

Noxen All-Stars Win; Federicci Pitches No Hitter; E. Dallas Wins

First No-Hitter This Season

Excellent Support By Teammates, Decides

The masterful pitching of "Sal" Federicci was perfection plus on Thursday evening, July 22, as Shavertown downed East Dallas 3-0 in a Teen-Age League game played at East Dallas Field. Federicci pitched the first no-hit, no-run game of the Teen-Age League this season. In gaining his fourth victory in as many starts, the Shaver ace struck out six and allowed but three walks and was in serious trouble in only one inning.

Shavertown scored their first run in the second inning when Strausser was safe on an error, Hons was hit by the pitcher and Lukasavage singled to score Strausser to make it 1-0.

The East Dallas third was the troublesome inning for Federicci as two men got aboard via walks and an error on the first baseman loaded the bases. Thomas, East Dallas catcher, popped to third to end the attempted rally.

Shavertown scored another run in their half of the third when Dymond doubled, Heslop singled, and Ballut followed by blasting another double.

East Dallas had men on second and third with one out in their half of the fourth but excellent support from his teammates help Federicci get out of the hole and come on to finish his no-hitter.

In the Shaver fifth, three successive singles failed to produce a run with two out as Ballut popped to third to end the inning. Strausser singled to lead off the Shaver sixth, advanced to second when Powell grounded to short and came in when Lukasavage singled to score the final run of the game.

East Dallas	ab	r	h
Rodgers, cf	3	0	0
Clemow, 2b	2	0	0
Thomas, c	2	0	0
Sholtis, p	3	0	0
Bellas, ss	2	0	0
Steinhauer, 1b	2	0	0
Weaver, lf	1	0	0
Dickson	3	0	0
xx-Bellas	1	0	0
Lasher, rf	1	0	0
x-R. Bellas	1	0	0
Landmesser, rf	1	0	0
Totals	18	0	0

Shavertown	ab	r	h
Ivanitch, 2b	3	0	1
Dymond, 3b	3	1	2
Heslop, lf	3	0	2
Balut, ss	3	0	1
Strausser, cf, rf	3	2	1
Hons, cf	1	0	0
Powell, rf	1	0	0
Pritchard, 1b	2	0	0
Edwards, 1b	1	0	0
Lukasavage, c	3	0	2
Federicci, p	3	0	0
Totals	26	8	9

x-Popped to 3rd in 5th for Lasher.
xx-Grounded to 2nd in 7th for Weaver.
East Dallas 000 000 0-0 0 1
Shavertown 011 001 x-3 9 2
2BH-Dymond and Balut. SO-Federicci 7. Sholtis 5. BOB-Federicci 3. HBP-Federicci (1) Bellas, Sholtis (1) Hons. E-Shavertown 2. East Dallas 1. LOB-Shavertown 8. East Dallas 7.

All-Stars Drub Luzerne 12-3

Malak Strikes Out 19, Gives Up 4 Hits

The Back Mountain All-Stars drubbed the Luzerne All-Stars Saturday afternoon to the tune of 12-3 at Connolly Field in Luzerne. Paul Malak struck out 19 as he registered the second win for the Mountaineers.

The Mounties started out early, scoring three runs in the very first inning when Michaels walked, Dymond singled, Heslop walked, and Ballut singled.

Luzerne came back in their half of the first to score a run after Rebar walked and Hutsko tripled to deep center.

Neither team scored in the second but the Mountaineers scored one in the third when "Sal" Federicci hit the first of three booming triples. He scored when Bellas of

Horlochar All-Stars Have One To Go To Compete In World Series

With two out in the last half of the final inning, Bishop scored from second on a scratch single by Doborskielski and an overthrow to first base to let a spirited All-Star team of the Bob Horlochar Memorial Little League defeat a favored Bradford County All-Star team from Sayre 9-8 Wednesday night on Armour Leather Company Field at Noxen.

The win places the Horlochar team within one game of National recognition in the Little League World Series to be played later this month at Williamsport.

That game, the final hurdle on the All-Stars World Series route, will be either with Canton or Wellsboro this Saturday, possibly at LaPorte, a mid-way neutral field.

So great was interest throughout northern tier counties in Wednesday night's game that the contest was broadcast to the Bradford County area by Radio Station WTAS of Sayre over a special hookup directly from the Noxen field.

Horlochar All Stars took an early lead which it held throughout the first four innings. In spite of Ciabardini's booming homer in the third with one on, Sayre went into the fifth inning on the short end of an 8 to 4 score, but with a determination to even the count, which it did, when Newman poked a beautiful home run with two on. Later in the same inning Shappert, Horlochar left field, saved the day for his club, reaching high above the left field fence to grab a hot one that was home run bound, ending the scoring at 8 to 7.

Bradford County tied the score in the beginning of the sixth but its threat went for naught in the last half when Bishop rounded the bases from second on the over-

throw to first and won the game for Horlochar All-Stars.

Wilson was the winning pitcher with nine strikeouts. He walked one, hit one and gave up eleven hits. Stetz was the losing pitcher coming in as a relief after two other pitchers failed to stem the Horlochar tide which netted nine runs on nine hits.

Bob Horlochar All-Stars are composed of players of Little League teams from Noxen, Mehoopany, Beaumont and Auburn Center.

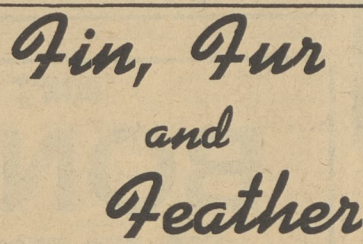
The team defeated Roosevelt Trail All-Stars 7-6 last Friday at Noxen and on Monday night defeated Sullivan County All-Stars 5-3 in a thrilling game at LaPorte.

In the latter game the winners clouted two home runs and took two away from the losers. Right fielder Lutz reached above the fence to catch a drive early in the game, and the center fielder, Dobrosielski, made a spectacular, leaping grab against the barrier for the final out.

Members of the Horlochar All-Star squad are: Bean, 1b, Noxen; June, 3b, Mehoopany; Bishop, ss, Auburn Center; Stevens, c, Mehoopany; Schapper, lf, Noxen; Dobrosielski, cf, Auburn; Burke, 2b, Auburn; Crispell, rf, Beaumont; Wilson, p, Noxen; Garnet, p, Mehoopany; Lutz, rf, Auburn; Benjamin, Noxen; Weiss, p, Beaumont; Clark, Beaumont.

Clarence Laffen, Noxen, is All-Star manager, and Thomas Shingler, Auburn, is assistant manager.

The League is named in memory of the late Robert Horlochar of Noxen who was one of the outstanding pitchers to come out of the rural area. For many years he played with Noxen, Tunkhannock and the old Luzerne Reds. At the time of his death he was a partner in the Horlochar & Sherwood automobile agency at Tunkhannock.



Ducklings Being Reared

The Game Commission's duck rearing program is again in operation at State Game Land No. 213, in Crawford County.

The first duckling release of 1954 was made early this month. Several thousands of mallard ducks will be raised and liberated in out-of-the-way ponds and marshes in Pennsylvania between now and mid-summer.

Each bird will be leg banded before it is given its freedom. Information gathered from reported bands is valuable to the Commission and the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service in administering waterfowl programs. Experience in past has shown that many a duck "planted" on Pennsylvania waters returned to its release vicinity the following spring. This blue print behavior attests that survivors of fall and spring migrations improve duck hunters' sport in the Keystone State.

Coordinator Named

Wilbur M. Cramer, assistant to the Executive Director of the Game Commission the past few years, was recently named Pittman-Robertson coordinator for the state wildlife agency. In this position he administers development of food and

East Dallas flied to center.

In the fifth, Heslop and Balut singled, Federicci hit his second triple and scored when Bellas singled. Bellas stole second and road home on Thomas's single making the score 8-1. That was all the scoring that was necessary as Malak continued to mow down the Luzerne batters.

Luzerne scored single runs in the fourth and fifth, but that was the end for them as Malak struck out the side in the sixth and seventh. The Back Mountain Stars retaliated with one in the sixth and three more in the seventh to make the final score 12-3.

The Back Mountain team will play Plymouth All-Stars at Plymouth this evening at six.
Back Mt. 301 041 3-12 11 0
Luzerne 100 110 0-3 4 3

East Dallas Drops Dallas

Darkness Halts Game In Fifth Inning

East Dallas shellacked Dallas 11-3 in a game that was called at the end of four and a half innings because of darkness at East Dallas Field Monday evening.

East Dallas scored five runs in the first with only one hit as Landmesser led off with a base on balls, Thomas singled, Sholtis walked to load the bases. Dickson was safe at first on a fielder's choice with Bellas being cut down at the plate. Steinhauer walked to force the first run in. Root who was having a lot of trouble finding the plate, was then relieved by Berti who walked another run in. Lewis was safe on a fielder's choice with another run scoring. Lasher walked to force in the fourth run. Berti was then relieved by Root who immediately walked in the fifth run. Thomas struck out to end the inning.

East Dallas came back again in the second to score three more runs on five bases on balls, a single and a fielder's choice. They also scored a single run in the third before Dallas hit the scoring column.

With singles by Finn, Harris and Mosier, Dallas scored a run in their half of the fourth.

Two more runs crossed the plate for East Dallas in their half of the fourth making the score 11-1.

Dallas scored two in the top half of the fifth before the game was called because of darkness. When Coolbaugh had a double with Thomas following him with a double to left. Finn singled to drive in Thomas and Richards singled as the game was called.

DALLAS	ab	r	h
Berti, ss	3	0	0
Updyke, 1b	3	0	1
Coolbaugh, c	1	1	1
Thomas, 3b, p	3	1	2
Finn, 3b, ss	3	1	2
Harris, lf, cf	3	0	2
Richards, 2b	3	0	1
Goddard, rf	1	0	0
Mosier, rf	1	0	1
Root, p, cf	2	0	0
Totals	23	3	10

EAST DALLAS	ab	r	h
Bellas, ss	1	0	0
Landmesser, cf	1	0	0
Thomas, c	4	3	3
Clemaw, ss, 2b	3	0	1
Sholtis, p	1	2	1
Steinhauer, 1b	0	3	0
Weaver, rf	1	1	0
Lewis, cf, 2b	3	1	1
Bellas, lf	0	0	0
Lasher, lf	0	0	0

WP-Sholtis. LP-Root. BOB-Dallas 15, East Dallas 2. SO-Sholtis 4, Dallas 3. DP-Dallas, Finn to Richards to Updyke. Balk-East Dallas 2.

Arthur T. Biondi, some grown-ups who hunt and fish in Mercer County should feel ashamed.

Here he tells why. "The Boy Scouts of this section built stiles so that fishermen could cross farmers' fences without breaking them down. At all parking areas and bridges the Scouts are putting out 50-gallon drums for garbage and trash left by hunters and fishermen. The Scouts empty all such drums and clean up cans, bottles or what have you the I-don't-care outdoorsmen neglect to put in the containers.

"It's getting pretty bad when boys have to follow men around and clean up after them," says Biondi. "But the Scouts have one thing in mind: they want a place for themselves and their kids to hunt and fish when they grow up."

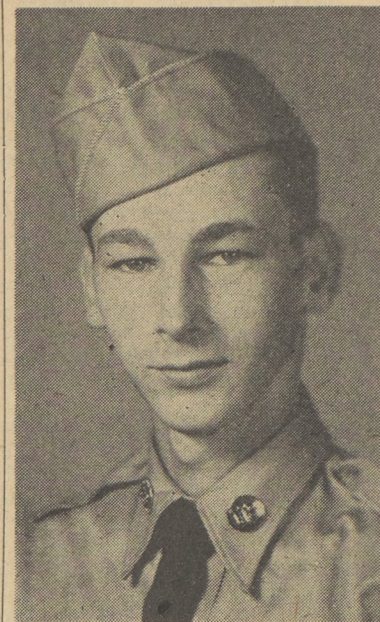
FEW SNOWY OWLS

Naturalists prophesied that snowy owls would invade Pennsylvania last winter. The last visit of snowys was in the winter of 1949-50. Almost regularly at four-year intervals the great, ghostlike birds migrate southward from their arctic homes. Their migrations have closely coincided with the cyclic die-offs of lemmings, mouse-like creatures that are the principal diet of snowys.

In their native habitat, snowy owls have had little experience with man, therefore are quite unafraid. Unlike our great horned owl, which is comparable in size and frequents forested areas where it hunts mainly at night, the white invaders come into cities, perch on poles or buildings and seek small animal life in daylight.

Not many persons saw snowy owls in Pennsylvania last winter, however. Only a few of the periodic visitors were reported.

Buys Recreation Center



JERRY SCOTT

For six years Jerry Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Scott of Lehman, has had an ambition to own and operate the Huntsville Recreation Center. Beginning Monday, he realized his dreams, with the Center changing hands, due to illness of the former owner-managers, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lewis.

Jerry's wide circle of acquaintances, his musical talent and the Scott Orchestra will be a big help in building up the business. His parents will assist for a time, and his wife, the former Julia Updyke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Updyke, will be a permanent partner in the undertaking.

Parents, says Jerry, may rest assured that their teen-agers will be exposed to nothing that will harm them. Plenty of games and recreation, dancing, snacks, soft drinks, but absolutely no liquor of any kind.

Jerry graduated from Lehman High School in 1948, enlisted in the army in 1951, the day his brother Robert entered the service, and served in Korea for nineteen months with the ASA. He was married just before leaving for Korea. The couple spent the remaining term of enlistment in California after Jerry returned from Korea. For the past two months they have been making their home with the Scotts.

Classmates of Jerry who remember him as short and slight, view his present near-six foot stature with amazement. But even in High School nobody tangled with Jerry without due deliberation. Jerry compensated for lack of height by developing muscle, working on push-

Shavertown Defeats Jackson

Hold 2 1/2 Game Lead Over Jackson

Shavertown scored seven runs in the second inning and went on to smother Jackson 8-0 in a Teen-Age League game played on East Dallas Field Tuesday evening. The game was called at the end of six because of darkness. Shavertown now holds a 2 1/2 game bulge on their closest rival.

Malak, who started the game for Jackson, did so in his usual fashion by striking out the side in the first. Balut led off the Shaver second with a single, stole second and came home when Eckert singled, Eckert going down to second when the play was made at home. Hons and Lukasavage walked to load the bases. Federicci singled and went to second as the play again was made at home with two runs scoring and leaving men on 2nd and 3rd. Ivanitch was safe on an error as run number 4 crossed the platter. Dymond struck out and Heslop was safe on an error at first when the fifth run scored. With two out, Ivanitch on third, Heslop went to second and both men scored when Balut hit a fly to deep center in which the center field dropped.

Strausser struck out to end the inning with the score at 7-0.

Jackson was able to do little with the offerings of "Sal" Federicci as he limited them to five hits, striking out eleven and walking one. The best inning Jackson had was the second, getting two singles and a hit batsman to load the bases with two out. Williams struckout to end that threat. Malak retired to shortstop to start the third because of a sore arm. Radinovich took over on the mound.

Shavertown scored their final

runs until he was nothing but solid steel spring.

Jerry expects to do a thriving business at Huntsville. He loves kids, likes to listen to them talk, bends a sympathetic ear to confidences and is a mine of information which he never divulges.

Huntsville Recreation Center was founded in 1945 and until ill health of its proprietors curtailed its activities, was widely patronized, one of the most popular gathering places for young folks. Jerry expects to cater to organizations, young folks from church groups, and school parties.

run in the bottom of the fifth when Eckert hit a single, stole second and third, Hons walked and Eckert scored when Lukasavage hit a long fly to center.

Lincoln and Balliet had back to back singles to open the Jackson sixth with Lincoln ending up on third. Malak followed by hitting a grounder to the pitcher, Parsons struck out, and Lincoln was out attempting to steal home to end the game.

With about four games remaining on the schedule Shavertown will have to win one of the four to gain at least a tie for first place.

Jackson	ab	r	h
Williams, 2b	3	0	0
Davis, lf	2	0	0
Lincoln, c	3	0	1
Balliet, 1b	3	0	2
Malak, p, ss	3	0	1
Parsons, ss, 3b	3	0	1
Nelson, cf	2	0	0
Spencer, 3b	1	0	0
Radinovich, p	1	0	0
Kern, rf	2	0	0
Totals	23	0	5

Shavertown	ab	r	h
Ivanitch, 2b	3	1	0
Dymond, 3b	3	0	0
Heslop, lf	4	1	1
Balut, ss	2	1	1
Strausser, rf	2	0	0
Edwards, rf	1	0	0
Eckert, 1b	3	2	2
Hons, cf	2	1	1
Lukasavage, c	2	1	1
Federicci, p	3	1	1
Totals	25	8	7

Shavertown 070 010 0-8 7-0
Jackson 000 000 0-0 5-3

Winning Pitcher-Federicci. Losing Pitcher-Malak. SO-Federicci 11, Malak 6, Radinovich 3. BOB-Federicci 1, Malak 2, Radinovich 4. E-Jackson 3. HBP-Federicci (1) Kern. LOB-Shavertown 7. Jackson 7.

Legionnaires Tied For Third Place Position

Completing the last home game of the current season Dallas Legionnaires went down to a 9-6 defeat before the onslaughts of a hard-hitting, heads-up Glen Lyon Club Sunday on Jenkins Field.

The defeat leaves the Legionnaires in a tie with Buttonwood for third place in the fast Wyoming League with Swoyersville in first and Honeyport in second place.

This Sunday the Legionnaires will meet Buttonwood at Buttonwood and next Sunday Honeyport at Honeyport. If they should win a place in the play-offs the game will be played on a neutral field.

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