

Gryphs Win Division Title

"Larry Who" Gets Revenge Over Wilson Fike, 8-2

Larry Daughtridge gained revenge for his heartbreaking Division II playoff loss to Wilson Fike last year, hurling a nifty three-hitter to lead the Gryphs past the Titans, 8-2. Daughtridge performed this magic despite a raucous Fike cheering section and their "Larry . . . Who?" banner. The win clinched at least a share of the Division II title for RMSH. Starting off wildly, Daughtridge walked the first two Fike batters. Larry soon found control, though, and backed by a 12 hit, 8 run attack and strong defense, the Titans never had a chance.

Leading hitters for RMSH were Phil Ford (4-3), Tommy Crocker (3-2), and Randy Warrick (4-2). Wilson used three pitchers during the game, the loss going to Clay Johnson, who started on the mound for Wilson.



Randy Wunderlich is safe at second in playoff action against New Hanover. The Gryphs went on to blank the Wildcats, 3-0.

Gryphons Defeat Kinston For First Conf. Crown

Despite drizzling rain and the pressure of a championship clinching game, the Gryphon diamondmen came through with a 5-0 win over Kinston behind Randy Warrick's brilliant two-hitter. The win clinched outright RMSH's first baseball division title under Coach Jerry Carter, and it was the first outright division title in a major sport since RMSH became the Gryphons.

All five Gryphs runs came

in the sixth inning, the game up until then being a tight pitchers' duel between Warrick and the Vikings' Gary Baker. Warrick scored the first run after booming a triple into the left center field gap and a single by Burton Robinson. Several hits and wild pitches later, the roof had caved in on Kinston, and indeed all of Division II.

Leading hitters for RM were James Lewis (2-2) and Sonny Wooten (3-3).

The Gryphs wrapped up the regular season with a 6-3 win over Goldsboro. Sonny Wooten homered in the game, bringing his HR total for the season to three. Doug Henley got the win.

RMSH finished the season 17-2 overall, 9-1 in Division II.

Highlights In Minor Sports

Curlena Jackson placed fourth in the 50-yard low hurdles in the sectional for girl's track, and went on to place third in the state meet.

Gerald Costen, Delasio Bartley, and John Fish represented RMSH in the boy's track sectional meet.

Final Activities Are Planned

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gustine College. The benediction will be given by Mr. Johnny E. Williams of First Methodist Church. The RMSH chorus will perform "With a Voice of Singing" by Martin Shaw. Dr. Fred Young, President-Elect of Elon College will be the guest speaker for the graduation ceremonies which will be on Thursday night, June 7, at 8 p.m. at the Municipal Stadium.

On Coaching, Bussing, Women

Division Kings "Tell All"

This article was a survey given to the baseball players to answer. The answers which

appear here were more frequently given.

I. What is your opinion concerning the girl on the Greenville Rose team?

Answers: Do not like it. Think it shows a lack of material.

Real cool if she can do the job.

Okay! Does not help the team any. Probably a publicity stunt. She is okay for a bat girl.

All right, as long as she stays in Greenville.

Makes no difference. It is silly.

II. What do you think about bat girls?

Answers: Okay! Groovy!

They are all right, but can do without them.

Do not approve. Do not like them, girls are a nuisance.

Would you like to have them next year?

Answers: Yes: 6 No: 11

Reasons for bat girls Will keep the team on their toes.

Will add color to the game. Reasons against bat girls

Will take the team's mind off

the game.

It is distracting.

III. What topics are generally discussed in the locker room before or after practice or a game?

Answers: Not girls, but baseball, fun and games.

Everything, but baseball.

When will I get to see some action?

How bad or good we did.

IV. Exactly how many signals does Coach Carter actually use during a game?

Answers: 4

3 about 18-20

a secret infinite number

high security information

V. What are your feelings concerning Coach Carter's strategies?

Answers: Generally good, sometimes not aggressive enough.

I take the Fifth. He knows exactly what he is doing.

Very smart Coach. Finest Coach I have ever had (all-pro).

Needs to play more people. Knows the game.

Fair. Great! He got us to the state play-offs.

Needs to be more daring. He made us a winning team.

Excellent.

Okay (won division title).

VI. Are you pleased with the new uniforms?

Answers: Yes: 17 No: 0

VII. How many expect to play minor league, or pro ball or college baseball?

Answers: Do not know.

Yes

Yes

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