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LOUISBURG'S BASE BALL.

WON SIX GAMES THE PAST WEEK.

Took Double Header From Roanoke Rapids Saturday, Two More Games Here This Week—Defeats Smithfield.

The Louisburg amateur ball team played six games the past week, in which number was a double header at Roanoke Rapids on Saturday winning both games. The boys representing the best players from several colleges, are making for themselves an enviable reputation. Their taking so many games is not due to meeting with unexperienced teams, but good practical ball playing. The teams they have played against so far have simply been outclassed—the other teams have all played fairly correct and good ball but just could not make good against our team.

AT ROANOKE RAPIDS.

"Louisburg leaves on first tour of season" On the morning of June 24th the Louisburg amateurs under the management of Asst. Mgr. Banks took leave for the rendezvous of the strong Roanoke Rapids team. Friday's game was prevented by a downpour of rain necessitating a double-header on Saturday afternoon. The first game of the double-header was to be of five innings by agreement. "Chess" Stone started in for Louisburg and pitched consistently, the score of two runs by Roanoke Rapids being made on errors. The features of the first game was the terrific hitting of Stone and Hedgepeth. As the game was to be of five innings duration, in the fifth inning with two men out and the score two to one in favor of Roanoke Rapids and two men on bases, things looked rather serious for Louisburg. Hedgepeth was at the bat, the sphere shot over the plate for the approval of "Mr. Unps," and he approved of them in good fashion calling them both strikes. The pitcher confident of victory wound himself into numerous knots and let go a curve for the final strike out, when Bang!! The last glimpse that we had of the ball it was sailing majestically over right field fence, the score being changed into a 4 to 2 victory for Louisburg.

SECOND GAME

Hedgepeth went to the mound for Louisburg, and Perkins started to oppose him but after giving two bases on balls, Perkins decided that his sights needed readjustment so he gracefully retired in favor of Inge, who also decided that the Louisburg sluggers were to be formidable for his assortment of artillery. Welch was called upon to dampen their order for singles, two baggers, home runs and the like but he was pounded like his predecessors and unmercifully too. Hedgepeth in this game tries to dilapidate the right field fence with a drive that puts minnie ball fights to shame. It might be mentioned that he smashed one over center field fence in this game that the Rapid's Manager is looking for yet. Both games were replete with good and bad plays, scientific and bone head fielding by Roanoke Rapids.

AT LOUISBURG.

On Monday evening at 4:30 o'clock the Umpire announced that the game for the evening would be Louisburg against Roanoke Rapids and the boys on both sides seemed eager to "get into the game." Quite a number of the Louisburg fans and many visitors had already gathered and soon the clear voice of the umpire could be heard calling out the strikes, balls, etc. The first two innings began to look as if Louisburg was "up against it" proper as only one run was made and that by Louisburg, but in the third Louisburg scored nine and succeeded in shutting out the visitors. In the

fourth the home boys scored two and in the fifth one. Louisburg then lost out in the next two innings but scored five more in the eighth. The visitors were shut out from the beginning through the entire game. Daniels and Turner and Taylor made good as battery for Louisburg and received excellent support, the entire fielding force doing well their parts. Atkinson, Moore and Smith did nice work for the visitors but the home boys were most two quick and heavy for them. Their support was reasonably good, with the exception of a few errors. The score by innings was as follows:

	R	H	E
Roanoke R.	000	000	000—0
Louisburg	109	210	05x—18

Summary—struck out by Daniels 6, Atkinson 2, Moore 1. Given bases by Daniels 1, Atkinson 3, Moore 1. Two base hits; Taylor 1, Hedgepeth 2, Daniels 1. Three base hits; Lee. Stolen bases Taylor 2, Turner 2, Stone 1, Hedgepeth 1, Lee 2, Daniels 1, Hale 1. Attendance 200.

The second game between Louisburg and Roanoke Rapids, which was played at Williamson park on Tuesday, was an exceedingly slow and uninteresting game. The teams were not sufficiently even matched to make it interesting for the players, and as a result the score stood 10 to 7 at the end of the game. The battery was for Louisburg Stone and Poole; Roanoke Rapids, Atkinson, Welch and Smith.

Summary—Struck out by Stone 5, Welch 5; stolen bases Taylor 1, Stone 1, Lee 3, Poole 1, Daniels 1, Hale 2. Visiting team Fitts, R. 1, Fitts, H., 1, Smith 1. Two-base hits, Hedgepeth 1. Home runs, Hedgepeth. Bases on balls Stone 2, Welch 2. The following is the score by innings:

	R	H	E
Roanoke R.	500	200	000—7
Louisburg	710	100	01x—10

On Wednesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock the strong team from Smithfield presented themselves on the local diamond to contest with the Louisburg amateurs in what resulted in an interesting game. Rally this was the only game of ball on the local diamond this week that was of interest to either spectators or players. The Smithfield boys all seem to be a very clever set of young men and they played pretty good ball here on Wednesday. The feature of the game was the pitching of Hedgepeth for the local team and Ethridge for the visitors. The game resulted in a score of 4 to 1 in favor of Louisburg. Battery—Louisburg Hedgepeth and Poole; Smithfield Ethridge and Cable. Summary—struck out by Hedgepeth 14, Ethridge 5. Stolen bases Taylor 1, Yarbrough 1, Turner 1, Lee 1, Daniels 1. Two base hits Stone 1, Hedgepeth 1. The score by innings was as follows:

	R	H	E
Smithfield	000	000	001—1
Louisburg	000	100	30x—4

The second game of ball between Smithfield and Louisburg, which was played at Williamson Park yesterday afternoon, resulted in a score of 5 to 4 in favor of the home boys. The game was slow and no great deal of interest manifested. The battery was for Louisburg, Daniels and Taylor; Smithfield, Saunders and Cable. Good support was given the battery for the home team.

Louisburg plays Franklinton at Franklinton today and Franklinton will return the game here Monday. The game for Monday will be the best game of the season as both teams will be strengthened and all energy directed at winning this game.

BEAUTIFUL MARRIAGE

Mr. R. W. Hamill, of Thelma and Miss Ethel Webb, of Mapleville, Wed. The historic old church, Maple Springs, presented a charming scene

Wednesday when in the calm beauty of the sweet June morning, the marriage vows of Mr. Roscoe W. Hamill and Miss Lucy Taylor Webb were made. Never has a more charming marriage taken place at this church, so beautiful it was in its simplicity. The color scheme was white and green, a background of numerous potted plants formed a beautiful setting for the masses of golden hearted daisies.

At 9 a. m. a large number of people began to assemble. Just before 9:30, the hour set for the marriage, the breathless hush of expectancy was broken by a sweet and tender bridal song "Because," sung by Mrs. C. C. Cookrell, of Nashville, in her usual charming manner. As the pure sweet voice lifted the hearts of listening people, each one felt anew the thrill of the old sweet story—old but ever new "for all the world loves a lover." However burdened by the cares and toils of every day life, young and old alike are ever ready to pause and gaze with tender misty eyes on the vision of a "Love that glorifies. Because you come to me with naught save love, and hold my hand and lift mine eyes above a wider world of hope and joy I see, because you speak to me in accents sweet, I find the roses making round my feet."

The last note of the love song mingled with the silence. Then to the inspiring strains of Lohengrin, rendered by Mrs. William E. Uzzell of Louisburg, the bridal party entered in the following order: The ushers—Mr. W. E. Uzzell with Mr. W. M. Boone, and Mr. W. D. Jackson with Mr. J. R. Perry. Next came Dr. Joe Uzzell with Miss Lena Hamill, of Thelma, a sister of the groom. Then with slow and stately grace came the maid of honor, Miss Mary Heien Webb, following her entered the charming bride with her uncle, Mr. J. H. Uzzell, who gave her away. They were met at the altar by the groom and his best man, Mr. Joseph House, of Thelma. As the soft dreamy notes of Angels Serenade blended harmoniously with the solemn scene, Mr. Geo. M. Duke, pastor of the church at Mapleville, using the beautiful impressive service of the Episcopal church made these two hearts one. The bride was gowned in a beautiful reseda green traveling suit with hat and gloves to match, carrying a magnificent bouquet of brides roses. The maid of honor and brides maids wore white messaline with point lace and pearl trimmings and wore black picture hats, carrying carnations. The ushers and groomsmen wore the conventional black, with grey ties and gloves. The bride is too well and favorably known to need an introduction. She is the daughter of Mrs. Fannie Webb, of Mapleville. By her many graces and sterling qualities she has won a host of friends, modest and retiring she typifies all that young womanhood should stand for. The groom is a successful young business man of Thelma and has a wide circle of friends. The beautiful array of wedding gifts testify to the popularity of the young couple.

Immediately after the marriage Mr. and Mrs. Hamill took the 12:30 train for an extended trip to Niagara, New York and other northern points. They will visit the Great Lakes before returning. May the sun be shiny and flowers blooming all along the pathway of life for them.

Hogshead Plant

Messrs. Griffin & Beasley are installing a gasoline engine and other machinery in their storage warehouse near the railroad preparatory to making tobacco hogsheads the coming season. We understand that the plant will soon be ready for operation and is provided for a good capacity.

THE MOVING PEOPLE

THEIR MOVEMENTS IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Those Who Have Visited Louisburg the Past Week—Those Who Have Gone Elsewhere for Business or Pleasure.

Miss Urtie Harrison, of Littleton, is visiting friends in town.

R. W. Hudson left yesterday for a trip to Greensboro.

Miss Lessie Houston, of Monroe, is visiting Miss Eleanor Cooke.

Mrs. Geo. Capeheart, of Avoca is visiting at Mrs. H. A. Crenshaw's.

Mr. J. I. Gillis, of Norfolk, Va., was a visitor to Louisburg the past week.

F. W. Hicks and wife returned Friday from a visit to her people in Nash county.

Miss Eleanor Cooke, who has been visiting friends at Monroe, returned home Thursday.

Mrs. F. H. Battle left Wednesday, for Plumtree, where she will teach the coming session.

Ernest Hale, who has a position with the Rockingham Post, visited his people here the past week.

R. C. Beck, of Roanoke Rapids, came over with the ball boys and spent a few days in town this week.

Samuel Scherr, of Baltimore, has returned to Louisburg, and taken a position with the People's Clothing Store.

Mrs. J. A. Andrews, of Rocky Mount, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. W. B. Cooke, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivey Allen left Wednesday for Boston to attend the meeting of the National Educational Association.

Miss Annie Fuller, of Moulton, passed through town the past week en route to Lewisburg, Tenn., to spend some time with relatives.

Mrs. Tyler B. Wheeler and children, of Scotland Neck, and Miss Mary Justice, of Benson, are visiting at Mr. F. W. Justice's, near town.

Prof. W. R. Mills, of Louisburg, and Supt. R. B. White, of Franklinton, and wives left Wednesday to attend the National Educational Association to be held in Boston next week.

The many friends of Mr. P. S. Allen were pleased to greet him back home this week. He arrived home from Hot Springs, Ark., Sunday-morning and is much improved in health.

More Automobiles.

Mr. R. G. Allen received two more Overland automobiles this week. Three more are expected within the next few days for Drs. S. P. Burt, H. A. Newell and R. F. Yarbrough. The latter three are Hupmobiles.

A. & M. College.

The latest catalogue of the Agricultural and Mechanical College shows remarkable progress. The total enrollment was 570—a gain of 124 over the year before. One hundred and eighty-two of these were agricultural students. In addition twenty seven teachers attended the May school to equip themselves to teach agriculture in the common schools. Three new buildings have just been completed and a fourth is now under construction. The faculty for the coming year will number fifty technical experts. The next session will begin on Sept. 7th.

Mrs. Barrow Entertains.

June 21st will be a "red letter day" with many of the young people of Louisburg, for on that evening Mrs. J. J. Barrow entertained complimentary to Mr. Avery Winston

and Miss Lizzie Winston of Selma.

The night was ideal. Music and various games were enjoyed while for those who wished there were hammocks and settees on the lawn. Dainty refreshments were served.

Those present were: Miss Lizzie Winston with Julian Hart, Miss Annie Allen with Tom Boddie, Mary B. Macon with Badger Hart, Miss Agnes Lacy with Wilson Green, Miss Mary S. Egerton with Ricky Farman, Miss Maud Hicks with Frank Egerton, Miss Margie Macon with Weldon Egerton, Miss Elizabeth Page with Grabam Egerton, Miss Florence Page with Eliot Egerton, Miss Margaret Hicks with Clayton High, Miss Alba Allen with Wm. Jackson, Miss Ina Harris with Mr. Smith, Miss Stark with Carl Allen, Miss Ruby Lancaster with James Malone, Miss Abiah Person with L. S. Hales, Miss Fannie Boddie with Greenwood Hill, Miss Mattie Hester with J. D. Hill, Miss Bettie Boddie with Joe Mann, Miss Lonie Meadows with Lyn Parker, Miss Annie Parker with Clifford Hall, Miss Ruth Egerton with Wm. Winston, Miss Lizzie Lee Aycock with Walter Waddell, Miss Ruth Allen with Palmer Bailey, Cary Hunter, Joseph Davis, Avery Winston, Wm. Barrow.

Binghams School.

The Bingham School, whose area of Patronage during its 117th year extended from New York, Canada, Montana, and California, to Florida, Texas and Mexico, refuses pupils every year to want of room.

Its safety against fire and its exclusions of hazing and drinking, through its inviolable pledge of honor enforced by the boys themselves, attract both parents and pupils.

Its climate, sanitation, ventilation and fare secure an average gain of nineteen (19) pounds a year.

Address Col. R. Bingham, Asheville.

The Primary at Louisburg

The primary held at Louisburg on Saturday last did not arouse much interest. The polls were opened at 1 o'clock and closed at 5, the total vote being cast was only a fraction over 200. Holden lead Person in the county for the Senate and indications show that Cooley has the advantage of Allbrook for Solicitor. The delegates to the County Convention, which meets in Louisburg on Saturday from Louisburg township are as follows: J. M. Allen, W. E. Tucker, A. S. Sherrod, G. E. Wilson, J. R. Perry, B. N. Williamson, J. A. Turner, K. P. Hill, S. S. Meadows, Frank Ballard, W. H. Furgurson, E. S. Ford, B. B. Perry, J. S. Peery T. P. Alford.

Pink Page Held Under Bond.

The Preliminary hearing of Pink Page for the murder of Willie Barham, was held in the Court House at Louisburg Tuesday before Dr. O. L. Ellis, J. P. Messrs Spruill & Holden, appeared for the defendant and W. M. Person and W. H. Yarbrough, Jr., appeared for the plaintiff. After hearing the evidence in the case Justice Ellis ordered that Page be bound over to the next term of Franklin Superior Court under a \$2,000 bond. At this writing Page is still in custody, but we are informed that the bond will given in a few days.

Bobbit—Clayton.

On Tuesday June 21st, at five o'clock, quite a pretty marriage was solemnized at Sunny-side, the hospitable home of Mrs. Mollie D. Speed. The contracting parties being Mrs. Annie Speed Clayton the attractive daughter of Mrs. Millie Speed and Dr. Emmit Bobbit one of Franklin counties most popular practitioners. Mendelssohn's wedding march was beautifully rendered by Miss Margie Speed, niece of the bride

Many friends and relatives were present to witness the ever important event.

The marriage ceremony was very impressively performed by Rev. Mr. Craven during which the soft low strains of the "flower song" were gently wafted to the ear, making sweeter the already attractive scene. The many handsome as well as beautiful presents attest the popularity of this couple. The happy couple left at once for their future home near Cedar Rock, taking with them many congratulations and good wishes for their future happiness.

Mrs. Crenshaw Entertains.

On Wednesday night Mrs. H. A. Crenshaw delightfully entertained a number of her friends in honor of Mrs. George Capehart, of Avoca; The occasion was one of great enjoyment to all and a large number were present.

Banks Take Holiday.

The banks of Louisburg will be closed on Monday, July 4th, on account of it being a National holiday—Declaration of Independence day. Those having business with these institutions will take notice of this.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Joyner had as their guests at an elegantly served course Dinner Tuesday evening Mr. Frank McKinne, Mgr., and the following members of the Louisburg Baseball Team: Messrs. R. E. Lee, W. L. Poole, Chester Stone and Harry Hedgepeth.

Mr. and Mrs. Joyner proved themselves royal host and hostess.

Should Make an Example.

On Thursday night of last week while Mr. E. S. Ford was out driving his automobile with a number of ladies and gentlemen, a crowd of negro boys jumped up on the sides of the machine for the purpose, we suppose, of taking a ride, and from what we can learn were engaged in using right much profanity and ugly language. The officers were informed of the occurrence and soon had the crowd "spotted." They were arraigned for trial this week but were bound over under bond until other witnesses could be gotten.

This was a very ugly act on their part and it should be made an example of by giving them the extent of the law, as the best way to stop an evil is by "nipping" it in the bud.

Put the Peas in Right.

There is one matter that we should give careful study. We prepare our corn and cotton land thoroughly before we plant, then cultivate all summer to conserve moisture and discourage weed growth. The cowpeas are sown among the cloids, in the loose, open land, then the sun and winds are turned loose to sap what moisture the upper soil contains, and is it any wonder that we do not make large crops of hay? The writer traveled over 3,000 miles through the South last summer and of the thousands of acres of peas I saw, not one-fourth had been planted on properly prepared land. On our place we are trying to prepare our corn land well, then with the pea and soy bean land go her one better, and we find it pays. It pays in dollars, in having all the past hay the stock needs and in the good feeding we have with us when we have treated a good friend well.—A. L. French, in Raleigh, (N. C.) Progressive Farmer and Gazette.

Notice of Stockholders Meeting.

The regular semi-annual meeting of the stockholders of Louisburg Wagon Co., will be held in the office of the Company at Louisburg N. C., on Wednesday, July 6th, 1910 at 2:30 p. m.

E. H. COOPER, Pres.
J. S. COBB, Sec.