

Koster Whiffs 18; Breda Nips Carroll, 2-1

Fuller's Smash Nets CHS Tally

BREDA — Breda hurler, Glen Koster whiffed 18 Carroll batters to lead St. Bernard's to a 2-1 decision over the Tigers in a West Central League game here Friday.

A wind-swept, dusty Memorial Park provided the setting for what proved to be a frustrating night for Coach Jerry Hansen and his Tiger hopefuls.

The only bright note in the Carroll batting line-up was Roger Fuller's second inning smash deep into fenceless left field, which several local observers declared was among the farthest hit home runs in the park in recent years, while others disclaimed the feat due to the strong wind currents. Wind, or no wind, the ball was solidly hit and Fuller managed to clear the bases safely despite a tumble into the dirt at second base.

But, Fuller's homer was not enough as the Tigers were plagued with two ill-fated errors that sent two Bobcat base-runners scampering around the sacks for a 2-1 edge.

Neil Reising got things started for Breda in the bottom of the second with a sharp tap to left. Marty Woerdehoff hit into a fielder's choice, but a throw to second went wild and Reising took off around the bases and came in safely to tie the score at one apiece.

The bottom of the third was nearly a repeat of the second frame for the Bobcats. Gerry Koster led off with a line drive up the middle for a single. Glen Koster hit into a fielder's choice that nailed Gerry at second base. Tom Nieland followed with a short tap, but the Carroll first baseman lost the bag and Koster circled the bases safely for the tie-breaking run.

Carroll threatened a comeback in the top of the fourth. Mick Everett opened for the Tigers with a one-bagger up the center and then proceeded to take second on a steal.

Fuller went down on strikes and Jim Bell followed with an infield tap that nearly cut down Everett at third, but the Breda defense couldn't get the ball to third in time to stop the Carroll speedster. With two men on base, Koster got himself out of the jam by whiffing Ron Anderson and Dave Baumhover to retire the side.

A Carroll error in the fifth almost netted the Bobcats another run. Glen Koster rapped a single between first and second, but a throw to first by Tiger second baseman, Gary Lehrkamp went wild and Koster sped around to third. With two outs, centerfielder Everett hauled down a drive by Tom Nieland to retire the side.

The Tigers return home Monday and will host the Jefferson

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Rams in Carroll Stadium at 8 p.m.

BOX SCORES

CARROLL		A	R	H	R	E	B	S
Vetter, ss	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pettitt, lf, p	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Everett, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fuller, c	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
Bell, 3b	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Anderson, rf, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lehrkamp, p, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Henning, 2b	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
DeBower, 1b	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Baumhover, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Boek, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Edwards, c	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Baudler, b	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Van Scoy, c	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	1	6	1	0	0	0	0

a-batted for DeBower in 5th b-batted for DeBower in 7th c-batted for Baumhover in 6th.

BREDA		A	R	H	R	E	B	S
Steinkamp, c	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Koster, Gerry, 3b	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Koster, Glen, p	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nieland, T, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reising, ss	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Woerdehoff, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Polking, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Schwabe, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nieland, M, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	23	2	3	0	0	0	0	0

Innings: Carroll 010 000 0 Breda 011 000 0

E — Carroll 4
LOB — Carroll 7, Breda 4
HR — Fuller
SB — Carroll 3, Breda 1

Pitching:

IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Henning	2	1	1	0	1
Pettitt	4	2	1	0	1
Koster	7	6	1	1	18

Namath Leaves Grid Door Open

NEW YORK (AP) — Did Joe Namath really mean it? Yes. Joe Namath really meant it when he said he was quitting.

But because he meant it when he said it doesn't mean that Namath won't be back taking the snap from center, the familiar No. 12 on his green and white Jet jersey stretched over his slouched shoulders, when the 1969 pro football season begins.

That Namath meant what he said was apparent Friday when the shaggy-haired quarterback of the New York Jets, tears running down the cheeks that have so often been bussed by adoring mini-skirted girls, announced he was quitting pro football rather than sell his interest in an East Side cafe frequented by gamblers.

But Donn Clendenon announced his retirement, and changed his mind. Ken Harrelson announced his retirement, and changed his mind. Maury Swabe, lf, 2 0 0 0 Wills announced his retirement, and changed his mind. Joe Namath announced his retirement, and can change his mind.

Namath, himself, left the door open when he was asked following his announcement at the Bachelors III night spot, center of the dispute, whether he thought his differences with Pro Football Commissioner Pete Rozelle could be resolved.

"I hope so," said Namath. "The last thing I want to do is quit football."

And what could make Namath change his mind? His loyalty to his teammates.

Namath's hand may already have been pushed in that direction by the quick support he received from three other members of the Jets—split end Pete Lammons and defensive back Jim Hudson.

All three, first-stringers on the team that stunned the pro

football world by upsetting the Baltimore Colts 16-7 in the Super Bowl less than five months ago, said they would join Namath in retirement.

But while Namath already has his first \$400,000 contract in the bank, a string of lucrative drive-in restaurants and a possible movie career awaiting him, Sauer, Lammons and Hudson would be far less able to withstand the loss of their football salaries.

Realizing this in the days of lessening tension that lie ahead, it would be fully in Namath's character for his loyalty to those three teammates to override other considerations and lead him to renounce his retirement so they can renounce theirs.

Namath indicated his intense loyalty to his teammates following the Super Bowl victory over the Colts when he speculated that his ailing legs might force him to quit, but emphasized that any decision he would make along those lines would have to take his teammates into consideration.

"There would be," he said at the time, "a sense of letting them down if I quit."

In order to resolve his differences with Rozelle, however, Namath must divest himself of his interest in the swinging restaurant that apparently attracts a mixed clientele of fresh-faced girls and somewhat less fresh-faced gamblers.

"If he wants to reconsider," said Rozelle, "I'll be happy to talk to him privately. I'd like to see him play football very much. I was surprised at the news from the press conference because I thought last night (Thursday) that he had agreed to sell."

Rozelle had issued an ultimatum to Namath to sell his interest in Bachelors III by Friday night or face suspension, pointing

to the undesirable characters who were frequenting the cafe.

Rozelle, in a formal statement, explained why he had issued the ultimatum even while emphasizing that no evidence exists that Namath was personally involved in any illegal activities.

"It is obviously impossible," Rozelle's statement said, "for a player to be aware of the background and habits of all persons to whom he is introduced. However, continuation of such associations after learning of a person's undesirable background and habits is cause for deep concern."

"Such conduct gives the appearance of evil whether or not it actually exists and therefore affects the player's reputation, the reputation of his fellow players and the integrity of his sport."

White Rozelle declined to specify the nature of the activities going on at Bachelors III, an unidentified high police official was quoted as saying:

"The place was crawling with the worst sort of characters. We had men in there and there were all sorts of things going on downstairs (where a bank of pay telephones was used by customers). It was a case of his not knowing what was going on down there."

"But it was pretty bad," in light of those statements, why did Namath quit rather than sell what can't be more than a moderate money-making operation by comparison with some of his other ventures?

Namath, at his press conference, attired in bell-bottomed brown pants with wide stripes and a blue-high collared shirt, said:

"It's a matter of principle." He went on to explain, his voice several times cracking with emotion:

"I'm doing something now because I think it's right. I don't want to do it but I don't have any choice. What it comes down to is because I'm a football player, I can't be in the restaurant business."

"So I quit. I'm retiring—finished."

Expos Drop 19th Game In Row, 4-2

By The Associated Press

The Montreal Expos, like the New York Mets, might have to wait eight years before winning eight games in a row, but right now the Expos must be asking what it takes to win one straight.

The Expos failed to come up with the correct answer again Friday night when they

Perry Wildness Helps Jeff Post 17-12 League Win

PERRY — The Jefferson Rams put together a combination of four hits, 16 bases on balls and seven Perry errors for a 17-12 decision over the Bluejays in a West Central baseball game here Friday night.

The visitors were down by a 7-3 count at the end of the third inning, but then the Perry mound staff went into a state of collapse.

Perry's hurlers included Mike Murphy, Keith Springer, Bruce Klein and Monty Main. Three of Jefferson's hits went for two bases. The doubles were batted by Steve Hastings, Dave Carlson and Bob Kendall. Bill McVicker singled to account for the other Ram safety.

Perry out hit the Rams, 10-4, as a trio of Jefferson hurlers tried to keep the Bluejays in check on the basepaths.

Jim Faaborg worked the first three frames for the Rams. Kendall relieved in the fourth and Carlson came to the rescue in the fifth.

Elsewhere around the league, Breda nipped Carroll, 2-1, and Denison downed Lake City, 12-2, in five innings.

Facial Fracture Sidelines Davis

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Hard luck Willie Davis, who missed the first three weeks of the season with a broken arm, will miss at least two more with a broken cheekbone, doctors said today.

Davis was hit on the right cheekbone Friday night by a Dan McGinn pitch. Davis was rushed to Daniel Freeman Hospital while the Dodgers were beating the Montreal Expos 4-2 for the Expos' 19th consecutive defeat.

Dodger officials said X rays disclosed that the right zygoma bone was broken. It was immediately wired. Davis was batting .236 with five home runs, 13 runs batted in and five stolen bases. However, he was only 1-for-10 in his last two games and Wednesday made an error in the 15th inning at New York that enabled the Mets to win, 1-0.

The cheekbone fracture, doctors said, would keep Davis out of the lineup for at least 10 days.

During a spring training game in Florida, Davis was at the plate against Atlanta pitcher Claude Raymond. He was hit on the right arm and sustained a hairline fracture that kept him on the disabled list until April 28.

Oddly, Raymond hit Davis on an 0-2 pitch and that was the count Friday when McGinn hit the left-hand hitting Dodger outfielder.

dropped a 4-2 decision to the Los Angeles Dodgers, their 19th straight defeat.

Muddling through their first year of existence as one of the four latest expansion teams, Montreal already has replaced the Mets' expansion record of 17 consecutive losses and now is closing in on the modern all-time record for 23 set by Philadelphia in 1961.

The Mets, in contrast, are setting an example for perseverance for all the expansion clubs. After suffering through years of ineptitude as one of the first expansion teams, the Mets have suddenly become a team to be envied, rolling by the new San Diego team 5-3 for a club record eighth consecutive victory.

The Expos and Mets weren't the only big losers and winners around. The Chicago Cubs ran their winning streak to seven by clubbing Cincinnati 14-8 in a day game while San Francisco handed Philadelphia its sixth straight loss, 4-0.

In other games, Atlanta trimmed Pittsburgh 3-1 and St. Louis beat Houston 6-3.

The Cubs built a 10-1 lead in four innings as Ernie Banks and Billy Williams clouted three-run homers and Don Young had a solo shot. Ken Holtzman, with only one loss, became the league's first nine-game winner, although he was driven out in the sixth. Phil Regan saved the triumph.

Willie McCovey again was the big noise for San Francisco, hitting two solo homers to go with one by Willie Mays behind the five-hit pitching of Gaylord Perry, 8-5. McCovey now has the major league lead with 19 homers, including 10 in his last 12 games, and has raised his average to .348. Mays' homer was his seventh and 594th of his career.

Hank Aaron's 14th homer of the season and 524th of his career gave Atlanta a 1-1 tie and Mike Lum singled in the decisive run in the fifth inning as Phil Niekro, 8-4, scattered seven hits for the victory.

Tim McCarver, who set up the tying run with a sixth-inning single, drove in St. Louis' winning run with a hit in the seventh before Lou Brock and Mike Shannon doubled in later runs.

Nelson Briles, who gave up a three-run first inning homer to Nor Miller, pitched into the ninth to even his record at 4-4.

Prep Loop

	W	L
Kuemper	3	0
Denison	3	1
Jefferson	3	1
Carroll	1	2
Breda	1	2
Audubon	1	2
Perry	1	3
Lake City	0	2

Friday's Results— Breda 2, Carroll 1 Jefferson 17, Perry 12 Denison 12, Lake City 2 Audubon at Kuemper — POSTPONED to June 16

Sunday Games— Kuemper at Breda, 2 p.m.

Major Leagues

By The Associated Press

National League East Division

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Chicago	36	16	.692	—
New York	26	23	.531	8½
Pittsburgh	25	26	.490	10½
St. Louis	25	27	.487	11
Philadelphia	18	29	.383	15½
Montreal	11	36	.234	22½

West Division

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Atlanta	30	19	.612	—
Los Angeles	29	21	.580	1½
Cincinnati	26	21	.553	2
San Fran.	27	23	.540	3½
Houston	25	30	.455	8
San Diego	24	31	.436	9

Friday's Results

Chicago 14, Cincinnati 8
Atlanta 3, Pittsburgh 1
St. Louis 6, Houston 3
San Fran. 4, Philadelphia 0
New York 5, San Diego 3
Los Angeles 4, Montreal 2

Today's Games

Cincinnati (Merritt 6-2) at Pittsburgh (Hans 5-5)
Pittsburgh (Blass 4-2) at Atlanta (Jarvis 5-3)
St. Louis (Washburn 2-6) at Houston (Lemaster 3-7), N
New York (Kosman 2-5) at San Diego (Podres 5-3), N
Montreal (Stoneman 3-7) at Los Angeles (Osteen 7-4), N
Philadelphia (Johnson 2-6) at San Francisco (Sadecki 3-5 or Bolin 2-3)

Sunday's Games

Cincinnati at Chicago
St. Louis at Houston
Pittsburgh at Atlanta, 2
Montreal at Los Angeles
Philadelphia at San Francisco
New York at San Diego

Monday's Games

No games scheduled

Omaha Maintains Half Game Lead; Tulsa Keeps Pace

By The Associated Press

American League East Division

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Baltimore	38	15	.717	—
Boston	32	18	.648	4½
Detroit	26	22	.542	9½
Wash'n.	28	29	.500	11½
New York	25	28	.472	13
Cleveland	15	31	.326	19½

West Division

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Minnesota	28	21	.571	—
Oakland	26	22	.542	1½
Chicago	21	24	.467	5
Seattle	22	27	.449	6
Kansas City	22	29	.431	6½
California	16	32	.333	11½

Friday's Results

New York 3, Chicago 2
Washington 1, Minnesota 0
Boston 4, Kansas City 2, 11 innings

Oakland 5, Detroit 3
Baltimore 5, Seattle 1
Cleveland 8, California 3

Today's Games

Washington (Shellenback 0-1) at Minnesota (Boswell 5-6)
Oakland (Dobson 5-4) at Detroit (McLain 8-5)
California (Murphy 4-2) at Cleveland (Pina 2-0)
Seattle (Brabender 2-3) at Baltimore (Palmer 6-2), N
Chicago (Horten 4-4) at New York (Peterson 7-5)
Kansas City (Bunker 1-2 or Nelson 3-4) at Boston (Nagy 2-0)

Sunday's Games

Washington at Minnesota
Oakland at Detroit
California at Cleveland, 2
Chicago at New York, 2
Kansas City at Boston
Seattle at Baltimore

Monday's Games

Boston at Minnesota, N
Cleveland at Chicago, N
Seattle at Detroit, N
Kansas City at New York, N

Wire Tap Probed In Clay Case

HOUSTON (AP) — Government and defense lawyers prepared briefs today to be submitted to a federal judge following a week-long wiretap hearing involving former heavyweight boxing champion Cassius Clay.

Judge Joe Ingraham concluded the Supreme Court ordered hearing Friday without handing down a ruling. However, he ordered attorneys to submit written arguments and briefs within two weeks. At that time he could rule or re-open the hearing.

The high court ordered the hearing March 24 to determine if government wiretapping played any part in the conviction of Clay on a charge of refusing to be inducted into the armed services.

Clay was convicted and assessed a five-year prison sentence and fined \$10,000 June 20, 1967. He has appealed the conviction to the Supreme Court.

Summaries of four wiretapped

conversations were admitted as evidence in the hearing. One of the conversations involved Clay and the late Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Another involved Clay and Elijah Muhammad, head of the Black Muslims. In the other two Clay talked with other Black Muslim officials.

Clay has claimed draft exemption as a Black Muslim minister and as a conscientious objector.

Ingraham refused to admit a fifth summary into evidence on the ground the disclosure of its contents could endanger national security.

Charles Morgan Jr., of Atlanta, Clay's chief attorney, said the government has shown the evidence was "tainted and illegal."

John S. Martin, a Justice Department attorney, said the hearing had satisfied the Supreme Court requirement.

In a brief argument, Morgan asked that Clay's indictment be quashed, the verdict set aside and the case remanded to the Selective Service Board.

Former Michigan State football star Clint Jones works in the university's personnel office when he's not playing with the Minnesota Vikings.

Senators Blank Twins—

Orioles Soar Past Seattle

By The Associated Press
Dave McNally finally