

North Wilkesboro Beats Mooresville

Made Season With Spectacular 8-6 Victory Over Strong Nine

North Wilkesboro high school baseball team ended the season Friday afternoon by trouncing a strong nine from Mooresville by an 8-6 score.

R looked like the might of battle was on the side of the visitors in the opening frame when they got on with a single, followed by a drive to centerfield, which

See us for your needs in seed potatoes, onion sets, seed beans, and all kinds of garden seeds. **PEARSON BROTHERS.** 2-26-17

USE A Want Ad FOR QUICK ACTION

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: One furnished apartment, close in; two apartments on Hinchaw Street and B Street; One three-room apartment Hinchaw Street. Phone 205-M. 1t-pd

SEVEN ROOM HOUSE ON F Street, newly papered and painted. See Lee Edward Harris or Phone 273-M.

TWO 2-room apartments furnished or unfurnished; also one room furnished for light housekeeping and three furnished bedrooms. 616 B street. 5-20-2t

HOUSE AT 502 I street in North Wilkesboro; good garden. See R. L. Wellborn, Wilkesboro. 5-20-2t-pd

FOR SALE

FOR SALE CHEAP: One new and one used Philco Auto Radio. Also one new electric fence. Call 444 or see A. G. Kenerly Radio Service. 1t-pd

ALL VARIETIES Tomato Plants, anything you want. Stocky plants 5c dozen. J. L. Parks, 1215 Hinchaw Street. 1t-pd

FOR SALE: Progress Ice Refrigerator, 5 1-2 foot capacity. Been used about three months. Will sell at a bargain. See Mrs. D. S. Lane, 1105 E Street, or Telephone 339-M. 1t

FOR SALE: Two acres with good house, fronting Highway No. 1A, 3 1-2 miles out from North Wilkesboro. J. V. Caudill. 5-23-2t-pd

FOR SALE: Registered Pit Bull Dog Pits. The Kind That Stay Put. N. B. Smithy. 5-20-2t

TRACTORS—W-30 on rubber—Farmall 30, 15-30; Dodge \$100, Fordson. Cars—'39 small Buick Sedan, '39 Chevrolet Sedan, '39 Packard Convertible Coupe. Trucks—D-2 International Pickup, '39 Chevrolet 1-1-2 ton. Wholesale prices. **HENKEL'S,** Statesville, N. C. 5-30-8t

HEADQUARTERS for Poultry and Stock Remedies—Walco tablets and other known products, at low prices. Red Cross Pharmacy, "Your Service Drug Store," 10th Street. 4-18-1f

FOR SALE: Fordson Tractor; New Type motor; Bosch Ignition system. A-1 condition. Yadin Valley Motor Co. 5-9-1f

USUAL BARGAINS in good used cars and trucks, several makes and models. Wilkes Motor company, two miles west on Boone Trail. 10-2-1f

WANTED

WANTED: White woman to stay in home and do light housework and look after two cows. Middle-aged woman preferred. See L. G. Critcher at Journal-Patriot office. 1t-pd

WANTED: To do your radio repair work on all makes and models. Expert repairs. Satisfaction guaranteed. — Day Electric Co., Phone 328. 8-10-1f

MISCELLANEOUS

LOST: Small brown and white spotted Beagle bitch, 18 months old, gone two weeks, last seen in Wilkesboro Reward for return to J. E. Walker, North Wilkesboro. 1t-pd

SPECIAL: Two big five-cent boxes Diamond matches only five cents, this week only. Red Cross Pharmacy, Tenth street. 1t

WANTED: Bring your typewriters, cash registers, Adding Machines, computing scales, check writers, clocks, and sewing machines that need repairing and cleaning to me up stairs over Carter - Hubbard Publishing Company, Ninth street. W. G. Harrison. 1-1-1t

wait for a home run when it got by the catcher's fielder.

That was a two run lead but two innings later it was out to one when Higwood, first man up, blasted one over the fence. Craven then got on and Rhodes sent one through the fence in left center for the second homer of the inning and North Wilkesboro was ahead 3 to 2.

Later in the game Mooresville sluggers got to Lefty Brookshire with successive singles and doubles to score six runs and they led 6 to 3. The fireworks broke out in the last frame when Craven singled home two runs and Robinson drove one way over toward the river to bring in enough runs to clinch the game.

North Wilkesboro team looked good all day as well as at bat and ended the season with their best played game of the year.

Candidates Pledge Help To Farmers

The Progressive Farmer recently sent to all candidates for governor, for representative and state senate the following questionnaire relative to farm legislation:

The enclosed leaflet discusses four matters so important to the welfare of North Carolina farm voters that we trust you will wish to let our subscribers know your answer to four questions listed below:

1. Help Farmers Overcome Present Agricultural Emergency.—With North Carolina cotton crop values out in half and tobacco values likely to suffer as much, North Carolina farm people especially need a comprehensive fourfold campaign of enlarged (1) agricultural teaching, (2) research, (3) extension and (4) marketing. (See leaflet). Question 1: Do you agree that these forms of agricultural progress obviously need to be better supported . . . and may we expect you to support sound and reasonable increases to this end?

2. Forestry.—With cotton and tobacco values declining, there is more urgent need than ever before for adopting a system of taxation that will promote scientific forestry and so look to a \$30,000,000 annual timber income instead of \$10,000,000. Question 2: Are you in sympathy with this proposal?

3. Farmer Representation.—Our agricultural interests should be better represented on the University Board of Trustees, the Budget Commission, and on other boards and commissions where the welfare of farmers as the largest class of the state's population are involved. Question 3: Will you use your power and influence to this end?

4. Reduce Tax Rate on Owner-Occupied Farms and Homes.—Question 4. Since money, notes, accounts, mortgages, etc., are taxed at only 10, 25 or 50c on each \$100 value (with important deductions for debt) while farm and home taxes average more than \$1 per \$100 valuation (with no deduction for debt), do you agree that there should be either a \$300 homestead exemption or lower rates levied on the first \$1,000 in assessed value of each homestead?

Yours sincerely,
THE PROGRESSIVE FARMER.
Results of the questionnaire are published in the June issue of the Progressive Farmer and under those answering yes to all four questions were Floyd C. Forester, Democratic candidate for nomination to the state senate in the 24th Senatorial district, T. E. Story and A. Caudill, candidates for the Republican nomination as representative from Wilkes county.

Gilliam Reunion To Be Held At Sparta June 9th

The annual reunion of the Gilliam family will be held Sunday, June 9th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reece Gilliam one and one-half miles west of Sparta on U. S. No. 21.

One of more prominent speakers will be present to address the gathering. The following quartets have been invited to sing: Southern Harmonizers, from North Wilkesboro, The Wilkesboro, Friendly Four, and Yadin Valley Four from Elkin and the Jones Family, of Ronda.

All relatives are urged to attend and friends are invited. Every one take a picnic basket to supplement the lunch that will be served.

Eastern Star Meeting

Regular meeting of Wilkes chapter number 42, Order of The Eastern Star, will be held Thursday evening, May 23, eight o'clock.

Eight hundred and ten children were killed in this country last year while playing in the street.

King And Queen Of Health Named

Billie Castevens And Alene Green Win In 4-H Health Contest

Alene Green, of Ronda, and Billie Castevens, of Traphill, were crowned queen and king of health among 4-H clubs in Wilkes county and will compete for district honors with a boy and girl from each of 19 counties at Winston-Salem on May 28.

The names of the winners were announced today by Miss Harriet McGoogan, home demonstration agent, following physical examinations of the contestants by Dr. A. J. Eller, Wilkes health officer, and Mrs. Bertha Bell, county nurse.

Miss McGoogan also stated that two Wilkes girls, Mary Jane Burchette and Alene Green, both of Ronda, are attending a recreational school this week at Swannanoa. The school is being conducted under direction of the extension service.

Harris Leading Candidate For Lt. Governor

Attention of the readers of this paper is called to the advertisement of R. L. Harris of Roxboro, leading candidate for the Democratic nomination as Lieutenant Governor of North Carolina.

Mr. Harris' record of private and public service to his state offers an impressive catalogue of tasks well done, reflecting credit to himself and to those with whom he has worked. For five successive terms, 1927 to 1935, he represented the people of his native Person County in the House, and in 1933 he was honored by being chosen Speaker of the House without opposition.

As Speaker he was universally regarded as a fair and capable presiding officer. Mr. Harris, who is not a lawyer, but a successful business man and cotton manufacturer, presided over an assembly which was largely composed of lawyers. He won their respect and admiration, just as he has won and held the respect and admiration of all people with whom he has come in contact during an active life.

By gubernatorial appointment he is a member of the State Textbook Commission and the Board of Directors of the North Carolina Tubercular Sanatorium. In the work of both groups he is active and vitally interested. During his service in the House, in addition to being Speaker, he was Chairman of the Appropriations Committee in 1931 and Chairman of the Education Committee in 1935. He has served as a member of the Advisory Budget Commission and is now a member of the Board of Trustees of the University of North Carolina.

He lives on the same lot on which he was born, and for the past 25 years has been Treasurer of the Roxboro Cotton Mills. He is a director of The Peoples Bank and of the Roxboro Building and Loan Association. In all these fields of private endeavor he has achieved an enviable reputation for business knowledge and leadership.

Mr. Harris was married to Miss Katharine Long in 1913. They have three sons and three daughters who are an honor to the name they bear. This family finds much pleasure in simple living and friendly neighborliness.

In public and private life Mr. Harris has sought always to be true to himself and to his fellow men, and in so doing he has become a representative of the finest type which democracy can produce.

Boomer Club In Its May Meeting

The Boomer Woman's Demonstration club met at the home of Mrs. G. B. Carlton for the May meeting. Final plans were made for the district meeting which will be held at the school building in North Wilkesboro May 30th.

Committees were appointed to have charge of certain parts of the lunch which will be served. A demonstration was given by Miss Harriet McGoogan on different types of floor coverings, valuable advice was given on how to choose rugs.

Games were enjoyed for a while, after which the hostess served ice cream and cakes.

Washington.—The House Judiciary committee voted yesterday to stop political organizations from raising money by selling such wares as the 1936 campaign book put out by the Democratic national committee. That campaign book has been denounced by Republicans as "a shake-down" from those who bought it and from those who advertised in it. Democratic leaders have defended it as legitimate.

North Wilkesboro Beats Fries Team

North Wilkesboro slugged out an impressive 13 to 6 victory over the Fries, Va., Maroons here on Sunday afternoon to raise the prestige of the local team among amateur and semi-pro baseball followers in this section of the state.

Rhodes pitched effectively enough for North Wilkesboro to protect an early lead and included in the scoring were homers by Jones and Whites. The play of two members of the local team, Taylor on second and Halgwood a high school player, on third was outstanding.

North Wilkesboro had a total of 11 hits and two errors. The visitors collected eight hits and aided North Wilkesboro with four errors.

The local team will play Moravian Falls here on Saturday afternoon and Company B, 105th Engineers, of Morantown, here on Sunday afternoon.

Roaring River Resident Passes

Funeral service was held today at Rachel church for Mrs. Nancy Jane Cothren, age 73, resident of the Roaring River community who died Saturday morning. Rev. L. E. Sparks was in charge of the last rites.

Surviving are six children: Mrs. J. S. Bryant, Mrs. Willie Waddell, Jonah Cothren, Gladys Cothren, Ollie Cothren and David Cothren, all of Roaring River.

Dr. Parks Installed As New President Of Dental Society

Charlotte.—Installation of new officers recently ended the 66th annual meeting of the North Carolina Dental Society.

Dr. C. M. Parks, of Winston-Salem, named president elect last year, took office as president; Dr. J. A. Lazenby of Statesville as vice president, Dr. Paul Fitzgerald of Greenville as secretary-treasurer, Drs. John Pharr of Charlotte and Wilbur Jackson of Clinton as members of the state dental examining board, Drs. Clyde Minges of Rocky Mount and H. O. Lineberger of Raleigh as delegates to the American Dental Association's convention, and Drs. D. L. Pridden of Fayetteville, O. B. Hodgins of Thomasville, F. O. Alford of Charlotte and C. C. Polindexter of Greensboro as alternates.

Dr. Polindexter was named president elect Tuesday night and Pinehurst was chosen for the 1941 meeting.

A session of clinics and talks on technical subjects preceded the house of delegates' meeting, at which new officers were inducted.

PAT RYAN GETS COURT'S ORDER

New York, May 20.—Mrs. Martha Barkley Ryan, former Morganton, N. C., girl, awaited today the reaction of her estranged husband, Basil A. (Pat) Ryan, to a court order directing him to pay her \$10,000 a year alimony.

Abraham J. Halprin, attorney for the 23-year-old North Carolina woman who is now working as a cafe hostess here, said last night the order had been served on Ryan after a 21-month search for him.

Ryan, 31-year-old grandson of the late multimillionaire Thomas Fortune Ryan, was found working on the grounds of a Port Chester, N. Y., sanatorium, Halprin said.

Mrs. Ryan was awarded a separation and permanent alimony of \$10,000 a year, with an allowance of \$7,500 for attorney's fees, by the late Supreme Court Justice Salvatore A. Cotillo in 1938.

Young Ryan and Martha Barkley were married at Hickory, N. C., November 4, 1937. She later brought action against another young man charging he was the father of her baby, who was two months old when she married the New York heir. Ryan's attorneys declared the marriage took place while he was under the influence of corn whiskey and that he remembered nothing of the ceremony.

Spencer Is Unable To Explain Slaying Of School Officials

South Pasadena, Calif.—"I don't know why I did it," Verlin Spencer moaned recently as he gave officers his first statement of the killing of three other school executives and a teacher.

He was questioned as he was moved in an ambulance from a Pasadena hospital to the prison ward of the county hospital. He was booked on four murder charges.

"I don't know how it started," Spencer declared.

Tompkins In Race Lieutenant Governor

Dan Tompkins will come down out of the mountains with such an imposing vote in the primary on May 15, that his mountain supporters assert that it will be impossible to keep him out of the second primary. The fact there is basic for the belief that he will lead the other three candidates.

A World War veteran, who saw 11 months' service in France and Belgium, with the 30th Division; for 27 years the publisher of a weekly newspaper; several times representative in the General Assembly; and Reading Clerk of the House for one regular session and two special sessions; Tompkins is well qualified for the position.

He is known as a liberal Democrat, who has always supported legislation for the promotion of the public schools, for the farmers, for the public health, for social security; and at the same time has stood for economical and sound government.

At the last session of the General Assembly he allied himself with, and was the leader of the group that made the fight for the schools. He introduced and sponsored farm legislation, and was the father of veterans' preference legislation for the State and its departments.

The mountain counties are strong for him, and insist that this is the time when the counties of the far west should be given recognition in the State government.

The Democratic convention of his county, Jackson, unanimously endorsed him for Lieutenant Governor, and called upon the Democrats of the State to support the mountain candidate.

LATE

Martin county tobacco farmers are two to three weeks behind schedule in transplanting their crop from bed to field because of cold weather and blue mold, reports Farm Agent Tom Brandon.

SAMPLE BALLOT

Official Democratic Primary Ballot

COUNTY OFFICERS

INSTRUCTIONS

- To vote for a candidate on the ballot make a cross (X) mark in the square at the left of his name.
- If you tear or deface or wrongly mark this ballot, return it to the registrar and get another.

For State Senator 24th N. C. District (Vote for One)	For Member of Legislature (Vote for One)
<input type="checkbox"/> Floyd C. (Tom) Forester	<input type="checkbox"/> A. A. Cashion
<input type="checkbox"/> Joseph B. McCoy	<input type="checkbox"/> H. A. Cranor

Primary election, May 25, 1940.

E. P. INSCORE,
Chairman of County Board of Elections.

Names of candidates alternate on ballot.

SAMPLE BALLOT

Official Republican Primary Ballot

COUNTY OFFICERS

INSTRUCTIONS

- To vote for a candidate on the ballot make a cross (X) mark in the square at the left of his name.
- If you tear or deface or wrongly mark this ballot, return it to the registrar and get another.

For Member of Legislature (Vote for One)	For Register of Deeds (Vote for One)
<input type="checkbox"/> A. Caudill	<input type="checkbox"/> Carl Church
<input type="checkbox"/> T. E. Story	<input type="checkbox"/> C. C. Sidden

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Forester Pledges Help To Farmers

TELEGRAM TO PROGRESSIVE FARMER

PATRONS ARE REQUESTED TO FAVOR THE COMPANY BY CRITICISM AND SUGGESTION CONCERNING ITS SERVICE

CLASS OF SERVICE

This is a full-rate Telegram or Cablegram unless the desired character is indicated by a suitable sign above or preceding the address.

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NL = Night Letter
LL = Light Letter
CC = Deferred Cable
CL = Cable Letter
WLT = Washed Letter

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NORTH WILKESBORO, N. C.
MAY 20, 1940

"MR. CLARENCE POE
PROGRESSIVE FARMER
RALEIGH, N. C.

"HAVE YOU HAD AN EXPRESSION FROM FLOYD C. FORESTER, CANDIDATE FOR SENATE FROM 24th SENATORIAL DISTRICT. IF SO WIRE ME HIS ENTIRE EXPRESSION RELATIVE TO HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION.

JOHN W. NICHOLS"

ANSWER TO ABOVE TELEGRAM

RALEIGH, N. C.
MAY 20, 1940

"JOHN W. NICHOLS
NORTH WILKESBORO, N. C.
SEE PAGE EIGHT JUNE PROGRESSIVE FARMER REPORTING MR. FORESTER AS FAVORABLE TO ALL FOUR PROPOSALS IN OUR QUESTIONNAIRE.

CLARENCE POE"

SEE QUESTIONS FROM PROGRESSIVE FARMER ON THIS PAGE.

Editor, The Progressive Farmer: I have your letter of April 25 and you may publish my answers to the four questions as follows:

No. 1: Yes; No. 2: Yes; No. 3: Yes; No. 4: Yes. I will support a bill exempting taxes on homestead of owner occupied farms and homes up to \$2,000.00.

(Signed) FLOYD C. (Tom) FORESTER

MR. FORESTER'S OPPONENT DID NOT ANSWER YES OR NO TO THESE QUESTIONS.

Political Advertisement