

# Shelby Champions To Get Three Days At World Series

## Sidelines

By JAMES GREENE

Shelby has become a mighty important city in junior baseball—in fact the No. 1 city in the United States in that American Legion sponsored sport.

Those who saw the game in Charlotte last Saturday night can attest to the fact that baseball, and especially good baseball, is America's favorite sport. The way those fans flocked out there, some of them undergoing inconvenience and discomforts just to see a game, testifies to their love of good baseball. And who can say that every pitched ball in that game did not hold with it almost any possible development that might take place in a game? As the very last pitch was over and Harvey Bowen had securely snugged the catch in his glove for the final out, folks just seemed to take a big sigh of relief which broke into one of the biggest yells possibly ever heard at any ball game. The Shelby juniors had just won the "little world series." That was something pretty big for any group of 15 fellows and two coaches.

**ABOUT THE COACHES**  
You who saw the game noticed in the ceremony following the game, no recognition was made of the coaches who led the participating teams to the final playoffs. It seems that would have been a fine time to have recognized the coaches. B. E. (Pop) Simmons and Lloyd Little, who had done the job of coaching the Shelby team to the national championship. The boys were the winners and the winners in their own right, but who can say how far the instruction and strategy of the coaches and their encouraging pep talks went in leading the team to its victory? A good team usually has a good coach, and vice versa. It depends a lot on the coaches, so here's a good word for them!

**FOOTBALL**  
Now that junior baseball for this season is over, attention will gradually begin to shift to football. The Shelby high school Lions have already been going through workouts for a week now. Yesterday afternoon, the squad saw new strength as several veterans and new men who had been playing on the baseball team once again returned to practice. Assistant Coach Lloyd Little was out on the field for the first time this year, having also been away with the junior team.

Coach Morris was putting the boys through some practice plays yesterday, and if numbers mean anything, 64 boys who reported for practice yesterday ought to augur well for a strong squad this season.

**FOOTBALL OR WORLD SERIES?**  
Smith Barrier in the Greensboro Daily News said that Allan Washburn and Jack Bridges had a premature worry at Charlotte last week during the play-off. It was the question of going to the world series if Shelby won the championship and free trip, as it did, or staying at home and playing football. "But what if this trip comes on a week-end when we have a football game?" Washburn asked. "Gosh, should I go to see a real world series game or stay home and play in that football game?"

"Not me," chimed in Jack Bridges. "As much as I'd like to make that trip, I'd just have to stay there and play football."

Tim Murchison, scout, gave the reply. "Well, boys, that all depends on what you want to play. If you like baseball better, go to the world series. But if you like football, then stay right there and play that ball game."

The same question popped to Bob Jamieson, dyed-in-the-wool football man, brought this reply. "Take that trip to the world series by all means."

**SHELBY HI LIONS PRACTICE PLAYS**  
Head Football Coach Casey Morris put his Shelby High school Lions through practice plays yesterday afternoon as Assistant Coach Lloyd Little rejoined him in coaching and several old and new men returned to the squad.

Assistant Coach Little and several veterans of the squad last year have been away with the Shelby American Legion junior baseball team in its final play for the national championship at Charlotte last week.

Old men who returned to the squad yesterday were Allan Washburn and Don Cheek of the backfield, Boots Kent, Harry McKee and Jack Bridges of the line. Loy Paige, John Weaver and Bill McGinnis were newcomers who reported for practice. Gene Clark, letterman of last season who was reported for practice last week, re-ported yesterday. About 64 boys were out for practice yesterday afternoon.

The squad is rapidly getting in shape for the opening game with Hickory on the night of September 21. Some of the men are still short of equipment, but Coach Morris expects to distribute some of the missing pieces today.

Fans in tulle, velvet, chiffon, lace and ostrich feathers are staging a comeback.



**BACK TO CAROLINA**—Here is a new picture of Carl Snavey, who coached football at the University of North Carolina in 1934-35, went to Cornell for nine years, and now returns to Carolina as head of football coach. He will be on hand for the opening of fall drills Sept. 3.—(AP Wirephoto)

## GRID TEAMS SETTLE DOWN TO BUSINESS

**RICHMOND, Va., Sept. 4.**—(AP)—Southern conference football squads are getting down to business in their first week of September. The few which observed Labor Day as a day of rest will start polishing up their T formations and passing combinations today.

William and Mary's Indians, in their second week of practice, had 45 candidates on the field yesterday and Coach Rube McCrary said he hoped to begin scrimmage by mid-week.

Clemson's 60-man squad went in for an intensive drill under Coach Frank Howard.

Wake Forest, readying for one of the toughest schedules in years, indulged in tackling, signal drills and stiff scrimmage plays as Coach D. C. "Peahead" Walker put his squad through practice.

**AT CAROLINA**  
Coach Carl Snavey found 40 aspirants awaiting him on the University of North Carolina field at Chapel Hill in his first drill there since he left to go to Cornell in 1943.

North Carolina State's squad, already trimmed to 35 men by Head Coach Beattie Feathers, finished a four-day holiday and will resume activities today.

The devils took a holiday at Duke yesterday, but Coach Eddie Cameron said he would settle down to get fall drills into full swing today. Duke encounters Navy on October 6.

**Forest E. Lindsay Killed In Action**  
LINCOLNTON — Mr. and Mrs. Charlie R. Lindsay, of Vale, have been notified that their son, Forest E. Lindsay, was killed in action while a prisoner of the Japs December 14, 1942. He was taken a prisoner in May, 1942, with the fall of the Philippines.

No details have yet been learned.

## Yanks Meet Detroit For 7-Game Series

By JACK HAND  
Associated Press Sports Writer

Opportunity is thundering on the Yankees' front door today as Detroit drags its two-game lead into the Bronx for a seven-tit set with Joe McCarthy's revived contenders.

With the third baseball milestone, Labor Day, now a matter of record, the Tigers face the discouraging prospect of carrying their pennant drive into somebody else's back yard. Be it New York, Washington, St. Louis, Cleveland or some other enemy park, the Bengals' schedule calls for 28 more games and only four at home.

While Detroit tours the country, New York will be playing 26 of its remaining 25 contests in the friendly stadium where they have been able to look the part of a contending club. And Washington plays 19 of its 24 tilts at Griffith stadium. Both St. Louis and Cleveland must play a major portion of their final games in the east during the next two weeks.

The Yanks are still fourth behind Washington and St. Louis. The Tigers' picked up a full length yesterday by squeezing past Chicago twice by an identical 6-5 score.

Largest crowd of the year at Briggs stadium, 53,953, paced the holiday major league total of 265,336 paying customers.

Washington lost ground in its two-month chase of the leaders, by dropping the second of a hol-

## Horse Show Set For October 3

Members of the newly organized Shelby saddle horse association in a meeting last night named permanent officers for the club and voted to sponsor a horse show at Dedmon's livestock yard on October 3. Mrs. Ben Hendrick was named business manager of the forthcoming show, in which \$1,000 in cash prizes will be given.

Officers elected in last night's meeting are: president, J. D. Campbell; secretary, W. D. Lackey; treasurer, Mrs. W. P. Green. It was announced that the membership quota of 50 members was more than two-thirds filled.

## Sportsmen Plan To Organize In County, Meeting Wednesday

Hunters and fishermen of Shelby and Cleveland county will meet at 7 p.m. Wednesday for the purpose of organizing their own county-wide club. It was announced today by Spurgeon Hewitt, who earlier was designated temporary chairman of the group pending formal organization.

With 66 of the counties similarly organized to promote game and fish conservation Mr. Hewitt said Cleveland sportsmen feel it desirable to effect an organization in this county to support purposes of the statewide group.

## The Scoreboard

NATIONAL LEAGUE		
	W.	L.
Chicago	79	47
St. Louis	76	52
Brooklyn	71	55
New York	71	58
Pittsburgh	71	62
Boston	57	72
Cincinnati	49	77
Philadelphia	39	90

  

AMERICAN LEAGUE		
	W.	L.
Detroit	72	54
Washington	72	58
St. Louis	69	58
New York	67	58
Cleveland	64	60
Chicago	62	65
Boston	61	69
Philadelphia	40	85

**GAME RESULTS**  
**AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
New York 4-7, Philadelphia 1-6.  
St. Louis 6-5, Cleveland 3-4.  
Detroit 6-6, Chicago 5-5.  
Washington 11-4, Boston 5-8.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
New York 3-9, Philadelphia 2-0.  
Brooklyn 4-4, Boston 0-3.  
Chicago 7-7, Cincinnati 2-1.  
Pittsburgh 6-6, St. Louis 5-2.

**TODAY'S GAMES**  
By the Associated Press (Eastern War Time)  
**AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
Detroit at New York, 2:30 p.m.  
**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
Pittsburgh at St. Louis, 3:00 p.m.

**TOMORROW'S SCHEDULE**  
**AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
Detroit at New York (2),  
Cleveland at Boston (2),  
Chicago at Philadelphia (2-twi-night),  
St. Louis at Washington (2-twi-night).

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
New York at Chicago (2),  
Brooklyn at Pittsburgh,  
Boston at St. Louis (night),  
Philadelphia at Cincinnati (2-twi-night).

## Kings Mountain Horse Show Successful Event

A successful horse show sponsored by the Kings Mountain Lions club drew horses from a wide area and more than a thousand spectators Monday when Major Peavine King, owned by Evelyn Gettys of Clover, S. C., took the grand championship, with Tommy's Only Boy, owned by Ful-Dei Fulton, reserve champion.

Several Shelby horses were entered and took honors, Miss Frances Thompson, riding Shades of Night, taking first honors in ladies' horsemanship, second in the model class, and fourth in the open five-gaited class while riding Helen Monroe, owned by Lakehurst Stables.

W. G. Arey's Night Light took second place in the gentleman's horsemanship competition and with Miss Virginia Washburn riding took third in the open three-gaited class. E. F. McKinney's Red Kalorama, ridden by Miss Margaret Eason, took third.

George W. Wray's Spotted Allen took three ribbons, placing second in the walking class, in the open walking class and in the five-gaited class.

been endorsed by the army, navy and a house military subcommittee. Legal experts are rushing work to get it in legislative language.

It includes such provisions as (1) continuation of the 20 per cent pay bonus for overseas duty; (2) extension of all G.I. bill of rights benefits to those reenlisting; (3) transportation home and 90-day furloughs for men who will re-enlist; (4) revised re-enlistment bonuses; (5) choice between a quarters allowance and a dependency allowance; and (6) immediate mustering out payments for re-enlistees.

Chairman May (D-Ky) said the full house military committee will meet Tuesday to consider the matter.

May said in a radio broadcast last night he favored continuation of the draft "for the present" in order to provide replacements for men with long combat experience.

**Morrison Pays Top Price For Jersey Cow**  
NEWBERRY, S. C., Sept. 4.—(AP)—United States Senator Cameron Morrison of Charlotte, N. C., paid the top price—\$1,000—for a cow at the annual sale of the South Carolina Jersey Cattle club here yesterday. Forty-seven Jersey cows sold brought a total of \$16,000.

Leaders hope to have it ready for house consideration this week. This development followed closely a war department announcement reducing immediately from 85 to 80 the number of points needed for discharge of army personnel and advancing the date for computing point scores. The army also cut from 38 to 35 the discharge age for enlisted men with two years of service.

The new draft legislation would provide added inducements for service in the armed forces. Its objective is to increase the number of volunteers enough to permit selective service inductions to be trimmed.

Most congressmen agree, however, that the draft will have to be continued for several months to insure adequate military manpower. The inducement program has

## Watches, Jackets And Scholarships Will Be Provided

Sh-h-h! It's still a secret to be revealed officially at tonight's barbecue honoring Shelby's national championship Junior Legion baseball club, but the local American Legion's athletic committee in special session Monday worked out several things designed to show appreciation to the lads who brought home the coveted crown.

When the committee had completed its deliberations, Post Athletic Office James S. LeGette, past Commander Max Dixon and Commander Willis McMurry revealed these things to accrue to the champions:

A third day at the World's Series to supplement the two provided by the national American Legion, thus completing the first period of play in the revised schedule of play.

Watches for each member of the club.  
A swell jumper jacket the boys like so well, complete with lettering and insignia.  
And a scholarship fund to help along two or possibly more deserving boys on the club who want to get a college education and need financial assistance to do so.

Previously, at the formal presentation of trophies Saturday night, the Ford Motor company had given each boy a check for \$37.50 price of a war bond, to be used for educational purposes.

**FISH FRY TONIGHT**  
As stated, these things are to be revealed tonight at Ollie Moore's place when fans join with the Chamber of Commerce at 7 p.m. in honoring the club that has brought Shelby immense publicity and fame.

On Friday night, the Legion will hold its September meeting, deferred from last night when scheduled in the form of a tribute to the team it sponsored successfully through a brilliant season.

Last night the lads were honored by Shelby's Junior Chamber of Commerce, but studies at school which opened yesterday took them away early — or something did. Could be, of course, they had arrangements to make since they learned that each member of the team is asked to invite his best girl also to be a guest at tonight's barbecue and fish fry when the secrets are to be let out.

**Jap Naval Official Commits Hara Kiri**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 4.—(AP)—The Domei agency in a Japanese-language broadcast recorded today by the FCC, said that Vice Adm. Matsuo Morizumi, Osaka naval defense district superintendent of shipbuilding and ordnance, committed hara kiri Sunday night.

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## SCHEDULE

HICKORY				SHELBY			
READ DOWN	Lv.	Ar.	READ UP	Ar.	READ UP	Lv.	READ UP
P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
9:15	4:30	12:30	8:30	SHELBY	8:10	12:00	4:00
9:37	4:52	12:52	8:52	FALLSTON	7:48	11:38	3:38
9:47	5:02	1:02	9:02	BELWOOD	7:38	11:28	3:28
9:52	5:07	1:07	9:07	TOLUCA	7:33	11:23	3:23
9:57	5:12	1:12	9:12	Intersection Hwy. 10 & 18	7:28	11:18	3:18
10:05	5:20	1:20	9:20	WRAY'S SERVICE STATION	7:20	11:10	3:10
10:07	5:22	1:22	9:22	BANOAK	7:18	11:08	3:08
10:19	5:34	1:34	9:34	Intersection Hwys. 10 & 127 (Propst Cross Roads)	7:06	10:56	2:56
10:30	5:45	1:45	9:45	Intersection Hwy. 127 & Mtn. Grove Church Road	6:55	10:45	2:45
10:37	5:52	1:52	9:52	BROOKFORD	6:48	10:38	2:38
10:45	6:00	2:00	10:00	HICKORY	6:40	10:30	2:30

10:30 A. M., 2:30 P. M. & 7:30 P. M. Runs Make Connections With the Gaffney-Spartanburg, S. C. Buses.

6:40 A. M., 10:30 A. M. & 7:30 P. M. Runs are through buses from Taylorsville to Shelby.

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