

Weisler Softballers Play Here Thursday

Weisler Mills softball team is scheduled to meet the A. B. Carter Co. team here at Margrace Field next Thursday at 5:30 p. m. in a Gaston league game.

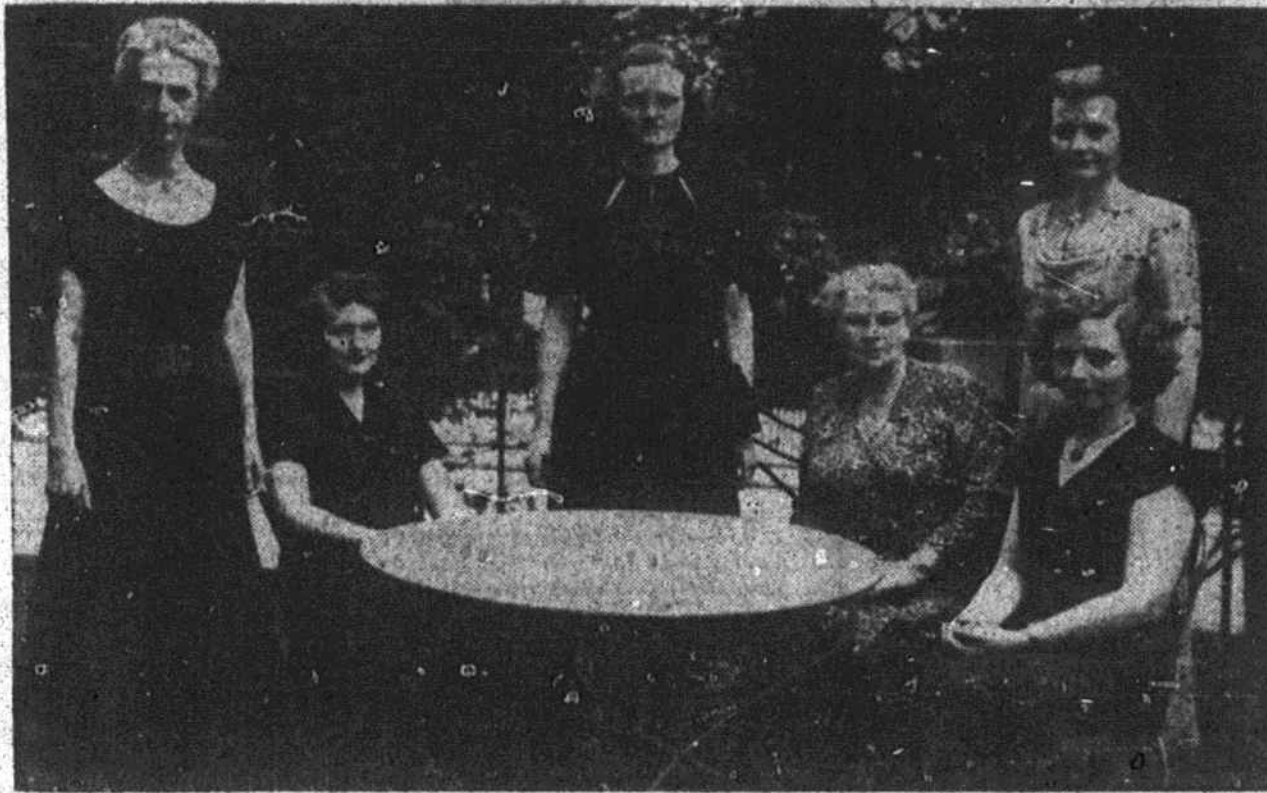
The team, coached by Carl Wilson, is slated to journey to Gaston Tuesday for a game with Gaston's Athletic Club and on Wednesday are scheduled to be in McAdenville.

Weisler Eliminated From Gastonia Play

Weisler Mills softball team facing the strong Firestone home-town team by the luck of the draw, were eliminated from further play in the Gastonia softball tournament Wednesday afternoon, as Firestone swept to an 8-0 victory.

Ray Pearson hurled 4-hit ball for Weisler but errors afield helped the Gastonia outfit pile up the lead. Weisler garnered only one hit off the offerings of Bo Davis, a single by Billiard Black.

Almost three-fourths of all accidents involve one or more unsafe acts on the part of the victims.



PLONK CLAN WELL-REPRESENTED AT PLONK SCHOOL — Shown above are members of the Plonk family who are associated with the Plonk School of Creative Arts, of Asheville, this summer. They are, left to right, Miss Laura Plonk, director of the school, Miss Clara Plonk, Kings Mountain and New York, a member of the faculty, Miss Martha Plonk, Kings Mountain, student; Mrs. J. C. Plonk, Hickory, student; Miss Virginia Plonk, Kings Mountain, house manager; and Miss Nancy Plonk, Kings Mountain, student.

Twin Bill Slated Here Saturday

Rained out in last Saturday night's double bill, the Craftspun boys baseball and girls softball teams are scheduled to swing into action Saturday night at City Stadium against the same pair of foes.

The boys are slated to meet the front-running nine from High Shoals in a Gaston Textiles loop contest at 8 p. m. The girls are set to lead off against Clover, S. C., at 7 p. m. in the opener.

Manager Oiland Pearson announced last week that Carol Ledford, Beh-Ware and American Legion junior pitcher, would take over a hill

best be described as the house mother or just as "Aunt Maude," for she makes herself a part of the others, working for the good of the whole.

duties against High Shoals and he is still expected to get the call. John Stamey will probably hurl for the loop leaders.

A large crowd is expected to be on hand for the first twin-bill here this summer.

Probable starting lineups:

- Girls**
 - Betty Foster, c.
 - Pearl Ford, p.
 - Hazel Floyd, 1b.
 - Peggy Jackson, 2b.
 - Evelyn Roberts, ss.
 - Mary Lou Barnette, 3b.
 - Elsie Dixon, cf.
 - Lb. Fisher, cf.
 - Clara Flowers or Pauline Huffsteler, if.
- Boys**
 - Horace Kiser, c.
 - Carol Ledford, p.
 - Houston Black, 1b.
 - Lonzo Goforth, 2b.
 - Rocky Ford, ss.
 - Goose Roper, 3b.
 - Tom Ross, if.
 - Pride Ratterree, cf.
 - Jim Cobb, rf.

Plonk Clan Is Well-Represented At Plonk School Summer Session

By Lillian MacRae
The Plonk clan is well represented in the summer session of Asheville's Plonk School of Creative Arts. There are six members of the Plonk generation teaching and working together in the school, engaged in the various duties of directing, teaching, acting, and managing, as well as attending classes.

Miss Laura Plonk, a native of Kings Mountain and a daughter of the late William LaFayette Plonk, is directing the summer session. She is a graduate of Lenoir-Rhyne College, Hickory, and also of the Curry School of Expression, Boston, Mass., and was recently awarded, along with her sister, Miss Lillian Plonk, the honorary degree of Doctor of Art of Oratory by the Staley College of the Spoken Word, Brookline, Mass. Miss Laura Plonk has been director of the Plonk School for the past 25 years.

Another member of the Plonk clan who is doing outstanding work at the school this summer is Miss Clara Plonk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Plonk of Kings Mountain, who is teaching diction, harmonic training, and public speaking. She is also taking the lead in "Enter Madame," the comedy success which the school is reviving. Her role is that of Madame Della Robbia, a temperamental prima donna who bursts into operatic numbers throughout the play. Miss Plonk is a graduate of Lenoir-Rhyne College, and of the Plonk School of Creative Arts. During the past two winters she has been studying Italian and opera with Maestro Duval of the Metropolitan Opera House Studios in New York and expects to resume her studies there in the fall.

Miss Virginia Plonk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Plonk, Kings Mountain, N. C., is hostess of the new student residence, at 44 Sunset Parkway. She is a graduate of Woman's College of the University of North Carolina, at Greensboro. She is also teaching at the Plonk School this summer, and is studying remedial reading.

Her sister, Miss Martha Plonk, is a regular student and also has a part in the revival of "Enter Madame," being presented August 4

and 5. She has the role of secretary to Madame Della Robbia. In the fall, she will teach home economics at the University of West Virginia, Morgantown, W. Va.

Another sister, Miss Nancy Plonk, is a regular student who will receive her diploma next spring from the Plonk School. She presented in recital "Victoria Regina" by Laurence Housman, July 29.

The sixth Plonk, by marriage, is Mrs. Maude Plonk of Hickory, who is also a regular student and who is doing excellent work. She might

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