

Foamtreads Victory Over In Brevard Meet

8 Teams Entered In Softball Tournament

Eight teams have definitely entered the District Eight softball tournament which opens Monday at Champion Park in Canton.

Tournament Director Jack Justice said this morning, however, there is a possibility that the mail would bring additional entries filed prior to the midnight deadline last night.

Teams will be eligible if their applications are postmarked not later than that hour.

Mr. Justice and the tournament committee, headed by Chairman Jimmy Williamson, was scheduled to meet at 10:30 a. m. today to draw the pairings for the playoffs.

The entries to date are Champion YMCA, the host team; Kirk-Davis of Sylva, Brevard Hardware of Brevard, Brevard American Legion, Black Mountain VFW, Postal Accounts and Superior Cleaners, both of Asheville; and Cherokee.

Other members of the tournament committee in addition to the chairman, are Bill Shaw, Floyd Robertson, Wesley Holtzclaw, and Jack Elliott.

Shuffle Board Is Ancient The game of shuffle board, known in England as early as the 15th century, was a favorite among the aristocracy, who called it "shovegroat," "slide-groat" or "shovel-nenny."

Even Jones Had Trouble On Way To Grand Slam

By FRANK ECK

AP New-features Sports Editor NEW YORK—Even the great Bobby Jones played one hole like a duffer.

The Grand Slam winner of 1930 American Open and Amateur and Brit. Open and Amateur—scored a seven on a short par five hole.

Fourth of a Series Oddly enough it happened on the way to Bobby's Grand Slam during the British Open at the Royal Liverpool Golf Club in Hoylake, England.

It was during the fourth round on the eighth hole—say O. B. Berkeley, Atlanta noted golf writer who first only saw Jones' Grand Slam but claims to be the only person who has witnessed Jones' 12 major tournament triumph.

"Bobby played a spoon on his second shot and was 12 yards short of the green," says the popular O. B. "He had a clear shot for the green, nothing in the way. Yet he took five more shots to get down.

"His third shot missed the green. It was just short. On his fourth shot he chipped 12 feet past the cup. On his fifth he putted one yard past the hole. His sixth stroke just barely missed, rinning the



BOBBY JONES 7 on a Short Par 5

Committee Meets To Map District Softball Event

The tournament committee for the District Eight softball tournament was meeting at Champion YMCA this morning to draw pairings and make other arrangements for the district playoffs which will open Monday afternoon.

Tournament Director Jack Justice had said earlier that seven teams from the western section had entered shortly before the deadline, and that officials had hoped to receive at least one more entry to complete the lineup for the event.

Mr. Justice, District Eight softball commissioner, and the committee are also handling the arrangements for the state tournament, which will start August 16.

The games for both events will be staged at Champion Park.

The games in the district tournament will be held at night. Two contests will be held Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, with the starting times 7 p. m. and 8 p. m.

The semifinal game will be held Thursday night and the championship final on Friday night.

If rain causes a postponement during the tournament, the final will be held on Saturday night, Mr. Justice said.

The Champion Y team will play in both district and state tournaments. The locals are seeded a berth in the state event by virtue of being hosts.

If they win the district playoff, then the runnerup will compete in the state event as a district representative.

Preparations for the district event will be Jack Elliott, Neil Veto, and Clyde Sharpe, all of Canton.

Umpires Named For Field Day Softball Games Assistant County Agent Turner Cathey today announced the names of the umpires for next week's inter-community softball games.

The games will be features of the Field Day programs.

The umpires are as follows: for the corresponding Field Days, Monday Thickett at Morning Star, Jack Justice and Sam Miller, Tuesday Delwood at Cove Creek, C. E. Weatherly of Waynesville.

Wednesday Lake Junaluska at Clyde, Red Foster and Clyde Miller, both of Canton.

Thursday, Aug. 11—East Picoon at Cruso, umpire to be selected.

Friday, Aug. 12—Upper Crabtree at Panther Creek, Carl Batyiff of Waynesville.

Saturday, Aug. 13—Cove at Saunook, Marion Bridges.

Kuykendall Pitches One-Hitter As Champion Takes WNC Junior Lead

Lefty Jim Kuykendall hurled the Champion Y Juniors into undisputed first place in the Western North Carolina Junior League Wednesday afternoon, when he pitched a neat one-hitter as the Canton team won a 6-0 victory over the Valley Springs nine.

Kuykendall struck out 12 batters while walking only two as he showed much improvement on his control.

The Champion lads grabbed a two-run lead in the first inning, added two more in the second, and finished the game's scoring with two in the fifth.

Champion has only four more games to go in its bid for the first pennant in the circuit which was organized this summer.

After the game Coach Justice described his ace as promising to become the finest pitcher in the city.

"If he keeps going the way he has been," he said, "he will be the best."

Referring to the team as a whole, he said the boys are "improving every day."

He also indicated that all the boys will be old enough next year to be eligible for the American Legion Junior baseball club that he said is scheduled to be reorganized as Haywood County's representative.

The Champion Juniors will continue their bid for the pennant at 2:30 tomorrow in Champion Park where they will clash with Andrews.

On Saturday, they also have a home game set for the same time with Skyland Hoisery.

The Line Score: Valley Springs, 000-000-0-0-1-3; Champion, 220-020-8-6-3-1.

Enery and Whitaker, Kuykendall and Pomedexter.

The first American-built steam locomotive to draw passengers in the United States was the Tom Thumb.

Martel Invades Hazelwood For Doubleheader Saturday

Waynesville To Battle Pigeons Here

The Waynesville Merchants and the Canton Pigeons will lock horns Sunday afternoon at 3:30 on the Waynesville High diamond in what shapes up as a fast bill.

In the earlier meeting of the two nine, they turned in top-notch performance, and a repeat of the first game is expected Sunday.

Manager Mutt Tate announced today that he would send Successor to the mound in hope of taking the Pigeons. The starting hurler for the visitor is indefinite but Clyde Miller, Dee Stevenson and Sam Rathbone will be on hand for the game.

A four-mile railroad near Quincy, Mass., had the first iron rails in the form of thin strap on top of wooden rails.

Twin Bill With Peerless To Close Regular Sked For Champion Saturday

Yount Tops Local Hitters; Dudley Second

Oliver Yount, Hazelwood left fielder, rapped out seven hits in ten trips to the plate against Enka and Ecusta the past two week-ends, and now poses the local hitter with an average of .426.

Skinner Finney Dudley added 15 points to his average and continues in second spot with a .355 average. Dudley has 22 hits in 62 trips to the plate.

Bob Pitts missed the Enka game but got two singles in five trips against Ecusta to push his average to .340 with 18 base knocks in 53 tries.

Jack "Sheriff" Smith, with 279, and Jack Case with 265 round out the top five hitters on the local squad.

Little Jack Ammons was credited with one win and one loss for the two games and now has won five while dropping six. Jim Kuykendall continues with a record of 10 wins and two defeats and P. C. Burrell no wins and one defeat. Jim Cunningham has won one, his only start for the locals.

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Yount	61	26	426	
Whitener	8	3	375	
Dudley	62	22	355	
Pitts	53	18	340	
Smith	43	12	279	
Case	49	13	265	
Ammons	41	10	244	
Troutman	59	14	237	
G. Wyatt	30	7	233	
Bishop	29	6	207	
Henry	10	2	200	
Shook	14	2	142	
Pressley	5	0	000	
Cunningham	4	0	000	
N. Wyatt	4	0	000	

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Ammons To Pitch 9-Inning Opener; Starts At 2 P. M.

The Hazelwood Industrial Leaguers will be host to the Martel Mills nine Saturday afternoon when the two clubs tangle in a double-header on the Waynesville High diamond, with the first game getting underway promptly at two o'clock.

The games will mark the first appearance of the Martel team here this season. The double-header was scheduled after the first game between the two clubs was postponed twice due to rain and wet grounds.

In the previous game played at Martel, the local nine came through to take a 10-0-1 win behind the five-hit pitching of Jack Ammons.

Skipper Elmer Dudley has nominated Ammons to hurl the nine-inning opener Saturday, with either Jim Cunningham or Lefty Jim Kuykendall toting the rubber in the seven-inning nightcap.

Manager Paul Israel is expected to pitch one game for the visitors, with Capps or Studer working the other.

As the result of the win over Ecusta last Saturday, the local nine is now one-half game out of the first division. If the locals take a double win from Martel and Ecusta defeats Beacon, the clubs will be tied. Should Beacon top Ecusta the locals will have a chance to move into undisputed fourth place.

At the team battles for a playoff berth, two fast games will be unrolled Saturday and a large crowd is anticipated as the season moves into the final stages.

Industrial League Schedule

AUGUST 6
Martel at Hazelwood (2)
Canton at Berkeley
Clearwater at Enka
Beacon at Ecusta

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