

BASCOES SUFFER DEFEAT

Truworths Deal First Defeat To Fast City League Team By Score 13 to 5

TWO PITCHERS

The Truworths stepped out Saturday with the honor of giving the Bascoes their first setback by slugging out a 13-5 victory in a slugfest on Simmons field, the second game of the double header bill.

Both teams used two pitchers with the Truworths hurlers showing more effect. Finch, Bascoe twirler, was driven from the mound in the fourth after giving up five hits. Birdsong finished the game but he also was hit hard, the Truworths taking him for ten safe bingles.

Searcy started on the mound for the winners and went good 'til the fourth after a barrage of hits drove him out. Crowder went the rest of the route in fine style.

The Bascoes tallied in the first when Allsbrook walked, Birdsong got on by an error and Finch brought them home with a single. Two runs were accounted for in the third. Everette singled, Ryals tallied Everette with his two bagger, then Dick Lee doubled scoring Ryals. The other Bascoe runs came in the fifth stanza. Birdsong got first by Love's error, Ryals toucher first by a wild throw and E. Lee scored Birdsong by singling.

The Truworths tallied two markers in the second frame. Butler's two-bagger and Coburn's bingle scored Butler, then J. Brown doubled to bring Coburn home. N. Taylor hit a double in the opening of the fourth, Love tripled to tally Taylor and Gerkins singled scoring Love. Butler touched first by a wild pitch, J. Brown singled and Searcy scored runners with a safe blow.

Two runs for the Truworths came home in the sixth. J. Brown first up, singled, Pridgen walked, and N. Taylor's base knock accounted for the runs.

In the seventh inning Love walked, Gerkins and Butler singled and J. Brown doubled to tally three runs. The other run was in the eighth frame. Crowder's bingle was muffed and an error with keen base running brought him home.

Box score:

| Truworths | ab. | r. | h. | e. | po. | a. |
|----------------|-----|----|----|----|-----|----|
| N. Taylor, ss. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| N. Taylor, ss. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| L. Taylor, 2b. | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Crowder, cf-p. | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 6 |
| Love, 3b. | 4 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| Gerkins, rf. | 4 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Butler, lf. | 3 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Coburn, c. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| J. Brown, 1b. | 4 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 8 | 0 |
| Searcy, cf-p. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| Pridgen, c. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 |
| Vaughan, rf. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | 37 | 13 | 15 | 27 | 17 | 3 |

| Bascoes | ab. | r. | h. | e. | po. | a. |
|----------------|-----|----|----|----|-----|----|
| Allsbrook, 2b. | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Everette, rf. | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Birdsong, 3b. | 5 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 6 |
| Ryals, lf. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Finch, cf-p. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| D. Lee, ss-3b. | 5 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 1 |
| Mills, c. | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 2 |
| Lyles, 1b. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Massey, ss. | 3 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| E. Lee, | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| | 41 | 5 | 11 | 24 | 14 | 4 |

Score by innings:
 Truworths 020 502 310—13
 Bascoes 202 010 000—5
 Summary: Runs batted in: Finch

Finch Still Leads On Batting Average City League Teams

Listed below is the batting average of twelve leading city league hitters participating in as many as three games.

Vester Finch still leads the league at a .616 pace with Shelly Butler on his heels.

Jessie Brown, and Wilbur Outland were players boosting their average considerably the past week, with the Tabs advancing in league averages to one game behind the Bascoes.

| Big Twelve | ab. | h. | per. |
|------------|-----|----|------|
| Finch | 13 | 8 | .616 |
| S. Butler | 12 | 6 | .500 |
| Coburn | 7 | 3 | .429 |
| Ryals | 15 | 6 | .402 |
| J. Brown | 13 | 5 | .385 |
| Outland | 13 | 5 | .385 |
| Warren | 12 | 4 | .333 |
| Love | 12 | 4 | .333 |
| Birdsong | 19 | 6 | .318 |
| Garris | 11 | 3 | .273 |
| Allsbrook | 12 | 3 | .250 |
| F. Vaughan | 12 | 3 | .250 |

| Teams Batting Averages | ab. | h. | per. |
|------------------------|-----|-----|------|
| Truworths | 330 | 200 | .606 |
| Bascoes | 315 | 195 | .619 |
| Tabs | 243 | 148 | .609 |
| Kilo-Swats | 190 | 115 | .605 |

| League Standing | ab. | h. | per. |
|-----------------|-----|-----|------|
| Truworths | 750 | 450 | .600 |
| Bascoes | 667 | 400 | .600 |
| Truworths | 500 | 300 | .600 |
| Kilo-Swats | 400 | 240 | .600 |

WOMBLE MAKING GOOD

Leads Frosh Baseball Team At University of N. C. Last Season

Brilliant Future

Jimmy Womble, formerly with the local high school baseball club, led the Freshman team at the University of North Carolina this season. Tommy Irwin, brilliant shortstop and Cleveland recruit, hit at a fast clip of .451 in eighteen games to take the spotlight. Womble was kept out of the first three games because of spring football and later he was kept off the line-up because of a leg injury. However, Jimmy played in two thirds of the games and made a record that will give him a good chance to make the varsity next year. Carolina fans seemed to like Womble's style of play and gave the small first baseman a big hand.

The college paper, "The Tar Heel," predicted that Womble would play the initial sac next year and Brandt, this year's varsity first baseman would be transferred to an outfield post. Tommy Irwin will probably play short and Phipps will then battle for the hot corner berth.

Next year Carolina will have a good chance to pluck another conference title with good players to fill the places of the departing Seniors.

2, D. Lee 2, E. Lee, Coburn, J. Brown 4, Love 2, Gerkins, Searcy 2, N. Taylor 2, Crowder. Two base hits: Ryals, D. Lee 2, N. Taylor, Butler, J. Brown 2. Three base hits: Love. Left on bases: Truworths 7, Bascoes 10. Base on balls: off Searcy 1, off Crowder 1, off Finch 1, off Birdsong 2. Struck out: by Searcy 3, by Crowder 5, by Finch 3, by Birdsong 3. Hits: off Searcy 5 in four innings, off Crowder 6 in five innings, off Finch 5 in 3 1-2 innings, off Birdsong 10 in 5 1-2 innings. Umpires: Bray and Collins. Time: 3:30.

TABS LOSE TO SLAGLES

Virginia Team Proves To Be Too Much For City Team In Sunday Game

SCORE 6 TO 0

The Slagles Lake nine seemed to be too much for the Tabs last Sunday and the locals took a 6 to 0 trouncing. Up until the sixth stanza the game was a real hurling duel between Finch and B. Slagle, but the Lake club cinched the close affair by pushing over two tallies in the seventh and eighth rounds. The game as a whole was good and it did not turn out that a jubilee of errors caused the scoring; instead, the Slagle club just seemed to have on their hitting habit and outthit the visitors. Acree relieved Finch in the eighth, but the opposing batsmen scored twice on a walk, a fielders choice, and three flies.

B. Slagle, hurling for Slagles Lake, held the Tabs down in good fashion, limiting them to seven scattered singles. Finch gave up six singles and one Ruthian, and Acree held the opposing sluggers hitless. Slagles scored first in the second frame when Goodman singled and came home when H. King hit his four bagger. In the seventh Finch weakened; passing the second batter up, hitting the next batter, and then allowing a single that brought in the two runs. In seven innings Finch distributed seven hits, four base on balls, and hit one batter; he received fair support, his backers making only 2 errors. B. Slagle remained on the hill the entire game, giving up only two passes and whiffing eight.

Allsbrook and W. Dickens were the big noises at bat for the Tabs, gathering a duet of singles to hit at a .500 pace. Outland, Speight, and Garris each plucked a bingle to make up for the clubs seven hits. H. King was Slagles best offense, getting a homer and a single; Longmire was next with two one baggers.

Box score:

| ab. | r. | h. | e. | po. | a. | |
|-----------------|----|----|----|-----|----|----|
| Tabbs | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 5 |
| Allsbrook, 2b. | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 5 |
| Outland, c. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| W. Dickens, lf. | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Ryals, rf. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Birdsong, ss. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| Speight, 1b. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 12 | 0 |
| Garris, 3b. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Sullivan, cf. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Finch, p. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Acree, p. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | 30 | 0 | 7 | 2 | 21 | 12 |

| ab. | r. | h. | e. | po. | a. | |
|---------------|----|----|----|-----|----|----|
| Slagles | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| McGee, cf. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| Longmire, 2b. | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 1 |
| Branch, c. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 0 |
| Riley, 3b. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| G. King, rf. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Goodwin, 1b. | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 |
| H. King, lf. | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| B. Slagle, p. | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 8 |
| Poole, rf. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | 31 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 24 | 17 |

Score by innings:
 Tabs 000 000 000—0
 Slagles 020 000 220—6

Summary: Runs batted in: H. King 2, Branch 2, McGee, Slagle. Home runs: H. King. Left on bases: Tabs 11, Slagles 7. Base on balls: off Finch 5, of Acree 1, off Slagle 2. Struck out: by Finch 1, by Slagle 8, by Acree none. Hits: off Finch seven in seven innings, off Slagle, seven in nine innings, off Acree none in one inning. Hit by Pitcher: Longmire. Time: 4 p. m.

HOYLE SETS NEW RECORD

High School Coach Set Many New Records During Last Three Years Here

Highly Successful

Long will be the days before anyone equals the record of victories and championships that has been set by Cranford Hoyle who came to the local high school in the fall of 1930 to take charge of the athletic teams.

Hoyle, former Guilford College all State guard in 1928, finished his third year of coaching here when the baseball season closed a few days ago.

The Yellow Jackets rated about fourth in northeastern conference athletics in 1930 which consisted of eight strong high school clubs throughout eastern Carolina, taking a small squad of boys he somehow managed to whip into shape one of the strongest combinations in the conference, winning nine of the eleven games they participated in, and taking second place in conference rating.

Came basketball, but as usual a weak team as well as material, but the first year of baseball saw around seventeen games played and only three defeats, two losses were by college nines, capturing the N. E. baseball conference crown and going to the semi-finals in state Class B baseball eliminations. That wound up his first year of tutoring.

When football rolled around again, quite a large squad reported and the N. E. Conference football championship was his award, out of eleven games the Jackets won nine, licking the Tarboro team twice in order to be awarded the title.

Basketball was more successful in his second year, winning five out of twelve games played, and the second year baseball even Class A teams refused to play the locals, twenty of twenty-one games were victories, also the

second successive N. E. Conference baseball crown, and State Class B. Title.

And the past year's record is just as successful. Football proteges listed sixty-six, six complete teams. The Jackets turned in the best record in the state, placed Newton left end, on the all-state high team, and W. Dickens was placed on the second eleven at the quarter-back post, besides four honorable mentions. Their record was nine victories and a 0-0 game the only mar in their years work.

Basketball under Tom Cheek, was better than previous teams in a number of seasons, winning six and dropping seven games. Around eighteen men made up the squad.

Baseball under Hoyle this season saw twelve games played and three defeats, among their victories were Carolina Frosh and Oak Ridge Cadets, going to the finals in the state Class B race, losing their state title to Mount Airy 4-2, whom they licked the previous year 9-6. As a whole Hoyle is a great coach.

BASCOES MEET KILO-SWATS

Saturday afternoon at 3:30 the Bascoes will battle it out with the Kilo-Swats. Starkes will probably start on the mound for latter. The Bascoes have three good hurlers in Finch, Birdsong and Everette and it is unknown as to which one will get the call.

William Bucholz of Chicago testified in his divorce suit that his wife charged him 25 cents for breakfast, 50 cents for dinner, \$1.50 a week for laundry, 25 cents a night for bed, and a penny for a toothpick.



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