

Mountaineers Knock Canton Out Of Unbeaten Class With 11-9 Victory



THIS WAYNESVILLE HIGH BASEBALL TEAM handed league-leading Canton its first defeat of the season last Friday afternoon by scoring an 11-9 win on the Paper City diamond. The WTHS squad includes (first row, left to right) David Hannah (manager), Johnny Wright, Bobby Hill, co-captain Mike Byrd, co-captain Bobby Ballance, Sam Lane, David Beck, and Jack Atkins (manager); (second row) Carlton Burrell, Johnny Carswell, Stuart Scruggs, George Mitchell, Don Ezell, James Carver, and Jack Holder; (third row) Coach Bruce Jaynes, Ralph Arrington, Jim Ruff, Paul Burrell, Bobby Trull, Kenny Gibson, Bobby Green, and Charles Rogers. Absent when this picture was taken was Tony Davis. (Mountaineer Photo).

Waynesville Gets Total Of 14 Hits

A fired-up Waynesville High baseball team shelled two Canton pitchers for 14 hits and a 11-9 victory at Canton Friday afternoon to hand the powerful Black Bears their first loss of the 1956 season.

The hero for the Mountaineers was pitcher George Mitchell who struck out 11 Canton batters and gave up only five hits while his teammates knocked Sonny Warren out of the box and continued to hit the ball hard after Dewayne Milner took the mound in the third inning.

Both teams had trouble holding on to the ball—Waynesville being charged with six errors, Canton with seven.

After both sides failed to get any runs in the first inning, the Black Bears went out in front with three runs in the bottom of the second. However, the Mountaineers bounced back for five runs in the third inning and sent Warren to the dugout.

In that inning, Byrd and Lane walked, Ezell was safe on the pitcher's error, scoring Byrd; Ballance flew to center field, scoring Lane; Carver singled, scoring Davis and Ezell; Hill bounced out, and Wright singled, scoring Carver.

Waynesville added three more in the fourth inning on singles by Ezell, Davis, Hill, Mitchell, and Wright, and a double by Ballance.

In the fifth inning, WTHS got one more run as Ezell doubled, Davis flew out, sending Ezell to third, and Ballance flew out, sending Ezell across the plate, Ezell's hit actually was good enough for three bases, but the outfielder failed to touch second base and had to go back to that sack.

The Mountaineers scored their winning runs in the seventh inning as Davis was safe on the shortstop's error, Ballance tripled, and then scored on Hill's infield out.

Canton added three more in the bottom of the seventh as Powell walked, Amos and Cannon struck out, Rhinehart and West were safe on errors, and Dewesse, Clark, and Milner walked. Ballance then came in and threw one pitch to Stamey, who popped up for the third out and the end of the ball game.

The win over Canton Friday was the first scored by Waynesville since the season of 1952 when the Mountaineers whipped the Black Bears in two games, 6-5, and 2-1. In the past three years, the Canton nine has won the Blue Ridge Conference title each season.

The lineups:

Waynesville	ab	r	h
Ezell, cf	5	3	2
Davis, 3b	5	3	2
Ballance, 3b	5	2	2
Carver, 1b	4	1	1
Hill, c	5	0	2
Mitchell, p	5	0	2
Wright, 2b	4	0	2
Byrd, ss	3	1	1
Lane, rf	1	1	0
Holder, lf	1	0	0
Totals	38	11	14

Canton	ab	r	h
Milner, cf, p	4	0	1
Stamey, 3b	5	0	0
Powell, ss	2	3	1
Rhinehart, c	4	3	1
Amos, rf	3	1	1
West, 1b	4	1	0
Cannon, 2b	4	1	0
Raxter, lf	3	0	0
Dewesse, rf	0	0	0
Conard, cf	1	0	0
Warren, p	1	0	1
Clark, cf	1	0	0
Total	32	9	5



ROBERT WOODS of Crabtree shows off the 22-inch brown trout he caught in Jonathan Creek at the mouth of Cove Creek last Thursday morning. He used a red worm to hook the trout, which weighed 4½ pounds. (Mountaineer Photo).

Canton YMCA Organizes 18 Boys' Baseball Teams

Eighteen baseball teams for boys are being organized at Canton under the joint sponsorship of the Champion YMCA and several civic and fraternal clubs of the community, with six teams each in the Pony League, Little League and Farm League.

The sponsors and managers of the teams in the Pony League are Civitans, Mayor Bruce Nanney and Bill Stamey; Kiwanis, Jack Justice; Lions, Albert Cline, Jr. and Bill Stone; VFW, Bill Woody; Y's Men, Joe Nicholls; and Moose, Bub Hamlett.

These Pony League managers will meet tonight at 7 o'clock at the Champion YMCA to make plans for pre-season practice and for the opening of the league.

Sponsors and managers of the Little League teams are Knights of Pythias, Walt Spence and Red Harrison; Civitans, Alex Rickman

and Harland Brookshire; Lions, J. L. Sprinkle, Lee Matthews and Don Boone; Moose, Hayes Childers and Bobby Owen; Y's Men, Barton Ra and Tony Jones; and VFW, Clyde Sharp and Joe Thompson.

Teams in the Farm League, for the tiny beginners in baseball, have the same sponsors and managers as the Little League.

The Little League managers, who have already gotten in two weeks practice, will meet tonight at 8 o'clock at the Champion YMCA to make distribution of 80 new players who are reporting to the Little League and Farm League for the first time.

Doris Knechtges of Detroit has rolled a 700 series four times. Her last was 727 on games of 226, 234 and 267.

New Line
NORFOLK, Va. (AP) — Jackie Levinson, the ex-prize fighter, is selling a new line.
Jackie made a lot of friends here. What he didn't like about selling was friends saying "I really don't need one but I'll buy one to help you out." Jackie wasn't seeking charity and he was selling a product of which he was proud. Jackie now defies customers to say they don't need his new product and will buy to help him out. He's selling cemetery plots.

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Blue Ridge Loop Boys Track Meet Set May 11

The 1956 Blue Ridge Conference boys track meet will be held Friday, May 11, at Asheville School. It has been announced by C. C. Poindexter of Bethel, conference secretary.

Events planned for the track meet are the 100-yard dash, 220-yard dash, 440-yard run, half-mile run, mile run, 120-yard high hurdles, 220-yard low hurdles, pole vault, high jump, broad jump, 12-pound shot put, discus throw, and 880-yard relay (four runners, each runs 220 yards).

Each school will be allowed to enter two contestants in each event—except the relay. The list of entries in the various events must be sent to Coach H. B. Arbogast at Asheville School not later than midnight, May 8.

Cubs Try College Star

CHICAGO (AP) — Don Eaddy, third baseman getting a trial with the Cubs this spring, is a former University of Michigan star athlete. He was selected for the All-Conference diamond squad four years in a row and made the All-Conference basketball team his senior year. After graduating last June he played for Burlington in the 3-1 League, batting .304 in 32 games.

Stays An Amateur

LUSK, Wyo. (AP) — Kent Bryan, the 6 foot 9 youth who cost St. Louis University a year's probation by the NCAA for over-recruiting, played AAU basketball for a Lusk independent team this year.

Waynesville Women Golfers Hold Tournament

In a match play versus par tournament held at the Waynesville Country Club last week, Mrs. Hugh Daniel won the prize for low net and low putts in the 18-hole group.

Mrs. Dave Felmet and Mrs. Russ Kibbe tied for low net and Mrs. Dave Felmet won the low putt in the nine-hole group.

The next event will be an odd-hole tournament, to be played this Wednesday.

STRAND THEATRE

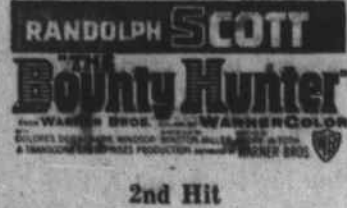
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Waynesville Wins 2 Second Places In Relay Events

Waynesville High track and field performers took second place in the 440-yard relays and 880-yard relays to tie Asheville School for eighth place in the annual WNC Relays at Asheville Friday.

Waynesville had a point total of six points—two better than Hendersonville's four. Canton did not enter the meet.

Lee Edwards of Asheville was first, Christ School was second, Ben Lippen was third, the North Carolina School for the Deaf was fourth, Morganton was fifth, Marion was sixth, and Brevard was seventh.

Bethel scored two points to finish in 12th place in front of Blue Ridge, Owen, Swain, Cranberry, Enka, Walnut, and Erwin.

Women Bowlers Set Meeting

The Waynesville Women's Bowling league will meet tonight, April 30, to make plans for the season of 1956-57. The meeting will be held at 7 p.m. in the office of Dr. R. H. Stretcher.

All former teams are requested to have a representative present, and any women interested in joining the league are also invited to attend.

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