

BASE BALL

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STANDING OF CLUBS

Club	W	L	Pct
LUMBERTON	13	5	.722
Parkton-St. Pauls	9	9	.500
Fairmont	8	10	.444
Camp Bragg	7	11	.388

Games Today:
Fairmont here
Bragg at Parkton

Games Friday:
Lumberton at Fairmont
Parkton-St. Pauls at Bragg

Games Monday:
Bragg here
Fairmont at Parkton

Parkton and St. Pauls Combine to Take Raeford's Place in Atlantic Coast League—Expect to Have Full Strength in Field by Monday—Local Club Has Won Every Game This Week.

Parkton and St. Pauls will take Raeford's place permanently in the Atlantic Coast League. The necessary finances were raised at a meeting at St. Paul last night, the two towns combining their resources to put a club in the race. Vance McMillan, who has been catching for the Lumberton club, will manage the new entry and four or five men will be hired, assuring a team in the class of the remaining three. The new comers expect to have their full strength in the field Monday.

The local club won every game played this week. Parkton was downed Monday, 9 to 2, and Bragg was a 5 to 4 victim here Tuesday. The Bragg game was by far the best exhibition of the week. The soldiers threw a scare into the locals in the ninth, a wonderful catch by Vann in center, which he turned into a double play, preventing the tying and possibly the winning run.

Bull, Arnette and Vann's hitting featured the Parkton game, the captain getting two triples and the others one each.

An exhibition game with Fairmont here Wednesday resulted in an easy victory, 14 to 3, the locals scoring in every frame but one. Bull, McMillan, McGirt, McNeill, Prevatt and Vann for the locals, hit for extra bases.

Score by innings:

	R.	H.	E.
Fairmont	100	101	000—3 8 4
Lumberton	421	102	31x—14 16 2

H. Floyd, Gardner and McKeithan; Vann and McMillan.

Bragg 4; Lumberton 5.

CAMP BRAGG: Ab. R. H. O. A. E.

Sullivan, rf	5	1	0	0	1	0
Watson, 2b	5	1	3	1	5	2
Cameron, 3b	2	1	1	2	2	0
Stanley, ss	4	0	1	3	3	0
Bacon, lb	4	1	12	1	0	0
Platek, c	4	0	0	3	1	0
Boyd, lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
McCutcheon, cf	4	0	1	0	2	0
Tolle, p	3	0	0	1	0	0
TOTALS	35	4	7	24	15	2

LUMBERTON: Ab. R. H. O. A. E.

Hodgin, 2b	4	1	2	2	4	0
Pulliam, 3b	2	2	0	0	2	0
Bull, ss	4	1	2	3	2	1
Arnette, 1b	4	1	3	8	0	1
McGirt, lf	4	0	2	1	0	0
McNeill, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Vann, cf	4	0	2	3	1	0
Prevatt, c	2	0	0	9	1	1
Burns, p	4	0	0	0	1	0
TOTALS	32	5	11	27	11	3

Score by innings:

Camp Bragg	002	000	110—4
Lumberton	310	000	10x—5

Summary: Three base hits, Hodgins, Vann. Two base hits, Bull, Arnette, McGirt, Stanley. Stolen bases Hodgins and Bacon. Passed ball, Prevatt (2), Platek (2). Base on balls, off Burns, 3, off Toole 3. Struck out by Burns 10, by Toole 2. Earned runs, Bragg 2, Lumberton 4. Left on bases, Bragg 6, Lumberton 7. Double plays, Vann to Hodgins to Bull; Watson to Stanley to Bacon. Time 1:50. Umpires Haynes and Prevatt.

Parkton 2; Lumberton 9.

LUMBERTON: Ab. R. H. O. A. E.

Hodgin, 2b	5	1	1	3	3	0
Pulliam, 2b	2	1	0	1	2	0
Bull, ss	5	2	2	3	1	2
Arnette, 1b	4	1	3	7	0	0
McGirt, p	4	0	0	0	3	0
McNeill, rf	5	0	0	0	0	0
Vann, lf	5	1	2	4	0	0
Prevatt, c	3	1	1	9	1	0
Rogers, cf	3	2	0	0	0	1
TOTALS	35	9	9	27	10	3

PARKTON: Ab. R. H. O. A. E.

McDonald, ss	4	0	0	2	1	2
Herndon, lf	4	0	1	2	1	2
Williamson, 3b	4	0	0	2	0	0
McMillan, V. c	3	1	0	5	0	0
McMillan, D. 1b	4	0	1	6	1	0
Lancaster, 2b	4	0	0	3	1	0
Canady, p	3	1	2	0	4	2
Florence, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Johnson, rf	3	0	0	5	1	0
TOTALS	32	2	4	27	9	6

Score by innings:

Lumberton	000	221	220—9
Parkton	000	110	000—2

Summary: Three base hits, Bull 2, Arnette, Vann. Bases on balls, off McGirt 9, by Canady 5. Struck out by McGirt 9, by Canady 5. Sacrifice hits, Pulliam, Arnette. Sacrifice fly, McGirt. Stolen bases, Herndon, McMillan, V. Canady. Passed ball, McMillan. Double plays, Pulliam to Bull; Pulliam to Hodgins to Arnette; Canady to McDonald to McMillan.

Sayre, Okla., June 14.—Six persons are known to have been drowned when they were caught in flood waters of Timber and Short creeks, after those streams had risen several feet during a cloudburst here yesterday. The creeks flow into the north fork of the Red River above this city.

Byrus Wood of Pennsylvania has been selected by President Harding as Ambassador to Spain, succeeding Joseph E. Willard.

HOW THEY HIT

Batting averages of local players to date, including Camp Bragg game of Tuesday, June 14.

PLAYER	G.	Ab.	R.	H.	Pct.
Bull	18	74	20	30	.404
Vann	8	27	2	10	.366
Arnette	18	62	11	23	.371
Proctor	16	64	15	22	.344
McMillan	16	65	16	22	.338
Hodgin	2	9	2	3	.333
McGirt	13	48	9	13	.271
English	2	8	0	2	.250
Griffith	15	63	14	15	.238
Pulliam	18	64	12	14	.230
McNeill	18	67	9	15	.224
Floyd	4	10	1	2	.200
Prevatt, R.	5	20	4	4	.200
Prevatt, J.	2	5	1	1	.200
Rogers	9	20	4	2	.100
Burns	2	9	0	0	.00

Efird's Heads Confer On Great Sale

Great Merchandising Chain Plans Mammoth Anniversary Chain Sale—Mr. J. H. Teague, Manager of Efird's Dept. Store of Lumberton Among Those Present.

Efird's Store, always busy, is a veritable hive of industry this morning, with 42 of the managers and chief executives from every store in the chain of 31, present for an extraordinary conference with the president.

The cause of the gathering is the perfecting of arrangements for an anniversary of the greatest merchandising sale ever held in the South, when, a year ago Efird's stores combined in a simultaneous effort to knock the props out of the high cost of living, and started a buying movement on the part of the public, dealing through the Efird stores, which resulted in the greatest outgo of merchandise and the greatest volume of sales, ever known in the history of the Efird department stores. The combined sale last year was a colossal success both from the point of the public and the stores.

Stocks were out completely on a falling market at bargain prices, the best given since before the war, and the Efird's reputation was greatly enhanced with the buying public, who had become weary of mounting prices. The sale last year was the first step in the direction of "back to normal," and ever since, the Efird policy has been to strain every nerve to restore stability to the dollar, and bring prices to pre-war levels.

Will Eclipse Last Year. With a full realization of the difficulty which will be experienced in making the sale on June 18th, as successful as that of a year ago, Efird's is determined not to rest on past merchandising triumphs, but to go to the public with such irresistible values and bargains, even in this year of low prices, that there will be left, not one vestige of a shadow of doubt throughout the broad territory which their 31 stores command, that Efird's Anniversary Chain Sale beginning on June 18, will surpass any effort at rapid economical merchandising, in the history of the entire South.

It is with this object in view that 42 of the most alert merchandisers in the Carolinas are conferring today, determined to make the sale opening June 18 eclipse the wonderful selling effort of last year. They know it will be difficult, but with lower prices than for years past, an organization perfected to the last degree, and a tremendous reserve buying power on the part of the public, these men know that they can put over success-

fully the greatest sale in the history of the south, if values, bargains and high class publicity, are worth-while factors in merchandising in quantities. Note—Clipped from The Charlotte Evening News of June 13th.

Capt. S. B. Alexander Sr., former Congressman and distinguished citizen of Charlotte, died at his home in that city Tuesday. He was 81 years old.

Colonel Albert Cox of Raleigh was named president of the Alumni association of the State university Tuesday to succeed R. D. W. Connor, who will become professor of history at the State institution.



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Before you're a day older you want to let the idea slip under your hat that this is the open season to start something with a joy's jimmy pipe—and some Prince Albert!

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Saturday 10 to 12 a. m. we will sell 25c Figured Voiles per yard **10¢**

Saturday 3 to 4 p. m. we will sell yd. wide 18c Bleached Domestic yd. **12½¢**

Ladies Dresses, Bungalo Aprons, House Dresses and Shirt Waists will be closed out at a great sacrifice.

69c White Organdy per yard **48¢**

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25c Windsor Percalé per yard **18¢**

25c Amoskeag quality Dress Gingham per yard **15¢**

32 inch Dress Ginghams and Romper Cloth per yard **15¢**

85 Natural Pongee Silk per yard **59¢**

\$1.39 Quality Natural Pongee Silk per yard **\$1.19**

Saturday 3 to 4 p. m. we will sell one lot Apron Ginghams per yard **7¢**

Palm Olive Talcum Powders per box **19¢**

Palm Olive Soap 3 cakes **25¢**

Men's 4 Ply Linen Collars all styles and sizes one lot each **25¢**

Men's Khaki Overalls Pants per pair **48¢**

Men's and Boys Sun Down Hats each **10¢**

Bathing Suits for Men, Women and Children. All styles and sizes priced from 98c to **\$10**

SHOES AND OXFORDS

One lot of Childrens White Slippers values up to \$1.50 per pair **89¢**

Lot of Ladies Oxfords and Pumps values up to \$8.48 per pair **\$2.50**

Farmers Solid Leather Plow Shoes per pair **\$2.19**

Tennis Shoes and Slippers of every description for Men, Women and Children will be closed out at Bargain Prices.

MEN'S AND BOYS CLOTHING DEPT.

Men's Palm Beach Suits \$10.00 to **\$12.50**

Men's \$22.50 Mohair Suits **\$16.48**

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