

Back Mountain Minor League Topples Forty Fort Twice

Fernbrook Minor League Team Wins Championship With 8 Wins, 2 Losses

Back Mountain Minor League All-Stars continued their winning ways by sweeping two games from Forty-Fort Minor League All-Stars 4-1 and 15-3.

In winning the first contest 4-1 Szelza pitched a strong four-hitter while fanning 11 and walking 3. Greater things are expected from this youngster in years to come as he is only nine years old.

Back Mountain collected only six hits from the offerings of Russin and Mandell. Belles, Isaacs and McDonald each collected two. Extra base hits were a triple by Isaacs and doubles by McDonald and Belles.

Monday evening Back Mountain combed the Forty-Fort hurlers for 11 hits while collecting seven walks. Belles, McDonald and Chase each to send 11 runs across the plate. had two hits to spark Back Mountain. Tinsley, the hard hitting first-sacker was walked three times and scored three runs.

Mandell, Bustin and Ranieli collected six of the seven Forty-Fort hits off Ehret who passed two and fanned five.

Extra base hits were by Bertram, Yascor and Ranieli who had doubles and Chase who had a triple.

WINS CHAMPIONSHIP

Fernbrook team of the Minor League took first place this year with eight wins and two losses. The team was coached by Arthur Belles and Tex Wilson.

Lehman and Trucksville tied for second place with seven wins and three losses.

Minor League games were played Saturdays at 10 A. M., noon, and 2 P. M. Each team carried from 15 to 20 boys and there were six teams in the League, so it can be seen that quite a few boys were occupied with this phase of Back Mountain Baseball for Boys.

Officials hope that more parents and friends will support the teams with their attendance next year. These boys are the beginning of the whole system and they need to be encouraged and applauded.

The League wants to thank all the coaches for their time and efforts, and all other adults who helped make this such a good season.

DALLAS ALL-STARS

	AB	R	H
Belles, c	3	2	2

	AB	R	H
Isaac, cf	3	2	2
McDonald, lf	3	0	2
Tinsley, 1b	2	0	2
Knecht, ss	1	0	0
Spencer, rf	2	0	0
Evans, rf	0	0	0
Long, 2b	1	0	0
Bertram, 2b	2	0	0
Chase, 3b	3	0	0
Szelza, p	3	0	0
Total	23	4	6

FORTY-FORT ALL-STARS

	AB	R	H
Jones, rf	3	0	0
Blandina, 2b	3	0	0
Stair, 3b	2	0	0
Mandell, ss-p	2	0	0
Bustin, c	2	0	1
Ranieli, cf	2	0	1
Malpass, 1b	1	0	0
Yarosh, lf	2	1	1
Russin, p-ss	2	0	0
Total	20	1	4

DALLAS ALL-STARS

	AB	R	H
Belles, c	3	2	2
Isaac, lf	2	2	1
Szelza, lf	1	1	1
Tinsley, 1b	1	3	1
Knecht, ss	3	1	0
McDonald, rf	3	1	2
Yascor, rf	1	0	1
Eyret, cf	3	0	0
Evans, cf	1	0	0
Bertram, 2b	2	1	1
Long, 2b	0	1	0
Ehret, p	3	0	0
Chase, 3b	3	3	2
Total	26	15	11

FORTY-FORT ALL-STARS

	AB	R	H
Jones, rf	3	0	1
Blandina, 2b	3	1	0
Stair, 3b	3	0	0
Mandell, p	3	1	2
Bustin, c	2	1	2
Ranieli, ss	3	0	2
Stelzer, lf	3	0	0
Quinn, cf	3	0	0
Conty, 1b	1	0	0
Total	24	3	7

Back Mt. Minor League All-Stars were coached by Arthur Belles, coach of the Fernbrook team. He was assisted at the practice sessions and the games by Ed Teifer, Leo Yascor, Russell Bertram and Jim Knecht.

Larry Drabick Is Rural Sociologist In State Of Iowa, With Base At Ames

Larry Drabick dropped in last week, a breath from the rolling plains of Iowa, "where the tall corn grows."

Larry looks the same as he did when he was teaching vocational agriculture at Lehman, and his wife, the former Janice Ruggles, is even prettier than she used to be. But something new has been added to the family, young Matthew, not yet two years old.

Everybody in Lehman remembers Michael, now thirteen, and Mahlen. At this point, Michael thinks he might like to attend the Air Force Academy.

The Drabicks have been staying with Larry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Drabick since Thursday. Thursday, he went to Pennsylvania State University, to join other rural sociologists from all over the country in a three day conference.

Community Development is Larry's field. His work, in conjunction with agricultural extension work takes him all over the State of Iowa, making surveys of small communities, and assaying the possibilities of development.

Iowa, a rich farming area, says Mr. Drabick, was one of the last sections of the rural to feel the unrest among its rural population, and now the urge to leave the farm for industrial centers is being felt, and Iowa is losing population, according to the 1960 census.

The county seats, he says, are holding their own, even increasing in population in some places; centers of population of 2500 or over remain stationary by dint of taking in

each other's washing; but smaller centers are disappearing as farms become larger and mechanized handling replaces farm laborers.

It is fascinating work, covering a wide variety of projects. 4-H Club work is being fostered, with leadership training courses offered at a summer camp. Relative value of trying to retain a rural center of population, as against frankly admitting it cannot be done in certain areas, has to be carefully studied.

There is the ever present need for jobs, but there are places where no amount of good will can be expected to attract industry.

Larry has been on the job for a year, and finds it fascinating, working with people.

His PhD from State University is of great value, though the work in which he specialized, the role of the teacher in a changing world, is being sidetracked temporarily in the press of human values, and the exacting work required in practical application to community problems. There are times when Larry longs for the dust of the blackboards and the academic atmosphere.

Until Matthew made his appearance, Janice was taking courses at the State University of Iowa. The family has recently moved, and is now living within a mile of the campus in Ames, Iowa.

For vacations, the Drabicks like to camp. They have recently returned from two weeks in the Rocky Mountains, where they roughed it in sleeping bags and tents.

They were back from State University last weekend, in time to help

Wilson Fans 17 In 5-2 Victory

Beaumont got some fine pitching from the strong right arm of Alex Wilson Sunday to down Riverside 5-2 as the young hurler scattered four hits. Mel Crispell again led the Beaumont hit parade with three for five while Bob Belles collected a pair.

Beaumont collected 10 safeties off the offerings of McMillan.

Beaumont has a make-up game with Sugar Hill this Sunday at home. Game time is 2:30.

	AB	R	H
Riverside	AB	R	H
L. Hallock, c	4	0	1
J. Hallock, 2b	2	0	0
Traver, 2b	2	0	0
Kresge, 3b	4	0	1
McMillan, p	4	1	0
D. Traver, ss	4	0	0
Suscavage, 1b	2	0	0
Ferman, rf	3	0	1
H. Traver, cf	3	1	0
Roberts, lf	2	0	1
Total	30	2	4

	AB	R	H
Beaumont	AB	R	H
M. Crispell, c	5	0	3
Searfoss, ss	4	0	0
Harris, 2b	4	1	1
L. Crispell, cf	3	1	1
Belles, lf	4	0	2
Brobst, 3b	4	0	0
Stahler, rf	4	1	1
Wilson, p	4	1	1
Conden, 1b	3	1	1
Total	35	5	10

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Open House Is Held At John Rhodes Home

Open house was held for friends and relatives at the home of John Rhodes, Harveys Lake on Sunday. Present were his sister, Mrs. Eliza Kessler, Mrs. Leota Davenport, two small children, Willard Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Traver and daughters, Luzerne; Mr. and Mrs. Willard Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. John Shields and children, Courtdale; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davenport and children, Dallas; Mrs. Nellie Kihoney and son, Edwardsville; Joseph Maury, New York City; Mrs. Irene Early and daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Diction and children, Edwardsville; Ralph Flowers, Williamsport; William and Edwin Rhodes.

Mrs. Loren Keller Is Hostess To Choir

Mrs. Loren Keller, organist and choir director of Idetown Methodist Church entertained members of the choir at her home at Idetown recently. Present were Roberta Schultesis, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bonning, Mrs. Kenneth Calkins, Joanne Maloie, Mary Sabo, Carol Mathers, Helen Dymond, Mrs. Roswell Frederici, Mrs. George May, Mrs. Willis Ide, Mrs. William Calkins, Carol Hadsel, Mrs. John Mahle, Alfred Sweiglin, Richard Ide, and Carlton Hadsel.

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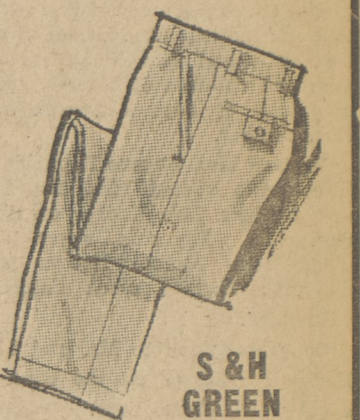
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Bowling News

By DORIS MALLIN

The 1960-61 season at Crown Imperial Lanes will be in full swing within two weeks when practically all leagues will have started. George Shupp League has two weeks and three series of games in already; St. Paul's Lutheran Women begin tonight; St. Paul's Brotherhood, tomorrow night at 9:00 (8 teams; Crown Imperial League rolls off September 9; Back Mountain Neighborhood League begins September 8; Crown Imperiaettes, September 9; Country League, September 13; Back Mountain Church League will open the season next Wednesday, September 7 at 7 p. m.; Dallas Women's Club begin on September 8 at 1:15;

Remember the important meeting of Crown Imperial Major League Friday night at 7 in Crown Imperial Lanes.

There is always a lot of talk among the pins at Hanson's Lanes. Most discussed person this week is a prominent, 178 average bowler who can be found almost any day at the local establishment. Last week our popular friend rolled a game of 103 in LEAGUE PLAY!! This was too much for him and he immediately put in an order for one of the new Brunswick black and white balls. Rumor has it that he went on a fishing trip the following Monday, using the old ball as an anchor. Did he lose it? We all hope so!

After three nights of action in GEORGE SHUPP league, Casterline Hauling leads with 10 points. Monday Casterline copped 3 from Crusaders as Harold Allabaugh led the scorers with 544. Ed Carey was high for Crusaders with 512.

Meade's are in second spot after taking 4 points from Crispell's as Joe Kravitz with 218 (574) and Tom Cross 203 (562) led scorers for the Garagemen. Yankoski and Roberts also chipped in with 510 and 504 respectively.

Dallas Lions won all 4 from Noxen VFW as Jim Thomas showed the way with 214 and 199. Gavigan also had 226.

Jack Trudnak led Wreckers to 3 point win over Raiders as he rolled 225 (569); Bill Amos had a 507 also. Tony Plata led Raiders with 520.

Al Gultius with 515 helped Sportsmen take 3 from Berti. Oak Brace with 530 and Krajewski 529 led the Haulers.

In last Thursday's action, Joe Shemanski led the scoring parade as he toppled the pins for 646 on games of (214-241-191). His team lost all 4 points, however, to Noxen VFW who had Murphy as top scorer with 219 (535).

Meade's Garage and Crusaders put on a high scoring affair with Garagemen taking 3 points as they rolled games of (958-975-905) 2838 total. Crusaders rolled (979-917-866) 2762 total. Meade's had all men in 500's with Jim Traver showing the way with 212 (588); Cross, 228 (577); Yankoski, 227 (575); Kravitz,

517 and Meade, 512. Joe Bogdon led Crusaders with 561 followed by E. Carey, 200 (515) and Lohman, 509.

Dallas Lions had a hot night as they spilled 2879 pins on games of (931-1016-932); they copped 4 from Wreckers. Evans, 560; Romanoski, 535 and Myers, 500 led Lions. Wreckers had Trudnak, 524; Montedonico, 212 (513) and Amos, 213 (511).

Casterline's won 3 from Sportsmen as Jim Casterline with 201 (556) and Harold Allabaugh, 204 (551) led the way. Devine also chipped in with 504. Schuler with 509 and Gultius, 504 led Sportsmen.

Crispell's won 3 from Raiders as Bill Shalata had 211 game. Rudick led Raiders with 534.

Note!!! No Bowling Labor Day, September 5, for GEORGE SHUPP league.

Untouchables hold the lead in TV Summer League with 30 points, 2 over Sugarfoots and Rebels, tied in second. Mavericks have slipped down to third position with 27; Alaskans hold fourth. It's still a toss-up between the top five or six teams with two more weeks of play.

Untouchables took 3 from Mr. Lucky team with 2301 total pins. Al Ciccarelli did the scoring with 579, including a beautiful game of 218, 170-191. Marie Ciccarelli was the Lucky's top scorer with 176-166 (478); Al Raph hit 173; Doris Mallin, 165.

Real McCoy's lost 3 to Sugarfoot. Bob Belles and Jack Lancio hit in in the 500's; Bob had 193-170 (532) and Jack, 201-180 (530). The McCoy's were all down with no one scoring in the high brackets.

Mavericks and Huckleberry Hounds split 2 and 2. Jim Lohman was top scorer for Mavericks, posting 196-223 (high for the night and a 558 series. Frank Muchler recorded 171; Jewell Thompson, 172 (471) and Louise Lord, 168. Alan Mosier hit 209 (545) for Hounds with Hounds with Harold Allabaugh tossing in 190-201 (520).

Rebels took 3 from Hurricanes. The "Windy" team had no top scorers. Warren Denmon was high for Rebels with two games of 172; Jim Traver hit 183.

Alaskans took 3 from Peter Gunns. Gloria Grant posted 172; Elaine had 168-160 (480); Steve Lord had 174; Marilyn Morris rolled 171-163.

Elstons Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Elston, Kunkle, entertained a number of friends at their cabin at Forkston recently. Present were Mrs. Ray Perrego, Mrs. Thomas Landon, Mrs. Clyde Hoyt, Mrs. Forrest Kunkle, Mrs. Ralph Hess, Mrs. Olin Ide, Mrs. Lillian Kunkle, Mrs. Emily Veitch, Mrs. William Weaver, Mrs. Job Dietz, Cheryl Dietz and the host and hostess.

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