

American Legion wins twice against Ellis



KEVIN BOTTRELL/Colby Free Press
Pitcher Preston Krzycki fired a fastball to an Ellis batter at the first game of an American Legion doubleheader on Wednesday. The Colby squad won both games, 7-5 and 8-6.

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The Colby American Legion baseball team bested Ellis by two in both games of a home doubleheader Wednesday evening.

The team won the early game 7-5. Both teams had seven hits.

Colby's Eric Blanton drove in three with a home run and a double.

Relief pitcher Stephen Dinkel picked up the win, giving up just two hits and striking out eight batters in the final four innings. Preston Krzycki started the game, striking out three, but giving up four runs on five hits.

The team won the late game 8-6, overcoming four errors and out-hitting Ellis by one. Corey Sager went three for four, driving in three runs with a single, a double and a triple. Kevin Lang pitched a complete game for the win, holding Ellis to six runs on 10 hits and striking out nine.

Nuggets pick up point guard in draft

DENVER (AP) — The Denver Nuggets landed the reserve point guard they coveted in Ty Lawson, who's expected to take some wear and tear off Chauncey Billups while serving as his protegee.

The Nuggets traded a future first-round draft pick to Minnesota for the rights to North Carolina point guard, who led the Tar Heels to the national championship.

Denver needed a reserve point guard to spell Billups, who tired out toward the end of the Western Conference championship after leading the Nuggets within

a whisker of their first trip to the NBA finals.

"In the playoffs, I think we might have wore him out a little bit. But everybody does that. All teams wear out their good players in the playoffs," said coach George Karl, who would like to limit Billups' minutes next season to 30-35 minutes.

Mark Warkentien, the Nuggets' vice president of basketball operation and reigning NBA executive of the year, said Lawson will have to earn his minutes next season, however. If Karl has his way, An-

thon Carter will be back next season, so Lawson will have his work cut out for him carving out minutes on the court.

"That's a job that has to be won," Warkentien said.

Still, the smart money is on Lawson having an immediate impact next season.

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