

Hazelwood Goes On Road Saturday To Meet Enka

A 1-1 record in the West-Carolina Industrial League, Hazelwood will get definitely into the game at 2:30 p.m. Saturday when they will go on the road to the Enka Rayonites.

Last year won the league but in games this season they have lost some. Hazelwood, 1954 runner-up, was impressive in losing its first game to the Beason Mills, 14-1, but bounced back here last Saturday to win an 18-15 defeat on the Mills nine—the first loss of the season for the Buncombe team.

Hazelwood had hoped to have Jim Kuykendall and other members on its squad playing with Western Carolina, but the Catamounts are in contention for the Conference championship.

Champion Will Meet Ohio Squad

Champion YMCA's softball team will play host to the Hudepohl team from Hamilton, Ohio, for a pair of doubleheaders this weekend.

The first twin bill will start at 7:45 p.m. Friday, the second at 7:30 p.m. Saturday.

Most of the Hudepohl team were members of the Lowenstein squad of Hamilton which has appeared in Canton for the last two years.

The Buckeye softballers feature pitchers Cleve Pendergrass, colored, and Wad Fannin, the latter a member of the Champion Green Wave team at Hamilton.

Scheduled to take the mound for the Carolina Champions are Wade Garrett, formerly of Greensboro, and Gene Izou, who has played with Peerless Woolens and the Zollner Pistons.

The Y team is coached by Floyd Dewese, assisted by Steve Scarborough and Walter Spence.

'Hit The Deck' Starts Sunday At The Strand

A big, booming, star-studded Cinema-Scope musical jammed with laguns and song hits comes to the Strand Theatre this Sunday with the showing of M-G-M's "Hit The Deck".

Produced by Joe Pasternak, who has given the screen such smash successes as "The Student Prince," "The Merry Widow" and "The Great Caruso," this new offering tells a story of three sailors and their girls on the maddest, merriest 48-hour pass in Navy history.

Jane Powell, Tony Martin, Debbie Reynolds, Walter Pidgeon, Vic Damone, Gene Raymond, Ann Miller and Russ ("Seven Brides for Seven Brothers") Tamblin head the impressive line-up of stars, with other important roles played by J. Carrol Nash, Kay Arden in her film debut, Richard Anderson, Jane Darwell, Alan King and Henry Slate.

Pays For Contentment

DETROIT (AP)—Davis Harris has been busted from a desk sergeant to a detective at his own request. It will cost him \$300 a year.

"That's cheap for a job I like," Harris said.

He's taken a cut before to keep happy. He gave up a \$100 a week job 13 years ago to join the force as a \$38 a week rookie.

Hank Sauer of the Chicago Cubs, the National League's Most Valuable Player in 1952, received only one vote in the 1954 balloting.

The Hazelwood lineup then will be virtually the same except for Bud Blaylock, a regular last year, who is expected home this weekend from his Air Force base in Greenville.

The Pressley, who has lost one and won one, will be on the mound again for Hazelwood.

In beating Martel last Saturday, the locals hit four home runs, Bob Pitts got two, while Dick Singleton and Spunk Cagle got one apiece. Martel slugged out three round-trippers.



WINNER OVER MARTEL here Saturday was this Hazelwood team of the Western North Carolina Industrial Baseball League. Kneeling left to right are Dick Singleton, manager Elmer Dudley, Oliver Yount, Kenneth Troutman, Manuel Hooper, Dave Price; (standing) Bill Leatherwood, Joe Pressley, Dick Powers, Bill Milner, Bob Pitts, Spunk Cagle, and Lonnie Bishop. The Hazelwood squad will journey to Enka this Saturday afternoon. (Mountaineer Photo).

WTHS Faces Black Bears At Canton; Mountaineers Again Top Greenies

The Mountaineers captured their second game of the season from the Christ School nine Tuesday afternoon by topping the Greenies at Arden, 6-3, led by George Mitchell's three-hitter.

Mitchell, who has been troubled by wadness lately, handcuffed Christ School with only three safeties and single runs in the fourth, fifth, and sixth innings. He fanned five.

Dwayne Robinson and Tony Davis each got four hits in four trips to the plate to lead the WTHS sluggers. Stuart Roberson blasted the longest ball—a solo homer in the fourth inning.

Each side committed two errors.

Waynesville scored first in the second inning as Roberson was safe on an error, stole second and third and then went home on Wright's single.

Another WTHS run came in the third inning as Hill tripled and scored on an infield out.

After Roberson hit his home run in the fourth inning, Davis scored in the sixth frame after singling, stealing second, and then going home on an error.

Waynesville tallied twice in the seventh inning as, Hill singled, Robinson tripled, scoring Hill, and Davis scored Robinson on a bunt.

Mitchell will try his luck again Friday afternoon at Canton against the Black Bears, currently the conference's No. 1 team. The bruins won in the first meeting between the two clubs here, 9-4.

| Waynesville (6) | ab | r | h |
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| Robinson, rf | 4 | 1 | 4 |
| Davis, lf | 4 | 1 | 4 |
| Byrd, ss | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Ballance, 3b | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Roberson, 1b | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Mitchell, p | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Wright, 2b | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| Muse, cf | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Edwards, rf | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Hill, c | 3 | 2 | 2 |
| Totals | 30 | 6 | 12 |

| Christ School (3) | ab | r | h |
|-------------------|----|---|---|
| Tullis, lf | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Huffman, cf | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| Shuford, 2b | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Underwood, 1b | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Martin, rf | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| Robinson, c | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Dunn, p | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| Hudnor, ss | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Carr, 3b | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 26 | 3 | 3 |

League Prizes Awarded To Top Women Bowlers

Prizes were awarded to members of the Waynesville Women's Bowling League for play in the 1954-55 season at a meeting Monday night at the home of league president Sue Hinkley.

Team standings, counting both the first and second half, were:

Wellco Shoe, 64½-34½; The Friendly Bank, 56½-42½; Murphy Chevrolet, 55-44; Linger-Sheehan, 44-55; Howell Motor Co., 43½-55½; and Dayton Rubber, 24½-74½.

Tops in the high individual game class were: Cecil Elliott, 211; Myra Harrell, 203, and Audrey Wyatt, 200.

Leading the field in the high individual series were: Audrey Wyatt, 543; Mary Hamlett, 530; Cecil Elliott, 519.

Murphy Chevrolet rolled the high team game of 922. Howell Motor was second with 879 and Wellco Shoe third with 852.

Murphy also posted the high team series of 2582. Howell Motor was second with 2502 and the Friendly Bank was third with 2459.

In the top 10 average, Mary Hamlett and Audrey Wyatt tied with 142. Other leaders were: Mohela Medford, 140; Myra Harrell, 139; Ila Jean Yount, 138; Lillian Carver, 136; Cecil Elliott, 134; Rozelle Ray, 134; Dot Phillips, 133, and Maude Martin, 131.

New York catcher Yogi Berra was a star soccer player in high school.

LAFF-A-DAY



"He answers to the name of Rover van Witherspoon Smithe."

Bob Kuykendall Now With St. Petersburg Ball Team

Bob Kuykendall of Hazelwood, who is now playing Class D professional baseball with the St. Petersburg (Fla.) Saints, was pictured twice in the Sunday sports section of the May 1 issue of the St. Petersburg Times.

One picture is an action shot of Kuykendall charging after a ball topped by a Sanford batter. In the other picture, he is shown in the traditional catcher's stance behind the plate.

Concerning the Hazelwood athlete, the photo caption says:

Kuykendall, for instance, is apt to throw the ball harder than Mickey Cochrane and straighter than Gabby Hartnett on one throw to second base. The next one may go all the way to center field on the fly. Kuykendall is regarded as a promising prospect. He is no different than many other players in the league. They all work hard. They make mistakes, but they are never listless.

Bobby, the son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Kuykendall of Hazelwood, starred in football, basketball, and baseball at both Waynesville High School and Western Carolina along with brother Jim, a pitcher, who is still at Cullowhee.

The clippings from the St. Petersburg paper were sent to The Mountaineer by Margaret Francis Smith, a WTHS graduate, who now lives in the Florida city.

The last pitcher to shutout the Yankees in a World Series was Preacher Roe of the Dodgers. He beat them 1-0 in the second game of the 1949 Series.

Can't Use It? SELL IT THRU THE WANTADS

Fishing To Open Monday In Great Smokies Park

Fishing in the Great Smoky Mountains National Park will open on Monday, April 16, and continue through August 31, it has been announced. Fishing is from sunrise to sunset only.

All park waters are open to fishing except the following: North Carolina: Lands Creek; Mingus Creek; Chestnut Branch; that part of Raven Fork and all tributaries thereof lying upstream from the Cherokee Indian Reservation boundary at Big Cove, Tennessee; All waters of the Middle Prong of Little Pigeon River above the mouth of Ramsey Prong except the

waters of Ramsey Prong. No fish caught in the waters of Bradley Fork in North Carolina nor in the waters of the West Prong of Little Pigeon River in Tennessee shall be retained but each fish caught in these waters shall be carefully handled with moist hands and returned at once to the water.

Fishing is permitted with only artificial flies or lures with one hook.

No fish less than seven inches long may be retained. All fish

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ALSO LATE WORLD NEWS

Haywood Bowlers In Mixed League

Seven members of the Waynesville Women's Bowling League and two from the Haywood County Men's Bowling League are now bowling in a mixed league in Asheville. They are:

Cecil Elliott, Dot Phillips, Mark Rose, Myra Harrell, Mary Hamlett, Rozelle Ray, Audrey Wyatt, Mohela Medford, and Willard Owen.

Hazelwood Boosters To Meet At Seven Tonight

The regular meeting of the Hazelwood Boosters Club will be held Thursday night, May 12, at the Hazelwood Presbyterian Church.

Paul Bryson is president and Glenn H. Wyatt is secretary.

The Boston Red Sox and New York Giants will play a charity benefit game at Fenway Park, May 23.

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