# Carroll Sweeps Sac City

**By Dennis O'Grady** 

(Sports Editor) Carroll moved one game away from another Midwest Conference baseball championship here Thursday night by sweeping Sac City. 9-5, in the second game and 3-1 in the opener.

The Tigers conclude their conference season tonight at home at 8 p.m. against Audubon. A win would leave them at 13-1.

Denison can gain a share of the league championship also tonight if they can beat Jefferson on the Rams' diamond.

In the nightcap, the Tigers, now 17-5 on the year and winners of seven straight. battled back from a 5-2 deficit after three innings.

In the 3-1 opener, the Tigers' got outstanding pitching from starter Eric Siemer and reliever Tom Reiman.

"The kids really battled back against a pretty good pitcher," commented Carroll Head Coach Ted Edwards, referring to the nightcap

"It would be nice if more of

our fans would have turned out. They missed two super games and the kids deserve the credit. I'm proud of them," added Edwards, who has said this will be his last season as manager.

Second Game

The Tigers got what proved to be the winning run in the fifth as Dan Wittrock's third hit of the game, a single to center, scored Jim Molitor to break a 5-5 deadlock. Molitor had reached base on a dropped infield pop up.

The Tigers padded their lead in the sixth by scoring three more times. The big blow was Molitor's long double to left that scored Todd Buck and Jim Petersen. Up to that point, Molitor, who entered the twin bill with a team leading .390 average. had gone 0-for-6 at the plate.

After Molitor's double. Mark Steffes legged out a double to drive in Molitor

Sac City took a 1-0 lead in the first as Doug Samuelson scored all the way from second as a pass ball went out second as Todd Pettitt and Buck delivered run-scoring singles, but Sac City went ahead 5-2 in the third on three

hits and three Carroll errors. The Tigers knotted the game at 5-all in the fourth as Wittrock singled and scored later on a wild pitch. Edwards then tripled in two runs to tie

Pettitt scattered seven hits, fanned seven and allowed just one earned run in raising his victory to 6-2. Terry Intveld took the loss to send his mark

First Game Siemer needed last inning relief help from Reiman to

preserve this one. Siemer took a 3-1 lead into the seventh, but walked the leadoff batter. Coach Edwards then went to Reiman.

Reiman, however, didn't have an easy job as he walked Jeff Schull on four straight pitches and hit a batter to load

But Reiman settled down and fanned Dave Scott and Dave Lee and got Doug down the victory and send Siemer's mark to 2-3.

Carroll took a 1-0 lead in the first as Buck reached on an error. He later scored on a pass ball that went out of play.

In the third, the Tigers made it 2-0 as Petersen reached on an error, stole second and raced home on Edwards' bloop single.

Sac City, who finished at 8-6 in loop play, scored in the third on Intveld's single to left that chased home John O'Tool who had walked earlier.

Carroll got their final run in the fifth as Petersen tripled to right as the center and right fielders collided going for the ball. One out later, Pettitt lined a double down the left field line to score Petersen.

-Second Game-**Box Score:** 

Sac City-

	Al	BR	H	BI
Lee, 3B	4	1	2	0
D. Samuelson, 2B.				
Intveld, P:	4	1	1	0
Harklau, DH	3	0	1	0
Baxter, CF	0	0	0	0
G. Samuelson, C.	3	O	0	n

runs with his l6th homer of the

season and a sacrifice fly and

Jim Rice collected three hits,

including his 20th homer, as

Boston completed a

three-game sweep over

Toronto. Fisk homered off

loser Jesse Jefferson, 5-8,

after Rice doubled off the

centerfield wall in the

Red Sox' relief ace Bill

Campbell pitched three score-

Schull, LF\*..... 3 0 1 0 O'Tool, RF...... 3 0 0 0 Wallterstedt, SS... 2 0 0 0 Buck, CF ....... 2 2 1 1

Petersen, 3B . . . . . 4 1 1 0 Edwards, SS..... 4 0 1 2 Siemer, 1B...... 3 0 0 0 Molitor, C...... 4 2 1 2 Steffes, RF ..... 3 0 1 1 Wittrock, LF .... 4 2 3 1 Reiman, 2B ..... 2 1 0 0 By Innings: Sac City ..... 104 000 0-5

Left on Base - Sac City 4.

Carroll...... 020 313 x-9

Errors - Sac City 2, Carroll

Doubles - Steffes, Carroll Triples - Edwards, Molitor, Carroll Pitching Summary:

	IP.	H		50	R	E
Intveld (LP)	6	10	3	9	9	5
Pettitt (WP)	7	7	0	7	5	1
-First G	ar	ne-	_			
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### preserving the victory for Bob Stanley, 5-3.

Rangers 8, A's 3

Toby Harrah broke a 3-3 tie with a three-run homer in the sixth inning, then cracked a solo homer in the seventh, powering Texas past Oakland.

Texas reliever Roger Moret, injured most of the seson, pitched three and one-third innings of hitless ball for his less innings for his 16th save, first victory.

### Halbur Blanks Zekers

Breda Zekers a rare defeat in slow pitch softball here Thursday night, 3-0, in the Denny's of Carroll tournament.

turned back the Badding Breezers, 4-3; the Roselle

FRI. Thru TUES.

Mel's of Halbur, 10-4.

W L Pet. GB

47 35 .573 -44 34 .564 1 New York Boston **Baltimore** 46 36 .561 Cleveland 37 40 .481 Milwaukee 38 42 .475 8 Detroit 30 50 .375 16 30 50 .375 16 Toronto West

American League

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Petersen, 3B ..... 4 1 2 0

Edwards, SS ..... 4 0 1 1

Siemer, P-1B..... 3 0 0 0

Molitor, C....... 3 0 0 0

 Steffes, RF
 3
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 Wittrock, LF
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 Reiman, 2B-P
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Intveld. SS ......... 3 0 2 0

Harklau, P. . . . . . 3 0 0 0 0 G. Samuelson, C . . 3 0 1 0

Bartlett, 1B ..... 2 0 0 0

Schull, LF ...... 2 0 0 0 0 O'Tool, RF ..... 1 1 0 0

Scott, CF ..... 2 0 0 0

Totals . . . . . . . . . . . . . 23 1 3 0

Carroll ..... 101 100 0-3

Sac City ...... 001 000 0-1

Errors - Carroll 0, Sac City

Left on Base - Carroll 6,

Doubles - Pettitt, Carroll;

Triples - Petersen, Carroll

Siemer (WP) . . 6 3 3 7 1 1

Reiman...... 1 0 1 1 0 0

IPH BB SOR ER

By innings:

Intveld, Sac City

Pitching Summary:

Sac City 7

Sac City-

47 32 Chicago Minnesota 46 36 .561 21/2 Kansas City 46 36 .544 California 39 39 .500 71/2 39 41 .488 81/2 Texas Oakland 34 46 .425 131/2 35 50 .412 15 Seattle

Thursday's Results Boston 5, Toronto 2 New York 8, Cleveland 2 Minnesota 8. California 6 Milwaukee at Kansas City, ppd., rain .

Only games scheduled Friday's Games

Texas 8, Oakland 3

### By The Associated Press

\*\*\* Major Leagues \*\*\*

Toronto (Lemanczyk 7-6) at Cleveland (Eckersley 7-7),

New York (Guidry 6-4) at Oakland (Langford 6-7) at Kansas City (Colborn 10-6),

Boston (Cleveland 6-4) at

California (Ryan 11-7) at Texas (Ellis 4-7), (n)

### National League

Leiting, P...... 0 0 0 0 Gute, SS ...... 2 0 0 1 Tigges, LF ..... 3, 0 0

Knight Girls' Mark

Drops to 5-10, 8-1

OGDEN - Ogden handed

the Kuemper girls softball squad their ninth straight loss

Kuemper, now 5-10 on the

season, got their lone run in

the fourth as Cindy Ericson

led off with a triple and scored

one out later on Brenda Gute's

Kuemper managed only

three hits in the game. Besides

Ericson's triple, Cathy

**Carruthers and Teresa Adams** 

Kuemper entertains

Jefferson Saturday night,

starting with a JV contest at

Ogden also took the JV

game, 10-9. Adams, Carolyn

Wittrock, Jane Brenny, Lisa

Wuebker and Cindy

Vanderheiden all had two hits

The JV team, now 11-4, got

extra base hits from Adams

and Vanderheiden, who had

triples and Wittrock, who had

Carruthers, C.... 3 0 1 0

Ericson, 3B ...... 3 1 1 0

Adams, DH ..... 3 0 1 0

ABRH BI

sacrifice fly to left.

had singles.

6:30 p.m.

for Kuemper.

two doubles.

Box Score:

Kuemper---

here Thursday night, 8-1.

Green, CF ...... 3 0 0 0 Drees, 2B ...... 1 0 0 0 Kanne, RF...... 1 0 0 0 Hoffman, LF..... 0 0 0 0 Totals ............23 1 3 1 Ogden—

K. Hartzler, CF ... 4 0 0 0 Stanley, 3B ..... 3 1 0 0 L. Hartzler, RF ... 3 2 1 0 McCloud, C ..... 4 2 2 1 Engnell, 1B ..... 4-1 1 2 Powers, LF ..... 4 2 2 1 Williams, 2B ..... 2 0 1 1 Morgan, P ..... 0 0 0 0 Eich, SS ..... 2 0 1 1

By fanings: Kuemper..... 000 100 0-1 Ogden ..... 000 332 x-8 Errors - Kuemper 4, Ogden

Left on Base - Kuemper 3, Ogden 7

Doubles - McCloud, Ogden Triples - Ericson,

Kuemper Pitching Summary: IPH BB SOR ER

Leiting (LP) ... 68 5 28 4

Morgan (WP) . 73 2 5 1 1

Cincinnati

San Fran.

San Diego

Houston

Atlanta

(n)

44 35 .557 91/2

37 46 .446 181/2

35 48 .422 201/2

35 50 .412 211/2

30 51 370 24 1/2

Thursday's Results

San Francisco 5, San Diego

Philadelphia 6, New York 4

Friday's Games

St. Louis (Rasmussen 6-10)

Montreal (Twitchell 1-5) at

Philadelphia (Christenson

7-5) at Pittsburgh (Kison 6-4),

Los Angeles 7, Houston 4

Only games scheduled

at Chicago (Burris 9-8)

New York (Swan 4-6), (n)

Chicago 2, St. Louis 0

### Twins Whip Little Boy Blue Tanana, 8-6

By The Associated Press Frank Tanana acted like Little Boy Blue.

Tanana, the spirited, young California left-hander, was uncharacteristically downcast after his worst pitching performance of the season Thursday night as the Angels were beaten by the Minnesota Twins 8-6.

After being battered out in the fourth inning, his earliest knockout in 20 starts this season, Tanana waved and made an uncomplimentary gesture to the Minnesota crowd amidst a chorus of boos.

"I happen to like Tanana personally and as a player. but I hate to see him or anyone of that caliber, act like a little boy," said Twins Manager Gene Mauch. Tanana later apologized for

his actions. "I had no business

doing what I did," he said con-

tritely. "It was uncalled for. I

guess it was the frustration of

of doing.

Meanwhile, New York's four-hitter for his best for its 13th straight triumph seasons.

"I'm encouraged because my arm felt good," said Hunter, who has been plagued by arm trouble virtually all season. "That's the most important thing. When my arm feels good, it makes my whole body feel good. I was hitting my spots and making good pitches.

tual second-place tie in the and the Texas Rangers

not doing the job I'm capable battered the Oakland A's 8-3.

In other AL games, the Boston Red Sox moved into a vir-East with idle Baltimore, one game behind New York, downing the Toronto Blue Jays 5-2

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Catfish Hunter did what he is capable of doing. The Yankees right-hander pitched a showing of the season as New York pounded Cleveland 8-2 over the Indians in two

The Milwaukee at Kansas City game was rained out. Tanana wasn't himself," Minnesota's Butch Wynegar

said after collecting three hits

and driving in three runs. Tanana was far from his best. He was shelled for eight hits and five runs in three and two-thirds innings. The loss dropped the record of the AL's winningest pitcher - and probable starter in the All-Star Game - to 12-6. It was only the fourth time he

failed to go the distance. Meanwhile, Hunter's complete game effort was only his fourth in 11 starts and raised his record to 5-3.

New York outfielder Lou Piniella blasted a two-run homer for the Yanks, Paul Blair rapped a two-run triple and Graig Nettles drove in two runs with a pair of singles.

Red Sox 5, Blue Jays 2 Carlton Fisk drove in three

MOUNT CARMEL - The Halbur Merchants handed the

In other games, Denny's

Stars downed Mr. D's Originals of Glidden, 7-2, and Mr. D's of Glidden whipped

In games tonight, the Templeton Juveniles face Hap's of Templeton at 8:30 with Denny's meeting the Halbur Merchants at 9:30.

The tournament winds up Saturday night here.

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Baltimore (May 10-7), (n)

Seattle (Abbott 4-7) at Minnesota (Thormodsgard 6-4),

Milwaukee (Augustine 9-9),

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	Chicago	50	29	.633	
	Philadelphia	47	32	.595	3
	St. Louis		38	.537	7
	Pittsburgh	42	38	.525	8
	Montreal	37	43	.463	13
	New York	31	50	.383	20
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Cincinnati (Capilla 1-0) at Houston (Bannister 4-6), (n) San Diego (Griffin 5-6) at

Los Angeles (Hooton 7-3), (n) Atlanta (Niekro 8-9) at San Chicago (Knapp 7-4) at De- Los Angeles 55 27 .671 - Francisco (Barr 8-6), (n)

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