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Edenton Colonials Win Four Out Of Five To Cop Coastal Plain League Championship

Final Game Played on Hicks Field Saturday Night

RAINES WINS TWO
Colonials End Season Playing Sensational Brand of Ball

Manager William (Gashouse) Parker and his Edenton Colonials, after defeating Wilson four straight games in the semi-finals for the championship of the Coastal Plain League, won the fourth and deciding game from Goldsboro on Hicks Field Saturday night to win the league championship. After Goldsboro defeated Kinston four games to three in the semi-finals, the Colonials won the first game from Goldsboro in the final series, with Goldsboro winning the second game to tie the count. However, the Colonials then went on to win three straight, which was climaxed with a 6-2 victory on Hicks Field Saturday night before a large crowd of fans.

Monk Raines, the Colonials' ace mound performer, won two of the final series games. Stoudemire won one and Ronnie White was credited with Saturday night's victory, saving replaced Tommy Reeves in the fourth inning. Reeves lost the only game in the two sets of play-off series, losing to Goldsboro in the second game.

The Colonials played a splendid brand of ball in both series, with fans treated to many thrilling plays on the part of almost every Edenton player. Playing in the series were Sam Mauney, catcher; Manager Gashouse Parker and Claude Griffin, first base; Bobby Anderson, second base; Ross Horton, shortstop; Tom Inge, third base; Mo Evans, left field; Doug Clark, center field; Norman Onan, left field; Monk Raines, Charlie Stoudemire, Merman Dowdy, Tommy Reeves, Ronnie White and Ernie Stinza, pitchers.

Reeves started on the mound Saturday night, but got in trouble in the fourth, when Goldsboro went into a 2-0 lead. He was replaced by Ronnie White, who held the visitors in check the rest of the way.

Watts started for Goldsboro, but gave way to Perry in the eighth after he walked two Colonials. Perry was touched for two hits, which netted three runs.

Goldsboro scored a run in each of the third and fourth to lead 2-0. It was not until the sixth when the Colonials exploded and scored three runs to go into a 3-2 lead. Again in the eighth the Colonials added three more runs, finishing the game by a count of 6-2. The game in detail:

First Inning
Goldsboro—Brown tripled on the first pitch. Sengstock grounded out and Brown was out at the plate. Hilyer grounded out.

Edenton—Clark fanned, Horton doubled. Evans and Inge popped up.

Second Inning
Goldsboro—Leonard flew out to Clark. Ramsey singled. Russell hit a grounder, forcing Ramsey at second. Westbrook grounded out.

Edenton—Parker singled. Griffin fanned. Anderson was out on a fly to center. Mauney was out on a fly to second.

Third Inning
Goldsboro—Gula was out on a fly to Anderson. Watts grounded out. Brown walked. Sengstock tripled scoring Brown. Hilyer was out on a fly to Clark.

Edenton—Reeves fanned. Clark grounded out. Horton singled and Evans was out on a fly to center.

Fourth Inning
Goldsboro—Leonard and Ramsey doubled in succession with Leonard scoring. White then replaced Reeves on the mound. Russell grounded out. Westbrook walked. Gula fanned and Watts hit a fly to Anderson.

Edenton—Inge singled. Parker's long fly to left was caught by Leonard. Griffin's grounder forced Inge at second. Anderson grounded out.

Fifth Inning
Goldsboro—Brown fanned. Sengstock grounded out. Hilyer singled, and Leonard's fly was caught by Clark.

Edenton—Mauney and White grounded out. Clark fanned.

Sixth Inning
Goldsboro—Ramsey and Russell grounded out and Westbrook fanned.

Edenton—Horton flew out to center. Evans singled and Inge doubled. Parker walked filling the bases. Griffin then lashed out a double to center field fence which scored Evans and Inge to tie the score. Anderson hit a long fly to right field scoring Parker. Mauney was out on a fly to center. (Continued on Page Seven)

Lions Club Speaker



JEFF B. WILSON
Speaking in behalf of the trucking industry, Jeff B. Wilson of Raleigh was speaker at the Lions Club meeting Monday night. He spoke on the subject, "The Truck In Your Life" and was introduced by Mayor Leroy Haskett.

Jeff Wilson Speaks To Lions Monday

Points Out Importance Of Nation's Trucking Industry

"The trucking industry is the basic life-line in the economic and social life of North Carolina," Jeff B. Wilson told the members of the Edenton Lions Club Monday evening. Wilson is the director of information and safety of the North Carolina Motor Carriers Association.

"It is not an industry apart to itself," he continued, "but is a very important part of every community."

"The limitation of the trucking industry's growth and development in the Tar Heel State should be set only by the industrial progress and the social achievement of the people," he continued.

Speaking on "The Truck In Your Life," Wilson pointed out that over 1,800 communities in North Carolina depend entirely on trucks to bring them everything they eat, wear and use. He devoted much of his speech to the three E's of highway safety: engineering, enforcement and education.

In addition to being policed by the State Highway Patrol, city and county police officers, the trucking industry polices itself, Wilson explained. "We have road patrols, company supervisory patrols and insurance patrols," he stated.

"The truck driver of today is a professional operator," he continued, in speaking of the educational phase of the courtesy and safety program. "He is truly a gentleman of the high- (Continued on Page Nine)

Rocky Hock And Elm Grove Tied In Series

Deciding Game Will Be Played Saturday at Elm Grove

With the Rocky Hock and Elm Grove baseball teams knotted at three games each, the seventh and deciding game of the series is scheduled to be played Saturday afternoon on the Elm Grove diamond.

Last Saturday Rocky Hock came out winner by a score of 5-4. On Sunday Elm Grove won by a score of 6-5 to tie up the series at three games each.

The Rocky Hock club will play the Bertie County All Stars on the Rocky Hock diamond Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The moundsman for Rocky Hock will be Hunter or White and for the All-Stars either Hogyard or Perry. The public is cordially invited to attend the game.

AUXILIARY MEETS TONIGHT
The Ladies Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars will meet tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock in the VFW's new home on the old Hertford highway. All members are especially urged to attend.

Mrs. Annie Mills Names Committees For BPW Club Year

Various Chairmen Discuss Baby Contest and Fashion Show Plans

Mrs. Annie Mills, new president of the Edenton Business and Professional Women's Club, this week announced the following committees to serve for the coming year:

Finance—Mrs. Lala Smith, chairman, Miss Mildred Munden, Miss Beulah Perry, Mrs. Lena Leary, Mrs. Bertha Bunch, Rebecca Colwell and Mrs. Emma Perkins.

Education and Vocation—Mrs. Laura Ferguson, chairman, Fannie Sue Sayers, Mrs. Captola Jackson, Mrs. Celia Joyce, Mrs. Margaret Phtisic.

Legislation—Mrs. Kate Wozelka, Minnie Hollowell, Mrs. Dorothy Phelps, Mrs. Jessie Porter.

Health and Safety—Jessie Byrum, Mrs. Mona Hofler, Mrs. Ella Mae Morgan.

International Relations—Mrs. Leon Leary, Mrs. Marie Wheeler, Louise Smith, Mrs. Bonnie White, Mrs. Millicent Bunch.

Membership—Mrs. Irene Ruffin, Mrs. Tressie Bunch, Mrs. Corinne Long.

News Service—Evelyn Leary.

Public Affairs—Lena Jones, Mrs. Anita Tarckenton, Goldie Layton and Mrs. Adelaide Chesson.

Radio and Television—Mrs. Anne (Continued on Page Twelve)

Edenton Tea Party Chapter Has Meeting

Group Decides to Again Present Edenton Tea Party Award

The regular meeting of the Edenton Tea Party Chapter, D.A.R., was held in the James Iredell House Wednesday afternoon, September 10, at 3:30 o'clock, with Mrs. John A. Kramer, Regent, presiding.

Following the regular business session Mrs. W. I. Hart read a most interesting article on the Tryon Palace furniture exhibition. Mrs. Maude Latham of Greensboro, a native of New Bern, has established a trust fund of \$250,000 for the restoration of Tryon Palace and has also purchased valuable antique furnishings and silver to be placed in the restored palace. This collection is now on display in the Greensboro Historical Museum.

Mrs. S. M. McMullan, president of the James Iredell Historical Association, appointed a nominating committee to select officers for the association for the coming year. She also appointed a committee to investigate the cost of repairing and painting the Iredell House.

The chapter voted to give the Edenton Tea Party Award again this year to members of the Senior Class of the Edenton Junior-Senior High School. This award is given for creative writing on an historical subject. The contest requirements will be explained at a later date by Mrs. Mary Browning, of the Edenton High School faculty.

October 25th being Edenton Tea Party Day, the chapter voted to have a card party in the Iredell House and give the proceeds to the Penelope Barker House for the purpose of restoration. Full details of the party will be announced at a later date. The chapter is primarily interested in the preservation of Edenton's historical landmarks. Letters have been sent to 83 D.A.R. chapters in the state asking for contributions toward this worthy project.

At the close of the business session the meeting adjourned for a social hour. The hostesses were Mrs. Lloyd Griffin, Mrs. A. B. Harless and Mrs. W. I. Hart.

Woman's Club Will Hold Cake-Food Sale

Announcement was made early this week that the Edenton Woman's Club will hold a cake and food sale starting at 8:30 o'clock Saturday morning in the Hughes-Holton Hardware Store. All kinds of tasty food will be offered for sale and the patronage of the public is solicited.

Hospital Auxiliary Resumes Activities For Present Season

Meeting Is Scheduled to Be Held Friday Afternoon

After a summer recess, the Auxiliary of Chowan Hospital will begin the new season with a regular meeting on Friday, September 19, at 3 o'clock in the nurses' home. Mrs. Rodney Harrell, vice president, will preside, and urges a large attendance in order to start an enthusiastic fall program. There will be a guest speaker from the Marine Corps Air Station.

The house committee, under Mrs. Al Stanton's direction, has functioned through the summer, supplying the hospital with flowers and magazines. Mrs. L. S. Byrum has enrolled a few additional members, bringing the total to 232.

Mrs. Al Phillips reports that a goodly sum has come into the treasury through memorial gifts. Anyone wishing to mail a gift for this purpose may send their check to Miss Frances Tillett who will notify the family with a card bearing the name of the donor.

Bibles have been placed in each hospital room inscribed as gifts from the following:

Macedonia Baptist Church, Center Hill and Evans Methodist Churches, Edenton Presbyterian Church, Edenton Methodist Church, Center Hill Baptist Church, Assembly of God, Dime Society of the Edenton Baptist Church, Happy Home Church, St. Paul's Episcopal Church, St. Ann's Catholic Church, Rocky Hock, Ballard's Bridge and Warwick Swamp Baptist Churches and the First Christian Church of Edenton.

Edenton Aces Drop Game To Greenville

Nine Fumbles By Edenton Boys Prove Costly

Coach George Thompson's Edenton Aces on Friday night dropped their second football game of the season when Greenville won by a score of 6-0. Fumbles by the Aces contributed more than anything else in their downfall. The Aces fumbled nine times, recovering only once and a few of the bobbles were made when within striking distance of a touchdown. The two teams played on about even terms, but on the first play in the second quarter Greenville's Bobby Perry grabbed a pitch-out from Bobby Langston to race 52 yards for the only score of the game. Perry ran around right end and apparently he was trapped near the line of scrimmage, but he wiggled out and with perfect interference he outran all of the pursuing Aces. He try for extra point failed. The visitors also threatened to score twice in the first quarter, one time reaching the Edenton six-yard line.

The game for the most part was played in Edenton territory with Milan Stillely chalking up the longest run for the Aces. Stillely ripped off 17 yards on an end run and appeared to be heading for a clear field when he was overtaken from behind.

On defense for the Aces Bill Hardison, Al Owens, Lynn Boswell and Ted Lassiter looked best.

Lieut. Morris Griffin Awarded Silver Wings As Jet Fighter Pilot

Lieutenant Morris T. Griffin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris T. Griffin, Route 2, Edenton, received the silver wings of a jet fighter pilot during formal graduation ceremonies at Williams Air Force Base at Chandler, Arizona.

The graduating class was composed of pilots from four NATO countries: Denmark, France, The Netherlands and the United States.

Colonel James D. Mayden, wing commander, presented the wings and diplomas. Colonel Francis Gabreski, leading U. S. ace and Korean veteran, was the guest speaker. Preceding the presentation of wings, flight line ceremonies honored the new pilots. The traditional dinner dance held at the Hotel Westward Ho, Phoenix, concluded the day's activities.

Lt. Griffin received his B. S. in engineering from the University of Alabama at Birmingham. He graduated from Perquimans High School in 1947.

ROTARY MEETS TODAY
Edenton's Rotary Club will meet (Thursday) afternoon at 1 o'clock in the Parish House. President W. T. Harry urges another 100 per cent meeting.

Woman's Club Plans Active Drive To Get Out Election Vote

Fair Explanation

Due to some misunderstanding about exhibits at the Chowan County Fair last year, the Chowan County Fair Association early this week issued a statement that any person who operates a farm in Chowan County is eligible to have entries in the fair and compete for prize money.

It is the purpose to make clear that if a farm is located in Chowan County and the owner lives in another county, he is just as eligible to enter exhibits in the fair as if he lived in the county.

Aces Will Tackle Arch Rival Friday

Coaches and Players Expect to Defeat Elizabeth City

Edenton's Aces are scheduled to meet their arch rival, the Elizabeth City Yellow Jackets, on the latter's gridiron Friday night. A great deal of interest centers on this game, for on paper the two teams are pretty evenly matched.

Both the Aces and Yellow Jackets have played and were defeated by just about the same scores by Goldsboro. In the opening game Goldsboro defeated the Aces 19-6, and on Friday of last week the Yellow Jackets fell prey to the same outfit by a score of 20-6.

It is rather coincidental, too, that both the Aces and Yellow Jackets held the lead 6-0 until the third quarter, when Goldsboro scored 19 points against Edenton and 20 points against Elizabeth City.

The Yellow Jackets have a wide margin of victories over the Aces in their long gridiron rivalry, but Coaches George Thompson and Ben Perry are of the opinion that the Aces have a good chance this year to add a notch on the victory page of the Aces. At any rate the Aces' squad is being taken through hard practice sessions in preparation for the game, and the same is no doubt true in the Yellow Jackets' camp.

Due to the keen rivalry between the two schools, a large number of Edenton fans are expected to accompany the Aces to Elizabeth City for the game.

New Juvenile Books Received By Library

Series Covers Lives of Famous Americans From Early Days

Mrs. Duncan Wales, Librarian of the Shepard-Pruden Library, wishes to call attention to the recent acquisition of an outstanding group of juvenile books at the library and recently made available to Edenton's young readers.

Published by Bobbs-Merrill and bearing the overall title of "Childhood of Famous Americans," the series consists of 34 volumes, and covers the boyhood and early life of many famous Americans from Colonial days to the present.

There is a wide range of personalities presented in the group and every phase of achievement, historical and modern, is fully covered. From George Washington, who is considered America's No. 1 personage, the series tells the stories, to mention a few, of Franklin D. Roosevelt, Will Rogers, John Paul Jones, Thomas Edison, Wilbur and Orville Wright, Robert E. Lee, Abraham Lincoln, Amelia Earhart, Louise Alcott and many, many other interesting Americans.

Moving Picture Feature Laymen's Club Meeting

The Laymen's Club of St. Paul's Episcopal Church will meet tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock in the Parish House. In connection with this meeting another moving picture in a series dealing with the life of St. Paul will be shown.

A cordial invitation is extended the public to attend and see the picture, after which the club will hold its business session.

Club Work For Year Is Outlined at Meeting Last Week

NEW YEAR BOOK

Members Back Movement for Public Music Teacher

Mrs. W. J. P. Earnhardt, President of the 16th District and member of the Edenton Woman's Club, spoke at the September meeting of the Edenton Club held last week at St. Paul's Parish House. She outlined plans for club work during the coming year, and pointed out that the major project will be the "Crusade for Americanism," with particular emphasis on a campaign to encourage all eligible voters to register and vote in the November election.

Mrs. J. C. Leary, Jr., chairman of the Public Affairs Committee, outlined plans for a "Get Out the Vote" campaign in Edenton and Chowan County, and the club unanimously endorsed the project.

Other resolutions adopted by the club included one to promote the procuring of a public school music teacher for the Edenton schools, and another to join the Business and Professional Women's Club and Jaycees in staging a Tom Thumb Wedding to raise funds for the restoration of the Penelope Barker House.

Mrs. J. H. Conger, Jr., club president, urged the attendance of all members at the district meeting to be held in Gatesville on September 26.

The club's year book is dedicated to the past presidents, Mrs. R. H. Vaughan, Mrs. Earl Goodwin, Mrs. John A. Kramer, Mrs. John Graham, Mrs. David Holton and Mrs. W. D. Holmes, Jr., "in grateful recognition of their loyalty and service." Mrs. Vaughan acknowledged the dedication.

Richard F. Elliott Speaker At Rotary

Presents Very Interesting Talk on Edenton Cotton Mills

Richard Elliott was the principal speaker at last week's Rotary meeting, when he presented a very interesting talk on the Edenton Cotton Mills.

The plant, financed entirely by local capital, started with only 5,000 spindles, Mr. Elliott said, and now there are 21,000 spindles. At the outset the company owned only five houses in the Cotton Mill Village, where now there are 75 houses to help accommodate the 240 employees.

It was hard sledding at first, Mr. Elliott told the Rotarians, but in 1902 the concern began to show progress, which has been the case ever since. He told about the early difficulties, one of which was finding a site, and finally deciding on the ropewalk property. The name, Mr. Elliott said, was attributed to a ropewalk in order to cross a stream of water.

Of the original group of stockholders only one is still living, he being George F. Folk. Since its organization there have been only three presidents, Frank Wood and H. G. Wood, both deceased, and John G. Wood, at present, president.

The Edenton Cotton Mill is the second oldest organization, being led only by The Bank of Edenton.

At the conclusion of Mr. Elliott's remarks the Rotarians asked quite a few questions relative to the cotton mill and its operation.

Legion Auxiliary Will Hold Meeting Tonight

Mrs. Paul Holoman, president of the American Legion Auxiliary, calls attention to a meeting of the organization which will be held at her home tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock. The meeting was previously scheduled for Tuesday of this week, but was postponed due to a church meeting.

This will be the last meeting of the fiscal year, so that Mrs. Holoman urges all members to attend. The new officers will take over at the October meeting.

PEP RALLY TONIGHT
Tonight (Thursday) at 7:15 a pep rally will be held at the new band stand in preparation for the football game with Elizabeth City Friday night. After the rally, at 8 o'clock, the Band Parents Association will meet in the high school.