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Clarenceville Captures Milford Doubleheader

Clarenceville mustered only one hit in a 3-0 loss to Northville but bounced back to take both ends of a Milford doubleheader, 9-3 and 4-2.

The Trojans stand 5-5 in Wayne-Oakland competition and 7-7 overall.

Brian Luka collected the lone hit for Clarenceville off Northville hurler Jeff Moon. The second inning single was a little sweeter as Luka was the opposing pitcher.

Luka was in his first varsity start and the sophomore allowed eight hits with Northville scoring in the second, fourth and fifth.

Dave Griffith walked to open the second, score second and moved to third on a ground out. Griffith scampered home on a passed ball. Griffith opened the fourth with a single and again score second. He moved to third on an error and wouldn't you know it, again scored on a bunt.

passed ball to put Northville up by two.

NORTHVILLE concluded its scoring in the fifth without the benefit of a passed ball. But Taylor was safe on an error, moved to second on a ground out and scored on a hit by Bill McDonald.

The Clarenceville bats woke up at Milford with the Trojans rattling 14 hits off three Milford pitchers in the first game to win, 9-3.

Chip Meyrelles went the distance for Clarenceville, allowing seven hits, walking three and striking out 12 to score his first victory.

The second contest was a different story. The Trojans took a 3-2 fourth inning lead and held on in the closing frames.

Laird and McCammon worked for Clarenceville with McCammon taking the win in relief. Jim Grace went the route for Milford and suffered the loss.

in the second and one in the third to notch it at two. Karl Johnson singled and Dave Parks walked to start the second. Two more walks brought in Johnson with Laird encountering a streak of wildness.

A walk, an error and a single by Johnson resulted in the second Milford run.

Clarenceville got the tie breaking and winning run in the top of the fourth. Laird walked and moved to third on two ground outs. Ken Smith laced a single to right and Laird dashed home.

McCammom with the aid of a sixth inning double play shut the door on Milford.

Turf Tips, Quips

By Doc Minard

One will have a hard time convincing harness racing followers in other parts of the world that American drivers are the best. Especially after the finish of the third World Championship driving series which an American has yet to win.

Colorful Giuseppe Guzzinati, of Italy, is the new champion. The slender Guzzinati, who turned from soccer to harness racing, clinched the title in the final leg of the 1972 series at Liberty Bell Raceway near Philadelphia when he won the 49th and final race.

That gave him a comfortable margin over diminutive Joe O'Brien, the American representative, who led the point standings most of the way, but couldn't get his horse Guzzinati in the final race.

That one race was the difference between first and second place.

Herve Filion, the Canadian champion, wound up third.

In the three years of the annual series, the American champ has finished second each time. It was George Sholly trailing Filion in the 1970 inaugural. A year ago, Billy Haughey was runnerup to Adolph Uhlens of Austria, and now O'Brien is second to the Italian representative.

That's what makes the championship so attractive to spectators. They know the drivers have for horses and post positions and that they are handling anything from the cheapest trotters and pacers to the best.

They also know that driving techniques are a bit different in every section of the world.

It's interesting to see how the champions work with the different horses and how they react to situations during a race.

ALBATROSS, the pacer which won acclaim everywhere in 1971 as the greatest in history and won every three year old major stake but the Little Brown Jug, is nearing top form again after finishing second to Isle of Wight three times earlier in the spring.

"The Bird" was brought to public attention by Bert James, then an auto dealer in Windsor, Ontario, who since has shifted his activities to a breeding farm outside of Pittsburgh, Pa.

After losing three in a row this year, the syndicate owning the horse decided to dump driver-trainer Stan Dancer. That brought an eruption which found "The Bird" changing hands with the majority members of the syndicate buying out the majority.

Since that time Albatross has regained top form, winning three in a row, including two in Chicago, and the third at Liberty Bell in the \$40,000 Dan Parish Memorial. Just to prove to the skeptics that he hasn't lost his terrific speed, "The Bird," won in 1:56.2 for a track record and a world's mark for four year olds over a five-eighths mile strip.

In the process the great pacer avenged his losses by whipping Isle of Wight handily and snapping its seven win string.

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A season high crowd of 12,071 was in the stands Saturday for the final program of the season and wagering hit \$900,325, the second \$900,000 night of the year and the third at Wolverine.

There was some hope of a million dollar bonfire Saturday but that will have to come later in the meeting. Wagering was going at a million dollar clip until a couple of longshots came in and that was the end of that hope.

Friday's gathering of 9,340 wagered \$826,829 and the total handle for the weekend was a record \$1,727,154. Naturally it follows that the big weekend brought the all-time high wagering for six nights in a single week with \$3,974,519, erasing the mark set a week earlier.

Nightly average betting for the record week was an all-time record of \$662,419, boosting the nightly average for 44 nights to \$578,538 against \$565,000 a week ago Saturday.

All of which led Vice President and General Manager Dick Wilson to ask acting racing secretary Ron Glahs to try and arrange a \$10,000 invitation to trot Friday and a \$10,000 open pace Saturday, if he fails to get enough trotters for the right event, then the purse will go to \$15,000 for the Saturday pace which should draw the best from Chicago, Liberty Bell and other tracks along the Atlantic Seaboard.

The horsemen, who reacted with a third purse increase 10 nights ago which amounted to \$200 to \$400 for all categories, may be notified of a fourth hike within a few days.

Eagles Zip By Groves In NW Dual

Thurston zipped to eight firsts in a Northwest Suburban dual meet with Birmingham Groves, and shutout the Falcons in the long jump to win, 65 to 58.

The Eagle cindermen had two double winners in Bill VanAlstien and Rick Westphal. VanAlstien won the low and high hurdles and Westphal captured honors in the 100 and 220 yard dashes.

Both were members of the winning 800 relay. Groves sprinted to first in the mile and 440 relay.

Thurston stands 3-1 in league action and 6-2 overall.

During the series at Wolverine, Guzzinati pinned O'Brien along the rail and didn't allow him to get out of the pocket until deep in the stretch, too deep for Joe to win. That win by the Italian could well have been the one that won the championship since O'Brien had to take second where there's a difference of 25 points. The winner gets 50 and the second place gets 25.

It will be interesting to see if

- THURSTON (65) GROVES (58) MEET RESULTS**
- LONG JUMP: 1-Anthonio (T); 2-VanAlstien (T); 3-Beyak (T); Distance 20'7"
- HIGH JUMP: 1-Ceasato (G); 2-VanAlstien (T); 3-Dodge (G); Height 5'8"
- SHOT PUT: 1-Hanon (T); 2-Mayer (G); 3-Jones (T); Distance 48'9"
- 800 RELAY: 1-Thurston; Time 3:38.5
- 1500 YARD: 1-Dike (T); 2-Schiet (G); 3-Landry (G); Time 5:03.8
- HIGH HURDLES: 1-VanAlstien (T); 2-Bannon (G); 3-Ceasato (G); Time 1:16.6
- MILE RUN: 1-Anna (G); 2-Frants (G); 3-Torcelled (T); Time 4:46.7
- 100 YARD DASH: 1-Westphal (T); 2-Gibson (T); 3-Westphal (T); Time 10.3
- LOW HURDLES: 1-VanAlstien (T); 2-Bannon (G); 3-Ceasato (G); Time 20.4
- TWO MILE RUN: 1-Mista (G); 2-Graustein (T); 3-Kostoval (T); Time 10:24.1
- 440 YARD RUN: 1-Hanon (G); 2-Gibson (T); 3-Ceasato (T); Time 1:23.3
- 220 YARD DASH: 1-Westphal (T); 2-Wendy (T); 3-Barnett; Time 23.8
- MILE RELAY: 1-Birmingham Groves; Time 3:38.4
- 440 RELAY: 1-Groves; Time 4:42.2
- POLE VAULT: 1-Beyak (T); 2-Wood (G); 3-Corden (G); Height 13'0"

Churchill Nips Western, 3-2

Livonia Churchill set the stage for Monday's baseball clash with Farmington Harrison coming from behind to nip Walled Lake Western, 3-2, and stand 3-2 in league competition.

Harrison is on top with a 4-1 mark.

Gordy Miller and Mike Keller worked on the mound with Keller picking up the win in relief. Bob Rapp took the loss for Walled Lake.

Western opened the scoring in the top of the fourth on a double, stolen base, and a force play. Walled Lake made 3-0 in the fifth on a double by Marotta and a single by Peeling. A Charger double play halted any other scoring opportunities in the inning.

Rapp had the Charger bats under control up to the final inning. Al Leirstein, Bruce VanWagoner and Miller had collected the only Churchill hits to the seventh.

RICK DREHER opened the seventh for Churchill with a single. Leirstein was safe on an error and VanWagoner singled to load the bases.

Sophomore Rod Hanrany stepped to the plate in a pinch hitting role and delivered his first high school hit...a single scoring Dreher and the margin was down to one with none out.

Junior Doug Lloyd was safe on an error by the first baseman and Leirstein scampered home with the tying run.

Junior third baseman Bob Blaes laced a single into center to score VanWagoner and the Chargers had rallied for three runs in the seventh to win.

Now it's Harrison-Churchill on Monday in a key Western Six game at Haggerty Field at 4 p.m.

Franklin Captures A 'First'

Franklin fell apart at the seams in a team effort in the Schafer Relays but did manage a first "first!"

"We scored our first win ever in the Schafer Relays," said Patriot Coach Bob Holmes. "Our shuttle hurdle relay squad clocked in at :58.4."

Making up the winning team were Mark Newman, Dave Frocks, Bob Lee, and Mark Bair. John Dave was the individual's standout for Franklin with a third in the mile run at 4:22.2.

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Aggies Roar Past St. Rita In 111-12 Win

Tom Churches captured four firsts and St. Agatha trackmen romped to an easy win over St. Rita, 111-12.

The 6-7 senior Churches scored 20 points with firsts in the high jump, low and high hurdles and 220 yard dash. Junior Pat Brown had a personal best of 44 1/4" in the shot put and freshman Mike Campbell won his fourth mile victory in 5:04.

- ST. AGATHA (111) ST. RITA (12) MEET RESULTS**
- SHOT PUT: 1 - Brown (A); 2 - Merrell (A); 3 - Eastwell (A); Distance 44'7"
- LONG JUMP: 1 - McKelvie (R); 2 - McKelvie (A); 3 - Huelsak (A); Distance 18'
- HIGH JUMP: 1 - Churches (A); 2 - Rourke (A); 3 - Sweeney (A); Height 5'3"
- POLE VAULT: 1 - Rex (A); 2 - Kaye (A); Height 8'0"
- 220 YARD DASH: 1 - St. Agatha (A); 2 - Churches (A); 3 - Huelsak (A); Time 22.8
- 440 YARD DASH: 1 - Miron (A); 2 - St. Rita (R); 3 - Fick (A); Time 2:09.9
- HIGH HURDLES: 1 - Churches (A); 2 - Huelsak (A); 3 - Baudeat (A); Time 1:18.9
- MILE RUN: 1 - Campbell (A); 2 - Cooney (A); 3 - Slaughter (R); Time 5:04.2
- 100 YARD DASH: 1 - McKelvie (A); 2 - Day (A); 3 - McKelvie (A); Time 10.6
- 440 YARD DASH: 1 - Rourke (A); 2 - McKelvie (A); 3 - Twil (R); Time 1:21.7
- LOW HURDLES: 1 - Churches (A); 2 - Huelsak (A); 3 - Baudeat (A); Time 1:22.8
- TWO MILE RUN: 1 - Higgins (A); 2 - Cooney (A); 3 - Harvett (A); Time 11:00.2
- 220 YARD DASH: 1 - Churches (A); 2 - Huelsak (A); 3 - Baudeat (A); Time 2:09.9
- MILE RELAY: 1 - St. Agatha (Cooney, Miron, Fick, Rourke); Time 3:50.0
- 440 RELAY: 1 - St. Agatha (Dwy, McKelvie, Nicholas, Kayel); Time 4:42.2

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