

Small Frys Lose First Game In Morehead Little League

Idle Hour Nine Rallies For Extra-Inning Victory

The Small Frys lost their first game in 11 decisions Thursday afternoon, an 11-7 verdict to the Idle Hour. The Small Frys still hold a comfortable lead in Morehead City Little League standings.

John Lee was the winning pitcher for the Idle Hour. He gave up two runs in the first inning on a walk and successive hits by Allen Colenda and Robert Griffin.

The Small Frys appeared well on the way to victory in the third inning when they rallied for five big runs. Rodney Kemp, Colenda, James Davis and Rudy Lucas collected hits in the five-run inning.

Lee settled down after the third inning to retire 10 straight men. The Idle Hour tied the game at 7 all in the fourth inning and neither team was able to score during the regulation six innings.

In the top of the seventh inning the Idle Hour scored the winning runs on singles by Jimmy Newsome, Gary Garner and Donald Yeager. These hits were coupled with two walks, a hit batter and a fielder's choice. Glen Mason re-tired Lee in the seven and re-tired the Small Frys in order.

Losing pitcher was Colenda, second of three Small Frys pitchers.

With two weeks remaining in Little League play, J. E. Sanders of the Elks leads in the batting race with a healthy .488 mark. He has collected 20 hits in 41 trips to the plate.

Jimmy Hall, with a .479 average, is in the runner-up position. In third place is Guy Dickinson with a .459 percentage. Both boys play for the Moose.

Allen Colenda has moved into fourth position with a .450 mark for the Small Frys. Glen Mason of the Idle Hour and Billy White of the Elks round out the .400 hitters. Mason has a .423 mark and White is hitting at a .417 clip.

Fishermen are Encouraged To Go After Blue Fin Tuna

Fab fisherman Bob Simpson declares that sports fishermen can go after the big blue fin tuna off the Carteret Coast and have success if they are properly equipped.

Simpson wrote John H. Egly, vice-president of Penn Fishing Tackle Mfg. Co., Philadelphia, and asked him about the best methods for landing the big tuna.

Mr. Egly sent the following letter:

Judging from your letter the tuna you speak of were of the size you have a mind to. For full size tuna like that, 14/0 reels, plenty of 36 thread line and a big game rod are needed, to put pressure on 'em.

The harder they are fought from the minute they are hooked, the quicker they are subdued and the quicker they are brought to gaff. These critters are strong (all their power is in their tail) and plenty smart, as your crews will find out when they tangle with them.

They will stay for prolonged periods over rocky patches, where there's plenty of food. They like tender fish! A 1/2 to 1 lb. whiting or ling is irresistible and, of course, a delicious butterfish falls into the same category.

We had these tackle busters in the New York bight until 1949; since then they've passed us by. (Too many of their relatives were yanked out unceremoniously in distress). The same applies to Ipswich Bay, Mass. They've ignored that body of water, too! Mass intelligence, and I refer to the school.

Tackle—14/0 reel, 36 to 39 thread line, or equivalent in Dacron, Pompanette stainless swivel, cable leader, 9 to 11/0 Special Mustad Tuna Hooks, or Grinnell of the same size, if you can put your hands on any of these. Advise your boys to give them heck but be sure and wear gloves! And don't let them get in the way of the line as it goes out, because it sings, and stings.

Sincerely yours, John H. Egly, vice-president

No Game

The Beaufort Intermediate League sent a team to Morehead City Sunday afternoon for a game with Morehead City Teen-Age Leaguers. After spending a good part of the afternoon looking for somebody to play the Beaufort team went back home. Who goofed?

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First Tarpon is Landed



Photo by Bob Simpson

First tarpon to be caught from Bogue Banks was this 87-pounder landed off Sportsman Pier Sunday by Chester Johnson, Morehead City. The fish measured just short of six feet. The four ocean piers have offered a cash prize of \$100.00 for the largest tarpon caught from an ocean pier this season. The Fabulous Fishermen met to present a trophy.

Buddy Baily Wins Sears Cup Sailing Race Friday

Negro News

Morehead City Hospital

Admitted: Wednesday, Mrs. Ida Sutton, Newport; Miss Queenie Hardesty, Beaufort.

Thursday, Master Elvis Earl Godette, Mr. Wilbert Stanley, Beaufort; Miss Sarah Britton, Miss Diane Horton, Morehead City; Mrs. Sammie Jean Bell, Newport; Friday, Miss Sally Taylor, no address given.

Discharged: Thursday, Mr. Thomas Frazier, Miss Diane Horton, Morehead City; Friday, Mrs. Effie Toon and son, Havelock; Master Elvis Earl Godette, Beaufort.

CLARA ANN GOORE

Clara Ann Goore, 44, died Friday at her home in Washington, D. C. She was the daughter of Mrs. Mattie Sheppard of Morehead City and the late William Sheppard.

Funeral arrangements were not known at press time yesterday.

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Claude Brown Lands Marlin

Crowds flocked to Marshallberg Friday to help celebrate one of the biggest Fourth of the community has ever seen — the occasion was the landing of an 11-foot 1-inch marlin by Claude Brown and party from Portsmouth, Va.

Captain Brown operates a partyboat out of Marshallberg. The big billfish weighed 420 pounds. Four men were in the party, which was arranged by Mr. Fishel of Portsmouth.

Captain Brown and his successful fishermen docked at 8 p.m. Friday and as soon as word got around, the dock was crowded with spectators.

The fishermen claimed marlin was good eating, so the fish was filleted and carried home with them the next day.

Club Completes Plans for Dance

Final plans for Saturday night's dance were discussed at a meeting of the directors of the Morehead City Touchdown Club at the civic center last night. The dance will begin at 8 p.m. at the Morehead Biltmore Hotel.

Dean Chatlos and his orchestra will play. Mr. Chatlos' group has been very popular in this area for the past two years and a large crowd is expected.

Tickets are on sale at the following places: Carteret Drug Store, Dixie Barber Shop, Economy Auto Supply.

Sanitary Barber Shop, Hamilton's Furniture Center, Webb's, Hill's, Leary's, Blanchard Electric Service, Morehead City Drug Co., Walter Morris Jeweler, Busy Bee Restaurant, Hardware and Builders Supply and Dee Gee's.

Bow Hunters Club To Meet Tomorrow

The Coastal Bow Hunters Club will be organized tomorrow night. A meeting of all county archers has been called for 7 p.m. at Dr. Berl Lewis' house, 1500 Evans St., Morehead City.

Dr. Lewis says the archers want to have the club going before the bow hunting season this fall. A fishing contest will also be conducted during the summer. A trophy will go to the person catching the largest fish with a bow and arrow.

In addition to routine organizational discussion, there will be a discussion of plans for an archery range at the Little Nine Golf Course west of Morehead City.

6-Year-Old Girl Struck By Car in Morehead City

Carolyn Johnson, 6, of 410 Evans St., Morehead City, was slightly injured at 11:50 a.m. Saturday when she was struck by a car on 5th Street, Morehead City, between Evans and Arendell Streets.

Police said that she was hit by a 1953 Plymouth driven by Mrs. Mamie W. Willis, who was headed north.

Carolyn suffered a brush burn on her arm and a bruised forehead. She was treated by Dr. Jerry Norris. No charges were filed.

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VFW Rolls to 18-4 Victory Over Little Fry Saturday

The VFW Little Leaguers got revenge for an upset loss to the Little Fry Saturday afternoon as they clobbered the Fry by an 18-4 margin. The VFW nine collected only seven hits in the game but capitalized on Fry errors and walks.

The winners jumped into a 6-0 lead in the first inning and held a 10-0 lead after two innings were completed. The Little Fry broke into the scoring column in the third inning with two runs, only to have the VFW rack up five more in the fourth, two in the fifth and a final clincher in the sixth. The Fry scored their final two runs in the bottom of the sixth.

Walter House was the leading batter for the winners. He hit safely twice in four official trips to the plate. Charles Piner with three for three was the leading batter for the Fry.

Chris Pake got two hits for the Little Fry. Other Fry players were Bobby Stevens, LeRoy McIntosh, Larry Teel, Robert Ransom, Ronnie Smith, Larry Lewis, Tom Piner and David McNeil.

Other players for the winning VFW nine were John Merrell, Billy Stanley, Billy Davis, Wayne Merrell, Fred Davis, Thompson Lewis, Spec Duncan, Terry Rhue, Richard Stanley, David McGehee, Julius Taylor and Phillip Bennett.

The other teams saw action Thursday afternoon when the Elks took a 6-2 decision over the Moose. The game was a fine effort by both teams as neither made an error in the field. The Elks scored two runs in the fourth inning but the Moose tied the score in the top of the fifth with a pair of runs of their own.

The Elks iced the game in the bottom of the fifth with a four-run rally that broke the tie. Each team got only four hits but losing pitcher Logan Whitehurst walked seven Elks.

John Way pitched the win for the Elks, walking four batters and striking out five. He hit one man with a pitched ball.

No player in the game managed



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