

Galion, Columbian will meet for title

After six weeks of the Northern Ohio League season have been completed two teams stand atop the standings sporting unblemished 9-0 records and will meet for the league title on Friday.

Both Galion and Tiffin Columbian head into next week's encounter at Columbian Stadium with one thing on their mind—winning the NOL title.

Getting ready for the title game was no problem for the Tigers who scored a season-high 73 points in their shutout win over Bucyrus. Tiffin on the other hand scored a pair of second half touchdowns to beat fiery Norwalk 28-12.

In the other pair of league contests, Shelby was beaten for the second week in a row, this time falling at the hands of the Willard Flashes 24-12. Also on Friday Bellevue beat Upper Sandusky 24-7.

Galion.....73
Bucyrus.....0

GALION—Rob Monnett set a pair of Galion school records in his team's rout of the Redmen playing before the home fans for the last time in his high school days.

The senior halfback rushed for 225 yards on 13 carries for three touchdowns and a two-point conversion, while setting school standards in career yards rushing and total points scored.

The Tigers as a team totaled 474 yards on the ground while holding the Redmen to a negative six. Bill Cherry, the Redmen rushing leader, was held to minus two yards on fifteen carries.

Prep standings

Northern Ohio League		
Tiffin	9-0	6-0
Galion	9-0	6-0
Willard	6-3	4-2
Shelby	5-4	3-3
Bucyrus	4-5	2-4
Bellevue	4-5	2-4
Norwalk	2-7	1-5
Upper Sandusky	0-9	0-6

Friday's Games		
Willard 24	Shelby 12	
Tiffin Columbian 28	Norwalk 12	
Bellevue 24	Upper Sandusky 7	
Galion 73	Bucyrus 0	

Next Friday's Games		
Shelby at Upper Sandusky		
Galion at Tiffin Columbian		
Norwalk at Bellevue		
Bucyrus at Willard		

North Central Conference		
Pleasant	8-1	7-1
Buckeye Central	7-2	7-1
Mohawk	7-2	6-2
Corey	6-3	5-3
River Valley	5-4	5-3
Elgin	5-4	4-4
Ridgedale	3-6	2-6
Wynford	2-7	2-6
Colonel Crawford	2-7	1-7
Riverdale	1-8	1-7

Friday's Games		
River Valley 22	Riverdale 19	
Corey 3	Colonel Crawford 0 (ot)	
Marion Pleasant 14	Mohawk 13 (ot)	
Marion Elgin 22	Wynford 21	

Penalties are plentiful

Plymouth rambles past South Central 29-26

PLYMOUTH—A four touchdown barrage lifted Plymouth from a first quarter deficit and carried the Big Red to a 29-26 victory over South Central Friday night in Firelands Conference play.

South Central grabbed an 8-0 lead on Steve Dotson's 42-yard run and point-after-touchdown conversion with 9:01 on the first quarter clock, but the hosts rebounded with two touchdowns each in the second and third quarters.

Bill Castle's one-yard plunge cut the SC lead to 8-6 with 10:31 to play in the first half and the

NOL roundup

Galion raced to an early 27-0 lead after the first quarter was finished, and held leads of 47-0 at the half, and 60-0 following the first three stanzas.

Columbian.....28
Norwalk 12

NORWALK—Jeff Bierly led the Tornados to their ninth win of the season with 132 yards rushing and three touchdowns as Tiffin downed Norwalk 28-12.

Bierly's biggest run of the evening, a 45-yarder, was the winning score of the contest in the third quarter with 0:33 to go.

The Trickers were plagued by three turnovers in their bid for an upset.

Bellevue.....24

Spirits outkick Force

PITTSBURGH (UPI)—Helmut Dudek scored a goal with 1:03 left Friday night to give the Pittsburgh Spirit a 6-5 victory over the Cleveland Force in the opening Major Indoor Soccer League game for both teams before 10,483 fans.

Cleveland took an early 2-0 lead but Pittsburgh rallied with three power play goals in the final four minutes of the first half to go ahead 3-2.

Kai Haaskivi tallied a power play goal at 10:09 of the fourth quarter for Cleveland to tie the score at 5-5 before Dudek found the back of the net for the game winner.

Prep standings

Buckeye Central 42, Ridgedale 7		
Next Friday's Games		
Ridgedale at Riverdale		
River Valley at Carey		
Colonel Crawford at Marion Pleasant		
Mohawk at Wynford		

Next Saturday's Game		
Marion Elgin at Buckeye Central		

Firelands Conference		
North Division		
Monroeville	5-3	4-1
Norwalk St. Paul	5-3	4-1
Western Reserve	6-3	3-3
Edison	3-6	2-4
New London	0-9	0-6

South Division		
Black River	9-0	5-0
Crestview	6-3	4-2
Plymouth	6-3	3-3
South Central	3-6	2-4
Mapleton	4-5	1-5

Friday's Games		
Edison 9	New London 0	
Mapleton 20	Western Reserve 13	
Black River 61	Crestview 7	
Plymouth 29	South Central 26	

Tonight's Game		
Monroeville at Norwalk St. Paul		

Next Friday's Games		
Edison at Monroeville		
New London at Black River		
Crestview at South Central		
Plymouth at Mapleton		

Next Saturday's Game		
Western Reserve at Norwalk St. Paul		

Big Red took the lead for good following a 6-yard run by Chuck Deskins at 1:21 in the second frame.

Plymouth quarterback Troy Keene completed touchdown passes of 59 and 11-yards to Steve Hall and Jamie Brown, respectively to help PHS build a 29-8 lead.

The Trojans rallied on a safety, two touchdowns and a pair of extra point conversions for 18 fourth quarter points.

Keene was 15-for-19 passes for 227 yards and Hall was on the end of six passes for 109 yards. South Central rushed for 162

Upper Sandusky.....7

UPPER SANDUSKY—The Rams out-rushed the visiting Redmen but came up on the short end of the 24-7 score as Bellevue used their passing attack to set up the scoring runs that won the game.

Ed Haynes led the Redmen in rushing with 88 yards on 18 carries and a pair of touchdowns and a two-point conversion run.

For the Rams Ryan Frye rushed 22 times for 133 yards to be the game's leading rusher.

Bellevue overcame a total of five turnovers to hold off the Rams.

Going into the final week of NOL play, Galion will invade Tiffin looking for the league title that has eluded them since 1978. In other games Shelby will travel to Upper Sandusky, Willard host Bucyrus, and Norwalk is at Bellevue.

Paul Child paced Pittsburgh with two goals and one assist.

Sports brief

HONOLULU, Oct. 25 (UPI)—Thirty-eight members of an Australian football team were kicked off a Qantas Airways flight Thursday for causing a melee that damaged the interior of the plane. The team was headed on a vacation flight to Los Angeles.

Simon Beasley, a forward with the Footscray squad, admitted that "three or four" of the players became "a bit rowdy," but claimed that the airline over-reacted when it ordered the team off the plane after it landed at Honolulu International Airport.

Cavs drop NBA opener to Bulls

CHICAGO (UPI)—Michael Jordan was "hot" but still missed a jump shot in the final seconds of regulation time, which would have given the Chicago Bulls a victory over the Cleveland Cavaliers.

So last year's NBA rookie of the year fired in seven points in overtime to lift the Bulls to a 116-115 triumph Friday night in the season opener for both clubs.

"I felt hot but it just wouldn't go down," said Jordan of his final shot in regulation time. If it had gone in, it would have given the Bulls a 107-105 victory.

In the extra period, Jordan, who scored 29 points, hit a jump shot from the top of the key and Dave Corzine made a pair of free throws to put the Bulls up 109-105.

Roy Hinson hit one of two free throws to trim the lead to three

Prep scores

Ohio High School Football scores	
By United Press International	
Friday's Results	
Akr Garfield 35, Akr N 7	Akr Ellet 21, Akr Kentmore 6
Austintown-Fitch 22, Howland 6	Bellevue 24, Upper Sandusky 7
Boardman 30, Youngstown 6	Canal Fulton NW 20, Akr Marietta 14
Canton CC 28, Mass Jackson 7	Cle Luth W 14, Brooklyn 9
Cle CC 34, Bedford Chanel 21	Cle Collinwood 7, Cle W Tech 3
Cle Glenville 24, Cle John Hay 0	Cle Kennedy 26, Cle John Marshall 0
Cuyahoga Hts 14, Medina Buckeye 7	E Cle Shaw 28, Lakeside 8
East Liverpool 14, Salem 8	Elyria Cath 14, Mans Malabar 0
Euclyd 9, Bedford 6	Hild 14, Hudson 7
Girard 35, Confield 13	Hubbard 7, Young Wilson 6
Jackson Millton 24, Berlin Center WR 6	Lorain 20, Marion 7
Lynchburg Brush 20, Eastlake 0	Massillon 13, Mass Perry 3
McDonald 34, Louisville 14	Mentor 21, Mayfield 0
Newbury 14, Berkshire 6	Cle Allen 24, Val Forge 7
Perry 7, Middletown Cardinal 3	5 Range 18, Columbus 0
Solon 49, Chardon 7	Stanton 14, Southern Local 6
Steubenville 13, Youngs E 12	Streetsboro 44, Garrets-Gorfield 0
Struthers 19, Campbell 14	Uhrich 26, Mt Healthy 10
United Lac 31, Bergholt Spring 8	Warrensville 32, New Philo 7
Woodmore 44, Genoa 0	Worthington 13, Gahanna 10
Youngs Ursuline 22, Warren Harding 15	

Anderson 34, Millard 14	Arlington 56, Arcadia 24
Beaver Local 21, E Palestine 20	Bellefontaine 36, Clark NW 28
Bethel Tate 7, Western Brown 6	Cast Margarita 41, Tiffin Calvert 0
Cin CAPE 12, Ironton 0	Cin NW 14, Walnut Hills 7
Cin Akron 26, Mt Healthy 14	Cin Turpin 20, Glen Este 17
Cin Princeton 17, Midtown 6	Clark NE 34, St Paris Graham 0
Clermont NE 28, New Richmond 22	Fairfield 21, Hamilton 6
Forest Park 40, Amelia 0	Fostoria 14, Napoleon 0
Lincoln 26, Mt Healthy 16	Goshen 48, Williamsburg 0
Hom Ross 19, Blanchester 0	Hardin Northern 14, Cory-Rawson 6
Jamestown Greenview 10, Clark SE 7	Kenton Ridge 35, Enon Greenan 14
Lemon-Monroe 27, Ox Tallowanda 6	Little Benton 20, Leipsic 8
Lima 20, Findlay 16	Liberty 37, Liberty Center 0
Little Miami 14, Mason 0	Mariemont 35, Madeira 12
McComb 40, Vanlue 0	N Bend Taylor 42, N College Hill 12
Norwood 17, Cin McNicholas 14	Oak Hills 31, Cin Woodward 7
Oregon Street 22, Tal Libbey 6	Perryburg 43, Holland Spring 0
Rossford 31, Maumee 16	Springboro 49, Kings 20

Spring North 30, Day Stebbins 0	Tipp City 13, Spring Cath 0
Tal St John 21, Tal Rogers 20	Tal Whitmer 31, Bedford (MI) 0
Urbana 14, Spring Shawnee 0	W Chester Lakota 25, Lima 14
Wapakoneta 15, Celina 14	Western Hills 44, Coltrin 7
Wyoming 14, Deer Park 9	Allan E 22, Columbus Grove 14
Amanda 12, Fairfield Union 7	Berea 20, Brunswick 14
Besley 34, Dublin 7	Bel Walnut 33, London 0
Bluffton 41, Lima Perry 0	Buckeye Valley 24, Marysville 6
Caldwell 22, Fort Frye 0	Canal Winz 23, Millersport 0
Cal 5 28, Cals W 7	Col Brookhaven 22, Col E 14
Col Hartley 46, Col Werlie 6	Col Academy 29, Grandview 21
Col Desales 18, Col Waterson 6	Col Beechcroft 40, Mansfield 0
Col Linden 26, Cal Centennial 6	Col Eastmor 33, Cal Northland 8
Col Millin 13, Col Walnut Ridge 0	Col Whetstone 21, Col Independence 0
Crooksville 26, Marysville 25	Delphos Jefferson 50, Paulding 6
E Clinton 13, Madison Plains 12	Galion 73, Bucyrus 0
Grovesport 14, Grove City 6	Hebron Lakewood 35, Granville 12
Indian Lake 44, W Liberty Salem 31	Jackson 3, Portsmouth 2
Kent Roosevelt 37, Akr Spring 6	Kirtland 36, Aurora 6
Lancaster 24, Newark 0	Lodi 22, Bucyrus 0
Lima 20, Lima East 6	Lima Shawnee 14, Kenton 6
Lima Shawnee 14, Kenton 6	Louisville Val 20, Frank Fur Green 7
Mar Pleasant 11, Syc Mahawk 13	Marion Local 10, New Bremen 0
Meadowbrook 9, Frontier 0	Medina 28, Rocky River 22
Minster 14, Delphos St John 7	Moravia 15, Moravia 0
Minerva 14, Delphos St John 7	Olentangy 28, Jonathan Alder 24
Parkebury 36, Spencerville 7	Philo 35, W Muskingum 0
Pickerington 21, Delaware 8	Port 7, Wheelersburg 0
Riverside 20, Ridgeman 14	Roadstown 29, Crestview 6
Rockwood 29, Crestview 6	Till Columbia 26, Howard 12
Upper Arlington 48, Westland 0	Von Wert 17, Elida 0
W Jeff 34, N Union 7	Watkins Mem 34, Heath 14
Westerville N 48, Mt Vernon 6	Whitehall 30, Hilliard 23 (ot)
Willard 28, Willard 12	Windham 28, Woodridge 0
Archbold 22, Wauseon 19	Avon Lake 42, Olmsted Falls 6
Ayeraville 10, Tiraor 0	Boyet 20, Olmsted 13
Berea 20, Brunswick 14	Black River 61, Ashland Crestview 6
Black River 61, Ashland Crestview 6	Bryan 37, Liberty Center 0
Black River 61, Ashland Crestview 6	Chagrin Falls 27, Woodville 25 (3ot)
Black River 61, Ashland Crestview 6	Clyde 14, Sandusky Perkins 3
Black River 61, Ashland Crestview 6	Clayton Lakewood 18, Champion 0
Black River 61, Ashland Crestview 6	Cuyahoga Falls 24, Stow 12
Black River 61, Ashland Crestview 6	Delaware 31, Ott-Glandorf 28 (ot)
Black River 61, Ashland Crestview 6	Edgerton 31, Wayne Trace 6
Black River 61, Ashland Crestview 6	Evergreen 17, Montpellier 0
Black River 61, Ashland Crestview 6	Firelands B, Avon 7
Black River 61, Ashland Crestview 6	Fremont St Joe 26, Huron 2
Black River 61, Ashland Crestview 6	Hilltop 14, Hicksville 7

Powder Puff	
Results: Johnson (3) def Amstutz (1), Robertson (4) def Cattery (0), Bland (4) def Nashed (0), Cole (3) def Swank (1)	
High series Cheryl Hawk 547, Edna Cole 539, Barb Finnegan 499, Tink Johnson 478, Barb Burk 477, Michelle Cline 470, Nodine Wentz 456, Moe Cattery 455, Vicki Bland 455, Elaine Swank 454	
High game Cheryl Hawk 214, Edna Cole 196, Liz Whited 195, Millie Cline 189, Linda Curry 185, Barb Burk 184, Janet Bloom 180, Moe Cattery 177, Elaine Swank 169, Cynli Bricker 169	
Team high series Swank (1 784) Robertson (1 770), Bland (1 718)	
Team high games Swank (643) Robertson (628), Johnson (628)	
League standings Cole (14-2), Johnson (10-6), Amstutz (10-6), Robertson (9-8), Bland (7-9), Swank (7-9), Nashed (4-12) Cattery (4-12)	

Ladies' A' League	
Results: Cedar Bay Construction (4) def SPRC (0), Metzgar's (3) def Tech Form Industries (1), Shelby Printing (3) def Sandy's (1), Modern Tire (2) tied Shelby Mutual (2)	
High series B. Finnegan 552, D Deam 524, J. Cornelius 502, J Hipsher 495, A. Lovelace 494, C Ward 493	
High games J. Cornelius 210, L. Biglin 194, B Finnegan 192, J. Hipsher 192, D. Day 192, S. Houn 192	
Team high series: Metzgar's (2,964), Shelby Mutual (2,917), Modern Tire (2,901)	
Team high games Metzgar's (1,022), Shelby Printing (1,022), Shelby Mutual (1,019)	
League standings: Metzgar's (25-7), Shelby Printing (21 1/2 10 1/2), Cedar Bay Construction (17 1/2 14 1/2), Modern Tire (17-15), Sandy's (15-17), Shelby Mutual (13-19), SPRC (12-20), Tech Form Industries (7-25)	

OST Industrial	
High series Jim Gullett 738, Gary Martin 620, John Lewis 603, Ed Myers 595, Jeff Stump 591, Jamie Williams 582, Bill Kovach 576, Denny Milliron 570	
High games: Jim Gullett 265, Gary Martin 244, Bill Chomic 223, Bill Kovach 219, Denny Milliron 218, Ed Myers 215, John Lewis 212, Leonard Smith 211	

points, but then Jordan scored two straight baskets to give the Bulls their biggest lead in the overtime, 113-106, with 1:58 left.

The Cavs then scored nine straight points, the final two on two free throws by Hinson with 53 seconds to go, giving Cleveland a 115-113 advantage.

With 45 seconds remaining, Orlando Woolridge was fouled by Phil Hubbard. The Bulls' forward, who scored a gamehigh 35 points, hit both free throws to tie the contest.

After Cleveland's John Bagley missed a shot on a drive, Jordan was fouled by World B. Free with 22 second to go. Jordan hit the second of the two free throws for the game's winning point.

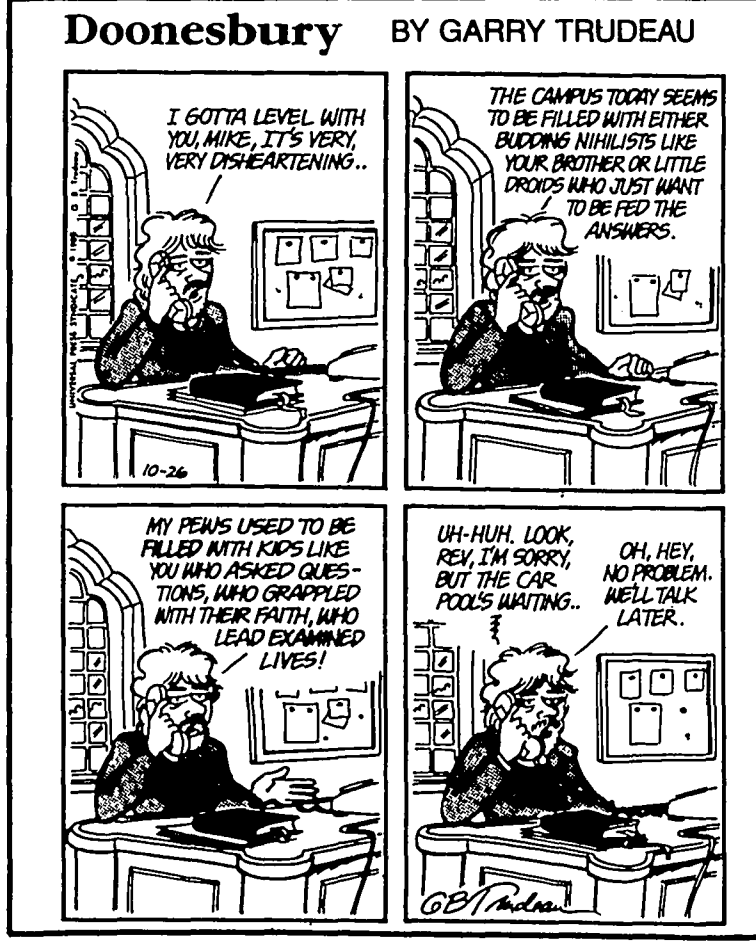
Hinson, who had 21 points, missed a shot in the final seconds and Corzine got the re-

bound, and then time expired. The victory was the first for new Bulls' coach Stan Albeck, who said, "I'm proud of our defensive stand along with Corzine's clutch rebounds at the end. He got the position and pulled them down."

Bowling

Results: Johnson (3) def Amstutz (1), Robertson (4) def Cattery (0), Bland (4) def Nashed (0), Cole (3) def Swank (1)

Free paced the Cavs with 27 points, his 15 first-half points all coming in the first quarter. "We had trouble getting World and Roy (Hinson) the ball in the second half," said Karl.



Beagles can be versatile for hunters

A beagle is a rabbit dog and no doubt about it, so when you get the urge to hunt bunnies a beagle is a natural choice as your hunting partner. But they're a lot more versatile than that.

Half the beagles in the area will hunt pheasants as easily as they'll hunt cottontails and hunt their darn near as well.

Some take it up on their own hook, but if your animal isn't one of these, then let him sniff a few harvested ringnecks, tease him a bit, and let the critter know that this is one bird he shouldn't pass by. He'll get the message.

Last year my own beagle, a 15 inch female, put up three fine cocks in just 1 1/2 hours and I grassed one for a fine Sunday dinner. That was a typical (and very rugged) beagle-pheasant hunt, and the story is worth telling.

I hunted at Willard Wildlife Area, though it could have been Killdeer, Resthaven, or a host of others just as easily. And I didn't hunt opening day, which is when pen raised birds are turned loose, but the day following.

Opening day at any wildlife area is a bad time. Hordes of hunters are there, some good men and some "shoot at anything" types that make the area downright hazardous.

You'll see poor sportsmanship at every fencerow, arguments over downed birds, hunters cutting in front of other hunters. Anything. That's not my cup of tea.

But on the second day such areas are usually deserted, and there are plenty of left over ringnecks that have escaped heavy timber, then wander back out into the weed fields next day.

We started in tall, but thin cover next to a cornfield and it took less than five minutes for the bird to open.

Since beagles don't point, it's vitally important to stay close to your animal, and I hustled along right behind as she worked the bird down near fields end, then checked.

There was some hesitation then, and finally the little hound began to back track. I was disgusted. Obviously, she'd lost the scent and was working it backwards, so I just stood there

yards and passed for another 96. The game was marred by 26 penalties. Plymouth was flagged 18 times for 210 yards. Twelve of the Plymouth mark-offs were 15-yards.

Plymouth closes its season next Friday at Mapleton. Plymouth is now 6-3 overall and 3-3 in the Firelands Conference. The Trojans fall to 2-6 in all games and 2-4 in league play.

Varsity Football		
At Plymouth		
South Central	8	0 0 18-26
Plymouth	0	14 15 0-29

S—Steve Dotson 42-yard run (Dotson run)
P—Bill Castle 1-yard run (Pass failed)

P—Chuck Deskins 6-yard run (Troy Keene pass to Jason Robinson)
P—Keene 59-yard pass to Steve Hall (Castle kick)
P—Keene 11-yard pass to Jamie Brown (Robinson pass to Junior Porter)
S—Safety
S—Steve Vogel 29-yard pass to Craig Conaway (Dotson run)
S—Dotson 1-yard run (Dotson run)

Game Stats	
Plymouth	South Central
11 First Downs	13
7 By Rushing	6
3 By Passing	7
1 By Penalty	2
39 Rushing Yards	162
227 Passing Yards	96
15-19 Passes(Comp-Air)	5-18
18-21 Penalties-Yards	8-80
3-28.0 Punts-Avg	2-16.0
2-1 Fumbles-Lost	3-0
1 Passes Int By	0

while she bellowed happily in her own footsteps. Then suddenly she veered to the left and I was caught flat-footed. It was the bird who'd back tracked and while I ran madly across the field to catch up, it lifted skyward with a raucous cackle and disappeared. One for their side.

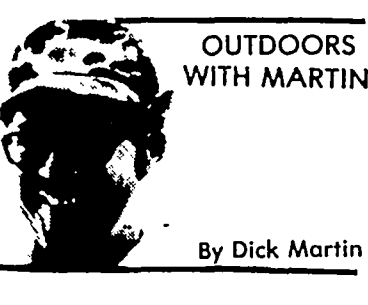
The second wasn't so lucky. It also rambled around the field, finally became unnerved at the steady barking on its tailfeathers, and exploded skyward. I dropped it easily.

The third was a resident, or at least a very smart release. It simply beelined across the field while I, weighted down with gun, shells, and a heavy boots ran gasping along behind.

Then it crossed the road not far ahead of my wildly baying beagle, turned down into almost impenetrable timber, and then into a dense weed field.

I stopped in the field to catch my breath and attend to a round half dozen scrapes and scratches while the dog worked out its track.

Then I heard the bird patterning rapidly among dead leaves



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