

City Leagues And Independents To Clash Wednesday

Lions Primed To Defeat Pahlman's Independents

City Leaguers Fortified by Outside Talent; Harris To Pitch For Otto

The Lions Club's pennant winning entry in the City League, fortified by some outside talent, will clash with Otto Pahlman's Independents Wednesday afternoon at League Park at 4 o'clock for the championship of the city.

The civic club team finished far out in front in their race for the flag in their loop. They must play the M. P. Baracas a three game series the latter part of the week to decide the champions of the loop.

Garland Harris will work for Otto's boys while "McGraw" Egan, manager of the Lions, has three good hurlers that can be counted on for some good work.

The odds are for the Independents to take the game with very little trouble but the Lions are primed to prove that the odds are "all off" and to kick over the dope bucket by trimming the high riding Pahlmen.

A good crowd is expected to witness the contest for both aggregation, have a number of followers.

Results

CITY LEAGUE

M. E.'s, 9; M. P.'s, 8.

PIEDMONT LEAGUE

Greensboro 4; Richmond 12, Charlotte 0; Wilmington 3. Only games scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

No games played.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Pittsburgh 6; Brooklyn 2. New York 7; Cincinnati 4. Only games scheduled.

Southern Coaches And Officials To Meet September 2

Durham, N. C., Aug. 21.—Southern football coaches and officials will gather here Sunday, September 2, for the annual rules meeting sponsored and arranged by the Southern Football Officials' association.

The rules meeting held each year for the advancement of uniform officiating in southern football, is open to all officials and coaches.

The meeting of the coaches and the officials for the discussion of the rules will be in conjunction with the annual meeting of the officials' association which will start Saturday with a session of the board of directors.

Main events on the program will be held Sunday. There will be two two-hour sessions on the rules, led by H. J. Stegeman of the University of Georgia, member of the national rules committee.

This year a special program has been arranged for Sunday afternoon which will bring speeches by important men in Southern football circles, including an address on "Injuries" by Dr. Oren Moore of Charlotte.

FORECLOSURE SALE

By virtue of authority vested in the undersigned as trustee, in that certain deed of trust dated 16th day of April, 1920, by Chas. H. Pollard and wife Isabella Pollard, and recorded in Book 95, Page 453, Register of Deeds office for Vance County, North Carolina; default having been made in the payment of the debt therein secured, and the holder of said deed having requested of the trustee a sale of said property therein described, I will offer for sale at the courthouse door in Henderson, N. C., by public auction for cash, on the 30th day of August, 1934, the following described real estate:

Begin at the corner of said L. T. Howards' and Pruden's line, on the Easterly side of Rockspring street or road, and run thence along the line of said Prudens back from said street or road 200 feet more or less to a corner, now made in said Prudens line, thence in a Southerly direction and parallel with Rockspring street or road 150 feet to a corner of said L. T. Howard on Jim Gills line; thence parallel to Prudens line 200 feet more or less to Gills corner on Rockspring street; thence along said street 150 feet more or less to the place of beginning.

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Defeat M. P. Baracas With Rally in Last Frame In League's Final Tilt

The M. E. Baracas scored two runs in the last inning of the game with the M. P. Baracas yesterday afternoon to defeat the M. P.'s 9-8 in the final game of the 1934 schedule for the City League.

After one was out in the seventh inning and the M. E.'s trailing by one run, Robinson was safe on an error at center. Tobe Kearney tripled to score him. Robertson ended the game with a single that scored Kearney.

Errors flew thick and fast all during the contest.

The box score:

| M. P. Baracas | Ab | R | H | E |
|---------------|----|---|---|---|
| Bell 3b | 5 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| Green 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Daniel cf | 5 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| Baity ss | 4 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| A. Finch p | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Pulley c | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Grissom 1b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Stone rf | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| W. Finch lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | 34 | 8 | 7 | 7 |

M. E. Baracas

| Ab | R | H | E | |
|----------------|----|---|---|---|
| Finch cf | 4 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| M. Kearney c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Insoce ss | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Stainback rf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| H. Robinson 3b | 3 | 2 | 1 | 3 |
| T. Kearney 2b | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Robertson lf | 4 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Coghill 1b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Edwards p | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 33 | 9 | 7 | 5 |

xOne out when winning run scored.

Score by innings: R M. P. Baracas 230 021 0-8 M. E. Baracas 050 200 2-9

Standings

| Team | W | L | Pct |
|---------------|----|----|------|
| Lions | 18 | 4 | .818 |
| M. P. Baracas | 14 | 8 | .636 |
| M. E. Baracas | 8 | 15 | .363 |
| Legions | 4 | 18 | .182 |

PIEDMONT LEAGUE

| Team | W | L | Pct |
|------------|----|----|------|
| Norfolk | 33 | 16 | .673 |
| Charlotte | 29 | 21 | .580 |
| Wilmington | 28 | 27 | .569 |
| Greensboro | 23 | 27 | .460 |
| Richmond | 20 | 28 | .417 |
| Asheville | 14 | 33 | .298 |

AMERICAN LEAGUE

| Team | W | L | Pct |
|--------------|----|----|------|
| Detroit | 76 | 40 | .655 |
| New York | 71 | 44 | .617 |
| Cleveland | 59 | 53 | .527 |
| Boston | 62 | 56 | .525 |
| Washington | 52 | 61 | .460 |
| St. Louis | 48 | 63 | .432 |
| Philadelphia | 47 | 63 | .427 |
| Chicago | 41 | 76 | .350 |

NATIONAL LEAGUE

| Team | W | L | Pct |
|--------------|----|----|------|
| New York | 76 | 41 | .650 |
| Chicago | 70 | 46 | .603 |
| St. Louis | 68 | 47 | .591 |
| Boston | 58 | 57 | .504 |
| Pittsburgh | 55 | 59 | .482 |
| Brooklyn | 49 | 64 | .434 |
| Philadelphia | 44 | 70 | .386 |
| Cincinnati | 40 | 76 | .345 |

Between Innings

COLTS TRIM PATS

Richmond hammered the offerings of Newsome and Horton for 16 blows as they trimmed the visiting Patriots 12 to 4. Leonardo pitched the victory for the Colts.

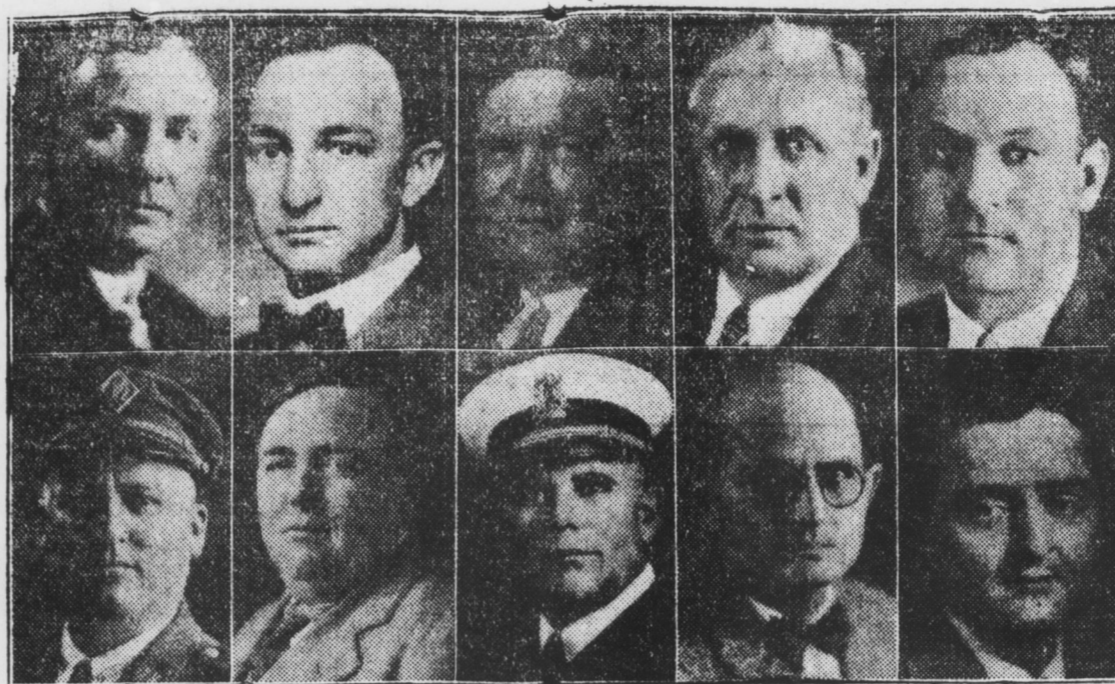
PIRATES BLANK BEES

Wilmington blanked Charlotte 3 to 0 last night in Wilmington as Junie Barnes shaded John Lanning in the duel. The Bees got six hits while the Pirates were getting eight.

These were the only games played in the Piedmont loop yesterday.

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Form Safety Division in Institute of Government



Officials of the newly formed Street and Highway Safety Division of the Institute of Government are pictured above. Reading from left to right, they are: Governor J. C. B. Ehringhaus, chairman of the steering com-

mittee; president of the division, E. Highway Commissioner E. B. Jeffress, who will serve as president, heads the distinguished list of public officials and citizens who have warmly commended the program and enthusiastically accepted invitations to serve as officers.

Vice presidents will be Leland S. Harris, director of the Motor Vehicle Bureau; Capt. Chas. D. Farmer, head of the State Highway Patrol; Stanley Winborne, utilities commissioner; Dan C. Boney, insurance commissioner; J. G. Wooten and Oscar F. Adkins, presidents of the Police Chiefs and Sheriffs division of the institute respectively; Harry Tucker, professor of highway engineering in State College; and George C. Eichhorn, city clerk of Greensboro.

Judge Devin stresses the point that the new safety division was intended to supplement and correlate rather

than supplant or duplicate the good work that is being done by the various organizations engaged in the same problem.

"The first step will be to make a thorough study," he said, "of the work that is being done by other states, by our own cities and counties, and by the various private organizations. Our program will be drawn up in the light of their experience."

With regard to the various laws that several organizations are drawing up for licensing drivers and regulating traffic, Judge Devin made it clear that it was not the intention of the Safety Division to serve as sponsor.

"Our sole purpose," he said, "is to supplement and correlate the work of our cities, counties, and private organizations, and to see that all such proposals with me are aired out before the different groups so that the State and its citizens can get the

The Eighth Commandment

By NORMA HENDRICKS

READ THIS FIRST:
Donald Reeves, young instructor, lay lowed shot to death in his office on the campus of Center City university. The janitor who discovered the body summons Officer Callaghan. (NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY)

CHAPTER 2

COMPLETING his survey, Callaghan stepped around the body to the open windows, closing and locking them. He paused with his hand on the knob of a door near Reeves' desk. "What about this door?" "It opens to the washroom," Dan answered, raising his eyes from the body. "It's always locked. Nobody's got a key." His manner was calmer now as if he had been influenced by Callaghan's self-possession. The patrolman strode to the door through which they had entered. "Got the key to this?" Dan nodded. "Lock it then and show me where there's a phone." Dan did as ordered and led him toward a small office at the front. The room, when Dan had unlocked the door, was disclosed to be that of a secretary, with neat bare desk and alcove.



"A professor's been killed."

The officer picked up the telephone and called Central Station. "Detective bureau," he spoke. "Gimme the inspector." He spoke with a certain amount of satisfaction. It wasn't every day a cop got to report a dead man on the university beat. "Inspector Lee? This is Callaghan at the university. A professor's been killed at the English House. . . . Yeah, 462 University Row. I ain't sure it's murder, of course—there's a gun lying near the body. But he sure don't look like he meant to shoot himself. . . . Yeah, the janitor just found the body and told me." Dan bristled. "He had never been chummy with 'the campus cop,' as the students called him, and it would be a distant day before he forgave Callaghan for calling him a janitor. "O. K., inspector," Callaghan answered after a moment's listening, and hung up the receiver. "The inspector says to keep the door locked and not to let nobody go in. He'll be right out. Better give me that key," he added. Dan shook his head stubbornly. "That key's the only one I got and I got to clean the rest of the offices." "No, you don't," Callaghan replied. "What do you want to do, go around destroying a lot of clues? Just for the fact you'd better give me the keys to all the offices." "There's only one. It opens them all. I got to empty the wastebaskets, anyway." "Only one, eh?" Callaghan ignored Dan's last sentence. "So a guy with a key to any office could get in any other one?" "Say, listen," Dan demanded with some loftiness in his manner. "Are you trying to say that one of this department—the English department—killed Reeves? Because you're crazy if you are. You don't know the door was even locked and if it was, somebody could of got in on the fire escape, couldn't they?" Callaghan laughed. "Come on, give me the key. How do you know

anybody killed him? Maybe he shot himself. Though like I told the inspector, a guy that looks that scared his look as if he'd done it himself. Anyway, the prints on the gun will show that." Dan looked startled. "You hadn't thought of that, huh? Well, it might've happened that way. What was this guy Reeves like, anyway? Any reason you know of for him shooting himself?" Dan walked over and picked up the discarded mop and broom. "I suppose I can mop the hall floor, anyway." "Well," Callaghan hesitated. "Oh, I guess so," magnanimously, waving his hand. "Go ahead. It don't show any footprints anyhow. What about Reeves?" Dan went deliberately to the washroom, there was the sound of swiftly running water and when he returned he carried a full scrubbing pail in his hands. Picking up his mop, he set conscientiously to work near the secretary's office. Between slaps of the mop, he growled, "Reeves would never do anybody the favor of shootin' himself." "So you didn't like him, huh?" "He was an old grouch. Always yelling at everybody." He grinned suddenly for the first time that morning. "He sure scared the girls to death, though, always yellin' at them. They all hated to get into his classes. Good for them it was, too. Always taking better minds than theirs off their work." Dan had a deep and unreasoning dislike for the co-eds of the university which even extended to Marilla Edwards, the only woman on the English faculty, who hadn't been a co-ed for many years. "How long had the professor been here?" asked Callaghan stepping out of the path of the big mop as it swished its way to the murdered man's door. "He wasn't a professor," explained Dan painstakingly but scornfully as an educated mind might chide a stupid one. "He was only an instructor. Like—like you aren't a captain but only a cop, see?" He offered

the explanation with relish. "Say, what do you mean?" demanded the officer. "Well, you ain't a captain, are you?" asked Dan reasonably. "No, but I will be some day." "Sure and he would have been a professor some day, too." Dan answered, "if—." He paused. This exchange with Callaghan had made him forget what lay behind that door. Now he remembered and began mopping feverishly as if he were anxious to get on down the hall and away from it. He had reached the end and was turning into the washroom with the mop and pail of dirty water when Callaghan's next question came. "Was he married?" "Yeah. She was nice, too. Too nice for the likes of him," called back Dan as he emptied the pail. The rush of water into the pail from the faucet almost drowned the policeman's reply. "Can't hear you," yelled Dan. "Wait'll I'm through." The water rushed on for a minute or two, then stopped. Callaghan heard Dan swishing the mop around and squeezing it out. In an instant he reappeared in the hall, mop and pail in one hand. "What'd you say?" "I said maybe she done it." Dan looked disgusted. "She's the only one that never would of done it. She was crazy about him," he declared vigorously. He collected the broom and dustcloth, putting the broom in the pail with the wet mop, and hanging the dustcloth across the handle. Then he looked about him and sighed. "This'll be the first time they ever got here and found the place in a mess. Wait till Wilson sees it. He'll tell you what's what, interfering with—." A siren sounded down the street, interrupting him. "It's the inspector," yelled Callaghan, leaving his post and hurrying down to the front door. Dan set his pail in a corner of the hall and ran down after him.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

benefits of the constructive work of all of them. "To this end," Judge Devin said, "representatives of all such groups will be invited to attend the sessions of the Safety Division to be held in connection with the annual meeting of the Institute of Government in Chapel Hill, September 13 and 14.

"In addition to announcing our findings and our program, Judge Devin said, "we will have on our program this time a number of leaders in the National Safety Movement."

The work of the Safety Division is being put in process immediately. Professor Tucker has already prepared the tentative draft of a guidebook for traffic officers. A series of studies is now under way in the different traffic regulations of the various cities, looking toward the standardization of local traffic control insofar as it is practical and feasible. Another series of studies will be made in the various ways traffic cases are handled by the different cities, county and State courts.

The judicial officers and prosecuting officers divisions of the institute, of which Judge Devin and Clawson Williams are the heads, are cooperating in the latter. The plan is to collect statistics and make a monthly checkup on the disposition of traffic cases throughout the State.

The need out of which the Safety Division of the Institute of Government grew was illustrated by Judge Devin with a few graphic figures. "We are killing from 800 to 900 a year on the public highways of North Carolina an average of 70 to 75 a month. We are injuring 6,000 a year, an average of 500 a month. The direct property loss runs into hundreds of thousands, and if the economic loss of time away from work of the injured people is counted, it runs into millions of dollars, Judge Devin said.

FARM LANDS MUCH BETTER IN DEMAND

Columbia, S. C., Aug. 21.—From 25 to 50 inquiries regarding the purchase of farm lands are coming in every day to the Federal Land Bank of Columbia, according to Julian H. Scarborough, general agent of the

Farm Credit Administration of Columbia, and president of the Federal Land Bank of Columbia. There has been a steady increase in the number of inquiries he said.

Contracts for the sale of 71 farms for a total of \$161,139.22 were submitted to the bank authorities during the month of July, a very substantial increase over June and May and a 100 per cent increase over April.

Of the contracts submitted 10 were for farms in North Carolina; 21 for farms in South Carolina; 21 for farms in Georgia and nine for farms in Florida.

Mr. Scarborough said that the heaviest demand continued to be for farms of 200 acres and less. Many of those purchasing these farms and making inquiries about them are people who formerly lived on farms but left them for the city.

Today's Games

PIEDMONT LEAGUE
Greensboro at Richmond.
Charlotte at Wilmington.
Norfolk at Asheville.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Cleveland at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Washington.
St. Louis at New York.
Detroit at Boston.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Brooklyn at Pittsburgh.
New York at Cincinnati.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
Boston at St. Louis.

Governor George White of Ohio, born at Elmira, N. Y., 62 years ago.

Henderson, Lodge No. 229 A. F. & A. M. will meet in regular communication tonight at eight o'clock. Master Masons are invited to attend.
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