the Trojans of Coach Jim Bogner toping Republic 60-54.

The Trojans were ahead most of the game, Republic holding the advantage only in the early part of the opening quarter.

Clayton Keegan, 6-1 center, was high scorer from the foul line. Guard Bob Montgomery added 15 markers, scoring mainly from outside. John Cole, 6-5 Republic center, netted 13 points, Forward Jim Kies 16 and Guard Paul Lewis 15.

Townsend Reserves lost 35-29 with Lynn Storey and Dean Downing trying for scoring honors for the Trojan seconds with 10 points each.

Townsend's next game is on December 12 at Woodville.

Townsend (60)		Republic (54)	
G	F	G	F
Packhurst, f	4	0	8
Toth, f	4	1	9
Keegan, c	8	9	25
Montgomery, g	7	1	15
Knowlton, g	1	1	3
Totals	24	12	60

Elmore Topples Woodville Five

ELMORE — Barrett Bates tallied 21 points and John Marsh

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