

# Dixie Parker To Manage Martins During Coming Season

## Trading Features Baseball Meeting

Trading in future players featured the annual meeting of the National Baseball Association held in Cincinnati this week. Messrs. J. Eason Lilley, president of the Martins, and R. H. Goodman, Coastal Plain league president, said late yesterday en route home from one of the greatest meetings of its kind ever held.

Mr. Lilley laid the foundation for a new 1940 edition of the Martins, and President Goodman participated in a series of meetings advancing changes in by-laws and rules. "It was a great meeting, and we enjoyed the companionship of baseball's big-time fellows, including such men as Joe McCarthy, Vander Meer, Bramham, Landis and others," Mr. Goodman said.

Buck Marrow, of the Tarboro club, and Bill Herring, of the Kinston entry, were there scouting around for players.

## Mickey Shader Remembers His Stay in Williamston

Mickey Shader, grand-stand manager who followed Art Hauger here season before last as manager of the Martins, sends his warmest regards to his old friends here. Shader, a member of the Cincinnati organization, was on hand for the annual meeting of the National Baseball Association in the Ohio City this week, and warmly greeted Williamston representatives at the session. "Tell all my friends there that I would like to come back for a visit some time," he said.

# Paul O'Malley Resigns To Go With Yankee Organization As Player-Manager In Joplin, Mo.

## HERE SUNDAY

Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the local high school gymnasium, the Williamston Martins, independent basketball team, will be hosts to Don Brock and his All-Stars from Greenville.

Brock, well known to local basketball fans, has announced that he will bring a fine organization over, and intimated that it would include a number of E. C. T. C. stars.

The gym will be well heated and comfortable, and a large crowd is expected to witness this battle.

## Local Boy Gets Monogram University North Carolina

Tom Crockett, local boy, and captain of the University of North Carolina cross country team, received his third monogram in this sport.

Crockett, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Crockett, is recognized as a valuable mainstay on the cross country team and the only runner at the school receiving three monograms in this division.

## NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust

# President J. E. Lilley Past Managers Makes Initial Plans For Operating Club

## New Manager Coming Here From South Boston In Bi-State League

Dixie Parker, old baseball hand and a rancher-farmer down around Green Pond, Alabama, will pilot the Martins in the Coastal Plain league next season. Club President J. Eason Lilley announced today upon his return from a great baseball meeting out in Cincinnati, Parker, at one time a reliable figure in the majors, is succeeding Paul "Red" O'Malley who is joining the Yankee organization.

A bit disappointed in losing O'Malley, President Lilley stated that he was well pleased with Parker's record, his qualifications, his looks and his earnestness. "I sincerely believe we will fit into our organization well," Mr. Lilley was quoted as saying. The new man comes to the managerial position highly recommended by baseball men. He is regarded as a conservative type of manager, one who does not talk a great deal but who does a great deal of thinking.

# Former Managers of the Martins Held an Impromptu Reunion in Cincinnati this week when four of them gathered in Cincinnati for the annual meeting of the National Baseball Association. They were all there except Bill Spivey, who piloted the Martins in their infancy way back yonder.

Roy Goodman attended as president of the league, and he states that the meeting was a great one. Art Hauger, who piloted the Martins season before last and who worked at Pennington, Ga., Va., last season, was there looking for players in preparation for opening the season with the Newport club in the Appalachian league next season. Reports state that Hauger is considering an offer as manager in this league.

Mickey Shader, the happy guy who did a little work as pinch-manager year before last, sent his regards to his friends here. O'Malley was there to bid a fond farewell to Williamston.

place where we now live. This the 4th day of December, 1939. R. G. HARRISON, Trustee.

Coburn & Coburn, Attys. d8-4t

## NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by Lucy Bagley and James Bagley to the undersigned Trustee, and dated the 25th day of July, 1936, and of record in the Public Registry of Martin County in Book T-3 at page 26 and at the request of the holder of the note of indebtedness thereby secured, default having been made in the payment thereof, I will, on the 5th day of January, 1940, at 12 o'clock noon, at the courthouse door in Martin County offer for sale at public auction for cash the property described in said deed of trust as follows, to wit:

A parcel of land in Town of Williamston, bounded on the North by Colored Methodist Church, and Ransom Johnson, on the East by the Colored Methodist Church, on the South by Jane Brooks, and on the West by a narrow street or lane, containing 1.2 acres, more or less.

This the 4th day of December, 1939. H. L. SWAIN, Trustee.

Coburn & Coburn, Attys. d8-4t

## NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by D. O. Bowen to the undersigned Trustee, and dated the 28th day of April, 1937, and of record in the Public Registry of Martin County in Book T-3 at page 181 and at the request of the holder of the note of indebtedness thereby secured, default having been made in the payment thereof, I will, on the 5th day of January, 1940, at 12 o'clock noon, at the courthouse door in Martin County offer for sale at public auction for cash the property described in said deed of trust as follows:

A certain tract of land in Williamston Township, bounded on the North by the lands of C. H. Godwin, on the East by the lands of J. B. Nicholson, on the South by the lands of Will Evans, and on the West by the lands of Mobley, containing 88.1 acres, more or less.

This the 4th day of December, 1939. TRULA W. PAGE, Trustee.

Coburn & Coburn, Attys. d8-4t

## NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust executed to the undersigned Trustee from Tina Staton, dated 2nd day of March, 1939, of record in Book X-3, page 217, to secure a note of cash date, therewith, and the stipulations in said Deed of Trust not having been complied with, and at the request of the holder of said bond, the undersigned Trustee will, on the 6th day of Jan-

# Martins Lose First Court Tilt During Their 1939 Season

## Jack Manning Leads Locals With Twelve Points; Beard Next

The Williamston Martins met with their first defeat of the season when they were defeated 43-33 by the strong Goldsboro quint in Goldsboro Wednesday night.

Starting off in fine form with an eye on the basket, Goldsboro held a 10-6 lead at the first quarter and was never headed by the Martins.

Jack Manning, at center, played one of his best games of the season as he held the opposing center, tall Doug Morris, former Wake Forest athlete, to eight points, while dropping in five field goals and two free shots to lead his team. Brezy Beard with eight points, and Fenner Wallace with seven, followed.

Goldsboro's scoring was fairly well divided among the eight players with Hough, Davis and Morris holding a slight edge.

The box score:

Williamston	G	F	T
Wallace, f.	3	1	7
Beard, f.	4	0	8
Manning, c.	5	2	12
Anderson, g.	3	0	6
Villepique, g.	0	0	0
Totals	15	3	33

Goldsboro	G	F	T
Hough, f.	4	0	8
Peacock, f.	1	0	2
Best, f.	2	0	4
Davis, f.	4	1	9
Morris, c.	3	2	8
Satterfield, g.	1	0	2
West, g.	2	1	5
Owen, g.	2	1	5
Totals	19	5	43

# Changes Are Made In Loop Umpires

Several changes are almost certain in the Coastal Plain League umpiring personnel for next season, according to unofficial information coming out of the annual meeting of the National Baseball Association in Cincinnati this week.

Umpires John Phaup, Ben Mitchell, Jack Ritter and Frank Sidel are being released, reports stating that the league will likely have nine regulars for service next season.

Several contracts with new umpires are pending, but President Goodman explains that the names of the new arbiters cannot be made public just now.

The league president talked with McGowan, major league umpire, at length this week and is trying to line up acceptable men for the umpiring positions.

# Williamston Opens Season Tonight

Williamston High school opens its basketball season tonight when it plays Farm Life at 7:30 o'clock.

Girl candidates are as follows: Nancy Biggs, Millie Biggs, Marjorie Dunn, Bina Jackson, Ray Leggett, Katherine Manning, Carolyn Lindsay, Nina Mae Bunch, Alice Jenkins, Mamie Coburn, Dorothy Shaw, Elizabeth Ward, Susie Whitley and Faye Carganus.

Candidates for the boys' team: M. Anderson, A. Anderson, J. E. Boykin, C. T. Roberson, Juan Crofton, Stuart Critcher, and James W. Ward.

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