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gled. Shaver was the winning pitcher, striking out six and allowing three hits.

Duryea 6, BMT American 3
JUNE 30 — Winning pitcher Eric Gima and Justin Shuleski combined to shut down Back Mountain American.

BMT National 13, Exeter 1
JUNE 28 — Bobby Peron struck out eight and allowed one hit as National won in four innings.

Peron and Cory Shaver each had a double and single for National, which started strongly by scoring seven runs in the first inning. Mike Eckman and Casey Judge each added a double.

Back Mountain 5, Jenkins Twp. 3
JUNE 28 — Derek Martin and Darius Fetchko each doubled as Back Mountain American edged Jenkins Township. Tommy Youells added two singles for American.

Hanover 4, Harveys Lake 0
JUNE 28 — Tony Glazenski struck out 16 and allowed three hits as Hanover shut out Harveys Lake.

Kyle Smith had a double for Harveys Lake. Losing pitcher Nathan Volkel fanned eight.

Duryea 12, Bob Horlacher 3
JUNE 28 — Corey Hodick pitched Duryea to an opening-round victory, allowing three hits in a complete game. Brian Freeman had an RBI double for Bob Horlacher. Matt Stephenson and Matt Generotti each added RBI singles.

D16 JUNIOR BASEBALL

Ed/Lark-Fort Swoyer 8, Harveys Lake 1
JULY 1 — Casey Mulligan threw a three-hitter and struck out 16 to lead Ed/Lark-Fort Swoyer over Harveys Lake. Derek Shurmanek led Harveys Lake with a double and triple.



The Phillies won the Back Mountain Baseball National League title with a 16-3 record, then defeated the Yankees for the overall championship. From, left, front row: Ryan Naugle, Scott Daube, Tyler Barrall, Sean MacDougall, Mitchell Artsma. Back row: Head Coach Gary Naugle, Steven Zabeticky, Robert Gionfriddo, Adam Paulauskas, Jonathon Thomas, Gary Baker, (Coach), Carson Baker. Absent from photo: Hunter Englehart, Michael Ryan, Coach Dale Englehart, Coach Bill Barrall.

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FIRST ROUND AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yankees 7, Orioles 6

Josh Shaver twirled a one hitter and struck out 13 as the Yankees advanced in the playoffs. Shaver added two hits to the cause and Henry Messinger banded a double in the win. Ryan Urzen pitched a strong game for the O's, striking out eight and scattering three hits. Keith Roberts had the lone hit for the Orioles.

NATIONAL LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP

Phillies 11, Giants 5

The Phillies dethroned last year's overall champs with a strong, well-played victory. Carson Baker pitched an outstanding game for the Phils, striking out 10 and surrendering only two hits. The Giants jumped on top in the first with a three-run blast from Bobby Peron. The Phils came back on the timely hitting of Baker, with three hits including a double and triple, Hunter Englehart, three hits with a triple, and Sean MacDougall and Tyler Barrall who had key singles in the rally. Eric Cannon took the loss, and Matt Boyle had the only other hit for the Giants.

Firecracker Tournament at Newberry

The Newberry Country Club Ladies Golf League will hold its annual Firecracker Tournament on Monday, July 7. Luncheon and awarding of prizes will follow play at the Appletree Terrace. Players are requested to meet at tee # 1 at 9 a.m. to receive their team assignments and the play of the day, with a shotgun start scheduled for 9:15 a.m. Prizes will be awarded to the three lowest scoring teams and the members wearing the most patriotic outfits.

To reserve a cart, call Gene Ross, club golf pro, at 675-6985 before Saturday, July 5. JoAnn Campbell, Graceann Colarusso and Cassie Munzing are co-chairing the event.

MINOR LEAGUE SOFTBALL

Nanticoke 14, Back Mountain 4
JUNE 30 — Sara Konopki led Back Mountain with three hits, including a triple.

11-12-YEAR-OLD SOFTBALL

Back Mountain 10, Mountain Top 0
JUNE 29 — Rachel Miller and Danielle Harding combined to pitch four innings of no-hit ball as Back Mountain won a game shortened by the 10-run rule over Mountain Top. Stephanie Ashley, Katie Pelleschi and Erin Belles each had a double and two RBI for Back Mountain. Teammate Gabrielle Olshemski went 2-for-3.

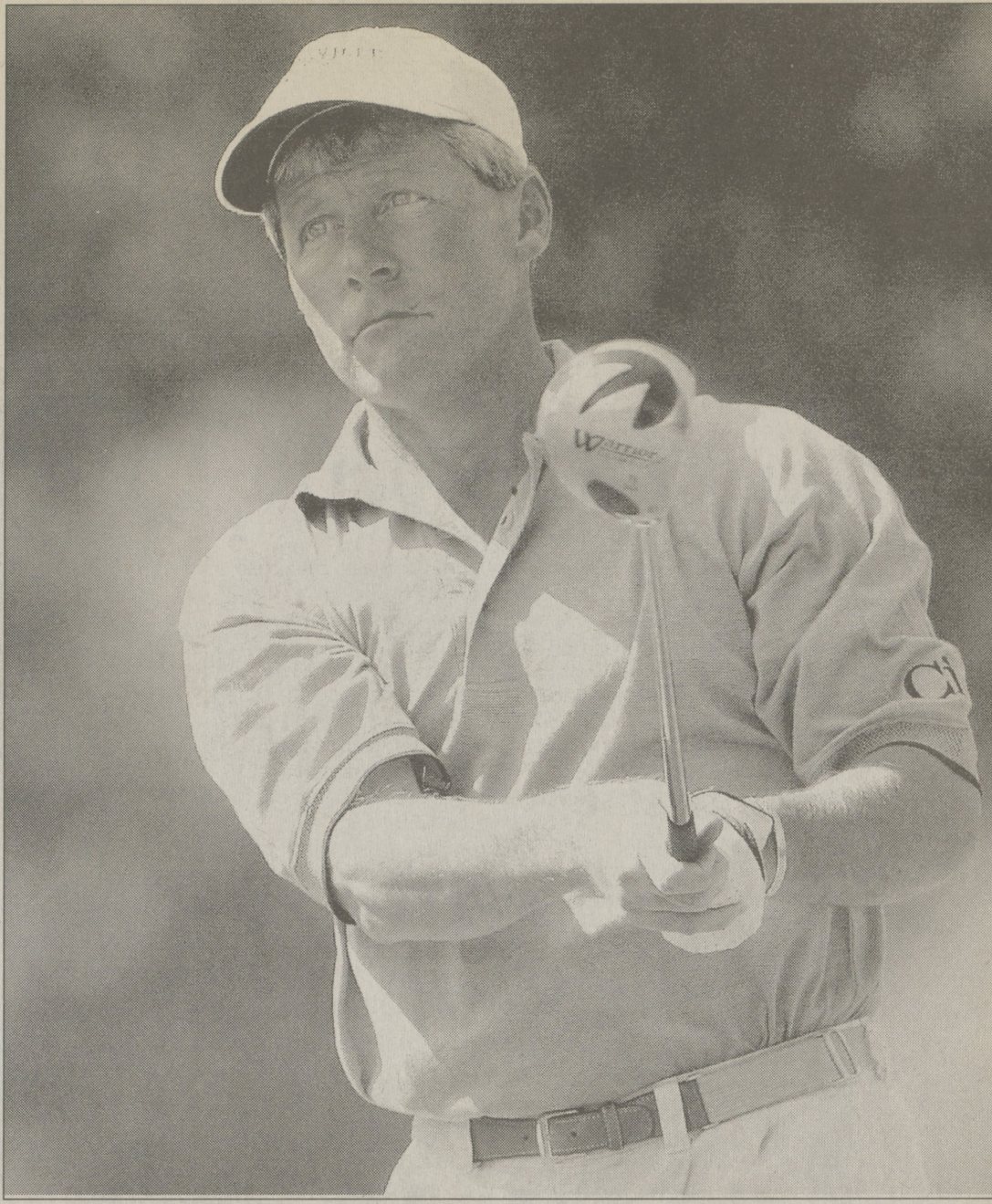
LOWER VALLEY TOURNAMENT

Back Mountain 15, Northwest 5
JUNE 29 — Back Mountain's Shauna Phillips had a standout offensive day, going 4-for-4 with three doubles, as her team routed Northwest in a five-inning, 10-run-rule shortened game.

Nick Latosek pitched all five innings and struck out 10 while giving up only three hits to earn the victory. Latosek also had three hits, including a pair of doubles. Teammate Mitch Artsma also had three hits. Chipping in with two hits each were T.J. Brandt, Jason Neare, and John Prater, as BMT pounded out 21 hits in all.

Forty Fort 10, BMT American 0
JUNE 29 — Josh Kozich threw a one-hitter and struck out 11 in Forty Fort's win. Carson Baker singled for American's lone hit.

Edwardsville/Larksville 11, BMT American 10
JUNE 29 — Edwardsville/Larksville won in dramatic fashion on Steve Walton's game-winning, two-run single.



FOR THE DALLAS POST/FRED ADAMS

Brian Corbett watched his ball after teeing off on the second hole during the second round of the Allan Tournament.

Golf

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This year, Lafoca and Gardas needed only two.

After both teams parred the first playoff hole, Greenwald and Brunn could not do the same on the second. Although the par-4, 398-yard No. 2 vexed all four golfers, Gardas managed to drain a par putt that proved to be the eventual winner.

Both the 1998 and this year's playoff scenario illustrate the competitive nature that golfers say accompanies this tournament.

"The Allan has just become a wonderful tradition in the Wyoming Valley," Lafoca said. "It has a reputation of having some of the best players in the valley, so to win the Allan, it takes some great playing."

Previous Allan tournaments

"I feel great. This is the best golf I've played."

Santo Lafoca
Winner of Allan Tournament

have featured players such as now professional golfer Ted Tryba, who teamed with Lafoca to win the event in 1986. Teams competed under a match-play format that year.

This year's championship flight featured 16 two-man teams battling in four rounds of medal play.

"It's 72 holes. It's a long and grinding tournament," said Brunn during Sunday's final round.

But the event's grueling na-

ture didn't prevent several teams from turning in solid efforts. Ten teams within the championship flight finished with scores under par, including six that were 10-under or better. Dallas resident Brian Corbett teamed with Bib Gill to finish fourth with a score of 273.

As for Lafoca, his 16-under effort has him feeling confident about his game with several key tournaments on the horizon. He will attempt to qualify for the Pennsylvania State Amateur Tournament Monday, once again at Fox Hill.

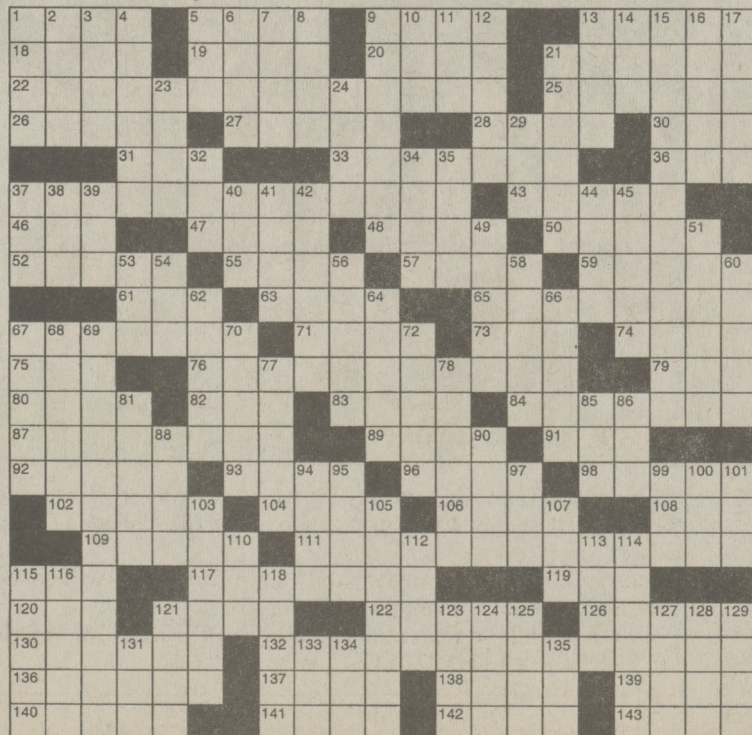
"I feel great. This is the best golf I've played. I think my game is strong, stronger than it's ever been," Lafoca said.

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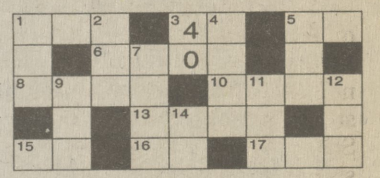
SPAGHETTI WESTERNS

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| ACROSS | 48 Blue hue | 102 Have — over one's head | 143 Prophet | 40 Vinegar's partner | 90 Menial laborer |
| 1 Apples | 50 The very lightly | 104 "My Sweet —" (70 smash) | 41 Dejected | 94 "Tiberius' threads?" | 95 A Great Lake |
| 5 Helicopter sound | 52 Tijuana title | 108 Delator's father | 2 Bum remedy | 44 Actress | 97 Sister |
| 9 Swedish rockers | 57 Fawn's father | 108 Indefinite pronoun | 3 Newtirth or Daniels | 45 Saying | 99 Lad |
| 13 "Whole — Love" (89 hit) | 59 Pride of lions? | 111 "Rosso River" star? | 4 Picturesque | 49 Linda of "Alice" | 100 Bed and breakfast |
| 18 Guinness or Baldwin | 61 Be a pest | 109 Beat and Elvis | 5 Humor | 51 Join the leisure class? | 101 Pigskin prop |
| 19 Actress | 63 Actress | 111 "Rosso River" star? | 6 Car part | 53 Kimono | 103 Poorly made |
| 20 Chynler competitor | 65 Alamo, for one | 115 Funnymen | 7 Maimo start | 54 Massage | 105 Costello or Del Rio |
| 21 Tolls | 67 Easily read | 117 Hailing from | 8 Scuba site | 107 Use a straw | 110 Compass |
| 22 "Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Ragazzo" star? | 71 Kedrova of "Tom Curtain" | 119 Paw part | 9 Insult | 56 Fromm or Segal | 112 Neighbor of Tenn. |
| 25 O'Neill's "The — Corneth" (99 hit) | 73 Unwell around the track | 120 Once | 10 Derisive cry | 58 Comic | 113 Well's opposite |
| 26 New Hampshire city | 74 Gulf ruler | 121 "Peter Pan" pirate | 11 "It's freezing!" | 59 Country closer | 114 Modifies |
| 27 Postpone | 80 Fateful 15th | 122 Pound the podium | 12 Confuse | 60 Start the slaw | 115 Vote in |
| 28 Leaf part | 82 Demolished a Danish | 126 Stallone role | 13 Tablecloth fabric | 62 Shimmer | 116 Lanza or Lemieux |
| 30 Married | 83 Rain hard? | 132 "How the West Was Won" star? | 14 UK honor | 64 Rub it in | 118 "King Lear" company |
| 31 Tarball or Lupino | 84 Incorporated, as territory | 136 Actress | 15 "Riders of the Purple Sage" star? | 66 Distort | 68 Writer |
| 33 Theft | 87 Smith or Jones, e.g. | 137 Poker stake | 16 Vagabond | 67 Camera | 69 "The Grande decor" star? |
| 36 Spring mo. | 89 Junot | 138 Peter and Gordon | 17 Ed of "Lou Grant" | 68 Writer | 70 Go in |
| 37 "Duello at Diablo" star? | 91 Petite pooch | 139 Small combo | 21 Tripoli native | 69 "The Grande decor" star? | 72 Blazing |
| 43 Punjabi princes | 92 Forster's — With a View? | 140 Asian capital | 23 Change the decor | 71 Kidney-related | 77 Kidney-related |
| 46 Ornamental vine | 93 Evaluate | 141 Tavern staple | 24 Earl — Biggers | 78 De Havilland or Hussey | 128 Soft cheese |
| 47 It may be bitter | 96 Level | 142 District | 29 Hockey's Bobby | 79 Kidney-related | 129 Scent |



Rational Numbers

Using the clues, simple arithmetic, and a little logic, place a single digit (0 to 9) in each empty box in the diagram. To help you get started, two digits have been entered in the diagram.

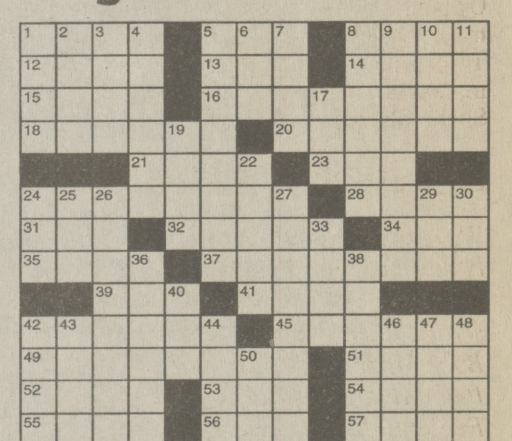


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| ACROSS | 1. Sum of the digits is 14-Down | DOWN | 1. Last digits of 7-Down in order |
| 3. Consecutive digits in descending order | 5. 16-Across plus 3-Down | 2. Five hundred less than 1-Down | 3. Four times 15-Across |
| 6. Digits of 4-Down rearranged | 8. Sum of the digits is 14-Down | 4. Seven times 12-Down | 5. Two more than 9-Down |
| 10. 1-Across plus 17-Across | 13. 8-Across minus 10-Across | 6. Six times 5-Down | 9. One-half of 6-Across |
| 15. Consecutive digits in descending order | 16. Last digits of 8-Across in order | 11. Same digit repeated | 12. 3-Across times 15-Across |
| 17. Five more than 11-Down | | 14. 16-Across minus 15-Across | |

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| ACROSS | 1 Seafood entree | 5 Jongg preceder | 8 Venomous vipers | 12 Pumice source | 13 Man-mouse link | 14 Two-way | 15 Infamous Idi | 16 Faraway place, idiomatically | 18 Arizona tribe | 20 More stubborn | 21 Dweeb | 23 Pigpen | 24 Apron-like garment | 28 Hoard | 31 Fuss | 32 Swing about | 34 Actress | 35 Nasty stinger | 37 Memory-loss sufferers (Var.) | 39 With 3-Down, Mideast city | 41 PDQ, on a memo | 42 Bit | 45 Tourney prize | 49 Start | 51 Libertine | 52 Cancel | 53 Miss Piggy, self-referentially | 54 Bridge fare |
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| 55 Being (Lat.) | 56 Many millennia | 57 Rebuff a masher | 8 Grown-ups | 9 Stir-fry dish | 10 Top of the head | 11 Speak unclearly | 17 Clear the tables | 19 Mutt's pal | 22 Soap opera, e.g. | 24 Bear hand? | 25 Mrs. McKinley | 26 They're good for a breather | 27 Smart guy? | 29 Singer | 30 Type units | 33 Goneril's father | 36 Mortar's mate | 38 ESPN doings | 40 Waikiki garland | 42 Seven Dwarfs' workplace | 43 Responsibility, e.g. | 44 On crutches, maybe | 46 "The Hustler" game | 47 Island dance | 48 Squeal | 50 Also |
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