

**SPORTS
ROUNDUP**

By
PETE MYKE

**Johnson Looks
Impressive**

Wayne Johnson turned in one of his best performances in the past two years as the Hagersville Juveniles pounded the Tillsonburg Juveniles by a score of 14-9.

In fashioning a three hit shutout, Johnson never walked a batter and struck out six. Tillsonburg never got a runner past first base. The entire infield turned in smooth fielding performances with Dean Webb and Paul Fryett holding an edge.

Fryett picked off a couple of shots that would be hard to match in any class of ball. Fryett also had a big night at the plate with two doubles and a single. Chuck Anderson had a triple and two singles with Johnson chipping in with a double and two

singles. Wayne laid down a perfect two strike squeeze bunt in the first inning as the boys were playing real heads up ball.

Dean Webb and Jim Vanni had two hits apiece, with singles going to John Montour and Danny Donato. Herby Brant went in to run for Montour who is still hobbling on a bad knee and promptly stole second. Herb went to third on a hit, then raced home on a short passed ball. With this type of speed, the boy should be given more chance to play in place of a couple of lead footed fellows on the team. This game was a four point effort and the Juveniles played a game like they are capable of - for a change.

**Blues Tie And
Lose To Walsingham**

The Hagersville Blues tied a game and lost one to the flashy dressed Walsingham Senators in the past week. Both games gave the fans all the excitement they needed, as they were both close games.

Jim Cote was the big man in the 5-5 tie. He collected three hits and drove in three runs and scored the tying run himself. The Blues had this game in the bag as they scored single runs in three of the first four innings, off starter Barry Ferguson.

Twice in the early innings, coach Arnie Hansen elected to squeeze home a run. But, it backfired both times when the batter missed the ball. This has to be the most exciting play in baseball and when it is performed correctly, there is no defence against it.

I think I know where the team picked up the name "The Blues," for this is what the team got in the 6th inning. Cliff Chrysler was toiling with a four hit shutout when the roof fell in.

The Senators banged out three straight hits plus a base on balls before coach Vince Petracca brought in Tony Yacobino to try and put out the fire. Tony wasn't warmed up enough and was greeted with three more hits that brought in the rest of the five runs.

This was all the Senators earned in the game, but they bunched them in this inning. After a key pinch hit single that drove in the

5th run, Hansen went to first base and put the hard throwing right hander Terry Helmer in to hold the two run lead.

The Blues got one in the 7th and with darkness closing in, both teams were warned that the 8th would be the last inning. This is when Cote slapped a ball down the right field line that was just fair. And, while the entire Walsingham team watched the ball, no one saw Cote miss the first base bag by a good foot. Cote came on home as the third baseman made a bad throw to first on Yacobino's grounder. Tony stole second and went to third when the ball sailed into centre field.

The return throw went up against the fence, but Tony was all out of puff and just laid in the dirt on top of third base. The next batter struck out to end the game.

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**Fehrman Back In
Form For Win**

After a mid-season let down, Hub Fehrman came back strong in the last week to pick the Jarvis Harvesters up with some well pitched games. Against Strabane, Hub was at his best and limited the Strabane crew to five hits and didn't walk a batter, while striking out seven.

The only run they earned came in the second inning when Forth singled and Wayne Chrysler doubled to plate the run.

Forth and Chrysler singled again in the 7th inning, but were left stranded as Hub struck out Mann to end the inning.

The Harvesters wasted little time in going after their win as they scored in the first inning and added a single run in the second, four in the 5th, three in the 7th, and one in the 8th and 9th for an eleven to one win.

The 18 hits the Jarvis team picked up was the highest total the boys have had this year. Ted

Phibbs led the hitters with a triple, double and two singles. Gord Fearman caught a good game and had four singles. Bill Prince hit a homerun and two singles, with Brian Smith hitting a homerun. Fred McKeen shook his slump long enough to get two hits, with Pantzouri and Barry Miller earning one hit each.

Fehrman continues to lead all Jarvis hitters with a better than 500 average and went 2-4 in this game to keep pace with the other top men in the league. Hub will have to get all the times at bat he can in order to be eligible for the league trophy.

Jarvis will host the league playoffs on Saturday, August the 11th when the championship will be decided with all teams playing in a tournament. Lets hope for good weather and a good turnout of fans as this will not be drawn out over a couple of weeks. Everyone will see a winner on this one day.

Last week, the Harvesters were in a tournament in Binbrook and came away with the consolation championship and played good sound baseball. We will get all the results in time for next weeks paper.

On the return game, the Senators wasted little time in going after the Blues and built up a 7-0 lead before Hagersville woke up. Errors and some timely hitting by the Senators gave them seven runs after six innings.

John Adams had three of the hits with Terry Gill and Bruce Leighfield getting two. Larry Quick put one over the right field fence with a man on base. Hagersville started to come back and scored seven times only to see the Walsingham team get one more run.

Hagersville had 10 hits with Glen Hewson, Ross McKeen and Terry Dossier getting two each. Singles went to Paul Fryett, Robbie Stewart, Steve Petracca and Mike Davis. Quick and Helmer combined to strike out 13 and walk five. McKeen walked four and struck out two.

**Juveniles Down
Paris 8 - 4**

The Hagersville Legion Juveniles backed up Randy Currans, three hit pitching to post a 8-4 win over the troublesome Paris nine. Our O.B.A. representative coaches the Paris team and Mr. Bill Hulme has his troubles when he plays Hagersville.

Denny Wilson, Lou Atkinson and Don Richardson have brought this team along at the right time, and with playoffs drawing near, the boys could be tough to beat. Webb cracked a double and two singles to lead the local team's 11 hit attack. Fryett and Craig McKeen poked two hits apiece. And, McKeen's hits should make the coaches smile. Jim McGrath hit a long

drive that bounced over the fence for a ground rule double that would have been a homerun in any other park.

Johnson and Anderson had a hit apiece, with Donato coming through with a pinch hit because he arrived late for the game. With many of the boys holding down jobs, it makes it pretty tough to field a team at times. Hulme, Barker and Plumstead were the only Paris men to get a hit off of Curran as Randy struck out seven and walked four during the nine innings.

Clara - I have such a horror of growing old. Maud (sweetly) - I should think you would have got over it by this time.

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**"Kleen" Sweep For Howie
Scannell At Speedway**

Howie Scannell of Milton, Ontario, drove his new Kleen-Flo Charger to victory Friday night before a near capacity crowd at Cayuga International Speedway.

Scannell picked up a "Hat Trick" as he won two heat races earlier in the evening and then went on to win the 30 lap Red Cap feature. He led all 30 laps around the 5-8 mile paved Super Oval.

Although Scannell had the race in hand, he didn't walk away in winning. Rookie Dale Watson of Markham, driving a 1972 Chevrolet, ran close behind until late in the race when Art Clark of West Seneca, N.Y. pushed his 1973 Camaro past the rookie to take second. Watson finished third.

In finishing second, Clark holds a slim one point lead in the \$5,000 Red Cap points fund, second in the standings is Jerry Makara of Westland Michigan with 188 points. Rounding out the top ten are London's Earl Ross with 177 points, Andy Brown of

**Nanticoke
News**

by Mrs. Harry Evans
Mr. and Mrs. John Black of Simcoe and Mr. Charlie Hedges are holidaying in England, Belgium and France for a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Saunders of Toronto are spending a few days with the former's grandmother, Mrs. Alta Saunders.

Mrs. Hubert Field is a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital, Hamilton. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. G. Arnold Creaser and Dana are holidaying in Nova Scotia visiting with Mr. Creaser's relatives.

Mrs. Gladys Wheeler of Niagara Falls, Ont. is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dennis.

Mrs. Kenneth Hammond of Port Dover and Mrs. Evelyn Massecar of Burford called on Mr. and Mrs. Harry Evans on Monday evening.

Miss Penny Vokes is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Art Vokes at Port Rowan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Porritt of Scarborough, Ont. spent the weekend at their cottage in the village.

Miss Stella Pratten spent a few days in London this week.

Mrs. Len Miller, Glen and Cindy of Brantford spent the past week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hedges.

Robert Evans of Caledonia spent the last week visiting his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Harry Evans.

Darrell Somers of Dorchester is visiting with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Somers this week.

Stoney Creek with 176, Brian Setterington of Wheatley with 159, Jim Shipway of London with 156, Harold Brown of Brantford with 154, Toronto's Norm Lelliott with 142, Ron Snyder of Kitchener with 142 and Ross May of Mount Hope with 134 points.

Prior to the late model Super Stock Red Cap feature, the popular Can-Am midgets made their second showing at Cayuga this year.

Harry Macy, the Can-Am clubs President won the feature midget race while Vince Christiano placed second, both hail from Buffalo N.Y. Third

place went to the clubs champion, Bruce Bolitsky of Kitchener.

Friday Aug. 3, the next event in the Red Cap fund at Cayuga, will kick off a weekend of action that will climax with the running of the Export "A" 200, the semi-final event in the \$100,000 Series of Champions.

The Export "A" 200 will be held on the holiday Monday and will carry a race purse of \$10,500.

NASCAR Super Star Bobby Allison has confirmed his entry into this prestigious auto race.

Winger Strikes Out 13

Billy Winger, making his first start in more than a month after recovering from a serious spike wound, turned in a solid 13 strikeout performance to give the Hagersville Legion Bantams a 12-4 win over Caledonia.

Winger was in complete control of this game from the start and allowed seven hits, while walking just two. With playoffs coming up, this is the type of pitching coaches Nat Salvatore and Ted Phibbs will be looking for. Winger also led the Legion team at the plate as he

struck three of the eight hits that Hagersville got.

Randy Strohm had a pair of hits with Mike Liscombe, Mike Montour and Mike Tarnatic having one each.

Don Edwards poked a triple and three singles to lead the Caledonia hitters. Both teams made four errors with centre fielder Darrell Watson making his first of the year in centre field.

If the boys can cut down on the number of errors in the field, they will give most of the clubs a real fight.

Tykes Play Worst Game

The Hagersville Credit Union Tykes played their worst game of the season as they lost 33-12 to Aylmer. Credit Union pitchers walked no less than 33 men which figures out to over six per inning.

and Maloney had two hits apiece for the winners as they had only six hits.

Hagersville banged out eight hits, but they only had six free passes which were good for 12 runs. Scott Winger continued to whack the ball at a heavy clip as he

collected a home run, triple and double for another great night at the plate.

Jeff Winger had two hits with Curtis Davey, Tim Otterman and Wray Wilson getting one each. After this week's game, the boys will have two weeks rest as both coaches take holidays before heading into the playoffs.

Maybe after a long layoff, the boys will be ready for some hard work to get rounded into shape.

Sunshine Club

Another enjoyable afternoon was spent on Thursday July 26 at the Sunshine Club of the Senior Citizens in the I.O.O.F. Hall, with six hots tables played.

Winners were: ladies high, Mrs. Pearl Johnston; ladies low, Mrs. Madeline Corrigan; men's high, George

Swing; mens low, Alex Duncan.

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Jarvis Midgets Defeat Rockwood

The Jarvis Lions' Midgets were caught a little short handed of players last Sunday night, but managed to defeat Rockwood 4 to 1 in a well played ball game. Dennis Graham of the Jarvis Bantams moved up to play a steady game in the left field.

Brian Duxbury and Allan Miller led off the top of the first inning with consecutive singles, but the Rockwood pitcher managed to put out the next three batters. No runs were scored until the top of the fourth when Danny Donato led off with a single. Greg Adamovich made it to first on a single, pushing Donato to second base.

Another single down the middle by Allan Gowan scored the first run for Jarvis. Jay Mitchell made it to first base on an error to the Rockwood third baseman scoring Allan Gowan on the play.

Allan Gowan, who pitched one of his best games of the season, had let only one runner reach first base until the bottom of the fifth inning. Buckland came to bat and lashed out a well hit triple. McKenzie followed with a low line shot between right and centre field, looking like another sure base hit. However, Jay Mitchell, playing in right field, made a

diving and rolling catch. The only Rockwood run was scored, but the scoring threat ended here. Rockwood never saw the scoreboard again as Allan Gowan backed by the steady play of his infield and outfield proceeded to hold down the Rockwood batters.

In the seventh inning Randy Miller made it to first base on an error, stole second, and proceeded to score on Allan Miller's single. Four consecutive singles by Duxbury, Miller, Joe Stone and Donato scored a final run in the top of the ninth, making the final score Jarvis 4, Rockwood 1.

Allan Miller led the

hitting attack with four singles. Brian Duxbury, Danny Donato and Allan Gowan each came through with two hits. Joe Stone, Greg Adamovich and Jay Mitchell all chipped in with a single. Allan Gowan pitched an excellent game striking out ten, walking none, and allowing only three hits. The versatile Danny Donato caught for the first time all year, played one of his best games of the year and kept the Rockwood base runners honest.

The second game of the series will be played in Jarvis, Saturday August 4th at 8:30 p.m. See You There!!

New Books Arrive

The Union Public Library has new books arriving every week. Among the many dozens are the following: Mary Stewart, The Hollow Hills; Mary Renault, The Persian Boy; Joseph Wambaugh, The New Centurions; John Buell, The Shrewsbury Exit; Frank Kafka, Complete Stories.

Robert Flaherty, Nanook of the North; Ray Bradbury, The Halloween Tree; Barbara Brooks Wallace, Victoria; John Craig, Zach; Sonia Bleeker, Indians of the Louhouse.

Antique Encyclopedia, and other books on this subject; Chess and other game books; Over two shelves of craft and hobby books.

We also have the Haldimand - Norfolk Regional Government Study, and the reprinted old atlas. These are both of great interest at this crucial time.

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