

# SPORTS

Here And There  
BY BOEY TERRELL

## LEGIONAIRES TAKE HAYESVILLE BY 13 TO 7 COUNT AS RECTOR WINS 1ST GAME PITCHING

### Dillard And Cunningham Homer For Sylva

The Sylva Legionaires rolled over the Hayesville entry in the Smoky Mountain league here today by a 13 to 7 score. Clyde Rector, making his first start of the season as a pitcher, was credited with the win.

The Legionaires pounded three Hayesville pitchers for 14 base hits including a double, triple and two home runs. Sylva was off to a flying start, scoring six runs in the first inning with Ben Dillard slapping a homer with Rector roosting on third. Jack (Lard) Cunningham doubled, Duke, Warren and Jim Cunningham singled and three Hayesville errors accounted for the other four runs. Sylva scored twice more in the third, once in the fourth in the seventh and twice in the eighth on Jack Cunningham's home run.

Hayesville trailed throughout the game. In the seventh and eighth they rallied slightly, pushing over two runs in each frame.

Jack Cunningham led the Sylva hitters with three hits in five trips to the dish, while Dillard, Duke, Warren and Jim Cunningham had two each.

Sylva	AB	R	H	PO	A
Norton lf	6	1	1	0	0
Rector p	5	1	0	0	4
Fincannon 1b	0	0	0	3	1
Dillard 3b	5	2	2	0	0
Phillips ss	4	1	1	2	2
Jack Cunn. cf	5	2	3	1	0
Duke 2b	5	3	2	5	6
Warren rf	5	2	2	2	0
Baker c	4	1	1	5	0
Jim Cunn. 1b-p	4	0	2	9	1

Hayesville	AB	R	H	PO	A
G. Bristol 1b	4	2	1	11	0
Bracken 2b	4	0	2	5	3
D. Ledford ss	4	0	1	1	5
White rf	5	0	0	0	0
Mingus 3b	4	1	1	1	2
B. Cunn. lf-p	4	0	2	2	1
F. Ledford c-cf	4	1	1	3	0
Garrett cf-p	2	1	0	2	1
B. Bristol lf	1	0	0	0	0
Booth p	1	1	1	0	0
Thompson c	2	1	1	2	1

Sylva	AB	R	H	PO	A
Sylva	35	7	10	27	14
Hayesville	602	100	200	13	13
Errors	002	010	220	7	7

Errors — G. Bristol 2, D. Led-

## MURPHY TAKES TWO FROM SYLVA BY 19-1 AND 6 TO 5

The Murphy Independents swamped the Sylva Legionaires in Murphy Saturday night by a 19-1 score and came from behind Sunday at Sylva to edge a 6-5 defeat onto the Sylva club.

In Saturday night's game, Jim Cunningham, a Sylva boy, pitched the victory for Murphy. The game was a 7-inning affair. Murphy had two big innings—the third and fourth, in which they scored 8 and 6 runs respectively. Cole and Hemphill homered in the third.

Sylva's only run came in the first when Jack Cunningham reached first on Ranton's error, went to third on Phillips' double and, with the bases loaded, scored when Jim Cunningham walked Harry Duke. Dugger Cole led the 14 hit attack for Murphy with a perfect night, three trips, three hits, and three runs. Sylva's five hits were scattered among their players.

Sunday, the Murphy boys had is trying to do.

With the opening of Summer School at Western Carolina, the Sylva club should return to full strength. Several members of the club are students at WCTC and have been out for a week between terms. With their return, the club should again hit the victory trail and stay there.

Sunday the fireworks should pop at Mark Watson Field when the Legionaires meet Martel Mills Martel, holding one victory over the Sylva club, may find the going rough when they meet a team whose umpires recognize the strike zone as being from the knees to the shoulders instead of from the ankles to the top of the head.

The object of this week's column is not to run the umpires into the ground but to ask for an even break when the Legionaires go onto the road for a game. We are proud to say that the umpires who have worked in Sylva this year watch the ball as it crosses the plate and do not make a habit of ducking and dodging when a pitcher fires a fast ball down the middle.

Mr. King Murphy before long as he said he

### New Sylva High Coach



JAMES BARNWELL, formerly of Oakley high in Buncombe County, has been named to the position of head coach of all major sports at Sylva high school for the coming year. He has also been chosen as Director of the City Summertime Recreation program.

to come from behind in the seventh and eighth to win 6-5. Clyde Miller, pitching for Sylva, and Hemphill, pitching for Murphy, hooked up in the first four innings in a real pitching duel. But in the fifth, Sylva broke loose with hits and four runs to take the lead.

A walk to Troutman, a single by Duke, an error, a single by Miller, an infield out by Rector, a triple by Bob Phillips and a single by Bill Milner did the damage. In the sixth, Sylva scored their last run on a single by Troutman, an error and a single by Ralph Robertson.

Going into the seventh, Miller was working on a three hitter, but an error, triple by Gudgey Kirkland, and a single by Crawford pushed over two runs, and in the eighth, Murphy scored four more to win. Successive singles by Cole and Ranton, a fielder's choice, and a wild pitch through the screen which scored two runs, tied the game at 5-all. Then little Cosmo Carnesi homered the next pitch over the center field fence for the winning run. Bob Phillips took the mound for Sylva and put out the fire.

Pig Troutman took the hitting honors with a field day — three for three, while Duke, Cole, Ranton and Kirkland had two each.

Saturday's Game—  
SYLVA AB R H PO A

36	18	14	21	8
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### Free Prizes And Tickets To Be Given At Each Future Sylva Home Game

Two free prizes and two free tickets will be awarded to lucky persons at each future home game of the Sylva Legionaires, it was announced by T. C. Bryson, business manager of the club.

Winners will be persons holding the ticket number corresponding to one drawn out of a hat. The prizes will be given at the end of the fourth, sixth and eighth innings.

The prizes will consist of \$5.00 worth of merchandise at business firms throughout Sylva and the tickets will be to future home games.

The three prizes will be given at each home game for the remainder of the season, and anyone holding a ticket has a chance to win so keep those stubs that are handed back to you at the gate. You may be a winner.

Rector 1b-p	3	0	0	2	1
Dillard 3b	4	0	0	3	0
Cunningham cf-c	4	1	1	6	0
Phillips rf-p	3	0	1	0	1
Robertson 2b	1	0	0	0	0
Warren 2b	1	0	1	0	0
Duke ss	2	0	0	0	3
Barnwell lf	3	0	1	2	0
Baker c-cf	3	0	0	1	0
Sumner p-1b	1	0	1	4	1
Fincannon rf	1	0	0	4	1

Left on base—Sylva 7, Murphy 7.

Sacrifice—Jim Cunningham. Earned runs—Murphy 9, Sylva 0. Double plays—Rantin (unassisted). Bases on balls—Jim Cunningham 3, Sumner 3, Rector 3, Phillips 1. Strikeouts—Sumner 1, Phillips 4, Jim Cunningham 7. Hits off Jim Cunningham 5 in 6 (1 run), Tipton 0 in 1 (0 runs), Sumner 10 in 2 2-3 (12 runs), Rector 1 in 2-3 (4 runs), Phillips 3 in 2-3 (3 runs). Winning pitcher—Cunningham.

Losing pitcher—Sumner. Passes balls—Baker, Palmer. Hit by pitcher—by-Tipton (Rector). Umpires—Leatherwood, Ellis and Ellis. Time of game—2:04.

Sunday's Game—  
SYLVA AB R H PO A

5	0	1	15	0
4	1	1	1	1
4	0	1	0	0
4	0	0	2	3
4	0	0	3	0
3	2	3	1	4
4	0	2	2	2
3	1	1	3	0
4	1	1	0	1

Errors — Rantin 2, Hemphill

Sumner, Warren, Duke 2, Dillard, Rector. Runs batted in—Hemphill 4, Beavers 1, Tipton 2, Rantin 3, Cole 3, Carnesi 2, Cunningham Two base hits—Jackson Cunningham, Phillips, Tipton. Three base hits—Fowler, Rantin. Home runs—Cole, Hemphill. Stolen bases—Jack Cunningham, Barnwell, Rector, Beavers, Tipton, Fowler 2, Crawford lf

## SYLVA WILL BE HOST TO MARTEL MILLS SUN.

The Sylva Legionaires will play host to the Martel Mills entry in the Industrial league Sunday afternoon. The game is scheduled for 3:30. Martel holds one victory over Sylva, a 10-inning 7-6 at Martel May 19. The Legionaires will be out to avenge that licking and will be at full strength.

Skipper George Lee will be back in uniform after a week's vacation and will go with either Deyermond or Sumner. Jim Frisbee, the little southpaw who shut out Sylva 7-0 for Hazelwood, will probably start for Martel since he has joined with that club after leaving Hazelwood.

Next Wednesday, the Legionaires go to Enka for a game with Sam Patton's Rayonites. In their only meeting this year, Enka and Sylva were rained out in the last of the fourth with Sylva leading 2-1.

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3	2	3	1	4
4	0	2	2	2
3	1	1	3	0
4	1	1	0	1

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## SYLVA BATTING RACE

George Lee backed into the lead in the Sylva American Legion race for the batting championship of the club as everyone above his .394 average fell below him during the past week. Ben-Dillard and Jack Cunningham dropped to .367. Tom Selzer, who has been out of action for two weeks, is still at .412, but he has only been to bat 17 times.

Player	AB	R	H	PCT.
Troutman	3	2	3	1.000
Selzer	17	2	7	.412
Lee	33	6	13	.394
Sumner	16	2	6	.375
Dillard	60	15	22	.367
Jack Cunn.	30	8	11	.367
Norton	33	6	11	.333
Barnwell	3	0	1	.333
Duke	28	6	8	.289
Phillips	52	9	15	.288
Robertson	4	1	1	.250
Miller	4	1	1	.250
Rector	4	0	1	.250
Warren	61	8	15	.246
Baker	17	2	4	.235
Deyermond	13	2	2	.154
Mincannon	13	2	2	.154
	1	0	0	.000

Team Average	533	99	162	.304
PITCHERS	W	L	PCT	ERA
Rector	1	0	1.000	7.02
Deyermond	2	1	.667	1.71
Fountain	1	1	.500	0.54
Sumner	1	2	.333	3.78
Phillips	0	0	.000	0.00
Norton	0	0	.000	6.75
Miller	0	1	.000	8.55

Palmer lf	2	0	1	0	0
Hemphill p	4	0	0	1	6

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