

Callahan Fans 20 Wildcat Batters

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Jack Callahan accounted for 20 of Miller City's 21 outs by fanning 20 Wildcat batters as the Bulldogs won 2-0 over Miller City in the first round last Thursday afternoon.

Callahan faced only 24 batters, giving up just one hit. Elmer Lammers spoiled his bid for a no-hitter with a single in the fourth inning. The Grove hurler walked one batter and another Wildcat got on base on an error.

Jerry Kuhlman pitched four-hit ball for Miller City, but three of them were bunched for Grove's two runs in the fifth inning. Kuhlman fanned five and walked three.

Grove scored in the fifth when Fred Locker walked and D. Reed singled. Both men advanced on a long fly then H. Schroeder singled home the first run and Tom Maag followed with another base hit for the second tally.

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Callahan and Ridenour: Kuhlman and Vennekotter

Jack Callahan is one of three boys from Putnam County to strike out 20 or more batters in a game. He is the only one to accomplish this feat in a seven inning game. There have been several players over the years that have struck out 19, but only three have equaled this tremendous feat in nearly 100 years of high school baseball in Putnam County.