

# Post Sports

## Lewis raises record to 5-0

Dallas Mountaineer Clarke Lewis ran his record to 5-0 as he paced the team to a 1-0 victory over the Pittston Patriots. Lewis gave up only two singles and hit two himself in leading the Mountaineers to the win. The young pitcher had no difficulty until the seventh inning when the Patriots put three men on base with only one out. Lewis remained calm and got the last two men out on grounders for his 1-0 shutout. Dallas scored their lone run in the third inning when Dave Burnaford went to first on an error, stole second and scored on Brian Muldoon's double

with two men out. In the fourth inning the Mountaineers loaded the bases when Jim Gemberling hit a single and Lewis and Brace took to the bases on bunts. Jerry Rollman grounded into a double play, then Pittston's Brian Dillon walked Burnaford intentionally and forced Brian Zimmerman to ground out to retire the Mountaineers. Dave Kerdesky also hit a double for the Mountaineers. Lewis struck out seven Patriots and walked two. Dillon struck out only one Mountaineer and walked two. The Dallas-Nanticoke game Wednesday was rained out.



SAFE AT SECOND—Clarke Lewis is safe at second after he singles to the outfield and goes to second on the throw during the game with Pittston Patriots last week. (Mark Moran Photo)

## Knights upset top teams

The Lake-Lehman Knights won only one game until last week when they upset two top Wyoming Valley Conference teams, nipping Hanover Area 7-6 on Tuesday, and edged Nanticoke 7-6 on Monday afternoon. The Knights were on the losing end of a 6-2 score going into the bottom half of the final inning when they scored five runs. Al Michaels pitched the final 2 and two thirds innings of the contest to pick up the win. Hanover Area scored four runs in the first inning to lead 4-0 until the Knights scored a run in the second and another run in the third. Scott Evans and Ed Lee

paced the Hawkeyes to two more runs in the fifth inning to put their nine in front 6-2. The Knights center-fielder Al Martin started off the seventh with a single and went to second when Ron Swingle walked. Bill Radonavitch went to first on a walk to load the bases with one out. Martin scored when Hanover's pitcher walked Dave Hall. John Hoolick went in to relieve Politz and the Knights scored two runs, making the score 6-5 when Tony Zielen was safe on an infield error. The tying run scored when Tracy Slocum went to base on an error. Zielen scored the Knights winning run when Hoolick couldn't hold on to

Joe Kishkill's ground ball. Hall hit a triple for the Knights and Martin paced the Knights' with two singles. The Knights broke their eight-game losing streak on Monday night when they scored two runs in the ninth inning to nip the Trojans 6-5. T. Zielen led Lake-Lehman at the plate with two doubles one of them in the ninth inning. Darren Barbacci and Bill Radonavitch started the ninth inning rally for the Knights when they each hit a single. Nanticoke scored a run in the top half of the ninth to lead 5-4. Zielen hit his double in the ninth to score Barbacci and Radonavitch

and give the Knights the game. Zielen hit his first double in the fourth inning when Lake-Lehman scored three runs to lead 4-0. He and Slocum scored on Chris Wargo's double. Dana Gross started on the mound for Lake-Lehman and pitched 8 and one third innings before Kishkill relieved him on the mound. Gross struck out five men at the plate and Kishkill, who was credited with the win, struck out two. Jim Eroh was the starting pitcher for Nanticoke but relief pitcher R. Koslowski was the losing pitcher. Eroh struck out three and Koslowski struck out two.

## WILKES-BARRE FATS

## Sickers can't win the big one

by Lee L. Richards  
CLIPBOARD NOTES: What can be said for the Sickers that hasn't already been said? It's obvious they can't win the big one. I read and listen all year what exceptional personnel and coaching they have, yet they can't win the big one. When the going gets tough the Sickers can't cut it. No way should they have lost on Sunday—no way. Celts are my team, but they weren't in it until the Sickers left 'em off the hook in the final five minutes. My assessment is: they talk too much about what they're going to do before they do it. I don't think they have the right team chemistry...What a class team the Edmonton Oilers are. After getting KO'd by the classy Islanders they showed me a lot by skating to bench to shake hands... Islanders were supposed to have been lucky last year in the Stanley Cup, so said the Flyers' fans and media. So where are the Flyers this year? Golfing with the Sickers. The Islanders are a splendid and highly skilled team, but I don't believe they can be compared to Canadiens...

football mentor. Tip of the hat to the Lake-Lehman track team on winning the A-A title with a 6-0 mark. Coach Ed Narkiewicz really brought the program along since it was started in 1970. Leading the team were John Wendell, Mark Boyle, Mike Wendell, Dan Haelele, Don Benza, Rich Cundiff, Mark Marchakitus, Tom Sayre and Tom Kurkosky. That's a pretty heady group.

Talk about being an instant hit with the members that's what new pro Barry Fies is at Irem Temple Country Club. I know he did some very positive things at W-B Muni. Previous pro Norm Hammer added a lot of style to Irem. He did a splendid job in promoting the junior program...After reading all of the news bits around the recent NFL draft I'm convinced even more pro

Pitt's Mark May told me no senior collegiate player with NFL potential can afford to be out of shape after the bowl games and all-star tilts. May said, "The pro scouts are so thorough today when they're investing big bucks in a high draft choice that they'll bring in most of the top players for physicals, agility drills and check your speed and strength. They also give you ap-

## LL trackmen race by opponents

Lake-Lehman trackmen took two wins in a tri-meet with GAR and Bishop Hoban last week. The Knights capped 10 first places, GAR took five and Hoban won three events. Double winners for the Knights were Mike Wendell in the 800 and the mile runs, John Wendell, member of the two-mile relay team and winner of the two mile run; Marchakitus and Jeff

Dobinick were on the first place mile and two-mile relay teams, and Boyle came in first in the 220 dash and was on the two-mile relay team. Complete results were Two-mile relay—Lake-Lehman (Dobinick, Knorr, Marchakitus, J. Wendell), Bishop Hoban, GAR; 120-hurdles—Sayre (LL), Jescavage (BH), Khalif (GAR), Allen (BH), Wills (LL); Triple jump—D. Tolbert (GAR),

Allen (BH), Willas (BH), Sayre (LL), Jones (LL); 100-yard dash—T. Tolbert (GAR), Boyle (LL), Swire (LL), Stout (BH), Nolan (GAR); Mile run—M. Wendell (LL), Morio (GAR), Farrell (BH), Wysocki (GAR), Austin (LL); Shot put—Ostrowski (BH), Gola (BH), Adams (LL), Dudick (GAR), Langston (LL); 440-yard relay—GAR (Nolan, Gembitski, D. Tolbert, T. Tolbert), Bishop Hoban, Lake-Lehman; 330-IM hurdles—Khalife (GAR), Sayre (LL), Nolan (GAR), Jescavage (BH), Wills (LL); Pole vault—Williams (LL), Knorr (LL), Bullock (LL), Walsh (LL).

(BH), Dobinick (LL); Discus—Kohl (BH), Werhoun, (LL), Kwak (BH), Haelele (LL), Gola (GAR); 880-yard run—M. Wendell (LL), Sulkowski (BH), Morio (GAR), McHenry (BH), Knorr (LL); High jump—Morgan (BH), Evans (LL), Willas (BH), Wills (LL), DiMaggio (GAR); Javelin—Rossi (GAR), Haelele (LL), Kwak (BH), Benza (LL), Weibrecht (GAR); 220-yard dash—Boyle (LL), T. Tolbert (GAR), Gembitski (GAR), Austin (LL), Pegg (BH); 2-mile run—J. Wendell (LL), M. Wendell (LL), Morio (GAR), Cundiff (LL), Murphy (BH), Mile relay—Lake-Lehman (Boyle, Dobinick, Marchakitus, Sayre), Bishop Hoban.

## Misericordia athletes feted

College Misericordia's athletic program participants were recently honored at the College's Annual Athletic Awards Dinner, held at the Castle Inn, Dallas. Members of the Misericordia Athletic Association, cheerleaders, and members of the cross country, women's tennis, field hockey, volleyball, men's and women's basketball and softball teams were honored for their dedication and commitment in the sports in which they participated. This year, an Athletic Director's Award was added for initiative and dedication of a student to a sport or sports. This award was given to

Theresa O'Brien, a member of the varsity basketball team for four years.



EAST-WEST CLASSIC—John Zimich, Lee Richards and Nick Esposito, game chairman, discuss some of the basic rules and facts of the 29th Unico East-West All Star Classic at a recent press conference. This year's game will be dedicated to former Coach Luke Richards of GAR. He was the East's first head coach and led his team to a 19-0 win over the West. In 1953, he again led the East to a 10-0 win over the West. (Mark Moran Photo)

That's title number four for the class of '81. It appears the Black Knights will compete in the Wyoming Valley Golf League this fall. Board approval was expected this week and Mike Sharok is the right guy to lead the linksmen. Meanwhile, one of the biggest turnarounds for the Lake-Lehman championship roundball team was the overall team-play of Dave Penkrot. Several reliable followers told me he did a lot of maturing in the course of a season and thus became a more complete performer. Dallas High School cage coaches Clint Brobst and Kit Karuzu attended the Medalist Basketball Clinic at Cherry Hill, N.J., last weekend. Bobby Knight conducted the clinic.

sports is in a tail-spin and the blame rests squarely on the shoulders of the agents and owners. The program at the fifth annual Pitt Golden Panthers Banquet recently was refreshing to a point. However, it's about time the people from Scranton recognize there are some followers, former players and members of the media, from the Wilkes-Barre area. It bugged me when they went out of their way to introduce some former squadman and completely overlooked Kingston's Bob Sorochoak who was a starting guard in 1963 when the Panthers were No. 2 in the country and didn't receive a bowl invite. Perhaps that's one of the reasons the W-B media show little interest in attending the press confab.

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