

Hazelwood Rallies To Split Doubleheader With Berkeley Mills

The Hazelwood Industrial Leaguers staged a brilliant rally in the final inning of the second game of Saturday's twin bill with the Berkeley Mills nine to notch their first 1949 loop win by the score of nine to eight. The locals fell before the slants of Ed Hunnicutt, 13 to 6, in the nine inning opener.

Berkeley grabbed an eight to nothing lead in the first three innings of the first game to win with ease as Hunnicutt scattered 10 hits effectively.

Six of the Berkeley starters rapped out two hits each with Goode and Slider connecting for home runs.

Bobby Sparks, Berkeley right fielder, connected for one of the longest drives of the year here, when his hit landed some 400 feet away from home plate and bounced over the center field fence holding him to a double.

Royce Richie, local second sacker, led the hitters with three for four including a home run to deep left field.

Bill Tomlinson started for the locals and gave up 12 hits before Jim Kuykendall relieved him in the eighth.

Things looked dark for the locals in the second tilt as they trailed eight to one, going into the last of the sixth. They rallied for four runs to pull within three runs of the visitors going into their final trip to the plate.

Bishop grounded out to start the inning. Ken Troutman and Bob Pitts singled to right field and Manager Elmer Dudley lashed a hard hit line drive to right, but Bobby Sparks made an outstanding catch for the second out. Jack Smith walked to load the sacks. Oliver Yount singled to center field to score Troutman and Pitts and then stole second base. Jack Case was sent in to hit for Ammons and was hit by the pitcher to load the bases again. With the count one and one, Royce Richie came through with his fifth hit of the day, a looping single over third base to score Smith and Yount and hand the locals their first win of the year.

Hazelwood's first run resulted from a home run by third baseman Ken Troutman in the third inning. Jack Ammons went the route for the locals and although touched for 12 hits, pitched himself out of several bad innings.

Abbott and Slider each had three for four to pace the visitors. Troutman, Pitts and Richie each

had two for four for the locals.

The Box Scores:

Berkeley	ab	r	h	e
Goode, 3b	6	1	2	1
Abbott, 2b	5	2	2	0
D. Hunnicutt, cf	5	1	1	0
Sparks, rf	5	2	2	0
E. Hunnicutt, p	4	1	1	0
Loftis, 1b	5	1	2	0
Drake, ss	5	1	2	0
Slider, c	4	2	2	1
Gambill, lf	5	2	0	1
Totals	44	13	14	3

Hazelwood	ab	r	h	e
Bishop, ss	4	0	0	0
Case, rf	4	1	1	0
Pitts, cf	4	1	2	0
Dudley, 1b	4	0	0	1
Smith, c	4	2	2	0
Yount, lf	3	1	1	1
Troutman, 3b	4	0	1	1
Richie, 2b	4	1	3	2
Tomlinson, p	2	0	0	0
Kuykendall, 6	2	0	0	0
Totals	35	6	10	5

Berkeley 305 001 301-13
Hazelwood 000 013 002-6

Runs batted in: Sparks 2, Loftis, E. Hunnicutt, Goode 4, Gambill, Troutman, Smith 3, Slider 2, Richie 2. Two base hits: Sparks 2, Drake, Yount. Three base hits: E. Hunnicutt, Smith 2. Home runs: Goode, Slider, Richie. Stolen base: Goode. Double plays: E. Hunnicutt to Loftis; Bishop to Richie to Dudley. Left on bases: Berkeley 6; Hazelwood 3. Bases on balls off: Hunnicutt 1, Tomlinson 2. Strikeouts by: Hunnicutt 5, Kuykendall 1, Tomlinson 4. Hits of Tomlinson 12 in 6 1-3 innings; Kuykendall 2 in 2-3. Wild pitches: Tomlinson 4. Passed balls: Slider 2. Winning pitcher: E. Hunnicutt. Losing pitcher: Tomlinson. Umpires: DeWeese, Hammond.

(Second Game)

Berkeley	ab	r	h	e
Goode, 3b	4	1	1	0
Abbott, 2b	4	1	3	0
D. Hunnicutt, cf	4	1	1	0
Sparks, rf	4	1	2	1
Stansell, c	2	0	0	0
Loftis, 1b	4	1	2	0
Drake, ss	4	0	0	0
Slider, lf-c	4	2	3	0
Morris, p	3	1	0	0
E. Hunnicutt, lf	2	0	0	0
Bambill, p	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	8	12	1

Hazelwood	ab	r	h	e
Bishop, ss	4	0	0	0
Troutman, 3b	4	2	2	0
Pitts, cf	4	2	2	0
Dudley, 1b	3	1	0	1
Smith, c	1	2	1	1
Yount, lf	4	1	1	0
Ammons, p	3	0	1	0
Richie, 2b	4	0	2	1
Brackett, rf	3	1	1	0
Case, a	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	9	10	3

a-Hit for Ammons, 7th.
Berekeley 220 121 0-8
Hazelwood 001 004 4-9

Runs batted in: Sparks, Loftis, Goode 2, Troutman 2, E. Hunnicutt, Abbott, D. Hunnicutt, Yount 3, Ammons. Two base hits: Brackett, Pitts. Three base hits: Sparks. Home runs: Goode, Troutman. Stolen bases: Slider, Goode. Sacrifice: Morris. Left on bases: Berkeley 7, Hazelwood 6. Bases on balls off: Morris 2. Strikeouts by: Morris 9 in 6 innings; Gambill 1 in 1-3. Hit by pitcher, by Morris (Smith), Gambill (Case). Passed ball: Smith. Winning pitcher: Ammons. Losing pitcher: Morris.

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A - B Bulldogs Journey Here Wednesday For Return Tilt With Locals

Game To Start At 4 O'clock

Coach Herb Comban and his Asheville-Biltmore Bulldogs will return here Wednesday afternoon for another clash with the local Hazelwood nine. The game will get underway at 4 o'clock.

These same two teams met here last Wednesday and when the dust had cleared the Hazelwood team had chalked up a 13 to 0 win behind the three-hit, 13 strikeout hurling of Little Jack Ammons.

The Hazelwood hitters hit their stride for the first time this season and rapped out seventeen hits, including a triple by Bob Pitts and home runs by Ken Troutman and Manager Elmer Dudley.

Coach Comban felt that his team did not play their best ball and requested another tilt.

The two local performers on the Bulldog squad, Lawrence Robinson and Dick Powers, will handle the shortstop and first base positions in Wednesday's game.

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High School Nine Meets Canton In Season Finale

The Waynesville High Mountaineers will close out their 1949 baseball season Thursday afternoon when they journey to Canton to meet Coach C. C. Poindexter's Canton High Black Bears in a Blue Ridge Conference tilt.

As most of the local's games have been this season, the tilt will be a re-scheduled game and was recently postponed due to rain.

The Mountaineers have been riding a winning streak in recent weeks and already hold one division over the Bears in an earlier game played here.

The local nine displayed a powerful attack in last week's tilt with the Brevard Blue Devils and that combined with the effective hurling of Lefty Jim Kuykendall paved the way to an easy 31 to 1.

Kuykendall will probably get the pitching nod in the season finale with Wiggins, c. Robinson, lb. Price, 2b, Whisenhant, ss, Bell 3b, Bob and Bill Owen and Wayne Caldwell in the outfield.

Christ School Netters Win 2nd Straight Title

Bobby Moore of Christ School took the singles titles in the Blue Ridge Conference tennis finals Friday at Christ School.

He and the other Christ School entries also successfully defended the team crown which they won last year.

Moore rallied after dropping the first set, 4-6, and took the next two, 6-2, 6-2, in defeating Ethan Stanley of Asheville School in the championship match Friday.

The defending champions collected 15 points for a comfortable eight-point margin over runnerup Asheville School. Ben Lippin's netters got two points, Canton one, and Hendersonville failed to score.

The doubles title went to Asheville School the next day when Asheville's top-seeded duet of Stanley and Holcombe whipped their teammates, See and Morris, 5-7, 6-3, 6-4, in an uphill battle in the finals.

Stanley and Holcombe had defeated Graham and Bell of Ben Lippin School, and See and Morris had downed Hamilton and Gatewood of Asheville School in the semifinals match.

Phil Pesco, brother of Santa Clara basketball coach Ray Pesco, coached his Olympic Junior College quint from Bremerton, Wash., to a 32 won, two lost record this year.

Two new opponents are on the University of Wyoming football schedule this year—New Mexico and Baylor.

Locals Split Tilts With Andrews, Cullowhee

The Waynesville Independents split a pair of baseball games over the week-end. Saturday afternoon they journeyed to Cullowhee for a return tilt with the Cullowhee Independents and gained revenge for an earlier defeat by walloping the home team, 17 to 10.

Sunday afternoon the locals absorbed a 20 to 5 defeat at the hands of the Andrews nine here on the Waynesville High diamond. The game was called in the seventh inning.

Walter "Crip" Wyatt went the distance for the locals in Saturday's game and was touched for 10 hits and 10 runs.

Trailing nine to seven in the sixth, the locals blasted six runs across the plate to sew up the game, and even the score with Deyermund, who defeated the Independents here last Sunday.

L. Norton paced the losers with three hits for five trips while Harry Jaynes, local first baseman was rapping out four for six, three singles and a triple.

In the Sunday tilt, the visitors raced across home plate with 11 runs in the first two innings and then coasted to victory in a game cut short by rain.

"Deacon" Woodard started on the mound for the locals, but was knocked out in the second inning with Manager Tate finishing the tilt.

Sevan paced the visitors with three hits for five trips, Chambers, local third baseman, was the only hitter to get more than one bingle in the tilt.

(Saturday Game)

Cullowhee	ab	r	h	e
Bryson, ss	5	0	1	0
Cagle, rf	3	0	0	0
Taylor, 1b	4	2	0	3
Duke, 2b	4	2	0	0
L. Norton, cf	5	2	3	0
Parker, c	5	0	2	0
Pressley, ss	5	2	2	0
Deyermund, p	4	0	0	1
Tilley, 3b	5	0	0	1
D. Norton, lf	4	2	2	0
Totals	44	10	10	5

Waynesville	ab	r	h	e
Collins, ss	5	0	1	0
Constance, 2b	4	3	1	0
Chambers, 3b	5	2	1	3
Wiggins, lf	6	3	1	1
Tate, rf	5	1	1	0
Coehran, cf	0	0	0	0
Stevenson, cf	6	2	2	0
Jaynes, 1b	6	3	4	0
Sizemore, c	3	1	2	0
Wyatt, p	4	1	0	0
Totals	43	17	13	4

Losing Pitcher - Deyermund.
Cullowhee - 004 500 001 10
Waynesville - 012 406 121 17

(Sunday Game)

The Line Score:	r	h	e
Andrews	563	042	20 15 2
Waynesville	000	014	5 6 7

Losing Pitcher - Woodard.

Approximately 17,000,000 persons annually use firearms for sports in the United States.

Mountaineers Wall Brevard Blue Devils In Blue Ridge Tilt

Home Runs By Bob Owen, Davis Wiggins Pace Win

The Waynesville High Mountaineers rolled to a top-sided 31 to 1 victory over the Brevard High Blue Devils Friday afternoon on the Waynesville High diamond. The tilt was a regular Blue Ridge Conference game.

Although the Blue Devils showed signs of being tired after playing four games this week, the Waynesville bats were loaded with base hits and that combined with the three hit, 11 strikeout pitching of Lefty Jim Kuykendall gave the locals sweet revenge for an earlier defeat this year.

The only Blue Devil run of the game resulted from the first base off balls of the game by Kuykendall. B. Morris walked as the first man up in the seventh inning, advanced on a putout and scored when T. Morris dropped a short fly over the infield.

The Mountaineers notched four runs in each of the first three innings, added eight in the fourth and then ended the game by dashing 11 runners across home plate in the sixth.

Bill Sutton opened the game for the locals by beating out an infield roller and Bob Owen, right fielder, blasted a home run to deep right field for the Mountaineer's second two runs and the scoring was on.

In the sixth inning with Dave Price on second base, Bob Davis picked out a three and two pitch and drilled it to the left field fence

The Standings

IND. LEAGUE RESULTS

Berkeley 13-8, Hazelwood 6-9.
Enka 9-14, Ecusta 8-3.
Martel 4-4, Canton 3-1.
Beacon 16-3, Clearwater 0-1.

IND. LEAGUE STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Pct.
Enka	6	0	1.000
Beacon	6	1	.857
Berkeley	5	2	.714
Ecusta	3	4	.429
Clearwater	2	3	.400
Martel	2	3	.400
Hazelwood	1	5	.167
Canton	0	7	.000

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