Willard knocks out Norwalk, 27-13

snapped a two-game losing streak at the expense of rival Norwalk Friday night.

The Crimson Flashes had four different players reach paydirt in the 27-13 win and featured a balanced attack with 162 yards rushing and 172 through the air on 7 of 10 completed passes.

"It's nice to get back on the winning side. Norwalk took it to us early but our defense played much better in the second half and the offense did a better job, too," said Willard head coach Terry King, after watching his team hike its record to 5-2 overall, 2-2 in the NOL.

"We couldn't stop the off-tackle plays in the first half but made some adjustments and put challenges up to our players and they responded," added

The game was deadlocked at 13-all late in the second period when Chad Blunt hauled in a 7yard pass from Matt Harwood with just 38 seconds left before halftime. Chris Elmlinger booted the conversion and gave the Flashes a 20-13 lead which they never relinquished.

Then, Todd Kennard hauled in a 55-yard pass from Harwood with 11:48 left in the game and Elmlinger booted the

PAT for icing on the cake.

However, Chris Rothhaar
proved to be the favorite target of Harwood, grabbing 5 passes for 110 yards which left him one shy of the school record. In the first quarter, he hauled in a 58-yard pass for a score which gave Willard a brief 13-7 lead.

But, Carl Jackson came back with his second score of the

dirt, with 4:39 left before halftime and John Freeland added the conversion to knot the count at 13-all.

Earlier in the game, Jeremy Jump had scored on a 51-yard run for Willard while Jackson scored from two yards out for the Truckers, who drop to 2-5 overall and 0-4 in the NOL.

Jump gained 79 yards on just 7 carries while Blunt also gained 79 on 18 carries and Jackson paced Norwalk with 24 carries for 79 yards.

"We just didn't adjust to the wide-out throwing in the first half and didn't react well. We hoped for a better defensive effort and have underwent a major offensive overhaul. But, the kids practiced and played hard," said Norwalk mentor Scott Thompson.

Bellevue 9 Galion 7

BELLEVUE - For the second time in three years, Bellevue used a field goal to nudge past Galion.

In 1986, a field goal by Brad Schubert proved the difference as the Redmen prevailed, 3-0.

Friday, it was an 18-yarder by Ben Dennis with 10:53 left in the game that provided Bellevue with the margin of victory in a 9-7 triumph over the Tigers.

Thus, the Redmen move to 4-3 overall and 2-2 in the Northern Ohio League while Galion falls to 2-5 overall and 1-3 in the league.

Bellevue got on the board first in the contest on a 37-yard pass from Kyle Pifher to Steve Schaefer with 7:44 left in the opening period. However, the Redmen failed to convert and went up, 6-0.

Galion came back in the third quarter, scoring on a 24-yard pass from Mike Dallas to Brad Monnett. Steve Staton came on to split the uprights on the PAT attempt and the Tigers forged ahead, 7-6, with 4:29 to play in the period.

The Redmen had a big edge in statistics with 305 total yards gained to just 169 for Galion. And, Pifher completed 15 of 28 passes for 194 yards and suffered two interceptions.

Bucyrus 33 Shelby 26

BUCYRUS - Bucyrus used a score with 2:03 left in the game to pull past Shelby, 33-26, in Northern Ohio League action Friday.

Shawn Riley scored his second touchdown of the game on an 11-yard run late in the fourth quarter to break a 26-26 tie and give the Redmen the

Bucyrus is now 4-0 in the league (5-2 overall) and tied for first with the Tiffin Columbian, while the Whippets fall to 1-3 in the NOL and 1-6 overall.

The Redmen opened the scoring with 6:04 left in the first quarter on a 6-yard run from Riley and Craig Kozinski added the extra point, but Shelby bounced back when Bryce Haller galloped 45 yards for a touchdown.

The Redmen opened up a 20-6 advantage in the second quarter on a 5-yard scoring run by touchdown pass from Fisher to Tim Plumley.

The Whippets closed the gap to 20-12 on a 23-yard scoring run from Bob Pena, but Fisher and Plumley hooked up for a 16-yard touchdown pass to regain the 14-point advantage.

Corey Schuck bulled over from the three for Shelby at the end of the third quarter and Haller hit Tim Ewing with a 10yard scoring strike with 7:59 left to play to close the gap to

The Whippets tied the score when Haller hooked up with Pena on the two-point conversion which set the stage for the dramatic finish by Bucyrus.

Tiffin 20 U-Sandusky 13

TIFFIN - Tiffin Columbian was forced to rally with a pair of scores in the final nine minutes of the game to retain a share of the league lead.

Upper Sandusky, 3-4 overall and 2-2 in the league, held a 13-7 lead heading into the final

But, the Tornadoes came storming back with Jim Newland scoring on a one-yard plunge at the 8:46 mark to draw the hosts even at 13-13.

Then, Joey Goodman hauled in a 9-yard pass from Newland and Matt Ash booted the conversion with just 2:51 left in the game to give the Tornadoes their fourth straight win.

The victory helped Tiffin stay even with Bucyrus at the top of the league standings, both teams with 4-0 records. Tiffin is 4-

PREP FOOTBALL

Ohio High School Football Results

Akr Coventry 27, West Holmes 15 Akr Garfield 26, Akr Firestone 10

Akr Hoban 34, Cle Benedictine 0

Akr Kenmore 19, Akr Cent-Hower 7 Akr Manchester 43, Clear Fork 7 Akr North 13, Akr Ellet 0 Allen East 25, Spencerville 0 Anderson 16, Glen Este 0 Ansonia 26, Arcanum 14 Anthony Wayne 28, Millbury Lake 6 Antwerp 20, Hilltop 14 Archbold 40, Patrick Henry 0 Arlington 30, Arcadia 0 Ashland 19, Marion Harding 0 Asht Harbor 13, Jefferson 7 (20t) Ashtabula 35, Asht St John 0 Athens 33, Marietta 0 Aurora 36, Middlefield Cardinal 6 Avon Lake 16, Bay Village Bay 14 Ayersville 26, Holgate 0 Barberton 36, Ravenna 0 Barnesville 13, Shadyside 0 Batavia 22, Lockland 7 Beachwood 28, Burton Berkshire 13 Beallsville 28, Waterford 0 Beavercreek 28, Spring N 21 (ot) Bedford 27, Mentor 21 (2ot) Bedford Chanel 10, Cle Cen Cath 3 Bellaire 18, Wintersville 7 Bellevue 9, Galion 7 Belpre 40, Hemlock Miller 0 Berea 13, Medina 3 Berea Midpark 22, Brunswick 14 Big Walnut 27, Buckeye Valley 13 Black River 47, S Central 0
Bloom-Carroll 27, Licking Hts 6
Bluffton 14, Upper Scioto Valley 6
Bowling Green 17, Sylvania Southview 14
Bradford 28, National Trail 27 (ot)
Brooksville 28 Strongsville 2 Brecksville 28, Strongsville 2 Brookville 41, Day Northridge 7 Bryan 34, Swanton 30 Buckeye N 24, Union Local 21 Buckeye SW 37, Martins Ferry 13 Bucyrus 33, Shelby 26 Buffalo (WVa) 33, Chesapeake 0 Cadiz 34, Wellsville 21 Caldwell 19, Frontier 18 Cambridge 35, Wheeling (WVa) Linsly 6 Campbell 31, Beaver Local 6 Canal Fulton NW 21, Wooster Triway 8 Canal Winchester 42, Berne Union Canfield 17, Struthers 6 Carey 21, Buckeye Central 7 Carlisle 49, Middletown Madison 7 Cedarville 41, Yellow Springs 0 Centerburg 28, Lucas 0 Centerville 16, Kett Fairmont 14 Ceredo-Kenova (WVa) 21, South Point 7 Cin Aiken 31, Mount Healthy 20 Cin Bacon 27, Cin St Xavier 21 Cin Country Day 22, Madeira 3 Cin Elder 36, Cin Moeller 33 Cin Hughes 30, Cin Taft 6 Cin Oak Hills 34, Cin Woodward 0 Cin Princeton 19, Lima Sr 13 (ot) Cin Purcell 42, Cin LaSalle 7 Cin Reading 31, Western Brown 16 Cin Sycamore 33, Milford 21 Cin Walnut Hills 33, Cin Northwest 7 Cin Withrow 26, Cin Turpin 7 Cle Glenville 22, Cle John Hay 0 Cle John Adams 32, Cle Rhodes 7 Cle South 9, Cle East Tech 0 Cle St Ignatius 34, Cle St Joseph 9 Clermont N'eastern 35, Bethel-Tate 7 Clinton-Massie 26, E Clinton 8 Coal Grove 34, Rock Hill 13 Col Academy 55, Jonathan Alder 6 Col Beechcroft 17, Col Mifflin 3 Col Brookhaven 34, Col Linden 21 Col Eastmoor 8, Col South 6 Col Ham Twp 35, Lancaster Fisher 14 Col Independence 24, Col East 14 Col Mar-Frank 29, Col Briggs 22 Col Ready 35, Col Wherle 12 Col Watterson 7, Col Hartley 0 Col West 20 Col Walnut Ridge 7 Col Whetstone 39, Col Centennial 0 Colerain 20, Cin Western Hills 8 Colonel Crawford 8, Scyamore Mohawk 7 Columbiana Crestview 28, Min Ridge 27 Columbus Grove 14, Ada 6 Conneaut 13, Ashtabula Edgewood 0 Cortland Lakeview 9, Brookfield 7 Crestline 41. Mount Gilead 14 Cuyahoga Hts 13, Cle Lutheran W 12 Day Jefferson 28, Tipp City 0 Day Wayne 36, Fairborn 7 Deer Park 36, Loveland 7 Delaware 17, Col Franklin Hts 14 Delphos St Johns 17, St Henry 13 Delta 28, Montpelier 0 Diamond Southeast 13, Crestwood 10 Dover 34, Carrollton 15 Doylestown 21, Hillsdale 18 Dublin 6, Marysville 0 E Knox 23, Johnstown Northridge 22 East Palestine 27, Labrae 21 Eaton 14, New Lebanon Dixie 13 Elida 43, Defiance 7 Elyria 10, Lorain Admiral King 0 Elyria Cath 23, East Canton 20 Elyria West 22, Lorain Clearview 12 Euclid 42, Eastlake North 0 Fairbanks 33, DeGraff Riverside 3 Fairfield 35, W Chester Lakota 3 Field 14, Copley 0 Forest Park 14, Amelia 7 Fort Frye 6, Shenandoah 0 Frankfort Adena 21, Westfall 13 Franklin 7, Middletown Fenwick 6 Fredericktown 13, Cardington 7 Fremont St Joseph 35, N Baltimore 7 Garrettsville 25, Newton Falls 0 Greenfield 11, Circleville 8 Groveport 27, Galloway Westland 0

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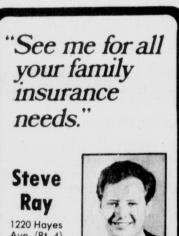
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Whitehall 14, Chillicothe 13
Willard 27, Norwalk 13 Williamsburg 21, New Richmond 6 Woodmore 35, Elmwood 8 Worthington 34, Grove City 16 Wynford 17, Ridgedale 0

Jeff Fisher and a 24-yard game, a 4-yard burst to pay-Monroeville sends FC contender reeling

PLYMOUTH — Monroeville continues to have Plymouth's



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The Eagles, following a 21-6 win Friday night, have won six of the seven meetings between the two since Plymouth joined the Firelands Conference in

But, it didn't come easy for the sixth-ranked Eagles, who are now 7-0 overall and 5-0 in the Firelands Conference.

In fact, they were leading by a scant point (7-6) until a twoyard run by Joe Lindenberger and conversion by Eric Dickman put them ahead by a 14-6 score with just 22 seconds left before intermission.

And, they were able to ice it with a second half score by Jerry Morrow on a one-yard burst up the middle and Dickman again converted with 7:05 left in the third quarter, giving the visitors a 21-6 advantage.

Plymouth, losers only to Western Reserve (14-6) before Friday, dropped to 5-2 overall and 3-2 in the Firelands.

The only score by the Big Red came on a 10-yard run by Chuck Deskins with 2:23 left before halftime.

That came after Monroeville had went ahead at the 6:17 mark of the first period on a 15yard pass from Lindenberger

to John Anderson and Dickman booted the first of his three con-

Both teams suffered two turnovers with Plymouth running off 69 offensive plays including 33 passes while Monroeville snapped the ball 46 times but still outgained the opponent, 275-228.

New London 27 W-Reserve 12

quarterback Robbie Lavengood passed for two touchdowns and Cory Dendinger rushed for 152 yards, leading New London to a 27-12 waxing of Western Reserve in Firelands Conference action Friday night.

The victory boosts the winners to 3-3 in the conference and 4-3 overall, while the Roughriders, with their third straight loss, drop to 2-3 in the FC and 4-3 for the season.

Lavengood, who shared the quarterbacking duties with senior Mike Abfall, opened the game at the helm and put the Wildcats on top early with a 19yard toss to Bobby Wilson at the 4:39 mark. Wilson then shifted from receiver to kicker

and split the uprights to make the score 7-0.

The normally high-powered Roughrider offense couldn't move the football, but a huge special teams' play closed the gap to 7-6 when Dane Burke fielded a New London punt and raced 63 yards for the score.

Abfall took over at quarterback in the second quarter and also found Wilson alone, this time for a 10-yard touch-NEW LONDON - Freshman down toss. The extra point try failed, and the hosts went into intermission with a 13-6 lead.

> The margin was extended to 14, 20-6, with 7:13 left in the third on a Lavengood 32-yard strike to Cory Dendinger. But another New London punting mistake put Western Reserve back in the game, when an errant snap sailed over the punter's head and came to rest at the one yard line. It took the 'Riders just one play to score as Jim Fritz ran the ball into the end zone.

> But the Western Reserve offense could not make up the gap, and Mike Abfall's oneyard scoring run at the 10:15 mark iced the game.

GOLF

Clyde's Stallard to state

FREMONT - Clyde's Kevin Stallard survived a three-player playoff to earn a bid to the Class AA state golf tournament next Friday and Saturday.

Stallard carded an 81 as did Dave Voight of Perkins and Craig Huber of Wauseon during Friday's Class AA regional at Fremont Country Club.

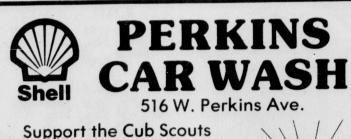
Thus, a playoff was needed to find the second and third place finishers behind Ed Sladerbeck, who took top honors with a 79. Stallard parred the first playoff hole while Huber and Voight checked in with bogeys. Then, Huber birdied the second playoff hole while Voight was eliminated with a par.

Only the top three individuals

earned a berth for the state tournament along with the top three teams which included Upper Sandusky (324), Van Wert (340) and Richfield Raverre (341). Port Clinton was ninth among the 12 teams with a 363 total.

Also competing as individuals were Huron's Jeff Majestic with a 92 and Willard's C.J. Ousley with an 88.

Voight, who was the lowest scoring player in the Sandusky Bay Conference this season, won district honors with a 74.



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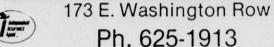
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