

Carroll Drops Pair

AUDUBON — Audubon spoiled Carroll High School's baseball opener here Friday night by sweeping a doubleheader from the Tigers, 4-3 and 3-1, in two five inning contests.

A nightmarish first inning in the opener paved the way for the Wheelers' first victory and a two-run third inning in the second game wrapped up the sweep.

One thing is for sure and that is you couldn't have asked for better pitching by Carroll right-handers — Pete Marz and Lonnie Lehrkamp.

In the first game, Marz went four innings and allowed just two hits, both coming in the opening frame. He added 10 strikeouts and all four runs he gave up were unearned.

Lehrkamp was equally effective in the nightcap as he yielded just one hit in four innings, while striking out nine and allowing just one earned run.

Costly errors in both games spelled defeat for coach Ted Edwards' club.

The Wheelers took the opener as leadoff man Monte Rubel struck out, but reached first as the Tigers' catcher, Kirk Wenck, missed the third strike. Wenck's throw to second base was wide and Rubel was on second base.

The next batter, Dirk Christensen, beat out an infield hit to put runners at first and third.

Moments later Rubel scored on a pass ball and later Christensen came home on a wild pitch.

Mike Smith and Neil Campbell walked. Rick Hadley doubled to left center

for the final two runs and a 4-0 lead that held up.

The Tigers came back and made it 4-2 after three as Todd Buck led off the third with a bunt single. Buck stole second and came home when Ted Nam reached base on an error.

Nam later scored as Lonnie Lehrkamp grounded out to short.

The Tigers threatened in the fourth as they had men on second and third with one out, but Audubon righthander Neil Campbell got tough and struck out Buck and Jeff Petersen to end things.

Carroll scored its third run in the fifth as Nam reached base on an error, and promptly stole second and third.

Eric Siemer, who was Carroll's hitting star in both games with two down-the-line left field doubles, got one of them to make it 4-3.

After Campbell hit Wenck with a pitch, Wheeler coach Larry Bandy brought in reliever Mike Smith to get the final out.

Audubon got off to its 1-0 lead in the nightcap as Rubel walked, stole second and went to third on a wild pitch in the second inning.

Then Jim Overmeier lined a clean single to left, the only hit off of Lehrkamp to score Rubel.

Audubon cushioned their lead to 3-0 after three innings as Roger Randeris got on base on an error and went to second on a pass ball.

Moments later, Randeris tried to steal third. On the play, Carroll catcher Larry Bock threw the ball into left

field allowing Randeris and Smith who had walked moments earlier to score.

The Tigers' lone run came in the fourth on a walk to Marz and a double by Siemer.

Carroll's next game is Monday night at home against Manning. Game is 8 p.m.

Second Game

AB	R	H	BI
Buck, LF	2	0	0
Petersen, LF	0	0	0
Reiman, PH	0	0	0
Beyer, PR	0	0	0
Lehrkamp, P	2	0	0
Nam, 3B-2B	3	0	0
Marz, CF	0	1	0
Petersen, 1B	2	0	0
Siemer, RF	2	0	1
Pettitt, SS	2	0	0
Peterson, 2B	1	0	0
Reiter, 3B	1	0	0
Bock, C	2	0	0
Totals	17	1	1

AB	R	H	BI
R. Hadley, RF-LF	1	0	0
Randeris, CF	2	1	0
Smith, 1B	1	1	0
Campbell, SS	2	0	0
Rubel, LF-3B	1	1	0
Christensen, C	1	0	0
B. Jacobsen, PH	1	0	0
D. Jacobsen, P	1	0	0
Asmus, PH	0	0	0
Overmeier, 3B	1	0	1
Stolz, RF	1	0	0
S. Hadley, 2B	2	0	0
Totals	14	3	1

Innings:	000	10-1				
Carroll	000	0X-3				
Audubon	000	0X-3				
E—Carroll 3, Audubon 2.						
LOB—Carroll 5, Audubon 3.						
2B—Siemer, Carroll.						
Pitching Summary:						
Lehrkamp (LP)	4	1	3	1	3	9
D. Jacobsen (WP)	1	1	1	1	4	10

AB	R	H	BI
Buck, CF	3	1	0
Petersen, 1B	3	0	0
Nam, 3B	3	2	0
Marz, P	2	0	0
Lehrkamp, 2B	3	0	0
Siemer, RF	2	0	1
Wenck, C	0	0	0
Bernholtz, PH	1	0	0
Bock, LF	1	0	0
Reiter, PH	0	0	0
Beyer, PR-LF	1	0	0
Pettitt, SS	1	0	0
Totals	20	3	2

Innings:	002	01-3				
Carroll	002	01-3				
Audubon	400	0X-4				
E—Carroll 2, Audubon 2.						
LOB—Carroll 8, Audubon 3.						
2B—Petersen, Siemer, Carroll, R. Hadley, Audubon.						
Pitching Summary:						
Marz (LP)	4	2	4	0	2	10
Campbell (WP)	4	3	3	0	4	10
Smith	0	0	0	0	0	1

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Deaths, Funerals

Medicare Rates Go Up on July 1st

Monthly premiums on the medical insurance part of Medicare will go up starting July 1.

The basic premium rate will go from \$6.30 to \$6.70 a month, according to social security officials here.

The medical insurance helps pay doctor bills and other medical expenses and is funded by individual premiums and Federal general revenues. The protection is offered automatically to people reaching 65 who are eligible for social security benefits — and to disabled people under 65 who have been entitled to social security disability benefits for 24 consecutive months or more.

"The Medicare law requires an annual review of the cost of the medical insurance program and adjustment of the monthly premium rate to cover the estimated medical expenses of Medicare patients," a social security spokesman said.

The 40-cent increase in July is related to a rise in the cost of medical services and compares to a 50-cent increase in the medical insurance basic monthly premium rate in 1973.

Medicare hospital insurance premiums must also be increased starting July 1. "The basic premium rate will go from \$33 to \$36 a month," the spokesman said.

Hospital insurance protection is extended automatically, without premium charge, to people reaching 65 who are eligible for social security of railroad retirement benefits — and to disabled people under 65 who have been entitled to social security disability benefits for 24 consecutive months or more.

"People 65 and over who aren't eligible for social security benefits can get Medicare hospital insurance by paying a monthly premium if they also sign up for the medical insurance," the spokesman said.

The hospital insurance premium rate is based on the average monthly Medicare hospital insurance payment for patients who have the protection.

About 23 million people have one or both parts of Medicare. In 1973, the hospital insurance program paid \$7.1 billion in benefits and the medical insurance program paid \$2.5 billion.

Medicare is administered by the Social Security Administration, an agency of the U.S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare. "People can get information about signing up for Medicare by calling, writing, or visiting any social security office," the spokesman said.

Markets

GRAIN	
Soybeans, No. 2	\$5.08
Corn, No. 2 yellow	2.45
Oats	1.30



Mrs. Henry Steffes
Halbur — Age 84
Arrangements pending.

TWIT
Funeral Home



Mrs. Henry (Gertrude) Schroeder
Carroll — Age 88

Friends may call at the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll after 7 p.m. Saturday

Rosary
8 p.m. Saturday
3 p.m. Sunday
8 p.m. Sunday

Mass of the Resurrection
Monday 10 a.m. at St. Lawrence Church

Interment
St. John's Cemetery, Arcadia

SHARP FUNERAL HOME
Carroll, Iowa
Serving Carroll 33 years

Payments for Livestock Losses Available

Farmers in Greene and Carroll Counties who lost livestock in the April 8 to 10, 1973 blizzard can be paid up to \$5,000 for their losses from the United States Government.

Farmers Home Administration supervisor. All affected active farmers should contact the FHA Office in Jefferson, 1407 N. Elm before June 30, 1974. Office day for Carroll County is every Tuesday, 10 a.m. to noon at the S.C.S. office, 1240 Heires Ave. in Carroll. All applications must be filed by June 30, 1974 as the program ends on this date.

Farmers have not understood the cancellation up to \$5,000.00 does not have to be repaid. Financial statements are not needed when the payment is \$5,000.00 or less. Duesbury also stated contacting other lenders for a loan is not required for the emergency program.

The money can be used to reimburse the farmer for replacement stock raised, or already purchased or be used to buy replacement stock.

Wins Second Writing Award

Mary Jo Baumhover of Carroll has won the Pearl Hogrefe award in creative writing for the second straight year at Iowa State University.

Miss Baumhover, who will be a senior English major next year, won the competition this year with two short stories, "Bonds" and "What Shall We Do for Our Sister?"

The award was established by friends and former students to honor Miss Hogrefe who directed the creative writing program for many years. She is retired.

Miss Baumhover is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Baumhover of Carroll.

Youth Dies of Crash Injuries

DES MOINES. . . Iowa (AP) — Leo Fee, 16, Dallas, died early Saturday morning at a Des Moines hospital from injuries suffered in an auto accident.

Authorities said the accident occurred Wednesday night when Fee was alone in a car that ran off a Marion County road about two miles west of Melcher.

Club Discusses 2 Future Trips

ARCADIA — Mrs. Hazel Hansen and Mrs. Leone Daley, coordinators, told about future tours to be taken by senior citizens this fall at the A.M.M. meeting Tuesday. They will include tours to the Sidney Rodeo and to Missouri. About 40 persons were present.

At cards, winners were Mrs. Louie Schroeder and Leona Daley at seven up; Herbert Kroeger and Ernest Kroeger at sheephead; and George Diers and Mrs. Ed Lampman at pinocle. Mrs. Lampman also had high bid.

Draw prizes went to Anna Tank, Mrs. Herbert Kroeger and Mrs. Hildegard Hinners.

University, cautioned: "It's true we've got some problems, but it doesn't mean the year will be a disaster. . . I don't see a bumper crop. I certainly wouldn't forecast a poor crop."

"This still is going to be a good year for Kansas wheat overall, but the situation certainly is serious in the areas hit by this thing," said Cress Brock, administrator of the Kansas Wheat Commission, of the mosaic disease through six north-central Kansas counties.

The outlook for Missouri farmers is good, said Bud Nelson of the Missouri Crop and Livestock Reporting Service.

"I don't think we're in a panic situation yet," he said of the rain factor. "Actually, we had a good spring up until the rains of the past few weeks."

Wisconsin corn producers got off to an early start and, despite two weeks of cool, wet weather, have nearly completed their corn planting, said Marvin Heiser of the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture.

"There are parts of Iowa—especially a heavy belt in the central and to the east—where it's becoming very critical," said Duane Skow of the U.S. Crop and Livestock Reporting Service in Des Moines.

However, Dr. Harvey Thompson, extension agronomist at Iowa State

northern Illinois where farmers have been unable to work their fields since May 7 and where the planting season is the shortest in the state.

"This is the longest period I can remember that farmers have been unable to work the ground," Mulvaney said, noting only 50 per cent of the corn has been planted and 20 to 25 per cent of this suffered extensive water damage and may have to be replanted.

Field work has also been at a standstill in western Illinois since late April and only 30 to 40 cents of the corn which requires a long growing season for a higher yield has been planted.

The U.S. Durum Growers Association said adverse weather conditions and spring flooding have created a critical situation for North Dakota farmers.

Redlegs Stay Hot; Phils Bow

By The Associated Press

Here come the Cincinnati Reds. . . and there go the Philadelphia Phillies.

Those loud footsteps behind the pace-setting Los Angeles Dodgers in the National League West belong to the Reds, division champions in three of the last four years, who won their seventh consecutive game Friday night, downing Pittsburgh 7-5.

Meanwhile, in the East, a lovely May came to a dreary conclusion for the Phillies, who saw their stay at the top of the division end along with the month Friday night when they bowed to the San Francisco Giants 6-2.

In other National League games Friday, Houston rallied New York 7-1. St. Louis shut out San Diego 5-0 and Los Angeles defeated Chicago 8-3. Atlanta's game at Montreal was rained out.

The Reds are still a fat seven games behind the sizzling Dodgers in the West but Los Angeles also had that kind of lead a year ago and Cincinnati wiped it out.

The Pirates were nursing a 5-3 lead into the seventh on a pair of homers by Bob Robertson but Johnny Bench's bases-loaded triple turned it around. "The balls were really carrying tonight," the Reds' slugger said. "I thought mine was a sacrifice fly but it carried to the fence. And with my lightning speed," he added with a grin. "I waltzed into third base standing up."

Philadelphia is also streaking, but in the wrong direction. The Phillies dropped their fifth in a row and slipped into second place in the East, one percentage point back of St. Louis.

Manager Danny Ozark thinks he knows what's wrong with his Phillies. "It's a lack of confidence," said Ozark. "We're taking pitches we should hit. We've become less aggressive at bat. We're talking ourselves into a slump."

Dodgers 8, Cubs 3
Bill Russell, Rick Auerbach and Bill Buckner drilled three hits each and the Los Angeles Dodgers picked up four unearned runs to defeat Chicago.

Buckner also stole three bases and Mike Marshall, appearing in his 33rd game, picked up his eighth save for the Dodgers, leaders in the NL West. Los Angeles also committed four errors, leading to two unearned runs for the Cubs.

Astros 7, Mets 1
Houston stretched its winning streak to five games as Cesar Cedeño ripped four hits including his 10th homer and Doug Rader and Tommy Helms added three hits each against the Mets.

It was the fourth straight loss for stumbling New York, fifth in the East Division, five games off the pace.

Otis, Mayberry Spark Royal Win

By The Associated Press

Fortunately for the Great Wallenda, he didn't walk across the top of Cleveland's Municipal Stadium until after the Royals-Indians game Friday night.

If the tightrope walker had decided on a practice run, say, during the Kansas City fourth inning, there might have been trouble.

A wire cable had been strung above the field for a typical death-defying Wallenda performance. And Vada Pinson, just trying to be helpful as rain pelted the players, fans and field, hit the wire with a fly ball.

"I did it to knock the rain off," Pinson joked after the Royals' 4-2 victory. "So he wouldn't slip, you know."

Although Pinson took the fluke in stride, the real damage was done by Amos Otis' two-run single and John Mayberry's 10th home run of the season, which gave the

Royals a 3-2 lead. Jim Wohlford brought in the other run to lower Steve Kline's record to 3-8.

John Lowenstein and Jack Brohammer drove in the Cleveland runs.

A's 5, Brewers 2
Joe Rudi's three-run home run was the highlight of a five-run Oakland fourth inning in the victory over Milwaukee.

Dave Hamilton and Rollie Fingers combined for a seven-hitter, permitting one run each. Milwaukee's Bob Ellis drove one run home with a single in the second inning and Don Money the other in the eighth.

Angel Mangual drove in another run for the A's. The other scored on a wild pitch.

Angels 5, Tigers 3
Ellie Rodriguez drove in four runs with two solo home runs and a double to carry California past Detroit.

Rodriguez hit the double in the second inning, broke a 2-2

Major Leagues

By The Associated Press

American League	National League
East	East
W L Pct. GB	W L Pct. GB
Milwaukee 24 20 .545 —	St. Louis 24 22 .522 —
Boston 25 22 .532 1/2	Philadelphia 25 23 .521 —
Baltimore 22 24 .478 3	Montreal 20 20 .500 1
Detroit 22 24 .478 3	Chicago 18 25 .419 4 1/2
Cleveland 22 25 .468 3 1/2	New York 20 28 .417 2
New York 23 27 .460 4	Pittsburgh 17 27 .386 6
West	West
Oakland 27 21 .563 —	Los Angeles 36 14 .720 —
Kan. City 25 22 .532 1 1/2	Cincinnati 27 19 .586 7
Chicago 22 21 .512 2 1/2	Atlanta 26 22 .542 9
Texas 24 24 .500 3 1/2	Houston 27 24 .529 9 1/2
California 23 26 .469 4 1/2	San Fran 27 25 .519 10
Minnesota 20 23 .465 4 1/2	San Diego 18 36 .333 20

Friday's Games
Atlanta at Montreal, p.p.d., rain
Houston 7, New York 1
Los Angeles 8, Chicago 3
San Francisco 6, Philadelphia 2

Saturday's Games
Milwaukee (Slaton 6-5 or Champion 2-1) at Oakland (Blue 3-5)
Detroit (Coleman 6-4) at California (Ryan 6-5), N
Baltimore (McNally 4-3) at Texas (Bibby 6-7), N
New York (Medich 6-4) at Minnesota (Blyleven 4-7)
Kansas City (Dal Canton 3-2) at Cleveland (J. Perry 3-4)
Chicago (Kaat 4-5) at Boston (Tiant 5-5), N

Sunday's Games
Milwaukee at Oakland
Detroit at California
Baltimore at Texas, N
New York at Minnesota
Kansas City at Cleveland
Chicago at Boston

Atlanta at Montreal, p.p.d., rain
Houston (Roberts 5-5) at New York (Seaver 2-5)
Los Angeles (Messersmith 4-1) at Chicago (Fralling 3-4)
San Francisco (Caldwell 7-2) at Philadelphia (Ruthven 2-2) or Farmer 2-1)
St. Louis (Freisleben 3-2) at San Diego (McGlothen 6-2), N
Pittsburgh (Brett 5-3) at Cincinnati (Nelson 3-3)

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