

KNOXVILLE *Raceway*

Date (Sanction/Event) – Winners

4/22 410 – Jerry Richert Jr., 360 – Larry Pinegar II
4/28 (WoO) – Danny Lasoski
4/29 (WoO) – Rain
5/6 (WoO) – Mark Kinser, 360 – Steve Breazeale
5/13 410 – Craig Dollansky, 360 – Steve Breazeale
5/20 410 – Johnny Herrera, 360 – Larry Pinegar II
5/27 Rain
6/3 (All Stars) – Johnny Herrera, 360 – Larry Pinegar II
6/9 360 – Danny Young
6/10 410 – Terry McCarl, (Masters Classic) – Rick Ferkel
6/17 410 – Terry McCarl, 360 – Lee Nelson
6/23 (WoO) – Jac Haudenschild
6/24 (WoO twin features) – Mark Kinser, Craig Dollansky, 360 – Lee Nelson
7/1 410 – Jaymie Moyle, 360 – Larry Pinegar II
7/8 (Twin Features) 410 – Terry McCarl, Johnny Herrera, 360 – Terry Alexander, Bruce Drottz
7/15 Rain
7/16 (Enduro) Mark Fee
7/18 Late Models – Willy Kraft, Modified – Tim Donlinger
7/19 (WoO) – Steve Kinser
7/20 (Harris Clash for modifieds) – Tim Donlinger
7/21 360 Nationals Prelim Events
7/22 (360 Nationals) – Danny Lasoski, 410 – Jerry Richert Jr.
7/29 410 – Terry McCarl, 360 – Lee Nelson
8/5 410 – Johnny Herrera, 360 – Jeff Haines
8/12 410 – Johnny Herrera, 360 – Virgil Brandt
8/16 (Knoxville Nationals Prelim) – Andy Hillenburg
8/17 (Knoxville Nationals Prelim) – Danny Lasoski
8/18 (Knoxville Nationals NQ) – Jac Haudenschild
8/19 (Knoxville Nationals) – Steve Kinser
9/2 410 – Brent Antill, 360 – Ricky Logan
9/9 (IMCA Deery Bros. Late Models) – Jeff Aikey, Hobby Stocks – Jamie Bossard
9/23 (AMA Motorcycles) Grand National – Kevin Varnes, HD Sportster – Jay Springsteen
9/27 (WoO) – Mark Kinser

4/22/95

Richert Out-duels Antill at Knoxville

by Bob Wilson



Jerry Richert Jr., aboard the Marty Johnson Schnee sprint car, drove to an exciting victory during the 42nd season opener at Knoxville Raceway Saturday night.

Richert, who started on the pole of the 20-lap event, had his hands full throughout the race as first Terry McCarl and then Brent Antill each passed him during the ten-mile sprint. McCarl led from the sixth circuit, lost the lead during the ninth go-round to Richert, and then regained it again on a tenth lap restart. The two front runners battled lap after lap with McCarl on the high side and Richert taking the low route.

Suddenly on the 13th lap, Antill came into the fray and forced a three-way situation in the turns for several laps running. Antill then secured the top spot on lap 15, as McCarl began to fade. Richert too passed the McCarl machine and picked up the pursuit of the front-running Antill.

With the white flag prepared to fly, McCarl's car performed a roll over in turn three, bringing the race to a halt. When the race restarted, Richert regained the lead and was able to hold off Antill's bid to beat him to the checkers.

The win was Richert's ninth on Knoxville soil, and matched his season opening victory of 1989. He was paid \$2,500 for his efforts as his father and National Sprint Car Hall of Famer, Jerry Richert Sr., watched from the grandstand side. Antill received \$2,000 for second and Craig Dollansky pocketed \$1,500 for third. Don Droud, Jr. took passing honors in the event as he came from the last row to place fourth. Ray Lipsey finished fifth. Completing the top ten finishers were Doran Doty, Randy Smith, Jaymie Moyle, Leonard Lee and Dennis Moore, Jr.

In the companion 360 Sprints, Larry Pinegar II claimed his second career feature event win at the Marion County Fairgrounds. Bruce Williams was second, Steve Breazeale took third and Duane Van Heukelom finished fifth.

410 Results

Time Trials (Qualifying Order): 1. 24, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (9) 15.625; 2. 1BK, Don Droud Jr., Lincoln, NE (5) 15.735; 3. D1, Marlon Jones, Sioux Falls, SD (8) 15.781; 4. 1, Brent Antill, Huxley, IA (29) 15.799; 5. 5, Johnny Herrera, Albuquerque, NM (22) 15.806; 6. 45, Ray Lipsey, Lincoln, NE (2) 15.839; 7. 81, Jerry Richert Jr., Forest Lake, MN (23) 15.862; 8. 56, Chris Walraven, Knoxville, IA (1) 15.848; 9. 12, Dennis Moore Jr., Grinnell, IA (3) 15.942; 10. 4, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (12) 16.162; 11. 16L, Leonard Lee, Milo, IA (32) 16.194; 12. 14, Doran Doty, Des Moines, IA (21) 16.263; 13. 86T, Tod Bishop, Harrisburg, IL (7) 16.276; 14. 55, Craig Dollansky, Elk River, MN (30) 16.281; 15. 14m, Randy Martin, California, MO (10) 16.298; 16. 3B, Jeff Tuttle, West Des Moines, IA (17) 16.309; 17. 10, Bob White, Des Moines, IA (31) 16.320; 18. 2m, Tony Moro, Des Moines, IA (20) 16.336; 19. 71, Manny Rockhold, Pekin, IL (13) 16.349; 20. 5T, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (24) 16.368; 21. 7, Kevin Doty, Milan, IL (4) 16.389; 22. 0, Randy Smith, Mount Ayr, IA (19) 16.437; 23. 86, John Kearney, Ozawkie, KS (11) 16.518; 24. 7A, Todd Taeger, Burlington, IA (28) 16.602; 25. 3, Tim Lewis, Gas, KS (18) 16.638; 26. 2H, Wayne Redmond, Fort Dodge, IA (6) 16.680; 27. 4H, Kenny Hansen, Nunda, SD (14) 16.795; 28. 57c, Troy Parsons, Altoona, IA (25) 16.984; 29. 8, Butch Hanssen, Sioux Falls, SD (33) 17.041; 30. 69, Mark Smyser, Lancaster, MO (26) 18.575; 31. 3Y, Danny Young, Des Moines, IA (15) NT; 32. 18, Brad Pemble, Arvada, CO (16) NT; 33. 51J, Ryan Jamison, Burlington, IA (27) NT.

Heat one (started), 8 laps, 2:13.0: 1. Terry McCarl (8) 2. Randy Smith (1) 3. Tod Bishop (4) 4. Brent Antill (7) 5. Jaymie Moyle (5) 6. Chris Walraven (6) / 7. Troy Parsons (10) 8. Tim Lewis (9) 9. Jeff Tuttle (3) 10. Manny Rockhold (2) DNS – Danny Young

Heat two (started), 8 laps, 2:18.1: 1. John Kearney (1) 2. Bob White (3) 3. Craig Dollansky (4) 4. Leonard Lee (5) 5. Jerry Richert Jr. (6) 6. Johnny Herrera (7) / 7. Don Droud Jr. (8) 8. Scott Whitworth (2) 9. Butch Hanssen (10) 10. Wayne Redmond (9) DNS – Brad Pemble

Heat three (started), 8 laps, 2:18.1: 1. Kevin Doty (2) 2. Randy Martin (4) 3. Tony Moro (3) 4. Todd Taeger (1) 5. Ray Lipsey (7) 6. Doran Doty (5) / 7. Dennis Moore Jr. (6) 8. Kenny Hansen (9) 9. Marlon Jones (8) 10. Mark Smyser (10) DNS – Ryan Jamison

B main (started), 10 laps, 2:51.2: 1. Don Droud Jr. (1) 2. Marlon Jones (2) 3. Dennis Moore Jr. (3) / 4. Scott Whitworth (4) 5. Kenny Hansen (6) 6. Tim Lewis (5) 7. Mark Smyser (9) 8. Butch Hanssen (10) 9. Troy Parsons (7) 10. Manny Rockhold (8) DNS – Jeff Tuttle, Wayne Redmond, Danny Young, Brad Pemble, Ryan Jamison

A main (started), 20 laps, NT: 1. Jerry Richert Jr. (1) 2. Brent Antill (5) 3. Craig Dollansky (11) 4. Don Droud Jr. (17) 5. Ray Lipsey (3) 6. Doran Doty (9) 7. Randy Smith (16) 8. Jaymie Moyle (7) 9. Leonard Lee (8) 10. Dennis Moore Jr. (19) 11. Tod Bishop (10) 12. Bob White (13) 13. John Kearney (15) 14. Randy Martin (12) 15. Tony Moro (14) 16. Chris Walraven (2) 17. Terry McCarl (6) 18. Todd Taeger (18) 19. Marlon Jones (20) 20. Johnny Herrera (4) DNS – Kevin Doty. **Lap Leaders:** Richert 1-5, McCarl 6-8, Richert 9, McCarl 10-14, Antill 15-18, Richert 19-20.

360 Results

Heat one (started), 6 laps, 1:49.7: 1. 41s, Kent Severson, Omaha, NE (2) 2. 8B, Bruce Williams, Pleasant Hill, IA (8) 3. 71, Brad Peltz, Humboldt, IA (1) 4. 41, Virgil Brandt, Des Moines, IA (5) / 5. 80x, Mike Houseman, Des Moines, IA (7) 6. 16, Kenny Williams, Blakesburg, IA (9) 7. 1, Terry Thomas, Knoxville, IA (3) 8. 6, Mitchell Alexander, Knoxville, IA (4) 9. 7s, Tim St. Arnold, Des Moines, IA (6)

Heat two (started), 6 laps, 1:50.4: 1. 5G, Brett Golik, Newton, IA (2) 2. 16H, Jeff Haines, Oskaloosa, IA (5) 3. 57, Steve Breazeale, Pleasantville, IA (8) 4. 52, Walt Esch, Des Moines, IA (7) / 5. 00, Larry Weeks, Montezuma, IA (4) 6. 21, Mark Swanson, West Des Moines, IA (1) 7. 82, Dave Van Heukelom, Pella, IA (3) 8. 41B, Nick Bellino, Papillion, NE (9) 9. 9H, Ed Ergenbright, Newton, IA (6)

Heat three (started), 6 laps, 1:45.7: 1. 11L, Larry Pinegar II, Des Moines, IA (8) 2. 48, Bobby Thompson, Des Moines, IA (6) 3. 20, Mark Wilson, Des Moines, IA (1) 4. 26, Lee Nelson, Ankeny, IA (7) / 5. 12x, Jerry Crabb, Des Moines, IA (5) 6. 23, Ed Rotert, Mount Ayr, IA (4) 7. 98, Dave Anderson, Burlington, IA (3) 8. 29m, Eric Mason, Knoxville, IA (9) 9. 22, Eddie Leavitt Jr., Knoxville, IA (2)

Heat four (started), 6 laps, NT: 1. 18, Bruce Drottz, Des Moines, IA (2) 2. 80, Duane Van Heukelom, Colfax, IA (8) 3. 11, Archie Ergenbright, Newton, IA (6) 4. 8L, Tom Lenz, Strawberry Point, IA (7) / 5. 77, Terry Alexander, Knoxville, IA (5) 6. 88, Tim Holzworth, Valeria, IA (3) 7. 17, Billy Bell, Colfax, IA (9) 8. 27T, Chris Tice, Lynnville, IA (4) 9. 27, Jody Hahn, Lawrence, KS (1)

B main (started), 10 laps, 3:09.5: 1. Kenny Williams (5) 2. Terry Alexander (4) / 3. Larry Weeks (2) 4. Tim Holzworth (6) 5. Mike Houseman (1) 6. Tim St. Arnold (14) 7. Jerry Crabb (3) 8. Ed Rotert (7) 9. Nick Bellino (10) 10. Dave Van Heukelom (8) 11. Ed Ergenbright (15) 12. Eric Mason (13) 13. Chris Tice (11) 14. Billy Bell (9) 15. Dave Anderson (12) DNS – Mark Swanson, Terry Thomas, Eddie Leavitt Jr., Jody Hahn, Mitchell Alexander

A main (started), 15 laps, NT: 1. Larry Pinegar II (4) 2. Bruce Williams (2) 3. Steve Breazeale (10) 4. Duane Van Heukelom (8) 5. Jeff Haines (1) 6. Bobby Thompson (7) 7. Lee Nelson (15) 8. Kenny Williams (17) 9. Brett Golik (5) 10. Walt Esch (14) 11. Virgil Brandt (13) 12. Tom Lenz (16) 13. Kent Severson (6) 14. Brad

Peltz (9) 15. Bruce Drottz (3) 16. Terry Alexander (18) 17. Mark Wilson (11) 18. Archie Ergenbright (12) **Lap Leaders:** B. Williams 1-3, Pinegar 4-15.

4/28/95

Lasoski tops 'WoO' Preliminary

As he did one year ago, Danny Lasoski captured the World of Outlaws Spring Opener at Knoxville Raceway Friday night aboard the Gil Sonner Casey's General Stores Maxim.

Lasoski, the six-time Knoxville Raceway track champ, began the 20-lap race on the pole and led every circuit on the half-mile oval. The win was his 55th feature victory at these historic fairgrounds and placed him just five markers shy of breaking Doug Wolfgang's record 59 wins.

The "Dude" was chased in the early portion of the 10-mile event by Johnny Herrera and Sammy Swindell. By the time Swindell got by Herrera for the runner-up spot Lasoski had shot to a thirty yard lead. At lap six the front runners had entered lapped traffic and that was when Swindell began to close the margin. As the laps ticked off, the gap between Lasoski and Swindell narrowed until Swindell was just a few car lengths from the top spot, but that was as close as he would get as Lasoski began to pull away from the field.

The real battle of the race took place for the third through fifth positions as Herrera, Dave Blaney and Mark Kinser fought for those places. Lap after lap saw that trio exchange running order numerous times over the course of the event.

When the checkered flag flew, Lasoski had built an incredible half lap lead over his nearest challenger, Dave Blaney, who had made a pass of Swindell three laps from the finish. Kinser took the fourth position and Herrera was fifth. Rounding out the top ten finishers were Joe Gaerte, Jeff Swindell, Don Droud, Jr., Jac Haudenschild from the tail and Lance Blevins.

It appeared that the feature event would never get underway as several attempts were needed to get it going. Two yellow flags were waved on successive starts, the second of which was issued for Haudenschild who had stopped in turn one, an apparent victim of debris thrown into his cockpit. It was later learned the he was taken to the Knoxville Area Community Hospital after the races for a possible broken nose and was well a potential arm injuries.

When the race was resumed, a four-car pileup in turn two brought out the red flag and halted the event. Tommie Estes, Jr., Stevie Smith, Bobby Davis, Jr. and Craig Dollansky all rode the tow hook to the pit area as a result.

Heat events went to Lasoski, Randy Hannagan, Sammy Swindell, Jeff Swindell and Brent Antill. Kinser claimed the B Feature and Lasoski was the victor of the dash.

410 Results

Time Trials (Qualifying Order): 1. 5, Johnny Herrera, Albuquerque, NM (46) 15.447; 2. 5m, Mark Kinser, Oolitic, IN (13) 15.532; 3. 55, Craig Dollansky, Elk River, MN (14) 15.587; 4. 47, Danny Lasoski, Dover, MO (40) 15.614; 5. 1BK, Don Droud Jr., Lincoln, NE (12) 15.654; 6. 10, Dave Blaney, Cortland, OH (23) 15.657; 7. 2, Andy Hillenburg, Broken Arrow, OK (7) 15.683; 8. 1, Sammy Swindell, Cordova, TN (51) 15.690; 9. 77, Joe Gaerte, Rochester, IN (19) 15.759; 10. 22, Jac Haudenschild, Wooster, OH (2) 15.788; 11. 7TW, Jeff Swindell, Memphis, TN (24) 15.791; 12. 8TW, Greg Hodnett, Memphis, TN (31) 15.806; 13. 4m, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (9) 15.852; 14. 97, Aaron Berryhill, Broken Arrow, OK (17) 15.855; 15. 1J, Brent Antill,

Huxley, IA (34) 15.860; 16. 51, Tommie Estes Jr., Tulsa, OK (45) 15.860; 17. 10V, Skip Jackson, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (39) 15.865; 18. 4, Bobby Davis Jr., Memphis, TN (11) 15.940; 19. D1, Marlon Jones, Sioux Falls, SD (4) 15.956; 20. 81, Jerry Richert Jr., Forest Lake, MN (47) 15.958; 21. 21L, Lance Blevins, Broken Arrow, OK (49) 15.972; 22. 1x, Randy Hannagan, San Jose, CA (25) 15.983; 23. 16L, Leonard Lee, Milo, IA (1) 15.992; 24. 56, Chris Walraven, Knoxville, IA (16) 16.005; 25. 24, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (26) 16.050; 26. 7, Kevin Doty, Milan, IL (6) 16.056; 27. 71m, Stevie Smith, New Oxford, PA (44) 16.078; 28. 12, Dennis Moore Jr., Grinnell, IA (50) 16.129; 29. 14m, Randy Martin, California, MO (37) 16.184; 30. X, Chuck Swenson, Watertown, SD (8) 16.227; 31. 86, John Kearney, Ozawkie, KS (43) 16.265; 32. 73, Tim Engler, Princeton, IN (32) 16.272; 33. 0, Randy Smith, Mount Ayr, IA (29) 16.296; 34. 5T, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (42) 16.340; 35. 02, Mike Reinke, Sheboygan, WI (15) 16.352; 36. 7A, Todd Taeger, Burlington, IA (3) 16.363; 37. 2m, Tony Moro, Des Moines, IA (30) 16.431; 38. 86T, Tod Bishop, Harrisburg, IL (27) 16.479; 39. 3Y, Danny Young, Des Moines, IA (10) 16.621; 40. 57c, Troy Parsons, Des Moines, IA (48) 16.691; 41. 14, Doran Doty, Des Moines, IA (38) 16.711; 42. 4G, Gus Wasson, Bloomdale, OH (36) 16.734; 43. 3B, Jeff Tuttle, West Des Moines, IA (5) 16.903; 44. 69, Mark Smyser, Lancaster, MO (18) 17.319; 45. 28W, Todd Wessels, Ellsworth, MN (41) 17.385; 46. 51J, Ryan Jamison, Burlington, IA (28) 17.597; 47. 22A, Eddie Leavitt Jr., Knoxville, IA (20) 17.666; 48. 1T, Terry Thomas, Knoxville, IA (22) 17.962; 49. 7s, Tim St. Arnold, Des Moines, IA (21) 18.027; 50. 11, Chris Maurer, Colfax, IA (33) 19.323; 8B, Bruce Williams, Pleasant Hill, IA (35) NT.

Heat one (started), 8 laps, 2:08.3 (NTR): 1. Jeff Swindell (4) 2. Lance Blevins (2) 3. Dave Blaney (5) 4. Johnny Herrera (6) / 5. Kevin Doty (1) 6. Todd Taeger (8) 7. Ryan Jamison (7) 8. Tommie Estes Jr. (3) DNS – John Kearney, Doran Doty, Bruce Williams

Heat two (started), 8 laps, 2:11.6: 1. Randy Hannagan (2) 2. Greg Hodnett (4) 3. Stevie Smith (1) 4. Andy Hillenburg (5) / 5. Mark Kinser (6) 6. Skip Jackson (3) 7. Tim Engler (7) 8. Gus Wasson (9) 9. Eddie Leavitt Jr. (10) 10. Tony Moro (8)

Heat three (started), 8 laps, 2:10.7: 1. Sammy Swindell (5) 2. Jaymie Moyle (4) 3. Dennis Moore Jr. (1) 4. Craig Dollansky (6) / 5. Tod Bishop (8) 6. Randy Smith (7) 7. Jeff Tuttle (9) 8. Bobby Davis Jr. (3) 9. Terry Thomas (10) 10. Leonard Lee (2)

Heat four (started), 8 laps, 2:11.1: 1. Danny Lasoski (6) 2. Aaron Berryhill (4) 3. Joe Gaerte (5) 4. Randy Martin (1) / 5. Marlon Jones (3) 6. Scott Whitworth (7) 7. Danny Young (8) 8. Mark Smyser (9) 9. Tim St. Arnold (10) 10. Chris Walraven (2)

Heat five (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Brent Antill (4) 2. Jerry Richert Jr. (3) 3. Don Droud Jr. (6) 4. Jac Haudenschild (5) / 5. Chuck Swenson (1) 6. Mike Reinke (7) 7. Troy Parsons (8) 8. Chris Maurer (10) 9. Todd Wessels (9) 10. Terry McCarl (2)

Vivarin Dash (started), 5 laps, 1:22.1: 1. Danny Lasoski (2) 2. Johnny Herrera (4) 3. Don Droud Jr. (1) 4. Sammy Swindell (7) 5. Craig Dollansky (3) 6. Andy Hillenburg (6) 7. Dave Blaney (5) 8. Joe Gaerte (8)

B main (started), 12 laps, 3:25.5: 1. Mark Kinser (4) 2. Bobby Davis Jr. (1) 3. Tommie Estes Jr. (3) 4. Skip Jackson (2) / 5. Marlon Jones (5) 6. Scott Whitworth (14) 7. Mike Reinke (13) 8. Tim Engler (12) 9. Tod Bishop (18) 10. Chuck Swenson (10) 11. Troy Parsons (17) 12. Todd Taeger (16) 13. Kevin Doty (7) 14. Leonard Lee (6) 15. Randy Smith (11) 16. Terry McCarl (8) 17. Danny Young (15) DNS – Chris Walraven, Tony Moro

A main (started), 20 laps, NT: 1. Danny Lasoski (1) 2. Dave Blaney (7) 3. Sammy Swindell (4) 4. Mark Kinser (9) 5. Johnny Herrera (2) 6. Joe Gaerte (8) 7. Jeff Swindell (11) 8. Don Droud Jr. (3) 9. Jac Haudenschild (10) 10. Lance Blevins (20) 11. Skip Jackson (17) 12. Aaron Berryhill (14) 13. Brent Antill (15)

14. Randy Hannagan (21) 15. Dennis Moore Jr. (23) 16. Randy Martin (24) 17. Jerry Richert Jr. (19) 18. Greg Hodnett (12) 19. Andy Hillenburg (6) 20. Jaymie Moyle (13) 21. Tommie Estes Jr. (16) 22. Stevie Smith (22) 23. Bobby Davis Jr. (18) 24. Craig Dollansky (5). **Lap Leader:** Lasoski 1-20.

4/29/95

Rain Cancels Knoxville WoO Race

by Bob Wilson

Knoxville, IA – The World of Outlaws (WoO) sprint car races scheduled for Saturday, April 29 at Knoxville Raceway have fallen victim to rain.

Showers hit the fairgrounds in the early evening, forcing the event to be postponed. The race had been the final show of a two-day WoO Spring Opener and has now been rescheduled for May 6.

5/6/95

Mark Kinser Sails at Knoxville

by Bob Wilson

It had been more than a year in coming for Mark Kinser, but the young Oolitic, Indiana driver has again claimed a feature at Knoxville Raceway during the World of Outlaws Spring Opener Saturday night.

Kinser, who was aboard the Karl Kinser Maxim, led the entire 25-lap distance from his row one starting position, only a yellow flag on the fourth circuit, enabled any cars to close on the fleet Kinser as he was able to pull away from his nearest competitor with ease.

Dave Blaney, who started along side Kinser, trailed in the runner-up position throughout the event. Even when they encountered lapped traffic on the seventh circuit, Blaney was unable to cut into the margin Kinser had established. By the tenth circuit the gap had grown to 50 yards as Kinser, Blaney and most of the front runners rode the high cushion on the half-mile oval.

Former Knoxville track champion Danny Lasoski grabbed a third place running position after he got by Sammy Swindell on the fourth lap restart. Lasoski was never able to close the gap on Blaney, although in the late running of the race he did make a run at him in lapped traffic.

For Kinser, the win marked his sixth career feature victory at Knoxville and he caught the checkered flags to win by nearly 100 yards, just as Blaney exited turn four. Lasoski dashed across the line shortly after the Blaney machine had done so, while Johnny Herrera was the highest finishing local car in fourth. Fifth went to Andy Hillenburg. Rounding out the top ten finishers were Jeff Swindell, Jac Haudenschild, Craig Dollansky and Sammy Swindell, who had faded to tenth.

Qualifying heat races went to Joe Gaerte, Jerry Richert, Jr., Herrera and Marlon Jones. John Kearney won the C Main and Brent Antill took the B Main.

Steve Breazeale won the feature event for Limited Sprints, the eighth of his career here. Larry Pinegar II was second, Jeff Haines claimed third and Eddie Leavitt, Jr. was fourth.

Forty-nine Outlaw Sprints and 39 Knoxville Limited Sprints comprised the field of cars for the evening. The event was run as a result of a rainout from the previous week.

410 Results

Time Trials (Qualifying Order): 1. 56, Chris Walraven, Knoxville, IA (1) 15.776; 2. 1J, Brent Antill, Huxley, IA (4) 15.881; 3. 5, Johnny Herrera, Albuquerque, NM (27) 15.992; 4. 55, Craig Dollansky, Elk River, MN (9) 15.925; 5. 24, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (5) 15.990; 6. 2, Andy Hillenburg, Broken Arrow, OK (18) 15.995; 7. 7TW, Jeff Swindell, Memphis, TN (31) 16.007; 8. 10V, Skip Jackson, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (8) 16.015; 9. 77, Joe Gaerte, Rochester, IN (32) 16.088; 10. 81, Jerry Richert Jr., Forest Lake, MN (21) 16.126; 11. 73, Tim Engler, Princeton, IN (7) 16.155; 12. 45, Ray Lipsey, Lincoln, NE (23) 16.185; 13. 7, Ryan Jamison, Burlington, IA (30) 16.207; 14. 1BK, Don Droud Jr., Lincoln, NE (16) 16.215; 15. 22, Jac Haudenschild, Wooster, OH (17) 16.240; 16. D1, Marlon Jones, Sioux Falls, SD (36) 16.276; 17. 97m, Chad Mellenberndt, Sioux Falls, SD (22) 16.279; 18. 9, Gary Wright, Hooks, TX (25) 16.279; 19. 12, Dennis Moore Jr., Grinnell, IA (3) 16.285; 20. 71m, Stevie Smith, New Oxford, PA (45) 16.286; 21. 45x, Rickey Hood, Memphis, TN (20) 16.287; 22. 8TW, Greg Hodnett, Memphis, TN (26) 16.288; 23. 1x, Randy Hannagan, San Jose, CA (12) 16.337; 24. 02, Mike Reinke, Sheboygan, WI (6) 16.396; 25. 3Y, Danny Young, Des Moines, IA (37) 16.403; 26. 86T, Tod Bishop, Harrisburg, IL (13) 16.426; 27. 97, Aaron Berryhill, Broken Arrow, OK (41) 16.431; 28. 12\$, Shane Carson, Oklahoma City, OK (24) 16.432; 29. 4m, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (40) 16.433; 30. 8, Butch Hanssen, Sioux Falls, SD (10) 16.462; 31. 51, Tommie Estes Jr., Tulsa, OK (42) 16.491; 32. 5T, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (2) 16.502; 33. 0, Randy Smith, Mount Ayr, IA (34) 16.514; 34. X, Chuck Swenson, Watertown, SD (15) 16.620; 35. 86, John Kearney, Ozawkie, KS (38) 16.662; 36. 3B, Jeff Tuttle, West Des Moines, IA (33) 16.632; 37. 14m, Randy Martin, California, MO (44) 16.635; 38. 7H, John Hall, Marion, IA (29) 16.897; 39. 14, Doran Doty, Des Moines, IA (39) 16.915; 40. 71, Manny Rockhold, Pekin, IL (43) 16.935; 41. 69, Mark Smyser, Lancaster, MO (14) 17.051; 42. 57c, Troy Parsons, Altoona, IA (28) 17.159; 43. 15, Bobby Mincer, Burlington, IA (35) 44. 16L, Leonard Lee, Milo, IA (11) NT; 45. 21, Steve Beitler, Sedro Woolley, WA (19) NT; **Locked in from 4/29/95 Prelim:** 47, Danny Lasoski, Dover, MO; 10, Dave Blaney, Cortland, OH; 1, Sammy Swindell, Cordova, TN; 5m, Mark Kinser, Oolitic, IN.

Heat one (started), 8 laps, 2:13.1: 1. Joe Gaerte (2) 2. Ryan Jamison (1) 3. Chad Mellenberndt (5) 4. Rickey Hood (6) / 5. Jaymie Moyle (8) 6. Randy Martin (10) 7. Chris Walraven (4) 8. Danny Young (7) 9. Mark Smyser (11) 10. Randy Smith (9) 11. Terry McCarl (3) DNS – Leonard Lee

Heat two (started), 8 laps, 2:15.5: 1. Jerry Richert Jr. (2) 2. Don Droud Jr. (1) 3. Andy Hillenburg (3) 4. Greg Hodnett (6) / 5. Gary Wright (5) 6. Brent Antill (4) 7. Tod Bishop (7) 8. Butch Hanssen (8) 9. Chuck Swenson (9) 10. Troy Parsons (11) 11. John Hall (10)

Heat three (started), 8 laps, 2:16.4: 1. Johnny Herrera (4) 2. Jac Haudenschild (1) 3. Jeff Swindell (3) 4. Randy Hannagan (6) / 5. Tim Engler (2) 6. Aaron Berryhill (7) 7. Tommie Estes Jr. (8) 8. John Kearney (9) 9. Dennis Moore Jr. (5) 10. Bobby Mincer (11) 11. Doran Doty (10)

Heat four (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Marlon Jones (1) 2. Stevie Smith (5) 3. Mike Reinke (6) 4. Craig Dollansky (4) / 5. Jeff Tuttle (9) 6. Scott Whitworth (8) 7. Manny Rockhold (10) 8. Ray Lipsey (2) 9. Shane Carson (7) DQ – Skip Jackson (3, muffler) DNS – Steve Beitler

Dash (started), 5 laps, 1:25.1: 1. Dave Blaney (2) 2. Mark Kinser (4) 3. Danny Lasoski (1) 4. Sammy Swindell (3) 5. Johnny Herrera (5) 6. Craig Dollansky (6)

C main (started), 8 laps, 2:23.7: 1. John Kearney (1) 2. Jeff Tuttle (2) 3. Randy Martin (3) / 4. Manny Rockhold (6) 5. Doran Doty (5) 6. Troy Parsons (8) 7. Bobby Mincer (9) 8. John Hall (4) 9. Mark Smyser (7) 10. Steve Beitler (10) DNS – Leonard Lee

B main (started), 12 laps, NT: 1. Brent Antill (3) 2. Gary Wright (7) 3. Skip Jackson (1) 4. Chris Walraven (4) / 5. Tim Engler (5) 6. Tod Bishop (8) 7. Shane Carson (10) 8. Aaron Berryhill (11) 9. Dennis Moore Jr. (6) 10.

John Kearney (17) 11. Jeff Tuttle (18) 12. Butch Hanssen (12) 13. Chuck Swenson (16) 14. Tommie Estes Jr. (15) 15. Jaymie Moyle (13) 16. Danny Young (9) 17. Randy Martin (19) 18. Scott Whitworth (14) 19. Terry McCarl (2) DNS – Ray Lipsey, Randy Smith

A main (started), 25 laps, NT: 1. Mark Kinser (2) 2. Dave Blaney (1) 3. Danny Lasoski (3) 4. Johnny Herrera (5) 5. Andy Hillenburg (8) 6. Jeff Swindell (9) 7. Jac Haudenschild (14) 8. Craig Dollansky (6) 9. Joe Gaerte (10) 10. Sammy Swindell (4) 11. Greg Hodnett (20) 12. Stevie Smith (18) 13. Brent Antill (7) 14. Jerry Richert Jr. (11) 15. Don Droud Jr. (13) 16. Rickey Hood (19) 17. Gary Wright (17) 18. Skip Jackson (23) 19. Ryan Jamison (12) 20. Randy Hannagan (21) 21. Marlon Jones (15) 22. Chad Mellenberndt (16) 23. Mike Reinke (22) 24. Chris Walraven (24). **Lap Leader:** M. Kinser 1-25.

360 Results

Heat one (started), 6 laps, 1:48.6: 1. 26, Lee Nelson, Ankeny, IA (1) 2. 23, Ed Rotert, Mount Ayr, IA (2) 3. 16H, Jeff Haines, Oskaloosa, IA (5) 4. 18, Bruce Drottz, Des Moines, IA (3) / 5. 41, Virgil Brandt, Des Moines, IA (7) 6. 7x, Keith Hutton, Brisbane, QLD, Aust. (8) 7. 53, Bob Anderson, Burlington, IA (9) 8. 29m, Adam Mason, Knoxville, IA (10) 9. 1, Terry Thomas, Knoxville, IA (6) 10. 27T, Chris Tice, Lynnville, IA (4)

Heat two (started), 6 laps, 1:49.8: 1. 11L, Larry Pinegar II, Des Moines, IA (3) 2. 12x, Jerry Crabb, Des Moines, IA (2) 3. 10, Mike Trent, Columbia, MO (1) 4. 80, Duane Van Heukelom, Colfax, IA (4) / 5. 5G, Brett Golik, Newton, IA (5) 6. 8B, Bruce Williams, Pleasant Hill, IA (8) 7. 11, Archie Ergenbright, Newton, IA (6) 8. 80x, Mike Houseman, Des Moines, IA (7) DNS – 20, Mark Wilson, Des Moines, IA, 41B, Nick Bellino, Papillion, NE

Heat three (started), 6 laps, 1:48.8: 1. 16, Kenny Williams, Blakesburg, IA (1) 2. 8L, Tom Lenz, Strawberry Point, IA (2) 3. 22, Eddie Leavitt Jr., Knoxville, IA (3) 4. 7, Billy Engelhart, Madison, WI (8) / 5. 48, Bob Thompson, Des Moines, IA (5) 6. 25, Mike McClure, Cincinnati, IA (7) 7. 9H, Ed Ergenbright, Newton, IA (4) 8. 00, Larry Weeks, Montezuma, IA (6) 9. 98, Dave Anderson, Burlington, IA (9)

Heat four (started), 6 laps, 1:52.0: 1. 57, Steve Breazeale, Pleasantville, IA (7) 2. 34, Tim Deaver, Knoxville, IA (4) 3. 77, Terry Alexander, Knoxville, IA (1) 4. 41s, Kent Severson, Omaha, NE (2) / 5. 88, Tim Holzworth, Valeria, IA (6) 6. 7s, Tim St. Arnold, Des Moines, IA (8) 7. 71, Brad Peltz, Humboldt, IA (3) 8. 82, Dave Van Heukelom, Pella, IA (5) 9. 9, Jim Strobel, Sigourney, IA (9)

B main (started), 10 laps, NT: 1. Virgil Brandt (1) 2. Bob Thompson (3) 3. Bruce Williams (6) 4. Brett Golik (2) / 5. Tim Holzworth (4) 6. Keith Hutton (5) 7. Mike Houseman (14) 8. Archie Ergenbright (10) 9. Dave Van Heukelom (16) 10. Larry Weeks (15) 11. Chris Tice (18) 12. Bob Anderson (9) 13. Brad Peltz (12) 14. Adam Mason (13) 15. Terry Thomas (17) 16. Mike McClure (7) 17. Tim St. Arnold (8) 18. Ed Ergenbright (11) DNS – Dave Anderson, Nick Bellino, Mark Wilson, Jim Strobel

A main (started), 15 laps, NT: 1. Steve Breazeale (9) 2. Larry Pinegar II (11) 3. Jeff Haines (4) 4. Eddie Leavitt Jr. (2) 5. Tom Lenz (6) 6. Mike Trent (3) 7. Kenny Williams (10) 8. Lee Nelson (12) 9. Bruce Drottz (13) 10. Billy Engelhart (15) 11. Virgil Brandt (17) 12. Brett Golik (20) 13. Tim Deaver (5) 14. Jerry Crabb (7) 15. Bruce Williams (19) 16. Bob Thompson (18) 17. Kent Severson (16) 18. Ed Rotert (8) 19. Duane Van Heukelom (14) 20. Terry Alexander (1). **Lap Leaders:** T. Alexander 1-4, Haines 5-6, Breazeale 7-15.

5/13/95

Dollansky is a First-time Winner at Knoxville
by Bob Wilson

He had been in the car for less than a year, but the short term proved to be no handicap for Craig Dollansky as he captured his initial feature event win Saturday night at Knoxville Raceway.

Dollansky, a front row starter, grabbed the lead position when the 10-mile sprint began and never relinquished that spot throughout the race. Danny Young chased the Dollansky machine in the early going, but could not keep pace over the half-mile oval. As the field of cars began passing through lapped traffic on the seventh circuit, Dollansky had built a fifty-yard margin on the second place car.

It was at this point that Johnny Herrera and Jerry Richert, Jr. provided the fireworks as each began moving forward from his mid-pack position. Herrera was passing nearly one car per lap and Richert was doing the same just behind him. The only question was whether either driver had enough to catch the Dollansky Sprinter.

Laps 14 and 16 saw the race halted for red flag situations, but each time the event was restarted, Dollansky utilized his point position to pull away to a comfortable margin. In the end, it was Dollansky taking the checkered in his J&J Sprinter for the Serace, Inc. race team as second place Herrera exited turn four and Richert was a close third. Fourth place Terry McCarl drove a gutsy race having undergone surgery on a broken hand in recent days. Early challenger Young finished fifth. Rounding out the top ten were Ryan Jamison, Skip Jackson, Randy Martin, Steve Beitler and John Kearney.

Steve Breazeale took his second feature event in a row for Limited Sprints. Larry Pinegar II was second, Lee Nelson finished third and Bruce Williams claimed fourth.

Twenty-nine 410 Sprints and 35 Knoxville 360 Sprints comprised the field of cars for the evening.

410 Results

Time Trials (Qualifying Order): 1. 24, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (14) 16.130; 2. 21, Steve Beitler, Sedro Woolley, WA (4) 16.203; 3. 56, Chris Walraven, Knoxville, IA (21) 16.352; 4. 5, Johnny Herrera, Tempe, AZ (9) 16.361; 5. 14m, Randy Martin, California, MO (2) 16.464; 6. 1, Brent Antill, Huxley, IA (8) 16.464; 7. 1BK, Don Droud Jr., Lincoln, NE (24) 16.511; 8. 6m, Tim Monson, Lakefield, MN (16) 16.546; 9. 3Y, Danny Young, Des Moines, IA (27) 16.560; 10. 14, Doran Doty, Des Moines, IA (3) 16.568; 11. 55, Craig Dollansky, Elk River, MN (29) 16.571; 12. D1, Marlon Jones, Sioux Falls, SD (18) 16.574; 13. 7, Ryan Jamison, Burlington, IA (5) 16.586; 14. 10, Skip Jackson, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (17) 16.587; 15. 86, John Kearney, Ozawkie, KS (19) 16.613; 16. 4, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (13) 16.629; 17. 97, Chad Mellenberndt, Sioux Falls, SD (23) 16.658; 18. 81, Jerry Richert Jr., Forest Lake, MN (22) 16.755; 19. 16L, Leonard Lee, Milo, IA (6) 16.809; 20. 3B, Jeff Tuttle, West Des Moines, IA (11) 16.815; 21. 71, Manny Rockhold, Pekin, IL (10) 16.827; 22. 0, Randy Smith, Mount Ayr, IA (7) 16.845; 23. 12, Dennis Moore Jr., Grinnell, IA (20) 16.899; 24. 5T, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (12) 16.960; 25. 2m, Tony Moro, Des Moines, IA (28) 17.047; 26. 15, Bobby Mincer, Burlington, IA (1) 17.336; 27. 86T, Tod Bishop, Harrisburg, IL (15) 17.338; 28. 69, Mark Smyser, Lancaster, MO (25) 17.494; 29. 57c, Troy Parsons, Altoona, IA (26) 17.564.

Heat one (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Randy Smith (1) 2. Johnny Herrera (7) 3. Leonard Lee (2) 4. Terry McCarl (8) 5. Ryan Jamison (4) 6. Doran Doty (5) / 7. Tony Moro (9) 8. Mark Smyser (10) 9. Jaymie Moyle (3) 10. Don Droud Jr. (6)

Heat two (started), 8 laps, 2:20.1: 1. Dennis Moore Jr. (1) 2. Jeff Tuttle (2) 3. Skip Jackson (4) 4. Craig Dollansky (5) 5. Chad Mellenberndt (3) 6. Randy Martin (7) / 7. Tim Monson (6) 8. Steve Beitler (8) 9. Troy Parsons (10) 10. Bobby Mincer (9)

Heat three (started), 8 laps, 2:20.5: 1. John Kearney (4) 2. Jerry Richert Jr. (3) 3. Scott Whitworth (1) 4. Manny Rockhold (2) 5. Brent Antill (7) 6. Danny Young (6) / 7. Marlon Jones (5) 8. Tod Bishop (9) 9. Chris Walraven (8)

B main (started), 12 laps, NT: 1. Chris Walraven (2) 2. Steve Beitler (1) 3. Marlon Jones (4) / 4. Tim Monson (3) 5. Tod Bishop (9) 6. Tony Moro (5) 7. Troy Parsons (11) 8. Bobby Mincer (6) 9. Jaymie Moyle (8) 10. Mark Smyser (10) 11. Don Droud Jr. (7)

A main (started), 20 laps, NT: 1. Craig Dollansky (2) 2. Johnny Herrera (7) 3. Jerry Richert Jr. (12) 4. Terry McCarl (8) 5. Danny Young (4) 6. Ryan Jamison (1) 7. Skip Jackson (9) 8. Randy Martin (6) 9. Steve Beitler (20) 10. John Kearney (10) 11. Leonard Lee (11) 12. Doran Doty (3) 13. Manny Rockhold (13) 14. Marlon Jones (19) 15. Jeff Tuttle (14) 16. Chris Walraven (17) 17. Dennis Moore Jr. (15) 18. Randy Smith (16) 19. Brent Antill (5) 20. Scott Whitworth (18) DNS – Chad Mellenberndt. **Lap Leader:** Dollansky 1-20.

360 Results

Heat one (started), 6 laps, 1:47.0: 1. 22, Eddie Leavitt Jr., Knoxville, IA (1) 2. 57, Steve Breazeale, Pleasantville, IA (4) 3. 41s, Kent Severson, Omaha, NE (3) 4. 16H, Jeff Haines, Oskaloosa, IA (5) / 5. 80, Duane Van Heukelom, Colfax, IA (7) 6. 11, Archie Ergenbright, Newton, IA (6) 7. 1, Terry Thomas, Knoxville, IA (9) 8. 10, Mike Trent, Columbia, MO (2) 9. 71B, Robert Bell, Colfax, IA (8)

Heat two (started), 6 laps, 1:51.5: 1. 48, Bob Thompson, Des Moines, IA (1) 2. 23, Ed Rotert, Mount Ayr, IA (5) 3. 16, Kenny Williams, Blakesburg, IA (4) 4. 20, Mark Wilson, Des Moines, IA (8) / 5. 34, Tim Deaver, Knoxville, IA (7) 6. 27T, Chris Tice, Lynnville, IA (3) 7. 3Y, Lloyd Beckman, Lincoln, NE (2) 8. 93, Chris Mallicoat, Boone, IA (6) 9. 29m, Eric Mason, Knoxville, IA (9)

Heat three (started), 6 laps, 1:48.0: 1. 11L, Larry Pinegar II, Des Moines, IA (2) 2. 41, Virgil Brandt, Des Moines, IA (1) 3. 18, Bruce Drottz, Des Moines, IA (6) 4. 7s, Tim St. Arnold, Des Moines, IA (4) / 5. 24, Bruce Divis, Lincoln, NE (7) 6. 7x, Keith Hutton, Brisbane, QLD, Aust. (8) 7. 80x, Mike Houseman, Des Moines, IA (9) 8. 82, Dave Van Heukelom, Pella, IA (3) 9. 8L, Tom Lenz, Strawberry Point, IA (5)

Heat four (started), 6 laps, 1:52.6: 1. 88, Tim Holzworth, Valeria, IA (1) 2. 26, Lee Nelson, Ankeny, IA (6) 3. 5G, Brett Golik, Newton, IA (3) 4. 8B, Bruce Williams, Pleasant Hill, IA (5) / 5. 4, Steve Wares, Knoxville, IA (7) 6. 00, Larry Weeks, Montezuma, IA (2) 7. 9H, Ed Ergenbright, Newton, IA (4) DNS – 12x, Jerry Crabb, Des Moines, IA

B main (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Duane Van Heukelom (1) 2. Tim Deaver (2) 3. Bruce Divis (3) 4. Keith Hutton (7) 5. Larry Weeks (8) / 6. Dave Van Heukelom (13) 7. Lloyd Beckman (10) 8. Chris Tice (6) 9. Chris Mallicoat (14) 10. Terry Thomas (9) 11. Steve Wares (4) 12. Mike Houseman (11) 13. Tom Lenz (16) 14. Archie Ergenbright (5) 15. Eric Mason (15) 16. Ed Ergenbright (12) DNS – Mike Trent, Robert Bell, Jerry Crabb

A main (started), 15 laps, NT: 1. Steve Breazeale (4) 2. Larry Pinegar II (6) 3. Lee Nelson (1) 4. Bruce Williams (16) 5. Duane Van Heukelom (17) 6. Bruce Drottz (11) 7. Brett Golik (12) 8. Eddie Leavitt Jr. (8) 9. Bob Thompson (7) 10. Virgil Brandt (2) 11. Tim Deaver (18) 12. Kent Severson (9) 13. Ed Rotert (3) 14. Larry Weeks (17) 15. Tim Holzworth (5) 16. Tim St. Arnold (15) 17. Mark Wilson (14) 18. Bruce Williams (16) 19. Bruce Divis (19) 20. Jeff Haines (13) DNS – Keith Hutton. **Lap Leaders:** Nelson 1-2, Breazeale 3-15.

5/20/95

Herrera is Fifth Different Knoxville Winner

by Bob Wilson

Johnny Herrera became the fifth different driver in five weeks to capture a feature event as he guided the Forbrook-Cole Schnee to a 20-lap win at Knoxville Raceway Saturday night.

Herrera, a second row starter, chased Jeff Tuttle through the half-way point of the event steadily gaining ground on the Tuttle machine, Going into turn four of the tenth circuit Herrera dove beneath Tuttle and secured the top spot as he charged down the front chute.

With the top spot no longer in doubt all eyes turned to the charge of the previous week's winner, Craig Dollansky, who had started dead last in the 20-car field. At the point of the Herrera pass for the lead, Dollansky had picked off over half of the field. Each ensuing lap saw Dollansky made heart-stopping moves on the hard slick surface of the half-mile oval reminiscent of those of a young Doug Wolfgang.

A yellow flag on lap 16 forced the field of cars into a single file restart and Dollansky was only able to advance one more spot to the end of the race as Herrera came across the stripe for his third career win at the Marion County Fairgrounds. Fifth row starter Skip Jackson placed second, followed by Dollansky and Marlon Jones. Jerry Richert, Jr. was nearly as spectacular as Dollansky as he restarted from the tail on lap five to take fifth. Rounding out the top ten finishers were Brent Antill, Tuttle, Randy Smith, Danny Young and Dennis Moore, Jr.

Larry Pinegar II caught and passed Bruce Williams on lap eight to record his second 360 sprint feature win of the season. Last week's winner Steve Breazeale was second. Williams claimed third and Billy Engelhart took fourth.

Thirty-two 410 sprints and 34 Knoxville 360 sprints comprised the field of cars for the evening with drivers from 11 states and Australia.

410 Results

Time Trials (Qualifying Order): 1. 24, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (22) 16.047; 2. 51, Tommie Estes Jr., Tulsa, OK (13) 16.100; 3. 1, Brent Antill, Huxley, IA (6) 16.101; 4. 55, Craig Dollansky, Elk River, MN (24) 16.151; 5. D1, Marlon Jones, Sioux Falls, SD (14) 16.175; 6. 56, Chris Walraven, Knoxville, IA (4) 16.220; 7. 0, Randy Smith, Mount Ayr, IA (21) 16.289; 8. 5, Johnny Herrera, Tempe, AZ (23) 16.292; 9. 3B, Jeff Tuttle, West Des Moines, IA (15) 16.341; 10. 02, Mike Reinke, Sheboygan, WI (2) 16.372; 11. 86, John Kearney, Ozawkie, KS (17) 16.375; 12. 4, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (9) 16.376; 13. 3Y, Danny Young, Des Moines, IA (30) 16.380; 14. 10, Skip Jackson, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (19) 16.381; 15. Jerry Richert Jr., Forest Lake, MN (25) 16.390; 16. 6m, Tim Monson, Lakefield, MN (31) 16.421; 17. 16L, Leonard Lee, Milo, IA (5) 16.462; 18. 21, Steve Beitler, Sedro Woolley, WA (16) 16.464; 19. 2m, Tony Moro, Des Moines, IA (32) 16.511; 20. 14, Doran Doty, Des Moines, IA (29) 16.543; 21. 12, Dennis Moore Jr., Grinnell, IA (10) 16.553; 22. 7, Ryan Jamison, Burlington, IA (7) 16.615; 23. 5T, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (3) 16.643; 24. 14m, Randy Martin, California, MO (12) 16.649; 25. 86T, Tod Bishop, Harrisburg, IL (1) 16.696; 26. 7H, John Hall, Marion, IA (11) 16.733; 27. 16x, Dean Chadd, Lincoln, NE (20) 16.813; 28. 7A, Todd Taeger, Burlington, IA (27) 16.952; 29. 71, Manny Rockhold, Pekin, IL (8) 16.968; 30. 69, Mark Smyser, Lancaster, MO (28) 17.247; 31. 62, Rod Holliday, Springfield, IL (18) NT; 32. 76, Mackie Heimbaugh, Des Moines, IA (26) NT.

Heat one (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Danny Young (4) 2. Ryan Jamison (1) 3. Tim Monson (3) 4. Tony Moro (2) 5. Randy Smith (6) 6. Tod Bishop (9) / 7. Todd Taeger (10) 8. Terry McCarl (8) 9. Craig Dollansky (7) 10. Mike Reinke (5) DNS – Mackie Heimbaugh

Heat two (started), 8 laps, 2:15.3: 1. Skip Jackson (4) 2. Johnny Herrera (6) 3. Scott Whitworth (1) 4. Leonard Lee (3) 5. John Kearney (5) 6. Marlon Jones (7) / 7. Tommie Estes Jr. (8) 8. Manny Rockhold (10) 9. John Hall (9) 10. Doran Doty (2) DNS – Rod Holliday

Heat three (started), 8 laps, 2:21.5: 1. Dennis Moore Jr. (2) 2. Jerry Richert Jr. (4) 3. Jeff Tuttle (6) 4. Steve Beitler (3) 5. Jaymie Moyle (5) 6. Brent Antill (8) / 7. Chris Walraven (7) 8. Dean Chadd (9) 9. Mark Smyser (10) 10. Randy Martin (1)

B main (started), 10 laps, NT: 1. Tommie Estes Jr. (1) 2. Chris Walraven (2) 3. Craig Dollansky (8) / 4. Terry McCarl (7) 5. Dean Chadd (4) 6. Manny Rockhold (6) 7. Mike Reinke (9) 8. Mark Smyser (10) 9. Todd Taeger (5) 10. John Hall (3) DNS – Doran Doty, Randy Martin, Mackie Heimbaugh, Rod Holliday

A main (started), 20 laps, NT: 1. Johnny Herrera (3) 2. Skip Jackson (9) 3. Craig Dollansky (19) 4. Marlon Jones (5) 5. Jerry Richert Jr. (10) 6. Brent Antill (6) 7. Jeff Tuttle (2) 8. Randy Smith (4) 9. Danny Young (8) 10. Dennis Moore Jr. (13) 11. Tim Monson (11) 12. Ryan Jamison (16) 13. Jaymie Moyle (7) 14. Tommie Estes Jr. (17) 15. Scott Whitworth (15) 16. Tod Bishop (18) 17. Leonard Lee (12) 18. Chris Walraven (20) 19. Tony Moro (14) 20. John Kearney (1) DNS – Steve Beitler. **Lap Leaders:** Tuttle 1-9, Herrera 10-20.

360 Results

Heat one (started), 6 laps, 1:47.0: 1. 57, Steve Breazeale, Pleasantville, IA (2) 2. 11L, Larry Pinegar II, Des Moines, IA (5) 3. 82, Dave Van Heukelom, Pella, IA (1) 4. 48, Bob Thompson, Des Moines, IA (10) 5. 41s, Kent Severson, Omaha, NE (4) 6. 00, Larry Weeks, Montezuma, IA (6) / 7. 80, Duane Van Heukelom, Colfax, IA (9) 8. 4, Steve Wares, Knoxville, IA (8) 9. 1, Terry Thomas, Knoxville, IA (7) 10. 29m, Adam Mason, Knoxville, IA (12) 11. 41B, Nick Bellino, Papillion, NE (11) 12. 34, Tim Deaver, Knoxville, IA (3)

Heat two (started), 6 laps, NT: 1. 16, Kenny Williams, Blakesburg, IA (1) 2. 16H, Jeff Haines, Oskaloosa, IA (3) 3. 5G, Brett Golik, Newton, IA (6) 4. 18, Bruce Drottz, Des Moines, IA (10) 5. 52, Walt Esch, Des Moines, IA (4) 6. 26, Lee Nelson, Ankeny, IA (9) / 7. 22, Eddie Leavitt Jr., Knoxville, IA (7) 8. 88, Tim Holzworth, Valeria, IA (5) 9. 23, Ed Rotert, Mount Ayr, IA (8) 10. 27T, Chris Tice, Lynnville, IA (2) 11. 9, Jim Strobel, Sigourney, IA (11)

Heat three (started), 6 laps, 1:48.1: 1. 41, Virgil Brandt, Des Moines, IA (2) 2. 8B, Bruce Williams, Pleasant Hill, IA (1) 3. 7, Billy Engelhart, Madison, WI (3) 4. 11, Archie Ergenbright, Newton, IA (4) 5. 12x, Jerry Crabb, Des Moines, IA (5) 6. 8L, Tom Lenz, Strawberry Point, IA (7) / 7. 7x, Terry Alexander, Knoxville, IA (6) 8. 3Y, Lloyd Beckman, Lincoln, NE (9) 9. 80x, Mike Houseman, Des Moines, IA (11) 10. 71, Brad Peltz, Humboldt, IA (10) 11. 9H, Ed Ergenbright, Newton, IA (8)

B main (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Duane Van Heukelom (1) 2. Eddie Leavitt Jr. (2) / 3. Steve Wares (4) 4. Mike Houseman (8) 5. Ed Rotert (13) 6. Terry Thomas (5) 7. Lloyd Beckman (6) 8. Tim Deaver (11) 9. Adam Mason (7) 10. Nick Bellino (9) 11. Ed Ergenbright (12) 12. Terry Alexander (3) 13. Brad Peltz (10) DNS – Tim Holzworth, Chris Tice, Jim Strobel

A main (started), 15 laps, NT: 1. Larry Pinegar II (3) 2. Steve Breazeale (6) 3. Bruce Williams (1) 4. Billy Engelhart (9) 5. Kenny Williams (5) 6. Bob Thompson (10) 7. Bruce Drottz (11) 8. Virgil Brandt (4) 9. Duane Van Heukelom (19) 10. Tom Lenz (18) 11. Archie Ergenbright (12) 12. Brett Golik (8) 13. Lee Nelson (17) 14. Jerry Crabb (15) 15. Walt Esch (14) 16. Dave Van Heukelom (7) 17. Jeff Haines (2) 18. Eddie Leavitt Jr. (20) 19. Kent Severson (13) 20. Larry Weeks (16). **Lap Leaders:** B. Williams 1-7, Pinegar 8-15.

5/27/95

Rain

6/3/95

Herrera Takes All Star Knoxville Stop

by Bob Wilson

History was made at Knoxville Raceway Saturday night as Johnny Herrera won the first ever Club All Star Circuit of Champions feature event. However he needed a bit of luck in the waning laps of the race in order to claim the \$4,000 paycheck.

The race looked to be in the grip of pole sitter Jerry Richert Jr. as the Minnesota pilot jumped to the front at the start and set sail on the half-mile oval. Lap after lap saw Richert steadily pull away from the pack and even after entering lapped traffic on the eighth circuit he continued to put additional distance between himself and second place runner, Terry McCarl.

Most eyes were glued to the McCarl-Herrera duel as that twosome fought for the runner-up spot lap after lap. But, by the 15th circuit, it was obvious that something was going wrong with the Richert machine as McCarl and Herrera had closed the huge margin to a matter of a few yards.

What had gone wrong was that the nose wing on the Richert sprinter had somehow become askew, creating severe handling problems. Herrera, who had made a pass of McCarl began running nose to tail with Richert but was unable to make a pass. Only later was it revealed that the winning Schnee chassis had lost its brakes in the early going, giving Herrera more than he wanted to handle in the 25-lap event.

On the 20th tour of the oval, Herrera made a dive for the lead as he passed Richert on the low side in turns three and four and held that spot to claim the win for owners Guy Forbrook and Al Cole. McCarl came across the strip for second, and the hapless Richert took third. All Star points leader Dale Blaney was fourth, and Dennis Moore Jr., finished fifth. Rounding out the top ten finishers were Don Droud, Jr., Keith Kauffman, Frankie Kerr, Jeff Tuttle and Randy Smith.

Qualifying heats went to Kenny Jacobs, John Kearney, Droud, Steve Beitler and Jaymie Moyle. Chris Walraven won the C Main, McCarl was victorious in the B Main as well as the dash.

Larry Pinegar II claimed his third Knoxville 360 sprint feature event of the season as he led the distance in the companion division. Jeff Haines, Terry Alexander, Billy Engelhart and Bruce Williams completed the top five finishers.

A lengthy delay was endured before the feature event was one lap old as first one yellow, then two red flags stopped the proceedings. Fifty-three 410 sprints and 38 Knoxville limited sprints competed on the evening.

410 Results

Time Trials (Qualifying Order): 1. 56, Chris Walraven, Knoxville, IA (6) 15.822; 2. 94, Dale Blaney, Fowler, OH (3) 15.885; 3. 24, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (41) 16.038; 4. 77w, Joey Saldana, Brownsburg, IN (50) 16.040; 5. 98, George Austin III, Raytown, MO (10) 16.061; 6. 5T, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (5) 16.087; 7. J1, Marlon Jones, Sioux Falls, SD (19) 16.089; 8. 12, Dennis Moore Jr., Grinnell, IA (2) 16.140; 9. 81, Jerry Richert Jr., Forest Lake, MN (13) 16.142; 10. 23s, Frankie Kerr, Fremont, OH (15) 16.146; 11. 1, Brent Antill, Huxley, IA (9) 16.173; 12. 5, Johnny Herrera, Tempe, AZ (49) 16.287; 13. 1BK, Don Droud Jr., Lincoln, NE (44) 16.293; 14. 21, Steve Beitler, Sedro Woolley, WA (24) 16.298; 15. 3B, Jeff Tuttle, West Des Moines, IA (8) 16.308; 16. 55, Craig Dollansky, Elk River, MN (36) 16.330; 17. 1w, Keith Kauffman,

Mifflintown, PA (4) 16.354; 18. 86T, Tod Bishop, Harrisburg, IL (18) 16.386; 19. 3, Daniel Coggeshell, Milo, IA (20) 16.373; 20. 55x, Randy Wolfe, Mechanicsburg, PA (21) 16.375; 21. U2, Kenny Jacobs, Holmesville, OH (39) 16.375; 22. 86, John Kearney, Ozawkie, KS (40) 16.409; 23. 0, Randy Smith, Mount Ayr, IA (34) 16.418; 24. 10, Skip Jackson, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (47) 16.441; 25. 4, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (26) 16.460; 26. 2, Donny Crawford, Tulsa, OK (12) 16.502; 27. 8H, Todd Kane, Delaware, OH (25) 16.502; 28. 7, Danny Young, Des Moines, IA (33) 16.518; 29. 2x, Shawn Moore, Moline, IL (14) 16.529; 30. 1K, Tony Moro, Des Moines, IA (28) 16.535; 31. 02, Mike Reinke, Sheboygan, WI (23) 16.536; 32. 25, Chad Radel, Sioux Falls, SD (11) 16.544; 33. 5R, Byron Reed, Monclova, OH (29) 16.602; 34. 51J, Ryan Jamison, Burlington, IA (27) 16.619; 35. 19, Bob Weuve, Newton, IA (17) 16.657; 36. D1, Dan Oswalt, Iola, KS (37) 16.711; 37. 00, Danny Smith, Danville, IN (53) 16.720; 38. 69, Mark Smyser, Lancaster, MO (22) 16.729; 39. 62, Rod Holliday, Springfield, IL (32) 16.734; 40. 6m, Tim Monson, Lakefield, MN (38) 17.744; 41. 16L, Leonard Lee, Milo, IA (45) 16.820; 42. 71, Manny Rockhold, Pekin, IL (42) 16.957; 43. 14m, Randy Martin, California, MO (1) 16.984; 44. 24x, Randy Hammer, Fremont, OH (31) 16.988; 45. 6, Terry LoSasso, Broomfield, CO (30) 17.088; 46. 57c, Troy Parsons, Altoona, IA (51) 17.126; 47. 7H, John Hall, Marion, IA (35) 17.135; 48. 7A, Todd Taeger, Burlington, IA (43) 17.251; 49. 68, Mike Lutz, Hermitage, PA (7) 17.338; 50. 60, Tim Norman, Warsaw, IN (52) 17.363; 51. 2H, Wayne Redmond, Fort Dodge, IA (48) 17.443; 52. 76, Mackie Heimbaugh, Des Moines, IA (16) 17.824; 53. 14, Doran Doty, Des Moines, IA (46) 20.410.

Heat one (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Kenny Jacobs (2) 2. Craig Dollansky (3) 3. Brent Antill (4) 4. Mike Reinke (7) / 5. Donny Crawford (1) 6. Leonard Lee (9) 7. Troy Parsons (10) 8. Dan Oswalt (8) 9. Chris Walraven (6) 10. Wayne Redmond (11) 11. Scott Whitworth (5)

Heat two (started), 8 laps, 2:13.7: 1. John Kearney (2) 2. Johnny Herrera (4) 3. Dale Blaney (6) 4. Keith Kauffman (3) / 5. Marlon Jones (5) 6. Danny Smith (8) 7. Chad Radel (7) 8. Manny Rockhold (9) 9. John Hall (10) 10. Todd Kane (1) 11. Mackie Heimbaugh (11)

Heat three (started), 8 laps, 2:13.7: 1. Don Droud Jr. (4) 2. Randy Smith (2) 3. Tod Bishop (3) 4. Dennis Moore Jr. (5) / 5. Danny Young (1) 6. Terry McCarl (6) 7. Randy Martin (9) 8. Byron Reed (7) 9. Todd Taeger (10) 10. Mark Smyser (8) 11. Doran Doty (11)

Heat four (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Steve Beitler (4) 2. Joey Saldana (6) 3. Skip Jackson (2) 4. Jerry Richert Jr. (5) / 5. Ryan Jamison (7) 6. Daniel Coggeshell (3) 7. Randy Hammer (9) 8. Mike Lutz (10) 9. Rod Holliday (8) 10. Shawn Moore (1)

Heat five (started), 8 laps, 2:14.2: 1. Jaymie Moyle (2) 2. Tony Moro (1) 3. Frankie Kerr (5) 4. Jeff Tuttle (4) / 5. Tim Monson (8) 6. Randy Wolfe (3) 7. George Austin III (6) 8. Tim Norman (10) 9. Bob Weuve (7) 10. Terry LoSasso (9)

C main (started), 10 laps, 2:46.8: 1. Chris Walraven (1) 2. Scott Whitworth (2) 3. Todd Kane (3) 4. Shawn Moore (4) / 5. Bob Weuve (5) 6. Rod Holliday (7) 7. John Hall (9) 8. Mark Smyser (6) 9. Wayne Redmond (11) 10. Doran Doty (8) 11. Mackie Heimbaugh (10) DNS – Terry LoSasso, Todd Taeger

Dash (started), 4 laps, 1:05.7 (NTR): 1. Terry McCarl (2) 2. Dale Blaney (1) 3. Frankie Kerr (5) 4. George Austin III (4) 5. Keith Kauffman (6) 6. Joey Saldana (3)

B main (started), 12 laps, 3:28.1: 1. Terry McCarl (2) 2. Chris Walraven (1) 3. Scott Whitworth (4) 4. Marlon Jones (5) / 5. Danny Young (10) 6. Daniel Coggeshell (6) 7. George Austin III (3) 8. Tim Monson (17) 9. Danny Smith (16) 10. Randy Martin (20) 11. Manny Rockhold (19) 12. Ryan Jamison (14) 13. Byron Reed (13) 14. Chad Radel (12) 15. Leonard Lee (18) 16. Randy Wolfe (7) 17. Dan Oswalt (15) 18. Shawn Moore (11) 19. Tim Norman (24) 20. Randy Hammer (21) 21. Todd Kane (9) 22. Donny Crawford (8) 23. Mike Lutz (23) 24. Troy Parsons (22)

A main (started), 25 laps, NT: 1. Johnny Herrera (11) 2. Terry McCarl (6) 3. Jerry Richert Jr. (1) 4. Dale Blaney (7) 5. Dennis Moore Jr. (2) 6. Don Droud Jr. (12) 7. Keith Kauffman (16) 8. Frankie Kerr (9) 9. Jeff Tuttle (14) 10. Randy Smith (20) 11. Steve Beitler (13) 12. Skip Jackson (21) 13. Brent Antill (10) 14. Jaymie Moyle (22) 15. Scott Whitworth (4) 16. Tod Bishop (17) 17. Tony Moro (23) 18. Joey Saldana (5) 19. Mike Reinke (24) 20. Marlon Jones (3) 21. Kenny Jacobs (18) 22. John Kearney (19) 23. Chris Walraven (8) 24. Craig Dollansky (15). **Lap Leaders:** Richert 1-19, Herrera 20-25.

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Heat one (started), 6 laps, 1:49.2: 1. 48, Bob Thompson, Des Moines, IA (1) 2. 16, Kenny Williams, Blakesburg, IA (6) 3. 18, Bruce Drottz, Des Moines, IA (4) 4. 11, Archie Ergenbright, Newton, IA (2) / 5. 23, Ed Rotert, Mount Ayr, IA (5) 6. 00, Larry Weeks, Montezuma, IA (8) 7. 82, Dave Van Heukelom, Pella, IA (9) 8. 52, Walt Esch, Des Moines, IA (7) 9. 91, Kevin Nugent, Greenville, IN (3) 10. 29m, Eric Mason, Knoxville, IA (10)

Heat two (started), 6 laps, NT: 1. 8B, Bruce Williams, Pleasant Hill, IA (2) 2. 8L, Tom Lenz, Strawberry Point, IA (8) 3. 88, Tim Holzworth, Valeria, IA (9) 4. 80x, Mike Houseman, Des Moines, IA (1) / 5. 26, Lee Nelson, Ankeny, IA (4) 6. 1, Terry Thomas, Knoxville, IA (6) 7. 57, Steve Breazeale, Pleasantville, IA (7) 8. 9H, Ed Ergenbright, Newton, IA (5) 9. 41B, Nick Bellino, Papillion, NE (3) DNS – 9, Jim Strobel, Sigourney, IA

Heat three (started), 6 laps, 1:49.8: 1. 7, Billy Engelhart, Madison, WI (2) 2. 7x, Terry Alexander, Knoxville, IA (5) 3. 11L, Larry Pinegar II, Des Moines, IA (7) 4. 20, Mark Wilson, Des Moines, IA (4) / 5. 4, Steve Wares, Knoxville, IA (8) 6. 22, Eddie Leavitt Jr., Knoxville, IA (6) 7. 80, Duane Van Heukelom, Colfax, IA (9) 8. 71B, Robert Bell, Colfax, IA (3) 9. 34, Tim Deaver, Knoxville, IA (1)

Heat four (started), 6 laps, 1:57.3: 1. 41, Virgil Brandt, Des Moines, IA (9) 2. 12x, Jerry Crabb, Des Moines, IA (6) 3. 16H, Jeff Haines, Oskaloosa, IA (8) 4. 71, Roy Jo Peltz, Maryville, MO (1) / 5. 5G, Brett Golik, Newton, IA (7) 6. 41s, Kent Severson, Omaha, NE (2) 7. 3Y, Lloyd Beckman, Lincoln, NE (5) 8. 6, Mitchell Alexander, Knoxville, IA (3) 9. 92, Billy Ray Olson, Grinnell, IA (4)

B main (started), 10 laps, NT: 1. Lee Nelson (2) 2. Steve Wares (3) 3. Duane Van Heukelom (10) 4. Eddie Leavitt Jr. (7) / 5. Brett Golik (4) 6. Tim Deaver (17) 7. Dave Van Heukelom (9) 8. Lloyd Beckman (11) 9. Terry Thomas (6) 10. Kevin Nugent (13) ... also: Ed Rotert (1), Larry Weeks (5), Kent Severson (8), Walt Esch (12), Mitchell Alexander (14), Eric Mason (15), Ed Ergenbright (16) ... DNS – Robert Bell, Billy Ray Olson, Nick Bellino, Jim Strobel

A main (started), 15 laps, NT: 1. Larry Pinegar II (2) 2. Jeff Haines (1) 3. Terry Alexander (4) 4. Billy Engelhart (8) 5. Bruce Williams (9) 6. Bruce Drottz (11) 7. Jerry Crabb (3) 8. Bob Thompson (10) 9. Steve Wares (18) 10. Archie Ergenbright (13) 11. Mark Wilson (15) 12. Tim Holzworth (12) 13. Tom Lenz (5) 14. Eddie Leavitt Jr. (20) 15. Virgil Brandt (7) 16. Duane Van Heukelom (19) 17. Mike Houseman (14) 18. Kenny Williams (6) 19. Lee Nelson (17) 20. Roy Jo Peltz (16). **Lap Leader:** Pinegar 1-15.

6/9/95

Young Captures Knoxville 360 Sprint Go

by Bob Wilson

Danny Young came from his fourth row starting position to capture the A Feature for 360 c.i. sprints in a rare Knoxville Raceway Friday night event. It was his ninth feature win at this half mile oval.

Dave Van Heukelom led the early portion of the 15-lap event from his pole position but sustained heavy pressure from fellow front row starter Jeff Haines. On the fifth circuit Haines swept by for the top spot with an outside move on the backstretch and Young likewise got by Van Heukelom before he crossed the start-finish line.

Although two yellow flags slowed the event, Haines was able to hold on to the point position on each restart and keep the Young machine at bay. As the laps wound down Young began to close the distance and at lap 12 he drove by Haines for the lead.

Young was paid \$600 for his winning efforts in his own Jenkins chassis. Haines came to the checkered for second and new track record holder John Kearney was third. Steve Breazeale and Eddie Leavitt, Jr. rounded out the top five finishers.

Qualifying heat races were won by Tom Lenz, Ed Rotert, Young and Randy Martin. Terry Alexander took the B Main. Kearney led six drivers who dashed under the old track record in qualifying time trials with a clocking of 17.204 seconds. Forty-four cars formed the field of competition.

360 Results

Time Trials (Qualifying Order): 1. 86, John Kearney, Ozawkie, KS (40) 17.204 (**new track record - old track record, 17.426 David Hesmer May 22, 1992**); 2. 5T, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (16) 17.265; 3. 3Y, Danny Young, Des Moines, IA (34) 17.282; 4. 7x, Terry Alexander, Knoxville, IA (36) 17.284; 5. 11L, Larry Pinegar II, Des Moines, IA (20) 17.371; 6. 22, Eddie Leavitt Jr., Knoxville, IA (17) 17.372; 7. 48, Bob Thompson, Des Moines, IA (21) 17.472; 8. 14m, Randy Martin, California, MO (4) 17.534; 9. 2T, Lue Holland, McCallsburg, IA (38) 17.544; 10. 16, Kenny Williams, Blakesburg, IA (9) 17.582; 11. 88, Tim Holzworth, Valeria, IA (13) 17.627; 12. 4, Steve Wares, Knoxville, IA (26) 17.697; 13. 41, Virgil Brandt, Des Moines, IA (6) 17.700; 14. 57, Steve Breazeale, Pleasantville, IA (10) 17.700; 15. 8B, Bruce Williams, Pleasant Hill, IA (28) 17.731; 16. 11, Archie Ergenbright, Newton, IA (32) 17.803; 17. 80x, Mike Houseman, Des Moines, IA (35) 17.806; 18. 26, Lee Nelson, Ankeny, IA (18) 17.811; 19. 16H, Jeff Haines, Oskaloosa, IA (42) 17.862; 20. 80, Duane Van Heukelom, Colfax, IA (39) 17.877; 21. 20, Mark Wilson, Des Moines, IA (11) 17.893; 22. 23, Ed Rotert, Mount Ayr, IA (31) 17.921; 23. 34, Tim Deaver, Knoxville, IA (14) 17.930; 24. 5G, Brett Golik, Newton, IA (41) 18.008; 25. 82, Dave Van Heukelom, Pella, IA (5) 18.025; 26. 9H, Ed Ergenbright, Newton, IA (22) 18.137; 27. 18, Bruce Drottz, Des Moines, IA (30) 18.158; 28. 1J, Harry Delamont, Young, NSW, Aust. (43) 18.214; 29. 8L, Tom Lenz, Strawberry Point, IA (12) 18.280; 30. 29m, Adam Mason, Knoxville, IA (33) 18.455; 31. 7777, Edd French, Roanoke, TX (24) 18.461; 32. 2m, Tony Norem, Burnsville, MN (29) 18.557; 33. 84, Dave Heskin, Monticello, MN (27) 18.646; 34. 4w, DJ Heskin, St. Michael, MN (1) 18.882; 35. 83A, Hank Lower, Angola, IN (15) 18.952; 36. 43, Mark Dyer, Warrensburg, MO (25) 18.954; 37. 6s, Shelby Steenson, Salina, KS (8) 19.303; 38. 1, Terry Thomas, Knoxville, IA (37) 19.317; 39. 27T, Chris Tice, Lynnville, IA (19) 19.635; 40. 65v, Chad Vermeil, Santa Rosa, CA (3) 19.637; 41. 92, Billy Ray Olson, Grinnell, IA (44) 19.723; 42. 14, Benny Rapp, Temperance, MI (7) 19.774; 43. 33, Bill Smith, Worthington, MN (2) 19.802; 44. 12x, Jerry Crabb, Des Moines, IA (23) NT.

Heat one (started), 6 laps, NT: 1. Tom Lenz (1) 2. John Kearney (8) 3. Mark Wilson (3) 4. Dave Van Heukelom (2) / 5. Mike Houseman (4) 6. Virgil Brandt (5) 7. Larry Pinegar II (7) 8. 84, Dave Heskin, Monticello, MN (9) 9. Lue Holland (6) 10. Billy Ray Olson (11) DNS – Shelby Steenson (10)

Heat two (started), 6 laps, NT: 1. Ed Rotert (3) 2. Steve Breazeale (5) 3. Lee Nelson (4) 4. Eddie Leavitt Jr. (7) / 5. Ed Ergenbright (2) 6. Terry Thomas (9) 7. Adam Mason (1) 8. Kenny Williams (6) 9. Scott Whitworth (8) DNS – DJ Heskin, Benny Rapp

Heat three (started), 6 laps, 1:46.7: 1. Danny Young (8) 2. Bruce Drottz (2) 3. Jeff Haines (4) 4. Edd French (1) / 5. Bruce Williams (5) 6. Tim Deaver (3) 7. Bob Thompson (7) 8. Tim Holzworth (6) 9. Hank Lower (9) 10. Bill Smith (10) DNS – Chris Tice

Heat four (started), 6 laps, 1:50.4: 1. Randy Martin (7) 2. Duane Van Heukelom (4) 3. Tony Norem (1) 4. Brett Golik (3) / 5. Harry Delamont (2) 6. Terry Alexander (8) 7. Steve Wares (6) 8. Chad Vermeil (10) 9. Mark Dyer (9) 10. Archie Ergenbright (5) DNS – Jerry Crabb

B main (started), 10 laps, NT: 1. Terry Alexander (1) 2. Larry Pinegar II (2) 3. Bob Thompson (3) 4. Virgil Brandt (6) / 5. Tim Holzworth (4) 6. Bruce Williams (8) 7. Tim Deaver (9) 8. Mike Houseman (10) 9. Dave Heskin (11) 10. Ed Ergenbright (12) 11. Bill Smith (17) 12. Mark Dyer (13) 13. Billy Ray Olson (16) 14. Adam Mason (14) 15. Scott Whitworth (7) 16. Terry Thomas (15) 17. Steve Wares (5) DNS – Lue Holland, Kenny Williams, Archie Ergenbright, Harry Delamont, Hank Lower, Shelby Steenson, Chris Tice, Chad Vermeil, Benny Rapp, DJ Heskin, Jerry Crabb

A main (started), 20 laps, NT: 1. Danny Young (7) 2. Jeff Haines (2) 3. John Kearney (8) 4. Steve Breazeale (4) 5. Eddie Leavitt Jr. (6) 6. Terry Alexander (17) 7. Lee Nelson (3) 8. Larry Pinegar II (18) 9. Virgil Brandt (20) 10. Brett Golik (11) 11. Ed Rotert (10) 12. Tom Lenz (14) 13. Tony Norem (16) 14. Dave Van Heukelom (12) 15. Bob Thompson (19) 16. Edd French (15) 17. Randy Martin (5) 18. Mark Wilson (9) 19. Bruce Drottz (13) 20. Duane Van Heukelom (1). **Lap Leaders:** Du. Van Heukelom 1-4, Haines 5-12, Young 13-15.

6/10/95

McCarl Shows his Hand in Knoxville Sprints

by Bob Wilson

It was in the season opening sprint show that Terry McCarl broke his hand, but Saturday night at Knoxville Raceway the second generation driver sped to a hotly contested feature event win to record his initial victory of the season here.

Jerry Richert, Jr. drove by pole sitter McCarl on the opening lap of the ten-mile event and assumed command of the race after having changed an engine after his qualifying heat. McCarl was never further than 20 yards off the pace but was in a real struggle with Skip Jackson for that position, Soon, Johnny Herrera joined the runner-up battle and the ensuing laps saw a wild three-car match up around the half-mile oval.

Herrera was unable to pass the McCarl mount, but a yellow flag placed him behind McCarl on the restart at the ten lap mark. When the race resume, McCarl out-motored Richert on the dry-slick track and took the lead which he never relinquished.

Behind him a furious five-car battle developed for the second place position which Jackson finally garnered. It was only in heavy lapped traffic that McCarl seemed in jeopardy as Jackson was able to make a run at him, but each time he was able to pull away in his Bill McCroskey sponsored Maxim.

The win was the 11th career victory for McCarl at the Marion County Fairgrounds and paid him \$2,500 for his efforts. Jackson claimed second and was 20 yards off the pace at the finish. Herrera came across the stripe for third, Craig Dollansky too a close fourth and Steve Beitler came from the sixth row to place fifth. Rounding out the top ten were Richert, Chad Mellenberndt, Don Droud, Jr., Rich Bubak and Danny Young.

Rick Ferkel successfully defended his title in the third annual Pennzoil Masters Classic for drivers aged 50 and above.

Ferkel took the lead on the third lap in the non-stop affair to claim a \$2,500 payday in the Ray Lipsey Schnee sprinter. Billy Engelhart, a fifth row starter steadily worked his way through the field of cars to claim second and fellow fifth row starter Darl Harrison took third. Mike Brooks, who led the opening two laps, settled for fourth and Leroy Van Connett was fifth.

On the fairgrounds during the afternoon, the National Sprint Car Hall of Fame held its sixth annual induction ceremonies at Dyer-Hudson Hall. Sixteen men were inducted, including Johnny Rutherford, Rick Ferkel, LaVern Nance, Don Smith and Bill Hill, who were present at the event.

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Time Trials: None were held.

Heat one (started), 8 laps, 2:29.2: 1. 3Y, Danny Young, Des Moines, IA (1) 2. 24, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (7) 3. 21, Steve Beitler, Sedro Woolley, WA (2) 4. 51J, Ryan Jamison, Burlington, IA (5) / 5. 0, Randy Smith, Mount Ayr, IA (6) 6. 19, Bob Weuve, Newton, IA (10) 7. 2x, Shawn Moore, Moline, IL (8) 8. 92J, JR Topper, St. Joseph, MO (4) 9. 65V, Troy Vermeil, San Ramon, CA (9) 10. 18, Brad Pemble, Arvada, CO (3) DNS – D1, Dan Oswalt, Iola, KS

Heat two (started), 8 laps, 2:28.4: 1. 97, Chad Mellenberndt, Sioux Falls, SD (1) 2. 55, Craig Dollansky, Elk River, MN (10) 3. 15, Donny Schatz, Minot, ND (2) 4. 5T, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (5) / 5. 6m, Tim Monson, Lakefield, MN (3) 6. J1, Marlon Jones, Sioux Falls, SD (4) 7. 3B, Jeff Tuttle, West Des Moines, IA (8) 8. 7B, Clay Bontrager, Hutchinson, KS (6) 9. 65, John Blurton, Dodge City, KS (11) 10. 1T, Terry Thomas, Knoxville, IA (9) 11. 51x, Nick LoSasso, Westminster, CO (7)

Heat three (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. 5, Johnny Herrera, Tempe, AZ (1) 2. 2H, Wayne Redmond, Fort Dodge, IA (2) 3. 86, John Kearney, Ozawkie, KS (4) 4. 86T, Tod Bishop, Harrisburg, IL (10) / 5. 11, Jerrod Hull, Sikeston, MO (7) 6. 62, Rod Holliday, Springfield, IL (3) 7. 1K, Tony Moro, Des Moines, IA (5) 8. 14, Doran Doty, Des Moines, IA (8) 9. 2A, Randy Hibbs, Savannah, MO (6) 10. 42, Terry Babb, Decatur, IL (11) 11. 56, Chris Walraven, Knoxville, IA (9)

Heat four (started), 8 laps, 2:28.6: 1. 81, Jerry Richert Jr., Forest Lake, MN (2) 2. 9, Rich Bubak, Golden, CO (1) 3. 25, Chad Radcliff, Sioux Falls, SD (3) 4. 51, Tommie Estes Jr., Tulsa, OK (7) / 5. 02, Mike Reinke, Sheboygan, WI (8) 6. 16L, Leonard Lee, Milo, IA (4) 7. 1, Brent Antill, Huxley, IA (6) 8. 16x, Mike Chadd, Lincoln, NE (10) 9. 7A, Todd Taeger, Burlington, IA (9) 10. 22, Eddie Leavitt Jr., Knoxville, IA (5)

Heat five (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. 10, Skip Jackson, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (2) 2. 7, Kevin Doty, Milan, IL (9) 3. 45, Don Droud Jr., Lincoln, NE (8) 4. 71, Manny Rockhold, Pekin, IL (5) / 5. 11L, Larry Pinegar II, Des Moines, IA (4) 6. 4, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (6) 7. 3, Tim Lewis, Gas, KS (7) 8. 69, Mark Smyser, Lancaster, MO (10) 9. 14m, Randy Martin, California, MO (3) 10. 12, Dennis Moore Jr., Grinnell, IA (1)

C main (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Randy Martin (5) 2. Chris Walraven (11) / 3. John Blurton (2) 4. Nick LoSasso (10) 5. Todd Taeger (4) 6. Randy Hibbs (3) 7. Terry Babb (8) 8. Brad Pemble (6) 9. Terry Thomas (7) 10. Troy Vermeil (1) 11. Eddie Leavitt Jr. (9) DNS – Dennis Moore Jr.

B main (started), 12 laps, NT: 1. Marlon Jones (7) 2. Tim Monson (2) 3. Jaymie Moyle (10) 4. Shawn Moore (11) / 5. Mike Reinke (4) 6. Tony Moro (13) 7. Bob Weuve (6) 8. Jerrod Hull (3) 9. Tim Lewis (15) 10. Brent Antill (14) 11. Randy Martin (21) 12. Jeff Tuttle (12) 13. Chris Walraven (22) 14. Clay Bontrager (17) 15. Rod Holliday (8) 16. Doran Doty (18) 17. JR Topper (16) 18. Mark Smyser (20) 19. Mike Chadd (19) 20. Randy Smith (1) 21. Leonard Lee (9) 22. Larry Pinegar II (5)

A main (started), 30 laps, NT: 1. Terry McCarl (1) 2. Skip Jackson (2) 3. Johnny Herrera (4) 4. Craig Dollansky (7) 5. Steve Beitler (11) 6. Jerry Richert Jr. (3) 7. Chad Mellenberndt (5) 8. Don Droud Jr. (15) 9. Rich Bubak (9) 10. Danny Young (6) 11. Donny Schatz (12) 12. Jaymie Moyle (23) 13. Marlon Jones (21) 14. Tim Monson (22) 15. Tommie Estes Jr. (19) 16. Shawn Moore (24) 17. Kevin Doty (10) 18. Chad Radel (14) 19. Ryan Jamison (16) 20. Tod Bishop (14) 21. John Kearney (13) 22. Scott Whitworth (17) 23. Wayne Redmond (8) 24. Manny Rockhold (20). **Lap Leaders:** Richert 1-10, McCarl 11-20.

Masters Classic Results

Time Trials (Qualifying Order): 1. 3Y, Lloyd Beckman, Lincoln, NE (1) 18.245 (**new Masters track record, old record, 18.308, Larry Dickson, June 11, 1993**); 2. 11, Archie Ergenbright, Newton, IA (4) 18.549; 3. 45, Rick Ferkel, Tiffin, OH (17) 18.743; 4. 20, Cliff Woodward, Kearney, MO (6) 18.760; 5. 57, Mike Brooks, Knoxville, IA (14) 18.885; 6. 48, Jon Backlund, Grandview, MO (11) 18.946; 7. 56, Bill Utz, Sedalia, MO (10) 19.057; 8. 18, Leroy Van Connett, Galt, CA (7) 19.177; 9. 44, Darl Harrison, Tiffin, OH (22) 19.195; 10. 7, Billy Engelhart, Madison, WI (30) 19.286; 11. 7x, Bob Thoman, Higginsville, MO (16) 19.512; 12. 4w, Dave Heskin, Monticello, MN (13) 19.646; 13. 97, Bill Mellenberndt, Sioux Falls, SD (19) 19.730; 14. 8B, Earl Wagner, Pleasantville, IA (2) 19.836; 15. 83A, Hank Lower, Angola, IN (21) 19.895; 16. 7777, Edd French, Roanoke, TX (26) 19.994; 17. 1J, Harry Delamont, Young, NSW, Aust. (24) 20.178; 18. 61, Earnest Jennings, Norman, OK (20) 20.243; 19. 6s, Shelby Steenson, Salina, KS (9) 20.319; 20. 37, Mike Thomas, Des Moines, IA (8) 20.632; 21. 53, Bob Anderson, Burlington, IA (29) 20.712; 22. 0, Dave Engebretson, Tampa, FL (25) 20.753; 23. 43, Mark Dyer, Warrensburg, MO (15) 20.939; 24. 87TJ, David Marshall, Blackwell, OK (23) 21.521; 25. 71, Roy Jo Peltz, Maryville, MO (28) 21.589; 26. 2T, Lue Holland, McCallsburg, IA (27) 22.772; 27. 11am, Al Murie, Independence, MO (5) 24.270; 28. 33, Bill Smith Worthington, MN (12) 25.375; 29. 14, Benny Rapp, Temperance, MI (3) NT; 30. 12x, Jerry Crabb, Des Moines, IA (18) NT.

Heat one (started), 6 laps, 2:02.6: 1. Bill Utz (4) 2. Billy Engelhart (3) 3. Cliff Woodward (5) 4. Bill Mellenberndt (2) 5. Edd French (1) 6. Lloyd Beckman (6) / 7. Dave Engebretson (8) 8. Bill Smith (10) 9. Roy Jo Peltz (9) 10. Shelby Steenson (7)

Heat two (started), 6 laps, 2:05.2: 1. Archie Ergenbright (6) 2. Bob Thoman (3) 3. Mike Brooks (5) 4. Earl Wagner (2) 5. Harry Delamont (1) 6. Leroy Van Connett (4) / 7. Mark Dyer (8) 8. Mike Thomas (7) 9. Lue Holland (9) DNS – Benny Rapp

Heat three (started), 6 laps, 2:04.5: 1. Rick Ferkel (6) 2. Hank Lower (2) 3. Darl Harrison (4) 4. Jon Backlund (5) 5. Dave Heskin (3) 6. Earnest Jennings (1) / 7. Bob Anderson (7) 8. David Marshall (8) 9. Al Murie (9) DNS – Jerry Crabb

B main (started), 12 laps, 4:21.5: 1. Bob Anderson (2) 2. Jerry Crabb (11) 3. Shelby Steenson (7) / 4. Dave Engebretson (3) 5. Bill Smith (10) 6. Mike Thomas (1) 7. Lue Holland (8) 8. Roy Jo Peltz (6) 9. David Marshall (5) 10. Mark Dyer (4) 11. Al Murie (9) DNS – Benny Rapp

A main (started), 22 laps, 7:54.8: 1. Rick Ferkel (4) 2. Billy Engelhart (8) 3. Darl Harrison (9) 4. Mike Brooks (2) 5. Leroy Van Connett (6) 6. Jon Backlund (1) 7. Edd French (14) 8. Cliff Woodward (3) 9. Bill Utz (7) 10. Bob Thoman (11) 11. Bill Mellenberndt (13) 12. Hank Lower (15) 13. Earnest Jennings (16) 14. Harry Delamont (17) 15. Dave Heskin (10) 16. Shelby Steenson (20) 17. Earl Wagner (12) 18. Jerry Crabb (18) 19. Bob Anderson (19) 20. Archie Ergenbright (5) DNS – Lloyd Beckman. **Lap Leaders:** Brooks 1-2, Ferkel 3-22.

6/17/95

McCarl Makes it Two in a Row in Knoxville Sprints

by Bill Wright

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Terry McCarl drove the McCroskey Chevrolet Maxim to his second feature event win in as many weeks at Knoxville Raceway Saturday night to record his 12th career win at this historic oval.

The event appeared to be in the pocket of Australian Jaymie Moyle as the youngster drove from his second row starting position to take the lead after the first lap. The early portion of the event saw Moyle extend his margin over second place John Kearney to more than 40 yards before entering lapped traffic.

Just after lap eleven, Moyle escaped disaster, as he narrowly averted striking a lapped car and performed a complete loop with his sprinter before he continued on around the half-mile oval. At the same time a close following Kearney was not so lucky as he too slid sideways and ended up striking the first turn fence. A yellow flag was thrown for the stalled Kearney machine.

The ensuing restart saw Danny Young smack the second turn fence violently to bring the race to a halt. Young climbed out of the overturned sprinter and did not need medical attention.

When the race resumed, McCarl found the best route around the track as he ran high against the cushion, passing four cars and charging into the second place. On lap fifteen, McCarl dove below Moyle in turn one and gained the lead coming out of the second turn. From that point on he was never headed and roared to the finish line to take the \$2,500 checkered flags.

Johnny Herrera, whose starting position in the fourth row was just ahead of McCarl, finished second to maintain his lead in the season points chase. Moyle settled for third, Dennis Moore, Jr. was fourth and Randy Smith finished fifth. Rounding out the top ten finishers were Skip Jackson, Brent Antill, Jerry Richert, Jr., Shawn Moore and Marlon Jones.

Defending track champion Lee Nelson captured the feature event in the Knoxville 360 sprint division. Nelson led from start to finish and was chased to the line by Larry Pinegar II, Terry Alexander, Brett Golik and Steve Breazeale.

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Time Trials (Qualifying Order): 1. 5, Johnny Herrera, Tempe, AZ (20) 16.155; 2. D1, Marlon Jones, Sioux Falls, SD (11) 16.169; 3. 1, Brent Antill, Huxley, IA (25) 16.220; 4. 12, Dennis Moore Jr., Grinnell, IA (8) 16.320; 5. 81, Jerry Richert Jr., Forest Lake, MN (1) 16.326; 6. 56, Chris Walraven, Knoxville, IA (26) 16.341; 7. 4, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (14) 16.355; 8. 21, Steve Beitler, Sedro Woolley, WA (10) 16.381; 9. 0, Randy Smith, Mount Ayr, IA (15) 16.424; 10. 5T, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (33) 16.445; 11. 3Y, Danny Young, Des Moines, IA (13) 16.447; 12. 55, Craig Dollansky, Elk River, MN (22) 16.453; 13. 86, John Kearney, Ozawkie, KS (12) 16.468; 14. 10, Skip Jackson, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (28) 16.473; 15. 16L, Leonard Lee, Milo, IA (6) 16.564; 16. 14, Doran Doty, Des Moines, IA (2) 16.592; 17. 86T, Tod Bishop, Harrisburg, IL (4) 16.684; 18. 24, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (9) 16.611; 19. 2x, Shawn Moore, Moline, IL (18) 16.651; 20. 19, Bob Weuve, Newton, IA (31) 16.683; 21. 25, Chad Radel, Sioux Falls, SD (27) 16.687; 22. 51J, Ryan Jamison, Burlington, IA (24) 16.727; 23. 6m, Tim Monson, Lakefield, MN (16) 16.748; 24. 14m, Randy Martin, California, MO (3) 16.760; 25. 3B, Don Droud Jr., Lincoln, NE (34) 16.820; 26. 7A, Todd Taeger, Burlington, IA (5) 16.843; 27. 02, Mike Reinke, Sheboygan, WI (29) 16.890; 28. 71, Manny Rockhold, Pekin, IL (21) 16.896; 29. 97, Chad Mellenberndt, Sioux Falls, SD (32) 16.942; 30. 62, Rod Holliday, Springfield, IL (23) 17.129; 31. 69, Mark Smyser, Lancaster, MO (7) 17.163; 32. 2H, Wayne Redmond, Fort Dodge, IA (30) 17.308; 33. 7B, Dave Westercamp, Johnston, IA (19) 17.522; 34. 57c, Troy Parsons, Altoona, IA (17) NT.

Heat one (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. John Kearney (4) 2. Johnny Herrera (8) 3. Dennis Moore Jr. (7) 4. Shawn Moore (2) 5. Jaymie Moyle (6) 6. Scott Whitworth (5) / 7. Doran Doty (3) 8. Manny Rockhold (10) 9. Mark Smyser (11) 10. Ryan Jamison (1) 11. Don Droud Jr. (9) DNS – Troy Parsons

Heat two (started), 8 laps, 2:16.8: 1. Bob Weuve (2) 2. Skip Jackson (4) 3. Tim Monson (1) 4. Jerry Richert Jr. (7) 5. Steve Beitler (6) 6. Marlon Jones (8) / 7. Danny Young (5) 8. Chad Mellenberndt (10) 9. Tod Bishop (3) 10. Wayne Redmond (9) DNS – Todd Taeger

Heat three (started), 8 laps, 2:17.3: 1. Randy Martin (1) 2. Chad Radel (2) 3. Terry McCarl (3) 4. Craig Dollansky (5) 5. Randy Smith (4) 6. Mike Reinke (9) / 7. Chris Walraven (7) 8. Brent Antill (6) 9. Rod Holliday (8) 10. Dave Westercamp (10) DNS – Leonard Lee

B main (started), 12 laps, NT: 1. Chris Walraven (2) 2. Brent Antill (1) 3. Danny Young (3) / 4. Doran Doty (4) 5. Tod Bishop (5) 6. Chad Mellenberndt (8) 7. Don Droud Jr. (9) 8. Manny Rockhold (6) 9. Rod Holliday (11) 10. Troy Parsons (14) 11. Leonard Lee (7) 12. Mark Smyser (10) 13. Dave Westercamp (12) 14. Wayne Redmond (13) DNS – Ryan Jamison

A main (started), 20 laps, NT: 1. Terry McCarl (10) 2. Johnny Herrera (8) 3. Jaymie Moyle (4) 4. Dennis Moore Jr. (6) 5. Randy Smith (2) 6. Skip Jackson (11) 7. Brent Antill (18) 8. Jerry Richert Jr. (7) 9. Shawn Moore (13) 10. Marlon Jones (9) 11. Tim Monson (14) 12. Scott Whitworth (3) 13. Randy Martin (17) 14. Bob Weuve (12) 15. Chris Walraven (19) 16. Mike Reinke (16) 17. Steve Beitler (5) 18. Danny Young (20) 19. Chad Radel (15) 20. John Kearney (1) DNS – Craig Dollansky. **Lap Leaders:** Kearney 1, Moyle 2-14, McCarl 15-20.

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Heat one (started), 6 laps, 1:52.1: 1. 52, Walt Esch, Des Moines, IA (1) 2. 57, Steve Breazeale, Pleasantville, IA (2) 3. 26, Lee Nelson, Ankeny, IA (4) 4. 22, Eddie Leavitt Jr., Knoxville, IA (3) 5. 23, Ed Rotert, Mount Ayr, IA (6) 6. 82, Dave Van Heukelom, Pella, IA (5) / 7. 16, Kenny Williams, Blakesburg, IA (7) 8. 16H, Jeff Haines, Oskaloosa, IA (9) 9. 10, Mike Trent, Columbia, MO (10) 10. 18, Bruce Drottz, Des Moines, IA (8) 11. 85, Tommy Mikels, Marshall, MO (11)

Heat two (started), 6 laps, 1:51.7: 1. 88, Tim Holzworth, Valeria, IA (1) 2. 5G, Brett Golik, Newton, IA (2) 3. 7x, Terry Alexander, Knoxville, IA (6) 4. 00, Larry Weeks, Montezuma, IA (4) 5. 80, Duane Van Heukelom, Colfax, IA (3) 6. 4, Steve Wares, Knoxville, IA (5) / 7. 41, Virgil Brandt, Des Moines, IA (10) 8. 11, Archie Ergenbright, Newton, IA (8) 9. 8B, Bruce Williams, Pleasant Hill, IA (7) 10. 9H, Ed Ergenbright, Newton, IA (9) 11. 29m, Eric Mason, Knoxville, IA (11)

Heat three (started), 6 laps, NT: 1. 11L, Larry Pinegar II, Des Moines, IA (6) 2. 20, Mark Wilson, Des Moines, IA (1) 3. 1, Terry Thomas, Knoxville, IA (2) 4. 8L, Tom Lenz, Strawberry Point, IA (4) 5. 48, Bob Thompson, Des Moines, IA (3) 6. 80x, Mike Houseman, Des Moines, IA (10) / 7. 12x, Jerry Crabb, Des Moines, IA (7) 8. 71x, Chuck Hines, Marshall, MO (5) 9. 34, Tim Deaver, Knoxville, IA (8) 10. 9, Bill Stroud, Chillicothe, IL (11) 11. 27T, Chris Tice, Lynnville, IA (9)

B main (started), 10 laps, 3:04.4 (NTR): 1. Kenny Williams (1) 2. Virgil Brandt (2) / 3. Jeff Haines (4) 4. Chuck Hines (6) 5. Jerry Crabb (3) 6. Bruce Williams (8) 7. Archie Ergenbright (5) 8. Bruce Drottz (10) 9. Mike Trent (7) 10. Tommy Mikels (11) 11. Eric Mason (9) DNS – Tim Deaver, Ed Ergenbright, Chris Tice, Bill Stroud

A main (started), 15 laps, 4:46.1: 1. Lee Nelson (4) 2. Larry Pinegar II (8) 3. Terry Alexander (3) 4. Brett Golik (6) 5. Steve Breazeale (7) 6. Mark Wilson (5) 7. Walt Esch (10) 8. Bob Thompson (15) 9. Mike

Houseman (18) 10. Ed Rotert (13) 11. Steve Wares (17) 12. Eddie Leavitt Jr. (11) 13. Kenny Williams (19) 14. Duane Van Heukelom (14) 15. Virgil Brandt (20) 16. Tim Holzworth (9) 17. Dave Van Heukelom (16) 18. Larry Weeks (1) 19. Tom Lenz (12) 20. Terry Thomas (2). **Lap Leader:** Nelson 1-15.

6/23/95

Haudenschild Leads the Way in WoO Valvoline Prelim

by Bob Wilson

Jac Haudenschild claims to have so little luck at Knoxville Raceway, but Friday night at the Marion County Fairgrounds the breaks went his way as he drove the Jack Elden J&J sprinter to victory in the preliminary feature event during the World of Outlaws Valvoline Classic.

Haudenschild, who started in the second row of the 24-car field, grabbed the lead on the first lap, driving the low groove as he swept around the half-mile oval.

Right on his tail charged Knoxville points leader Johnny Herrera, who never allowed Haudenschild to escape his front nerf bar. Herrera challenged for the lead on laps five and six, but Haudenschild withstood his moves.

When the leaders came upon lapped traffic near the half-way point of the 20-lap event, Steve Kinser was able to take the runner-up position away from Herrera as that duo crossed the start-finish line. The next four laps saw Kinser begin to challenge Haudenschild as he took the low route and Haudenschild placed his sprinter high on the cushion.

Suddenly, the Kinser mount began to slow in turn three and coasted to a halt at pit lane on turn four bringing out the caution flag. It was later learned that the Kinser machine was suffering right front suspension problems. He was able to restart, but was relegated to the rear of the field.

On the restart, Haudenschild again resumed the point position and was not seriously challenged as he led the way to the finish line and a \$4,000 pay day.

Fourth row starter Mark Kinser made a late-race pass of Herrera to claim second. Herrera held third and Stevie Smith took fourth. Former Knoxville track champion Danny Lasoski finished fifth. Rounding out the top 10 were Andy Hillenburg, Dave Blaney, Jeff Swindell, Skip Jackson and Aaron Berryhill.

Qualifying heat races went to Don Droud, Jr., Swindell, Smith, Craig Dollansky and Blaney. Hillenburg captured the B Main and Herrera was victorious in the dash.

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Time Trials (Qualifying Order): 1. 5m, Mark Kinser, Oolitic, IN (14) 15.619; 2. 22, Jac Haudenschild, Wooster, OH (1) 15.782; 3. 24, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (17) 15.834; 4. 11, Steve Kinser, Bloomington, IN (48) 15.902; 5. 21L, Lance Blevins, Broken Arrow, OK (21) 16.052; 6. 1J, Brent Antill, Huxley, IA (18) 16.077; 7. 2, Andy Hillenburg, Broken Arrow, OK (20) 16.095; 8. 5, Johnny Herrera, Tempe, AZ (6) 16.142; 9. 8TW, Greg Hodnett, Memphis, TN (22) 16.148; 10. J1, Marlon Jones, Sioux Falls, SD (7) 16.172; 11. 1x, Randy Hannagan, San Jose, CA (41) 16.184; 12. 97, Aaron Berryhill, Broken Arrow, OK (39) 16.187; 13. 71m, Stevie Smith, New Oxford, PA (46) 16.199; 14. 47, Danny Lasoski, Dover, MO (31) 16.208; 15. 10, Dave Blaney, Cortland, OH (25) 16.211; 16. 86, John Kearney, Ozawkie, KS (28) 16.212; 17. 10V, Skip Jackson, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (29) 16.215; 18. 0, Randy Smith, Mount Ayr, IA (2) 16.222; 19. 56, Chris Walraven, Knoxville, IA (13) 16.284; 20. 7, Kevin Doty, Milan, IL (10) 16.365; 21. 14m, Randy Martin, California, MO (11) 16.381; 22. 77, Joe Gaerte, Rochester, IN (33) 16.383; 23. 11K, Steve Kent, Fresno, CA (36) 16.385; 23.

21, Steve Beitler, Sedro Woolley, WA (9) 16.387; 25. 16L, Leonard Lee, Milo, IA (24) 16.388; 26. 1BK, Don Droud Jr., Lincoln, NE (38) 16.440; 27. 7TW, Jeff Swindell, Memphis, TN (35) 16.441; 28. 9s, Shane Stewart, Bixby, OK (4) 16.442; 29. 55, Craig Dollansky, Elk River, MN (30) 16.442; 30. 4, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (19) 16.470; 31. 73, Tim Engler, Princeton, IN (3) 16.510; 32. 2TZ, Tim Baker, Sioux City, IA (37) 16.528; 33. 4G, Gus Wasson, Bloomdale, OH (16) 16.542; 34. 2x, Shawn Moore, Moline, IL (23) 16.610; 35. 5T, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (44) 16.610; 36. 19, Bob Weuve, Newton, IA (47) 16.659; 37. 12, Dennis Moore Jr., Grinnell, IA (43) 16.675; 38. 81, Jerry Richert Jr., Forest Lake, MN (45) 16.706; 39. 71, Manny Rockhold, Pekin, IL (15) 16.707; 40. 1K, Tony Moro, Des Moines, IA (5) 16.733; 41. 51J, Ryan Jamison, Burlington, IA (40) 16.861; 42. 57c, Troy Parsons, Altoona, IA (27) 17.106; 43. 7A, Todd Taeger, Burlington, IA (42) 17.262; 44. 14, Doran Doty, Des Moines, IA (34) 17.542; 45. 8B, Bruce Williams, Pleasant Hill, IA (8) 17.740; 46. 0K, Don O'Keefe Jr., Union City, CA (12) 18.012; 47. 11m, Chris Maurer, Colfax, IA (32) 18.513; 48. 69, Mark Smyser, Lancaster, MO, NT.

Heat one (started), 8 laps, 2:15.4: 1. Don Droud Jr. (1) 2. John Kearney (3) 3. Randy Hannagan (4) 4. Mark Kinser (6) / 5. Brent Antill (5) 6. Randy Martin (2) 7. Tim Engler (7) 8. Manny Rockhold (8) 9. Don O'Keefe Jr. (9) DNS – Ryan Jamison

Heat two (started), 8 laps, 2:12.9: 1. Jeff Swindell (1) 2. Joe Gaerte (2) 3. Skip Jackson (3) 4. Jac Haudenschild (6) / 5. Andy Hillenburg (5) 6. Aaron Berryhill (4) 7. Tim Baker (7) 8. Bob Weuve (8) 9. Troy Parsons (9) 10. Chris Maurer (10)

Heat three (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Stevie Smith (4) 2. Johnny Herrera (5) 3. Dennis Moore Jr. (8) 4. Shane Stewart (1) / 5. Randy Smith (3) 6. Terry McCarl (6) 7. Gus Wasson (7) 8. Steve Kent (2) DNS – Todd Taeger, Mark Smyser

Heat four (started), 8 laps, 2:14.5: 1. Craig Dollansky (1) 2. Danny Lasoski (4) 3. Steve Beitler (2) 4. Steve Kinser (6) / 5. Greg Hodnett (5) 6. Jerry Richert Jr. (8) 7. Chris Walraven (3) 8. Shawn Moore (7) DNS – Doran Doty

Heat five (started), 8 laps, 2:15.4: 1. Dave Blaney (4) 2. Jaymie Moyle (1) 3. Marlon Jones (5) 4. Kevin Doty (3) / 5. Leonard Lee (2) 6. Lance Blevins (6) 7. Tony Moro (8) 8. Scott Whitworth (7) 9. Bruce Williams (9)

Dash (started), 5 laps, 1:25.7: 1. Johnny Herrera (3) 2. Randy Hannagan (1) 3. Steve Kinser (4) 4. Jac Haudenschild (5) 5. Stevie Smith (7) 6. Danny Lasoski (8) 7. Mark Kinser (6) 8. Marlon Jones (2)

B main (started), 12 laps, 3:36.7: 1. Andy Hillenburg (1) 2. Brent Antill (2) 3. Terry McCarl (4) 4. Aaron Berryhill (6) / 5. Lance Blevins (3) 6. Tim Baker (13) 7. Steve Kent (10) 8. Shawn Moore (15) 9. Leonard Lee (11) 10. Scott Whitworth (16) 11. Randy Martin (9) 12. Chris Walraven (8) 13. Tim Engler (12) 14. Manny Rockhold (17) 15. Tony Moro (20) 16. Bob Weuve (18) 17. Chris Maurer (23) 18. Greg Hodnett (5) 19. Mark Smyser (24) 20. Bruce Williams (22) 21. Gus Wasson (14) 22. Troy Parsons (21) 23. Randy Smith (7) 24. Jerry Richert Jr. (19)

A main (started), 20 laps, NT: 1. Jac Haudenschild (4) 2. Mark Kinser (7) 3. Johnny Herrera (1) 4. Stevie Smith (5) 5. Danny Lasoski (6) 6. Andy Hillenburg (11) 7. Dave Blaney (13) 8. Jeff Swindell (20) 9. Skip Jackson (15) 10. Aaron Berryhill (12) 11. Joe Gaerte (17) 12. Randy Hannagan (2) 13. Don Droud Jr. (19) 14. Terry McCarl (9) 15. Steve Kinser (3) 16. Steve Beitler (18) 17. Marlon Jones (8) 18. Brent Antill (10) 19. John Kearney (14) 20. Jaymie Moyle (23) 21. Dennis Moore Jr. (24) 22. Shane Stewart (21) 23. Kevin Doty (16) 24. Craig Dollansky (22). **Lap Leader:** Haudenschild 1-20.

6/24/95

Kinser and Dollansky Win Knoxville WoO Valvoline Features

by Bill Wright

Mark Kinser and Craig Dollansky each garnered feature event wins during the World of Outlaws, "Valvoline Classic" at Knoxville Raceway in the early hours of Sunday morning.

Kinser, the pole sitter for the first Valvoline feature, was an easy victor in the 25-lap event as he led the entire distance. It was a race which seemed unable to get started when one yellow and two red flags prolonged the event before it was actually waved green.

Kinser had the field covered in the Karl Kinser Maxim as he shot to a 40-yard lead and extended the margin in lapped traffic. His nearest rival at the outset was Jac Haudenschild, a feature winner on Knoxville dirt just 24 hours prior.

By lap 10 Steve Kinser made a pass of the Haudenschild machine but was never able to come into contention with the other Kinser mount. When the yellow flag was displayed on lap 20, Mark had surged to a near half-lap lead over Steve.

In the five remaining laps, Mark Kinser was again able to pull away to a 20-yard margin to gain the win as Steve Kinser came across the stripe for second.

Haudenschild held for third, current Knoxville points leader Johnny Herrera claimed fourth and Danny Lasoski took fifth. Rounding out the top 10 finishers were Greg Hodnett, Jeff Swindell, Skip Jackson, Lance Blevins and Randy Hannagan.

With the finishing order completely inverted in the second 25-lap feature event, a race developed between two Knoxville standouts which lasted from the opening lap to the very finish.

Second generation driver Terry McCarl took the lead at the outset of the second feature and was followed closely by Craig Dollansky. This duo, who wage war weekly on the Knoxville half mile, again locked horns and fought a close and exciting race through the first 10 laps.

At that point, a yellow flag forced the field of cars into a single file restart and it was then that Dollansky got by McCarl to gain the top spot.

With time and laps running out, McCarl had one more trick up his sleeve as Dollansky slowed in lapped traffic on the white flag lap. In turn three, McCarl shot under Dollansky to take the lead, but Dollansky fired right back coming low out of turn four to take a narrow edge.

As the two cars shot towards the flagstand, Dollansky was able to out-drag the McCarl machine and take the win by only a few feet.

A close following Stevie Smith trailed for third. Dennis Moore, Jr. placed fourth and Jac Haudenschild, a ninth row starter, finished fifth. Jeff Swindell, Greg Hodnett, Steve Kinser, Danny Lasoski and Johnny Herrera rounded out the top 10 finishers. Mark Kinser did not come to the starting line.

Late afternoon rain forced a delay in the start of the Valvoline Classic as the first heat pushed off at 10:55 p.m.

Knoxville 360 Sprints accompanied the show as Lee Nelson made a late race pass to capture that division's non-stop 15-lap feature event. Virgil Brandt, Terry Alexander, Larry Pinegar II and Eddie Leavitt, Jr. rounded out the top five finishers.

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Time Trials (Qualifying Order): 1. 11, Steve Kinser, Bloomington, IN (25) 16.179; 2. 1x, Randy Hannagan, San Jose, CA (21) 16.306; 3. 47, Danny Lasoski, Dover, MO (28) 16.383; 4. 7TW, Jeff Swindell, Memphis, TN (7) 16.390; 5. 7, Kevin Doty, Milan, IL (23) 16.400; 6. 97, Aaron Berryhill, Broken Arrow, OK (3) 16.414; 7. 2, Andy Hillenburg, Broken Arrow, OK (34) 16.418; 8. 1J, Brent Antill, Huxley, IA (29) 16.432; 9. 8TW, Greg Hodnett, Memphis, TN (27) 16.433; 10. 21L, Lance Blevins, Broken Arrow, OK (15) 16.475; 11. 24, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (12) 16.499; 12. 77, Joe Gaerte, Rochester, IN (16) 16.504; 13. 10V, Skip Jackson, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (6) 16.591; 14. 16L, Leonard Lee, Milo, IA (35) 16.595; 15. 0, Randy Smith, Mount Ayr, IA (13) 16.599; 16. 11K, Steve Kent, Fresno, CA (10) 16.629; 17. 10, Dave Blaney, Cortland, OH (14) 16.658; 18. 81, Jerry Richert Jr., Forest Lake, MN (24) 16.686; 19. 5T, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (19) 16.701; 20. 86, John Kearney, Ozawkie, KS (41) 16.713; 21. 2TZ, Tim Baker, Sioux City, IA (39) 16.717; 22. J1, Marlon Jones, Sioux Falls, SD (30) 16.775; 23. 12, Dennis Moore Jr., Grinnell, IA (31) 16.786; 24. 55, Craig Dollansky, Elk River, MN (22) 16.800; 25. 4, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (36) 16.818; 26. 2x, Shawn Moore, Moline, IL (2) 16.836; 27. 71, Manny Rockhold, Pekin, IL (11) 16.920; 28. 9s, Shane Stewart, Bixby, OK (5) 17.022; 29. 21, Steve Beitler, Sedro Woolley, WA (20) 17.035; 30. 73, Tim Engler, Princeton, IN (1) 17.039; 31. 1BK, Don Droud Jr., Lincoln, NE (17) 17.074; 32. 14m, Randy Martin, California, MO (38) 17.095; 33. 51J, Ryan Jamison, Burlington, IA (4) 17.122; 34. 69, Mark Smyser, Lancaster, MO (40) 17.146; 35. 19, Bob Weuve, Newton, IA (32) 17.174; 36. 56, Chris Walraven, Knoxville, IA (18) 17.199; 37. 4G, Gus Wasson, Bloomdale, OH (37) 17.251; 38. 1K, Tony Moro, Des Moines, IA (33) 17.389; 39. 57c, Troy Parsons, Altoona, IA (8) 17.542; 40. 7B, Dave Westercamp, Johnston, IA (9) 17.641; 41. 14, Doran Doty, Des Moines, IA (26) NT; **Locked in from Friday's Prelim:** 22, Jac Haudenschild, Wooster, OH; 5m, Mark Kinser, Oolitic, IN; 5, Johnny Herrera, Tempe, AZ; 71m, Stevie Smith, New Oxford, PA.

Heat one (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Greg Hodnett (2) 2. Skip Jackson (1) 3. Steve Kinser (4) 4. Kevin Doty (3) / 5. Tim Baker (6) 6. Jaymie Moyle (7) 7. Ryan Jamison (9) 8. Steve Beitler (8) 9. Gus Wasson (10) 10. Dave Blaney (5) DNS – Doran Doty

Heat two (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Leonard Lee (1) 2. Lance Blevins (2) 3. Randy Hannagan (4) 4. Jerry Richert Jr. (5) / 5. Tim Engler (8) 6. Marlon Jones (6) 7. Shawn Moore (7) 8. Mark Smyser (9) 9. Tony Moro (10) 10. Aaron Berryhill (3)

Heat three (started), 8 laps, 2:14.6: 1. Randy Smith (1) 2. Terry McCarl (2) 3. Danny Lasoski (4) 4. Andy Hillenburg (3) / 5. Dennis Moore Jr. (6) 6. Scott Whitworth (5) 7. Don Droud Jr. (8) 8. Manny Rockhold (7) 9. Bob Weuve (9) DNS – Troy Parsons

Heat four (started), 8 laps, 2:13.8: 1. Joe Gaerte (2) 2. Steve Kent (1) 3. Jeff Swindell (4) 4. Brent Antill (3) / 5. Craig Dollansky (6) 6. John Kearney (5) 7. Shane Stewart (7) 8. Randy Martin (8) 9. Chris Walraven (9) 10. Dave Westercamp (10)

Dash (started), 5 laps, 1:19.6: 1. Mark Kinser (2) 2. Jac Haudenschild (1) 3. Steve Kinser (5) 4. Stevie Smith (4) 5. Johnny Herrera (3) 6. Randy Hannagan (6)

B main (started), 12 laps, 3:18.1: 1. Dave Blaney (4) 2. John Kearney (2) 3. Craig Dollansky (7) 4. Dennis Moore Jr. (6) / 5. Tim Baker (1) 6. Scott Whitworth (3) 7. Marlon Jones (5) 8. Jaymie Moyle (8) 9. Tim Engler (13) 10. Shane Stewart (11) 11. Randy Martin (15) 12. Manny Rockhold (10) 13. Mark Smyser (16) 14. Bob Weuve (14) 15. Shawn Moore (9) 16. Steve Beitler (12) DNS – Don Droud Jr., Ryan Jamison

A main #1 (started), 25 laps, NT: 1. Mark Kinser (1) 2. Steve Kinser (3) 3. Jac Haudenschild (2) 4. Johnny Herrera (5) 5. Danny Lasoski (7) 6. Greg Hodnett (12) 7. Jeff Swindell (8) 8. Skip Jackson (16) 9. Lance

Blevins (13) 10. Randy Hannagan (6) 11. Joe Gaerte (15) 12. Jerry Richert Jr. (21) 13. Stevie Smith (4) 14. Steve Kent (19) 15. Dennis Moore Jr. (24) 16. Randy Smith (18) 17. John Kearney (22) 18. Terry McCarl (14) 19. Craig Dollansky (23) 20. Leonard Lee (17) 21. Andy Hillenburg (10) 22. Kevin Doty (9) 23. Dave Blaney (20) 24. Brent Antill (11). **Lap Leader:** M. Kinser 1-25.

A main #2 (started), 25 laps, NT: 1. Craig Dollansky (1) 2. Terry McCarl (2) 3. Stevie Smith (7) 4. Dennis Moore Jr. (5) 5. Jac Haudenschild (17) 6. Jeff Swindell (13) 7. Greg Hodnett (14) 8. Danny Lasoski (15) 9. Steve Kinser (18) 10. Johnny Herrera (16) 11. Jerry Richert Jr. (8) 12. Randy Smith (4) 13. Steve Kent (6) 14. Randy Hannagan (10) 15. Marlon Jones (24) 16. Lance Blevins (11) 17. Leonard Lee (19) 18. Brent Antill (21) 19. Scott Whitworth (23) 20. Tim Baker (22) 21. Kevin Doty (20) 22. Skip Jackson (12) 23. Joe Gaerte (9) 24. John Kearney (3) DNS – Mark Kinser, Dave Blaney, Andy Hillenburg. **Lap Leaders:** McCarl 1-10, Dollansky 11-25.

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No Heats Run (10 car invert based on points for the A main)

B main (started), 10 laps, NT: 1. 24, Dwight Snodgrass, Indianola, IA (12) 2. 41s, Kent Severson, Omaha, NE (1) 3. 00, Larry Weeks, Montezuma, IA (4) / 4. 82, Dave Van Heukelom, Pella, IA (5) 5. 27T, Chris Tice, Lynnville, IA (8) 6. 9, Pat Moore, Moline, IL (13) 7. 7s, Tim St. Arnold, Des Moines, IA (9) 8. 17, Billy Bell, Colfax, IA (11) 9. 9H, Ed Ergenbright, Newton, IA (7) 10. 29m, Eric Mason, Knoxville, IA (10) 11. 52, Walt Esch, Des Moines, IA (2) 12. 34, Tim Deaver, Knoxville, IA (3) 13. 1, Terry Thomas, Knoxville, IA (6)

A main (started), 15 laps, 5:02.8: 1. 26, Lee Nelson, Ankeny, IA (8) 2. 41, Virgil Brandt, Des Moines, IA (2) 3. 7x, Terry Alexander, Knoxville, IA (3) 4. 11L, Larry Pinegar II, Des Moines, IA (10) 5. 22, Eddie Leavitt Jr., Knoxville, IA (1) 6. 48, Bob Thompson, Des Moines, IA (5) 7. 5G, Brett Golik, Newton, IA (4) 8. 16H, Jeff Haines, Oskaloosa, IA (7) 9. 18, Bruce Drottz, Des Moines, IA (12) 10. 57, Steve Breazeale, Pleasantville, IA (9) 11. 4, Steve Wares, Knoxville, IA (20) 12. 16, Kenny Williams, Blakesburg, IA (11) 13. 8B, Bruce Williams, Pleasant Hill, IA (6) 14. 20, Mark Wilson, Des Moines, IA (13) 15. 88, Tim Holzworth, Valeria, IA (15) 16. 11, Archie Ergenbright, Newton, IA (18) 17. 12x, Jerry Crabb, Des Moines, IA (16) 18. Kent Severson (17) 19. 23, Ed Rotert, Mount Ayr, IA (14) 20. Larry Weeks (19) DNS – Tom Lenz, Dwight Snodgrass, Mike Houseman. **Lap Leaders:** Brandt 1-13, Nelson 14-15.

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Aussie Moyle Nabs First Knoxville Feature Win

by Bob Wilson

Australian Jaymie Moyle became a first time winner at Knoxville Raceway as he guided his self-owned American Challenge Sprinter to a 20-lap feature event victory Saturday night.

Moyle, a Knoxvillian by summer residence, utilized his front row starting position to grab the lead at the outset and sped away to a slight margin over his nearest competitor. Fellow front row starter Randy Martin was the first to apply pressure and the Steve Beitler gave chase to just past the half-way point of the 10-mile event.

It was at that juncture that Moyle encountered lapped traffic and became encumbered by several cars. Aussie countryman Skip Jackson then began to challenge for the top spot but Moyle was able to withstand the Jackson moves.

A series of three yellow flags slowed the event and on each restart, Moyle was able to hold the advantage and pull away. The win was worth \$2,500 to the Moyle team.

Beitler made a late race pass of Jackson to claim second, Jackson was third, Jerry Richert, Jr. took passing honors from a sixth row start to claim fourth and Randy Martin took fifth. Rounding out the top ten finishers were Dennis Moore, Jr., Craig Dollansky, John Kearney, Marlon Jones and Terry McCarl. Track points leader Johnny Herrera failed to make the feature, having crashed in the B Feature.

In the Knoxville 360 Sprint division, Larry Pinegar II won his fourth feature event of the season and extended his points lead in the Skoal Racing Limited Sprints Points series. Brett Golik was second, Tim St. Arnold finished third and Eddie Leavitt, Jr. took fourth.

In trackside ceremonies during the evening, five men were inducted into the Knoxville Raceway Hall of Fame. New inductees were Max Rogers, Gary Swenson, Sonny Smyser, Dick Dunkin, Jr. and Howard Albright.

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Time Trials (Qualifying Order): 1. 55, Craig Dollansky, Elk River, MN (27) 16.391; 2. 1, Brent Antill, Huxley, IA (14) 16.397; 3. 0, Randy Smith, Mount Ayr, IA (16) 16.425; 4. 24, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (10) 16.427; 5. 5, Johnny Herrera, Tempe, AZ (26) 16.433; 6. J1, Marlon Jones, Sioux Falls, SD (15) 16.450; 7. 12, Dennis Moore Jr., Grinnell, IA (6) 16.490; 8. 19, Bob Weuve, Newton, IA (9) 16.496; 9. 10, Skip Jackson, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (13) 16.610; 10. 21, Steve Beitler, Sedro Woolley, WA (30) 16.620; 11. 3Y, Danny Young, Des Moines, IA (31) 16.634; 12. 56, Chris Walraven, Knoxville, IA (32) 16.653; 13. 16L, Leonard Lee, Milo, IA (7) 16.692; 14. 4, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (24) 16.694; 15. 14m, Randy Martin, California, MO (23) 16.727; 16. 81, Jerry Richert Jr., Forest Lake, MN (11) 16.729; 17. 2x, Shawn Moore, Moline, IL (1) 16.761; 18. 86T, Tod Bishop, Harrisburg, IL (25) 16.801; 19. 7, Kim Mock, Kenosha, WI (28) 16.898; 20. 51J, Ryan Jamison, Burlington, IA (3) 16.942; 21. 69, Mark Smyser, Lancaster, MO (8) 17.073; 22. 86, John Kearney, Ozawkie, KS (21) 17.098; 23. 71, Manny Rockhold, Pekin, IL (19) 17.158; 24. 62, Rod Holliday, Springfield, IL (4) 17.159; 25. 96, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (29) 17.208; 26. 57c, Troy Parsons, Altoona, IA (2) 17.225; 27. 1K, Tony Moro, Des Moines, IA (22) 17.360; 28. 2H, Wayne Redmond, Fort Dodge, IA (20) 17.465; 29. 7H, John Hall, Marion, IA (12) 17.574; 30. D1, Dan Oswalt, Iola, KS (18) 17.705; 31. 14, Doran Doty, Des Moines, IA (5) 17.916; 32. 9z, Rick Haas, Lincoln, NE (17) 17.918.

Heat one (started), 8 laps, 2:12.6: 1. John Kearney (1) 2. Jerry Richert Jr. (3) 3. Kim Mock (2) 4. Dennis Moore Jr. (6) 5. Craig Dollansky (8) 6. Steve Beitler (5) / 7. Leonard Lee (4) 8. Terry McCarl (7) 9. Scott Whitworth (9) 10. Doran Doty (11) 11. Wayne Redmond (10)

Heat two (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Manny Rockhold (1) 2. Brent Antill (8) 3. Shawn Moore (3) 4. Jaymie Moyle (4) 5. Danny Young (5) 6. Bob Weuve (6) / 7. Troy Parsons (9) 8. John Hall (10) 9. Rick Haas (11) 10. Johnny Herrera (7) 11. Ryan Jamison (2)

Heat three (started), 8 laps, 2:16.0: 1. Randy Martin (4) 2. Rod Holliday (1) 3. Skip Jackson (6) 4. Tod Bishop (3) 5. Mark Smyser (2) 6. Marlon Jones (7) / 7. Chris Walraven (5) 8. Randy Smith (8) 9. Tony Moro (9) 10. Dan Oswalt (10)

B main (started), 10 laps, NT: 1. Randy Smith (1) 2. Terry McCarl (2) / 3. Chris Walraven (3) 4. Troy Parsons (6) 5. Scott Whitworth (5) 6. Tony Moro (9) 7. John Hall (11) 8. Dan Oswalt (10) 9. Wayne Redmond (8) 10. Leonard Lee (4) 11. Johnny Herrera (7) 12. Doran Doty (12) DNS – Ryan Jamison, Rick Haas

A main (started), 20 laps, NT: 1. Jaymie Moyle (2) 2. Steve Beitler (4) 3. Skip Jackson (5) 4. Jerry Richert Jr. (11) 5. Randy Martin (1) 6. Dennis Moore Jr. (7) 7. Craig Dollansky (10) 8. John Kearney (16) 9. Marlon Jones (8) 10. Terry McCarl (20) 11. Shawn Moore (12) 12. Danny Young (3) 13. Brent Antill (9) 14. Bob Weuve (6)

15. Manny Rockhold (17) 16. Rod Holliday (18) 17. Kim Mock (14) 18. Tod Bishop (13) 19. Randy Smith (19) 20. Mark Smyser (15). **Lap Leader:** Moyle 1-20.

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Heat one (started), 6 laps, 1:48.2: 1. 4, Steve Wares, Knoxville, IA (2) 2. 26, Lee Nelson, Ankeny, IA (4) 3. 16, Kenny Williams, Blakesburg, IA (1) 4. 8B, Bruce Williams, Pleasant Hill, IA (10) 5. 18, Bruce Drottz, Des Moines, IA (6) 6. 88, Tim Holzworth, Valeria, IA (8) / 7. 57, Steve Breazeale, Pleasantville, IA (9) 8. 23, Ed Rotert, Mount Ayr, IA (11) 9. 29m, Eric Mason, Knoxville, IA (3) 10. 1, Terry Thomas, Knoxville, IA (5) 11. 7x, Terry Alexander, Knoxville, IA (7)

Heat two (started), 6 laps, 1:50.9: 1. 17, Billy Bell, Colfax, IA (1) 2. 7s, Tim St. Arnold, Des Moines, IA (2) 3. 11L, Larry Pinegar II, Des Moines, IA (6) 4. 22, Eddie Leavitt Jr., Knoxville, IA (3) 5. 9s, Pat Moore, Moline, IL (4) 6. 12x, Jerry Crabb, Des Moines, IA (5) / 7. 16H, Jeff Haines, Oskaloosa, IA (8) 8. 00, Larry Weeks, Montezuma, IA (7) 9. 82, Dave Van Heukelom, Pella, IA (10) 10. 80x, Mike Houseman, Des Moines, IA (9)

Heat three (started), 6 laps, 1:49.7: 1. 11, Archie Ergenbright, Newton, IA (2) 2. 41s, Kent Severson, Omaha, NE (1) 3. 48, Bob Thompson, Des Moines, IA (3) 4. 5G, Brett Golik, Newton, IA (7) 5. 41, Virgil Brandt, Des Moines, IA (5) 6. 80, Duane Van Heukelom, Colfax, IA (8) / 7. 20, Mark Wilson, Des Moines, IA (6) 8. 27T, Chris Tice, Lynnville, IA (4) 9. 9H, Ed Ergenbright, Newton, IA (9) DNS – 9, Jim Strobel, Sigourney, IA

B main (started), 8 laps, 2:29.6: 1. Mark Wilson (2) 2. Jeff Haines (1) / 3. Dave Van Heukelom (3) 4. Mike Houseman (5) 5. Ed Ergenbright (6) 6. Chris Tice (4) DNS – Larry Weeks, Steve Breazeale, Ed Rotert, Jim Strobel, Terry Alexander, Terry Thomas, Eric Mason

A main (started), 15 laps, NT: 1. Larry Pinegar II (3) 2. Brett Golik (1) 3. Tim St. Arnold (6) 4. Eddie Leavitt Jr. (12) 5. Archie Ergenbright (8) 6. Duane Van Heukelom (18) 7. Bruce Drottz (13) 8. Kent Severson (5) 9. Steve Wares (10) 10. Bob Thompson (2) 11. Virgil Brandt (15) 12. Tim Holzworth (16) 13. Jerry Crabb (17) 14. Kenny Williams (4) 15. Bruce Williams (11) 16. Lee Nelson (7) 17. Pat Moore (14) 18. Billy Bell (9) 19. Mark Wilson (19) 20. Jeff Haines (20). **Lap Leaders:** K. Williams 1-2, Pinegar 3, K. Williams 4, Pinegar 5-15.

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McCarl and Herrera Capture Knoxville Twin Sixteens

by Bob Wilson

Terry McCarl and Johnny Herrera each won feature events at Knoxville Raceway during the annual Twin 16s Saturday night.

McCarl, who began the race on the pole of the first 16-lapper, was outragged to the first turn at the start by fellow front row starter Craig Dollansky. Dollansky grabbed the lead for the initial eight circuits with McCarl in close pursuit.

McCarl dove under the leader in turn one of the ninth circuit, ran side by side down the backstretch and gained the lead going into turn three. From that point on he held control of the event to capture his third win on the season here in the McCroskey Maxim. He was paid \$1,500 for his efforts.

Dollansky was a close second, Herrera took third, Danny Young was fourth and Leonard Lee took passing honors to claim fifth from a sixth row start. Rounding out the top ten finishers were Steve Beitler, Marlon Jones, Shawn Moore, Jaymie Moyle and Skip Jackson.

With the second feature completely inverted, Tony Moro was the leader for the first six circuits on the half-mile oval. Lap seven saw Herrera move to the outside of the track and take the point position coming out of turn two and going into turn three.

Herrera then moved away from the field to register his second win of the year in the Guy Forbrook Schnee. Dollansky was second but was unable to make up the distance in the huge gap Herrera had created early in the event. Dennis Moore, Jr. took third, Jaymie Moyle was fourth and Jerry Richert, Jr. came from the rear of the event to register a fifth place finish. Danny Young, Shawn Moore, Kim Mock, Moro and Bob Weuve rounded out the top ten finishers. McCarl, the winner of the first feature, was involved in a first lap skirmish and was unable to restart.

Twin Twelve features for the Knoxville 360 Sprints were captured by Terry Alexander and Bruce Drottz. In the first feature, Alexander took a mid-race lead to claim his third career win here and in the second inverted feature, Drottz opened a huge lead to win going away and likewise win his third career feature on Knoxville soil.

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Time Trials (Qualifying Order): 1. 24, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (4) 15.616; 2. 55, Craig Dollansky, Elk River, MN (11) 15.724; 3. 5, Johnny Herrera, Tempe, AZ (30) 15.830; 4. 81, Jerry Richert Jr., Forest Lake, MN (1) 15.920; 5. 1, Brent Antill, Huxley, IA (27) 15.933; 6. 14m, Randy Martin, California, MO (7) 15.935; 7. 86, John Kearney, Ozawkie, KS (9) 15.937; 8. 0, Randy Smith, Mount Ayr, IA (18) 15.975; 9. J1, Marlon Jones, Sioux Falls, SD (14) 15.988; 10. 4, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (31) 16.005; 11. 96, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (5) 16.015; 12. 3Y, Danny Young, Des Moines, IA (17) 16.076; 13. 56, Chris Walraven, Knoxville, IA (8) 16.094; 14. 2x, Shawn Moore, Moline, IL (2) 16.101; 15. 21, Steve Beitler, Sedro Woolley, WA (23) 16.121; 16. 10, Skip Jackson, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (32) 16.126; 17. 86T, Tod Bishop, Harrisburg, IL (20) 16.156; 18. 16L, Leonard Lee, Milo, IA (22) 16.156; 19. 12, Dennis Moore Jr., Grinnell, IA (25) 16.232; 20. 2m, Tony Moro, Des Moines, IA (21) 16.273; 21. 71, Manny Rockhold, Pekin, IL (10) 16.287; 22. D1, Dan Oswalt, Iola, KS (6) 16.288; 23. 19, Bob Weuve, Newton, IA (3) 16.304; 24. 7, Kim Mock, Kenosha, WI (26) 16.338; 25. 20m, Dave Moulis, Fox Lake, IL (19) 16.364; 26. 3B, Ryan Jamison, Burlington, IA (13) 16.451; 27. 8, Butch Hanssen, Sioux Falls, SD (24) 16.581; 28. 11, Kevin Whitworth, Sedalia, MO (16) 16.653; 29. 69, Mark Smyser, Lancaster, MO (28) 16.734; 30. 57c, Troy Parsons, Altoona, IA (29) 16.809; 31. 2H, Wayne Redmond, Fort Dodge, IA (12) 16.832; 32. 14, Doran Doty, Des Moines, IA (15) 16.892.

Heat one (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Tod Bishop (2) 2. Terry McCarl (6) 3. Manny Rockhold (1) 4. Marlon Jones (4) / 5. Brent Antill (5) 6. Chris Walraven (3) 7. Mark Smyser (8) 8. Dave Moulis (7)

Heat two (started), 8 laps, 2:11.8: 1. Leonard Lee (2) 2. Jaymie Moyle (4) 3. Shawn Moore (3) 4. Craig Dollansky (6) / 5. Randy Martin (5) 6. Dan Oswalt (1) 7. Troy Parsons (8) 8. Ryan Jamison (7)

Heat three (started), 8 laps, 2:13.6: 1. Steve Beitler (3) 2. Dennis Moore Jr. (2) 3. Bob Weuve (1) 4. Johnny Herrera (6) / 5. Scott Whitworth (4) 6. John Kearney (5) 7. Butch Hanssen (7) 8. Doran Doty (8)

Heat four (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Tony Moro (2) 2. Kim Mock (1) 3. Danny Young (4) 4. Skip Jackson (3) / 5. Jerry Richert Jr. (6) 6. Kevin Whitworth (7) 7. Randy Smith (5) DNS – Wayne Redmond

B main (started), 12 laps, 3:24.6: 1. Jerry Richert Jr. (1) 2. Brent Antill (2) 3. Randy Martin (3) 4. John Kearney (4) 5. Chris Walraven (6) 6. Scott Whitworth (5) 7. Ryan Jamison (10) 8. Dave Moulis (9) 9. Dan Oswalt (8) 10. Kevin Whitworth (12) 11. Mark Smyser (13) 12. Butch Hanssen (11) 13. Randy Smith (7) 14. Troy Parsons (14) 15. Doran Doty (15) DNS – Wayne Redmond

A main #1 (started), 16 laps, NT: 1. Terry McCarl (1) 2. Craig Dollansky (2) 3. Johnny Herrera (3) 4. Danny Young (6) 5. Leonard Lee (11) 6. Steve Beitler (8) 7. Marlon Jones (4) 8. Shawn Moore (7) 9. Jaymie Moyle (5) 10. Skip Jackson (9) 11. Manny Rockhold (14) 12. Dennis Moore Jr. (12) 13. Kim Mock (16) 14. Tony Moro (13) 15. Bob Weuve (15) 16. Tod Bishop (10). **Lap Leader:** Dollansky 1-8, McCarl 9-16.

A main #2 (started), 16 laps, NT: 1. Johnny Herrera (12) 2. Craig Dollansky (13) 3. Dennis Moore Jr. (4) 4. Jaymie Moyle (7) 5. Jerry Richert Jr. (15) 6. Danny Young (11) 7. Shawn Moore (8) 8. Kim Mock (3) 9. Tony Moro (2) 10. Bob Weuve (1) 11. Manny Rockhold (5) 12. Skip Jackson (6) 13. Marlon Jones (9) 14. Brent Antill (16) 15. Terry McCarl (14) 16. Leonard Lee (10) DNS – Steve Beitler, Tod Bishop. **Lap Leaders:** Moro 1-6, Herrera 7-16.

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First Heat (started), 6 laps, NT: 1. 12x, Jerry Crabb, Des Moines, IA (2) 2. 23, Ed Rotert, Mount Ayr, IA (6) 3. 22, Eddie Leavitt Jr., Knoxville, IA (3) 4. 71x, Chuck Hines, Marshall, MO (5) / 5. 9, Jim Strobel, Sigourney, IA (9) 6. 82, Dave Van Heukelom, Pella, IA (1) 7. 11, Archie Ergenbright, Newton, IA (7) 8. 80, Duane Van Heukelom, Colfax, IA (8) 9. 24, Dwight Snodgrass, Indianola, IA (4)

Heat two (started), 6 laps, NT: 1. 7x, Terry Alexander, Knoxville, IA (6) 2. 41, Virgil Brandt, Des Moines, IA (1) 3. 8B, Bruce Williams, Pleasant Hill, IA (5) 4. 48, Bob Thompson, Des Moines, IA (2) / 5. 41B, Nick Bellino, Omaha, NE (3) 6. 9H, Ed Ergenbright, Newton, IA (8) 7. 29m, Adam Mason, Knoxville, IA (9) 8. 51, Steve Johnson, Orion, IL (7) 9. 88, Tim Holzworth, Valeria, IA (4)

Heat three (started), 6 laps, 1:45.7: 1. 16, Kenny Williams, Blakesburg, IA (2) 2. 17, Billy Bell, Colfax, IA (1) 3. 11L, Larry Pinegar II, Des Moines, IA (5) 4. 91, Jeff Griffis, Council Bluffs, IA (3) / 5. 4, Steve Wares, Knoxville, IA (7) 6. 41s, Kent Severson, Omaha, NE (6) 7. 10, Mike Trent, Columbia, MO (4) 8. 00, Larry Weeks, Montezuma, IA (8)

Heat four (started), 6 laps, 1:46.1: 1. 16H, Jeff Haines, Oskaloosa, IA (1) 2. 57, Steve Breazeale, Pleasantville, IA (4) 3. 26, Lee Nelson, Ankeny, IA (6) 4. 18, Bruce Drottz, Des Moines, IA (3) / 5. 20, Mark Wilson, Des Moines, IA (5) 6. 27T, Chris Tice, Lynnville, IA (2) DNS – 5G, Brett Golik, Newton, IA, 1, Terry Thomas, Knoxville, IA

B main (started), 10 laps, 3:00.8 (NTR): 1. Steve Wares (2) 2. Nick Bellino (1) 3. Mark Wilson (3) 4. Ed Ergenbright (4) 5. Brett Golik (12) 6. Mike Trent (8) 7. Kent Severson (5) 8. Larry Weeks (10) 9. Chris Tice (6) 10. Adam Mason (7) 11. Terry Thomas (15) 12. Jim Strobel (14) 13. Steve Johnson (9) 14. Dwight Snodgrass (13) DNS – Archie Ergenbright, Tim Holzworth, Duane Van Heukelom, Dave Van Heukelom

A main #1 (started), 12 laps, 3:38.4 (NTR): 1. Terry Alexander (3) 2. Jeff Haines (1) 3. Steve Breazeale (8) 4. Kenny Williams (4) 5. Larry Pinegar II (11) 6. Bruce Williams (10) 7. Jerry Crabb (2) 8. Billy Bell (7) 9. Lee Nelson (12) 10. Ed Rotert (5) 11. Virgil Brandt (6) 12. Chuck Hines (13) 13. Jeff Griffis (15) 14. Bruce Drottz (16) 15. Eddie Leavitt Jr. (9) 16. Bob Thompson (14). **Lap Leaders:** Haines 1-7, T. Alexander 8-12.

A main #2 (started), 12 laps, 3:41.9: 1. Bruce Drottz (3) 2. Bob Thompson (1) 3. Eddie Leavitt Jr. (2) 4. Lee Nelson (8) 5. Bruce Williams (11) 6. Chuck Hines (5) 7. Larry Pinegar II (12) 8. Steve Breazeale (14) 9. Jeff Griffis (4) 10. Jeff Haines (15) 11. Terry Alexander (16) 12. Virgil Brandt (6) 13. Kenny Williams (13) 14. Ed Rotert (7) 15. Billy Bell (9) 16. Jerry Crabb (10). **Lap Leader:** Drottz 1-12.

7/15/95

Rain Cancels Knoxville Speedweek Opener

by Bob Wilson

Knoxville, IA – The weekly sprint car races at Knoxville Raceway were rained out when a storm struck the fairgrounds just after 6:00 pm.

The event was to be the kick-off race to the first ever Knoxville SpeedWeek featuring seven nights of racing in eight days.

7/16/95

Mark Fee is Marion County Fair Enduro Champ

by Bob Wilson

Knoxville, IA – Mark Fee of Knoxville took the lead late in the race to capture the 9th annual Marion County Fair Enduro 200 Sunday night at Knoxville Raceway.

Fee, who has been a top ten finisher in several enduro races at the fairgrounds, was a lucky finisher as his car ran out of fuel shortly after taking the checkered flag at the end of the two-hour time limit. He had completed 166 laps, but was able to coast around the half-mile oval and come to a halt at the finish line where he accepted a \$1,000 check for his efforts.

The race saw four leaders but it was Fee who came to the front just prior to the 150-lap mark when leader Chuck Gaulke of Ankeny began to falter. It was later learned that Gaulke too had run short on fuel. He salvaged an eighth place finish.

Indianola driver Dan Nicholson placed second one lap down to Fee. Third went to Jon Orwig of Monroe. Travis Hansaker of Melcher was fourth and Kenny Miller of Des Moines claimed fifth.

A crowd estimated at 2,500 saw a record ten red flags halt the event at various stages. 91 cars were entered in the two-hour time limited race.

Results

Feature Finish (laps completed): 1. 75K, Mark Fee, Knoxville, IA (166) 2. 2, Dan Nicholson, Indianola, IA (165) 3. 7J, Jon Orwig, Monroe, IA (164) 4. 52, Travis Hansaker, Melcher, IA (163) 5. 1K, Kenny Miller, Des Moines, IA (162) 6. 1R, Ron Meinders, Rose Hill, IA (159) 7. 41, Mike Worthington, Knoxville, IA (157) 8. 18, Chuck Gaulke, Ankeny, IA (156) 9. 28, Ryan Lundy, Knoxville, IA (155) 10. 77x, Jim Reynolds, Des Moines, IA (155) 11. 44, Joe Kane, Pella, IA (154) 12. 4, Jesse Duinink, Pella, IA (147) 13. 43, Greg Coalbank, Knoxville, IA (146) 14. 20, Greg Wickett, Milo, IA (145) 15. 6, Chris Clingman, Knoxville, IA (145) 16. 70, Ryan Cambra, Indianola, IA (144) 17. 53, Todd Mapes, Cumming, IA (134) 18. 77, Dennis Binns, Knoxville, IA (129) 19. 02, Terry DeGoey, Knoxville, IA (122) 20. 15B, Mike DeJong, Knoxville, IA (122)

7/18/95

O'Reilly Auto Parts All-Star Series

Late Model Winner: Willy Kraft, Lakefield, MN

Modified Winner: Tim Donlinger, Rochester, MN

7/19/95

Steve Kinser Continues Winning Form in WoO Knoxville Sprints

by Bob Wilson

Only Steve Kinser and Sammy Swindell have won World of Outlaws Sprint Car feature events during the annual Marion County Fair and Wednesday night was no exception as Kinser swept to a 25-lap main event win at Knoxville Raceway.

Andy Hillenburg was in charge of the race for the first two circuits, but Kinser swept by for the lead on a third-lap restart which saw current WoO point leader Jac Haudenschild exit to the pits with an expired engine. Dave Blaney and Jeff Swindell also passed Hillenburg on the restart when he became crossed-up on the low side of the track.

Once Kinser was in front he toured the half-mile oval on the high side as the preferred line had moved to that portion of the track. Blaney followed the Kinser machine but was only able to catch him when the front runners encountered lapped traffic. The slower cars proved to be Blaney's undoing as Swindell got by Blaney in traffic ant the five-mile mark.

Two additional yellow flags did not slow the Kinser assault on the Knoxville oval as Swindell could not catch the 10-time Knoxville Nationals champion. In the end, Kinser swept by the flagstand to record his 46th career win at this historic race plant and receive \$6,000 for his efforts.

Swindell followed in second at a 3-yard distance and Blaney came across the line for third. Hillenburg took fourth. Danny Lasoski, aboard the Al Hamilton sprinter for the first time was fifth. Rounding out the top ten finishers were Keith Kauffman (in the Lasoski-vacated Gil Sonner sprinter), Johnny Herrera, Stevie Smith, Terry McCarl and Craig Dollansky.

Tragedy struck during the evening when Danny Young of Des Moines was critically injured during the first heat event. It was the first fatality at the Knoxville track since 1982.

Qualifying heat events were won by Kinser, Greg Hodnett, Herrera and Hillenburg. Kinser was the top time trial qualifier among the 46 cars on hand. Lasoski took the B Main and Hillenburg won the dash.

Results

Time Trials (Qualifying Order): 1. 11, Steve Kinser, Bloomington, IN (44) 15.952; 2. 10, Dave Blaney, Cortland, OH (14) 15.596; 3. 1, Sammy Swindell, Cordova, TN (39) 16.014; 4. 2, Andy Hillenburg, Broken Arrow, OK (9) 5. 22, Jac Haudenschild, Wooster, OH (17) 16.139; 6. 7TW, Jeff Swindell, Memphis, TN (4) 7. 47, Keith Kauffman, Mifflintown, PA (26) 16.209; 8. 4, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (33) 16.238; 9. 71m, Stevie Smith, New Oxford, PA (40) 16.245; 10. 24, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (6) 16.246; 11. 1x, Randy Hannagan, San Jose, CA (13) 16.248; 12. 0, Randy Smith, Mount Ayr, IA (7) 16.288; 13. 77, Danny Lasoski, Dover, MO (22) 16.299; 14. J1, Marlon Jones, Sioux Falls, SD (20) 16.327; 15. 5, Johnny Herrera, Tempe, AZ (19) 16.335; 16. 86, John Kearney, Ozawkie, KS (15) 16.343; 17. 21L, Lance Blevins, Broken Arrow, OK (24) 16.374; 18. 8TW, Greg Hodnett, Memphis, TN (16) 16.418; 19. 21, Steve Beitler, Sedro Woolley, WA (10) 16.432; 20. 12, Dennis Moore Jr., Grinnell, IA (21) 16.457; 21. 1J, Brent Antill, Huxley, IA (35) 16.462; 22. 55, Craig Dollansky, Elk River, MN (32) 16.469; 23. 10V, Skip Jackson, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (31) 16.499; 24. 97, Chad Mellenberndt, Sioux Falls, SD (11) 16.563; 25. 3Y, Danny Young, Des Moines, IA (46) 16.582; 26. 56, Chris Walraven, Knoxville, IA (34) 16.628; 27. 81, Jerry Richert Jr., Forest Lake, MN (5) 16.651; 28. 19, Bob Weuve, Newton, IA (37) 16.676; 29. 96, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (1) 16.683; 30. 16L, Leonard Lee,

Milo, IA (42) 16.740; 31. D1, Dan Oswalt, Iola, KS (2) 16.806; 32. 2m, Tony Moro, Des Moines, IA (43) 16.878; 33. 14, Doran Doty, Des Moines, IA (23) 16.920; 34. 69R, Terry Reilly, Watertown, SD (36) 16.951; 35. 3B, Ryan Jamison, Burlington, IA (28) 17.029; 36. 9, Rich Bubak, Golden, CO (27) 17.153; 37. 69, Mark Smyser, Lancaster, MO (25) 17.313; 38. 14m, Randy Martin, California, MO (38) 17.374; 39. 57c, Troy Parsons, Altoona, IA (8) 17.437; 40. 57, Steve Breazeale, Pleasantville, IA (3) 17.754; 41. 26, Lee Nelson, Ankeny, IA (30) 18.019; 42. 2x, Shawn Moore, Moline, IL (29) 18.057; 43. 1T, Terry Thomas, Knoxville, IA (41) 18.411; 44. 11m, Chris Maurer, Colfax, IA (18) 18.433; 45. 00, Larry Weeks, Montezuma, IA (45) 18.543; 46. 7, Kevin Doty, Milan, IL (12) NT.

Heat One (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Steve Kinser (6) 2. Stevie Smith (4) 3. Brent Antill (1) 4. Jac Haudenschild (5) 5. Lance Blevins (2) / 6. Doran Doty (9) 7. Lee Nelson (11) 8. Larry Weeks (12) 9. Danny Lasoski (3) 10. Danny Young (7) 11. Scott Whitworth (8) 12. Mark Smyser (10)

Heat two (started), 8 laps, 2:14.1: 1. Greg Hodnett (2) 2. Dave Blaney (6) 3. Jeff Swindell (5) 4. Craig Dollansky (1) 5. Terry McCarl (4) / 6. Leonard Lee (8) 7. Marlon Jones (3) 8. Terry Reilly (9) 9. Randy Martin (10) 10. Chris Walraven (7) DNS – Shawn Moore, Kevin Doty

Heat three (started), 8 laps, 2:16.2: 1. Johnny Herrera (3) 2. Sammy Swindell (6) 3. Randy Hannagan (4) 4. Steve Beitler (2) 5. Keith Kauffman (5) / 6. Jerry Richert Jr. (7) 7. Dan Oswalt (8) 8. Ryan Jamison (9) 9. Troy Parsons (10) 10. Terry Thomas (11) 11. Skip Jackson (1)

Heat four (started), 8 laps, 2:16.6: 1. Andy Hillenburg (4) 2. Chad Mellenberndt (1) 3. Dennis Moore Jr. (2) 4. Jaymie Moyle (3) 5. Bob Weuve (5) / 6. Tony Moro (6) 7. Rich Bubak (7) 8. Chris Maurer (9) 9. Steve Breazeale (8) DNS – John Kearney, Randy Smith

Dash (started), 5 laps, 1:24.8: 1. Andy Hillenburg (1) 2. Steve Kinser (4) 3. Sammy Swindell (2) 4. Dave Blaney (3) 5. Jeff Swindell (6) 6. Jac Haudenschild (5) 7. Keith Kauffman (7) 8. Jaymie Moyle (8)

B main (started), 12 laps, NT: 1. Danny Lasoski (3) 2. Marlon Jones (2) 3. Jerry Richert Jr. (6) 4. Tony Moro (10) / 5. Skip Jackson (1) 6. Leonard Lee (8) 7. Randy Smith (4) 8. Rich Bubak (14) 9. Doran Doty (9) 10. Terry Reilly (12) 11. Dan Oswalt (7) 12. Steve Breazeale (18) 13. Chris Maurer (19) 14. Larry Weeks (17) 15. Scott Whitworth (5) 16. Terry Thomas (15) 17. Ryan Jamison (11) 18. Randy Martin (16) 19. Troy Parsons (13) DNS – Lee Nelson, Mark Smyser, Danny Young, Shawn Moore, Kevin Doty, Chris Walraven, John Kearney

A main (started), 20 laps, NT: 1. Steve Kinser (2) 2. Jeff Swindell (5) 3. Dave Blaney (4) 4. Andy Hillenburg (1) 5. Danny Lasoski (12) 6. Keith Kauffman (7) 7. Johnny Herrera (14) 8. Stevie Smith (9) 9. Terry McCarl (10) 10. Craig Dollansky (20) 11. Brent Antill (19) 12. Jerry Richert Jr. (22) 13. Lance Blevins (15) 14. Chad Mellenberndt (21) 15. Dennis Moore Jr. (18) 16. Tony Moro (24) 17. Randy Hannagan (11) 18. Bob Weuve (23) 19. Sammy Swindell (3) 20. Jaymie Moyle (8) 21. Greg Hodnett (16) 22. Steve Beitler (17) 23. Marlon Jones (13) 24. Jac Haudenschild (6). **Lap Leaders:** Hillenburg 1-2, S. Kinser 3-25.

7/20/95

Donlinger Scores Knoxville Harris Clash Win

by Bob Wilson

Knoxville, IA – Tim Donlinger of Rochester, MN has taken a liking to the Marion County Fairgrounds as the driver from the “Land of 10,000 Lakes” swept to two modified feature event wins at Knoxville Raceway during Speedweek racing events at this Iowa speed facility.

Donlinger, who scored his first feature event win on Tuesday, came back to take yet another at the Harris Clash Series for IMCA modifieds on Thursday night. The win paid Donlinger \$1,000 for his efforts.

The early portion of the race seemed to be nothing but a series of yellow flags until after a seventh lap restart. The event went non-stop until near the end. During the green portion, Randy Schroeder and Jeff Mitrising chased Donlinger closely, but were never able to make challenging bids for the lead. With Donlinger and Schroeder running the high cushion, Mitrising worked the bottom until a late race caution once again slowed the event one lap from the finish.

Back in the pack, several cars had slowly clawed their way to the front. Sprint car star, Danny Lasoski, who in the early portion of the race had become involved in a yellow flag incident and was forced to restart on the tail, had become a solid top ten runner. Wayne Larson, Andy Claiborne and John Moore, who along with Lasoski, had transferred out of the B mains but were now running in the top ten.

When the race resumed after the final yellow flag, Donlinger took the checkered flag with a blanket finish showing Schroeder edging Mitrising and a charging Gordy Grubb. Lasoski tallied the fifth spot with Kelly Shryock, Dave Farren, Larson, Claiborne and Moore rounding out the top ten finishers.

A total of 95 IMCA modifieds took part in the fifteen event program.

Results

Heat one, 8 laps, 3:09.6, NTR: 1. Tim Donlinger, Rochester, MN 2. Troy Folkerts, Albia, IA / 3. John Moore, Nevada, IA 4. Doug Keller, St. Joseph, MO 5. Mike Henja, Ventura, IA

Heat two, 8 laps, 3:12.8: 1. Gene Claxton, Kansas City, MO 2. RD Flaws, Fort Dodge, IA / 3. Rick Gustin, Marshalltown, IA 4. Scott Van Buskirk, Hedrick, IA 5. Joe College, Earlham, IA

Heat three, 8 laps, 3:12.0: 1. Jack Byers, Spencer, IA 2. Bill Davis, Des Moines, IA / 3. Jeff Gorman, Ogden, IA 4. Danny Lasoski, Dover, MO 5. Russ Byriel, Ankeny, IA

Heat four, 8 laps, 3:10.1: 1. John VanDenBerg, Oskaloosa, IA 2. Marc Robe, Wichita, KS / 3. Wayne Larson, Ames, IA 4. Andy Claiborne, Fort Scott, KS 5. Rick Stephan, South Sioux City, NE

Heat five, 8 laps, NT: 1. Dave Farren, Des Moines, IA 2. Ron Pope, Nevada, IA / 3. Rob Rose, Iowa City, IA 4. Rusty Hilderman, Topeka, KS 5. Mark Dotson, Cameron, MO

Heat six, 8 laps, NT: 1. Dean Mahlstedt, Waterloo, IA 2. Jake Jacobi, Sedalia, MO / 3. Dennis Rodish, West Des Moines, IA 4. Rick Strommen, Juneau, WI 5. Ron Wiemers, Manson, IA

Heat seven, 8 laps, 3:12.7: 1. Randy Schroeder, Sigourney, IA 2. Gordy Grubb, Oskaloosa, IA / 3. Jason Menz, Redwood Falls, MN 4. Mike Steensma, Luverne, MN 5. Donnie Keele, Warsaw, MO

Heat eight, 8 laps, NT: 1. Kelly Shryock, Story City, IA 2. Sonny Smyser, Lancaster, MO / 3. Larry Grafton, Des Moines, IA 4. Tony Efkamp, Boone, IA 5. Mike Heideman, Seneca, KS

Heat nine, 8 laps, NT: 1. Jeff Mitrising, Oskaloosa, IA 2. Corey Dripps, Cedar Falls, IA / 3. Ron Little, Adel, IA 4. Al Hejna, Ventura, IA 5. Kendall Sather, Ankeny, IA

Heat ten, 8 laps, 3:17.4: 1. Thad Trump, Kahoka, MO 2. Todd Wilson, Spickard, MO / 3. Bud Wilson, Trenton, MO 4. Corey Dripps, Cedar Falls, IA 5. Bill Carter, Des Moines, IA

B main #1, 12 laps, NT: 1. Danny Lasoski 2. John Moore / 3. Rob Rose 4. Mark Dotson, Cameron, MO 5. Ron Little

B main #2, 12 laps, NT: 1. Andy Claiborne 2. Joe College / 3. Ricky Lee Stangl, Pleasant Hill, MO 4. Tony Efkamp 5. Robert Avery, Des Moines, IA

B main #3, 12 laps, NT: 1. Eddie Martin, Stilwell, OK 2. Jeff Gorman / 3. Al Hejna 4. Doug Keller 5. Rusty Hilderman

B main #4, 12 laps, NT: 1. Wayne Larson 2. Mike Spilman, Hedrick, IA / 3. Rick Strommen 4. Bill Dillard, Fort Smith, AR 5. Rick Lloyd, Cleveland, MN

A main (started), 25 laps, NT: 1. Tim Donlinger (3) 2. Randy Schroeder (5) 3. Jeff Mitrisin (7) 4. Gordy Grubb (17) 5. Danny Lasoski (21) 6. Kelly Shryock (1) 7. Dave Farren (10) 8. Wayne Larson (24) 9. Andy Claiborne (22) 10. John Moore (25) 11. Ron Pope (15) 12. Mike Spilman (28) 13. Thad Trump (2) 14. Jack Byers (8) 15. Gene Claxton (4) 16. Joe College (26) 17. John VanDenBerg (9) 18. Sonny Smyser (18) 19. Todd Wilson (20) 20. Eddie Martin (23) 21. Jeff Gorman (27) 22. RD Flaws (12) 23. Marc Robe (14) 24. Troy Folkerts (11) 25. Bill Davis (13) 26. Corey Dripps (19) 27. Dean Mahlstedt (6) 28. Jake Jacobi (16).

7/21/95

Whitworth Top 360 Knoxville Nationals Prelim Points Man

by Bob Wilson

Scott Whitworth of Worthington, Missouri earned the pole position in the championship feature for the 5th annual 360 Knoxville Nationals with a points total of 197. Whitworth earned that position by virtue of winning qualifying time trials and taking second in the first heat event.

A Saturday night regular at the Knoxville oval, Whitworth is currently a top runner in the track's 410 sprint division. Several other Knoxville 410 cubic inch sprint car regulars also qualified for the coveted spots in Saturday's A Main. Don Droud, Jr. was second in points with 195 and Terry McCarl took third with 194. Danny Lasoski, Brent Antill and John Kearney were fifth, sixth and seventh respectively.

Defending 360 Nationals champion Lee Nelson placed fourth in the final points standings and was the highest finishing 360 regular. Current Knoxville 360 points leader Larry Pinegar II suffered damage to his car in early evening warm-ups and was not on par the entire evening. He finished 16th in points.

The Friday night venue of the 5th annual 360 Knoxville Nationals saw time trials and five heats only. Drivers were awarded points for those events which qualified them for C, B and A features on Saturday night with a total 2-day purse of nearly \$32,000.

Qualifying heat events were won by Randy Nygaard, Tim Deaver, Jeff Haines, McCarl and Lasoski. Randy Martin slammed the fence in turn four when something broke on his steering during the second heat race. He was uninjured. Early in the evening Martin changed engines prior to time trials. His efforts earned him an 18th place start in Saturday's A feature.

Results

Time Trials (Qualifying Order): 1. 96, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (8) 17.601; 2. 1m, Don Droud Jr., Lincoln, NE (2) 17.891; 3. 26, Lee Nelson, Ankeny, IA (14) 17.907; 4. 11, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (46)

17.929; 5. 45, Danny Lasoski, Dover, MO (33) 17.930; 6. 44, Ricky Logan, Little Rock, AR (17) 17.931; 7. 41s, Kent Severson, Omaha, NE (6) 17.948; 8. 86, John Kearney, Ozawkie, KS (39) 17.979; 9. 1J, Brent Antill, Huxley, IA (51) 18.020; 10. 8B, Bruce Williams, Pleasant Hill, IA (11) 18.028; 11. 7x, Terry Alexander, Knoxville, IA (9) 18.039; 12. 14m, Randy Martin, California, MO (16) 18.057; 13. 0J, Tim Allison, Cridersville, OH (1) 18.096; 14. 17, Billy Bell, Colfax, IA (15) 18.204; 15. 36s, Steve Suever, Elida, OH (10) 18.248; 16. 20, Mark Wilson, Des Moines, IA (31) 18.253; 17. 11L, Larry Pinegar II, Des Moines, IA (22) 18.258; 18. 48, Bob Thompson, Des Moines, IA (21) 18.339; 19. 22, Eddie Leavitt Jr., Knoxville, IA (48) 18.371; 20. 10, Mike Trent, Columbia, MO (12) 18.384; 21. 63, Randy Nygaard, Sioux Falls, SD (29) 18.385; 22. 16, Kenny Williams, Blakesburg, IA (30) 18.416; 23. 71x, Chuck Hines, Marshall, MO (43) 18.507; 24. 88, Tim Holzworth, Valeria, IA (32) 18.512; 25. 86T, Tod Bishop, Harrisburg, IL (24) 18.544; 26. 38, Brad Strayer, Tulsa, OK (3) 18.561; 27. 87, Tim Crawley, Mabelvale, AR (50) 18.571; 28. 18, Bruce Drottz, Des Moines, IA (20) 18.591; 29. 5G, Brett Golik, Newton, IA (40) 18.593; 30. 41, Virgil Brandt, Des Moines, IA (47) 18.652; 31. 80, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (45) 18.659; 32. 34, Tim Deaver, Knoxville, IA (49) 18.743; 33. 16H, Jeff Haines, Oskaloosa, IA (5) 18.751; 34. 00, Larry Weeks, Montezuma, IA (36) 18.769; 35. 57, Steve Breazeale, Pleasantville, IA (7) 18.779; 36. 4, Steve Wares, Knoxville, IA (52) 18.846; 37. 12x, Jerry Crabb, Des Moines, IA (44) 18.851; 38. 9H, Ed Ergenbright, Newton, IA (27) 18.883; 39. 9s, Pat Moore, Moline, IL (25) 19.036; 40. 82, Dave Van Heukelom, Pella, IA (35) 19.069; 41. 6w, Randy Wagler, Danville, IA (26) 19.119; 42. 33v, Dwight Snodgrass, Indianola, IA (42) 19.179; 43. 5, Wayne Williams, Carefree, AZ (41) 19.235; 44. 52s, Scott Sabolich, Oklahoma City, OK (28) 19.252; 45. 1, Terry Thomas, Knoxville, IA (38) 19.395; 46. 29m, Eric Mason, Knoxville, IA (37) 19.579; 47. 6, Mitchell Alexander, Knoxville, IA (4) 19.841; 48. 27T, Chris Tice, Lynnville, IA (23) 20.010; 49. 0N, Dave Nederhoff, Wellsburg, IA (13) 20.231; 50. 71B, Robert Bell, Colfax, IA (19) 20.481; 51. 9, Jim Strobel, Sigourney, IA (34) 21.472; 52. 23, Ed Rotert, Mount Ayr, IA (18) NT.

Heat one (started), 8 laps, 2:28.9: 1. Randy Nygaard (4) 2. Scott Whitworth (8) 3. Steve Wares (1) 4. Terry Alexander (6) 5. Ricky Logan (7) 6. Jaymie Moyle (2) 7. Mark Wilson (5) 8. Brad Strayer (3) 9. Randy Wagler (9) 10. Jim Strobel (10) DNS - Eric Mason

Heat two (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Tim Deaver (2) 2. Don Droud Jr. (8) 3. Tim Crawley (3) 4. Larry Pinegar II (5) 5. Kenny Williams (4) 6. Dwight Snodgrass (9) 7. Jerry Crabb (1) 8. Kent Severson (7) 9. Mitchell Alexander (10) 10. Randy Martin (6) DNS - Ed Rotert

Heat three (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Jeff Haines (2) 2. Lee Nelson (8) 3. John Kearney (7) 4. Tim Allison (6) 5. Bruce Drottz (3) 6. Bob Thompson (5) 7. Ed Ergenbright (1) 8. Wayne Williams (9) 9. Chris Tice (10) 10. Chuck Hines (4)

Heat four (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Terry McCarl (8) 2. Brent Antill (7) 3. Billy Bell (6) 4. Pat Moore (1) 5. Brett Golik (3) 6. Scott Sabolich (9) 7. Eddie Leavitt Jr. (5) 8. Tim Holzworth (4) 9. Dave Nederhoff (10) 10. Larry Weeks (2)

Heat five (started), 8 laps, 2:35.4: 1. Danny Lasoski (8) 2. Tod Bishop (4) 3. Virgil Brandt (3) 4. Steve Suever (6) 5. Bruce Williams (7) 6. Mike Trent (5) 7. Robert Bell (10) 8. Dave Van Heukelom (1) 9. Steve Breazeale (2) 10. Terry Thomas (9)

7/22/95

Danny Lasoski is Fifth Knoxville 360 Nationals Champ

by Bob Wilson

Danny Lasoski drove to his first title win in the 5th annual Knoxville 360ci Nationals at Knoxville Raceway Saturday night. It was his experience in lapped traffic that gained him the victory.

Lasoski, who is a six-time track champion in the 410ci sprint division at this race track, drove the Ray Lipsey-owned Schnee chassis to the win after starting in the third row of the 24-car field. He announced during trackside ceremonies after the race that he would donate his portion of the \$3,500 winning share to the scholarship fund for the daughter of Danny Young. Young lost his life in a wreck at this track on July 20.

The early portion of this Nationals race saw pole sitter Scott Whitworth take the lead on the half-mile oval. His nearest competitor, and fellow front row starter, Don Droud, Jr., was glued to his rear bumper as lap after lap the twosome diced for the top spot.

Just behind the battle for the lead a second skirmish was taking place with Terry McCarl and Lasoski locking horns. Lasoski finally forged ahead of the McCarl mount on the eighth circuit but McCarl kept it close until he exited the event with mechanical woes on the 14th lap.

It was that same lap which saw Lasoski take the lead as he dove under Whitworth in turn one and shot into turn two as the front runner. Whitworth stayed close but Lasoski's experience in lapped traffic had paid off with the exchange of the lead as well as the extension of it.

Three yellow flags slowed the race and when the fourth caution was shown on the 24th lap, track officials allowed all drivers to stop and put fuel into their cars. On the final restart Lasoski pulled away for an uncontested win, his first ever in a 360ci sprint car on Knoxville soil. Whitworth was second and some thirty yards back of the winning Lasoski car.

Droud finished a strong third and Brent Antill placed a close fourth. Larry Pinegar II, a regular Knoxville 360 driver and current points leader of that division, came from an eighth row start to take fifth. Defending 360ci Nationals champion Lee Nelson was sixth, John Kearney finished seventh and Bruce Drottz took passing honors in the 25-lap title race by coming from the very last starting position to gain eighth. Randy Nygaard and Ricky Logan rounded out the top ten finishers.

In the 10-lap C-Main event Dwight Snodgrass led the distance for the win. Tim Crawley utilized a late race restart to edge Eddie Leavitt, Jr. for the B-Main win.

Richert Jr. in Knoxville Sprint Win

by Bob Wilson

Jerry Richert, Jr. captured his second feature event of the season Saturday night at Knoxville Raceway during the final night of racing in the first "Knoxville SpeedWeek".

The win was additionally in conjunction with the fifth annual Knoxville 360 Sprint Nationals, which was run as the premier event of the evening.

Richert, who won the season opener in April, started the event in the third row and methodically picked his way to the front after pole sitter Chad Mellenberndt forged to a 50-yard advantage.

With Mellenberndt in front, it looked to be a Sioux Falls driver's night as fellow South Dakotan Chad Radel closed the gap and began to make a serious challenge just prior to the half-way point of the scheduled 20-lapper.

On the 12th go round, Radel dove to the low side of the track in turns one and two and took the lead. On lap later, Richert accomplished the same fete and a three-car battle for the top spot ensued until Richert won out in a side-by-side battle with Radel on lap 16.

With the top spot settled, all eyes turned to the Danny Lasoski-driven sprint car which had suddenly stormed into contention. Lasoski, who had started in the fifth row of the 20-car field, had locked horns with Terry McCarl for most of the race and, after finally getting around him, he made a torrid run for the front. It was not to be as Lasoski ran out of laps in the non-stop affair.

The win was the 10th career Knoxville victory for Richert, who guided the Marty Johnson Schnee to the \$2,500 finish line. Radel finished a career best second, Lasoski claimed third, Mellenberndt fell to fourth and McCarl took fifth. Rounding out the top ten finishers were John Kearney, Skip Jackson, Leonard Lee, Jaymie Moyle and Manny Rockhold.

During the evening several special tributes were paid to Danny Young, who was killed at this track on Wednesday. Track officials, drivers and crew members lined the entire front chute from turn four to turn one in a silent tribute during the pre-race prayer. Additionally, drivers tied black ribbons to their roll cages to honor his loss and left the pole position of both feature events open as another gesture to him.

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C Main (started), 10 laps, 3:13.5: 1. 33v, Dwight Snodgrass, Indianola, IA (2) 2. 6w, Randy Wagler, Danville, IA (1) 3. 23, Ed Rotert, Mount Ayr, IA (9) 4. 1, Terry Thomas, Knoxville, IA (3) 5. 5, Wayne Williams, Carefree, AZ (4) 6. 27T, Chris Tice, Lynnville, IA (6) / 7. 71B, Robert Bell, Colfax, IA (5) 8. 0N, Dave Nederhoff, Wellsburg, IA (8) 9. 9, Jim Strobel, Sigourney, IA (7) DNS - 00, Larry Weeks, Montezuma, IA, 82, Dave Van Heukelom, Pella, IA, 52s, Scott Sobolich, Oklahoma City, OK, 6, Mitchell Alexander, Knoxville, IA, 29m, Eric Mason, Knoxville, IA

B Main (started), 15 laps, NT: 1. 87, Tim Crawley, Mabelvale, AR (4) 2. 22, Eddie Leavitt Jr., Knoxville, IA (2) 3. 16H, Jeff Haines, Oskaloosa, IA (7) 4. 41, Virgil Brandt, Des Moines, IA (6) 5. 18, Bruce Drottz, Des Moines, IA (8) / 6. 38, Brad Strayer, Tulsa, OK (12) 7. 57, Steve Breazeale, Pleasantville, IA (15) 8. 88, Tim Holzworth, Valeria, IA (9) 9. 4, Steve Wares, Knoxville, IA (14) 10. 5G, Brett Golik, Newton, IA (10) 11. 34, Tim Deaver, Knoxville, IA (5) 12. 80, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (11) 13. 9H, Ed Ergenbright, Newton, IA (18) 14. 9s, Pat Moore, Moline, IL (13) 15. 16, Kenny Williams, Blakesburg, IA (3) 16. 27T, Chris Tice, Lynnville, IA (19) 17. 10, Mike Trent, Columbia, MO (1) 18. Dwight Snodgrass (17) 19. 12x, Jerry Crabb, Des Moines, IA (16) 20. 1, Terry Thomas, Knoxville, IA (20) DNS - 71x, Chuck Hines, Marshall, MO, Randy Wagler, Ed Rotert, Wayne Williams

360 Nationals Championship (started), 25 laps, NT: 1. 45, Danny Lasoski, Dover, MO (5) 2. 96, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (1) 3. 1m, Don Droud Jr., Lincoln, NE (2) 4. 1J, Brent Antill, Huxley, IA (6) 5. 11L, Larry Pinegar II, Des Moines, IA (16) 6. 26, Lee Nelson, Ankeny, IA (4) 7. 86, John Kearney, Ozawkie, KS (7) 8. Bruce Drottz (24) 9. 63, Randy Nygaard, Sioux Falls, SD (15) 10. 44, Ricky Logan, Little Rock, AR (8) 11. Jeff Haines (23) 12. 48, Bob Thompson, Des Moines, IA (19) 13. 8B, Bruce Williams, Pleasant Hill, IA (10) 14. 20, Mark Wilson, Des Moines, IA (17) 15. 0J, Tim Allison, Cridersville, OH (13) 16. Eddie Leavitt Jr. (20) 17. 41, Virgil Brandt, Des Moines, IA (22) 18. 41s, Kent Severson, Omaha, NE (12) 19. 36s, Steve Suever, Elida, OH (14) 20. 17, Billy Bell, Colfax, IA (11) 21. 7x, Terry Alexander, Knoxville, IA (9) 22. 86T, Tod Bishop, Harrisburg, IL (18) 23. Tim Crawley (21) 24. 11, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (3) DNS - 14m, Randy Martin, California, MO. **Lap Leaders:** Whitworth 1-13; Lasoski 14-25.

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Time Trials (Qualifying Order): 1. 56, Chris Walraven, Knoxville, IA (17) 16.045; 2. 77, Danny Lasoski, Dover, MO (13) 16.143; 3. 4, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (18) 16.182; 4. 24, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (23) 16.238; 5. 21, Steve Beitler, Sedro Woolley, WA (4) 16.363; 6. 1, Brent Antill, Huxley, IA (12) 16.382; 7. 10, Skip Jackson, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (24) 16.430; 8. 86, John Kearney, Ozawkie, KS (7) 16.463; 9. 25, Chad

Radel, Sioux Falls, SD (19) 16.496; 10. 7, Kim Mock, Kenosha, WI (5) 16.557; 11. 81, Jerry Richert Jr., Forest Lake, MN (14) 16.561; 12. 3B, Ryan Jamison, Burlington, IA (25) 16.602; 13. 69R, Terry Reilly, Watertown, SD (26) 16.623; 14. 16L, Leonard Lee, Milo, IA (15) 16.645; 15. 19, Bob Weuve, Newton, IA (9) 16.672; 16. 97, Chad Mellenberndt, Sioux Falls, SD (8) 16.778; 17. 02, Mike Reinke, Sheboygan, WI (16) 16.821; 18. 71, Manny Rockhold, Pekin, IL (10) 16.841; 19. 96, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (3) 16.919; 20. 9, Rich Bubak, Golden, CO (22) 17.022; 21. 2x, Shawn Moore, Moline, IL (1) 17.071; 22. 69, Mark Smyser, Lancaster, MO (6) 17.088; 23. 14, Doran Doty, Des Moines, IA (2) 17.107; 24. 2H, Wayne Redmond, Fort Dodge, IA (20) 17.234; 25. 18, Greg Schaefer, Fort Lupton, CO (11) 18.042; 26. 62, Rod Holliday, Springfield, IL (21) NT.

Heat one (started), 8 laps, 2:14.9: 1. Chad Mellenberndt (3) 2. Kim Mock (5) 3. Scott Whitworth (2) 4. Skip Jackson (6) 5. Chris Walraven (8) 6. Terry McCarl (7) / 7. Mark Smyser (1) 8. Greg Schaefer (9) 9. Terry Reilly (4)

Heat two (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Doran Doty (1) 2. John Kearney (6) 3. Leonard Lee (4) 4. Jerry Richert Jr. (5) 5. Danny Lasoski (8) 6. Mike Reinke (3) / 7. Steve Beitler (7) 8. Rich Bubak (2) 9. Rod Holliday (9)

Heat three (started), 8 laps, 2:18.1: 1. Shawn Moore (2) 2. Chad Radel (6) 3. Manny Rockhold (3) 4. Bob Weuve (4) 5. Jaymie Moyle (7) 6. Wayne Redmond (1) / 7. Ryan Jamison (5) DNS – Brent Antill

B main (started), 8 laps, 2:14.8: 1. Steve Beitler (1) 2. Ryan Jamison (2) 3. Terry Reilly (3) / 4. Mark Smyser (5) 5. Greg Schaefer (4) DNS – Brent Antill, Rich Bubak, Rod Holliday

A main (started), 21 laps, 6:19.8, NTR: 1. Jerry Richert Jr. (4) 2. Chad Radel (6) 3. Danny Lasoski (11) 4. Chad Mellenberndt (1) 5. Terry McCarl (9) 6. John Kearney (7) 7. Skip Jackson (8) 8. Leonard Lee (3) 9. Jaymie Moyle (10) 10. Manny Rockhold (14) 11. Shawn Moore (16) 12. Steve Beitler (17) 13. Ryan Jamison (20) 14. Terry Reilly (19) 15. Doran Doty (15) 16. Chris Walraven (12) 17. Kim Mock (5) 18. Wayne Redmond (18) 19. Bob Weuve (2) 20. Scott Whitworth (13) DNS – Mike Reinke. **Lap Leaders:** Mellenberndt 1-11, Radel 12-15, Richert 16-21.

7/29/95

Terry McCarl takes 4th Knoxville Sprint Feature

by Bob Wilson

Terry McCarl took a while to get the job done, but when he finally took the lead, he also took command and raced away to his fourth \$2,500 feature event win of the season at Knoxville Raceway Saturday night. The win was additionally his 14th career win at this racing facility.

Steve Beitler, who started the 20-lap event on the pole, raced away at the start to take a 20-yard lead. Two yellow flags and two red flags slowed the race after the second circuit with no injuries reported. However, four sprint cars were towed to the infield as a result of the action.

When the race resumed, Beitler again pulled away from the field with Johnny Herrera and McCarl in tow. Herrera and McCarl provided the fireworks as they not only were running nose to tail with Beitler at the halfway point of the race, but they were exchanging running spots behind him as well.

With the trio of top cars entering lapped traffic, it appeared to be anything but safe, but the veteran drivers handled the backmarkers and themselves with expertise and by lap 13 McCarl had taken the lead. Beitler and Herrera stayed close for one lap but after that point, McCarl checked out on the field to register his latest win in the McCroskey Maxim.

Herrera finished second, having gained that spot two laps from the finish. Beitler held for third, Jaymie Moyle took fourth and Brent Antill was fifth. Rounding out the top ten finishers were John Kearney, Jerry Richert, Jr., Skip Jackson, Chris Walraven and Chad Mellenberndt.

In the companion Knoxville 360 ci sprints, defending track champion Lee Nelson captured his third win of the season. Trailing him to the checkered flag were Bruce Drottz, Steve Wares and Larry Pinegar II. With the fourth place finish, Pinegar was declared the overall point champion of the Skoal Racing, Kum and Go Sprint Series. The title paid Pinegar \$1,000.

It was announced by Director of Knoxville Racing, Ralph Capitani, that additional monies would be going to Nicole Young, daughter of Danny Young. Danny Lasoski and Ray Lipsey jointly donated \$3,500 to the college fund for Nicole. The money was the entire check Lasoski and Lipsey received as champions of the Fifth Knoxville 360 Nationals on July 22.

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Time Trials (Qualifying Order): 1. 55, Craig Dollansky, Elk River, MN (6) 16.009; 2. 5, Johnny Herrera, Tempe, AZ (15) 16.093; 3. 24, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (33) 16.131; 4. 56, Chris Walraven, Knoxville, IA (30) 16.216; 5. 4, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (12) 16.222; 6. 12, Dennis Moore Jr., Grinnell, IA (2) 16.229; 7. 1, Brent Antill, Huxley, IA (31) 16.251; 8. 14m, Randy Martin, California, MO (9) 16.282; 9. 1BK, Don Droud Jr., Lincoln, NE (1) 16.327; 10. 7, Kim Mock, Kenosha, WI (7) 16.352; 11. 21, Steve Beitler, Sedro Woolley, WA (27) 16.369; 12. 19, Bob Weuve, Newton, IA (11) 16.390; 13. 69, Mark Smyser, Lancaster, MO (5) 16.433; 14. 71, Manny Rockhold, Pekin, IL (4) 16.512; 15. 86, John Kearney, Ozawkie, KS (26) 16.560; 16. 16L, Leonard Lee, Milo, IA (8) 16.569; 17. 69R, Terry Reilly, Watertown, SD (16) 16.596; 18. 2x, Shawn Moore, Moline, IL (3) 16.602; 19. 25, Chad Radel, Sioux Falls, SD (25) 16.607; 20. 3B, Ryan Jamison, Burlington, IA (24) 16.614; 21. 10, Skip Jackson, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (21) 16.637; 22. 81, Jerry Richert Jr., Forest Lake, MN (23) 16.649; 23. 96, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (10) 16.654; 24. 97, Chad Mellenberndt, Sioux Falls, SD (13) 16.701; 25. J1, Marlon Jones, Sioux Falls, SD (18) 16.790; 26. 61, Joe Roe, Kenosha, WI (19) 16.807; 27. 14, Doran Doty, Des Moines, IA (17) 16.876; 28. D1, Dan Oswald, Iola, KS (14) 16.888; 29. 2H, Wayne Redmond, Fort Dodge, IA (20) 17.047; 30. 57c, Troy Parsons, Altoona, IA (28) 17.148; 31. 5w, Wayne Williams, Phoenix, AZ (32) 17.368; 32. 6, Jim Farmer, Jacksonville, IL (29) 17.535; 33. 2m, Tony Moro, Des Moines, IA (22) NT.

Heat one (started), 8 laps, 2:13.3: 1. Chad Radel (2) 2. Jerry Richert Jr. (1) 3. Brent Antill (6) 4. Craig Dollansky (8) 5. Chris Walraven (7) 6. Marlon Jones (9) / 7. Leonard Lee (3) 8. Mark Smyser (4) 9. Kim Mock (5) DNS – Dan Oswald, Wayne Williams

Heat two (started), 8 laps, 2:16.0: 1. Ryan Jamison (2) 2. Scott Whitworth (1) 3. Manny Rockhold (4) 4. Steve Beitler (5) 5. Johnny Herrera (8) 6. Jaymie Moyle (7) / 7. Terry Reilly (3) 8. Joe Roe (9) 9. Randy Martin (6) 10. Wayne Redmond (10) 11. Jim Farmer (11)

Heat three (started), 8 laps, 2:12.3: 1. Skip Jackson (2) 2. John Kearney (4) 3. Chad Mellenberndt (1) 4. Terry McCarl (8) 5. Don Droud Jr. (6) 6. Shawn Moore (3) / 7. Bob Weuve (5) 8. Dennis Moore Jr. (7) 9. Doran Doty (9) 10. Troy Parsons (10) DNS – Tony Moro

B Main (started), 10 laps, NT: 1. Randy Martin (2) 2. Dennis Moore Jr. (1) 3. Kim Mock (3) / 4. Bob Weuve (4) 5. Leonard Lee (6) 6. Mark Smyser (5) 7. Terry Reilly (7) 8. Joe Roe (8) 9. Doran Doty (9) 10. Wayne Redmond (11) 11. Troy Parsons (12) 12. Jim Farmer (14) 13. Wayne Williams (13) 14. Dan Oswald (10) DNS – Tony Moro

A Main (started), 20 laps, NT: 1. Terry McCarl (6) 2. Johnny Herrera (7) 3. Steve Beitler (1) 4. Jaymie Moyle (4) 5. Brent Antill (3) 6. John Kearney (10) 7. Jerry Richert Jr. (15) 8. Skip Jackson (14) 9. Chris Walraven (5) 10. Chad Mellenberndt (17) 11. Manny Rockhold (9) 12. Randy Martin (19) 13. Shawn Moore (11) 14. Ryan Jamison (13) 15. Marlon Jones (16) 16. Dennis Moore Jr. (18) 17. Don Droud Jr. (2) 18. Craig Dollansky (8) 19. Chad Radel (12) 20. Kim Mock (20) DNS – Scott Whitworth. **Lap Leaders:** Beitler 1-12, McCarl 13-20.

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Heat one (started), 6 laps, 1:46.6: 1. 57, Steve Breazeale, Pleasantville, IA (2) 2. 16, Kenny Williams, Blakesburg, IA (3) 3. 88, Tim Holzworth, Valeria, IA (4) 4. 17, Billy Bell, Colfax, IA (6) 5. 16H, Jeff Haines, Oskaloosa, IA (8) 6. 1, Terry Thomas, Knoxville, IA (1) / 7. 8B, Bruce Williams, Pleasant Hill, IA (5) 8. 12x, Jerry Crabb, Des Moines, IA (9) 9. 5G, Brett Golik, Newton, IA (7) 10. 9, Jim Strobel, Sigourney, IA (10)

Heat two (started), 6 laps, 1:48.0: 1. 11L, Larry Pinegar II, Des Moines, IA (2) 2. 26, Lee Nelson, Ankeny, IA (1) 3. 4, Steve Wares, Knoxville, IA (5) 4. 7x, Terry Alexander, Knoxville, IA (6) 5. 41, Virgil Brandt, Des Moines, IA (3) 6. 20, Mark Wilson, Des Moines, IA (8) / 7. 48, Bob Thompson, Des Moines, IA (7) 8. 34, Tim Deaver, Knoxville, IA (9) 9. 33v, Larry Webb, Des Moines, IA (4)

Heat three (started), 6 laps, 1:49.2: 1. 41s, Kent Severson, Omaha, NE (1) 2. 18, Bruce Drottz, Des Moines, IA (3) 3. 9H, Ed Ergenbright, Newton, IA (2) 4. 41B, Nick Bellino, Omaha, NE (4) 5. 80, Duane Van Heukelom, Colfax, IA (9) 6. 11, Archie Ergenbright, Newton, IA (5) / 7. 82, Dave Van Heukelom, Pella, IA (7) 8. 22, Eddie Leavitt Jr., Knoxville, IA (8) 9. 27T, Chris Tice, Lynnville, IA (6)

B Main (started), 8 laps, 2:25.0: 1. Bruce Williams (1) 2. Bob Thompson (2) / 3. Jerry Crabb (4) 4. Dave Van Heukelom (3) 5. Eddie Leavitt Jr. (6) 6. Tim Deaver (5) 7. Brett Golik (7) 8. Jim Strobel (10) 9. Chris Tice (9) 10. Larry Webb (8)

A Main (started), 15 laps, 4:44.4: 1. Lee Nelson (4) 2. Bruce Drottz (3) 3. Steve Wares (2) 4. Larry Pinegar II (7) 5. Terry Alexander (11) 6. Kenny Williams (5) 7. Steve Breazeale (8) 8. Virgil Brandt (14) 9. Duane Van Heukelom (15) 10. Jeff Haines (13) 11. Billy Bell (10) 12. Mark Wilson (17) 13. Bob Thompson (20) 14. Kent Severson (6) 15. Tim Holzworth (9) 16. Nick Bellino (12) 17. Ed Ergenbright (1) 18. Bruce Williams (19) 19. Archie Ergenbright (18) 20. Terry Thomas (16). **Lap Leaders:** Wares 1-9, Nelson 10-15.

8/5/95

Herrera Begins Nationals Tune-up with Sprint Win

by Bob Wilson

Knoxville, IA – Johnny Herrera captured his fourth feature event win of the season as he guided the Guy Forbrook Schnee to a \$2,500 victory at Knoxville Raceway Saturday night.

John Kearney grabbed the initial lead at the outset of the 20-lap event from his pole starting position. Lap five saw Kearney slow in turns three and four with engine problems as Herrera shot by him and second running Skip Jackson for the lead.

Herrera, who is the current point leader at Knoxville, began the event in the third row and had trailed the two front runners until he shot to the front. Once he had attained the top spot, he pulled away from Jackson and third running Gary Wright in what many consider to be a warm-up for the upcoming 35th AMOCO Knoxville Nationals.

At the ten-mile mark, Terry McCarl had placed himself into the runner-up position, but the task of working forward had put him far behind the Herrera machine. Six laps later, the race was slowed by a yellow as the front nose wing from the McCarl mount had fallen to the track. McCarl repaired his car, but was relegated to the rear for the restart.

At the checkers, it was Herrera with Jackson trailing at a distance. Wright took third, with Craig Dollansky placing fourth. Randy Smith finished a strong fifth. Rounding out the top ten finishers were Steve Beitler, Randy Martin, Marlon Jones, McCarl and Manny Rockhold.

In the companion 360ci sprint division, Jeff Haines won his first feature event at Knoxville Raceway. Haines had to survive numerous red and yellow flags to claim the victory. Larry Pinegar II had passed Haines for the lead in the event, but was disqualified during one of the yellows when it was discovered that he had lost a muffler. Lee Nelson, who was sent to the tail early in the race, took passing honors to finish second. Duane Van Heukelom was third and Bruce Williams placed fourth.

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Time Trials (Qualifying Order): 1. 24, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (10) 16.212; 2. 5, Johnny Herrera, Tempe, AZ (28) 16.307; 3. 56, Chris Walraven, Knoxville, IA (22) 16.370; 4. 10, Skip Jackson, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (34) 16.403; 5. 1, Brent Antill, Huxley, IA (33) 16.423; 6. 1K, Randy Smith, Mount Ayr, IA (6) 16.427; 7. 4, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (7) 16.509; 8. 86, John Kearney, Ozawkie, KS (12) 16.521; 9. 9w, Gary Wright, Hooks, TX (14) 16.591; 10. 96, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (29) 16.637; 11. 19, Bob Weuve, Newton, IA (27) 16.659; 12. 12, Dennis Moore Jr., Grinnell, IA (20) 16.741; 13. J1, Marlon Jones, Sioux Falls, SD (11) 16.746; 14. 21, Steve Beitler, Sedro Woolley, WA (3) 16.750; 15. 55, Craig Dollansky, Elk River, MN (17) 16.751; 16. 14m, Randy Martin, California, MO (8) 16.769; 17. 2m, Tony Moro, Des Moines, IA (16) 16.773; 18. 5T, Bob White, Des Moines, IA (13) 16.776; 19. 97, Chad Mellenberndt, Sioux Falls, SD (4) 16.796; 20. 7, Kim Mock, Kenosha, WI (1) 16.827; 21. 81, Jerry Richert Jr., Forest Lake, MN (26) 16.868; 22. 14, Doran Doty, Des Moines, IA (32) 16.946; 23. 2x, Shawn Moore, Moline, IL (21) 16.959; 24. 69, Mark Smyser, Lancaster, MO (24) 16.969; 25. 16L, Leonard Lee, Milo, IA (25) 16.988; 26. D1, Dan Oswalt, Iola, KS (23) 16.993; 27. 51x, Nick LoSasso, Westminster, CO (31) 17.017; 28. 69R, Terry Reilly, Watertown, SD (19) 17.047; 29. 71, Manny Rockhold, Pekin, IL (30) 17.147; 30. 7A, Todd Taeger, Burlington, IA (9) 17.208; 31. 9, Rich Bubak, Golden, CO (5) 17.328; 32. 2H, Wayne Redmond, Fort Dodge, IA (2) 17.445; 33. 57c, Troy Parsons, Altoona, IA (18) 17.603; 34. 3B, Ryan Jamison, Burlington, IA (15) NT.

“King of Wings” USA vs. Australia Dash (started), 6 laps, 1:39.3 (NTR): 1. Skip Jackson (2) 2. Terry McCarl (1) 3. Johnny Herrera (3) 4. Jaymie Moyle (5) 5. Chris Walraven (4)

Heat one (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Chad Mellenberndt (2) 2. Doran Doty (1) 3. Randy Martin (3) 4. Skip Jackson (7) 5. Marlon Jones (4) 6. Terry McCarl (8) / 7. Scott Whitworth (5) 8. Jaymie Moyle (6) 9. Leonard Lee (9) 10. Rich Bubak (11) 11. Terry Reilly (10) DNS – Ryan Jamison

Heat two (started), 8 laps, 2:18.8: 1. Steve Beitler (4) 2. John Kearney (6) 3. Johnny Herrera (8) 4. Kim Mock (2) 5. Manny Rockhold (10) 6. Bob Weuve (5) / 7. Shawn Moore (1) 8. Tony Moro (3) 9. Dan Oswalt (9) 10. Wayne Redmond (11) 11. Brent Antill (7)

Heat three (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Jerry Richert Jr. (2) 2. Gary Wright (6) 3. Mark Smyser (1) 4. Craig Dollansky (4) 5. Randy Smith (7) 6. Chris Walraven (8) / 7. Bob White (3) 8. Todd Taeger (10) 9. Troy Parsons (11) 10. Nick LoSasso (9) 11. Dennis Moore Jr. (5)

B main (started), 12 laps, NT: 1. Dennis Moore Jr. (7) 2. Jaymie Moyle (1) / 3. Leonard Lee (6) 4. Bob White (4) 5. Tony Moro (3) 6. Troy Parsons (14) 7. Todd Taeger (11) 8. Dan Oswalt (8) 9. Wayne Redmond (13) 10.

Terry Reilly (10) 11. Nick LoSasso (9) 12. Scott Whitworth (2) 13. Shawn Moore (5) 14. Rich Bubak (12) 15. Ryan Jamison (15)

A main (started), 20 laps, NT: 1. Johnny Herrera (5) 2. Skip Jackson (3) 3. Gary Wright (7) 4. Craig Dollansky (11) 5. Randy Smith (2) 6. Steve Beitler (10) 7. Randy Martin (12) 8. Marlon Jones (9) 9. Terry McCarl (6) 10. Manny Rockhold (18) 11. Jaymie Moyle (20) 12. Kim Mock (14) 13. Chris Walraven (4) 14. Chad Mellenberndt (13) 15. Doran Doty (16) 16. Bob Weuve (8) 17. Mark Smyser (17) 18. Dennis Moore Jr. (19) 19. John Kearney (1) 20. Jerry Richert Jr. (15). **Lap Leaders:** Kearney 1-4, Herrera 5-20.

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Heat one (started), 6 laps, NT: 1. 18, Bruce Drottz, Des Moines, IA (4) 2. 7x, Terry Alexander, Knoxville, IA (3) 3. 41B, Nick Bellino, Omaha, NE (6) 4. 4, Steve Wares, Knoxville, IA (5) 5. 5G, Brett Golik, Newton, IA (9) 6. 12x, Jerry Crabb, Des Moines, IA (10) / 7. 16, Kenny Williams, Blakesburg, IA (7) 8. 27T, Chris Tice, Lynnville, IA (1) 9. 41s, Kent Severson, Omaha, NE (8) 10. 71B, Robert Bell, Colfax, IA (2)

Heat two (started), 6 laps, 1:49.8: 1. 57, Steve Breazeale, Pleasantville, IA (2) 2. 80, Duane Van Heukelom, Colfax, IA (4) 3. 11, Archie Ergenbright, Newton, IA (6) 4. 11L, Larry Pinegar II, Des Moines, IA (7) 5. 26, Lee Nelson, Ankeny, IA (5) 6. 33v, Larry Webb, Des Moines, IA (1) / 7. 82, Dave Van Heukelom, Pella, IA (8) 8. 1, Terry Thomas, Knoxville, IA (3) 9. 34, Tim Deaver, Knoxville, IA (9) 10. 8A, Nate Anderson, Lucas, IA (10)

Heat three (started), 6 laps, 1:52.5: 1. 20, Mark Wilson, Des Moines, IA (1) 2. 16H, Jeff Haines, Oskaloosa, IA (8) 3. 8B, Bruce Williams, Pleasant Hill, IA (4) 4. 22, Eddie Leavitt Jr., Knoxville, IA (6) 5. 48, Bob Thompson, Des Moines, IA (3) 6. 9H, Ed Ergenbright, Newton, IA (7) / 7. 00, Larry Weeks, Montezuma, IA (5) 8. 41, Virgil Brandt, Des Moines, IA (2) DNS – 88, Tim Holzworth, Valeria, IA

B main (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Kenny Williams (1) 2. Dave Van Heukelom (2) / 3. Larry Weeks (3) 4. Tim Deaver (6) 5. Kent Severson (7) 6. 12, Virgil Brandt (9) 7. Robert Bell (8) 8. Chris Tice (4) 9. Terry Thomas (5) DNS – Tim Holzworth

A main (started), 15 laps, NT: 1. Jeff Haines (1) 2. Lee Nelson (14) 3. Duane Van Heukelom (2) 4. Bruce Williams (9) 5. Terry Alexander (3) 6. Jerry Crabb (16) 7. Archie Ergenbright (8) 8. Eddie Leavitt Jr. (12) 9. Bruce Drottz (6) 10. Bob Thompson (15) 11. Ed Ergenbright (18) 12. Larry Webb (17) 13. Nick Bellino (7) 14. Steve Breazeale (5) 15. Larry Pinegar II (11) 16. Mark Wilson (4) 17. Kenny Williams (19) 18. Steve Wares (10) 19. Brett Golik (13) 20. Dave Van Heukelom (20). **Lap Leaders:** Haines 1-6, Pinegar 7-9, Haines 10-15.

8/12/95

Herrera Warms Up for Nationals with a Win at Knoxville

by Bob Wilson

Knoxville, IA - Johnny Herrera surprised a huge crowd and a stellar field of sprint cars to capture the 20-lap feature event at Knoxville Raceway Saturday night.

Herrera, who started 21st in a feature field of 24 cars, wasted no time in showing why the Guy Forbrook machine will be one of the favorites at next week's 35th annual Amoco Knoxville Nationals. By lap six, the former World of Outlaws driver and previous week's winner had shot the Schnee chassis all the way to fifth position. It was then that a caution flag slowed the Herrera charge, if only temporarily.

Front row starter Manny Rockhold had sped out to a 40-yard margin by the three-mile mark, as Gary Wright and Craig Dollansky slugged it out for the runner-up spot. The caution flag on lap six forced a single file restart and Dollansky charged by for the top spot when the green flew once again. Wright and Herrera also overtook the Rockhold mount and one lap later, Herrera was chasing Dollansky for the lead.

As the laps began to count down, Herrera edged closer and closer to Dollansky as each driver ran within inches of the turn fences on a track that had become dry and slick. On the 14th tour, Herrera show below the Dollansky machine in turns three and four and flew past the flagstand with the lead.

Herrera failed to qualify for the feature through his heat race and was forced to do so by winning the B Feature. He collected \$2,500 for taking his fifth Knoxville win of the season. Dollansky closed the gap at the end, but had run out of laps to create a challenge and settled for second. Wright fought off the advances of Terry McCarl as those two drivers finished third and fourth. Lance Blevins drove a steady race to place fifth. Rounding out the top ten finishers were Rockhold, Jerry Richert, Jr., Jaymie Moyle, Randy Smith and Randy Tiner.

The 360 ci sprint feature was a race which saw two red flags before it ever went green, but once it began it went flag to flag. Virgil Brandt became a first-time winner as he made a last lap pass to reclaim the lead and take the win by only a few car lengths. Terry Alexander claimed second, Duane Van Heukelom took third and Bruce Williams was fourth.

Fifty-eight sprinters swelled the entries for the 410 ci division as many teams were in Knoxville early in preparation for the upcoming Nationals. Twenty-four 360 ci sprinters saw action.

410 Results

Time Trials (Qualifying Order): 1. 24, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (2) 16.557; 2. 10, Skip Jackson, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (24) 16.690; 3. 57c, Troy Parsons, Altoona, IA (1) 16.713; 4. 4, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (28) 16.822; 5. 81, Jerry Richert Jr., Forest Lake, MN (17) 16.828; 6. 97, Chad Mellenberndt, Sioux Falls, SD (30) 16.858; 7. 1, Brent Antill, Huxley, IA (4) 16.874; 8. 14m, Randy Martin, California, MO (12) 16.920; 9. 1BK, Don Droud Jr., Lincoln, NE (11) 16.949; 10. J1, Marlon Jones, Sioux Falls, SD (31) 17.021; 11. 29N, Larry Neighbors, Oklahoma City, OK (3) 17.030; 12. 12, Dennis Moore Jr., Grinnell, IA (8) 17.050; 13. 21L, Lance Blevins, Broken Arrow, OK (26) 17.095; 14. 5, Johnny Herrera, Tempe, AZ (38) 17.119; 15. 21, Steve Beitler, Sedro Woolley, WA (20) 17.129; 16. 9c, Scott Hogue, Houston, TX (49) 17.169; 17. 19, Bob Weuve, Newton, IA (9) 17.186; 18. 9, Gary Wright, Hooks, TX (48) 17.272; 19. 55, Craig Dollansky, Elk River, MN (45) 17.303; 20. 3B, Max Dumesny, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (16) 17.320; 21. 96, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (27) 17.444; 22. 69, Mark Smyser, Lancaster, MO (25) 17.448; 23. 56, Chris Walraven, Knoxville, IA (46) 17.511; 24. 15, Donny Schatz, Minot, ND (6) 17.512; 25. 71, Manny Rockhold, Pekin, IL (34) 17.545; 26. 14, Doran Doty, Des Moines, IA (5) 17.572; 27. 28w, Todd Wessels, Ellsworth, MN (14) 17.573; 28. 5T, Bob White, Des Moines, IA (15) 17.579; 29. 7A, Todd Taeger, Burlington, IA (35) 17.584; 30. 2m, Tony Moro, Des Moines, IA (32) 17.591; 31. 10T, Rod George, Kittanning, PA (22) 17.643; 32. 16L, Leonard Lee, Milo, IA (21) 17.651; 33. 5w, Wayne Williams, Phoenix, AZ (13) 17.658; 34. 8B, John Bankston, Beaumont, TX (19) 17.672; 35. 24R, Randy Tiner, Rio Linda, CA (10) 17.675; 36. 1K, Randy Smith, Mount Ayr, IA (39) 17.690; 37. 69R, Terry Reilly, Watertown, SD (58) 17.698; 38. 7, Kim Mock, Kenosha, WI (36) 17.767; 39. 86, John Kearney, Ozawkie, KS (53) 17.847; 40. 69m, Brent Kaeding, Campbell, CA (37) 17.868; 41. 62, Rod Holliday, Springfield, IL (47) 17.895; 42. 51J, Ryan Jamison, Burlington, IA (44) 17.899; 43. 12F, Fred Rahmer, Salfordsville, PA (55) 17.912; 44. 55H, Lyle Howey III, Brookings, SD (50) 17.923; 45. 02, Mike Reinke, Sheboygan, WI (29) 17.938; 46. 29v, Tim Baker, Sioux City, IA (41) 17.965; 47. D1, Dan Oswalt, Iola, KS (51) 17.982; 48. 3H, Brooke Tatnell, San Souci, NSW, Aust. (43) 17.983; 49. 11w, Kevin Whitworth, Sedalia, MO (56) 18.133; 50. 20, Mark Wilson, Des Moines, IA (33) 18.175; 51. 2D, Jason Earls, Kansas City, MO (18) 18.335; 52. 7az, Rick Ziehl, Las Cruces, NM (54) 18.361; 53. 17, Kevin Frey, Harrisburg, PA (23) 18.448; 54.

98x, Eric Rossi, Gilroy, CA (42) 18.451; 55. 15m, Bobby Mincer, Burlington, IA (7) 18.466; 56. 5B, Greg Blevins, Susanville, CA (57) 18.943; 57. 91m, Jeff Griffis, Council Bluffs, IA (52) 19.186; 58. 11L, Larry Pinegar II, Des Moines, IA (40) NT.

“Race of the States” (started, state), 6 laps, 1:43.8: 1. Terry McCarl (3, IA) 2. Chad Mellenberndt (1, SD) 3. Jerry Richert Jr. (5, MN) 4. Don Droud Jr. (4, NE) 5. Randy Martin (6, MO) 6. Larry Neighbors (2, OK)

Heat one (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Randy Smith (1) 2. Scott Whitworth (4) 3. Terry McCarl (8) 4. Rod George (2) / 5. Larry Neighbors (6) 6. Chad Mellenberndt (7) 7. Rod Holliday (9) 8. Scott Hogue (5) 9. Doran Doty (3) 10. Greg Blevins (12) 11. Jason Earls (11) 12. Tim Baker (10)

Heat two (started), 8 laps, 2:20.8: 1. Terry Reilly (1) 2. Leonard Lee (2) 3. Dennis Moore Jr. (6) 4. Bob Weuve (5) / 5. Brent Antill (7) 6. Mark Smyser (4) 7. Todd Wessels (3) 8. Ryan Jamison (9) 9. Skip Jackson (8) 10. Rick Ziehl (11) 11. Dan Oswalt (10) 12. Jeff Griffis (12)

Heat three (started), 8 laps, 2:22.5: 1. Kim Mock (1) 2. Bob White (3) 3. Lance Blevins (4) 4. Gary Wright (5) / 5. Chris Walraven (2) 6. Brooke Tatnell (8) 7. Troy Parsons (6) 8. Fred Rahmer (9) 9. Randy Martin (7) 10. Kevin Frey (10) DNS – Wayne Williams, Larry Pinegar II

Heat four (started), 8 laps, 2:27.8: 1. John Kearney (1) 2. Don Droud Jr. (7) 3. Craig Dollansky (5) 4. Jaymie Moyle (8) / 5. Johnny Herrera (6) 6. Todd Taeger (3) 7. Kevin Whitworth (10) 8. John Bankston (2) 9. Donny Schatz (4) 10. Eric Rossi (11) 11. Lyle Howey III (9)

Heat five (started), 8 laps, 2:30.3: 1. Manny Rockhold (4) 2. Jerry Richert Jr. (8) 3. Randy Tiner (2) 4. Brent Kaeding (1) / 5. Steve Beitler (6) 6. Marlon Jones (7) 7. Tony Moro (3) 8. Max Dumesny (5) 9. Bobby Mincer (11) 10. Mark Wilson (10) 11. Mike Reinke (9)

B main (started), 12 laps, NT: 1. Johnny Herrera (6) 2. Troy Parsons (1) 3. Chad Mellenberndt (2) 4. Steve Beitler (7) / 5. Brent Antill (3) 6. Max Dumesny (9) 7. Scott Hogue (8) 8. Marlon Jones (4) 9. Larry Neighbors (5) 10. Mark Smyser (10) 11. Tony Moro (14) 12. Brooke Tatnell (19) 13. Ryan Jamison (17) 14. Chris Walraven (11) 15. Todd Taeger (13) 16. Rod Holliday (16) 17. Kevin Whitworth (20) 18. John Bankston (15) 19. Fred Rahmer (18) 20. Todd Wessels (12)

A main (started), 20 laps, NT: 1. Johnny Herrera (21) 2. Craig Dollansky (4) 3. Gary Wright (5) 4. Terry McCarl (12) 5. Lance Blevins (7) 6. Manny Rockhold (2) 7. Jerry Richert Jr. (10) 8. Jaymie Moyle (11) 9. Randy Smith (16) 10. Randy Tiner (15) 11. Dennis Moore Jr. (8) 12. Don Droud Jr. (9) 13. Scott Whitworth (3) 14. Kim Mock (18) 15. Bob White (1) 16. Chad Mellenberndt (23) 17. Brent Kaeding (20) 18. Rod George (13) 19. John Kearney (19) 20. Leonard Lee (14) 21. Troy Parsons (22) 22. Terry Reilly (17) 23. Bob Weuve (6) 24. Steve Beitler (24). **Lap Leaders:** Rockhold 1-5, Dollansky 6-13, Herrera 14-20.

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Heat one (started), 6 laps, 1:52.5: 1. 16H, Jeff Haines, Oskaloosa, IA (1) 2. 7x, Terry Alexander, Knoxville, IA (4) 3. 80, Duane Van Heukelom, Colfax, IA (6) 4. 1, Terry Thomas, Knoxville, IA (3) 5. 12x, Jerry Crabb, Des Moines, IA (5) 6. 00, Larry Weeks, Montezuma, IA (7) / 7. 71B, Robert Bell, Colfax, IA (2) DNS – 96s, Steve Smith, Sedalia, MO

Heat two (started), 6 laps, 1:51.4: 1. 11, Archie Ergenbright, Newton, IA (1) 2. 26, Lee Nelson, Ankeny, IA (2) 3. 48, Bob Thompson, Des Moines, IA (3) 4. 8B, Bruce Williams, Des Moines, IA (6) 5. 41B, Nick Bellino, Omaha, NE (4) 6. 5G, Brett Golik, Newton, IA (8) / 7. 34, Tim Deaver, Knoxville, IA (5) 8. 9H, Ed Ergenbright, Newton, IA (7)

Heat three (started), 6 laps, 1:53.7: 1. 22, Eddie Leavitt Jr., Knoxville, IA (1) 2. 57, Steve Breazeale, Pleasantville, IA (3) 3. 18, Bruce Drottz, Des Moines, IA (2) 4. 41, Virgil Brandt, Des Moines, IA (6) 5. 82, Dave Van Heukelom, Pella, IA (7) 6. 33v, Larry Webb, Des Moines, IA (4) / 7. 41s, Kent Severson, Omaha, NE (5) 8. 8A, Nate Anderson, Lucas, IA (8)

B main (started), 6 laps, 1:57.1: 1. Tim Deaver (2) 2. Kent Severson (3) / 3. Robert Bell (1) 4. Nate Anderson (5) 5. Ed Ergenbright (4) DNS – Steve Smith

A main (started), 15 laps, 5:22.3: 1. Virgil Brandt (1) 2. Terry Alexander (9) 3. Duane Van Heukelom (6) 4. Bruce Williams (2) 5. Jerry Crabb (13) 6. Bob Thompson (5) 7. Nick Bellino (14) 8. Dave Van Heukelom (15) 9. Tim Deaver (19) 10. Archie Ergenbright (11) 11. Eddie Leavitt Jr. (10) 12. Bruce Drottz (4) 13. Larry Weeks (16) 14. Kent Severson (20) 15. Larry Webb (18) 16. Steve Breazeale (7) 17. Jeff Haines (12) 18. Brett Golik (17) 19. Lee Nelson (8) 20. Terry Thomas (3). **Lap Leaders:** B. Williams 1-4, Brandt 5-10, T. Alexander 11-14, Brandt 15.

8/16/95

Hillenburg Wins Nationals Opener for Second Straight Year

by Richard Day

Andy Hillenburg's sometimes disappointing 1995 season took an upward turn Wednesday when he won the Preliminary Feature at the 35th Annual Amoco Knoxville Nationals.

It marked the second consecutive year that the World of Outlaws' 1988 Rookie of the Year won the opening night's main event.

"We're just happy to win," Hillenburg said following his first victory since June 14th at Kokomo Speedway. "The Car was working well tonight. Our engine was putting out good horsepower and the car was handling well. With STP behind us, it makes things easier."

"We've been struggling lately. We just came here with a new engine, but everything else was our regular equipment. The crew has been working hard on the car, and tonight everything just came together for us."

Hillenburg, the seventh-fastest qualifier, finished third in the Second Snap-On Tools Heat Race. Leading the final 10 laps in the Preliminary Feature gave him the early points lead in the race to the pole in Saturday's nationally-televised championship race.

Hillenburg started Wednesday's 20-lap feature outside the third row and raced into third place as Skip Jackson burst into the lead from the outside pole during the opening lap.

After following the leaders into lapped traffic during the fifth lap, Hillenburg had 11-time Nationals Champion Steve Kinser bearing down on him as he passed polesitter Jeff Shepard late in the 10th lap. He took the lead with a low move into the second corner the next time around.

Two laps later, Kinser and Shepard were challenging for the lead when both stopped in the second corner with mechanical problems.

With Tim Lewis restarting between Hillenburg and Jackson, Andy raced away from the field as the green flag replaced the yellow. He was 10 car lengths ahead of Jackson when the caution flag was displayed for debris on the track the next time around.

Lewis lined up between the leaders as the race resumed, and Hillenburg opened a 15 car-length lead within two laps as Jackson struggled to lap Lewis. Hillenburg was a half straightaway ahead when Jackson finally made his way around Lewis with three laps remaining. Andy crossed the finish line with Jackson racing through turn three.

“The track was a little wet early, especially on the bottom,” Hillenburg said. “They were trying to make the track a little wider for more passing. We ironed in the bottom, and that’s where we ran the whole race. We didn’t have a whole lot of lapped traffic to deal with, either.”

Craig Dollansky, Steve Beitler and Stevie Smith finished third, fourth and fifth, respectively, with Randy Hannagan, Frankie Kerr, Steve Kent, “B” Feature winner Johnny Herrera and Brooke Tatnell rounding out the top ten.

Hannagan, last year’s Rookie of the Nationals, was third-quick in the qualifying session and finished third in the Third Snap-On Tolls Heat Race. He finished the opening night only two points behind Hillenburg in the race for the pole in the championship feature.

Joe Gaerte, driving Ed Ulyate’s #3DB J&J for only the third time, earned his first EcoWater Fast-Time Award of the year by circling Knoxville’s famous semi-banked, ½-mile oval in 15.807 seconds. Gaerte’s and crew chief Brian Sperry’s decision to remove the car’s radiator and nerf bars to make lighter paid off in qualifying. They weren’t as fortunate in the First Snap-On Tools Heat Race, however, as a first-lap collision with Lance Dewease knocked Gaerte out of the race. He came back to win the “C” Feature, but his 11th-place run in the “B” kept him out of the evening’s main event.

Results

Time Trials (Qualifying Order): 1. 3DB, Joe Gaerte, Rochester, IN (39) 15.807; 2. 11, Steve Kinser, Bloomington, IN (13) 15.860; 3. 1x, Randy Hannagan, San Jose, CA (22) 15.902; 4. 5, Johnny Herrera, Tempe, AZ (32) 15.937; 5. 51, Tommie Estes Jr., Tulsa, OK (21) 15.965; 6. 461, Lance Dewease, Mont Alto, PA (40) 15.965; 7. 2, Andy Hillenburg, Broken Arrow, OK (45) 15.991; 8. 94, Dale Blaney, Hartford, OH (15) 16.001; 9. 47, Keith Kauffman, Mifflintown, PA (23) 16.019; 10. 10, Dave Blaney, Cortland, OH (36) 16.064; 11. 71m, Stevie Smith, New Oxford, PA (62) 16.068; 12. U2, Kenny Jacobs, Holmesville, OH (41) 16.115; 13. 9w, Gary Wright, Hooks, TX (11) 16.136; 14. 21, Steve Beitler, Sedro Woolley, WA (20) 16.157; 15. 55, Craig Dollansky, Elk River, MN (31) 16.167; 16. 1BK, Don Droud Jr., Lincoln, NE (19) 16.168; 17. 86, John Kearney, Ozawkie, KS (34) 16.225; 18. 1J, Brent Antill, Huxley, IA (55) 16.262; 19. 69K, Donnie Kreitz Jr., Sinking Spring, PA (64) 16.294; 20. 21L, Lance Blevins, Broken Arrow, OK (12) 16.304; 21. 10V, Skip Jackson, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (53) 16.323; 22. 1w, Jeff Shepard, Upperco, MD (68) 16.323; 23. 3c, Daniel Coggeshell, Milo, IA (44) 16.359; 24. 10T, Terry Gray, Memphis, TN (66) 16.361; 25. 23s, Frankie Kerr, Fremont, OH (10) 16.365; 26. 8TW, Greg Hodnett, Memphis, TN (60) 16.376; 27. 29v, Tim Baker, Sioux City, IA (29) 16.383; 28. 55H, Lyle Howey III, Brookings, SD (17) 16.396; 29. 45x, Rickey Hood, Booneville, IN (69) 16.399; 30. 7, Kevin Doty, Milan, IL (18) 16.408; 31. 19, Bob Weuve, Newton, IA (16) 16.426; 32. 21G, Mark Cassella, Weirton, WV (3) 16.438; 33. 8, Butch Hanssen, Sioux Falls, SD (14) 16.441; 34. 73, Tim Engler, Princeton, IN (2) 16.442; 35. 7mt, Jimmy Carr, Webster Grove, MO (5) 16.449; 36. 11K, Steve Kent, Fresno, CA (49) 16.471; 37. 7az, Rick Ziehl, Las Cruces, NM (26) 16.482; 38. 15, Donny Schatz, Minot, ND (6) 16.484; 39. 29N, Larry Neighbors, Oklahoma City, OK (8) 16.507; 40. 9s, Shane Stewart, Bixby, OK (47) 16.530; 41. 12, Dennis Moore Jr., Grinnell, IA (1) 16.539; 42. 2m, Tony Moro, Des Moines, IA (71) 16.548; 43. 3, Tim Lewis, Gas, KS (30) 16.562; 44. 3H, Brooke Tatnell, San Souci, NSW, Aust. (24) 16.580; 45. 25, Chad Radel, Sioux Falls, SD (63) 16.601; 46. 69B, Brent Kaeding, Campbell, CA (48) 16.615; 47. 18J, Danny Smith, Danville, IN (25) 16.623; 48. 15x, Dan Hamilton, Lindale, TX (33) 16.624; 49. 69R, Terry Reilly, Watertown, SD (57) 16.660; 50. 14m, Randy Martin, California, MO (50) 16.692; 51. 14, Doran Doty, Des Moines, IA (58)

16.730; 52. D1, Dan Oswalt, Iola, KS (52) 16.734; 53. 3B, Max Dumesny, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (38) 16.742; 54. 22N, Bo Baker, Grants, NM (7) 16.773; 55. 57c, Troy Parsons, Altoona, IA (56) 16.781; 56. 9, Rich Bubak, Golden, CO (9) 16.811; 57. 62, Rod Holliday, Springfield, IL (4) 16.851; 58. 83, Rod Henderson, Beresford, SD (27) 16.888; 59. 8B, John Bankston, Beaumont, TX (61) 16.905; 60. 69, Mark Smyser, Lancaster, MO (70) 16.928; 61. 51m, Jim Melis, Plymouth, WI (51) 16.953; 62. 7A, Todd Taeger, Burlington, IA (42) 16.959; 63. 2x, Shawn Moore, Moline, IL (67) 17.030; 64. 26, Rich Brahmaer, Wisner, NE (28) 17.031; 65. 98x, Eric Rossi, Gilroy, CA (35) 17.143; 66. 7H, John Hall, Marion, IA (37) 17.162; 67. 9z, Rick Haas, Lincoln, NE (54) 17.180; 68. 51D, Doug Martens, Wentworth, SD (43) 17.204; 69. 2H, Wayne Redmond, Fort Dodge, IA (72) 17.225; 70. 65, Danny Jennings, Oklahoma City, OK (59) 17.722; 71. 11A, Archie Ergenbright, Newton, IA (73) 17.944; 72. 61J, Earnest Jennings, Norman, OK (65) 17.950; 73. 7s, Travis Whitney, Brooklyn Park, MN (46) 18.641.

Last Chance Race #1 (started), 8 laps, 2:15.9: 1. Max Dumesny (2) 2. Doran Doty (1) 3. Rod Holliday (4) 4. Troy Parsons (3) / 5. Jim Melis (6) 6. Eric Rossi (8) 7. Wayne Redmond (10) 8. John Bankston (5) 9. Shawn Moore (7) 10. Archie Ergenbright (9) 11. Travis Whitney (11). DNS - Rick Haas.

Last Chance Race #2 (started), 8 laps, 2:19.1: 1. Bo Baker (2) 2. Todd Taeger (4) 3. Rich Bubak (3) 4. John Hall (6) / 5. Earnest Jennings (9) 6. Doug Martens (7) 7. Dan Oswalt (1) 8. Danny Jennings (8) 9. Mark Smyser (5). DNS - Rod Henderson, Rich Brahmaer.

Heat one (started), 10 laps, 3:47.8: 1. Skip Jackson (6) 2. Brent Kaeding (1) 3. Steve Kent (3) 4. Stevie Smith (8) / 5. Greg Hodnett (5) 6. Dennis Moore Jr. (2) 7. Lance Dewease (9) 8. Don Droud Jr. (7) / 9. Bob Weuve (4) 10. Joe Gaerte (10).

Heat two (started), 10 laps, NT: 1. Steve Kinser (10) 2. Tony Moro (2) 3. Andy Hillenburg (9) 4. Jeff Shepard (6) / 5. Danny Smith (1) 6. Kenny Jacobs (8) 7. Rick Ziehl (3) 8. Tim Baker (5) / 9. Mark Cassella (4) 10. John Kearney (7).

Heat three (started), 10 laps, 2:53.9: 1. Dan Hamilton (1) 2. Tim Lewis (2) 3. Randy Hannagan (10) 4. Donny Schatz (3) / 5. Gary Wright (8) 6. Dale Blaney (9) 7. Butch Hanssen (4) 8. Brent Antill (7) / 9. Lyle Howey III (5) 10. Daniel Coggeshell (6).

Heat four (started), 10 laps, 2:51.7: 1. Terry Reilly (1) 2. Brooke Tatnell (2) 3. Larry Neighbors (3) 4. Steve Beitler (8) / 5. Johnny Herrera (10) 6. Terry Gray (6) 7. Keith Kauffman (9) 8. Tim Engler (4) / 9. Donnie Kreitz Jr. (7) 10. Rickey Hood (5).

Heat five (started), 10 laps, 2:51.4: 1. Jimmy Carr (4) 2. Randy Martin (1) 3. Frankie Kerr (6) 4. Craig Dollansky (8) / 5. Shane Stewart (3) 6. Tommie Estes Jr. (10) 7. Lance Blevins (7) 8. Dave Blaney (9) / 9. Chad Radel (2) 10. Kevin Doty (5).

C main (started), 10 laps, NT: 1. Joe Gaerte (1) 2. Rickey Hood (4) / 3. Daniel Coggeshell (2) 4. Donnie Kreitz Jr. (3) 5. Bob Weuve (6) 6. Max Dumesny (11) 7. Mark Cassella (9) 8. Doran Doty (13) 9. Chad Radel (8) 10. Troy Parsons (17) 11. Rich Bubak (14) 12. John Hall (16) 13. Kevin Doty (7) 14. Todd Taeger (14) 15. Lyle Howey III (5) 16. Bo Baker (10) 17. Rod Holliday (15). DNS - John Kearney.

B main (started), 12 laps, NT: 1. Johnny Herrera (1) 2. Dale Blaney (4) / 3. Lance Dewease (3) 4. Dave Blaney (6) 5. Tommie Estes Jr. (2) 6. Kenny Jacobs (7) 7. Keith Kauffman (5) 8. Gary Wright (8) 9. Terry Gray (12) 10. Don Droud Jr. (9) 11. Joe Gaerte (21) 12. Brent Antill (\$180); 13. Rickey Hood (\$325); 14. Tim Engler (\$170); 15. Dennis Moore, Jr. (\$175); 16. Tim Baker (14) 17. Butch Hanssen (15) 18. Shane Stewart (18) 19. Danny Smith (20) 20. Greg Hodnett (13) 21. Rick Ziehl (17) 22. Lance Blevins (11).

A main (started), 20 laps, NT: 1. Andy Hillenburg (6) 2. Skip Jackson (2) 3. Craig Dollansky (3) 4. Steve Beitler (4) 5. Stevie Smith (5) 6. Randy Hannagan (7) 7. Frankie Kerr (9) 8. Steve Kent (11) 9. Johnny Herrera

(21) 10. Brooke Tatnell (16) 11. Donny Schatz (12) 12. Jeff Shepard (1) 13. Tony Moro (14) 14. Dale Blaney (22) 15. Jimmy Carr (10) 16. Brent Kaeding (17) 17. Randy Martin (20) 18. Larry Neighbors (13) 19. Terry Reilly (19) 20. Tim Lewis (15) 21. Steve Kinser (8) 22. Dan Hamilton (18). **Lap Leaders:** Jackson 1-10, Hillenburg 11-20.

8/17/95

“Dude” Takes Nationals’ Second Preliminary Feature

by Richard Day

KNOXVILLE, IA (August 17) - When Thomas Wolfe wrote, You Can't Go Home Again, he didn't have Danny Lasoski in mind.

"The Dude," admittedly struggling in the #77 Cornwell Tools J&J he started driving during the World of Outlaws' July 19th event at Knoxville Raceway, returned to the track where he won six championships Thursday and won the Amoco Knoxville Nationals' Preliminary Feature.

"I've got to thank Al Hamilton and Cornwell Tools," Lasoski said in victory lane. "We've been struggling for the last month, but they stuck with me. They had faith that I'd learn how to drive.

"We came out here tonight and struggled a little bit. But before the start of the feature, I just told the guys, 'I'm going to go out and do like I did last year, just go for it.'"

Lasoski recorded the second-fastest qualifying lap and was the runner-up in the Second Snap-on Tools Heat Race. He started the evening's main event on the fourth row next to EcoWater Fast-Time Award winner Mark Kinser.

In the Preliminary Feature, he raced past Joey Saldana and Steve Smith as Bobby Davis, Jr., took the lead late in the first lap.

Sammy Swindell took the lead two laps later, and "The Dude" passed Davis for second place early in the fifth lap. Lasoski caught Swindell early in lap nine, and passed the 1983 Knoxville Nationals champion for first place deep in turn two. He caught the backmarkers later in the lap, and Jerry Richert, Jr., brought out the caution flag with a first-corner spin midway through the race.

With Tim Monson restarting between the leaders, Lasoski raced away from the field as the race resumed. Swindell steered his #1 Hooters Gambler into the high groove and narrowed the gap quickly, however, catching Lasoski on the back straightaway during the 12th lap.

After completing lap 12 side-by-side, Sammy raced past "The Dude" high on the back straightaway only to have Lasoski regain the lead in the fourth corner. "The Dude" caught the backmarkers again the next time around, and increased his lead in lapped traffic.

Jeff Swindell, Sammy's younger brother, qualified a disappointing 35th-quick in the 71-car field, drove the #7TW Gold Eagle Maxim past 10 sprinters during the first 10 laps. Then, with another charge toward the front, Jeff passed Kinser with two laps remaining and Terry McCarl for third place deep in the second corner with the white flag flying.

Lasoski beat Sammy under the checkered flag by eight car-lengths. Jeff finished main event in third place, ahead of McCarl and Kinser. Rounding out the top 10 were Davis, Paul McMahan, Ed Lynch, Jr., Shane Carson and Kevin Huntley.

Jac Haudenschild, the Second Preliminary Feature winner a year ago, somehow endured a nightmarish experience in his return to the Nationals. After qualifying eighth-quick, "The Wild Child" was involved in a four-car crash which damaged his front wing and broke a radius rod on the #22 Pennzoil Maxim early in the opening lap of the Third Snap-on Tools Heat Race. He raced back into fourth place, only to spin out late in the eighth lap. The caution gave Randy Tiner's crew a chance to replace his broken radius rod, return to the race and qualify for the pole position in the feature with a third-place run.

Haudenschild won the "C" Feature for the opportunity to start at the rear of the "B." He blew past eight cars in the first three laps and was in sixth place with two laps remaining when he spun heading into turn three.

Billy Pauch's Nationals ended even before the qualifying session started. The legendary modified champion suffered two fractured bones in his left arm when struck by debris during hot laps. He was scheduled to have surgery on the arm Friday in Des Moines.

Results

Time Trials (Qualifying Order): 1. 5m, Mark Kinser, Oolitic, IN (47) 16.736; 2. 77, Danny Lasoski, Dover, MO (8) 16.798; 3. 77w, Joey Saldana, Brownsburg, IN (9) 17.048; 4. 19P, Steve Smith, New Oxford, PA (18) 17.110; 5. 1, Sammy Swindell, Barlett, TN (58) 17.172; 6. 81, Jerry Richert Jr., Forest Lake, MN (22) 17.192; 7. 56, Chris Walraven, Knoxville, IA (20) 17.311; 8. 22, Jac Haudenschild, Wooster, OH (38) 17.327; 9. 12F, Fred Rahmer, Salfordville, PA (15) 17.340; 10. 24, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (66) 17.340; 11. 61, Joe Roe, Kenosha, WI (30) 17.472; 12. 4, Bobby Davis Jr., Memphis, TN (34) 17.494; 13. J1, Marlon Jones, Sioux Falls, SD (39) 17.543; 14. 2L, Ed Lynch Jr., Apollo, PA (4) 17.553; 15. 11L, Larry Pinegar II, Des Moines, IA (14) 17.583; 16. 63, Randy Nygaard, Sioux Falls, SD (13) 17.667; 17. 10R, Rod George, Kittanning, PA (27) 17.692; 18. 24R, Randy Tiner, Rio Linda, CA (5) 17.712; 19. 97, Chad Mellenberndt, Sioux Falls, SD (40) 17.722; 20. 4m, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (37) 17.762; 21. 15c, Lee Brewer Jr., Germantown, TN (21) 17.820; 22. 96, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (12) 17.838; 23. 0, Randy Smith, Mount Ayr, IA (48) 17.846; 24. 71, Manny Rockhold, Pekin, IL (29) 17.866; 25. 51J, Ryan Jamison, Burlington, IA (32) 17.893; 26. 52, Ronald Laney, Humble, TX (17) 17.895; 27. 1F, Dean Jacobs, Wooster, OH (42) 17.907; 28. 7m, Kim Mock, Kenosha, WI (55) 17.927; 29. 3BV, Van Gurley, Jr., Bremen, IN (16) 17.928; 30. 17, Bobby McMahan, Sacramento, CA (11) 17.957; 31. 9c, Scott Hogue, Bellaire, TX (53) 18.013; 32. 66P, Mike Peters, Wichita, KS (52) 18.039; 33. 01, Paul McMahan, Oroville, CA (62) 18.046; 34. 12\$, Shane Carson, Yukon, OK (54) 18.084; 35. 6m, Tim Monson, Lakefield, MN (51) 18.113; 36. 7TW, Jeff Swindell, Memphis, TN (49) 18.114; 37. 02, Mike Reinke, Sheboygan, WI (23) 18.161; 38. 74, Kevin Frey, Chambersburg, PA (69) 18.192; 39. 5B, Greg Blevins, Susanville, CA (43) 18.207; 40. 11E, Dave Ekern, Flandreau, SD (2) 18.225; 41. 28, Brian Paulus, Mechanicsburg, PA (41) 18.243; 42. 92J, JR Topper, St. Joseph, MO (35) 18.281; 43. 11w, Kevin Whitworth, Sedalia, MO (36) 18.294; 44. 2D, Kevin Huntley, Bloomington, IN (45) 18.296; 45. 51x, Nick LoSasso, Westminster, CO (1) 18.297; 46. 16L, Leonard Lee, Milo, IA (26) 18.330; 47. 25G, Todd Gracey, Brodbeck's, PA (3) 18.359; 48. 52L, Spike Lempelius, Eagan, MN (7) 18.361; 49. 44, Ricky Logan, Little Rock, AR (24) 18.372; 50. 11H, Jerrod Hull, Sikeston, MO (67) 18.385; 51. 5T, Bob White, Des Moines, IA (68) 18.463; 52. 28w, Todd Wessels, Ellsworth, MN (63) 18.488; 53. 15m, Bobby Mincer, West Burlington, IA (61) 18.534; 54. 66, Kenny McCarl, Des Moines, IA (50) 18.720; 55. 5JR, Shawna Wilskey, Bothell, WA (31) 18.827; 56. 7x, Terry Alexander, Knoxville, IA (57) 18.847; 57. 92, Harry Garrett, Waynesville, OH (28) 18.878; 58. 2E, Tracy Kramer, Tulsa, OK (33) 18.899; 59. 5G, Brett Golik, Newton, IA (46) 18.924; 60. 91m, Jeff Griffis, Council Bluffs, IA (10) 18.959; 61. 91, John Sernett, Savage, MN (6) 19.033; 62. 14R, Randy Rosenboom, Rock Rapids, IA (44) 19.094; 63. 5w, Wayne Williams, Phoenix, AZ (64) 19.109; 64. 2T, Dave Heskin, Monticello, MN (25) 19.261; 65. 5x, Curt Grogan, Kansas City, MO (56) 19.369; 66. 12D, Jason Earls, Kansas City, MO (19) 19.449; 67. 210, Mike Reynolds, Tulsa, OK (65) 19.485; 68. 20, Mark Wilson, Des Moines, IA (60) 19.578; 69. 6, Terry LoSasso, Broomfield, CO (59) 19.668; 70. 1P, Billy Pauch, Frenchtown, NJ (70) NT; 71. 20L, Ron Lefholz, Olathe, KS (71) NT; 72. 8h, Todd Kane, Delaware, OH (72) NT.

Last Chance Race #1 (started), 8 laps, 2:30.2: 1. Bob White (1) 2. Bobby Mincer (2) 3. John Sernett (6) 4. Brett Golik (5) / 5. Wayne Williams (7) 6. Shawna Wilskey (3) 7. Terry LoSasso (10) 8. Curt Grogan (8) 9. Harry Garrett (4) 10. Mike Reynolds (9).

Last Chance Race #2 (started), 8 laps, 2:32.7: 1. Todd Wessels (1) 2. Terry Alexander (3) 3. Kenny McCarl (2) 4. Jeff Griffis (5) / 5. Mark Wilson (9) 6. Randy Rosenboom (6) 7. Jason Earls (8) 8. Dave Heskin (7) 9. Tracy Kramer (4).

Heat one (started), 10 laps, NT: 1. Mark Kinser (10) 2. Jeff Swindell (3) 3. Brian Paulus (2) 4. Lee Brewer Jr. (6) / 5. Leonard Lee (1) 6. Jerry Richert Jr. (9) 7. Scott Hogue (4) 8. Joe Roe (8) / 9. Randy Nygaard (7) 10. Ronald Laney (5).

Heat two (started), 10 laps, 3:04.1: 1. Bobby Davis Jr. (8) 2. Danny Lasoski (10) 3. Todd Gracey (1) 4. Mike Peters (4) / 5. Chris Walraven (9) 6. Rod George (7) 7. Dean Jacobs (5) 8. Scott Whitworth (6) / 9. JR Topper (2) 10. Mike Reinke (3).

Heat three (started), 10 laps, NT: 1. Joey Saldana (10) 2. Paul McMahan (4) 3. Randy Tiner (7) 4. Randy Smith (6) / 5. Marlon Jones (8) 6. Kevin Whitworth (2) 7. Kim Mock (5) 8. Spike Lempelius (1) / 9. Kevin Frey (3) 10. Jac Haudenschild (9).

Heat four (started), 10 laps, 3:06.9: 1. Kevin Huntley (2) 2. Ricky Logan (1) 3. Steve Smith (10) 4. Shane Carson (4) / 5. Chad Mellenberndt (7) 6. Ed Lynch Jr. (8) 7. Manny Rockhold (6) 8. Fred Rahmer (9) / 9. Greg Blevins (3) 10. Van Gurley Jr. (5).

Heat five (started), 10 laps, 3:06.2: 1. Terry McCarl (9) 2. Sammy Swindell (10) 3. Jerrod Hull (1) 4. Tim Monson (4) / 5. Bobby McMahan (5) 6. Ryan Jamison (6) 7. Jaymie Moyle (7) 8. Larry Pinegar II (8) / 9. Nick LoSasso (2) 10. Dave Ekern (3).

C main (started), 10 laps, NT: 1. Jac Haudenschild (1) 2. Van Gurley Jr. (4) / 3. Bob White (9) 4. Kevin Frey (6) 5. Randy Nygaard (2) 6. Ronald Laney (3) 7. Bobby Mincer (11) 8. Jeff Griffis (17) 9. John Sernett (13) 10. Nick LoSasso (10) 11. Dave Ekern (8) 12. Terry Alexander (14) 13. Mike Reinke (5) 14. Brett Golik (15) 15. JR Topper (7) 16. Kenny McCarl (16) 17. Todd Wessels (12). DNS - Greg Blevins.

B main (started), 12 laps, NT: 1. Jerry Richert Jr. (1) 2. Ed Lynch Jr. (6) / 3. Larry Pinegar II (7) 4. Fred Rahmer (3) 5. Joe Roe (4) 6. Ryan Jamison (13) 7. Chris Walraven (2) 8. Jaymie Moyle (10) 9. Rod George (8) 10. Marlon Jones (5) 11. Kim Mock (15) 12. Dean Jacobs (14) 13. Chad Mellenberndt (9) 14. Bobby McMahan (16) 15. Scott Hogue (17) 16. Kevin Whitworth (18) 17. Scott Whitworth (11) 18. Leonard Lee (19) 19. Van Gurley Jr. (22) 20. Spike Lempelius (20) 21. Jac Haudenschild (21) 22. Manny Rockhold (12).

A main (started), 20 laps, NT: 1. Danny Lasoski (7) 2. Sammy Swindell (4) 3. Jeff Swindell (15) 4. Terry McCarl (3) 5. Mark Kinser (8) 6. Bobby Davis Jr. (2) 7. Paul McMahan (12) 8. Ed Lynch Jr. (22) 9. Shane Carson (13) 10. Kevin Huntley (17) 11. Lee Brewer Jr. (9) 12. Joey Saldana (6) 13. Ricky Logan (19) 14. Jerrod Hull (20) 15. Steve Smith (5) 16. Jerry Richert Jr. (21) 17. Todd Gracey (18) 18. Randy Tiner (1) 19. Tim Monson (14) 20. Brian Paulus (16) 21. Randy Smith (10). DNS - Mike Peters. **Lap leaders:** Davis Jr. 1-2, S. Swindell 3-9, Lasoski 10-20.

8/18/95

'Wild Child,' Jeff Swindell Shine in Non-Qualifiers' Program

by Richard Day

KNOXVILLE, IA (August 18) - Jac Haudenschild and Jeff Swindell put the bad luck that hampered them in the preliminaries behind them and dominated Friday's Non-Qualifiers' Program at the 35th Annual Amoco Knoxville Nationals.

"The Wild Child," winner of the Second Preliminary Feature a year ago, was forced into the Non-Qualifiers' Program when he was involved several incidents Thursday. He roared to victory in the First Heat Race, then won the Non-Qualifiers' Feature from outside the fifth row.

Swindell rebounded from qualifying a disappointing 35th to earn the pole position in Saturday's "B" Feature by winning the Vivarin "B" Feature Scramble.

After racing past five cars during the first 1 1/2 laps of the feature, Haudenschild passed Brent Kaeding, Brent Antill and Ryan Jamison on successive laps before taking the lead from polesitter Chad Mellenberndt deep in the second corner in lapped traffic early in the ninth lap.

Haudenschild's move into first place seemed to be a signal for Greg Hodnett, Swindell's Two Winners Racing teammate, to charge toward the front. Like "The Wild Child," Hodnett made quick work of the 10 cars starting in front of him. He survived a close call late in the 10th lap when he allowed the #8TW Kele & Associates Maxim to bounce off the inside berm in turn four, then took over third place the next time around.

Hodnett, the recipient of the Nationals' Hard Charger Award last year, passed Mellenberndt for the runner-up spot within seconds after Haudenschild caught the backmarkers again with five laps remaining. "The Wild Child" took the checkered flag with Hodnett racing into turn four.

"The track got faster as it got tackier with rubber," Haudenschild said in victory lane. "I was watching Jeff in his Scramble race, and I decided to run like he did - low in one and two and high in three and four.

"I couldn't have done this without the Pennzoil crew. The guys put in a lot of hours. They put new car together last night."

Rickey Hood drove the #45x Avenger past Mellenberndt early in the final lap to claim third place. Rounding out the top 10 in the Non- Qualifiers' Feature were Antill, Kaeding, Terry Gray, Dean Jacobs, Jamison and Brian Paulus.

Starting Vivarin's "B" Feature Scramble outside the fourth row, Swindell kept the #7TW Gold Eagle Maxim in the high groove early as he made his way toward the front of the 10-car field. He burst into third place with a daring move past Chris Walraven and Steve Kent in turn four late in the fourth lap, and victimized polesitter Fred Rahmer with a daring dive into the second corner for the lead three laps later.

"I think we've had one of the fastest cars out here after we qualified so badly last night," Swindell said in victory lane.

Johnny Herrera, the leader in Knoxville Raceway's weekly racing program, took the lead early in the opening lap and led all 10 laps in the Snap-on Tools "A" Feature Scramble.

"When we started racing here at the first of year, I wasn't sure it would pay off at the Nationals, but it is," Herrera said.

The \$5,000 victory gave Herrera the second row outside starting position in Saturday's Amoco Knoxville Nationals' championship feature. Mark Kinser solidified the pole position in the \$309,500 race by racing into second place from the back of the pack.

Stevie Smith finished Snap-on Tools' "A" Feature Scramble in third place, ahead of Bobby Davis, Jr., Sammy Swindell, Danny Lasoski, Terry McCarl, Joey Saldana, Randy Hannagan and Andy Hillenburg.

Don Droud, Jr., won the EcoWater "C" Feature Scramble from outside the front row.

Results

Heat one (started), 10 laps, NT: 1. 22, Jac Haudenschild, Wooster, OH (3) 2. 97, Chad Mellenberndt, Sioux Falls, SD (1) 3. 3, Tim Lewis, Gas, KS (2) 4. 3c, Daniel Coggeshell, Milo, IA (7) / 5. 73, Tim Engler, Princeton, IN (6) 6. 18J, Danny Smith, Danville, IN (8) 7. 57c, Troy Parsons, Altoona, IA (9) 8. 29v, Tim Baker, Sioux City, IA (5) / 9. 7m, Kim Mock, Kenosha, WI (4) DNS – 5B, Greg Blevins, Susanville, CA, 74, Kevin Frey, Chambersburg, PA.

Heat two (started), 10 laps, NT: 1. 1J, Brent Antill, Huxley, IA (2) 2. 69B, Brent Kaeding, Campbell, CA (1) 3. 69R, Terry Reilly, Watertown, SD (3) 4. 8, Butch Hanssen, Sioux Falls, SD (6) / 5. 96, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (4) 6. 71, Manny Rockhold, Pekin, IL (5) 7. 11w, Kevin Whitworth, Sedalia, MO (7) 8. 19, Bob Weuve, Newton, IA (8) / 9. 91m, Jeff Griffis, Council Bluffs, IA (11) 10. 02, Mike Reinke, Sheboygan, WI (9) 11. 92J, JR Topper, St. Joseph, MO.

Heat three (started), 10 laps, 2:25.3: 1. 10T, Terry Gray, Memphis, TN (2) 2. 3BV, Van Gurley Jr., Bremen, IN (6) 3. 51J, Ryan Jamison, Burlington, IA (1) 4. 14m, Randy Martin, California, MO (3) / 5. 21G, Mark Cassella, Weirton, WV (8) 6. 17B, Bobby McMahan, Sacramento, CA (4) 7. 9c, Scott Hogue, Bellaire, TX (5) 8. 11E, Dave Ekern, Flandreau, SD (9) / 9. 7az, Rick Ziehl, Las Cruces, NM (7) 10. 5T, Bob White, Des Moines, IA (10).

Heat four (started), 10 laps, 2:26.8: 1. 44, Ricky Logan, Little Rock, AR (1) 2. 12, Dennis Moore Jr., Grinnell, IA (6) 3. 45x, Rickey Hood, Booneville, IN (5) 4. 25G, Todd Gracey, Brodbeck, PA (2) / 5. 25, Chad Radel, Sioux Falls, SD (9) 6. 15x, Dan Hamilton, Lindale, TX (3) 7. 14, Doran Doty, Des Moines, IA (8) 8. 21L, Lance Blevins, Broken Arrow, OK (4) / 9. 16L, Leonard Lee, Milo, IA (7) DNS – 52L, Spike Lempelius, Eagan, MN (8).

Heat five (started), 10 laps, 2:30.4: 1. 28, Brian Paulus, Mechanicsburg, PA (1) 2. 8TW, Greg Hodnett, Memphis, TN (4) 3. 1F, Dean Jacobs, Wooster, OH (3) 4. 3B, Max Dumesny, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (10) / 5. 11H, Jerrod Hull, Sikeston, MO (2) 6. 63, Randy Nygaard, Sioux Falls, SD (5) 7. 9s, Shane Stewart, Bixby, OK (6) 8. 51x, Nick LoSasso, Westminster, CO (9) / 9. 52, Ronald Laney, Humble, TX (7) 10. 55H, Lyle Howey III, Brookings, SD (8).

C main (started), 10 laps, NT: 1. Rick Ziehl (2) 2. Ronald Laney (4) / 3. Kim Mock (1) 4. Bob White (9) 5. Leonard Lee (3) 6. Mike Reinke (8) 7. JR Topper (5) 8. Jeff Griffis (7) 9. Lyle Howey III (6). DNS - Kevin Frey, Spike Lempelius, Greg Blevins.

B main (started), 12 laps, NT: 1. Jerrod Hull (1) 2. Shane Stewart (10) / 3. Bobby McMahan (4) 4. Scott Hogue (5) 5. Danny Smith (12) 6. Randy Nygaard (8) 7. Manny Rockhold (6) 8. Kevin Whitworth (9) 9. Troy Parsons (17) 10. Doran Doty (18) 11. Rick Ziehl (20) 12. Mark Cassella (14) 13. Nick LoSasso (15) 14. Dave Ekern (13) 15. Bob Weuve (11) 16. Scott Whitworth (3) 17. Ronald Laney (19) 18. Dan Hamilton (2) 19. Tim Engler (7) 20. Chad Radel (16) DNS – Lance Blevins.

A main (started), 20 laps, NT: 1. Jac Haudenschild (10) 2. Greg Hodnett (14) 3. Rickey Hood (15) 4. Chad Mellenberndt (1) 5. Brent Antill (7) 6. Brent Kaeding (2) 7. Terry Gray (8) 8. Dean Jacobs (13) 9. Ryan Jamison (3) 10. Brian Paulus (5) 11. Van Gurley Jr. (17) 12. Max Dumesny (20) 13. Shane Stewart (22) 14. Tim Lewis (6) 15. Dennis Moore Jr. (18) 16. Terry Reilly (11) 17. Daniel Coggeshell (19) 18. Todd Gracey (9) 19. Jerrod Hull (21) 20. Butch Hanssen (16) 21. Ricky Logan (4) 22. Randy Martin (12). **Lap leaders:** Mellenberndt 1-8, Haudenschild 9-20.

C Scramble (started), 10 laps, 3:47.1: 1. 1BK, Don Droud Jr., Lincoln, NE (2) 2. 4m, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (1) 3. 6m, Tim Monson, Lakefield, MN (4) 4. 10R, Rod George, Kittanning, PA (6) 5. J1, Marlon Jones, Sioux Falls, SD (10) 6. 2m, Tony Moro, Des Moines, IA (7) 7. 2D, Kevin Huntley, Bloomington, IN (9)

8. 66P, Mike Peters, Wichita, KS (5) 9. 3H, Brooke Tatnell, San Souci, NSW, Aust. (8) 10. 29N, Larry Neighbors, Oklahoma City, OK (3).

B Scramble (started), 10 laps, NT: 1. 7TW, Jeff Swindell, Memphis, TN (8) 2. 12F, Fred Rahmer, Salfordville, PA (1) 3. 11K, Steve Kent, Fresno, CA (3) 4. 1w, Jeff Shepard, Upperco, MD (10) 5. 461, Lance Dewease, Mont Alto, PA (5) 6. 01, Paul McMahan, Oroville, CA (7) 7. 12\$, Shane Carson, Yukon, OK (2) 8. 51, Tommie Estes Jr., Tulsa, OK (6) 9. 56, Chris Walraven, Knoxville, IA (4) 10. 24R, Randy Tiner, Rio Linda, CA (9).

A Scramble (started), 10 laps, 3:56.9: 1. 5, Johnny Herrera, Tempe, AZ (2) 2. 5m, Mark Kinser, Oolitic, IN (9) 3. 71m, Stevie Smith, New Oxford, PA (1) 4. 4, Bobby Davis Jr., Memphis, TN (3) 5. 1, Sammy Swindell, Bartlett, TN (8) 6. 77, Danny Lasoski, Dover, MO (10) 7. 24, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (5) 8. 77w, Joey Saldana, Brownsburg, IN (4) 9. 1x, Randy Hannagan, San Jose, CA (6) 10. 2, Andy Hillenburg, Broken Arrow, OK (7).

8/19/95

'King of the Outlaws' Rules Amoco Knoxville Nationals

by Richard Day

KNOXVILLE, IA (August 19) - Although he didn't express it, the 35th Annual Amoco Knoxville Nationals' championship feature had to make Karl Kinser proud.

After all, his son, Mark, and his former driver, Steve Kinser, led all 30 laps in the \$309,500 race. Mark, whose #5M Wirtgen Maxim Karl owns and maintains, led the first 17 laps from the pole. Steve, who won 10 Nationals titles and 14 World of Outlaws championships with Karl as his car owner, steered his #11 Quaker State Maxim deep into the third corner to take the lead with 12 1/4 laps remaining on his way to the \$100,000 victory.

"It's a great feeling to win this race again, but I have to remember we had an awful good teacher," Kinser said following his second \$100,000 triumph in as many weeks. "Our whole racing team, (crew chief) Scott (Gerken) and myself, was taught by Karl Kinser. We learned from the best. He taught us how to do things right, so we have to give him a lot of credit."

After being televised on a tape-delayed basis for eight years, the Nationals' "C," "B" and "A" Feature races were shown live on TNN: The Nashville Network.

Mark, who outscored the other 143 racers in the largest field in Nationals history, burst into the lead as flagman Doug Clark waved the green flag in the championship feature. He had almost completed the first lap when Sammy Swindell and Johnny Herrera collided entering the third corner, setting off a six-car crash. Severe damage to their cars kept Lee Brewer, Jr., and Craig Dollansky from restarting the race, while Herrera, Dale Blaney and Steve Beitler stopped on the track and were forced to restart at the back of the pack. Dollansky's left rear tire, jerked from the axle in the crash, almost hit Kinser's top wing as he raced past.

Mark raced into the lead again as the race resumed, while Kinser took the high road around seven sprinters to move into seventh place during the opening lap. Mark was a half-straightaway ahead of six-time Knoxville Raceway champion Danny Lasoski and "B" Feature winner Dave Blaney was battling Steve for sixth place when Skip Jackson lost his muffler and brought out the caution flag late in the fourth lap.

As the green flag replaced the yellow, the Kinser cousins were on the move again. Mark quickly increased his advantage while Steve rode the rim into second place by the end of the lap four. Mark was a half-straightaway ahead of Steve by the seventh lap, and caught the backmarkers two laps later.

Steve narrowed the gap in lapped traffic as Blaney raced into fourth place midway through the race. Steve caught Mark the next time around, and the cousins almost collided entering turn three late in the 16th lap.

"The King of the Outlaws" returned to the high groove, then made a sharp left turn under Mark to take the lead in the third corner two laps later.

"We never touched," Steve said in victory lane. "I got a run on him off two and I had to close him down going into three. I slipped by him and got down on the bottom to give myself a little breathing room. At that point, I wasn't making very good time in three and four, so I went back to the top. I started getting slow off two late in the race, and I thought I saw shadows of somebody passing me back. I don't know if that was a lapped car or what. All I know is, I'm here and that's all I care about."

Once he took the lead, there was no passing the 11-time Nationals champion. Steve opened a half-straightaway lead within four laps as Blaney and Jeff Swindell challenged Mark for the runner-up spot.

Swindell passed "The Buckeye Bullet" for third place with six laps remaining, only to have Blaney return the favor the next time around. Jeff had the Gold Eagle Maxim flying during the final five laps, and passed both Blaney and Mark late in the 28th lap. He was racing into turn four when Kinser took the checkered flag.

"I was all over the place," Kinser said. "Coming out of turn two, I was just rubbing the wall all the way around. I had a good car, and I was wanting it awful bad. I could run high and low, but I was staying high because there were more cars running the bottom. If I could hold my own on the top, I was going to stay there because I had a clear race track."

By winning the Nationals from the seventh row, Kinser tied a 33-year old record set by Jerry Richert, Sr., for the longest run to the championship.

Mark, visibly disappointed by his third-place finish, said he should have "run different lines on the race track when I approached lapped traffic than sticking to my plan to run in the low groove all night. I couldn't have changed anything on the car to make it any faster."

Blaney received the Wells Lamont Hard Charger Award for racing into fourth place from the 11th row. Lasoski finished fifth, ahead of Sammy Swindell, 23rd-starting Jac Haudenschild, Andy Hillenburg, Bobby Davis, Jr., and Stevie Smith.

Sammy competed in a NASCAR SuperTruck race in Flemington, NJ, earlier in the evening, then flew across the country via jet, and arrived in Knoxville at 9:20 - a little more than an hour before the green flag fell in the main event.

Haudenschild earned the Nationals' Hard Charger Award by winning the "C" Feature from the fifth row, passing 20 cars to finish third in the "B," and racing into seventh place from the back row in the championship feature. In all, he passed 44 cars in three races.

Scott Whitworth breezed past Dave Ekern with two laps remaining to win the "E" Feature and Max Dumesny led all 12 laps to claim the "D" Feature.

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E main (started), 10 laps, NT: 1. 96, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (4) 2. 11E, Dave Ekern, Flandreau, SD (2) 3. 51x, Nick LoSasso, Westminster, CO (3) / 4. 21L, Lance Blevins, Broken Arrow, OK (7) 5. 19, Bob Weuve, Newton, IA (5) 6. 02, Mike Reinke, Sheboygan, WI (10) 7. 91m, Jeff Griffis, Council Bluffs, IA (12) 8. 55H, Lyle Howey III, Brookings, SD (14) 9. 92J, JR Topper, St. Joseph, MO (13) 10. 5T, Bob White, Des Moines, IA (8) 11. 74, Kevin Frey, Chambersburg, PA (15) 12. 7m, Kim Mock, Kenosha, WI (9) 13. 15x, Dan Hamilton, Lindale, TX (6) 14. 16L, Leonard Lee, Milo, IA (11) 15. 7az, Rick Ziehl, Las Cruces, NM (1).

D main (started), 12 laps, NT: 1. 3B, Max Dumesny, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (2) 2. 9s, Shane Stewart, Bixby, OK (3) 3. 3BV, Van Gurley Jr., Bremen, IN (1) 4. 9c, Scott Hogue, Bellaire, TX (12) / 5. 12, Dennis Moore Jr., Grinnell, IA (5) 6. 71, Manny Rockhold, Pekin, IL (17) 7. 3, Tim Lewis, Gas, KS (4) 8. 17B, Bobby McMahan, Sacramento, CA (13) 9. 3c, Daniel Coggeshell, Milo, IA (7) 10. 14m, Randy Martin, California, MO (10) 11. 8, Butch Hanssen, Sioux Falls, SD (8) 12. Scott Whitworth (21) 13. 18J, Danny Smith, Danville, IN (15) 14. 63, Randy Nygaard, Sioux Falls, SD (14) 15. 69R, Terry Reilly, Watertown, SD (6) 16. 11H, Jerrod Hull, Sikeston, MO (9) 17. 14, Doran Doty, Des Moines, IA (18) 18. Nick LoSasso (22) 19. 44, Ricky Logan, Little Rock AR (11) 20. 11w, Kevin Whitworth, Sedalia, MO (16) 21. Dave Ekern (20) 22. 57c, Troy Parsons, Altoona, IA (19) DNS – 25G, Todd Gracey, Brodbeck, PA.

C main (started), 15 laps, NT: 1. 22, Jac Haudenschild, Wooster, OH (9) 2. 2D, Kevin Huntley, Bloomington, IN (2) / 3. 6m, Tim Monson, Lakefield, MN (3) 4. 1BK, Don Droud Jr., Lincoln, NE (5) 5. Max Dumesny (19) 6. 3H, Brooke Tatnell, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (8) 7. 45x, Rickey Hood, Booneville, IN (11) 8. 1J, Brent Antill, Huxley, IA (13) 9. 4m, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (7) 10. Scott Hogue (22) 11. 97, Chad Mellenberndt, Sioux Falls, SD (14) 12. 10T, Terry Gray, Memphis, TN (15) 13. 2m, Tony Moro, Des Moines, IA (6) 14. 51J, Ryan Jamison, Burlington, IA (17) 15. 9s, Shane Stewart (20) 16. 10R, Rod George, Kittanning, PA (4) 17. 69B, Brent Kaeding, Campbell, CA (16) 18. 29N, Larry Neighbors, Oklahoma City, OK (10) 19. 28, Brian Paulus, Mechanicsburg, PA (18) 20. J1, Marlon Jones, Sioux Falls, SD (1) 21. 8TW, Greg Hodnett, Memphis, TN (12) 22. Van Gurley Jr. (21) DNS – 66P, Mike Peters, Wichita, KS, 1F, Dean Jacobs, Wooster, OH.

B main (started), 22 laps, NT: 1. 10, Dave Blaney, Cortland, OH (12) 2. 7TW, Jeff Swindell, Memphis, TN (1) 3. Jac Haudenschild (21) 4. 47, Keith Kauffman, Mifflintown, PA (13) 5. 1w, Jeff Shepard, Upperco, MD (2) 6. 9w, Gary Wright, Hooks, TX (18) 7. 461, Lance Dewease, Mont Alto, PA (4) 8. 01, Paul McMahan, Oroville, CA (3) 9. 11K, Steve Kent, Fresno, CA (6) 10. 51, Tommie Estes Jr., Tulsa, OK (7) 11. 61, Joe Roe, Kenosha, WI (17) 12. 11L, Larry Pinegar II, Des Moines, IA (20) 13. Kevin Huntley (22) 14. 12F, Fred Rahmer, Salfordville, PA (8) 15. 15, Donny Schatz, Minot, ND (19) 16. 3DB, Joe Gaerte, Rochester, IN (15) 17. 7mt, Jim Carr, Webster Grove, MO (14) 18. 24R, Randy Tiner, Rio Linda, CA (5) 19. 0, Randy Smith, Mount Ayr, IA (11) 20. 56, Chris Walraven, Knoxville, IA (9) 21. U2, Kenny Jacobs, Holmesville, OH (16) 22. 12\$, Shane Carson, Yukon, OK (10).

Knoxville Nationals Championship Feature (started), 30 laps, NT: 1. 11, Steve Kinser, Bloomington, IN (14) 2. Jeff Swindell (22) 3. 5m, Mark Kinser, Oolitic, IN (1) 4. Dave Blaney (21) 5. 77, Danny Lasoski, Dover, MO (2) 6. 1, Sammy Swindell, Bartlett, TN (3) 7. Jac Haudenschild (23) 8. 2, Andy Hillenburg, Broken Arrow, OK (7) 9. 4, Bobby Davis Jr., Memphis, TN (8) 10. 71m, Stevie Smith, New Oxford, PA (10) 11. 24, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (5) 12. 23s, Frankie Kerr, Fremont, OH (19) 13. 94, Dale Blaney, Hartford, OH (16) 14. 5, Johnny Herrera, Tempe, AZ (4) 15. Keith Kauffman (24) 16. 1x, Randy Hannagan, San Jose, CA (6) 17. 19P, Steve Smith, New Oxford, PA (11) 18. 21, Steve Beitler, Sedro Woolley, WA (12) 19. 2L, Ed Lynch Jr., Apollo, PA (18) 20. 81, Jerry Richert Jr., Forest Lake, MN (17) 21. 77w, Joey Saldana, Brownsburg, IN (9) 22. 10V, Skip Jackson, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (15) 23. 55, Craig Dollansky, Elk River, MN (13) 24. 15c, Lee Brewer Jr., Germantown, TN (20). **Lap leaders:** M. Kinser 1-17, S. Kinser 18-30.

9/2/95

Antill Grabs First Win in Knoxville Sprint Championship

by Bob Wilson

Brent Antill chose the 42nd Season Championship to capture his first feature event win at Knoxville Raceway Saturday night.

Antill, who started in the front row of the 20-lap race beside Jerry Richert, Jr., took the lead at the drop of the green flag and held that spot for two circuits. Richert then took command of the race, gained the top spot and began to pull away from the field of cars.

A yellow flag on lap 13 for a wing panel forced a single-file restart and Richert again put some distance between himself and Antill, but with five laps remaining, the complexion of the race started to change.

The gap between the Richert machine and that of Antill began to narrow as the front running car had slowed. On the white flag lap, Antill had closed to the rear bumper of Richert and as they drove into the third turn, Antill took a brief lead. Richert charged back and they flew through turn four side by side. At the checkered flag, Antill nosed ahead by a car length to win his initial 410 ci main event at the Marion County Fairgrounds in the Jordan Brothers Racing Trostle. The win paid Antill \$3,000.

Richert settled for second and \$2,000. It was learned that his auto had dropped a cylinder late in the race. Marlon Jones came across the stripe for third, Steve Beitler finished a close fourth and Terry McCarl took fifth. Sixth place finisher Johnny Herrera received enough points to clinch the 1995 track title. Rounding out the top ten finishers were Don Droud, Jr., Skip Jackson, Jaymie Moyle and Manny Rockhold.

The 360 ci sprint feature saw another first time winner, as Ricky Logan made the trip from Arkansas pay off with a white flag pass to win the 15-lap season championship race. Second went to 1995 track champion, Larry Pinegar II. Bruce Williams, Bruce Drottz and Virgil Brandt formed the top five finishers.

410 Results

Time Trials (Qualifying Order): 1. 24, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (25) 16.094; 2. 10, Skip Jackson, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (10) 16.207; 3. 4, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (15) 16.211; 4. 1BK, Don Droud Jr., Lincoln, NE (27) 16.215; 5. 5, Johnny Herrera, Tempe, AZ (23) 16.252; 6. 96, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (8) 16.294; 7. J1, Marlon Jones, Sioux Falls, SD (18) 16.307; 8. 21, Steve Beitler, Sedro Woolley, WA (13) 16.345; 9. 1, Brent Antill, Huxley, IA (22) 16.388; 10. 55, Craig Dollansky, Elk River, MN (6) 16.508; 11. 81, Jerry Richert Jr., Forest Lake, MN (24) 16.547; 12. 19, Bob Weuve, Newton, IA (14) 16.584; 13. 0, Randy Smith, Mount Ayr, IA (21) 16.615; 14. 16L, Leonard Lee, Milo, IA (9) 16.711; 15. 14, Doran Doty, Des Moines, IA (17) 16.722; 16. 9, Rich Bubak, Golden, CO (20) 16.736; 17. 12, Randy Martin, California, MO (29) 16.752; 18. 86, John Kearney, Ozawkie, KS (4) 16.781; 19. 71, Manny Rockhold, Pekin, IL (12) 16.822; 20. 69, Mark Smyser, Lancaster, MO (16) 16.890; 21. 71D, Dennis Moore Jr., Grinnell, IA (5) 16.996; 22. 97, Chad Mellenberndt, Sioux Falls, SD (28) 17.032; 23. 56, Chris Walraven, Knoxville, IA (2) 17.092; 24. 2H, Wayne Redmond, Fort Dodge, IA (19) 17.131; 25. 2x, Shawn Moore, Moline, IL (11) 17.180; 26. 57c, Troy Parsons, Altoona, IA (26) 17.419; 27. 66, Kenny McCarl, Des Moines, IA (1) 17.467; 28. 5w, Wayne Williams, Scottsdale, AZ (30); 29. D1, Dan Oswalt, Iola, KS (3) 17.825; 30. 2m, Tony Moro, Des Moines, IA (7) NT.

Heat one (started), 8 laps, 2:14.3: 1. Chad Mellenberndt (1) 2. Manny Rockhold (2) 3. Terry McCarl (8) 4. Rich Bubak (3) 5. Randy Smith (4) 6. Marlon Jones (6) / 7. Craig Dollansky (5) 8. Don Droud Jr. (7) 9. Shawn Moore (9) 10. Wayne Williams (10)

Heat two (started), 8 laps, NT: 1. Skip Jackson (8) 2. Johnny Herrera (7) 3. Chris Walraven (1) 4. Steve Beitler (6) 5. Leonard Lee (4) 6. Jerry Richert Jr. (5) / 7. Randy Martin (3) 8. Dan Oswalt (10) 9. Troy Parsons (9) 10. Mark Smyser (2)

Heat three (started), 8 laps, 2:18.3: 1. Dennis Moore Jr. (2) 2. John Kearney (3) 3. Brent Antill (6) 4. Doran Doty (4) 5. Bob Weuve (5) 6. Jaymie Moyle (8) / 7. Wayne Redmond (1) 8. Scott Whitworth (7) 9. Kenny McCarl (9) DNS – Tony Moro

B main (started), 10 laps, 2:49.4: 1. Don Droud Jr. (1) 2. Scott Whitworth (2) / 3. Randy Martin (4) 4. Shawn Moore (6) 5. Kenny McCarl (5) 6. Wayne Redmond (3) 7. Dan Oswalt (7) 8. Wayne Williams (9) 9. Troy Parsons (8) DNS – Craig Dollansky, Mark Smyser

A main (started), 20 laps, NT: 1. Brent Antill (2) 2. Jerry Richert Jr. (1) 3. Marlon Jones (4) 4. Steve Beitler (3) 5. Terry McCarl (8) 6. Johnny Herrera (5) 7. Don Droud Jr. (19) 8. Skip Jackson (7) 9. Jaymie Moyle (6) 10. Manny Rockhold (15) 11. John Kearney (14) 12. Dennis Moore Jr. (16) 13. Bob Weuve (9) 14. Rich Bubak (13) 15. Chris Walraven (18) 16. Scott Whitworth (20) 17. Doran Doty (12) 18. Leonard Lee (11) 19. Randy Smith (10) 20. Chad Mellenberndt (17). **Lap Leaders:** Antill 1-2, Richert 3-19, Antill 20.

360 Results

Heat one (started), 6 laps, 1:50.1: 1. 57, Steve Breazeale, Pleasantville, IA (2) 2. 10, Mike Trent, Columbia, MO (1) 3. 8B, Bruce Williams, Pleasant Hill, IA (3) 4. 00, Larry Weeks, Montezuma, IA (4) 5. 22, Eddie Leavitt Jr., Knoxville, IA (5) 6. 26, Lee Nelson, Ankeny, IA (8) / 7. 80, Duane Van Heukelom, Colfax, IA (7) 8. 82, Dave Van Heukelom, Pella, IA (9) 9. 41B, Nick Bellino, Omaha, NE (6) 10. 8A, Nate Anderson, Lucas, IA (10)

Heat two (started), 6 laps, 1:49.2: 1. 48, Bob Thompson, Des Moines, IA (2) 2. 7, Ricky Logan, Little Rock, AR (6) 3. 12x, Jerry Crabb, Des Moines, IA (4) 4. 88, Tim Holzworth, Valeria, IA (1) 5. 20, Mark Wilson, Des Moines, IA (3) 6. 16H, Jeff Haines, Oskaloosa, IA (7) / 7. 7x, Terry Alexander, Knoxville, IA (8) 8. 34, Tim Deaver, Knoxville, IA (5) 9. 80x, Mike Houseman, Des Moines, IA (9) 10. 9, Jim Strobel, Sigourney, IA (10)

Heat three (started), 6 laps, 1:49.0: 1. 11L, Larry Pinegar II, Des Moines, IA (6) 2. 18, Bruce Drottz, Des Moines, IA (2) 3. 41s, Kent Severson, Omaha, NE (1) 4. 11, Archie Ergenbright, Newton, IA (3) 5. 41, Virgil Brandt, Des Moines, IA (5) 6. 9H, Ed Ergenbright, Newton, IA (7) / 7. 02, Tim Gould, Galesburg, IL (9) 8. 33v, Larry Webb, Des Moines, IA (4) 9. 16, Kenny Williams, Blakesburg, IA (8) DNS – 5G, Brett Golik, Newton, IA

B main (started), 10 laps, NT: 1. Terry Alexander (2) 2. Tim Deaver (3) / 3. Nick Bellino (5) 4. Dave Van Heukelom (4) 5. Kenny Williams (7) 6. Duane Van Heukelom (1) 7. Mike Houseman (8) 8. Jim Strobel (9) 9. Larry Webb (6) DNS – Tim Gould, Nate Anderson

A main (started), 15 laps, NT: 1. Ricky Logan (4) 2. Larry Pinegar II (6) 3. Bruce Williams (2) 4. Bruce Drottz (3) 5. Virgil Brandt (15) 6. Jerry Crabb (1) 7. Mike Trent (5) 8. Steve Breazeale (8) 9. Larry Weeks (10) 10. Eddie Leavitt Jr. (13) 11. Kent Severson (9) 12. Lee Nelson (16) 13. Jeff Haines (17) 14. Terry Alexander (19) 15. Tim Deaver (20) 16. Ed Ergenbright (18) 17. Tim Holzworth (11) 18. Archie Ergenbright (12) 19. Bob Thompson (7) 20. Mark Wilson (14). **Lap Leaders:** B. Williams 1-5, Pinegar 6-13, Logan 14-15.

9/9/95

Aikey is Victorious in Knoxville IMCA Deery Brothers “Classic”

by Bob Wilson

Knoxville, IA – Jeff Aikey was out to prove that an eighteenth position start was not enough to keep him out of the winner’s circle as he made a late race pass for the lead to win the Deery Bros. IMCA Late Model Summer Series “Housby Trucks Classic” at Knoxville Raceway Saturday night.

It was a race that looked for certain would be a carbon copy of the 1994 event staged on this historic oval as a racelong battle developed just after the half-way point of the 40-lap event between Gary Webb and Steve

Kosiski. Kosiski, who started sixteenth, had methodically worked his way to the front and when he passed for the runner-up spot after a yellow flag on the eighteenth circuit, it set the stage for a torrid battle with Webb.

Lap after lap saw the duo run side by side around the half-mile oval until Kosiski took the point position for good on the 26th go-around. Webb was not to be denied as he challenged Kosiski until he was passed by Aikey on the thirty-third lap. Aikey and Kosiski had each come through the "B" main to gain starting nods in the \$12,000 "Classic" feature.

Aikey then set his sights on Kosiski and swiftly caught the defending race champ. After running closely for several laps, Aikey took the lead as he and Kosiski ran side by side down the backstretch on lap thirty-seven.

At the finish, it was Aikey by 20 yards over Rick Wendling, who had likewise transferred from the B main and had roared into contention with five laps to go. Aikey pocketed \$2,500 for his efforts and Wendling received \$1,500. Kosiski held for third and \$1,000 while Webb finished fourth. Fifth place finisher Todd Cooney also came out of a B main transfer spot. Rounding out the top ten finishers were Ron Boyse, Doug Hopkins, Darin Burco, Terry Ryan and Sonny Smyser.

In the companion hobby stock feature event, Jamie Bossard took an early race lead from his fourth row starting position and went on to claim the 20-lap win. He was trailed to the finish line by John Schulz and JC Nehring.

Late Model Results

Heat one, 10 laps, NT: 1. Boone McLaughlin, Mediapolis, IA 2. Lynn Richard, Mount Pleasant, IA 3. Gary Russell, Carmen, IL / 4. Rich Picha, Prairie du Chien, WI 5. Billy Allen, Des Moines, IA

Heat two, 10 laps, 3:34.8: 1. Darin Burco, Independence, IA 2. Gary Webb, Blue Grass, IA 3. Terry Schlipman, Mendon, IA / 4. Steve Hennies, Donnellson, IA 5. Jeff Aikey, Cedar Falls, IA

Heat three, 10 laps, 3:42.5: 1. Terry Ryan, Davenport, IA 2. Rollie Frink, Davenport, IA 3. Harold Schriener, Guide Rock, NE / 4. Dave Warth, Danville, IA 5. Jarod Fleck, Des Moines, IA

Heat four, 10 laps, NT: 1. Jeff French, Adel, IA 2. Tom Boyse, Kalona, IA 3. Sonny Smyser, Lancaster, MO / 4. Dirk Hamilton, Waterloo, IA 5. Dino Rodesh, West Des Moines, IA

Heat five, 10 laps, 3:43.6: 1. Doug Hopkins, Bloomfield, IA 2. Mike Smith, Jewell, IA 3. Craig Jacobs, Des Moines, IA / 4. Steve Johnson, Comanche, IA 5. Todd Cooney, Des Moines, IA

B main #1, 12 laps, 4:22.6: 1. Todd Cooney 2. Rick Wendling, Hazelton, IA 3. Rob Kirchner, Donnellson, IA 4. Don Hoffman, Des Moines, IA 5. Darrell DeFrance, Marshalltown, IA 6. Steve Hennies /

B main #2, 12 laps, NT: 1. Steve Kosiski, Omaha, NE 2. Jeff Aikey 3. Steve Johnson 4. Steve Boley, Oxford, IA 5. Dino Rodesh 6. Lynn Idler, Ionia, IA /

A main, 40 laps, NT: 1. Jeff Aikey 2. Rick Wendling 3. Steve Kosiski 4. Gary Webb 5. Todd Cooney 6. Tom Boyse 7. Doug Hopkins 8. Darin Burco 9. Terry Ryan 10. Sonny Smyser 11. Don Hoffman 12. Terry Schlipman 13. Craig Jacobs 14. Steve Boley 15. Lynn Richard 16. Rob Kirchner 17. Jarod Fleck 18. Harold Schriener 19. Jeff French 20. Rollie Frink 21. Darrell DeFrance 22. Steve Hennies 23. Gary Russell 24. Boone McLaughlin 25. Lynn Idler 26. Steve Johnson. **Lap Leaders:** Boley 1-7, Webb 8-25, Kosiski 26-36, Aikey 37-40.

Hobby Stock Results

Heat one, 8 laps, NT: 1. John Schulz, Burlington, IA 2. JC Nehring, Hubbard, IA 3. Kevin Tanner, Russell, IA 4. Jim Philipsen, Des Moines, IA 5. Ed Altheide, Bloomfield, IA

Heat two, 8 laps, 3:26.9: 1. Mark Turner, Knoxville, IA 2. Kenny Miller, Des Moines, IA 3. John Yaw, Des Moines, IA 4. Jim Snyder, Milton, IA 5. Paul Underwood, Ottumwa, IA

Heat three, 8 laps, 3:27.7: 1. Brad Stephens, Bussey, IA 2. Curt Guiles, Green Castle, MO 3. Cliff Gray, Waterloo, IA 4. Jim Ringham, Mason City, IA 5. John Coleman, Des Moines, IA

Heat four, 8 laps, NT: 1. Cale Wood, Monroe, IA 2. Kevin McIntosh, Ottumwa, IA 3. Danny Hill, Des Moines, IA 4. Greg Clark, Bussey, IA 5. John Knowles, Sigourney, IA

Heat five, 8 laps, NT: 1. Jamie Bossard, Oskaloosa, IA 2. Maynard Davis, Des Moines, IA 3. Dave Mongar, Des Moines, IA 4. Ben Jones, Bloomfield, IA 5. John Johnson, Melcher, IA

B main #1, 10 laps, 4:19.9: 1. Tom Youchm, Batavia, IA 2. John Richardson, Wapello, IA 3. Todd Fisher, Des Moines, IA 4. Jason Reed, Melcher, IA 5. John Coleman

B main #2, 10 laps, 4:16.6: 1. John Knowler, Sigourney, IA 2. Mike Goff, Knoxville, IA 3. Mike O'Lear, Marshalltown, IA 4. Jason Henry, Knoxville, IA 5. Bud Maschmann, Malcom, IA

A main, 15 laps, NT: 1. Jamie Bossard 2. John Schulz 3. JC Nehring 4. Brad Stephens 5. Curt Guiles 6. Jim Philipsen 7. Jim Ringham 8. Kevin Tanner 9. Paul Underwood 10. John Richardson 11. Ben Jones 12. John Knowler 13. Cliff Gray 14. Mike Goff 15. Jim Snyder 16. Kenny Miller 17. Danny Hill 18. Mark Turner 19. Greg Clark 20. Kevin McIntosh 21. Cale Wood 22. Tom Youchm 23. John Yaw 24. Maynard Davis

9/23/95

AMA Motorcycles

Grand National Winner – Kevin Varnes, Pottstown, PA

H-D Sportster Winner – Jay Springsteen, Lapeer, MI

9/27/95

Mark Kinser Wins Knoxville Feature

by Richard Day

KNOXVILLE, IA (September 27) - Mark Kinser returned to the scene of the crime Wednesday night. He was back at Knoxville Raceway for the first time since suffering one of the most heartbreaking disappointments of his career.

Mark put many of the bitter memories of losing the lead in the Amoco Knoxville Nationals behind him, however, by winning for the third time in four visits to Knoxville's hallowed semi-banked, 1/2-mile oval this year.

"I'm glad to have my sponsors from Wirtgen here tonight," Mark said. "I wish they would come out more often. It seems like we win every time they come to watch me race.

"I'd like to thank my dad (car owner and crew chief Karl Kinser) for giving me a perfect car tonight."

Mark opened the festivities by earning his 20th EcoWater Fast-Time Award of the year. His 15.374-second qualifying run was more than a quarter-of-a-second faster than Nationals champion Steve Kinser's quickest lap. He followed Terry McCarl, Sammy Swindell and Dave Blaney across the finish line in the Vivarin Dash, and started the 25-lap main event outside the second row.

Swindell, winner of 13 World of Outlaws "A" Features at Knoxville, burst into the lead from the outside pole as the green flag fell in the main event. He rode the rim into turn one, and Terry McCarl raced past him in the low groove.

Mark steered the #5M Wirtgen Maxim high into the fourth corner to pass Blaney for third place the next time around. McCarl was five car-lengths ahead of his closest pursuers when Mark raced around Swindell for the runner-up spot during the fifth lap.

The leaders were catching the backmarkers the next time around when a steering problem caused Second Snap-on Tools Heat Race winner Steve Beitler to hit the turn-three retaining wall. Scott Whitworth was unable to steer clear of the #21 and crashed into Beitler.

The battle for second place resumed after the green flag replaced the red, with Mark gaining the advantage in turn four late in lap six. He took the lead with a low move into the fourth corner the next time around.

McCarl was trying to return the favor when he jumped the cushion and his #24 McCroskey Chevrolet Maxim turned over in turn two early in the eighth lap.

"I didn't come to run second," McCarl said after returning and finishing 19th. "I can't change the way I drive; I've got to be aggressive. I was diving under Mark and I turned the wheel a little bit. I crossed the middle of the track and just got the car loose."

Kinser opened an eight-car-length advantage within two laps after the race resumed, and caught the backmarkers midway through the race. Swindell caught Mark as he slowed in heavy lapped traffic early in the 14th lap, but was unable to pass him.

"I made a little bit of a sour move," Kinser admitted after the race. "I wasn't really high, and I wasn't really low. I just got in a place where you don't want to be. He (Sammy) had a good shot at me."

Swindell had a similar description of his near-pass, saying, "He just slid across there and really slowed down. I wasn't really in the right place to get by him. I was having a little trouble getting off the corner myself."

Blaney, the leader in the Skoal Outlaw Series point standings, started battling Swindell for the runner-up spot two laps later, allowing Mark to return to his five-car-length comfort zone.

Sammy made another run at Mark deep in the first corner early in the 17th lap, but the lapped traffic proved too dense for him to take the lead.

Mark ran away from the 24-car field during the final six laps, opening a 10-car-length advantage by lap 19. He was 20 car-lengths ahead with four laps remaining, and lapped up to 13th place by the time he took the checkered flag with a half-straightaway to spare.

"I'd been trying to run the bottom all night - in the heat race and in the dash - so I had a pretty good line there," Kinser said. "But one lap I'd hit it, and one lap I'd miss it. I just had to hang with it to make it work."

Sammy held off "The Buckeye Bullet" to record the Swindell brothers' third straight second-place finish in a World of Outlaws "A" Feature at Knoxville. Rounding out the top 10 were Steve Kinser, Danny Lasoski, 1995 Knoxville Raceway champion Johnny Herrera, Jac Haudenschild, Andy Hillenburg, Jeff Swindell and Stevie Smith.

Greg Hodnett received his seventh Wells Lamont Hard Charger Award of the year after racing into 12th place from inside the 10th row.

Results

Time Trials (Qualifying Order): 1. 5m, Mark Kinser, Oolitic, IN (28) 15.374; 2. 11, Steve Kinser, Bloomington, IN (35) 15.635; 3. 10, Dave Blaney, Cortland, OH (15) 15.652; 4. 5, Johnny Herrera, Tempe, AZ (11) 15.707; 5. 7TW, Jeff Swindell, Memphis, TN (14) 15.771; 6. 01, Paul McMahan, Oroville, CA (3) 15.806; 7. 1, Sammy Swindell, Bartlett, TN (39) 15.829; 8. 24, Terry McCarl, Pleasant Hill, IA (13) 15.842; 9. 47, Keith Kauffman, Mifflintown, PA (1) 15.872; 10. 77, Danny Lasoski, Dover, MO (26) 15.922; 11. 22, Jac Haudenschild, Wooster, OH (25) 15.942; 12. 1w, Jeff Shepard, Upperco, MD (19) 15.986; 13. 1x, Randy Hannagan, San Jose, CA (20) 15.987; 14. 2, Andy Hillenburg, Broken Arrow, OK (21) 16.019; 15. 71m, Stevie Smith, New Oxford, PA (32) 16.022; 16. 1K, Jaymie Moyle, Knoxville, IA (16) 16.105; 17. 1J, Brent Antill, Huxley, IA (37) 16.133; 18. 21, Steve Beitler, Sedro Woolley, WA (40) 16.221; 19. 8TW, Greg Hodnett, Memphis, TN (38) 16.229; 20. 55, Craig Dollansky, Elk River, MN (27) 16.278; 21. 3c, Daniel Coggeshell, Milo, IA (31) 16.304; 22. 10V, Skip Jackson, Sydney, NSW, Aust. (41) 16.340; 23. 96, Scott Whitworth, Worthington, MO (34) 16.343; 24. 73, Tim Engler, Princeton, IN (8) 16.365; 25. 81, Jerry Richert Jr., Forest Lake, MN (7) 16.466; 26. 32, Jimmy Brewer, Sikeston, MO (5) 16.472; 27. 19, Bob Weuve, Newton, IA (18) 16.473; 28. 16L, Leonard Lee, Milo, IA (10) 16.515; 29. 9, Rich Bubak, Golden, CO (6) 16.558; 30. 12, Kevin Frey, Mechanicsburg, PA (30) 16.680; 31. 3, Tim Lewis, Gas, KS (29) 16.692; 32. 71y, Dennis Moore Jr., Grinnell, IA (23) 16.713; 33. 2m, Tony Moro, Des Moines, IA (22) 16.767; 34. 02, Mike Reinke, Sheboygan, WI (36) 16.817; 35. 7A, Todd Taeger, Burlington, IA (42) 16.892; 36. 56, Chris Walraven, Knoxville, IA (2) 16.909; 37. 83, Rod Henderson, Sioux Falls, SD (43) 17.022; 38. 69, Mark Smyser, Lancaster, MO (4) 17.089; 39. D1, Dan Oswalt, Iola, KS (33) 17.292; 40. 20, Mark Wilson, Des Moines, IA (12) 17.297; 41. 57c, Troy Parsons, Altoona, IA (17) 17.883; 42. 37, Mike Thomas, Des Moines, IA (9) 17.547; 43. 1T, Terry Thomas, Knoxville, IA (24) NT; 44. J1, Marlon Jones, Sioux Falls, SD (44) NT.

Heat one (started), 8 laps, : 1. Daniel Coggeshell (1) 2. Mark Kinser (6) 3. Brent Antill (2) 4. Randy Hannagan (3) 5. Keith Kauffman (4) / 6. Jeff Swindell (5) 7. Jerry Richert Jr. (7) 8. Troy Parsons (11) 9. Rich Bubak (8) 10. Rod Henderson (10) 11. Tony Moro (9).

Heat two (started), 8 laps, : 1. Steve Beitler (2) 2. Steve Kinser (6) 3. Skip Jackson (1) 4. Andy Hillenburg (3) 5. Danny Lasoski (4) / 6. Paul McMahan (5) 7. Jimmy Brewer (7) 8. Kevin Frey (8) 9. Mike Reinke (9) 10. Mark Smyser (10). DNS - Mike Thomas.

Heat three (started), 8 laps, : 1. Jac Haudenschild (4) 2. Greg Hodnett (2) 3. Dave Blaney (6) 4. Sammy Swindell (5) 5. Stevie Smith (3) / 6. Scott Whitworth (1) 7. Bob Weuve (7) 8. Tim Lewis (8) 9. Todd Taeger (9) 10. Dan Oswalt (10). DNS - Terry Thomas.

Heat four (started), 8 laps, : 1. Craig Dollansky (2) 2. Jeff Shepard (4) 3. Johnny Herrera (6) 4. Terry McCarl (5) 5. Tim Engler (1) / 6. Dennis Moore Jr. (8) 7. Jaymie Moyle (3) 8. Leonard Lee (7) 9. Chris Walraven (9) 10. Mark Wilson (10). DNS - Marlon Jones.

Dash (started), 5 laps, : 1. Terry McCarl (1) 2. Sammy Swindell (2) 3. Dave Blaney (4) 4. Mark Kinser (6) 5. Steve Kinser (5) 6. Johnny Herrera (3) 7. Danny Lasoski (8) 8. Keith Kauffman (7).

B main (started), 12 laps, : 1. Paul McMahan (2) 2. Jeff Swindell (1) 3. Jaymie Moyle (3) 4. Scott Whitworth (4) / 5. Leonard Lee (8) 6. Mike Reinke (14) 7. Chris Walraven (16) 8. Dennis Moore Jr. (12) 9. Tim Lewis (11) 10. Jimmy Brewer (6) 11. Kevin Frey (10) 12. Dan Oswalt (17) 13. Rod Henderson (15) 14. Todd Taeger (13) 15. Mark Wilson (20) 16. Jerry Richert Jr. (5) 17. Bob Weuve (7) 18. Rich Bubak (9) 19. Mark Smyser (18) 20. Troy Parsons (19) 21. Marlon Jones (21). DNS - Tony Moro, Mike Thomas, Terry Thomas.

A main (started), 25 laps, : 1. Mark Kinser (4) 2. Sammy Swindell (2) 3. Dave Blaney (3) 4. Steve Kinser (5) 5. Danny Lasoski (7) 6. Johnny Herrera (6) 7. Jac Haudenschild (11) 8. Andy Hillenburg (14) 9. Jeff Swindell (9) 10. Stevie Smith (15) 11. Paul McMahan (10) 12. Greg Hodnett (19) 13. Jeff Shepard (12) 14. Craig Dollansky (20) 15. Randy Hannagan (13) 16. Brent Antill (17) 17. Tim Engler (24) 18. Keith Kauffman (8) 19. Terry McCarl (1) 20. Daniel Coggeshell (21) 21. Skip Jackson (22) 22. Jaymie Moyle (16) 23. Steve Beitler (18) 24. Scott Whitworth (23). **Lap leaders:** Terry McCarl 1-6, Mark Kinser 7-25.

1995 410 Final Point Standings and Feature Winners:

Driver	Feature Wins (Feature Laps Led)	Points	Primary car(s)
1. Johnny Herrera	5 (50)	3280	Forbrook Motorsports 5
2. Terry McCarl	4 (56)	2990	McCroskey 24
3. Craig Dollansky	2 (51)	2725	Serace, Inc. 55
4. Jerry Richert Jr.	2 (60)	2555	Johnson 81
5. Skip Jackson	0 (10)	2435	VanderEcken 10
6. Jaymie Moyle	1 (33)	2270	Moyle 4
7. Dennis Moore Jr.	-	2035	Nickel/Robuck 12, Moore 71
8. Brent Antill	1 (7)	2020	Jordan Racing 1
9. Steve Beitler	0 (12)	1970	Beitler 21
10. Marlon Jones	-	1950	S.O.S. Racing J1
11. Randy Smith	-	1700	R.C.S. Investments 0, Kain 1K
12. John Kearney	0 (5)	1650	Kearney & Sons 86
13. Randy Martin	-	1615	Martin 14m
14. Leonard Lee	-	1460	Lee 16L
Chris Walraven	-	1460	Behlers 56
16. Scott Whitworth	-	1330	Tall Corn Racing 96, Todd 5T
17. Manny Rockhold	0 (5)	1325	Rockhold 71
18. Doran Doty	-	1270	Doty 14
19. Ryan Jamison	-	1270	Jamison 51J, Ball 3B, Cahill 7
20. Mark Smyser	-	1075	Renegade Racing 69
21. Tony Moro	0 (6)	1050	Moro 2m, Kain 1K
22. Troy Parsons	-	1040	Parsons 57c

Other 410 Feature Winners (Laps Led): Mark Kinser 3 (86), Steve Kinser 2 (36), Jac Haudenschild 2 (32), Danny Lasoski 2 (31), Andy Hillenburg 1 (12), Chad Mellenberndt 0 (19), Jeff Tuttle 0 (9), Sammy Swindell 0 (7), Chad Radel 0 (4), Bobby Davis Jr. 0 (2)

1995 360 Final Point Standings and Feature Winners:

Driver	Feature Wins (Feature Laps Led)	Points	Primary car(s)
1. Larry Pinegar II	4 (58)	1480	Pinegar 11L
2. Steve Breazeale	2 (22)	1226	Sage 57
3. Lee Nelson	3 (25)	1173	Nelson 26
4. Bruce Williams	0 (19)	1148	Williams 8B
5. Jeff Haines	1 (29)	1103	Haines 16H

6. Bruce Drottz	1 (12)	1056	Wineland 18
7. Terry Alexander	1 (13)	1047	Hansen 7x, Alexander 77
8. Bob Thompson	-	974	Thompson 48
9. Virgil Brandt	1 (20)	942	Brandt 41
10. Eddie Leavitt Jr.	-	925	Leavitt 22
11. Duane Van Heukelom	0 (4)	815	Van Heukelom 80
12. Kenny Williams	0 (3)	798	Williams 16
13. Brett Golik	-	764	Golik 5G
14. Jerry Crabb	-	728	Crabb 12x
15. Archie Ergenbright	-	634	Ergenbright 11
16. Mark Wilson	-	557	Trostle 20
17. Kent Severson	-	546	Bellino 41s
18. Tim Holzworth	-	478	Holzworth 88
19. Dave Van Heukelom	-	462	Van Heukelom 82
20. Larry Weeks	-	435	Weeks 00
21. Tim Deaver	-	430	Deaver 34
22. Ed Ergenbright	-	398	Ergenbright 9H
23. Terry Thomas	-	355	Thomas 1
24. Chris Tice	-	270	Tice 27T

Other 360 Feature Winners (Laps Led): Rick Ferkel 1 (20), Danny Lasoski 1 (12), Danny Young 1 (3), Ricky Logan 1 (2), Scott Whitworth 0 (13), Steve Wares 0 (9), Mike Brooks 0 (2)