

ka To Tangle With Hazelwood Here Saturday

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By ED SPEARS

FISH The other day Frank Albright brought home a large, fat, little fish he had snagged in the Pigeon River. Still a wiggler, the young fellow was 3 inches long, uniformly dark all over, and sticking out on either side, longer one underneath. He thought it might be in the flying fish category with more knowledge of the finny tribe he declares it was a small catfish and that the stick to salt water.

NOTABLE events in the softball world was the Dayton and the Lions Club upsetting the this week. Dayton still has top place in the league, but the Tannery has given a loud warning after the Rubbermakers' scalp. A critical Monday's scrap between Dayton and the National Guard with the team that blanked the National Guard with the behind Bronson Robinson's twirling—come to be the best in the loop. As for the Youth Club, it was strictly accidental no one can be taken lightly.

WEDNESDAY the All-Stars play their first game of the Smoky Mountain loop leaders in. This will be a nine-inning game, starting at 7:30. The job they have been doing away from home is so make a date to be on hand as this new Haywood county feud gets under way.

FRIDAY'S issue we finally got to use Joe DiMaggio. It had been cast for use about two weeks ago, but we never seemed to have a hole in the lineup right for its use. The cutlines were revised to bring it up to date, but, alas, when Joe's bat he no longer was in his batting slump, it is the hottest firecracker in the American baseball's big time enrolls its members not in the U.S.A., but proof of the sport's popularity in Philadelphia Athletics have a Czech, Elmer

Tannery Cuts Dayton Winning Streak 10 to 7

Canton Junior Legion Nine Defeats Hendersonville, Loses To Valdese

Canton's American Legion Junior baseball team will engage their fourth foe in the current season Saturday afternoon, playing Rutherford on the C. H. S. field at 3 o'clock.

Hendersonville was beaten 10-8 in the initial game Monday with Floyd King hurling for Canton and Bill Henson catching and blasting a homer.

Tuesday the Valdese Juniors out-slugged Canton for an 8-4 verdict. Manager Floyd DeWeese used two pitchers, Don Stiles and Wayne Loftin, but Valdese went ahead early and made matters worse in the eighth when Powell knocked a home run. Henson again hit a homer for Canton, but the bases were empty at the time.

Thursday afternoon the Canton team was slated to play at Newland, then continue the district elimination Saturday against Rutherford.

Open Fishing Streams

Protected fishing streams with open dates this week-end are as follows: Daniel Boone Area streams—June 14, 15; Big East Fork and

Valo; Canadian, Phil Marchildon; Mexican, Jesse Flores; and Cuban, Fermin Guerra now seeing active duty.

Ecata Linksmen Will Play Dayton Here Sunday

Ecata's golfers come here Sunday afternoon to face Dayton Rubber and start the second half of WNC Industrial loop play. The teams will tee off at 1:30 p.m. on the Country Club course.

Dayton, after getting off to a slow start, has recorded some top-heavy wins in recent league matches, and Coach John McConnelly hopes they can follow through to win the first postwar title.

In other matches Sunday, Beacon plays Champion Y at the Municipal links. Enka meets Moore General at Beaver Lake, and Postal Accounts takes on Sayles at the Muni.

Little East Fork Pigeon—June 14, 15; **Davidson River**—June 14, 15; **Lower South Mills River**—June 13, 14, 15; **North Mills River**—June 13, 14; and **Big and Little Santee-Lake Creeks**—June 14, 15.

National Guard And Pet Dairy Clash

The Tannery evened their record with Dayton Rubber in a nip and tuck battle Tuesday evening, blasting four runs in the sixth frame to hand the Daytonites their first loss of the current season, 10 to 7.

Tonight the W-H League program brings out Pet Dairy against the National Guard in the major division game, with a recasting of the Youth Club-High School scrap getting under way at 7 o'clock.

Monday evening the High School meets the Lions in the opener, with Dayton taking on the Sutton's varsity, another strong challenger for major division honors, in the main event.

Lions Take 1st Win Starting off this week's schedule was a slugfest between the Youth Club and Lions. The first half of the game looked like a walkaway for the Youth Clubbers, but an 8-run rally by the Lions in the fifth turned the tide, and the old men of the minors backed hurler Boyd Owen to squeeze off a final stanza attack and win their first tilt of the season, 17 to 16.

Sutton's Shut-Out N. G. Bronson Robinson tossed an even dozen strikeouts to give Sutton's a decisive 9-0 win over the National Guard, allowing only four well spaced hits. Ken Troutman made his tossing debut with the Guardsmen, but the Sutton's swingers connected for 11 safeties to get an early lead that was never threatened.

Sutton's Juniors Win In Tuesday's opener the Sutton's Juniors out-scraped the Lions in another slugging match. Tied 10-10 in the fifth, Yarborough and Howell knocked home two runs the next inning, and Camp and Sutton tripled to feature a last frame spree that tied the game for a final 17 to 12 score.

Dayton Falls To Tannery Before one of the largest crowds of the season, the A. C. Lawrence-men came from behind to hand the previously unbeaten Dayton team their first loss, 10 to 7.

Glenn Wyatt's triple sparked a 4-run attack to put Dayton ahead. Then in the third, two Dayton miscues and singles by Dudley and Yount tied the score. In the fifth the Tannery went ahead as Lane blasted a three-bagger. Dudley was hit by a pitched ball, and Henry singled to score two. They added four more in the sixth as Phillips relieved Pressley on the mound, then cut off Dayton in the final after Bruce Jaynes walloped a homer to score two. Bob Putnam pitched for the winners.

Locals Gun For Seventh Win Of Year

Industrial League win number 7 will be the target as Bud Blalock's Hazelwood bombers take the field Saturday afternoon for their second meeting against Enka in the current season. The game will begin at 3:30 p.m. on the local diamond.

This game marks the start of the second round of play in the WNC circuit, with Hazelwood standing in top place by virtue of only one loss in seven starts.

To date Manager Blalock is uncertain about the starting Hazelwood battery. Lawrence Crocker, who bore the brunt of last Saturday's 15-7 win over Sayles, has sported a sore arm that may not be ready for this week's tilt. If Crocker isn't ready, Jack Case may get the nod, with Blalock standing by for relief duty on the mound.

Jack Smith also is a question mark, although if the "Sheriff" isn't available for the catching assignment Gordon Wyatt has volunteered.

Enka, although beaten 11-3 in the season opener, has stayed in the upper bracket since that time, and last week walloped Martel Mills 9 to 2—the team that Hazelwood squeezed by 9-8 in a last-inning rally.

Other circuit encounters this week take Canton to Martel, Beacon to Green River and Ecata to Sayles.

W-H SOFTBALL LEAGUE

Major Division			
Team	W	L	Pct.
Dayton	3	1	.750
Sutton's 1	2	1	.667
Tannery	2	1	.667
Pet Dairy	0	2	.000
National Guard	0	2	.000

Minor Division			
Team	W	L	Pct.
High School	3	0	1.000
Sutton's 2	2	2	.500
Youth Club	1	2	.333
Lions Club	1	3	.250

HAZELWOOD BATTING AVERAGES

Player	G.	Ab.	R.	H.	Pct.
Pitts	5	16	5	9	.563
Milner	3	11	6	6	.545
Smith	6	27	10	13	.481
Heary	7	29	9	12	.414
Blalock	7	30	7	12	.400
E. Wyatt	3	10	1	4	.400
Dudley	7	33	8	13	.394
G. Wyatt	2	3	1	1	.333
Troutman	7	27	3	8	.296
Yount	7	34	12	8	.235
Shook	5	15	4	3	.200
Robinson	3	13	1	2	.154
Crocker	2	7	1	1	.143
Case	2	8	1	0	.000
Price	1	4	1	0	.000
Whitner	1	1	0	0	.000
Powers	1	0	0	0	.000
Total	268	70	92	343	
Opponents	255	43	74	290	

Softball Box Scores

Youth Club	Ab	R	H	Po	A	E
Burgh, 1b	5	2	1	12	0	1
Gentry, 2b	5	1	1	0	1	0
Francis, lf	5	2	3	0	0	1
Craig, p	4	0	2	0	5	0
Liner, rf	5	0	2	1	0	0
Kuykendall, c	4	2	1	2	0	0
Carswell, ss	5	3	2	2	4	1
Underwood, 3b	5	4	3	1	2	1
McClure, cf	4	2	2	0	0	0
Totals	42	16	17	18	12	4

Lions	Ab	R	H	Po	A	E
L. Hyatt, lf	5	1	2	1	1	1
Woodard, cf	4	2	2	0	0	0
Boone, c	4	2	2	2	0	0
Spears, rf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Killian, rf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Parkman, 1b, 2b	4	2	2	6	1	0
Brown, ss	2	1	1	3	0	1
Atkins, 2b	2	0	0	2	0	1
Bushnell, p, 1b	4	1	1	5	1	2
Owen, p	2	2	2	0	2	0
Weatherby, ss	2	2	2	1	1	0
Totals	37	17	18	21	7	5

Nat. Guard	Ab	R	H	Po	A	E
Harris, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
H. Byrd, 2b	3	0	0	1	3	0
Robinson, ss	3	0	1	3	1	1
Troutman, p	3	0	1	0	4	0
Scates, lf	3	0	0	0	0	1
F. Byrd, c	3	0	1	2	0	1
Powers, 1b	3	0	0	11	0	0
Sheehan, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Teague, 2b	2	0	1	0	3	0
Griffin, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Boone, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	25	0	4	18	11	3

Sutton's 1	Ab	R	H	Po	A	E
Phillips, lf	4	2	2	0	0	0
Shook, ss	3	1	2	0	0	0
Wyatt, c	3	2	1	13	1	0
Milner, cf	4	1	2	2	0	0
Jaynes, 1b	3	0	0	3	0	0
Brackett, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Teague, 2b	3	0	1	1	2	0
Messer, 3b	3	1	1	2	0	0
Robinson, p	3	1	1	0	12	0
Totals	29	9	11	21	15	0

Bob Allen Wins Medalist Honors In Asheville Open

Waynesville's Bob Allen took medalist honors in the Asheville City Open golf tournament, thus repeating Charles Putnam's feat the previous week in the Beaver Lake meet, but was sent to the sidelines in the quarter-finals on Wednesday at the hands of Bieman McKenzie, Jr.

McKenzie, an Asheville golfer who played with the Clemson college team this spring, defeated Allen two and one. This placed him in the semi-finals against Bob Cole; while Al Dowlin—who defeated the Beaver Lake Champion, J. C. Hyatt, in the quarter-final round—

then stretching their lead against the home team's second hurler, Welch, with five more in the eighth. Blalock hit a home run and triple, while Bradley recorded a homer for the losers. Scruggs went the stretch on the All-Star mound, allowing nine hits.

EAGLE SPECIALIST

Bob Allen is noted for his long drives on the Waynesville Country club course. Last week, in four days playing, he shot an eagle three times on the 315 yard 15th hole; teeing off across the road onto the green within putting distance of the hole, and getting in two shots what par says should be done in four.

was matched with Hugh Edwards. Allen shot a two under par 70 to become the qualifying medalist Monday. He was the only Haywood linksman to enter the Asheville Open.

In his first flight match Tuesday, he took on Stumpy Harris, a 16-year-old caddy at Beaver Lake, who couldn't match Allen's drives, but showed such an expert game on the green, it was the 18th hole before Harris, lost, one up.

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Score by Innings	R.	H.	E.
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