

Hazelwood Beats G. R., Plays Martel Wednesday

Boosters Take On Fast Climbing Veterans in Tonight's W. H. L. Play

League Schedule Up To Date After Play-Off Of Games Last Wednesday

With the W. H. L. softball schedule up to date after last Wednesday's extra games, the Boosters will open tonight's play against the Veterans, who have scrapped their way up to third place in standings and will be pointing towards toppling the undefeated league team. Last night the Vets and Tannery were tangled in a game that had the Veterans won would have tied the two teams in second place. The second half of Monday night's schedule was the Lions-Pet Dairy tilt.

In the second game tonight, the Tannery will take on the luckless Youth Club, and Thursday the leather-makers open the schedule against Dayton, who were halted from second to fourth place in standings last week by losing to the Boosters and Lions. The second game Thursday is between Unagusta and Pet Dairy.

Playing previously rained out games this past Wednesday, the Lions took advantage of Dayton's fumbles and ran five hits into seven runs, while Dayton tallied only four. The High School dominated the score on Pet Dairy in an other play-off, winning 14-7.

Thursday night the Tannery got hot in the fifth and sixth innings and trounced Unagusta 11-2. Pet Dairy allowed the Veterans to get four runs ahead, then turned on the heat and scored three men in the fifth inning. But the Vets tightened up and kept their one-run lead until the end of the game.

The Youth Club dropped Friday night's first game to Unagusta 7 to 3, after which the Boosters turned loose their batting attack on Dayton. Bruce James knocked two home runs and Oliver Young one, and with the assistance of 11 walks to first given by J. Phillips, the Boosters racked up 16 runs.

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Raynor Announces Golf Tourney Wednesday

Ray Raynor, pro at the Country Club, announces that a Blind Bogey golf tournament will be held Wednesday afternoon. Prizes will be awarded to winners, and a number of new entries are expected to sign up for the play due to several recent arrivals at the club.

First Game	
Dayton (4)	Ab. R. H.
R. Phillips, c	4 1 1
Messer, 2b	4 1 1
Wyatt, ss	4 0 1
Jaynes, 1b	3 1 2
J. Arrington, 3b	3 1 0
Whitener, rf	3 0 1
Hooper, rf	3 0 0
J. Phillips, p	2 0 0
N. Arrington, cf	3 0 1
Totals	29 4 7

Second Game	
Pet (3)	Ab. R. H.
Medford, lf	4 1 2
Leopard, cf	4 0 1
McLan, 1b	4 0 1
Fenstermacher, 3b	3 0 0
Underwood, ss	2 0 1
Cole, rf	3 0 1
Burrell, 2b	0 0 0
Milner, 2b	3 0 2
Hall, c	3 1 0
Scruggs, p	3 1 1
Totals	29 3 9

Third Game	
Veterans (4)	Ab. R. H.
Teague, 2b	3 2 1
Harris, cf	3 0 2
Troutman, p	3 0 1
Rogers, c	3 0 0
Carwell, ss	3 0 0
Green, lf	3 0 0
Truitt, rf	3 1 1
Fie, 3b	2 1 0
McHaffey, 1b	2 0 1
Totals	25 4 6

Fourth Game	
Youth Club (3)	Ab. R. H.
Brackett, p	4 0 0
B. York, 3b	3 1 2
T. York, 2b	3 0 1
Whisenant, cf	2 1 0
Watkins, rf	2 1 1
Gibson, lf	3 0 0
McClure, c	3 0 0
Turner, ss	3 0 0
Hundley, 1b	3 0 0
Totals	26 3 4

Fifth Game	
Unagusta (7)	Ab. R. H.
T. Woodard, ss	2 1 0
Kuykendall, lf	4 1 1
Smith, 3b	3 1 2
Troutman, cf	4 0 0
L. Woodard, 1b	4 0 1
Wright, 2b	2 0 0
Pressley, p	3 1 1
Robinson, c	3 1 0
Prevost, rf	2 2 1
Totals	27 7 6

Sixth Game	
Boosters (16)	Ab. R. H.
Milner, lf	4 2 1
Collins, rf	4 4 3
Blalock, ss	2 2 0
Jaynes, 1b	4 2 3
Young, cf	4 2 1
Hoyle, 3b	4 0 0
Wyatt, c	3 2 2
Putnam, p	3 1 0
Wright, 2b	2 1 0
Totals	39 16 10

Seventh Game	
Dayton (7)	Ab. R. H.
R. Phillips, c	3 2 1
Arrington, 3b	4 2 1
Wyatt, ss	4 0 0
Jaynes, 1b	4 0 0
Messer, 1b	3 0 1
J. Phillips, p	3 1 1
Whitener, lf	3 0 0
Hooper, rf	3 0 1
Woodard, cf	3 2 0
Totals	30 7 5

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By ED SPEARS

NOTE the Veterans' rise in league standings, mainly due to their strong hitting. As a team they stand second only to the Boosters, and individually the top place among league players goes to Elmer Harris, who had knocked 22 safe hits in 47 official times at bat. Carswell of the Veterans is their leading pitcher, having lost only one of four, and Troutman with two out of seven is another dependable hurler; the two ranking second and third behind Bob Putnam, Wallace Robinson and Elmer Dudley are the strongest hitters for the Tannery, having 444 and 430 respectively. Bud Blalock is the Boosters' strongest batting threat in a team that has a string of heavy hitters.

LAST WEEK Mack Caldwell, well known of Mount Sterling, and Eugene Shaver of the Big Creek section were in Waynesville, fishing trout and swamping stories, most of which could not be printed in a family newspaper. However, we got on the subject of fishing, and learned from the Ranger that the largest one pulled out of Big Creek this year was a 16 and one-quarter pound rainbow trout that Charlie Templeton of Newport caught on July 4th. He hooked the big one up above the first bend, and had quite a time before landing it. More people are coming over to Big Creek all the time, he tells us, for picnicking as well as to enjoy the fishing.

NOT intending to be sarcastic in the least, but here's something that the Youth Club softball team might think over. There is a Canton team, Ridgeway, that as of last week had played 11 games, losing 11 games. Now if the Youth Club and Ridgeway could get together one of them would have to win. The Youth Club tries hard, witness their valiant efforts against the Boosters last week, and if they could cross their first hurdle possibly the next wouldn't seem as high.

W. H. L. League Standings

INDIVIDUAL BATTING				
	G.	Ab.	R.	H.
HARRIS, Veterans	12	47	18	22
ROBINSON, Tannery	13	54	21	24
DUDLEY, Tannery	12	48	13	21
BLALOCK, Boosters	14	53	22	23
BLALOCK, Lions	12	42	16	18
B. ROBINSON, Tannery	12	40	13	17
FENSTERMACHER, Pet	12	37	12	15
R. PHILLIPS, Lions	12	38	11	15
OWENS, High School	14	41	14	16
R. PHILLIPS, Tannery	13	49	21	19
McLAN, Pet	14	55	16	21
PUTNAM, Boosters	14	42	14	16
L. ROBINSON, High School	12	44	16	16
ROGERS, Veterans	13	44	15	16
MEDFORD, Pet	12	44	11	16
L. MESSER, High School	14	47	17	17
JAYNES, Boosters	13	50	15	18
G. MESSER, Dayton	14	50	11	17
WYATT, Boosters	14	47	16	16

PITCHING				
	G.	W.	L.	So.
PUTNAM, Boosters	14	14	0	79
CARSWELL, Veterans	4	3	1	2
TROUTMAN, Veterans	7	5	2	22
PRESSLEY, Tannery-Unagusta	7	5	2	17
ROBINSON, Tannery	11	6	3	78
PHILLIPS, Dayton	11	7	4	61
WOODARD, Unagusta	8	5	3	35
TRUITT, Veterans	2	1	1	2
SMITH, Lions	11	4	7	34
POWERS, High School	6	2	4	14
MEDFORD, Pet	4	1	2	9
AMMONS, High School	8	2	5	10
SCRUGGS, Pet	11	2	9	30
GIBSON, Youth Club	4	0	4	10
BRACKETT, Youth Club	9	0	9	18

TEAM BATTING				
	G.	Ab.	R.	H.
BOOSTERS	14	432	149	144
VETERANS	13	407	130	132
TANNERY	13	433	118	140
PET	14	434	104	129
HIGH SCHOOL	14	423	116	111
UNAGUSTA	14	397	134	103
LIONS	14	414	84	106
DAYTON	14	416	102	104
YOUTH CLUB	14	390	69	80

Scheduled games through Friday, July 12th.

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Dudley And Blalock Hit Homers To Lead Team To 6-1 Victory At Tuxedo

Martel Mills To Play At Local Field Wednesday Starting At 4:30 P. M.

The Green River baseball field at Tuxedo had fences around it. However, the fence was too close to the batter's box when Hazelwood went there Saturday afternoon to play their 10th official Industrial League game, for Elmer Dudley in his first time at bat knocked one over the center field fence, and Bud Blalock dropped another over the boards around right field in the eighth.

When the game was over, Hazelwood had won, 6 to 1.

Blalock pitched his sixth win of the season, giving Green River five safeties, while Hazelwood took 14 hits from Swan and kept a safe lead throughout the game.

Martel Mills, playing the game that was rained out on July 6th, is scheduled to be played at the local high school field Wednesday afternoon. Manager Blalock announces that the game will begin at 4:30 p. m. Saturday, Hazelwood will go to Canton high school field to engage the Champion Y team, which this past week trounced Enka 4-2 on McCormick field.

Scoring in the Green River game began in the first inning, with Dudley's home run hit over the fence. Jack Smith lined one to center field, and Shook doubled into the right pasture to bring in Smith for a second tally.

The host team then made their home score of the game, when Clyde Peck bounced one off Blalock's glove to get to first, advanced on Dewey Hunnicutt's grounder through short, and reached third and home on successive

wild pitches. In the seventh, Glen Wyatt and Sam Lane scored on Milner's single, and in Hazelwood's next time at bat, Blalock's long home run clout over the right field fence was followed by Shook's triple to center and his trip to home base when Glen Wyatt hit one too hot for the Green River pitcher to handle.

Green River turned in a stellar defensive game, featured by a triple play in the second inning. Dewey Hunnicutt ran back in center field for a shoe-string catch of Sam Lane's "Texas Leaguer," threw to second to catch Glen Wyatt and the ball went to third to nip off Oliver Young. Young made two outstanding catches in left field for Hazelwood.

Hazelwood		Ab.	R.	H.	Po.	A.	E.
Milner, cf		4	0	2	2	0	0
Dudley, 3b		5	1	1	3	0	0
Smith, c		4	1	1	10	0	0
Blalock, p		4	1	2	0	14	1
Shook, ss		4	1	2	4	1	0
G. Wyatt, 2b		4	1	2	0	1	0
Lane, rf		4	1	2	0	0	1
E. Wyatt, 1b		4	0	1	6	0	0
Totals		37	6	14	27	16	1

Green River		Ab.	R.	H.	Po.	A.	E.
Peck, ss-rf		4	1	2	1	0	1
D. Hunnicutt, cf		4	0	1	3	1	0
Peck, 1b		4	0	2	9	0	0
Stepp, 2b		3	0	0	5	4	0
Vaughn, lf		3	0	0	1	0	0
E. Hunnicutt, 3b		3	0	0	2	0	0
Stancil, c		4	0	0	5	1	1
Drake, rf-ss		4	0	0	0	1	0
Swan, p		3	0	0	1	7	0
Totals		32	1	5	27	14	2

Score by innings: R. H. E.
Hazelwood 200 000 220—6 14 1
Green River 100 000 000—1 5 2
Umpires: Brookshire and Whitener.

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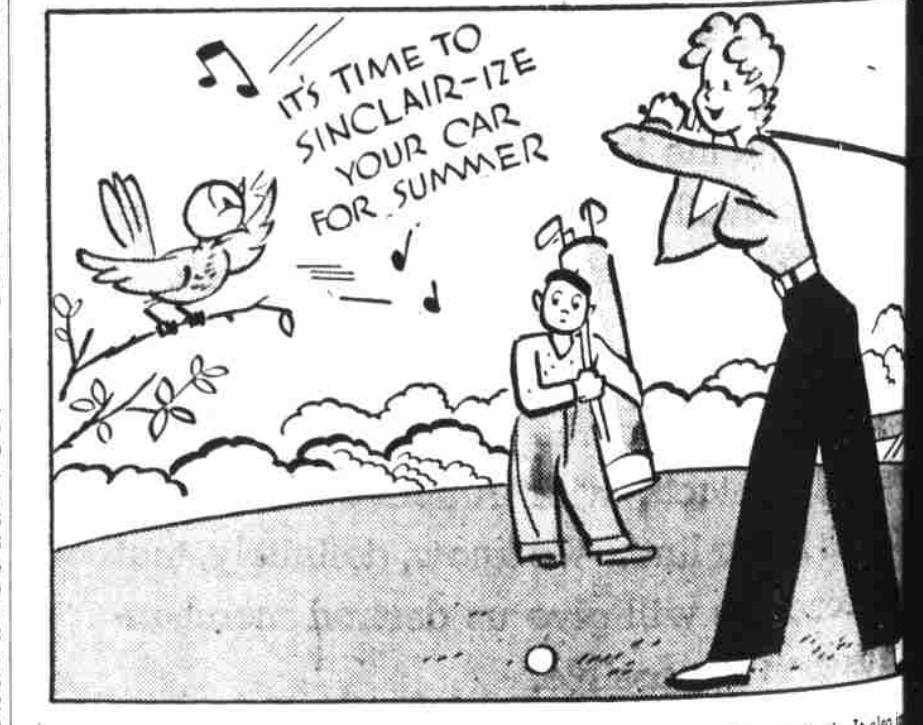
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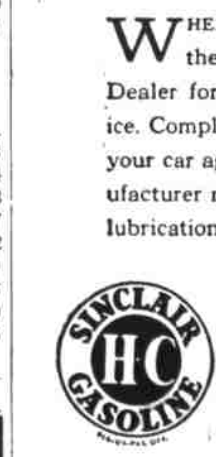
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