

Marble Defeated By Mountaineers

In a all-together lopsided game, Tuesday, Marble fell to the big hitters of Murphy to a score of 20 to 5. Though most everyone on their team pitched, they were unable to check the Mountaineers. King started on the mound for Marble, but later was relieved by

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Ellis, who in turn was relieved by Hughes. Cunningham took the honor for Murphy with P. Cosmo assisting in the first of the eighth. Keener was the leading hitter for Marble getting two for five. With Beavers getting three for four, Kirkland three for six, Crawford two for three, and Townson getting one for one were the leading hitters for Murphy.

Hackney Wins Over Legion

In an error filled softball game, on July 9, Hackney defeated American Legion 9 to 4. The game started off with a wham with Hackney scoring 3 runs, with Hughes' 2 homeruns, Hackney secured a good lead over its opponents, while on the other side, Sigmon knocked 2 deep into right field for 2 homeruns, but the Legion still was unable to catch Hackney.

	R	H	E
Hackney	310	203	0 9 9 3
A. Legion	010	102	0 4 7 13

Softball Standings

	W	L	Pct.
Mountain Valley	6	0	1.000
All-Stars	5	1	.833
Lions	4	2	.667
Hackney	4	3	.571
V. F. W.	2	3	.400
Ragland	2	4	.333
American Legion	1	5	.167
Dickey-Crain	0	6	.000

RESULTS
FRIDAY
 Mountain Valley 5 Ragland 4
 Hackney 9 American-Legion 4

SCHEDULE
FRIDAY
 Lions vs. Ragland
 American-Legion vs. V. F. W.

MONDAY
 Brasstown vs. V. F. W.
 All-Stars vs. Dickey Crain

Fertilization is the key to successful alfalfa production. The less fertile the soil the more commercial fertilizers must be applied to get a good yield.

Hayesville Tops Murphy

Thursday, July 8, Murphy was defeated by Hayesville 8 to 5. The game started in Murphy's favor with three men coming across in the eighth with some hits, and taking advantage of quite a few errors, they brought in six runs.

Pittman started on the mound for Murphy but was relieved in the eighth by Fleming, while Mingus went full game for Hayesville. Cole getting 3 for 4, one of which was a homerun, led Murphy at the plate while on the other side McClure got 3 for 3, and Mingus 3 for lead, Hayesville.

	R	H	E
Hayesville	000	100	061 8 14 4
Murphy	301	010	000 5 8 6

Pat Cornelius Is New Player

A new player came into the Murphy squad whose batting is higher than Cole. His name is Pat Cornelius. He is seventeen years old and just out of high school. It will be a merry race between Cole and Pat for batting supremacy.

The Murphy Mountaineers did not play any games over the weekend on account of rain but they will play Sylva here Saturday night.

MOUNTAIN VALLEY 5 RAGLAND 4

In a close game between Ragland and Mountain Valley, Mountain Valley was the victor.

Ragland took an early one run lead in the first inning and remained there until the fifth inning. Mountain Valley tied them then but neither side scored until a bag of errors broke loose on the Ragland infield to let in the winning run.

	R	H	E
Ragland	100	300	0-4 7 8
Mt. Valley	009	130	1-5 6 4

If prepackaged fresh vegetables are kept at a temperature of 42 degrees F. during marketing operations they will keep from two to three times longer than if no attention is given to refrigeration, say USDA specialists.

479 Motorists Lose Licenses During June

RALEIGH, N. C.—During June, 479 motorists in North Carolina were shorn of their driving licenses because of drunken driving, bringing to 4,503 total drunken driving convictions for 1948, the Motor Vehicle Department announced today.

The June drunken driving convictions were 30 less than for June of last year, when 509 persons were convicted.

The report showed that a total of 795 motorists lost their driving privileges during June because of traffic law offenses and practices detrimental to Highway Safety. Revocations totaled 636 and suspensions 159.

These included 48 persons caught driving drunk outside the State; 42 driving drunk and miscellaneous; 26 driving after license had been revoked; 24 for speeding over 75 miles per hour; 11 for license of automobile; 33 for transporting liquor; 14 for being habitual violators of the traffic laws; 11 for speeding over 55 miles per hour and miscellaneous; 18 for two offenses of speeding over 55 miles per hour.

Eighteen persons lost their licenses for two offenses of drunken driving. A second drunken driving conviction means mandatory revocation of license for a period of three years. One person lost his license for a third offense of drunken driving. The third offense means that the license is revoked permanently, unless at the end of five years the person can prove that he is entitled to have it back, then the Department can give his application due consideration.

Three persons lost their driving privileges for failure to maintain proof of financial responsibility.

During June, 348 persons were convicted of reckless driving, bringing to 2,220 the total reckless driving convictions for 1948. Reckless driving requires no revocation or suspension on the first conviction.

In addition to the major violations which are cause for revocation or suspension, there were 6,623 other violations which do not constitute loss of license on first offense. During 1948 there have been a total of 48,253 convictions in this class.

Speeding took the greatest toll with 2,696 convictions, bringing to 14,951 total speeding offenses for this year.

Other offenses: failing to have driver's license, 1,301; faulty equipment, 638; improper lights, 356; running through red light, 318; failing to stop when entering highway, 50; failing to dim lights, 37; passing on hill, 36.

Of the total violators for the month, 5,786 were North Carolinians, and 837 were out-of-staters.

SKY THEATRE SCHEDULE

WAYNESVILLE — Theatre In The Sky, whose School of the Theatre opened here July 5, will present plays here each Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at popular prices.

Plays on the Summer schedule include the opening production "Adam's Evening", a farce comedy by Katherine Kavanaugh, followed by Oscar Wilde's "The Importance of Being Earnest", "The Ghost Train", "The Drunkard", a gay-nineties melodrama, and "Mr. and Mrs. Phipps" by John Hamilton.

"Changing Times," the 1947 annual report of the North Carolina Agricultural Extension Service, has just been published. Copies are obtainable free from the Agricultural Editor, State College, Raleigh.

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Vengeance Creek

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Chambers and little daughter, Diane, and Mrs. Edwin Brooks and son, Dickie, all from Marietta, Ga., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Harve King. Mrs. Chambers will spend two weeks here with her parents.

Leland Thompson was the guest of James Puett, Sunday.

Margie Rogers visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson at Peachtree recently.

Lawrence and Wylie King visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harve King, Sunday.

Mrs. Annie Massey of Asheville has been visiting friends and relatives here the past week.

The Rev. Joe Nations preached at the Vengeance Creek Baptist Church Sunday. There will be Prayer Meeting held at the church every Wednesday night.

Martin's Creek

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Raper, of Akron, Ohio, spent last week with Mrs. Vernia Raper.

Alfred and Hershel Gibson, of Gastonia, spent last week with their father, L. R. Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burch and children spent the week-end with J. M. Burch.

Miss Maggie Gibson, from Gastonia, spent the week-end with Miss Cleo McMillan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Raper, from Knoxville, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Vernia Raper.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ladd and Mr. and Mrs. George Phillips of Gastonia spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Happy Steward of Oak Ridge spent Sunday with J. R. Cornwell and family.

John Henry of Hampton, Va., spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Bell Johnson.

BATTING AVERAGES

Players	AB	H	A
P. Cosmo	6	3	.500
Cole	133	60	.451
Hemphill	127	47	.370
Kirkland	142	46	.324
Beavers	132	44	.321
Fowler	149	45	.302
Crawford	65	19	.277
Cosmo	95	23	.267
Leatherwood	27	8	.244
Tallent	49	12	.242
P Pittman	8	1	.122
Cunningham	25	2	.080

Extension Service Releases Bulletin

Copies of a recently revised popular bulletin of the State College Extension Service entitled "A Farming Guide for North Carolina," is now available for distribution.

The publication contains much information dealing with the more important farming operations. This information, condensed and presented as "jobs to be done by months," provides a check list for the farmer to use in planning work which should be done on his farm each month.

The calendar of work includes jobs to be done for livestock, field crops, fruits and vegetables, poultry, and general operation. In addition, other information such as recommended varieties, seeding rates, and fertilizer requirements

for crops is included. The information was furnished by the appropriate departments of the College and Extension Service, and the publication was compiled by the Extension farm management department. Authors of the original edition were R. W. Shoffner, district agent; H. B. James, in charge, farm management research; and C. B. Ratchford, in charge, Extension farm management. The revision was made by Moyle S. Williams, farm management specialist. Copies may be obtained free by writing the Agricultural Editor, State College, Raleigh. Please ask for Extension Circular No. 263.

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