

SPORT SPOTLIGHTS

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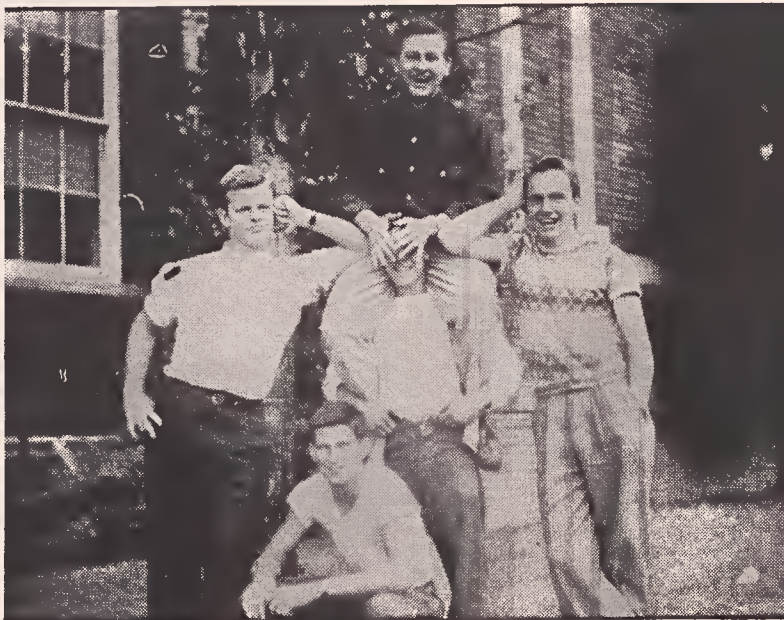
Yellowjackets Drop Opener To Salisbury

The Lexington baseball squad dropped their opening game of the season to the Salisbury nine. Salisbury drove in two runs in the tenth inning, while Lexington was able to score only one run to lose the game 6-5.

Salisbury took the lead in the second when they brought in two runs. They scored another in the third to lengthen their lead 3-0. Lexington came to life in the fourth inning to pound in three runs to tie the score. It was the seventh inning when the Salisbury squad broke the tie with a single run; however, Lexington again knotted the score in the eighth, after Salisbury had changed pitchers. The score remained tied through the ninth, and Salisbury was at bat in the first half of the tenth. Hilliard, the pitcher, doubled with two men on base, and two runs came in. As the sides retired, Salisbury led 6-4. Lexington tried desperately to catch up, but scored only one run when Siceloff doubled to left field to score Everhart from second. Salisbury held the Yellowjackets for the remainder of the inning, and won 6-5.

Hilliard was the winning pitcher, and Grogg caught the entire game for Salisbury. The battery for Lexington was Eanes, Simmerson, and Siceloff.

Intramural Champions



Reading left to right, standing: Bill (Bull) Bialock, Benny Walsler, Hugh (Monk) Mathis; kneeling, Bob Holmes; and seated on the monkey's shoulder Charles "Pea-head" Price.

Sporting With Sports

The basketball season has come to a very successful close and the baseball season is just getting under way. Besides these two main sports and football, Lexington High will have a tennis team and is considering entering into the golf field.

All the boys who were on the tennis team last year are again back. Although the team did not have too successful a season last year, it has high hopes for the coming season. Much of its hopes hinge upon "Tinker" Williams, who is holder of the number one spot in the singles, and Bob Peeler and Woody McKay, who are the one double team. Lexington is sadly lacking in court space, but the team is now practicing at Welborn's court.

Many of Lexington High's boys have been going to the golf course lately. Some eight or ten boys are interested and Mr. Gilstrap has consented to help them. They are not planning on playing a regular schedule, but hope to have several matches. None of the boys, so far, are shooting par golf, but have a lot of fun, which is the real object of any sport.

Some mighty tall tales have been told lately about the size and amount of fish being caught. Many of the boys and girls have been spending a lot of time on the lake, but it's doubtful as to the number of fish being caught (in the water).

Lexington was defeated in the quarter finals of the Journal-Sentinel Tournament by Granite Quarry, 38-34. Although none of Lexington's players were chosen on the all tournament team, Carter and Williams played some fine ball and got honorable mention.

Lexington Takes First Three In Tournament

Both the Lexington boys' and girls' teams entered the Journal-Sentinel Tournament in Winston-Salem. This tournament was played in the Hanes Hosiery Gymnasium and is the largest tournament of its kind in the world.

Lexington girls played Walnut Cove in the opening game and were eliminated when they were beaten.

On Monday, March 17, the Lexington boys' team met Dobson in its opening game and found them a fairly easy victim as the Yellowjackets rolled to a 52-19 victory. The Jackets found Boone a more formidable foe when they played them on March 19. Boone had a large and scrappy team, but the Jackets succeeded in conquering them by a 44-32 score. Lexington met Landis, the high scoring team of the tournament, and beat them 45-30. Landis staged a scoring spree in the third quarter, but the Jackets came back and went on to a comparatively easy victory.

Jackets Outwalk Paws, 12 to 7

The local baseballers took their first victory of the season over Paw Creek High at the local stadium after seven long innings on Thursday, April 10, by a count of 12 to 7.

As the third inning began, Paw Creek led by a score of 4-0. Tommy Joe Simmerson settled down in the middle of the game. In the last inning, Richard Smith took the ball and with little trouble took over the Paw Creekers.

McCrary, Price, and Gibson showed fine fielding features.

BASEBALL SCHEDULE

- April 18—Reynolds, there.
- April 19—High Point, here.
- April 23—Salisbury, there.
- April 25—Hanes, there.
- April 29—Gray High, Winston.
- May 5—Thomasville, there.
- May 6—Mt. Airy, there.
- May 13—Hanes, here.
- May 14—Thomasville, here.
- May 16—Mt. Airy, there.

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