

LOSE 12 INNING THRILLER, 8 - 6

HOBGOOD WINNER YEST'DAY

Fans Thrilled By 12 Inning Game Here Wednesday Lost In 12th

AHOSKIE IS HERE THIS SATURDAY

Leading until the 7th inning when Hobgood tied the score and holding the tie until the 12th inning, Roanoke Rapids league team gave the fans their money's worth in a thrilling game at Simmons Park yesterday afternoon and then allowed an error and a bunting rally by Hobgood take the game 8 to 6.

The local team outhit Hobgood, getting 14 hits, driving Knight from the mound in the 6th inning. Parker finished strong. The visitors hit Acree and Starke for 10 hits.

Acree held them hitless until the 6th inning and was taken out in the 7th when the visitors got five hits. Starke allowed 4 hits in 5 and a half innings.

Dickens led the locals with three hits, one a 3 bagger, Outland with a 3 bagger and single, Garris a double. Allsbrook, Davis and Acree had two singles each.

Parker, winning pitcher, got 3 singles. Sanford, huge first baseman, hit a home run with two men on in the unlucky 7th.

Ahoskie Coming

The league-leading Ahoskie team will play Roanoke Rapids here Saturday afternoon. The game will start at 3:30, a half hour earlier than week-day games.

The slogan is "Beat Ahoskie" which has one of the best semi-pro teams ever seen on the local diamond and a stirring game is in the offing for Saturday.

Womble On Team

Jimmie Womble, hard-hitting, clever-fielding player on Carolina will add strength to the Roanoke Rapids team when he appears here with them in Saturday's game.

Jimmie reported for practice this Tuesday and will become a permanent member of the local squad.

Birdsong Coming

To further strengthen the batting and fielding of the Roanoke Rapids team, fans will be delighted to know that Russell Birdsong, than whom there is none better in this game, will report for practice some time next week.

Sticking to the plan to use only local boys on the team, it appears that another week will see the squad comprised of a hard-hitting, winning bunch of local boys.

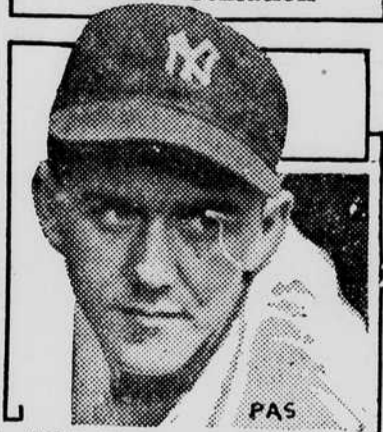
Birdsong plays any of the nine positions on a ball club, including pitching and catching, and is a consistent hitter.

Mrs. Turner Entertains

Mrs. C. R. Turner of Weldon was the hostess last Wednesday afternoon at her home on Elm Street to her contract bridge club and guests. High score prize was awarded Mrs. T. J. McKim. Those playing were Mesdames T. J. McKim, C. F. Gore, G. H. Nash, Grace Kennedy, both of Roanoke Rapids, S. G. Morehorn, W. G. Suiter, J. T. Maddrey and D. W. Seifert. The guests were served a salad course.

Mr. James Rowell is spending the latter part of this week in Richmond, Va.

Yankee Sensation



NEW YORK . . . Young Vito Famulis (above), is the N. Y. Yankee rookie pitcher who is now a sensation in the American League. In his first five games he won them all, three shut-outs with 18 consecutive scoreless innings to his credit. He's 24, has courage, control and a good curve.

Batting Average

	G	AB	H	R	PCT.
Hardison	2	6	4	3	.667
Allsbrook	4	19	9	5	.474
I. Dickens	6	25	10	4	.400
F. Dickens	1	3	1	1	.333
Davis	6	21	7	2	.319
Speight	6	25	7	3	.280
Outland	6	22	6	5	.273
Starke	2	4	1	0	.250
Miller	2	8	2	0	.250
Garris	6	25	6	4	.240
Sullivan	4	14	3	4	.214
Acree	4	14	2	1	.143
Mosely	5	23	4	2	.130

Note: G Games played, AB At Bat, H Hits, R Runs, PCT batting percentage. Above figures include yesterday's game.

Rosemary Mill Soft Ball League

League Standings

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Finishers	2	0	1000
No. 3 Spinners	2	0	1000
No. 3 Weavers	1	0	1000
No. 2 Weavers	1	0	1000
No. 2 Spinners	0	2	000
No. 1 Spinners	0	1	000
Card Shop	0	1	000
No. 1 Weavers	0	2	000

Games Next Week

(All games 4:30 P. M.)

Monday: Finishers vs No. 2 Weavers.

Tuesday: No. 1 Weavers vs No. 1 Carders-Spinners.

Wednesday: No. 2 Carders-Spinners vs Card Shop-Designers.

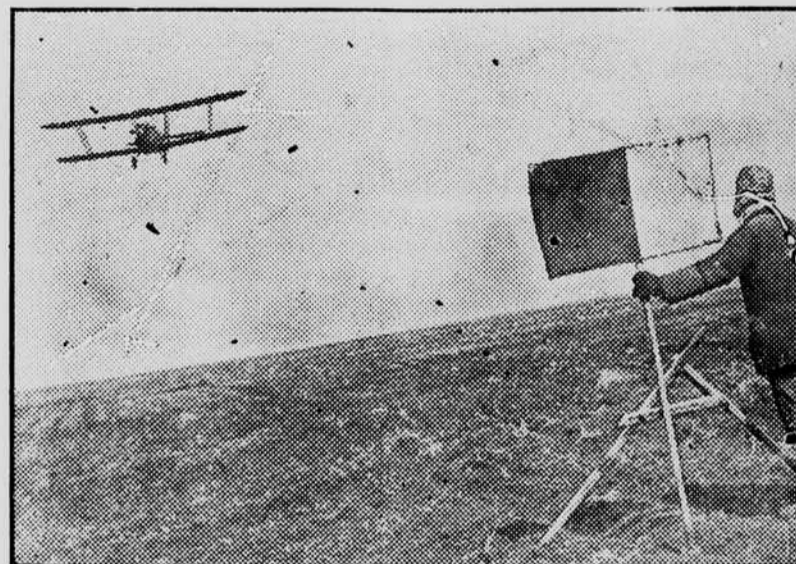
Thursday: No. 3 Carders-Spinners vs No. 3 Weavers.

In the opening game of the Rosemary Soft Ball League, the Finishers walloped No. 1 Weavers 16-2. Wolhar, with three hits, led the winners. Lyles also got three for the losers. Mills was the fielding star.

No. 3 Weavers landed No. 2 Spinners a 12-6 setback in League play. Sadler, with three hits, led the winners, while J. Hoggard, also with three, paced the losers. The heavy hitting weavers got twelve hits.

No. 3 Spinners hopped all over the Cardshop and Designers with a blasting 19-5 victory. Birdsong pitched a steady game for the winners. The losers made 10 errors.

Plane and Fancy Sowing



If that quotation, "As you sow so shall you reap," applied here, Russians would apparently have to harvest wheat in an airplane. The plane shown above is sowing wheat on a collective farm in the U S S R. Russia is the only country in the world where grain sowing from airplanes is conducted on a large scale.

Johnson pitched for the losers.

The Finishers defeated No. 1 Carders-Spinners 3-2 to rack up the second League game. It was one of the best games played in the League. Davis pitched for the winners. Fench for the losers.

No. 2 Weavers white-washed No. 1 Weavers 5-0. Worship pitched good ball for the winners. Clark was best for the losers. Collins was the Fielding Star for No. 1 Weavers.

Babs Ryals and his No. 3 Spin-

ners defeated No. 2 Spinners and Carders 6-5 to hang up their second league victory and go in a tie for the top with the Finishers. Birdsong and Ryals led the winners at bat. Nicholson led the losers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lassiter and children, Frances, Helen, and Linwood, and Miss Elizabeth Wall went to Panisier Springs Sunday.

Miss Ruth Taylor spent Friday evening with Mrs. Ray Cullom.

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