



SPORT HAPPENINGS

By
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HELLO SPORT FANS! Monday night marked the opening of the softball season with tilts between Boosters and Dayton Rubber, High School and the Tannery . . . although it was threatening rain the attendance was good.

Two teams who are new in the league won their first victories of the season over more experienced teams who in the past have been considered tops . . . if there is anything prophetic in this the rest of the league had better watch their step.

Dayton Rubber started the ball rolling by outslugging the Boosters team with the score of 16 to 4 . . . Jim Phillips, pitching for Dayton Rubber, held the Boosters boys down to 9 hits while the Dayton team managed to get 30.

Although we knew the High School boys would not be such a push-over, we did not expect the brand of ball the boys showed the powerful Tannery team . . . sparked by Laffie Scruggs' pitching, the High School kids led the Tannery team all the way through until the last inning when the Tannery team picked up enough "juice" to score the 3 runs of their score . . . the High School won the game, 4-3.

It may have been because the Tannery didn't expect such a kick from the kids and the boys were smart enough to take advantage of this . . . or maybe it just takes a little while for the older boys to warm up . . . anyway the High School crowd is one to be watched by any team who has designs on top honors.

FISHES TAKING IT EASY

According to Mr. Plott the fishes, the ones that are left, won't have to worry as much about being caught in the present and future . . . the reason is the same that seems to be wrong with just about everything—no gas.

On the 30th from West Fork there were only 83 people fishing who caught on the average of three fish each . . . on the 31st from Big East Fork there were only 199 people fishing and they caught on the average of three fish to the person.

So, until something is found to take the place of gas, the fish can rest in comparative ease of mind.

NOTHING BUT THE TRUTH

Speaking of fishes, here is "one" that I thought was pretty good: A young man was talking to a friend of his at Massie Hardware Saturday and being a true fisherman told him of an experience he had just had.

The young man was fishing in Richland Creek . . . he had the good luck to hook a large rainbow trout . . . it looked even larger when he took it out of the water so he excitedly measured the fish . . . well sir, that rainbow measured exactly 21½ inches!

Everything would have been just fine if he could have taken it home and displayed it to his friends . . . but darn it, the fish, somehow got back into the water!

MARRIAGES

James E. Wines to Mildred Bradburn, both of Canton.

A lot of youths do step into their father's shoes—when he gets tired of wearing them.

All married men love nature—till the grass needs cutting.

IMPULSIVE FRIEND

Chicago—When William Arvidson, 52, saw his friend Adolph Muench, 40, fall into the river, he didn't hesitate a minute but jumped in to rescue him. It was not until after he hit the water that Arvidson remembered that neither he nor Muench could swim, so they both began calling for help. Police rescued them.

Symbolizes Food From U. S.



Friends in many lands will become familiar with the American eagle symbol shown inset above, new label for U. S. food exports under the wartime Food for Freedom program. It was designed by Walt Disney, and is available for voluntary use by all U. S. food packers.

Dayton Rubber Wins From Boosters, High School Tops Tannery

In the first games of the season which were played on Monday night at the high school stadium two new teams made their debut by winning their tilts.

Dayton Rubber won by a score of 16 to 4 over the once powerful Boosters Club. Red Mull sparked the Dayton team by getting 4 runs out of 4 hits, hitting like this, coupled with Jim Phillips' pitching, helped the Dayton team keep an easy lead all the way through.

Ed Boone and Oliver Yount led the Boosters in hitting with 1 run for 1 hit. Although the boys played a nice game they were not quite a match for the Dayton team.

Coming through with a surprise in playing cooperation and sparked by the pitching of Laffie Scruggs, the High School team beat last year's top team, Tannery, by one point.

Leading the Tannery easily until the last of the seventh when the Tannery boys broke loose and scored the 3 points of their score, the High School team won the tilt 4 to 3.

High School	AB	R	H
Teague, 2b	4	1	2
Troutman, sf	4	1	2
Smith, 3b	4	0	1
B. Jaynes 1b	4	0	2
Rogers, c	4	0	0
Scruggs, p	3	0	0
Byrd, lf	3	0	1
H. Jaynes, ss	3	1	1
Evans, cf	3	0	0
Summerrow (5th)	3	0	0
Knight, rf	3	1	1
Totals	35	4	10

Tannery	AB	R	H
Wright, rf	4	0	0
G. Wyatt, 1b	4	0	2
Ratcliffe, cf	4	0	2
J. Burrell, ss	3	0	0
Lane, lf	3	0	1
Henry, sf	3	0	0
Robinson (6th)	3	1	1
G. Wyatt, 3b	3	1	1
Gyddis, c	3	1	1
Baylis, 2b	3	0	0
Robinson, p	3	1	1
Henry (6th)	3	0	0
Totals	33	3	8

Softball Schedule

June 4th	High School vs. Boosters
	Pet vs. Rotary
June 5th	Pet vs. Dayton
	Lions vs. Tannery
June 8th	Pet vs. High School
	Jonathan Creek vs. Rotary
June 10th	Junior vs. Junior
	Lions vs. Boosters
June 11th	Jonathan Creek vs. Tannery
	Rotary vs. Tannery

NO WONDER

Laurel, Neb.—Complaining of a severe earache for several days, Donnie Cook, Jr., 7, was taken to a doctor by his parents. The doctor removed a sprouting oat kernel from the boy's ear.

Boosters	AB	R	H
Robinson, ss	4	0	1
Kuykendall, 2b	4	1	2
Yount, cf	3	1	1
Boone, 1b	3	1	1
Milner, 3b	2	0	1
Kuykendall, sf	3	1	1
Hoyle, lf	3	0	1
Bischoff, c	3	0	0
Troutman, p	3	0	0
Crawford, rf	3	0	1
Totals	31	4	9

Dayton	AB	R	H
Harris, sf	5	2	2
Milner, lf	5	1	4
Wyatt, 2b	5	2	3
Fisher, 3b	5	3	4
Mull, ss	5	4	4
Rabb, rf	5	2	4
Moody, cf	5	0	3
Singleton, 1b	5	0	4
Phillips, p	4	0	1
Collins, c	4	2	1
Totals	48	16	30

York's Namesake



Stepping briskly along, Pvt. Alvin York, namesake and cousin of the World War hero, Sgt. York, does a guard trick at Camp Stewart, Ga. "I only hope," says Pvt. York, "I can do a little part of what Sergeant York did."

Beaverdam News

Larry Williams, a junior of Wake Forest College, is spending a few days vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams. Also their son, Frank, Jr., who is employed at Portsmouth, Va., spent the past week-end at home.

Miss Mary Catherine Robinson has gone to Texas for a two week's vacation. She is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Furness, of Pasadena. She also plans to visit Houston and New Orleans.

Mrs. Hobert Rogers accompanied Miss Bettie Lou Fletcher and Miss Ruth Elen Clark to Ridgecrest the past Sunday. They are attending G. A. conference there.

Miss Madge Lewis, county missionary, visited North Canton Baptist church the past Sunday night. All were very much impressed with her message.

Fines Creek News

Mrs. D. N. Rathbone
As we naturally should and it's a very common discussion for us to compare other communities as to their co-operation and progress in their farm activities, and perhaps folks would like to know just how the Fines Creek people took the gasoline rationing. Of course we understood as other sections did the purpose of it all. It was all for a great purpose to win the war and we are a part of a people whose ancestors knew war fought in war, brought us our freedom through war, and we must help preserve our freedom with the visions of our forefathers.

Corn crops are looking fine at this time, with the nice growing weather and just been cultivated you can't help from taking note that just a few short weeks ago the ground looked empty and now there is a fresh green mound of food to be seen.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Green have gone to Newport News, where they will make their home in the future. Mr. Green holds a position there.

Glenn Clark and Lenn Rathbone arrived Monday to visit with their folks on Fines Creek.

Miss Mary Lou Harbin has recently been visiting with her brother, the Rev. and Mrs. Melvin Harbin here.

Miss Lura Mae Green has returned to Elon where she is a student, after spending 2 weeks here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Green.

TOO MUCH NAME

Newark, N. J.—When Number U-572 of Draft Board 27 appeared, Clerk Joseph Kehir didn't know just what to do. The selectee's name wouldn't fit into the draft board's forms. It was Alevious Costas Pappageorgacopoulos.

BLIND EXPERT

Bridgeport, Conn.—Although Mike Starinck, 23, has been working for the Remington Arms Company only a short time, foreman take new employes to his bench to show them just how the work of shell gauging should be done. Starinck, who has been blind since birth, had never had a job until now.

Japan still bars neutrals from some American captives.

Number Firms Paid Members of State Guard Full Wages

Captain W. A. Bradley public mention, and expressed appreciation to a group of firms who paid their men full time during the period the State Guards on patrol duty in the Pisgah National Forest while fire was being fought.

The firms who paid their men full for the time they were on duty, were: England-Walton Unagusta Manufacturing Co., Allen & Co., C. E. Ray's Waynesville Lumber Co., Mountaineer, Champion Paper Fibre Co., and The American Corporation.

State Guard Giving Another Square Dance

One of the largest crowds to attend a square dance, were given by the State Guard last Friday night.

Another dance will be staged at the Armory Friday night, starting at nine o'clock, and featuring Sam Queen as caller, and Franklin's string band.



A man must work From sun to sun, But woman's work Is never done . . .

Would you like to spend a sweltering summer day in a steamy basement washing clothes? Well, you don't like it any more than you would. But we do it quicker and cheaper.

WAYNESVILLE LAUNDRY
PHONE 205

Why advertising has to be

a good buying guide

For You!

WHEN a business man advertising in this newspaper for a product, he in effect signs a contract with you that the product is as he represents it.

Then the normal operation of our American Competitive System gives you further guarantee that the factors of price, service, and quality are kept in line.

For instance: If a business man gets his prices too high, then an alert competitor comes in with a lower price.

If a retailer gives poor service, people leave

him and trade at a competitive store.

If a manufacturer puts out poor quality products, people just stop buying from him and the business man goes broke.

Thus, the American Way works automatically for you—the consumer—that's why it's the best way!

So when you see a product or a store consistently advertised in your news-

paper, you can be pretty sure that that advertiser is giving you the MOST for your MONEY

WHAT TO DO

Use advertising as your buying guide because advertising automatically protects you.

And when the point comes up—give a plug for the system which makes

this possible—The American Competitive System which has given us Americans the world's highest standards of living.

Progress Under the American System of Competitive Enterprise

With wages up and long range prices down, it now takes fewer hours of work to buy the things we want. Thus more people can enjoy a bounteous life and our standard of living goes up. Note these examples which show how long the average man has to work to buy things.

	1914	1940
Tire for small car	46 hours	9 hours
Low priced car	4514 hours	1095 hours
Electric washing machine	187 hours	68 hours
Year's clothing for family of four	708 hours	323 hours
Year's supply of soap for average family	30 hours	11 hours

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