

Great fightback by W.A. in baseball to beat Vic.

W.A. came from behind three times to defeat Victoria 6-3 in the second game of the Australian baseball championship at the W.A.C.A. yesterday.

At the same time, Victoria centre fielder, Ken Morrison made carnival baseball history with an unassisted triple play.

With Braithwaite and Watson on base for W.A., Morrison made a great catch off Bryan's high fly ball and continued into the infield to retire Braithwaite and Watson, who were off base.

Victoria scored the first run of the game in the third innings when Anderson, Wale and Smith hit safely.

Then W.A. shortstop Arthur McCarthy (playing his first Claxton Shield game) put the home team in front when his single scored two runners.

Scores tied

Victoria tied the score in their half of the fourth innings when the W.A. catcher dropped the ball and allowed Morrison to

W.A.	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	3	6
Vic	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	3

S.A. beats N.S.W.

In the opening game of the baseball carnival, South Australia defeated N.S.W. 4-nil.

The South Australian team scored one run in the first innings when Horley singled to right field and took second when the ball was fumbled by the right fielder.

Horley advanced to

reach home plate. The visitors and present shield holders regained the lead when Don Deeble (a former W.A. night baseballer) bunted safely to score Ken Stephens.

W.A. again tied the score in the eighth, then combined four hits, a base on balls, and a wild pitch to score three more runs and defeat Victoria.

Star player in a great W.A. side was Fremantle second baseman Roy Watson.

He twice hit safely and received three walks for a perfect day at bat.

The win placed the home team level with South Australia in the carnival standings.

Scores.
W.A., 6 runs, 11 hits, 2 errors. Best: W.A., Watson, Greenham, Teasdale.
Vic.: 3 runs, 8 hits, 2 errors. Best: Morrison, Deeble.

Today's matches are: South Australia v. Victoria.

West Australia v. N.S.W.

runner off first base. A batting rally in the seventh for S.A. brought up three more runs.

N.S.W. fought back in the ninth when Lawrence and Leader hit safely.

However, Peter



One on the board for Victoria: This was Victoria's first run against W.A. in the interstate baseball at the W.A.C.A. yesterday. Local player Ron Thornton is making a futile effort to put out a triumphant W. Anderson.

TIME HONORS TO FAVORITE BROWN

Fastest time honors in yesterday's Perth to Pinjarra and return road race went to favorite Don Brown.

He covered the 100 miles in 4 hrs. 15 min. 35 secs.

This clipped 9min. off Mick Lucas's six-year-old record, which was also broken by the two following riders.

In a thrilling finish B. Logan managed to break away to beat H. Van Laanen by inches for first place.

The race was held in near perfect conditions although heavy rain hampered the riders early.

Yesterday's results were:

Perth-Pinjarra Race: B Logan, 1; H. Van Laanen, 2; C. Parkes, 3; L. Taylor, 4; fastest, B. Brown, 4.15.35.

Junior 28 Mile Handicap: F. Baldoni, 1; R. Bell Kemp, 3; fastest, R. 73 mins. 23 secs.

Sub-Juniors, 10 Championship: G. Rowlands, 2; R. 73 mins. 23 secs.

The 42-mile hilly course caused many riders to lag. Fastest time went to Johnny Oliver.

Results were: E. Hunt 1, G. Bilton 2, R. Rimmer. Fastest time: G. Oliver 1 hour 46 min. 55-1/5 sec.

WESTS BEAT SWANS IN ROWING EIGHTS

Wests defeated Swans by a canvas in an exciting finish to yesterday's W.A. Rowing Club pennant regatta senior eights on the Swa