Ontario High Holds Lead

Crestline and Fredericktown decided to pare the four-way tie for second place in the Johnny Appleseed Conference and Ontario maintained a tenuous half-game hold on first as all three won football battles last night.

Ontario (3-0-1 in JAC and 4-0-2 overall) produced the largest victory margin with a 38-0 shutout over Plymouth (1-3 and 2-4). The Bulldogs (3-1 and 4-2) had their way over Loudonville (2-2 and 4-2), 28-16, and the Freddies (3-1 and 4-2) turned back Clear Fork (2-2 and 2-4), 30-8.

Lexington (0-2-1 and 0-4-1) and Crestview (0-3 and 0-5) meet today in a 2 o'clock test at Lexington.

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Ontario . . .

By FRANK H. VALK

ONTARIO — Before Plymouth High School gained its first first down Ontario was ahead 8-0. Before the Big Red completed its second pass, the Warriors led 16-0 and before Plymouth could score, the game was over.

The Warriors, sparked by a balanced offensive attack and an air-tight defense, scored in every quarter. Their defense held Plymouth to only 47 yards rushing, 25 in the first half, and kept the Big Red out of striking distance the entire game.

STATISTICS

	Ont.	Ply.
First Downs	15	8
Rushing Yardage	204	47
Passing Yardage	54	53
Passes	2-5	7-24
Passes Intercepted By	4	1
Punts	4-40.2	6-36.8
Fumbles Lost	0	0
Yards Penalized	95	30

Plymouth wasn't able to cross the 50-yard line until mid-way in the third quarter.

Dick Kaber paced Ontario's scoring barrage with a pair of touchdowns, grabking a 24-yard pass from Randy Gates and racing 10 yards for another score.

Doug Schwall tucked in a Bob Shafer pass early in the first quarter to score on Ontario's first series of plays after an interception by Vernon Yancey. Yancey broke loose over right tackle in their quarter and battled his way to a clear field for a 79-yard touchdown with 1:29 remaining. Dan Wolfe scored much in the same manner in the final frame on a 57-yard run.

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL
At Ontario
ONTARIO

ENDS — Baker, Dailey, Manley, Crider, Clegg, Schwall. TACKLES — Swanter, Carroll, Thompson, Boyce. GUARDS — Leadbetter, Miller, McGinnis, Schraedly, Cosgrove, Beer, Orewiler, Sloey. CENTERS — Perry, Jordan. BACKS — R. Gates, Leicy, Shelton, Kaber, K. Gates, Shafer, Yancey, Riley, Wolfe, Stoffer, McClelland, McCready, Goetz, Cooper.

PLYMOUTH

ENDS — Clark, Cunningham, Cutright, Strohm. TACKLES — Amstutz, Bauer, Mellott, Newmeyer, Woodmansee. GUARDS — Bisel, Gleriese, Mack. CENTERS — Stone, Deskins. BACKS — Carter, Fazio, Finnegan, Hamman, Hughes, Reynolds, Taylor, VanWagner.

SCORING

Ontario	8	8	14	8	—38
Plymouth	0	0	0	8	—8

ONTARIO

TOUCHDOWNS — Schwall (30-yard pass from Shafer), Kaber 2 (24-yard pass from R. Gates, 10-yard run), Yancey (79-yard run), Wolfe (57-yard run).

EXTRA POINTS — Shafer 2 (run), Kaber 2 (run), Riley 2 (run), Cooper 2 (run).

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Freddies . . .

By CHET BRYANT

BELLVILLE — Striking for two first period scores, Fredericktown added points in the three remaining quarters to defeat Clear Fork here last night.

Fredericktown scored the first two times it laid hands on the ball. The Freddies gained possession on the Colts' 33. Quarterback Curt Reppart scooted around his left end on a 33-yard jaunt after a penalty had moved the ball back to the Freddies' 38-yard line and teammate Randy Caywood had countered with a five-yard gain.

STATISTICS

	C.F.	Fred.
First Downs	9	10
Rushing Yardage	181	179
Passing Yardage	0	21
Passes	0-4	1-3
Passes Intercepted By	1	1
Punts	3-31	2-42
Fumbles Lost	4	1
Yards Penalized	32	40

Three minutes later, at 5:32, Reppart stole a Clear Fork pass and ran 20 yards to the Colt 18-yard line. A penalty placed the ball at the nine. Three plays later Halfback Dan Brown dived over the goal from two yards out.

Brown and Reppart each added touchdowns during the remainder of the contest. Reppart scored a third period touchdown on a one-yard run and Brown finished the evening with a five-yard trot in the final frame. Kicking specialist Mike Simpson booted three extra points and supplied a 31-yard field goal in the second frame.

The Colts' lone tally came in the last period. Beginning at the 14-yard line Clear Fork marched the 86 yards in 13 plays. Halfback Ed Belcher scampered around the right side for the final five yards. Teammate Randy Thomas had garnered most of the yardage in the drive, amassing 58 yards in nine of the 13 plays.

CLEAR FORK

ENDS — Hefferber, Shenberger, Chamberlin, Antrican. TACKLES — Brokaw, Jarvis, Bechtol, Snavely, Myers, Petty, Patterson. GUARDS — Donough, Crunkilton, Porter, Hull, Bowman, Brown. CENTER — Vance, McKee. BACKS — Barr, Belcher, Kuelling, Shymaker, Mateer, Smith, Fry, Carruthers, Knapp, Ruhl, Hope.

FREDERICKTOWN

ENDS — Scarbrough, Simpson, Kerwood, Mavis. TACKLES — Shoemaker, Ramey, Linkous, Stevenson, Sargent, Moore, Ryan. GUARDS — Bodkins, Stephan, Stout, Shaffer, Phillips, Hampton. CENTER — Porter. BACKS — Weller, Reppart, Caywood, Doyle, Dilts, Elder, Gill, Snell, Brown, Hatton, Wade, Armstrong.

SCORING

Clear Fork	0	0	8	0	—8
Fredericktown	13	3	7	7	—30

FREDERICKTOWN

TOUCHDOWNS — Reppart 2 (33-yard run one-yard run); Brown 2 (two-yard run, five-yard run).

FIELD GOAL — Simpson (31 yards).

EXTRA POINTS — Simpson 3 (kicks).

CLEAR FORK

TOUCHDOWN — Belcher (five-yard run).

EXTRA POINTS — Belcher 2 (run).

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Crestline . . .

CRESTLINE — Four backs scored for the Crestline Bulldogs en route to their victory over visiting Loudonville here yesterday.

Alan Lafferty opened the scoring with an 11-yard touchdown run, followed by Tom Etler on a 13-yard pass from Brad Bauer. Ron Dent put Crestline's third tally on the scoreboard on a four-yard jaunt. Bauer scored once himself in the third period, a 20-yard run.

STATISTICS

	Crest.	Loud.
First Downs	12	9
Rushing Yardage	196	100
Passing Yardage	72	93
Passes	9-21	7-15
Passes Intercepted By	1	1
Punts	3-37.0	3-38.0
Fumbles Lost	0	3
Yards Penalized	130	40

The Bulldogs held a slim 13-8 edge at the end of the first half before Loudonville was struck with an epidemic of fumbleitis in the second and gave up the ball three times on miscues. One of those fumbles ended a strong drive after the Redbirds had reached the 19-yard line.

Lafferty paced both teams with 78 yards in 12 carries.

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL
At Crestline

Crestline	7	6	15	0	—28
Loudonville	0	8	8	0	—16

TOUCHDOWNS

CRESTLINE — Alan Lafferty (11-yard run), Etler (13-yard pass from Bauer), Roy Dent (four-yard run), Brad Bauer (20-yard run).

EXTRA POINTS — Novak 2 (kicks), Tim Glauer 2 (pass).

LOUDONVILLE

TOUCHDOWNS — Dick Taylor (one-yard run), Ron Zook (three-yard run).

EXTRA POINTS — Krupp 4 (passes).

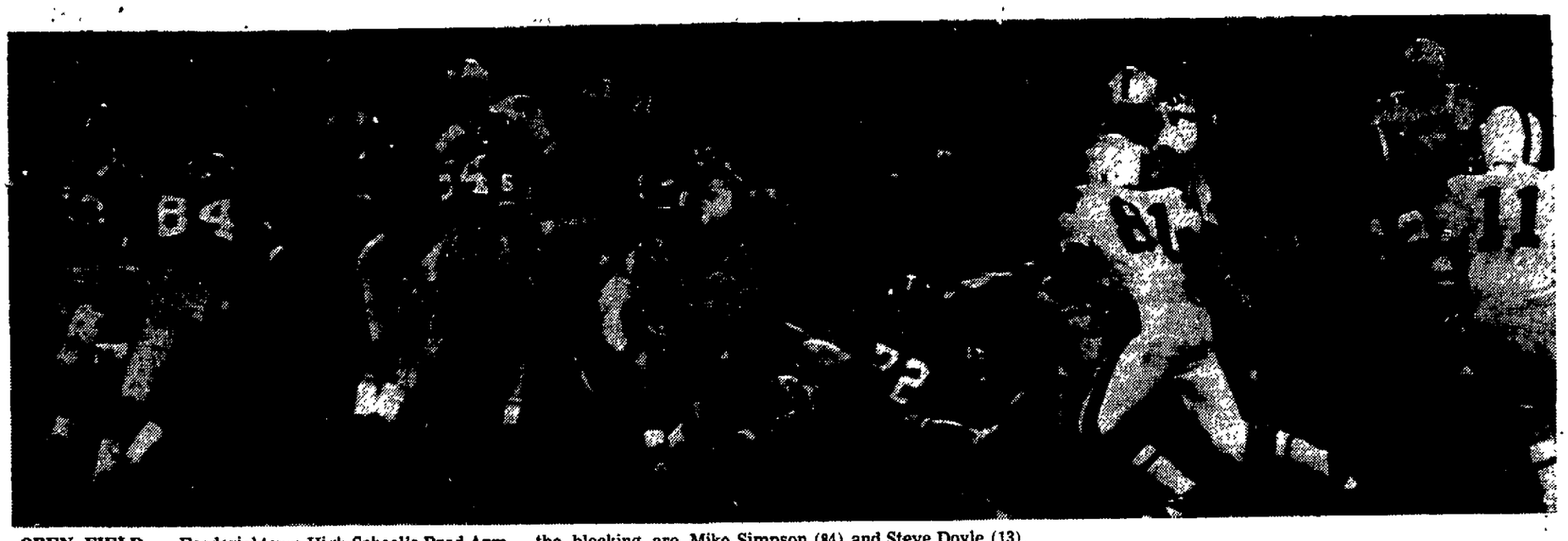
Mansfield 'Am' Cops Decision

PARMA — Mansfielder Corky Gomez outpointed George Stump last night in a three-round amateur boxing bout here.

Gomez, 139 pounds, was awarded the victory with points established by a computer. His next fight will be Oct. 27 in Elyria, meeting Joe Mullins of Sandusky.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL
By The Associated Press

Miami, Fla., 31, Navy 16
Houston 42, Villanova 9



OPEN FIELD — Fredericktown High School's Brad Armstrong (42) takes advantage of a heavy wall of blockers to find a clearing during the game last night in Bellville with Clear Fork. Ahead of Armstrong to add some insurance to the blocking are Mike Simpson (84) and Steve Doyle (13). Fredericktown won the Johnny Appleseed Conference rivalry, 30-8. (News Journal photos by Jeff Sprang).

SPEEDY MOVES — Clear Fork Colts' Randy Thomas (43) attempts to elude Fredericktown's Ralph Fry who gets his arms around the Clear Fork speedster's legs. Colt Lloyd Gill (24), running in front of Thomas, was unable to get to Fry before he got to the runner.

Shelby Leads NOL Chase

Shelby's undefeated (twice tied) Whippets finally gained the top Northern Ohio League spot in football action last night, getting a giant assist from Tiffin Columbian.

The Whippets (2-0-2 in NOL and 4-0-2 overall) parlayed a 14-0 victory over Norwalk (1-2-1 and 1-3-1) with a Columbian (3-1 and 5-1) decision against previous leader Bucyrus (2-1-1 and 2-2-2), 42-0, for the lead spot. Other results had Galion (2-2 and 3-3) gaining an easy 32-3 win from Upper Sandusky (1-3 and 1-5) while Willard (1-2-1 and 2-3-1) was shutting out Bellevue (1-2-1 and 1-4-1), 12-0.

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Shelby . . .

By JOHN GRAY

NORWALK — Failing to score in the first half, the Shelby Whippets rallied to mark up two touchdowns in the third quarter to clinch a victory.

Whippet end Dave McCoy, 165-pound junior, recovered a Norwalk fumble on the Truckers' 13-yard line on the kick-off, starting action in the second half.

Halfbacks Steve Wheeler and Garry Bly combined efforts to get the ball to Norwalk's three-yard marker. Bly hit pay dirt for the Whippets' first touchdown.

For the second Whippet touchdown, Brown passed 25 yards to End Scott Copeland. 180-pound senior, mid-way in the third period.

Whippet end Fred Finn, 180-pound junior, tried a field goal from Norwalk's 11-yard line. The ball went wide to the left of the goal posts. Norwalk's closest scoring effect came late in the fourth period.

Trucker Randy McGuckin, 215-pound junior tackle, recovered a Shelby fumble on the Whippets' 14-yard line. Quarterback Ned Lughridge passed eight yards to End Kevin Fogg to Shelby's six-yard marker. Halfbacks Scott Twitchell and Bill Albright carried the ball to Shelby's one yard line, where the Whippets held the Truckers for downs to get the ball.

STATISTICS
By HAZEL GRAY

	Shel.	Nor.
First Downs	11	7
Rushing Yardage	167	89
Passing Yardage	25	66
Passes	2-3	4-15
Passes Intercepted By	1	1
Punts	2-40.5	2-30.5
Fumbles Lost	3	3
Yards Penalized	8-57	0-0

Both the Shelby Whippet and Norwalk Marching Bands appeared on the half time program. The Trucker's Band honored their senior members' parents.

SHELBY

ENDS — Copeland, Dowds, Lord, Eyler, Dave McCoy, Finn, Steele, Jim McCoy. TACKLES — Hamman, Cornett, Leonhardt. GUARDS — Palacios, Kerr, Joe Wheeler, Russell. CENTER — Jones. BACKS — Brown, Sampsel, Cirata, Bly, Steve Wheeler, Dennis, Anderson, Steele.

NORWALK

ENDS — Sweet, Kerkhoff, Fogg. TACKLES — Harkness, Shrader, Benedict, White, McGuckin, Borgia. GUARDS — Kullman, Stark, Leto, Capara. CENTER — Christlip. BACKS — Twitchell, Don Sweet, Hershey, Wilde, Loughridge, Laycock, Pugh, Albright.

SCORING

Shelby	0	0	14	0	—14
Norwalk	0	0	0	0	—0

SHELBY

TOUCHDOWNS — Bly (three-yard run), Copeland (25-yard pass from Brown).

EXTRA POINTS — Copeland 2 (pass).

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Willard . . .

BELLEVUE — Willard handed Bellevue its second consecutive shutout here last night in a Northern Ohio League game.

Steve Schwan scored both of Willard's touchdowns in the first quarter. With 4:46 remaining on the clock he ran five yards to begin the scoring and nearly three-and-a-half minutes later ran a yard for the second score.

STATISTICS

	Will.	Bell.
First Downs	17	8
Rushing Yardage	252	92
Passing Yardage	35	34
Passes	2-5	5-14
Passes Intercepted By	3	0
Punts	3-30.3	4-35.7
Fumbles Lost	1	1
Yards Penalized	84	13

Leading rushers for Willard were Dan Danulof with 97 yards in 16 carries and Steve Seibert with 90 in 26 attempts. Chuck Baptista paced Bellevue with 59 yards in 16 carries.

SCORING

Willard	12	0	0	0	—12
Bellevue	0	0	0	0	—0

WILLARD

TOUCHDOWNS — Schwan 2 (five-yard run, one-yard run).

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Galion . . .

GALION — Ken Cristy and Nick Kottyan paced Galion to its overwhelming victory over Upper Sandusky here last night.

Cristy led all ground gainers with 102 yards in 13 carries, while Kottyan netted 82 yards in 15 carries and ran for two touchdowns, both coming on 10-yard jaunts.

STATISTICS

	US	Gal
First Downs	10	14
Rushing Yardage	109	296
Passing Yardage	46	9
Passes	2-5	1-7
Passes Intercepted By	0	2
Punts	4-30	2-40.5
Fumbles Lost	1	0
Yards Penalized	5	25

Galion never trailed, piling up 10-3, 17-3 and 24-3 quarter advantages. Upper Sandusky's scoring came on a 28-yard field goal by Kevin Binau.

John Evans scored Galion's first touchdown on a three-yard run and Chip Durtschi sprinted 16 yards for the final six-pointer. In between, Kottyan scored two touchdowns and Jeff Poffenbaugh used his toe to add three extra points and a 22-yard field goal.

Doug DeTray led Upper Sandusky with 46 yards in 15 rushing attempts.

SCORING

Upper Sandusky	3	0	0	0	—3
Galion	10	7	7	8	—32

UPPER SANDUSKY

FIELD GOAL — Binau (28 yards).

GALION

TOUCHDOWNS — Evans (three-yard run), Kottyan 2 (10-yard run, 10-yard run), Durtschi (16-yard run).

EXTRA POINTS — Poffenbaugh 3 (kicks), Cristy 2 (run).

FIELD GOAL — Poffenbaugh (22 yards).

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Bucyrus . . .

BUCYRUS — Tom Lonsway led Tiffin Columbian to its Northern Ohio League high school football victory over Bucyrus Friday night.

Lonsway, junior fullback, scored three of Tiffin's six touchdowns on runs of seven, four and four yards.

STATISTICS

	TC	Buc
First Downs	11	7
Rushing Yardage	147	89
Passing Yardage	25	66
Passes	2-3	4-15
Passes Intercepted By	1	1
Punts	2-40.5	2-30.5
Fumbles Lost	3	3
Yards Penalized	8-57	0-0

Doug Albert added two scores on a 17-yard run and a two-yard run. Bill Focht reached the board on a three-yard run.

Albert paced rushers with 157 yards on 14 carries for the Tornadoes.

SCORING

Tiffin Columbian	14	14	14	0	—42
Bucyrus	0	0	0	0	—0

TIFFIN COLUMBIAN

TOUCHDOWNS — Albert 2 (17-yard run, two-yard run), Lonsway 3 (seven-yard run, four-yard run four-yard run), Focht (three-yard run).

EXTRA POINTS — Egbert 6 (kicks).

Lutz Advances

COLOGNE, Germany (UPI) — Bob Lutz of Los Angeles continued his domination against Australian pros with a 6-4, 7-6 victory over Rod Laver Friday in a world professional tennis tour match. Lutz defeated Roy Emerson Thursday in tourney play.

Change in Leadership

Buffalo Tops Cleveland, 111-109

The Associated Press

"I'm losing a million dollars, and I want to make a change," snapped owner Paul Snyder of the Buffalo Braves in announcing that scout Johnny McCarthy had been named to replace Dolph Schayes as coach.

Snyder's change, made one day after Buffalo had been swamped by Seattle 123-90 in its opening game of the National Basketball Association season, proved beneficial.

McCarthy, in his first game as coach, guided the Braves to a dramatic 111-109 overtime victory over the Cleveland Cavaliers Friday night.

In other NBA games, Los Angeles walloped Detroit, 132-103; the Golden State Warriors routed Boston, 97-75; Chicago crushed Baltimore, (106-82) and Seattle overpowered Portland, 119-88.

Buffalo's Walt Hazzard led all scorers with 35 points, 27 after intermission. John Johnson had 22 points for Cleveland.

Los Angeles, making its debut under Coach Bill Sharman who piloted the Utah Stars to the American Basketball Association title last season, overwhelmed Detroit with a balanced offense, paced by Wilt Chamberlain's 26 points and Jim McMillian's 25.

Bob Lanier topped Detroit with 25 points, but scored only one point in the second half.

The Pistons played without all-pro guard Dave Bing, who underwent surgery earlier Friday for a detached retina in his right eye.

Jeff Mullins led the Warriors with 28 points, while Jo Jo White was high for the Celtics with 22. Boston's John Havlicek, the league's second highest scorer last season, managed only six points against Golden State.

Bob Love, game high scorer with 31 points, triggered an early Chicago outburst.

Spencer Haywood and Lenny Wilkins each scored 23 points for the Sonics.

Buffalo 111				Cleveland 109			
G	F	T			G	F	T
2	2	6	Chambers	Sorensn	6	0	12
3	4	10	Kauffmn	BSmith	9	3	21
6	3	5	ESmith	Wesley	8	1	17
15	5	35	Hazrd	Johnson	8	6	22
8	2	18	Garrett	CDavis	7	5	19
2	11	15	Bryant	Patrsn	2	0	4
0	0	0	MDavis	Rackley	4	0	8
5	2	12	Hosket	Warren	2	0	4
0	0	0	Hummer	Washmtn	0	2	2
				Howard	0	0	0
41	29	111	Totals	Totals	46	17	109

Buffalo	15	28	29	39	—111
Cleveland	33	21	28	19	—109

Personal fouls: Bryant 4, Garrett 3, Hazard 5, Hosket, Hummer 2, Kauffman 5, E. Smith 4, C. Davis 4, Johnson 4, Patterson 2, Rackley, B. Smith 3, Sorenson 5, Warren 2, Washington 4, Wesley 2.

Total Fouls: Buffalo 24, Cleveland 27

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Edison High Tops Firelands League

Monroeville High School spoiled at least three things for Norwalk St. Paul in Firelands Conference football action last night, and Milan Edison walked into sole possession of first place.

The Eagles (3-1 in FC and 5-1 overall) halted a perfect slate of five victories posted by St. Paul (3-1 and 5-1) by a 19-0 score, knocked the Flyers out of a first-place share and scuttled their top five Class A rating in Ohio. Edison (4-0 and 5-1) shutout Collins Western Reserve (1-3 and 1-5), 19-0, to hold its lead. Elsewhere in the conference, Mapleton (2-2 and 3-2-1) swept past South Central (0-4 and 1-5), 33-20, and Black River (2-2 and 2-4) tripped New London (1-3 and 3-3), 22-20. Mard Jones scored twice for Monroeville on runs of one and 45 yards.

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Mapleton . . .

POLK — It was a happy Homecoming here last night as the Mapleton Mounties scored five touchdowns to defeat South Central.

Joe Collins, with a touchdown and 130 yards gained in 27 carries, led the Mapleton attack that netted 334 yards. Five different players scored touchdowns for Mapleton, the longest scoring play coming on a 12-yard pass from Ed Kemery to Mike Gault.

STATISTICS

	S.C.	Map.
First Downs	5	17
Rushing Yardage	187	277
Passing Yardage	189	57
Passes	6-18	3-6
Passes Intercepted By	1	1
Punts	1-41	2-27.5
Fumbles Lost	0	2
Yards Penalized	6	5-53

Chuck Rinehard tallied all three touchdowns for South Central. The 5-11 junior tailback was on the receiving end of two touchdown passes (40 and 48 yards) from Guy Ebinger after scoring a third-quarter touchdown on a 12-yard run.

SCORING

South Central	0	0	6	14	—20
Mapleton	0	13	13	7	—33

SOUTH CENTRAL

TOUCHDOWNS — Rhinehart 3 (12 yard run, 48-yard pass from Ebinger, 40-yard pass from Ebinger).

EXTRA POINTS — Howard 2 (kicks).

MAPLETON

TOUCHDOWNS — Collins (one-yard run), Gault (12-yard pass from Kemery), Myers (one-yard run), Iceman (four-yard run), Reynolds (one-yard run).

EXTRA POINTS — Murtaugh 3 (kicks).

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Black River

NEW LONDON — Black River powdered New London with 16 points in the third quarter and held off a Wildcat fourth quarter rally for its victory here last night.

The Pirates and New London went into the second half with a 6-6 tie before Terry Chapman and Don Kostecki each scored a touchdown apiece to boost the win.

STATISTICS

	N.L.	B.R.
First Downs	10	13
Rushing Yardage	156	213
Passing Yardage	22	49
Passes	4-12	4-10
Passes Intercepted By	1	0
Punts	5-30.0	3-26.0
Fumbles Lost	1	2
Yards Penalized	50	85

New London scored once in the final stanza on a two-yard run by Mark Mullins.

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL
At New London

New London	0	6	6	8	—20
Black River	6	0	16	0	—22

NEW LONDON

TOUCHDOWNS — Harris (eight-yard run, one-yard run), Mullins (two-yard run).

EXTRA POINTS — Williams 2 (run).

BLACK RIVER

TOUCHDOWNS — Power (three-yard run), Chapman (one-yard run), Kostecki (two-yard run).

EXTRA POINTS — Kast 2 (run), Power 2 (run).

Zender Tops Qualifying in Palm Beach

PALM BEACH GARDENS, Fla. (UPI) — Bob Zender, a 28-year-old Purdue grad from Skokie, Ill., was the man to catch today as prospective golf pros headed into the sixth and final round of the gruelling PGA qualifying tournament.

Zender fired a 71 Friday to seize a one-stroke lead over faltering Lanny Wadkins with a 356. Wadkins, of Richmond, Va., stumbled in with a 75 Friday. Another shot back at 358 was Tom Watson of Kansas City, who shot a 71.

Alan Miller of Pensacola, Fla., shot a 67 and tied for fourth with Sam Adams of Boone, N.C. 70 and Steve Melnyk of Jacksonville, Fla. 72 at 359.

Hockey Swap

CHICAGO (UPI) — The Chicago Black Hawks acquired center Andre Lacroix from the Philadelphia Flyers for Defenseman Rick Foley.

Golden Seals Pull Quick Pilot Switch

OAKLAND, Calif. (UPI) — The California Golden Seals could break a few league scoring records this season — and not win a game.

They dropped their wildest one yet in the lone NHL contest Friday when Vancouver bounced back from a four goal deficit to pull out a 9-6 decision and spoil the debut of the new Seals mentor Vic Stasiuk.

Coach Fred Glover was fired and former Philadelphia Coach Stasiuk hired a few hours before the game.

Another disappointing Oakland crowd of 4,063 watched flashy Seals rookie Bobby Sheehan hit a hat trick in vain as Orland Kurtenbach and Andre Boudrais each scored twice for Vancouver. Dennis Kearns, Bobby Schmautz, John Schellal, Pat Quinn and Murray Hall also registered for the winners, now 2-2.

The Seals are two losses and two ties and all their games have been high-scoring games.

FIGHT RESULTS

PORTLAND, Maine (UPI) — Charlie Wilburn, 137, New York, outpointed Irish Beau Jaynes, 138, Lowell, Mass., (10); Lennie Hardin, 164, Rahway, N.J., knocked out Earl Scott, 158, New York (3).

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