

# Baseball, Softball, Track Events On 4th Progr

## Variety Of Races And Contests In Afternoon

High School Coaches Will Direct Varied Program With Fun For All

Runners, cracker-eaters, hog callers and bald headed men under 45 years will compete in a series of events at the July 4th festivities on the high school field.

Getting under way at 1:00 p. m. under the direction of the two high school coaches, C. E. Weatherby and Carl Ratcliffe, a varied program of contests will be held that are always enjoyed by the public and contestants alike.

First will come the track events, with a 50 yard dash for boys between 9 and 12 followed by a race between girls in the same age group. Two 100 yard dashes will then be run, one between boys of high school age, and one for veterans only.

These will be followed by three-leg races for boys, 9 to 12 and those of high school age. The girls will then see which is the fastest cracker-eater. Afterwards, boys from 9 to 12 will compete in running softball bases, with a race following around the bases by men from 16 to 40.

Contests will be held to determine the largest family all present the oldest man present, the largest number coming on one truck, the person with the largest foot, the man under 45 years who has the least hair on his head.

Saddle back races and shoe races will be held, and the nearby hills will echo with the closing event, a hog-calling contest.

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## Hazelwood And Canton Nines Meet At 3:00 P.M.

Outstanding American Legion Softball Team Plays Boosters At Night

Featuring the Hazelwood entertainment during Hazelwood county's first big post-war Fourth of July celebration will be a baseball game at 3:00 in the High School field between Hazelwood and Champion Y. The field will be lighted that night to focus attention on a scrap between two pace-setting softball teams, Canton's American Legion ten with only one loss on its record after 20 games, and the W. H. L. league's undefeated Boosters. The Canton team has a perfect record in its own loop and has shown considerable class in meeting several of the leading out-of-town combinations.

Although the afternoon tilt is between the two industrial league nines, it is strictly an off-the-records affair that will be returned in kind on Labor Day, when Hazelwood county gathers at Canton. All indications are that the same two softball teams will meet again that first Monday in September, for neither are seriously challenged in their own loops.

Hazelwood trimmed Champion Y 5-0 in their only previous engagement this season, and the records show a balance of power in favor of the local team. The visitors however, will be pointing towards the chance to topple Hazelwood from its high spot, and have opened up with a faster game during recent week-ends than they offered earlier in the season.

So for two good ball games, remember that it's baseball at 3:30 p. m. and softball at 7:30.

### Disaster Alarm

"5-5-5" is one fire alarm signal of the New York fire department that fortunately never yet has been used. This signal, which means that a fire is beyond control and all buildings in its path have to be dynamited, can call out as many as 13 companies of sappers and miners, each company consisting of about 30 lieutenants who must rush to the spot from their station or home by taxi or some private car and undertake this dangerous work themselves.

### Open Nests

An open nest should be provided for every five or six hens in the laying flock. If trap nests are used, there should be one for every three or four hens.

# Hazelwood Drops Ecusta 3 To 1 Saturday

The Ecusta Team, Hazelwood's Most Recent Opponent



Pictured above are the Ecusta players who furnished the opposition to Hazelwood on the local field Saturday afternoon. From left to right, front row, they are: Phil Riddle, Bud White, Jack Alexander, Ken McCurry, Charlie Clayton, Harold Misenheimer, back row: Ray Byrd, Fritz Merrill, Rick Orr, Grover Suttles, Grady Wilkie, Ed White and Wilson Gregory.

**SPEARHEADING**  
With  
**SPORTS**  
By ED SPEARS

Canton's American Legion softball team will be a hot potato for the Boosters to handle, so if they do it give them credit for a good job. As of last week-end the Legion had won 12 games in as many starts among the Canton National League teams. Several other teams over the state that are competing for the North Carolina Legion softball championship have been played by Canton's ten, and of eight games only one was dropped—that to High Point when the teams split a two-game series. "Nazi" Miller is the Legion's star hurler. Bob Putnam isn't bad in that line himself, but will face some heavy hitters in the Canton line-up. Two to

watch would be Russ Allen, who plays shortstop and in the outfield, and Flossie Dewesse, third baseman. Others listed with the Legion roster include Franklin at first, Mitchell at second, Spence at third, Sutton behind the plate, Wells, Muse and Rhea in the outfield. Due to the Booster's lack of experience with the other than local competition, the Canton team possibly has slight odds in their favor—but one can never be assured that a ball game will go by the book, and the Boosters will have the advantage of playing on their own field. At any rate, it'll be a game well worth seeing, and whatever arguments it starts can be settled Labor Day.

**LAKE JUNALUSKA** announces strictly a "safe and sane" Fourth of July celebration, featuring swimming, tennis and softball in conjunction with the regular Assembly program. No boat races this year, and of course, no fireworks display.

**SHORT NOTES:** Frank Parker and Billy Talbert seemed to have an easy time with the Mexican Net team at South Orange, N. J. The Armando brothers, Rolando and Armando, had shown nice form in taking the Canadian Davis Cup team previously, but collected only six games total in the singles matches against the U. S. netmen. Next on the list is the winner of the European zone final between Sweden and Yugoslavia — Bob Allen and Luther Curtis made a good showing in the Asheville Open Golf tournament, but lost in the second round matches. Churchill Downs, where the Kentucky Derby is run, is letting contracts to expand their seating capacity to 150,000 in preparation for next May's race. . . . Sir Arthur Brown and Sir John Aleeo, who 27 years ago were the first men to pilot a plane across the Atlantic, flew a British Constellation over approximately the same route to pioneer a new overseas air service July 1st. . . . Grover Suttles, Ecusta's pitcher here this past week-end, is the son of G. C. Suttles who directs the Champion Y at Canton. Members of high school basketball teams back in '34 might remember him from the Canton High team that won third place the state tournament.

Although night fishing is not allowed in refuges and national parks, there is not a state law prohibiting it elsewhere.

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## Dayton Plays Lions In Opening Softball Game Here Tonight

Unagusta and Tannery Take Close Verdicts In Thursday Night Games

Dayton Rubber, with an 18-3 victory at the expense of the High School fresh on its record, will take on the Lions in the opening softball game tonight. In the second game Pet Dairy and the High School will fight to see which can get their third win of the season.

Thursday night there will be no regular league games, but a top scrap between the Boosters and Canton's American Legion teams will be played as part of the big Fourth of July celebration.

The schedule for last night opened with the Boosters and Unagusta game, followed by a tilt between the Youth Club and Veterans.

During the latter part of last week, Unagusta turned on the heat against the High School in the last three innings to take a close 10-8 verdict, Pressley pitching for the winners. Pet Dairy gave the Tannery a good scare in the last two innings of the second game Thursday night, but the leather workers had too much of a lead and took the game 13-9.

Both games Friday night were one-sided; the Boosters dropping the Lions 9-0, and Dayton coasted to an 18-3 victory over the High School.

### THURSDAY, JUNE 27

First Game

Unagusta (10)	Ab. R. H.
F. E. Kuykendall, rf	3 1 0
W. Troutman, lf	3 1 0
Smith, 3b	4 1 2
T. Troutman, cf	4 1 0
L. Woodard, 1b	4 1 1
Prevost, ss	4 0 0
Pressley, p	1 2 0
J. Kuykendall, c	3 1 1
L. Robinson, 2b	3 2 1
Totals	29 10 5

High School (8)

Ab. R. H.	
Burgin, 2b	4 1 0
Richeson, lf	3 1 1
Owens, cf	4 2 2
Robinson, 3b	4 1 2
Messer, ss	4 0 1
Powers, p	4 1 1
Sheehan, 1b	3 1 1
Wiggins, c	4 1 0
Noland, rf	1 0 0
Morrison, cf	3 0 0
Totals	34 8 8

Score by innings: R. Unagusta 001 071 1-10; High School 006 101 0-3; Umpires: Burrell-Bischoff.

### Second Game

Pet (9)	Ab. R. H.
Milner, 2b	4 1 1
Medford, 3b	5 1 2
Underwood, ss	4 1 1
Fenstermacher, cf	4 2 1
Leopard, c	3 1 1
Franklin, lf	3 0 0
McHan, 1b	4 2 2
Pressley, rf	3 1 2
Scruggs, p	4 0 2
Totals	34 9 12

Tannery (13)

Ab. R. H.	
Robinson, cf	5 1 0
Dudley, lf	4 2 2
Burrell, 2b	4 3 3
Calhoun, rf	4 1 1
Robinson, p	4 1 2
Phillips, cf	4 2 2
Wright, ss	4 0 1
Byrd, c	3 0 0

Rockingham Wildlife Club  
It is hoped that the club will inspire the organization of other clubs of this sort to promote interest in and observance of wildlife codes; and incidentally, these young sportsmen might be a fitting example for some of the older sportsmen.

**BEAGLING HITS THE SOUTH.**  
—The Carolina Beagle Club, announces secretary Hubert I. Reinhardt, will hold licensed fall trials at the H. B. Miller farm, Salisbury, N. C. Monday, November 18, to or through Saturday, November 23. The trials to be held there are among the 110 licensed beagle trials to be held in the United States this fall.

Beagling, one of the fastest growing sports in the country, is only recently making a bid for popularity in the south. The increasing interest in it here is evidenced by the fact that North Carolina will feature three licensed trials this fall and South Carolina two. Further information about classes, license, eligibility, entry fees, and prizes may be obtained from the Carolina Beagle Club secretary, Hubert I. Reinhardt, Newton, North Carolina.

## Blalock And P... In Tight Spots

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### TEAM STANDINGS

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Boosters	11	11	0	1.000
Dayton	10	8	2	.800
Tannery	11	8	3	.727
Unagusta	10	7	3	.700
Veterans	9	5	4	.555
Lions	10	3	7	.300
Pet	10	2	8	.200
High School	11	2	9	.182
Youth Club	10	0	10	.000

Gaddis, 2b 2 3 1

Totals 34 13 12  
Score by innings: R. Pet 112 002 3-9; Tannery 013 531 8-11

Umpires: Blalock-Bischoff.

### FRIDAY, JUNE 28

First Game  
Lions (0) Ab. R. H. 3 0 0  
Ratcliffe, lf 3 0 0  
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## SLACK'S



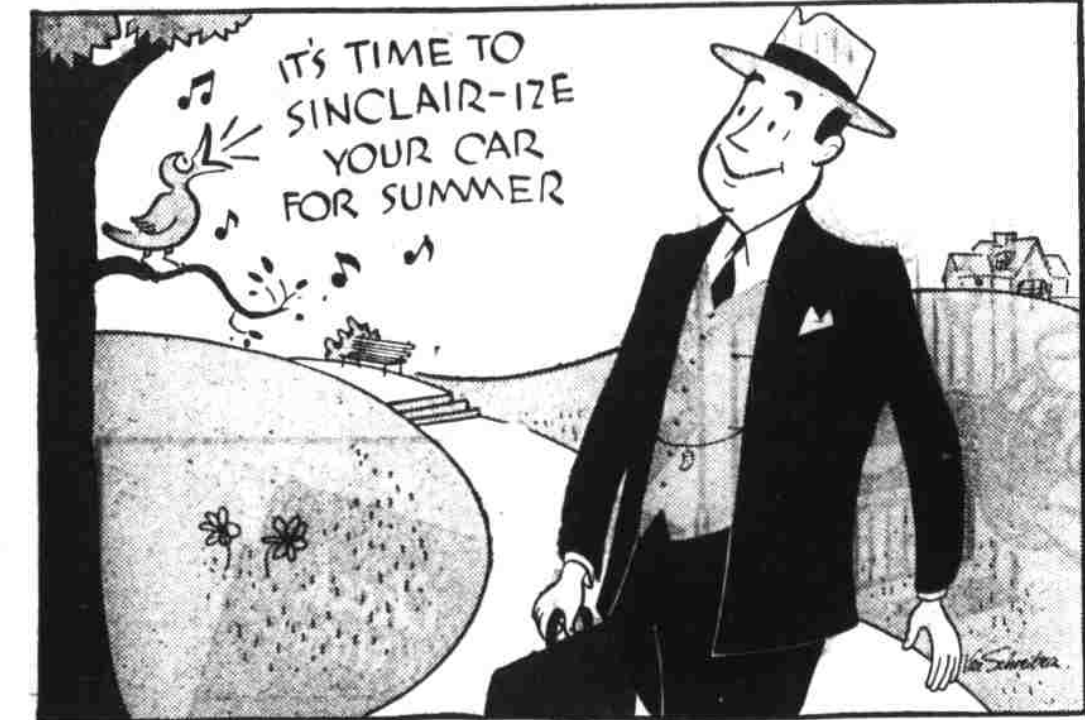
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