

THE WEATHER: Fair today and tomorrow.

Business Men Lower Colors Of Opponents

Professionals Defeated in Ball Game Yesterday by Score of 13-6

TRIPLE PLAY IS A FEATURE OF GAME

There was some in Tom Long's man- ner. As he stepped up to his place. There was pride in Tom Long's bearing. And a smile on his bold face. And when responding to the cheers. He lightly doffed his hat. No stranger in the crowd could doubt. 'Twas Tom Long at the bat.

And no stranger to anybody else. For that matter, could doubt that there was SOME ball game at Fleming Park yesterday afternoon. The business men walloped the professional men to the tune of 13-6. but in spite of this score, interest in the contest never lagged.

A large and appreciative crowd, composed of the elite of Washington was on hand and cheered vociferously (good word) for their favorites. Yes sir, taken from start to finish it was one of the best games of ball ever seen in these parts.

Holbrook pitched for the business men during the entire game. Warren started for the professionals but was replaced by Lowther in the fourth. The latter, considering the fact that he had had no warming up, pitched mighty good ball.

His and errors were made plentifully by both sides. Kugler led in the hitting, while Bell led in the error column.

There isn't much use in trying to describe the game; there was too much of it. Here's the box score, look it over for yourself.

Professionals	A. B. H. R. PO. A. E.	Warren	Lowther	W. P.	PO.	A. E.
Davenport	5	1	1	1	2	2
Lowther	5	1	2	3	5	0
Carter	4	0	1	5	0	0
Cornell	3	2	1	12	0	2
Warren	4	1	0	1	4	2
Long	2	0	1	0	0	1
Jones	1	0	0	0	0	0
Scott	0	0	0	1	0	0
Rodman	3	0	0	0	0	1
Stewart	4	1	0	2	1	1
Grimes	3	0	0	0	0	1
Hardley	1	0	0	0	0	0
Bryan	1	0	0	0	0	0
Eugene	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	6	6	24	15	10

Bus. Men	A. B. H. R. PO. A. E.	Warren	Lowther	W. P.	PO.	A. E.
Lowther	5	2	1	13	0	0
Smith	3	1	2	2	1	0
Kugler	5	3	1	7	2	0
Mayo	4	3	2	2	0	2
Knight	3	0	0	0	0	1
Warren	2	1	0	0	0	0
Bell	5	2	1	2	3	5
Faul	4	1	1	0	0	0
Calais	2	1	1	0	0	0
Credle	1	0	0	0	0	0
Potts	1	0	0	0	0	0
R. L. Stewart	1	0	0	0	0	0
Holbrook	5	2	2	0	14	0
Totals	39	13	13	27	20	9

Score by innings:
Professionals 6, 202 010 016 6
Business Men 1, 021 411 212 13
Struck out, by Holbrook 11, by Warren 4, by Lowther 3, hits on Holbrook 5, off Warren 7, off Lowther 2.

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LOCALS TO PLAY VANCEBORO TOMORROW

GAME WILL BE PLAYED AT FLEMING PARK.

Visitors Will Bring Strong Line-Up With Them and Appear to Be Confident of Victory.

Washington will play Vanceboro at Fleming Park tomorrow afternoon. Washington will bring something new in the way of a pitcher and are going to win tomorrow's contest or die in the attempt. The Vanceboro boys have been playing good ball this season and expect to add Washington to their already long list of victims.

PICNIC TO ELIZABETH CHAPEL TODAY

LOYAL SONS' CLASS TAKE LOYAL DAUGHTERS OF CHRISTIAN CHURCH ON AN OUTING.

The Loyal Sons' Class took the Loyal Daughters' Class of the Christian Church to Elizabeth Chapel on a picnic today. The party left Fowlie's wharf on a flat at 8 o'clock this morning. A large number were on hand. The classes are accompanied by W. R. Robertson, teacher; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Tetterton and Mrs. Swanner.

30,000 Refugees Are Slaughtered By Bulgarians

TOWN OF SERES IS WRECKED BY INVADERS AND IS NOW MASS OF SMOKING RUINS.

Saloniki, July 17.—Full confirmation of the reported sacking and burning of the Macedonian town of Seres by the fleeing Bulgarian troops and of the crucifixion, hacking to death or burning alive of many inhabitants has been sent to the Austro-Hungarian government by Consul-General August Kral, of Saloniki. Three-fourths of the formerly flourishing town of about 30,000 inhabitants is a mass of smoking ruins, says the consul general, who has just returned here from Seres, where he thoroughly investigated the situation.

Another horrifying story of a massacre reached here today from Dolran, a town forty miles northwest of Saloniki. Mussulmans there have made a written declaration, countersigned by three local Bulgarian priests, that the Bulgarians slaughtered 30,000 Mussulmans who had sought refuge in Dolran from the surrounding districts.—News and Observer.

Beyond His Understanding.

The Englishman was attending his first ball game. He seemed very uneasy after the fifth inning and finally said to his American friend: "I say, old chap, when do they serve the tea?" "They don't serve tea at a ball game," laughed the American. "No tea between innings?" gasped the Englishman. "Then that's the object of the blooming game?"

Quite Safe.

"So he accepted a job like that, did he? Well, I did not know that a man of his standing would accept such dirty money." "Oh, he washed his hands with an antiseptic solution before he took the fee."

SOME BIG DAY FRIDAY, JULY 25TH.

Cemetery Lots Are In Bad Shape

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED STATING THAT LOTS ARE OVER-RUN WITH WEEDS.

SHOULD BE KEPT IN GOOD ORDER

Editor Daily News: Dear Sir—I wish to call your attention to the condition of the lots in the Oakdale cemetery. They are badly overrun with weeds and present a most neglected appearance. The lot I have there is one of the dearest spots on earth to me and I think that others, who have lots there, will agree with me in saying that it is a shame that things are not kept in better shape.

I hope that the Board of Aldermen will investigate the affairs at the cemetery and see for themselves the condition of the lots and the walks. I am sure that when they see the true state of affairs that they will see that something must be done at once.

I am not writing this with the intent of criticizing anyone but I believe that the cemetery lots should be kept in good order. Many people from out of town, who have loved ones buried here, are apt to obtain a bad impression of Washington and the way we keep our cemetery.

WHOLESALE GROCERS MEET IN CHARLOTTE

Charlotte, July 17.—The third annual session of the Southern Wholesale Grocers' Association convened here yesterday morning with something like 300 representative grocers from different parts of the South in attendance. Many of them are accompanied by their wives. J. H. McLaurin, president of the association, of Jacksonville, Fla., is presiding over the deliberations of the convention.

JULY 17 IN HISTORY.

1439—Commencement of a pestilence and famine, which scourged England and France for two years and caused an intermission of hostilities between the two countries.

1710—Battle of Alamanza, in Spain; Philip V., of France, defeated by the allies.

1812—Colonel Cass with 280 men, attacked and carried the bridge over the river Aux Canards, four miles from Malden.

1845—Bonaparte sent a flag of truce and entered the Bellerophon man-of-war, Captain Maitland, who proceeded with his illustrious prisoner to Torbay.

1898—The President issues his proclamation regarding the government of Santiago de Cuba.

1911—Political parties in Canada seem hopelessly divided over reciprocity agreement.

1912—First reports circulated connecting New York police with the murder of Herman Rosenthal, Lieut. Chas. Becker was subsequently convicted of investigating the murder.

Snail Shells in Demand.

More than 600,000 pounds of snail shells are shipped out of Malaysia every year to Europe and America to be used in the making of buttons and novelties. The shells, when of good quality, bring about 16 cents a pound in New York. The shells are taken from the ocean by fishermen and sold through Chinese collectors to European firms at Singapore.

Speaker Clark's Salary Is Not Enough

IS IN SAME BOAT WITH SECRETARY OF STATE BRYAN. WILL ALSO DELIVER LECTURES.

St. Louis, July 17.—That Speaker Champ Clark also finds his salary inadequate and must supplement it, became known through his letters to the Good Roads Association, explaining that he could not address its convention because he had contracted for some lectures in October and November. He said his contract provided for cancellation in exigencies of public strife.

WORLD CONGRESS FOR SAN FRANCISCO

Brussels, Belgium, July 17.—The Congress of International Associations which has just closed its sessions at Ghent, has decided to go to San Francisco for the next meeting in 1915.

This congress is a union of 132 international organizations and is the most important body along the line of international work in the world. While details have not been completed it is certain that many individual international congresses will be held in San Francisco in 1915, the whole to conclude with a meeting of the central congress.

This series will take to San Francisco representatives from all of the foreign governments and large number of the leading scientific men of Europe.

The congress has at its headquarters in here one of the most comprehensive exhibits in the world, illustrating all phases of internationalism. Portions of this exhibit will be displayed at San Francisco in 1915.

PERSONALS

S. H. Gay of Jessama is in the city. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Davis of Concord are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Jordan of this city.

Emery Petticoat passed through the city this morning.

FULTON MARKET CORNED BEEF Just received. E. K. Willis, The People's Grocer. 7-17-31c

AURORA FANS ARE HERE

LARGE DELEGATION ACCOMPANIED BALL PLAYERS HERE THIS MORNING.

The Aurora players arrived here this morning on the Washington and Vandemere train. They were accompanied by a loyal number of rooters. The register at the Louise lists the following: Miss Broome, Miss Simmons, Miss L. Thompson, Mrs. McWilliams, Mrs. Porter, Miss Young, Miss Garnet Bonner, Miss Nance, Miss Swain, C. V. Knight, Charles Dixon, L. T. Thompson, E. T. Hooker, B. Stevens, N. M. Hooker, W. R. Mitchell and H. W. Hudnell. The delegation from Pinetown will arrive here on the 3:20 train this afternoon.

REMEMBER BULL RUN.

Richmond, Va., July 17.—The thinning ranks of veterans who remember and participated in the historic fight, celebrated the anniversary of the Battle of Bull Run today. Addresses were made and the death roll was read, following which appropriate ceremonies were held in honor of those who have passed away since last year.

HAMS AND BACON SPECIALS—Fresh lot of the famous Westphalia and Star Hams and Bacon. They are juicy and sweet. Highest quality at lowest prices. J. E. Adams, Phone 97, 7-16-41c

MATTAMUSKEET LAKE DRAINAGE CONTRACT LET

\$295,000 PUMPING STATION

CONTRACT FOR DREDGING ONE MILLION ACRES LET TO ILLINOIS FIRM.

The contract for the most gigantic project of its kind ever undertaken in North Carolina was sealed yesterday afternoon when Col. J. P. Kerr and J. S. Mann, acting for the drainage board, D. N. Graves, president of Southern Reclamation Company, Boston, Mass., and W. V. Wills, of Pittsfield, Ill., party to the contract, entered into an agreement whereby the A. V. Wills & Sons, of Pittsfield, Ill., are to engineer and dredge the Mattamuskeet Lake, of Hyde County, for the consideration of \$267,000. The contract calls for the completion of the tremendous undertaking within two years and six months from the time the dredging machinery is set in motion.

Instinct Above Intelligence.

A boy was asked to explain the difference between animal instinct and human intelligence. "If we had instinct," he said, "we should know everything we needed to know without learning it, but we've got reason, and so we have to study ourselves most blind or be a fool."

Flour Sacks.

To remove letters from flour sacks: Cover letters with lard, tightly roll up for half hour or more, then soap well and rub. You will be surprised at the result. I have passed hours and hours holling and bleaching without satisfaction, but this way the letters disappear at once.—Exchange.

OTHER CITIES CLOSE STORES AT 1 P. M.

WASHINGTON RESIDENT HAS CORRESPONDENCE FROM OTHER CITIES, RELATIVES TO GIVING EMPLOYEES HALF HOLIDAY.

MERCHANTS SEEM TO FAVOR THE IDEA

MAJORITY OF MERCHANTS INTERVIEWED IN WASHINGTON APPEAR TO THINK FAVORABLY OF CLOSING THE DAY AT ONE.

In connection with the stores of Washington closing Fridays at one o'clock, a prominent resident of Washington has written to several mayors of other cities and received the following letters.

The dry goods and clothing stores in Durham close on Friday at one o'clock. On Saturday until ten o'clock at night, I think there should be at least a half day holiday in summer and the plan works well here.

W. J. BROGDEN Mayor of Durham.

Some stores in Norfolk close at one o'clock on Saturday's some at five o'clock and some at six. This is by agreement among the proprietors and for the reason that they and their employees may have a little time for diversion, which they find healthful and profitable to both.

WYNDHAM K. MAYO Mayor of Norfolk.

All stores in Greensboro close at six o'clock P. M. every day except Saturday, they close on Saturday from 9:30 to eleven o'clock. Some give half holiday Friday afternoon and others on Saturday afternoon.

T. J. MURPHY Mayor of Greensboro.

There appears to be no doubt but what these other cities have considered well the advisability of allowing their employees a half holiday once does not interfere with their business a week and that have found that this in the least. We have also been informed by the person who gave us the above letters, that several of the Washington merchants have been interviewed regarding this matter and have nearly all appeared to be heartily in favor of it.

NEWS FROM PUNGO.

Edgar D. W. Topping of Pantego filled his appointment at the Baptist church Sunday.

The refreshing rains are doing much good to the growing crops, which are looking fine.

Raymond Paul spent Saturday night and Sunday with friends at Mt. Olive.

Miss Claude Hallowell spent Sunday night with Miss Matilda Paul and left Monday for Elizabeth City, where she will attend a teachers' institute for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Paul spent Sunday with friends at Mt. Olive.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse B. Bowen and children of Pinetown, who have been spending a few days among their many friends, returned home Sunday. Halcy Ange and family, who have been visiting at this place, returned home Monday. R. W. Lollis is holding a protracted meeting at the Christian church this week.

The Reliability of Advertised Articles

A man who is an authority on advertising said recently: "You may have a business without advertising, but you can't have advertising without a business."

Just think of the full significance of that statement to the newspaper reader.

It means that when you see and read advertising regularly in the better newspapers, he must have something real and genuine to advertise; that he has merchandise of such quality that it meets the needs of his customer, and that he is so sure of the desirability of what he has to offer that he is willing to spend real money to tell people about it. He knows that money spent in advertising is well spent, because he is chief problem in selling is to let so sure of his product that his everyone know what he has to sell.

Knowing this, can you afford to let this valuable information offered you by the daily newspaper slip by you through your own negligence? Do you not owe it to yourself to keep up to the minute by reading regularly the advertising columns of good publications like The Daily News?

SOME BIG DAY FRIDAY, JULY 25TH.

Washington Tobacco Market Will Open Wednesday August 20th.

The Highest Prices Paid For All Grades. All Farmers Needing Aid In Housing Their Tobacco Crop Will Be Taken Care Of